# THE MAPS OF BUCKINGHAMSHIRE 1574–1800

## URSULA PRICE

## PART II

75. Seller, John. 14" × 19". Scale, about 13" to 4 miles.

Buckingamiae | Comitatus | vulgo | Buckingham | Shire. | By John Seller.

Border & wide. The map is divided into squares, 12, which is explained by a note below the list of hundreds, 'The side of each Square containes / foure Miles'. In the right and left margins are the numbers 1-10 (numbering from the top), referring to each of the ten squares; in the top and bottom margins the numbers 20-90 run from the fifth square from the left to the third square from the right.

The title is in the top right-hand corner, in a space formed by the curving cornucopiae which encircle it; a pastoral scene depicting haymaking, sheep, birds, a dog,

a stag, and a man with a hawk-like bird, surround the title.

In the top left-hand corner, 'A Table / of the daies of the Markets and Faires / with the Borough Townes and how / many Members in Parliament / they choose'; this table, in three columns, follows in the panel below, and below the table is the list of hundreds, in two columns. The whole is on a suspended piece of drapery held by three garlanded cherubs, and beneath it is the statement of scale quoted above, with the cardinal points below and outside the drapery.

In the bottom left-hand corner, below the cardinal points, and surmounted by a slab on which a shepherd and haymaker are leaning, is a list of five symbols used to represent 'Market Townes, Borough Townes, Parishes, Gentlemens Howses, Villages'. A pastoral scene with a shepherd, shepherdess, and two sheep occupies the

remaining space in that corner.

Hundreds, rivers, main roads, hills, trees, parks, towns and parishes are shown.

The map is plain at the back.

In 'A / Collection of the / County Mapps of the / Kingdome of England / and Principality of / Wales / By John Seller'. Chubb describes this atlas as 'a miscellaneous collection of fifty-seven maps of Great Britain and Ireland including thirty-nine from John Speed's atlas of England and Wales'. About this time Seller was advertising, in the Term Catalogue, his intention of publishing fresh maps of the counties of England and Wales.

(1.TAB.18.)

#### REPRINTS

# [1693.] With the following differences:

 The arms of Walter Gifford and Rich Stranbowe, Earls (the latter below the former), and Tho of Wodstoke, Earl, and Hum Stafforde, Duke (the latter below the former) have been added to left and right, respectively, of the cardinal points.

- The arms of George Villers, Duke, have been added above the garlanded cherubs holding the Table of the daies of the Markets, on the left.
- An imprint, added below the statement of sale: 'Sold by Philip Lea at the Atlas & / Hercules in Cheapside LONDON'. And below the key to the symbols used for towns are the words, 'Corrected and many Additions / by P Lea'.

Many more roads have been added.

 The Surrey boundary has been drawn in, opposite the number 80 on the lower edge, and the words 'p<sup>t</sup> of Surrey' added. This map is plain at the back.

In 'The Shires of / England / and / Wales / Described by / Christopher Saxton / . . . With many Additions and Corrections / . . . by Philip Lea . . . / Sold by Phillip Lea at the Atlas and Hercules in Cheapside near / Friday Street and at his Shop in Westminster Hall near the Court / of Common Pleas where you may have all sorts of Globes Mapps &ca. Although this atlas is apparently the one that was advertised in the Term Catalogue for 1699, it can be dated 1693 for the following reasons: the map of Kent is dedicated to John Tillotson, Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, a position which he is known to have held from 1692–94; and in Narcissus Luttrell's copy (now in the Harold Whitaker Collection), Luttrell, in accordance with his usual custom, put the date at which he acquired the atlas on the title-page—1693.

This collection also includes Lea's revision of Saxton's map of Bucks., Berks. and Oxon. (H.W. & Manchester P.L.)

1733. Plain at the back, with the following changes:

1. Lea's imprint has been erased.

The British Museum copy of this map is loose.

(K.8.1.)

#### 1681

Blome, Richard. 10" × 7". Scale 7 (1 n/2").

A Mapp of | ye County of | Buckinghā.

Single-line border, with no latitude or longitude marked.

The title is on a piece of drapery suspended from the top right-hand corner. In the top left-hand corner, on a similar drapery, are the arms of the Earl of Bridgewater, and the dedication: 'To the R<sup>t</sup> Honble Jo: Earle of Bridge / water, Vist Brackley Baron of Elmesmere / L<sup>d</sup> Lieutenant of the County & one of ye ld / of his Matham most Honble privy Councell / This Mapp is D.D. by R.B.'

In the lower left-hand corner is 'A Table of ye / Hundreds in / Buckingham / Shire', and in the lower right-hand corner the scale. The cardinal points are on the

left side of the map, just below centre.

The hundreds are shown with their boundaries (each hundred has a reference number listed in the Table of the Hundreds); also hills, towns and parishes, rivers, trees and parks. This map is neater and more compact than Blome's map of 1673. It is plain at the back.

In 'Speed's / Maps / Epitomiz'd: / or the / Maps / of the / Counties / of / England, / Alphabetically placed. / . . . London, / Printed Ann. Dom. 1681'. Five of the maps are dated 1671 and two 1667, and Sir H. G. Fordham, in *Hertfordshire Maps*, quotes this collection as having been first issued by Taylor in *England Exactly Described*, 1671. (118.b.20.)

#### REPRINTS

- 1685. Plain at the back. In 'Speed's / Maps / Epitomiz'd: / . . . Printed and Sold by Sam. Lownes over against / Exeter Exchange in the Strand. 1685'. (H.W.)
- 1693. The dedication to the Earl of Bridgewater has been crased and the top left-hand corner is now vacant. Plain at the back.
  In 'Cosmography / and / Geography, / . . . The Second Part, / Being a Geographical Description of all the World, / Taken from the Notes and Works of the Famous / Monsieur Sanson, / . . . The Third Impression, Illustrated with Maps. / . . . Printed by Samuel Roycroft, for Richard Blome, dwelling near Clare Market in / New Weldstreet, at the Green Pallisado-Pales, M DC XCIII'. (H.W.)
- 1693. With the arms of John Machell of Wendover in the top left-hand corner, and dedication to him as follows, 'John Machell of Wendover in this / County Gentleman. / This Mapp is humbly Dedicated by Ric: Blome'. Plain at the back.
  - In 'Cosmography / and / Geography', with the same title-page and imprint.
    (R.G.S.)
- [1693— Reprint of the 1693 map, with dedication to John Machell of Wendover. 1715.1 Plain at the back.
  - In 'England Exactly Described / . . . Printed Coloured and Sold by Tho:/
    Taylor at ye Golden Lyon in Fleetstreet where are sold all Sorts / of Mapps
    and fine French Dutch and Italian Prints'. As plate numbers are found on
    the maps in the 1715 edition of this work, this issue must have appeared
    before that date. The five maps which were originally dated 1671 still bear
    that date and Blome's imprint, and Surrey and Middlesex are still dated 1667.

    (Bookseller.)
- [1715.] The plate number, 4, has been added in the top left- and top right-hand corners. Plain at the back.
  In 'England Exactly Described', with Taylor's imprint as above. This issue has not only the county maps, but also a map of Scotland at the beginning, on which the dedication is dated 1715, and a map of England. (14.a.57.)
- [1716.] Reprint of the map in the 1715 issue with the addition of main roads. Plain at the back.
  In the same work, with the same imprint on the title-page. This edition is enlarged by the addition of the 'Table of the Roads and Distances . . . according to Mr. Ogilby's Account', and also by the map of Ireland, on which the dedication is dated 1716. Taylor's imprint replaces Blome's on all the dated maps except Lines., Middx. and Surrey. (32.a.35.)
- [1716.] Reprint of the map in the 1716 issue, plain at the back.
  In the same work, with the same imprint on the title-page, This edition is enlarged by the addition of the maps of the Welsh counties, all of which are dated 1718. (15.bb.17.)

[1735.] Reprint of the map in the 1716 issue, plain at the back. In the same work, 'Printed Coloured and Sold by Tho: / Bakewell Next ye Horn Tavern in Fleetstreet . . .' Bakewell's imprint replaces that of Taylor on all the formerly dated maps (except Shropshire in the B.M. copy; I have, however, seen another copy where Shropshire bears Bakewell's imprint). Lines, and Middx. still bear the old imprints dated 1671 and 1667 respectively. Bakewell succeeded Taylor about 1731. (15.bb.18.)

#### 1685

- Blome, R. A Mapp of ye County of Buckinghā. In 'Speed's Maps Epitomiz'd . . . 1685'. See 76.
- 78. Blaeu, J. Buckinghamiensis Comitatus. In the Overton Atlas. See 25.

#### 1689

 Saxton, C. Oxoniae buckinghamiae et berceriae Comitatuum. . . . In 'All the Shires of England and Wales Described by Christopher Saxton. . . . With many Additions and Corrections by Philip Lea. . . . 'See 1.

## 1690

 Speed, J. Buckingham Both Shyre, and Shire-towne describ. In 'Theatre of the Empire of Great Britaine'. See 6.

