

NEW MILLS LIBRARY:
LOCAL HISTORY MATERIAL (NON-BOOK) FOR REFERENCE.

Microfilm

All the microfilm is held in New Mills Library, where readers are available. It is advisable to book a reader in advance to ensure one is available.

- Newspapers
 - "Glossop Record", 1859-1871
 - "Ashton Reporter"/"High Peak Reporter", 1887-1996
 - "Buxton Advertiser", 1999-June 2000
 - "Chapel-en-le-Frith, Whaley Bridge, New Mills and Hayfield Advertiser" , June 1877-Sept.1881
 - "High Peak Advertiser", Oct. 1881 - Jul., 1937
- Ordnance Survey Maps, Derbyshire 1880, Derbyshire 1898
- Tithe Commission Apportionment - Beard, Ollersett, Whitle, Thornsett (+map) 1841
- Plans in connection with Railway Bills
 - Manchester, Sheffield and Lincolnshire Railway 1857
 - Stockport, Disley and Whaley Bridge Railway 1857
 - Disley and Hayfield Railway 1860
 - Marple, New Mills and Hayfield Junction Railway 1860
 - Disley and Hayfield Railway 1861
 - Midland Railway (Rowsley to Buxton) 1862
 - Midland Railway (New Mills widening) 1891
 - Midland Railway (Chinley and New Mills widening) 1900
 - Midland Railway (New Mills and Heaton Mersey Railway) 1897
- Census Microfilm 1841-1901 (Various local area)
- 1992 Edition of the I.G.I. (England, Ireland, Scotland, Wales, Isle of Man, Channel Islands)
- Church and Chapel Records
 - New Mills Wesleyan Chapel, Baptisms 1794-1837
 - New Mills Independent Chapel, Baptisms 1830-1837
 - New Mills Independent Chapel, Burials 1832-1837
 - Glossop Wesleyan Chapel, Baptisms 1813-1837
 - Hayfield Chapelry and Parish Church Registers
 - Bethal Chapel, Hayfield, Baptisms 1903-1955
 - Brookbottom Methodist Church 1874-1931
 - Low Leighton Quaker Meeting House, New Mills
 - St.Georges Parish Church, New Mills
 - Index of Burials
 - Baptisms Jan.1888-Sept.1925
 - Burials 1895-1949
 - Marriages 1837-1947
- Coal Mining Account Book / New Mills and Bugsworth District 1711-1757
- Derbyshire Directories, 1808 - 1977 (New Mills entries are also available separately).

Other material

The material in these folders and boxes has been brought together and meticulously collated and labelled by Cath Bolton,

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Boxes:

Local Historian Magazine, 1995-present

Local History News, 1995-present

Electoral Registers, 1992-2002

New Mills Hydro Electric Power installation

The Parish magazine, 2004-present

Folder: Bugsworth chapel. Graveyard survey and monumental inscriptions

Boxes:

Higginbottom family history (Disley, Marple, etc)

Wilf Larkum – notes on the New Mills area and his work

Chinley, a brief history

Local steam trains photographs

One Box:

Co-op field, Aldersgate

Quarry Bank Farm, plans

Methodist Chapel: (1) Brook Bottom. Baptisms 21 Sept 1874-20 Dec 1931.

(2) Free Methodist. Baptisms Sept 1902- Dec 1955

(3) St Marys church. Graveyard inscriptions 1867-1980

(4) St Georges Methodist. Graveyard survey with location map of graves and comparison with entries in the Owen ms.

Hayfield Baptism

Magistrates Court plans

Kinder View: research notes by Marjorie Jones

Marriages at Wirksworth

Marriages at Cromford

Some photographs of Cromford

Bugsworth anecdotes

New Mills Town Scheme

Plain English Campaign

One Box:

Sir Martin Doughty

New Mills Free Church

New Mills waste sites

The Buxton Project: Department of Librarianship, Manchester College of Commerce

The National Parks and Access to the Countryside Act 1949

Survey of the public rights of way 1954

Ladshawe Bottom and Millfields – town or village green

Newspaper cuttings – New Mills bypass

New Mills House Clearances, 1934: Area 2 (Spring Bank), Area 5 Foundry Street and
Midland Street, Area 1 Spring Bank, Area 4 Short Street.

Brook Bottom Primitive Methodist School chapel. Jubilee celebrations

Box: Birch Vale Quarry

Folder: Planning application to restore mineral workings at Birch Vale Quarry

Box : Derbyshire Local Transport Plan. Provisional Plan 2006-11

Folder: Archaeology and Conservation in Derbyshire 2003-4 – 2008

Folder: Kirke/Kyrke family history
Hyde and Jackson family history
Winterbottom and Lowe family history

Folder: Wills
Anthony Dakins (1662), Ralph Dakins (1719), Ralph Dakins (1731), Robert Bowden (1742) all of Ladyshaw.
Richard Shalcross of Cote Bank, Brierley Green, Bugsworth
Rev John Rigg, vicar of New Mills (1869) and wife Mary (1893)

Box: Beard and Lomas families, New Mills

Folder: Henshaw family, Chinley

Box: Book Chat archive
Goddard family history
Descendants of Edward Hadfield of Mellor
High Peak Isolation Hospital, Chinley

Box: Art Theatre various programmes

Box: Historical Commission: location of Derbyshire manuscripts

Folders:
The Barnes family and High Lea hall
Carrington family, Bugsworth Hall, Chinley and Bugsworth
Jodrell family, Whaley Bridge
Handlist of the Bagshawe muniments in the John Rylands Library.
A study of Chinley, Bugsworth and Brownside based on the 1841 and 1891 censuses
by Keith Halford

