ORIGINAL MANUSCRIPTS

OM 1/M Transcript of accounts for Wadsworth Surveyor of the Highways 1731-1756; 1757-1769. Vol.1. [By Barber Gledhill?].[n.d.].

OM 2/M Transcript of accounts for Wadsworth Surveyor of the Highways 1769-1776. Vol.2. [Contains two entries for 1777]. [By Barber Gledhill?].[n.d.].

OM 3/M Transcript of accounts for Wadsworth Surveyor of the Highways 1776-1779. Vol.3. [Includes entries for 1780].[By Barber Gledhill?].[n.d.].[

OM 4/M Transcript of accounts for Wadsworth Surveyor of the Highways 1779-1781. Vol.4. [By Barber Gledhill].[n.d.].

Also includes:

- Accounts for Wadsworth Constables 1772-1781
- Accounts for Highway Surveyors and Constables for Midgley 1741-1769
- Accounts for Highway Surveyors for Todmorden 1737-1766
- Accounts for Highway Surveyors for Walsden 1747-1870
- Transcripts of deeds relating to Spinks Hill and its use as a workhouse.

OM 5/M Wadsworth Constable Accounts 1732-1782. [n.d.].

OM 6/M Notes on Surveyors of Highways.Includes Accounts of Heptonstall Surveyors 1716-1835 and Heptonstall Constables 1776/77-1818/19.[n.d.].

OM 7/M English Poor Law History.Notes on book by S. and B. Webb.[n.d.].

- Poor Relief prior to 1597
- The King's Highway
- The Parish and the County

OM 8/M Transcripts of Appleyard Deeds. Transcribed by Barber Gledhill. 1953.

- Old deeds relating to the White Lion
- Several of Cockcroft's of Mayroyd wills.
- Partition deeds of 1773 & 1785

OM 9/M Local History. Notes by Barber Gledhill. 1955.

OM 10/M Field Names of Heptonstall. Notes by Barber Gledhill. Includes letter from Albert Senior on "Piniel" and Pinhill" field names. [n.d.].

OM 11/M Transcript of Accounts for Heptonstall Highways 1716-1756. [n.d.].

OM 12/S Conditions in the factories of Cragg Vale in the 19th Century. [By B. Gledhill and P. Stocks]. 1954.

OM 13/S Child Labour in Cragg Vale. Notes made by Barber Gledhill on a talk given by Mrs E. Thompson to the Local History Society. [n.d].

OM 14/M Pedigree of J.F. Brisbin descended from William Draper of Heptonstall m.1603. [n.d.].

OM 15/M Todmorden Turnpike Trust. Order Book 1760-1771. Notes by Barber Gledhill.[n.d.].

OM 16/M Todmorden Turnpike Trust.Order Book 1771 -1789.Notes by Barber Gledhill.[n.d.].

OM 17/M Todmorden Turnpike Trust.Order Book 1822 -1860.Notes by Barber Gledhill.[n.d.].

OM 18/M Wadsworth Township 19th C. Notes by Barber Gledhill (?). 13 loose pages in exercise book cover. [n.d.].

OM 19/M Deeds of Strines. Transcriptions and translations of 16th to 18th century deeds relating to Strines in Stansfield. Contains loose inserts.

OM 20/M Industry.Notes on the textile industry in Hebden Bridge area. Transcripts and notes of deeds and court rolls relating to Hackgate in Heptonstall; Bottom of the Fold, Hangingroyd, White Lion Inn, Garden Square and Council Offices, Palace House, St George's Square in Hebden Bridge. By Barber Gledhill.Contains loose inserts.

OM 21/M Notes on Roads, Sowerby Ramble and Erringden Park, Chapelry of Heptonstall, Woollen Indistury, Mills, Fustian Industry, Civil War, Reminiscences of Joseph Greenwood, Heptonstall Pew List 1634, Prehistory, Manorial Courts, Tithes and Accounts of Priory of Lewes 1307 and 1382, Unlawful Games. By Barber Gledhill.[n.d.]. **OM 22/M** Notes on The Yorkshire Woollen & Worsted Industries by Heaton; Leeds

Woollen Industry 1780-1820 by W.B. Crump; Baines Directory 1822. By Barber Gledhill.[n.d.].

OM 23/M Local History. Notes on 18th century Halifax, Priory of Lewes, Greenwood Lee, High Grenwood, Heptonstall, Elland highways, Todmorden and the Poor Law of 1934, Heptonstall and its water supply, Brearley Halls, Canals, Sports, Halifax Beacons, Norse settlement, 17th century buildings, Lacy family, Strines. By Barber Gledhill.[n.d.]. **OM 24/M** Letter from Albert Greaves to Barber Gledhill concerning his recollections of toll bars at Mayroyd and Bridge Lanes. 12 January 1953.

O 25/M Typed notes made on books about Turnpikes and Coaching. By Barber Gledhill.[n.d.].

OM 26/MThe Construction of the Walshaw Dean Reservoirs. By Nicola Williamson. Photocopy of a history project done at Calder High School. 1989. *[In stock 03.02.2009]* **OM 27/M** William Henry Cockcroft 1848-1921: a local Architect. By Kathleen Iredale. 1985.

OM 28/M Report on the Road-side Stones of Historical Interest in Hebden Royd.By Colin Spencer and Bill Marsden. 2000. Includes newspaper article of 8 April 2000 on milestones.