## 1693

- Saxton, C. Oxoniae buckinghamiae et berceriae Comitatuum . . . In 'The Shires of England and Wales . . . With many Additions and Corrections by Philip Lea. . . .' See 1.
- Saxton, C. Oxoniae buckinghamiae et berceriae Comitatuum. . . . In 'Atlas Anglois contenant Les Cartes Nouvelles . . . Des . . . Comtes . . . du Royaume d'Angleterre'. See 1.
- Seller, J. Buckingamiae Comitatus. . . . In 'The Shires of England and Wales . . . With many Additions and Corrections by Philip Lea. . . .' See 75.
- Blome, R. A Mapp of ye County of Buckinghā. In 'Cosmography and Geography... The Second Part... M DC XCIII'. See 76.
- Blome, R. A Mapp of ye County of Buckinghā. In 'Cosmography and Geography... The Second Part... M DC XCIII'. See 76.

## 1693-1715

 Blome, R. A Mapp of y<sup>e</sup> County of Buckinghä. In 'England Exactly Described . . . Printed Coloured and Sold by Tho: Taylor. . . . 'See 76.

#### 1695

87. Camden, William, and Morden, Robert. 16" × 13". No scale.

Buckingham | Shire | By Robert Morden.

Border 1/16" wide, marked with the seconds, minutes and degrees of latitude and longitude, measured from the meridian of London. Along the top edge, at 4"

intervals, starting 1½" from the top right-hand corner, are the roman numbers II, III and IIII, to indicate minutes of time from London.

The title is on a scroll, against an architectural slab surrounded by palms, in the lower left-hand corner. To the right of centre, parallel with the lower edge and about \(\frac{2}{3}\)" above it, are the words, 'Sold by Abele Swale Awnsham & John Churchil'. In the lower right-hand corner, on the lower edge, is the engraver's name, 'S. Nicholls sculp'.

This map shows towns and villages, parks, rivers, hills, trees, hundreds, roads, and populated areas, by means of small black squares or continuous black lines along

the roads. It is plain at the back.

In 'Camden's / Britannia, / Newly Translated into English: / . . . Publish'd by Edmund Gibson, . . . / . . . Printed by F. Collins, . . . / . . . and A. & J. Churchil, at the Black / Swan in Pater-noster-Row. 1695'. (1259.d.18.)

#### REPRINTS

- [1715.] A clear reprint of the 1695 map, engraved on thicker paper. Plain at the back. In an edition of which the B.M. copy has no title-page or printed text; each map is accompanied by a page of text in MS. giving the Knights of the Shire elected in 1714–1715. (7.TAB.51.)
- 1722. Reprint of the original, with some minor alterations: the spelling of Richmansworth (1695) has been changed to Rickmansworth; Gaviots Cross, just north of Hedgeley [sic] has been altered to Gerrards Cross; in the northwest, Ratley Park, just west of Buckingham, has been erased from its former position, south of Ratley, and now surrounds Ratley; just outside the Bucks.—Northants. border, 'Part of Oxfordshire' has been added, encircled by a coloured line; Curcot, a village shown on the 1695 map west of Leighton, has been erased. The roads have printed rather faintly. The map is plain at the back.

In 'Britannia: / or a / Chorographical Description / of / Great Britain / and Ireland, / . . . the Second Edition . . . / Vol. I. / . . . Printed by Mary Matthews, for Awnsham Churchill, / and Sold by William Taylor, in Pater-Noster-Row. / MDCCXXII'. (1259.f.20.)

- 1753. Reprint of the 1722 edition. The plate appears to have been retouched. Plain at the back.
  In the same work, '... The Third edition ... Vol. I. / ... Printed for R. Ware, J. and P. Knapton ... / M.DCC.LIII'. (10348.1.2)
- 1772. Reprint of the 1722 edition, rather worn. Plain at the back. In the same work, '. . . Fourth Edition . . . / Vol. I. / . . . Printed for W. Bowyer, W. Whiston . . . / M.DCC.LXXII'. (192.f.10.)

# 88. Seller, John. $4\frac{1}{4}$ " $\times$ $5\frac{1}{4}$ ". Scale 10 (1 $\frac{1}{16}$ ").

Buckingham | Shire. | By John Seller.

Border 3" wide, with North, South, East and West engraved in the top, bottom,

right, and left margins respectively.

The title is in a simple cartouche in the top right-hand corner, the Scale of English Miles in the bottom left. In the top left-hand corner is a list of the hundreds, giving a key to the letters A-H used on the map to indicate each hundred.

This neat little map shows towns, rivers, hills, trees and hundreds. It is plain at the back.

In 'Anglia Contracta. / or A / Description of the / Kingdom of / England / & Principality of / Wales. / . . . By John Seller / Hydrographer to / the King'.

(Maps 1.aa.42.)

#### REPRINTS

- 1696. Plain at the back. In 'The / History / of / England: / . . . with Exact Maps of each County, / . . . By John Seller, / . . . London, Printed by Job and John How, for John Gwillim, / . . . 1696'. (1480.aa.21.)
- 1701. Plain at the back.
  In 'Camden's / Britannia / abridg'd; / with / Improvements, and continuations, / to this present time. / . . . Vol. I. / . . . Printed by J. B. for Joseph Wild, at the / Elephant at Charing-Cross, 1701'. (10348.c.9.)
- 1703. The plate has been retouched, but nothing added. Plain at the back. In 'The / history / of / England: / . . . With the Maps of all the Counties and Islands / belonging to England . . . / By John Seller, / . . . Printed for J. Marshall, at the Bible in Grace- / Church-street, 1703'. (1326.a.6.)
- 1777. The plate appears to have been retouched again. The title-cartouche has been erased and the title, Buckingham- / Shire, in roman capitals, is now in a panel 1½" × ½", with rounded ends, in the top right-hand corner. The scale, formerly a single line divided off into 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10 miles and headed English Miles, has been replaced by a double line, shaded off into 1, 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10 miles, and headed Scale of Miles. The spelling of some of the placenames has been altered: Agmundesham is now the modern Amersham, and Barkley appears as Brackley. The map now occupies the top half of the page, the descriptive text being on the lower half and continued on the back. In 'Supplement / to the / Antiquities / of / England / and / Wales. / By Francis Grose . . . / . . . Printed for S. Hooper, No. 25, Ludgate-hill, MDCCLXXVII'. (677.g.4-9.)
- [1784.] Reprint of the 1777 map. It occupies the top half of the page, with the descriptive text on the lower half and verso, as before. Below the text, at the inner margin, are the words 'Vol. I'. The text has been reset, and the first line, which in the 1777 edition ended with 'was', now ends 'in-'. In 'The / Antiquities / of / England / and / Wales / By Francis Grose, . . . / Vol. I. New Edition / . . . London Printed for Hooper & Wigstead. . . . 'The date is given below the engraved frontispiece. (10348.g.3.)

## 1696

 Seller, J. Buckingham Shire. By John Seller. In 'The History of England . . . 1696'. See 88.

## 1701

 Seller, J. Buckingham Shire. By John Seller. In 'Camden's Britannia Abridg'd . . . 1701'. See 88.

## 1702

 Jansson, J. Buckinghamiae Comitatus cum Bedfordiensis. In the Overton Atlas. See 28. Morden, Robert. 7<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" × 5<sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub>". Scale 10 (1½", 1½", & 1½").

Buckingham | shire | by Rob! Morden.

Border ‡" wide, marked with the seconds, minutes and degrees of latitude and longitude, London being the meridian. In the upper border (as in Morden's maps for the 1695 edition of the *Britannia*), respectively \(\frac{3}{6}\)", 2\(\frac{3}{6}\)", and 4\(\frac{5}{6}\)" from the top right-hand corner, are the roman figures II, III and IIII, to indicate minutes in time from London. Outside the border at the top, the word North is engraved; against the border, on the map, at the right—East; within the bottom edge, left of centre, South; and on the map, against the left edge, near the top—West.

The title is on a slab in the bottom left-hand corner. In a panel below the slab are the three scales, Small, Midle [sic] and Great. In the bottom right-hand corner, 'I.

Harris Sculp.'

This map, which is similar to Morden's 1695 map, reduced in scale, shows towns and villages, rivers, hills, trees, roads, and hundreds. It is plain at the back.

In 'The new / description and state / of / England, / containing the / mapps / of the / counties of England and Wales, / . . . Printed for Robert Morden, in Cornhill; . . , 1701'. (579.d.28.)

#### REPRINTS

- 1704. Plain at the back.
  In the same work, 'The Second Edition / . . . Printed for S. and J. Sprint, J. Nicholson, and S. Burroughs . . . 1704'. (577.f.3.)
- 1708. Directions have been added to show the destinations of the roads leaving the county. Also the cardinal points have been included, 1" down from the top right-hand corner. The plate appears to have been touched up. Plain at the back.
  In 'Fifty Six New and Accurate / Maps / of Great Britain, Ireland and Wales:

In 'Fifty Six New and Accurate / Maps / of Great Britain, Ireland and Wales; / ... Begun by Mr. Morden: Perfected, Corrected and Enlarg'd by Mr. Moll ... Printed for John Nicholson . . . 1708'. (Maps 18.a.23.)

