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A map of the world showing the British Empire coloured in red.

It was published in a weekly illustrated newspaper as part of the Colonial and Indian exhibition of 1886. Five million people visited the exhibition where the India section, which displayed many aspects of Indian culture, took up one third of the space.

White boxes on the map show how the value of Britain's trade with the Empire had increased from 1851. The smaller map shows the British Empire in 1786.

Around the edge of the map are pictures of people and animals from various parts of the Empire and at the centre of the bottom edge is the figure of Britannia. Across the top of the map is a ribbon with the words 'Freedom', 'Fraternity' and 'Federation'.



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