OM 29/M Prehistoric Activity in the central South Pennines.By Dr David Shepherd. 2002.

OM 30/M Letter from Andrew Banks about a proposed journal called the "West Riding Reader". Attached are articles entitled "John Wesley's Visits to Heptonstall" by Leslie Goldthorp and "Hardcastle Crags. A poem by Sylvia Plath" by Andrew Banks. 11 April 1999.

OM 31/M Clarion movement. By Andrew Bibby. [2005].

- (1) Typed extracts from contemporary newspapers
- (2) Prints of lecture slides
- (3) Dramatisation entitled "Tribute to Caroline Martyn"

OM 32/MThe Crossley Family of 17 Bridge Gate Hebden Bridge in the words of the youngest son, Fred Crossley, (1904-1980).

OM 33/MTheUnderbankHorsfalls and the Cotton Industry. By Richard H. Horsfall. 1990. **OM 34/M** Letter dated 5 September 1998 from Richard Horsfall of Simpsonville, USA to Mike and Sue Peel of Sowerby Bridge regarding the Horsfalls and Winters Mill. **OM 35/M** Plain Cotton Weaving.

- (1) Notes by Thomas Collinge made at Todmorden Technical School, starting September 25th, 1933. Exercise book containing various loose notes and diagrams. Donated by Rodney Collinge, 2008.
- (2) Notes by Thomas Collinge [Presumed made at Todmorden Technical School following on from O35/1 above]. Exercise book containing various loose notes and diagrams. Donated by Rodney Collinge, 2008.

OM 36/M James Maude: Clog Sole Manufacturer 1843-1919. By Jack Uttley. 1986.

OM 37/M Road, Canal and Rail in Upper Calder Valley. By Barber Gledhill. 1993.

OM 38/L Cragg Road: A Turnpike Trust. By Barber Gledhill.

- (1) Draft manuscript. 1953.
- (2) Typescript. 1952.

OM 39/L Highways of Heptonstall.By Barber Gledhill.Typescript. 1951.

OM 40/L Birchcliffe Water and the growth of Hebden Bridge.By Barber Gledhill. 1953.

OM 41a/L Wadsworth Highways.By E.W. Watson and B. Gledhill. 1950.

OM 41b/L Wadsworth Highways.By E.W. Watson and B. Gledhill. 1950.

OM 42/LSome aspects of settlement in the Hebden Royd District. By C.P. Mann.A dissertation for BA Honours Geography at the University of Liverpool. June 1951.

- (1) Text
- (2) Maps 1-17
- (3) Illustrations 1-32

OM 43/L The murder of Bethel Parkinson by Joseph Shepherd near Commons Farm, Wadsworth 15th Jan 1850. Typescript copy of a manuscript held in Todmorden library under the title "An account of the murder of Bethel Parkinson, Inquest, Trial and Execution of Joseph Shepherd". Mitchell M.S.S. (Vol 9) (Lib. No.L.353). 1951. **OM 44/M**The Wadsworth Township Records (Churchwardens). By Rev W.S. Davies

OM 44/MThe Wadsworth Township Records (Churchwardens). By Rev W.S. Davies. 1952.

OM 45/M A History of Crimsworth Dean in the Nineteenth Century. By J.D. Smith. 1972. **OM 46/L** Transcriptions of documents of local interest. By Edward Watson.[n.d.].

- 1778 ordination of Thomas Slater
- Letter from Thomas Slater, Curate of Carleton in Craven
- Probate of the will of Thomas Slater. Will dated 15/6/1807 and probate 24/12/1807. Exors John Cockcroft, his brother, his sister Susan and WmApleyard (Appleyard)
- George Slater's experience with 28th Regiment of Foot 1785-1795
- Pension given to George Slater
- Effective Roll of Captain Crossley's Company 15th May 1814 Names and residence
- Letters relating to Halifax, Burnley & Littleborough Turnpike Road 1815 onwards.
 John Crossley is treasurer, his uncle is Jas King of Mitholm as he writes a letter
 to him Nov 6th 1815. There is John Crossley of Scitcliffe and also of Great House
 mentioned in 1823. List of persons liable to pay to the Turnpike Road in Midgley
 (within half a mile) then without. John Midgley and John Spencer at Machpelah
 Bar and Hebden Bridge Bar.
- "Patent Road Scraping Machine" Sept 1849 (developed 3 years earlier.
 Approved and adapted by W. McAdam of Bath ...)
- Receipt for moneys received for encroachments on the Common of Heptonstall

Walsden Highways Accounts 1749-1871

OM 47/L Wadsworth Women's Institute exhibition material prepared for European Architectural Heritage Year 1975

Comprises:

- (1) Wadsworth (typescript summary)
- (2) Wadsworth (folded card poster of text and photos)
- (3) Acre Mill
- (4) Local chapels
- (5) Akroyd
- (6) Old Town Hall
- (7) Old Town Hall Farm Barn
- (8) Ibbotroyd Farm
- (9) Little Burlees
- (10) Wadsworth Banks Farm
- (11) Birchen Lee Carr
- (12) Old Town Farm
- (13) Map of district
- (14) Map of Parish of Wadsworth
- (15) The Ancient Chapelry of Heptonstall