- 1720. Reprint of the 1708 map. Plain at the back.
  In 'Magna Britannia / et / Hibernia. / Antiqua & Nova. / . . . Vol. I. / . . .
  Printed by Eliz. Nutt; and Sold by M. Nutt . . . and J. Morphew . . .
  MDCCXX'. (2061.r.)
- 1738. In 'Magna Britannia, Antiqua et Nova . . . 1738'. This is mentioned by Sir H. G. Fordham in his Hertfordshire Maps, and by Dr. Whitaker, but I have not yet seen a copy.

#### 1703

 Seller, J. Buckingham Shire. By John Seller. In 'The history of England . . . 1703'. See 88.

#### 1704

 Morden, R. Buckinghamshire by Rob! Morden. In 'The new description and state of England . . . The Second Edition . . . 1704'. See 92.

#### 1708

 Morden, R. Buckinghamshire by Rob! Morden. In 'Fifty Six New and Accurate Maps of Great Britain, Ireland and Wales . . . 1708'. See 92. Jansson, J. Buckingamiae Comitatus cum Bedfordiensi. . . . In 'Atlas Major . . . apud Carolum Allard'. See 28.

## 1713

 Speed, J. Buckingham. Both Shyre and Shire-town describ. In a collection of Speed's maps published by Henry Overton. See 6.

#### 1714

 Blaeu, J. Buckinghamiensis Comitatus. . . . In 'Atlas Anglois, ou description générale de l'Angleterre . . . MD.CCXIV'. See 25.

## 1715

- Jansson, J. Buckingamiae Comitatus cum Bedfordiensi. . . . In 'Atlas Anglois . . . 1715'. See 28.
- Blome, R. A Mapp of ye County of Buckinghā. In 'England Exactly Described...' See 76.

#### 1716

- 101. Speed, J. Buckingham Both Shyre, and Shire-towne describ. In 'A Catalogue of a Set of Maps of the Several Counties of England and Wales. . . . Printed and Sold by Henry Overton. . . . 'See 6.
- Speed, J. Buckingham Both Shyre, and Shire-towne describ. In 'England Fully Described. . . . Printed and Sold by Henry Overton. . . .' See 6.
- Blome, R. A Mapp of ye County of Buckinghā. In 'England Exactly Described...' See 76.

## 1718

104. Blome, R. A Mapp of y<sup>e</sup> County of Buckinghā. In 'England Exactly Described...' See 76.

## 1720

- 105. Saxton, C. Oxoniae buckinghamiae et berceriae Comitatuum. . . . In 'The Shires of England and Wales . . . Sold by Geo: Willdey'. See 1.
- 106. Morden, R. Buckinghamshire by Rob! Morden. In 'Magna Britannia et Hibernia . . . M DCC XX'. See 92.
- 107. Owen, J., and Bowen, E.  $4\frac{1}{2}$ "  $\times$   $4\frac{1}{4}$ ". Scale 15 ( $1\frac{3}{4}$ ").

Buckingham | Shire.

Border 1" wide, shaded to look like a rounded picture frame. No latitude or

longitude marked.

The title is in the upper right-hand corner, and below it a 17-line description of Bucks. in small italic type. The lines are of uneven length at the left-hand end. The scale is parallel to the right margin, in the lower right-hand corner. A list of the hundreds is in the bottom left-hand corner, giving a key to the number used for each hundred to save space on the map.

This rather crowded little map shows towns and villages, rivers, hills, trees, hundreds and roads. Above the map, on the upper third of the page (p. 137, num-

bered in the top right-hand corner), is an ornamental cartouche surrounding the name of the road depicted on the strip maps on the two following pages: 'The Road from / London to Yarmouth. / Commencing at Colchester (see Page 46) / Containing 92 comp. and 122'5 meas<sup>d</sup> Miles'. On page 138, on the verso of this map, the first part of the road, from Colchester to Woodbridge, is shown in three strip maps. The Arms of Colchester are below the third map, next to the inner margin. In very small italic at the foot of the page is a thirteen-line description of Colchester. At the outer (left) edge of the page, in slightly larger italic, is a 21-line description of Woodbridge.

In 'Britannia Depicta / or / Ogilby Improv'd; / . . . By Jn° Owen of the Midd: Temple Gent. / . . . Printed for, & sold by Tho: Bowles Print & Map Seller next ye Chapter House / in St. Pauls Church-Yard & Em: Bowen next ye King of Spain in S: Katherines. 1720'.

(Maps 28.c.22.)

#### REPRINTS

- [1721.] Reprint, on p. 137 as before.
  In the same work, '. . . Printed for, & Sold by Tho: Bowles . . . / . . . & E. Bowen Engraver & Print Seller near ye Stairs in St. Katherines 1720'. Chubb dates this edition 1721. (Maps 28.c.23.)
- [1723.] Reprint, on p. 137, and with the same strip maps on the back. In the same work, with the imprint as in the foregoing issue. Chubb dates this edition 1723. (Maps 28.c.25.)
  - 1724. Reprint, on p. 137, with the same strip maps on the back.
    In the same work, '... ye 4th Edition. By Eman: Bowen Engraver / ...
    Printed for, & Sold by Tho: Bowles ... / ... & J. Bowles Print & Map
    Seller over against Stacks Market 1724'.
    (Maps 28.c.27.)
  - 1730. Sir H. G. Fordham records an issue of 1730. I have not seen a copy.
  - 1731. Reprint, on p. 137, with the same strip maps on the back. In the same work, '... By Eman: Bowen Engraver / The fourth Edition. / ... Printed & Sold by Tho: Bowles Print & Map Seller in St. Pauls ChYard 1731'. (Maps 28.c.28.)
  - 1734. An issue of 1734 was noted by Sir H. G. Fordham.
  - 1736. Reprint, on p. 137, with the same strip maps. In the same work, with the same imprint, the date changed to 1736. (Maps 28.c.29.)
  - 1749. Sir H. G. Fordham reported this issue, but I have not yet seen a copy.
  - 1751. Reprint, on p. 137, with the same strip maps.
    In the same work, with the same imprint, the date changed to 1751.
    (Maps 28.c.31.)
  - 1753. Rather faint reprint, on p. 137, with the same strip maps on the back. In the same work, with the same imprint, the date changed to 1753. (Maps 28.c.32.)
  - 1759. Reprint, on p. 137, with the same strip maps on the back. In the same work, with the same imprint, the date changed to 1759. (Maps 28.c.33.)

1764. Rather worn reprint, on p. 137.
In the same work, with a new title-page: 'Britannia Depicta: / or, / Ogilby Improved. / Being an Actual Survey of all the / Direct and Principal Cross Roads / of / England and Wales; / . . . Compiled from the best Authorities, / by John Owen . . . / . . . Printed for Carington Bowles, in St. Paul's Church Yard. / MDCCLXIV'. (G.4697.)

#### 1721

 Owen, J., and Bowen, E. Buckingham Shire. In 'Britannia Depicta or Ogilby Improv'd. . . . ' See 107.

## 1722

 Morden, R. Buckingham Shire By Robert Morden. In 'Britannia: or a Chorographical Description of Great Britain and Ireland . . . MDCCXXII'. See 87.

## 1723

 Owen, J., and Bowen, E. Buckingham Shire. In 'Britannia Depicta or Ogilby Improv'd. . . .' See 107.

#### 1724

- Owen, J., and Bowen, E. Buckingham Shire. In 'Britannia Depicta . . . ye 4th Edition'. See 107.
- 112. Moll, Herman. 9\(\frac{1}{8}\)" \times 6\(\frac{7}{8}\)". Scale 8 (1\(\frac{1}{8}\)").

Buckingham | Shire | By H. Moll Geographer.

Border ‡" wide, marked with the seconds, minutes and degrees of latitude and longitude, marked from the meridian of London.

Outside the top and bottom borders of the map, respectively, a row of old coins is depicted, and at the top left-hand corner, just outside the edge of the map, are engraved the words, 'British Coins' in italic.

The title is in a rectangle  $2\frac{\pi}{16}$ "  $\times 1\frac{\pi}{16}$ ", about 2" down from the top right-hand corner. Below it is the circular compass indicator. The scale is about 1" up from the bottom left-hand corner. Above it the hundreds are listed, this list supplying a key to the letters A-H used on the map; the lower-case 'a' is also given, to indicate the part of Herts, just north of Beaconsfield.

This map shows towns and villages, hundreds, main roads, hills, rivers, parks, and trees. The destinations of the roads that enter and leave the county are given, engraved upside down on the west side of the map, and the right way up on the east side. The map is plain at the back. The descriptive text begins on the opposite page (p. 101).

In 'A New / Description / of / England and Wales, / . . . By Herman Moll, Geographer. / . . . Printed for H. Moll over-against Devereux-Court in the Strand, T. Bowles . . . / . . . and C. Rivington . . . / . . . and J. Bowles . . . / M.DCC.XXIV'.

(191.e.9.)