NMLHS various publications

Box:
The historic landscapes of Mellor (Ron Weston)
A natural history of Ludworth and Mellor (Ron Weston and Tony Smith)
New Mills 1894-1994
Education in New Mills by J P Bowden
New Mills development plans 1960 and 1967
Blessing of High Lea War Memorial May 2009

Folders:
Census and CD ROM – manual
Old OS maps 25 inch reduced (Alan Godfrey editions)
Derbyshire local studies – family history information
Family history on the internet

Boxes:
Strines calico printing
CPA 'Star' magazine
Strines printworks tour information
Strines printworks
Photographs of New Mills Library Centenary display
Newtown Methodist Sunday School –anniversary

Box:
Thornsett Sunday School
Death of Paul Mason (newspaper cutting)
Ashworth family of Thornsett and Whitle
Millennium Walkway
St Georges Parish Church 1901

Boxes:
Low Leighton Quaker Meeting House: History, Deeds, photographs
High Peak Community Arts

New Mills Town Council – purchase of steam roller and Ollersett Waterworks
The Bowers and the Newtons
Edith Nesbit
Ingham Almshouses and St James church
Kinder Trespass photographs.

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Folders:

Mellor baptisms 1874-1931
St George's Road, Methodist chapel. Gravestones inscriptions
St George's church monumental inscriptions, books 1-4
St George's church burials 5 Mar 1895-4 Aug 1949
Providence United Reformed church. Garden of Rest details
Mt Pleasant Free Methodist chapel. Grave Book
Folder: White Knowle church, Chinley. Memorial inscriptions
 Bugsworth Old Primitive Methodist chapel. Monumental inscriptions.
 Low Leighton Quaker Meeting House. Monumental inscriptions

Folders in a Box:

Hayfield St Matthews. Burials and some marriages – copied from Owen manuscripts
Bethel chapel, Hayfield. Baptisms 1842-1955.
St Matthews, Hayfield. Memorials
St James Taxal. Baptisms 1610-1904, burials 1610-1875
Fernilee Methodist chapel. Memorial inscriptions
St Mary's church, New Mills. Baptisms March 1856-Dec 1876
 Confirmations Nov 1865-Nov 1925
 Marriages Nov 1856-Dec 1923
 Deaths Nov 1851-Sept 1883

Folders:

St Thomas a Becket church, Chapel en le Frith. Marriages 1621-1837
Charlesworth Independent chapel. Baptisms 23 Jan 1948-15 July 1998.
 Pew Register, Collection Book 1917-1929.
St Matthews Hayfield. Memorials New Cemetery, and copy of Owen ms.

Box:

Church records:

St Matthews, Hayfield. Marriages 1837-1935
St Thomas a Becket, Chapel. Marriages 1621-1837
Mellor Marriages 1678-1775
St Mary's Disley. Graveyard survey
St George's, New Mills. Burials March 1962- 2 Aug 1991
St Georges Methodist. Graveyard record. Copied from Owen manuscripts

Folders:

Chinley Independent chapel. Memorial inscriptions
 Roll of Honour
 Selected baptisms

Bugsworth church. Memorial inscriptions
 Graveyard survey and index

All Saints, Glossop. Marriages 1848-1878
Derbyshire: Return of owners of land 1873
Local and family history resources
Shaw Farm: a passage of time.
Marjorie Jones census transcriptions 1901-2002

Folders:

Market Street Vols 1 and 2
Hall Street and South View
Church Road
Kinder View
New Mills public houses
Union Road
Albion Road
Longlands Road
St Mary's Road
Golf Club
Hannah Thompson. New Mills air raid 3 July 1942
Folders in a Box:
New Mills newspaper extracts 1822-29
Annual report of Thornsett Sunday School to 1 January 1797
Halker Lea House, High Lea Road. Abstract of Title, 1949
(J Sumner Pollitt, deceased).
Stafford Wills
Various trade directories
Folders:
Abel Heywood's Penny guide to Disley, New Mills, Lyme Hall and neighbourhood
Providence Congregational church and Sunday School. Japanese Floral Bazaar 1909
New Mills Polling District 30 November 1860-1 Dec 1861. Register of people
entitled to vote.
Boxes:
Taxal parish registers. Baptisms 1610-1912
Burials 1610-1875
Marriages 1611-1867
New Mills parish registers 1831-1910. Baptisms, Marriages and Burials.
The Dore and Chinley Railway
Chapel en le Frith. Memorial index and inscriptions with Town End Methodist,
Chapel en le Frith and Dove Holes War Memorials
New Mills Local History Society. Photographic survey July 1993 (109 photos).
New Mills Masonic Hall and its lodges
Hibbert Journals microfiche
The Stafford papers: Wills and inventories
Box:
1841 census: Glossop (Districts 1-5), and index
Charlesworth (Districts 15 and 16) and index
1861 census: parishes of Abney, Bradwell,, Great Hucklow, Litton and Tideswell, and
Bradwell
1881 census: New Mills and Furness Vale
1901 census: Index for New Mills and Hayfield
1851 census; Index for New Mills and Hayfield
1851: Yeardsley cum Whaley
1861: Indexes for Abney, Bradwell, Great Hucklow, Little Hucklow and Tideswell
List of Cheshire parishes
Box: St James church and St Lukes church New Mills. Papers.
Three Boxes: St George's New Mills. Marriages 1837-1921, 1921-1947,
Baptisms Jan 1880-Sept 1925
Derbysyhire Miscellany 1956-present
Derbyshire Archaeological Journal. 1879 -present
Coal mines abandonment plans

Furness Vale. The Fallen of the Great War
Glossop War Memorial
Photos and aerial photos
Newspaper cuttings
New Mills Parade and Fete. Photos and programme
The Crichton Porteous collection
New Mills ephemera
Plans for proposed Yellow Route A6 by pass with maps.

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