#### REPRINTS

1724. The plate number, 16, in parentheses, has been added in the border at the top left-hand corner. Otherwise the map is unchanged. It is plain at the back. In 'A Set of Fifty New and Correct Maps / of / England and Wales, &c. /

- ... All, except two, composed and done by Herman Moll, Geographer /
  ... London: Sold by H. Moll ... Tho. Bowles ... / ... and J. Bowles
  ... 1724'. (118.c.19.)
- 1728. In 'A New Description of England and Wales. . . .' This is listed on p. 38 of John Worrall's 'Bibliotheca Topographiae Anglicanae, London, 1736. I have so far been unable to locate a copy of this edition.
- 1733. A reprint of the second issue of 1724, with the same plate number. Plain at the back.
  In 'A New / Description / of / England and Wales, / . . . Printed for J. Wilford, behind the Chapter-house, T. Bowles Printseller, and / C. Rivington Bookseller, in St. Paul's Church-yard; and J. Bowles Print / seller, in Cornhill, MDCCXXXIIF. (Sotheby's.)
- 1739. A rather worn reprint of the second issue of 1724. Plain at the back. In 'A Set of Fifty New and Correct Maps / . . . Printed for, and Sold by Tho. Bowles, Print and Map Seller, . . . and J. Bowles, / . . . 1739'. (Maps 8,c,6.)
- 1747. I have been unable to see a copy of this edition, but Dr. Whitaker tells me that the maps are now in alphabetical order, and that the Bucks. map has become plate 6.
  In the same work, 'T. Bowles, London, 1747'.
- 1753. I have been unable to see a copy of this edition, but Dr. Whitaker tells me that the pictures of antiquities have been removed, the mileage on the main roads revised, and a number of additional place-names shown. In 'Moll's British Atlas, or Pocket Maps of all the Counties in England & Wales. London, 1753'.
- Moll, H. Buckingham Shire By H. Moll Geographer. In 'A Set of Fifty New and Correct Maps of England and Wales . . . 1724'. See 112.

#### 1728

 Moll, H. Buckingham Shire By H. Moll Geographer. In 'A New Description of England and Wales'. See 112.

#### 1730

115. Owen, J., and Bowen, E. Buckingham Shire. In 'Britannia Depicta. . . . ' See 107.

#### 1731

116. Owen, J., and Bowen, E. Buckingham Shire. In 'Britannia Depicta. . . . 'See 107.

## 1733

 Moll, H. Buckingham Shire By H. Moll Geographer. In 'A New Description of England and Wales. . . .' See 112.

#### 1734

118. Owen, J., and Bowen, E. Buckingham Shire. In 'Britannia Depicta'. See 107.

Blome, R. A Mapp of yo County of Buckinghā. In 'England Exactly Described. . . .' See 76.

## 1736

120. Owen, J., and Bowen, E. Buckingham Shire. In 'Britannia Depicta'. See 107.

#### 1738

- Morden, R. Buckinghamshire by Rob<sup>t</sup>. Morden. In 'Magna Britannia, Antiqua et Nova . . . 1738'. See 92.
- Speed, J. Buckingham Both Shyre, and Shire-towne describ. In the Overton Atlas, See 6.

#### 1739

 Moll, H. Buckingham Shire By H. Moll Geographer. In 'A Set of Fifty New and Correct Maps . . . 1739'. See 112.

#### 1742

124. Badeslade, Thomas, and Toms, W. H. 5\[ 5\] \ \times \ 5\[ \frac{3}{4} \]. Scale 10 (1\[ \frac{1}{18} \] ").

A Map of Buckinghamshire, North West from London,

Plain border 1/4" wide, with no latitude or longitude marked.

The title is outside the map, along the upper edge. In a panel 13" wide, at the left side of the plate, is a column of descriptive text, in italic, the names of the county and of the market towns only being engraved in roman.

Just outside the border at the bottom left-hand corner, in italic, are the words, 'T. Badeslade delin.' and in a similar position in the bottom right-hand corner, 'W. H. Toms Sculpt.' The imprint runs parallel with and outside the lower edge: 'Publish'd by the Proprietors T. Badeslade and W. H. Toms Sept! 29th. 1741'. The plate number, 7, is engraved in the top right-hand corner, outside the border.

The map itself shows only the market towns mentioned in the column of descriptive text, and also Fenny Stratford and Cliefden [sic]; hills, four main roads crossing the county, and rivers, greatly exaggerated, are also shown. About 1° down from the top right-hand corner are the cardinal points, and centred just above the lower edge, the scale. The map is plain at the back.

In 'Chorographia Britanniae. / or / A Set of Maps of all the Counties / in England and Wales: / . . . By Thomas Badeslade Surveyor and Engineer, and now neatly Engrav'd by Will: Henry Toms. / . . . Printed for and Sold by W. H. Toms Engraver, in Union Court, near Hatton Garden, Holbourn. 1742'. (Maps 15.a.12.)

#### REPRINTS

1742. Villages have been added. The imprint below the map is the same. It is plain at the back.
In the same work, with the same imprint on the title-page.

(Maps 32.aa.31.)

[1743.] A reprint of the second issue of 1742. The imprint has been altered to 'Publish'd by the Proprietor W. H. Toms Sept. 29. 1742'. Plain at the back. In the same work, 'Published According to Act of Parliament. / Sold by J. Clark Bookseller, at ve Golden Ball, in St. Paul's Church Yard, C. Hitch Bookseller / in Pater Noster Row, & by W. H. Toms Engraver, in Union Court Holbourne. . . . . (Maps 24.a.13.)

1745. A rather worn reprint of the second issue of 1742, with the same imprint as in the 1743 edition. Plain at the back.

In the same work, 'The Second Edition to which is added the Rates for Hackney Coaches Chairmen and Watermen / with the Measured Distances taken by order of the Commissioners. / Printed for C. Hitch in Paternoster Row, and W. H. Toms Engraver in Union Court Holbourn 1745. . . .

(Maps 32,aa.5.)

(Maps 24.aa.16.)

[1747.] A reprint of the second issue of 1742. The plates in the B.M. copy have been cropped, and consequently the imprint is all but missing; but the date 1742 is still visible. Plain at the back. In the same work, 'Sold by C. Hitch Bookseller in Paternoster Row, W. Johnston Bookseller at the Golden Ball in St. Pauls / Church Yard & by W: H: Toms Engraver & Printseller at yo Golden Head over against Sur-

125. Badeslade, T., and Toms, W. H. A Map of Buckinghamshire. North West from London. In 'Chorographia Britanniae, . . .' See 124.

#### 1743

- 126. Speed, John. Buckingham Both Shyre, and Shire-towne describ. In 'A Sett of the Counties of England and Wales . . . Reprinted 1743. . . . \* See 6.
- 127. Badeslade, T., and Toms, W. H. A Map of Buckinghamshire. North West from London. In 'Chorographia Britanniae. . . . ' See 124.

#### 1744

128. **Dodsley**, R., and Cowley, J.  $6\frac{3}{4}$ "  $\times 4\frac{7}{4}$ ". Scale 7 ( $\frac{3}{4}$ ").

geons Hall near / Ludgate Hill. . . . '

An Improved Map of | Buckingham-shire, | containing the Borough | and Market Towns, | with those adjoyning; also | its Principal Roads and | Rivers, by J. Cowley, | Geographer to His Majesty.

Plain border 1" wide, marked on the inner edge with the minutes and degrees of latitude and longitude. Every fifth minute is numbered and the line marking it produced to the outer edge. The meridian is London, as is shown by the words '1 Degree West Longitude from London' engraved against the lower edge.

The title is on a piece of drapery in the lower left-hand corner, and to the right of it, just above the border, is the Explanation of symbols used for Boroughs and Market Towns. The Scale of 7 Miles is in the bottom right-hand corner. The circular compass indicator is in the top right-hand corner.

The chief feature of this neat little map is the roads. Their destinations are given, as they leave the county, by means of a pointing hand on the West side, and without the hand on the East side. Boroughs and market towns, rivers, hills, trees, and parks are also shown. Plain at the back.

In 'The / Geography / of / England: / . . . London: / Printed for R. Dodsley, at Tully's Head in Pall Mall / M.DCC.XLIV'. (796.e.56.)

1745. Plain at the back.

In 'A New Sett of / Pocket Mapps / of all the Counties of / England and Wales. / . . . London: / Printed for R. Dodsley in Pall-Mall, and M. Cooper in / Paternoster Row. 1745'.

(C.U.L.)

#### 1745

- Badeslade, T., and Toms, W. H. A Map of Buckinghamshire. North West from London. In 'Chorographia Britanniae. . . . 'See 124.
- Dodsley, R., and Cowley, J. An Improved Map of Buckingham-shire . . . by J. Cowley. . . . In 'A New Sett of Pocket Mapps. . . .' See 128.

#### 1746

Rocque, John. 7<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" × 6". Scale 8 (2").

Buckingham Shire.

Single-line border, with no latitude or longitude marked. The title rests on the top edge. The scale is at the lower left, about \( \frac{1}{6} \)" in from the left border. It extends almost to the 'B' of Berk Shire. The compass indicator is a little more than halfway up on the right side of the map, \( \frac{1}{2} \)" in from the right-hand border.

This map shows towns and villages, rivers, hills, trees, parks, main roads, and hundred divisions. Directions are given on the roads as they leave the county, printed the right way up on the East side, and upside down on the West side of the map.

The map is plain at the back. It is folded and tipped in at p. 46, where the chapter

on Buckinghamshire begins,

In 'The / English Traveller: / giving a / Description / of those Parts of / Great-Britain / called / England and Wales. / . . . Vol. I. / London :/ Printed for T. Read, in Dogwell-Court, White- / fryars, Fleet-street. MDCCXLVI'. (G.3154.)

#### REPRINTS

- 1753. The map is unaltered, except for the fact that the first and last \(\frac{1}{2}\)" of the scale have been erased, so that it now measures 1" instead of 2". It thus begins a little over \(\frac{1}{2}\)" in from the left edge. There is no descriptive text in this book, and the map is plain at the back. The B.M. copy has the word Buckinghamshire and an arabic figure 3 written on the recto of the first of the two pages which the map covers, in the top right-hand corner.
  In "The small / British Atlas: / being a / New Set of Maps / of all the / Counties of England and Wales: / . . . Published according to Act of Parliament 1753. / By John Rocque, Chorographer to his Royal Highness the / Prince of Wales, . . . / and Robert Sayer, Map and Print-seller, at the Golden / Buck, opposite Fetter-lane, Fleet-Street'. (14.dd.9.)
- 1762. A reprint of the 1753 edition, with the addition of an arabic figure 3 engraved in the top right-hand corner of the plate, resting on the border of the map. Plain at the back.
  In the same, 'Published according to Act of Parliam! / By John Rocque . . . / . . . 1762'. (14.dd.10.)

1764. A reprint of the 1762 edition, covering two opposite pages as before. Plain at the back.

In the same, 'Published according to Act of Parliam! 1753. / By John Rocque, Chorographer to his Majesty / near Old Round-Court in the Strand 1764'. A French title-page, also engraved, follows the English one.

(C.U.L.)

132. Simpson, Samuel. 7§" × 5§". Scale 8 (2").

Buckingham Shire.

Single-line border, with no latitude or longitude marked. The title, in roman capitals, is along the top of the map, just above the border.

In the top right-hand corner of the map are the county arms, on a concave shell, and below, 'The Arms of / Buckinghamshire'. About 1½" below that, and ½" in from

the right-hand border, are the cardinal points.

The scale is parallel with the lower edge, slightly to the right of centre. In the lower left-hand corner, in a rectangle  $3'' \times 1\frac{1}{4}''$  (two sides of which are formed by the border of the map) is a view of Windsor Castle. The long side of the rectangle is parallel with the left-hand edge, so that the map has to be turned for the view to be seen properly. Outside the longer border of this view, and parallel with it, are the words, 'The South prospect of Windsor Castle, / taken in Buckinghamshire'.

The map itself is quite detailed and shows towns and villages, hundreds, main roads, rivers, hills, trees, and parks. Directions are given for the roads leaving the county and are printed upside down on the West side of the map and right side up on the East. The county boundary is shaded. The map is plain at the back, the descriptive text beginning on the page facing the map (p. 49, signature E).

In 'The / Agreeable Historian, / Or the Compleat / English Traveller: / giving a / Geographical Description of every / County in that part of Great-Britain, call'd / England. / . . . Vol. I. / . . . By Samuel Simpson . . . / Printed for R. Walker in Fleet Lane; and Sold by / the Booksellers in Town and Country, 1746'.

(10348.b.20.)

## 1747

- Moll, H. Buckingham Shire By H. Moll Geographer. In 'A Set of Fifty New and Correct Maps . . . 1747', See 112.
- Badeslade, T., and Toms, W. H. A Map of Buckinghamshire. North West from London. In 'Chorographia Britanniae. . . . ' See 124.
- 135. **Kitchin,** Thomas.  $7\frac{1}{4}$ "  $\times$   $5\frac{7}{8}$ ". Scale 8 ( $1\frac{1}{8}$ ").

Buckingham-Shire | By Tho: Kitchin Geograp!

Border # wide, marked on the inner edge with the minutes and degrees of latitude and longitude. Every tenth minute is numbered.

I have seen two states of this map, both at the County Museum in Aylesbury: the first has no plate or page numbers, while in the second 'Plate. 15.' is engraved in the top left, and 'page. 197.' in the top right, both outside the border of the map. In another copy which I examined at London University Library, the map is cropped at the top, so that any numbers that there might have been would have been cut off; however, the other county maps in the volume are not numbered. The Bucks. map faces page 197.

The title of this map is on a strip of drapery hung over an ornamental stone slab in the lower left-hand corner. The cardinal points are in the top left-hand and the scale in the top right-hand corners. Below the scale is an Explanation of the symbols used for Borough Towns, Market Towns, Great or Post Roads, Principal Cross Roads, Cross Roads, Parishes, Parks; and the upper-case A used to show the part of Herts. just north of Beaconsfield.

Roads are, as might be guessed from the Explanation, an important feature of this map, though their destinations are not given as they leave the county. Towns and villages, rivers, hills, trees and parks are also shown. The map is plain at the back.

In 'The Universal Magazine / of / Knowledge and Pleasure. / Oct. 1747'.

(County Museum: & U.L. Periodicals.)

#### 1748

136. **Kitchin,** Thomas.  $7\frac{3}{4}$ " × 6". Scale 8 ( $1\frac{1}{4}$ ").

Buckingham | Shire | By Tho! Kitchin Geog.

Border #" wide, marked on the inner edge with the minutes and degrees of latitude and longitude. Every tenth minute is numbered. The imprint, below the map and slightly to left of centre, is 'London Mag: For July 1748'.

The title is on a drapery suspended on an ornamental stone slab in the top right-hand corner. The scale, headed English Miles, is about 1" below the title, at the right-hand border. In the lower left-hand corner is the Explanation, which is a key to the symbols used for Borough Towns, Market Towns, Parishes or Villages, Great or Direct Post Roads, Principal Cross Roads, Cross Roads, Parks; and the upper-case H used to indicate the part of Herts. just north of Beaconsfield. About \(\frac{3}{4}\)" above the Explanation and \(1\frac{1}{4}\)" in from the left-hand edge is the compass indicator.

This map resembles Kitchin's earlier map for the Oct. 1747 issue of the *Universal Magazine*, surprisingly closely. It shows towns and villages, hills, trees, rivers, parks, and the various degrees of roads listed in the Explanation. Directions are shown on the two roads leaving the county from Stony Stratford, in the NW. A faint line is ruled across the map at the 40th parallel. The map is plain at the back.

In 'The / London Magazine: / or, / Gentleman's Monthly Intelligencer. / MD CCXLVIII'. (P.P.5437.)

#### REPRINTS

- [1786.] Without the imprint, and plain at the back, in 'Historical Descriptions of New and Elegant / Picturesque Views of / the / Antiquities / of / England and Wales: / . . . Published under the Inspection of / Henry Boswell, Esq. F.A.R.S. / . . . London: / Printed for Alex. Hogg, at the King's-Arms, No. 16, Paternoster-Row. . . . The date is given under the frontispiece.
  - (1700.a.26.)
- 1798. Reprint of the map in the last-mentioned work, with no imprint. Plain at the back.
  In 'New & Complete Abridgment or Selection of the Most Interesting & Important Subjects in / the / Antiquities / of / England and Wales: / . . . By Francis Grose . . . Printed for the Editor, and Sold by H. D. Symonds, No. 20, and Alex. Hogg, No. 16, Paternoster-Row; / . . . MDCCXCVIII'.
  (H.W.)

137. Osborne, Thomas. 6½" × 5½". Scale 10 (1½").

A | Correct Map | of | Buckingham | Shire.

Border ‡" wide and marked on the inner edge with the minutes and degrees of latitude and longitude. The minutes are not marked individually, but in blocks of five, the mark at every fifth minute being produced to meet the outer edge. The map is oriented with West at the top. There is a figure 3 engraved at the top right-hand corner, outside the border.

The title, in the upper left-hand corner, is in a rectangle  $1\frac{1}{2}$ "  $\times$  2", the border of which is shaded to look like a picture frame of rounded wood. To the right of the title, near the top border, are the cardinal points. The scale is  $\frac{3}{4}$ " from the lower right-hand corner, parallel with the lower edge.

The chief feature of this neatly engraved little map is the roads; towns and

villages, hills, trees and rivers are also shown. It is plain at the back.

In 'Geographia / Magnae Britanniae, / Or, Correct Maps of all the Counties / ... Printed for T. Osborne ... / Published according to Act of Parliament October 12th 1748'. (15.b.12.)

#### REPRINTS

[1748-50.] A reprint of the above, plain at the back.

In the same work, with the title-page still dated 1748, and a new imprint:

'Printed for / S. Birt, I. Osborne, / T. Osborne, A. Millar, / D. Browne,
I. Robinson, / I. Hodges'.

(H.W.)

1750. Chubb lists an edition of 1750, with the same imprint on the title-page as in that just described. I have not seen a copy of this edition.

## 1748-50

 Osborne, T. A Correct Map of Buckingham Shire. In 'Geographia Magnae Britanniae...' See 137.

#### 1749

- 139. Saxton, C. Oxoniae buckinghamiae et berceriae Comitatuum. . . . In 'The Shires of England and Wales . . . Sold by Thomas Jefferys. . . .' See 1.
- 140. Owen, J., and Bowen, E. Buckingham Shire. In 'Britannia Depicta. . . .' See 107.
- Kitchin, Thomas, and Jefferys, Thomas. 47" square. Scale 10 (7").

A Map of Buckinghamshire.

Border 4" wide, the inner edge marked with the minutes and degrees of latitude and longitude. Every tenth minute is numbered.

The title rests on the border at the top of the map. Below the map and outside the border, occupying the bottom quarter of the plate, are three columns of descriptive text, in italic, except for the name of the county and of the market towns, which are in roman.

The cardinal points are in the top right-hand corner, the scale about 1" up from the bottom left-hand corner. Above the scale is the key to the lower-case 'h' used to denote the part of Herts, just north of Beaconsfield.

This map shows roads, towns and villages, rivers, and hills. The county boundaries are shaded. It is plain at the back. In 'The Small / English Atlas / being / A New and Accurate / Sett of Maps / of all the counties in / England and Wales / London, Publish'd according to Act of Parliam! by Mess. Kitchin & Jefferys 1749. / and Sold by M. Payne at the White Hart and M. Cooper at the Globe in Paternoster Row'. (10.b.13.)

#### REPRINTS

- 1751. Plain at the back. In the same work, 'London, Publish'd according to Act of Parliam' by Mess<sup>n</sup> Kitchin & Jefferys 1751. / and Sold by Thot Jefferys Geographer to his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales at the Corner of St. / Martin's Lane Charing Cross. . . . ' (R.G.S.)
- [1775.] With the addition of more roads, and the hundred boundaries. The lower part of the plate has been re-engraved, so that the towns are now listed in alphabetical order. The three columns of text are headed, 'This County contains 6 Boroughs and 9 Market Towns'. The plate number, 7, has been added in the top right-hand corner outside the border. The map is plain at the back.
  In the same work, with a new imprint on the title-page: 'Printed for Robert Sayer and John Bennett, Nº 53 in Fleet Street, / John Bowles, Nº 13 in Cornhill, and Carington Bowles, Nº 69 in St. Pauls Church Yard'.
  (R.G.S. & C.U.L.)
- [1785.] Reprint of the map in the 1775 edition. Plain at the back. In the same work, 'Printed for Robert Sayer, No. 53, in Fleet Street'. (H.W.)
  - 1787. Reprint of the map in the 1775 edition, plain at the back. In 'An / English Atlas / or / A Concise View / of / England and Wales; / ... Published as the Act directs 1 Augt 1787. / London. / Printed for Robt. Sayer, Nº 53, in Fleet Street'. (11.a.18.)

## 1750

- Morden, R. Buckingham Sh: In 'A brief description of England and Wales. ...' See 67.
- Osborne, T. A Correct Map of Buckingham Shire. In 'Geographia Magnae Britanniae'. See 137.

## 1751

- 144. Owen, J., and Bowen, E. Buckingham Shire. In 'Britannia Depicta'. See 107.
- Kitchin, T., and Jefferys, T. A Map of Buckinghamshire. In 'The Small English Atlas. . . .' See 141.

#### 1753

- 146. Morden, R. Buckingham Shire By Robert Morden. In 'Britannia: or a Chorographical Description of Great Britain and Ireland. . . .' See 87.
- 147. Owen, J., and Bowen, E. Buckingham Shire. In 'Britannia Depicta'. See 107.
- 148. Moll, H. Buckingham Shire By H. Moll Geographer. In 'Moll's British Atlas, or Pocket Maps of all the Counties. . . .' See 112.
- 149. Rocque, J. Buckingham Shire. In 'The small British Atlas. . . .' See 131.

150. Bickham, George. 9" × 5\frac{3}{4}". No scale.

A Map of Buckinghamshire North West from London.

No definite ruled border, and no latitude or longitude. The title is outside the top edge of the map, and a second line in italic reads, 'Humbly inscrib'd to his Grace ye Duke of Marlborough Lord Lieut! of the County'. In the extreme top right-hand corner of the plate, in italic, is the binder's guide, 'before p. 77'. Below the map, two lines of road information, in italic: 'Beconsfield to Amersham 10-6 to Wendover 9-5 to Aylesbury 5 to Thame River / 1-7 to E. Claydon 8 to Buckingham 6-4 from London 44'. And in the bottom right-hand corner of the plate, also in italic, is engraved the imprint, 'According to Act of Parliam! G. Bickham'.

This is not really a map at all, but a bird's-eye view, the county being depicted as it might be seen from the east. The foreground is occupied by a pastoral scene, two girls, a man and a dog seated in a hayfield with a loaf and a jug, while behind them are two youths with scythes. A tree growing in the background at the left fills most of the upper part of the plate with its foliage. Behind the haymakers, as if at the

bottom of the field, is a village.

The view of the county fills the middle part of the plate; the scene described above, the lower third; while the tree's foliage and the sky account for the top third.

The names of the larger towns are engraved about where the towns would be, if the county could be viewed as a whole from the east; hills, trees, an occasional road, scattered buildings, and rivers are rather vaguely sketched in. The effect is pictorial. The map is plain at the back; the descriptive text is engraved throughout, on one side

of the paper only.

In 'The / British Monarchy: / Or, a New / Chorographical Description / of all the Dominions / Subject to the King of Great Britain. / . . . The Whole Illustrated with suitable Maps and Tables; . . . / Engrav'd by George Bickham / . . . Publish'd according to Act of Parliament, October 1th 1743. . . . 'Although the title-page is dated 1743, the colophon bears the date 1749, the title-page to the Description of the several Counties in South Britain (on p. 39) 1750, and the bird's-eye views are variously dated 1750-1754, so that the work, with the views, could not have been issued before 1754. (800.cc.17.)

#### REPRINT

1796. The plate has been reduced in size by about ½", the former title and dedication having been erased and replaced by 'Buckinghamshire', in capitals; and the imprint and two lines of road information below the map have also been removed. The plate number, 3, replaced what was formerly in the top right-hand corner. There is no descriptive text, and the views are all plain at the back. The B.M. copy of this work is engraved on very coarse thick wove paper. In 'A Curious / Antique Collection / of / birds-eye views / of the several / counties / in / England & Wales; / . . . By George Bickham, Junior . . . Published . . . 1796'. (191,b.9.)

#### 1756

151. Bowen, E., and Kitchin, T. 27" × 20". Scale 12 (5\frac{1}{2}").

An Accurate Map of | Buckingham Shire | Divided into its | Hundreds | Drawn from the best Authorities | assisted by the most approved | Modern Maps, | with

various Improvements. | Illustrated with Historical Extracts | relative to Natural History, Produce, | Trade and Manufactures and the | present State of the principal Towns | By Eman: Bowen | Geog! to His Majesty'.

Border  $\frac{\hbar}{16}$ " wide, marked on the inner edge with the minutes and degrees of latitude and longitude. Every fifth minute is numbered and the lines marking them are produced not only to the outer edge of the border, but across the map so as to cover it with a grid made up of rectangles  $2^* \times 2\frac{5}{8}$ ".

Underneath the map and outside the border is the imprint, in italic, 'Sold by J. Tinney at the Golden Lion and R. Sayer at the Golden Buck in Fleet Street. T. Bowles in St. Pauls Church yard and J. Bowles and Son in Cornhill London. 1756'.

The title is depicted on a stone monument in the lower left-hand corner. Trees are growing behind, while in front deer and sheep are shown on the grass. The scale, 'English Statute Miles 69 to a Degree', is slightly to right of centre on the lower edge.

The cardinal points are at the top right-hand corner of the title scene, and beneath them the Explanation of symbols used for towns and the various buildings shown on the map.

The dedication, 'To the most Noble / Charles Duke of Marlborough / Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum / for the County of Bucks / This Map is humbly Dedicated by / his Graces most Obed! Serv! / Eman: Bowen', is in the top right-hand corner, in a carved baroque frame, surmounted by the arms of the Duke of Marlborough.

This large, beautifully-engraved map is most detailed. Brief paragraphs of descriptive text are dispersed throughout the map, for some twelve boroughs, as well as for the Vale of Aylesbury and Watling Street. An eleven-line description of the county itself is at the left-hand edge, below the list of Dukes and Earls of Buckingham, which is in the top left-hand corner. To the right of this list is another, 'Seats of the Nobility &c. in Bucks'. All these paragraphs of informative and descriptive text are engraved in a medium-sized italic.

The map itself shows not only towns and villages, hundreds, roads, hills, trees, parks, rivers and streams, but also the individual buildings listed in the Explanation: Rectories, Vicarages, Ancient Religious Houses, and Modern Charity Schools; Post Stages are also shown, and the market days are given for market towns. Notes are added where of historical interest: e.g., the name of Stoke Poges, in the southeast, is explained, the date of the construction of a bridge near Padbury, just south of Buckingham, is given, and there are many notes on well-known county seats. Directions are often given on the roads.

This map is plain at the back, except for a printed arabic 4 in the top right-hand corner of the recto of the first of the two leaves which it covers.

In 'The Large / English Atlas / or, a / new set of Maps / of all the / Counties in England and Wales, / . . . By Emanuel Bowen, Geographer to his Majesty, Thomas Kitchin, and Others. / . . . London: / Printed and Sold by T. Bowles . . . John Bowles and Son . . . John Tinney, . . . / . . . and Robert Sayer . . . '[1760]. The map of Bucks, is missing from the first edition of this work, and concerning the date at which the atlas was issued complete, Dr. Whitaker writes (op. cit.):

R.B.-14

'These county maps were first published at various dates from 1749, and the issue is not thought to have been completed until 1760. Therefore earlier bound collections are incomplete and . . . lack the title-page'. (2.e.10.)

#### REPRINTS

- [1765.] With the imprint changed, 'Printed for R. Sayer at the Golden Buck in Fleet Street, T. Bowles in St. Pauls Church yard, and J. Bowles and Son in Cornhill London 1756'. An engraved figure 4 has been added in the top and bottom right-hand corners of the plate. Plain at the back.
  In the same work, with a new imprint on the title-page, 'Printed and Sold by T. Bowles, in St. Paul's Church-yard; John Bowles, at the Black Horse, in Cornhill; and / Robert Sayer, at the Golden Buck, in Fleet-Street'.
  (R.G.S.)
- [1767.] A reprint of the 1765 edition, with the same imprint. In the British Museum copy a figure 6 has been added in manuscript, in the top and bottom right-hand corners of the plate, over the figure 4. Plain at the back. In the same work, with a new imprint on the title-page, 'Printed and Sold by John Bowles . . . Carington Bowles . . . / . . . and Robert Sayer. . . .'
  (2.e.3.)
- [1777.] With a new imprint, 'Printed for R. Sayer at the Golden Buck in Fleet Street, John Bowles at the Black Horse in Cornhil, and Carington Bowles in St. Pauls Church Yard'. The figure 4 in the top right-hand corner has been replaced by an engraved figure 6, but the 4 in the bottom right-hand corner is unchanged. Plain at the back.
  In the same work, 'Printed and Sold by Robert Sayer, Map and Printseller, at No. 53, in Fleet-Street'. (Nat. Mar. Mus.)
- [1780.] With imprint and plate numbers as in the 1777 edition. Plain at the back. In the same work, with the same imprint on the title-page as in the 1777 edition. The date 1780 is assumed for this edition because John Bowles's name is omitted from certain of the maps and a blank space left; and he is known to have died in 1779.
  (Bradford P.L.)
- [1781.] With imprint and plate numbers as in the 1777 edition. Plain at the back. In the same work, 'Printed for and sold by Carington Bowles, Map and Print Seller, at No. 69, in St. Paul's Church-yard. / MDCCLXVII'. This title-page is found in copies of this work at the B.M. and Library of Congress, neither of which copies can have been published before 1794. As for this edition, its date must be about 1781, because Robert Wilkinson's name appears in the imprint on some of the maps, and he succeeded to the business of John Bowles about 1780. (H.W.)
- [1785.] With imprint and plate numbers as in the 1777 edition. Plain at the back. In the same work, 'Printed and Sold by Robert Wilkinson, at No. 58, in Cornhill, Successor to Mr. John Bowles, deceased'. (2.e.25.)
  - 1787. With a new imprint, 'Printed for R. Sayer at the Golden Buck in Fleet Street, Robert Wilkinson, No. 58, in Cornhil, and Carington Bowles in St. Pauls Church Yard'. The plate numbers are as in the 1777 edition. Plain at the back, except for a printed 8 in the top right-hand corner of the recto of the first of the two leaves covered by the map.
    In the same work, with additional authors and a new imprint on the title.
    - In the same work, with additional authors and a new imprint on the titlepage, 'By Emanuel Bowen, Thomas Kitchen, Captain Andrew Armstrong,

and others. / . . . Printed for Robert Sayer, Map, Chart, and Print-Seller, No. 53, Fleet-street. / MDCCLXXXVII'. (7.e.6.)

[1794.] With imprint and figures as in the 1787 edition. In the B.M. copy the plate was rather worn. Plain at the back.

In the same work, with the same imprint on the title-page, dated 1767, as was found in the 1781 edition. However, this edition could not have been completed before 1794, as some of the maps bear the imprint of Bowles & Carver and Laurie & Whittle, firms which did not come into existence before 1794.

(7.e.17; and L.C.)

[1794 With a new imprint, 'London. Printed for Bowles & Carver 69 St. Pauls or later.] Church Yard, R. Wilkinson 58 Cornhill, and Laurie & Whittle 53 Fleet Street'. Plate numbers as before. Plain at the back. In the same work, with the 1787 title-page. This edition must be later than the B.M.'s copy of the 1794 edition, however, because nearly all the maps bear the imprint of Bowles & Carver and Laurie & Whittle. (R,G.S.)

#### 1758

Bowen, Emanuel. 7½" × 6½". Scale 12 (1½").

Buckingham Shire | Divided into its | Hundreds: Containing all the | Borough & Market Towns | with the Forests Hills | Rivers Roads Distances &c. | By Eman: Bowen | Geog! to His Majesty.

Border ‡" wide, marked on the inner edge with the minutes and degrees of latitude and longitude. Every fifth minute is numbered and the line at which it occurs produced to the outer edge. The imprint underneath the map, outside the border, reads, 'Engrav'd for the General Magazine of Arts and Sciences, for W. Owen at Temple Bar 1758'.

The title is in a curving ornamental frame in the lower left-hand corner, and to the right of it, parallel with the lower edge, the scale, headed British Statute Miles. Above the title is a list of the hundreds, engraved in the copperplate style, in two columns, lettered A-H as on the map.

The Explanation is in the top right-hand corner and three symbols are listed: for Burough [sic] Towns, Market Towns, and Post Stages. The cardinal points are about 2\frac{3}{4}" down from the top right-hand corner, close to the right border.

This map shows boroughs and market towns, hundreds, rivers, roads, hills, trees, and parks. It is plain at the back.

In 'The / Natural History / of / England; / or, a / Description of each particular County, / . . . Vol. I / . . . By Benjamin Martin. / London: / Printed and sold by W. Owen, Temple-Bar, and by the Author, at his House in Fleet-Street. / MDCCLIX'. This volume forms part of Martin's General Magazine of Arts and Sciences, 1759-64. (10348.ccc.1.)

#### 1759

153. Owen, J., and Bowen, E. Buckingham Shire. In 'Britannia Depicta'. See 107.

154. Gibson, John. 41" × 2 1/6". Scale 10 (1/6").

Buckingham | Shire.

Border # wide, marked on the inner edge with the minutes and degrees of lati-

tude and longitude. Every tenth minute is numbered and the line marking it produced to the outer edge. An arabic figure 4 is engraved in the top right-hand corner of the plate, resting on the top edge.

The title is in a curving baroque frame in the top right-hand corner. Beneath it is a 19-line description printed in small italic, except for the name of the county and its diocese, Lincoln, which are in roman. The scale is in the bottom left-hand corner, the compass indicator in the top left.

The county is represented as longer and narrower than it should be, to fit the rather tall, narrow page. This little map shows towns and villages, rivers, and roads, which, indicated by a single line, are its most important feature. It is plain at the back.

In 'New and Accurate / Maps, / of the Counties of / England and Wales / Drawn from the latest Surveys / By / J. Gibson / London Printed for J. Newbery / at the Bible and Sun in St. Pauls / Church Yard. / . . . ' (6.a.64.)

#### REPRINTS

- [1770.] Plain at the back. In the same work, 'Printed for T. Carnan, in St. Paul's / Church Yard, . . . ' (H.W.)
- [1779.] Plain at the back. In the same work, 'Printed for T. Carnan & F. Newbery Jr' (Bodleian.)

## 1762

- 155. Rocque, J. Buckingham Shire. In 'The Small British Atlas. . . . ' See 131.
- Bowen, Emanuel. 19" × 15¼". Scale 12 (4¼").

An Accurate Map of | Buckingham Shire. | Divided into Hundreds. | Drawn from the best Authorities, | & Illustrated with Historical Extracts, | relative to its Natural Produce, Trade, | & Manufactures of the County, and | Principal Towns; Describing also | the Church Livings, Charity Schools, &c. | with several other Improvements | By Eman; Bowen, Geog! to his Majesty.

Border  $\frac{1}{16}$ " wide, the inner edge marked with the minutes and degrees of latitude and longitude. Every fifth minute is numbered and the line marking it produced to the outer edge and across the map, which is thus covered by a grid of rectangles each  $2^{"} \times 1\frac{1}{2}$ " in measurement. That the meridian is London is shown by the words engraved within the lower edge, 'West Longitude from London'.

The imprint below the map, outside the lower edge, is 'Printed for H. Overton without Newgate, T. Kitchin on Holborn Hill, R. Sayer and J. Ryall in Fleetstreet, T. Bowles in St. Pauls Church Yard, J. Bowles & Son & Mess. Bakewell and Parker in Cornhill'. Outside the border, in the lower left-hand corner of the plate, 'Nº 3' is engraved.

The title, represented on an elaborate stone monument, is in the lower left-hand corner. In the background, at the right of the monument, are trees and a deer. A sheep crops the grass in front. To the right of the top right-hand part of this title-cartouche is the Explanation, giving the symbols used for Borough Towns, Rectories, Vicarages & Curacies, Ancient Religious Houses, Modern Charity Schools & Post Stages.

Centred just above the lower edge is the scale of British Statute Miles; the

compass indicator is at the top right, 1" down from the top edge and 24" in from the right-hand edge.

This map is slightly smaller than but otherwise very similar to that in the Large English Atlas: Descriptive paragraphs on some twelve towns, as well as a short one for the village of Stoke Pogeis [sic], and two paragraphs dealing with the Vale of Aylesbury and Watling Street, respectively, are dispersed round the county boundaries; a 12-line description of the county itself occurs about halfway up, against the left-hand border, while in the top left-hand corner is a list of 'Earls & Dukes of Buckingham', and below that, 'Seats of the Nobility &c. in Bucks'. As in the Large English Atlas, these descriptions are engraved in a medium-sized italic.

Towns and villages, rivers and streams, parks, hills, trees, hundreds, and roads are shown; also the various individual buildings listed in the Explanation. Notes are given on county seats and points of historical interest. The map is plain at the back.

In 'The / Royal English Atlas: / . . . By Emanuel Bowen, Geographer to His late Majesty, / Thomas Kitchin, Geographer, and Others. / . . . Printed for Thomas Kitchin on Holborn-Hill; Robert Sayer, in Fleet-Street; Carington Bowles, / in St. Paul's Church-Yard; Henry Overton, without Newgate; Henry Parker, / and John Bowles, in Cornhill; and John Ryall, in Fleet-Street'. (27.c.10.)

#### REPRINTS

- [1778.] The map differs from the original only in the new imprint: 'London: Printed for Carington Bowles, Nº 69, St. Pauls Church Yard, John Bowles, Nº 13, Cornhill, Rob! Sayer, & Jnº Bennett, Nº 53, Fleet Street, as the Act directs. 1th of June 1777'. The plate number is the same. Plain at the back. In the same work, 'Printed and sold by Robert Wilkinson, at No. 58, in Cornhill, successor to / Mr. John Bowles, deceased'. (C.U.L.) The Library of Congress reports another issue for 1778, with a different imprint on the title-page: 'London, for C. Bowles'. The maps are all dated 1777–1778, as above.
- [1780.] With the same imprint as the 1778 edition. Plain at the back. In the same work, 'Printed for R. Sayer and J. Bennett, Map, Sea Chart, and Print-Sellers, in Fleet-Street'. (Bodleian.)
- [1794.] A reprint of the 1778 issue, with the same imprint and plate number. Plain at the back.
  In 'The / English Atlas; / or, a / Set of Maps / of all the / Counties in England and Wales, / . . . London, / Sold by R. Martin, Bookseller, No. 47, Great Queen Street, Lincoln's Inn Fields'. (27.c.11.)

#### 1764

- 157. Owen, J., and Bowen, E. Buckingham Shire. In 'Britannia Depicta'. See 107.
- 158. Rocque, J. Buckingham Shire, In 'The small British Atlas. . . .' See 131.
- 159. Kitchin, Thomas. 9½" × 7½". Scale 8 (1½").

A New Map of | Buckingham | Shire, | Drawn from the best | Authorities: | by Thos Kitchin Geog! | Engraver to H.R.H. the | Duke of York.

Border ‡" wide, the inner edge marked with the minutes and degrees of latitude

and longitude. Every tenth minute is numbered, and at the 52nd parallel and 1st degree West of London lines are drawn across and down the map, respectively.

The title is in a baroque frame in the lower left-hand corner. Flanking it on the right is a bank, with a tree and some shrubs. The bank slopes down to a lake, where a sailing boat is depicted. The scale, 'British Statute Miles 69 to a Degree', is in the top left-hand corner, the compass indicator 1\frac{3}{4}" down from the top edge and \frac{1}{2}" in from the right-hand edge; below it are the Remarks, giving the key to the symbols used for Borough Towns, Market Towns, Rectories and Vicarages, and Places where Fairs are kept.

This map shows towns and villages, rivers, hills, trees, parks and roads. A curious error made here, and destined to be copied in several other Bucks, maps of the late 18th century, is the placing of Tring NE of Aylesbury instead of SE. The map is plain at the back.

In 'England Illustrated, / . . . With / Maps of the several Counties, / . . . Vol. I. / London: / Printed for R. and J. Dodsley, in Pall-Mall. / MDCCLXIV'.

(190.b.8.)

#### REPRINT

[1770.] Plain at the back.
In 'Kitchen's / English Atlas: / or, / A Compleat Set of Maps / of all the / Counties of England and Wales. / . . . By Thomas Kitchen, / Geographer to his Royal Highness the Duke of York. / London: Printed for J. Dodsley, in Pall-Mall'. (11.a.17.)

## 1765

160. Bowen, E., and Kitchen, T. An Accurate Map of Buckingham Shire . . . By Eman: Bowen Geog! to His Majesty. In 'The Large English Atlas. . . .' See 151.

#### 1766

161. Ellis, John.  $9\frac{1}{2}'' \times 7\frac{1}{4}''$ . Scale 8 (1  $\frac{7}{46}''$ ).

A Modern Map of | Buckingham | Shire, | Drawn from the latest | Surveys, | Corrected & Improved | by the best Authorities. | W. Palmer sculpt.

Border ‡" wide, marked on the inner edge with the minutes and degrees of latitude and longitude. Every tenth minute is numbered. Lines are drawn across and down the map at the 52nd parallel and 1st degree West of London respectively.

The imprint, beneath the map and outside the lower edge, reads, 'Printed for Carington Bowles in St. Pauls Church yard, & Rob! Sayer in Fleet Street'. In the top right-hand corner of the plate, outside the border of the map, an arabic figure 8 is engraved.

The title is represented on a stone monument in the lower left-hand corner, with a tree growing beside it against the left border, and a grove of trees stretching away in the background at the right. This title-cartouche is similar in design to that in Bowen & Kitchin's Large English Atlas, 1760. The scale, 'British Statute Miles 69 to a Degree', is in the top left-hand corner, and the compass indicator is 1½ from the top edge and ½ in from the right. Below the compass indicator is the key or Remarks, listing the symbols for Borough Towns, Market Towns, Rectories & Vicarages, and Places where Fairs are kept.

This map is a very close copy of Kitchin's map in England Illustrated, 1764; so much so that at a casual glance the plate might be thought to be the same. But a careful examination reveals minor points of difference in the style of lettering used; the figures marking the minutes of latitude and longitude obviously belong to different founts; and it soon becomes evident that this map was printed from a new plate, although Kitchin's map was followed so uncritically that his wrong placing of Tring with regard to Aylesbury has been repeated.

Towns and villages, rivers, hills, trees and parks are shown; roads are a major feature, directions being indicated as they leave the county on the East, while as they enter it on the West their starting-point is given. This map is plain at the back.

In 'Ellis's / English Atlas: / or, / A Compleat Chorography / of / England and Wales: / . . . Engraved by, and under the Direction of, J. Ellis. / . . . London: / Printed for Robert Sayer, at the Golden Buck . . . in Fleet-Street; and Carington Bowles, / . . . in St. Paul's Church-Yard . . . / M DCC LXVI'. (11.a.8.)

#### REPRINTS

- 1766. With the same imprint and plate number, but with the map of Berkshire on the back.
  In the same work, 'Printed for Carington Bowles, . . . in St. Paul's Church-Yard; and Robert Sayer at / the Golden Buck . . . in Fleet-street . . . / MDCCLXVI'. (11.a.35.)
- 1766. Plain at the back, and unaltered from the first issue. In 'Atlas Britannique, ou chorographie complète de l'Angleterre . . . Londres, Chez Robert Sayer, 1766'. I have not seen this edition. (L.C.)
- 1768. With the same imprint and plate number. Plain at the back.
  In Ellis's English Atlas, 'Printed for Robert Sayer, Map and Printseller, No. 53, in Fleet-street; Thomas Jeffery's, Geographer to his / Majesty the Corner of St. Martin's-Lane, Charing-Cross; A. Dury in Duke's-Court, St. Martin's-Lane, and / at . . . Cornhill. 1768'. (29.a.25.)
- 1768. With the same imprint and plate number. Plain at the back.
  In the same work, 'Printed for Carington Bowles, Map and Printseller, at No. 69, in St. Paul's Church-yard. 1768'. (H.W.)
- 1773. With the same imprint and plate number, and plain at the back. The map appears to have been touched up since the 1768 issues, but nothing has been altered.
  In the same work, 'Printed for Robert Sayer, . . . No. 53 in Fleet-Street; and at the Map and Print Shop / No. 92, . . . Cornhill. 1773'. (7.aa.9.)
- 1777. With the same imprint and plate number. Plain at the back. In the same work, "Printed for R. Sayer and J. Bennett, Map, Chart, and Print Sellers, No. 53, Fleet-Street. 1777'. (30.b.20.)
- Ellis, J. A Modern Map of Buckingham Shire. . . . In 'Ellis's English Atlas.
   . . . 'See 161.
- 163. Ellis, J. A Modern Map of Buckingham Shire. . . . In 'Atlas Britannique, ou chorographic complète de l'Angleterre'. See 161.

(To be concluded)