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Papers of the North of England Institute of Mining and Mechanical Engineers

Forster Collection

NRO 3410/For/1

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Scope and Content

The Forster collection consists of three distinct sections. Section one comprises a collection of report books relating to various eighteenth and nineteenth century viewers, collected by Thomas Emmerson Forster but not relating to the Forster family. Sections two and three comprise working papers of Thomas Emmerson Forster and his son George Baker Forster.

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/15](#)

Colliery Report Book

Creation dates: 1832 - 1836

Extent and Form: 183 pp

Physical characteristics: Buckram bound volume, 39 x 26cm. entitled Reports on front

Scope and Content

Volume containing reports and copy letters of Matthias Dunn and others, 1832 - 1836
Index at front.

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/15/1](#)

Creation dates: 26 Dec 1832

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Reports re the best methods of extending the following collieries in Cumberland - Workington, with reference to improvement of underground carriage of coal, pumping engine and quality of coal, with estimate for a new winning, Harrington and Lowca

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/15/10](#)

Creation dates: March 1833

Scope and Content

Report re Mostyn Colliery, N. Wales including description of the strata, ancient and current workings and drainage with recommendations re future working methods

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/15/18](#)

Creation dates: nd

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Incomplete unidentified plan [Mostyn]

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/15/19

Creation dates: Feb 1833

Scope and Content

Plan of Two Yard Workings [Mostyn] marking Thomas, Engine and Roger Pits, old and new workings, scale 20yds: 1"

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/15/20

Creation dates: nd [c. 1833]

Scope and Content

Plan of Five Yard Coal [Mostyn] marking workings, Engine Pit and rolleyway, scale 40yds: 1"

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/15/21

Creation dates: April 1833

Scope and Content

Report re Dee Green Colliery, Flintshire including section of seam, current workings and proposed terms and considerations for a lease

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/15/25

Creation dates: 23 July, 12 Dec 1833

Scope and Content

Report and opinion re a dispute over the right of Sir John Hope to give up a lease of coal in Brunstone, Scotland, held from the Marquis of Abercorn, because the workings are no longer profitable

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/15/30

Creation dates: 13 Dec 1833

Scope and Content

Notes made by the arbitor in a dispute between the Earl of Minto and Lord Dundas with comments on the report of Mr Dunn re output and valuation, by John Cunningham, Edinburgh

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/15/33

Creation dates: 31 Dec 1833

Scope and Content

Letter from Hugh Watson requesting advise re the coal under the Vogrie Estate near Edinburgh

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/15/34

Creation dates: 21 Jan 1834

Scope and Content

Letter from H.G. Wright re the arbitration of the dispute between Sir John Hope and the Marquis of Abercorn (NRO 3410/For/1/15/25 - /29)

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/15/36

Creation dates: 3 Feb 1834

Scope and Content

Letter from Robert Johnson requesting a report re Heaton Colliery

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/15/37

Creation dates: 6 Feb 1834

Scope and Content

Resolution of the Heaton owners to request reports from Nicholas Wood, Matthias Dunn and Thomas Forster

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/15/38

Creation dates: 1834-1835

Scope and Content

Report re Heaton, Longbenton and Bigges Main, particularly D Pit, Benton Pit and Bigges Main with recommendations re future workings, quitting Heaton and Spanish Closes in May 1835, increasing the power of the Benton engine and the best method of winning Bigges Main, March 1834

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/15/46

Creation dates: 30 June 1834

Scope and Content

Report re current working methods at King's Pit Colliery with table of coal produced 1830 - 1834

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/15/48

Creation dates: May - June 1834

Scope and Content

Report re current workings in Rhewl, Thomas, Roger and March Pits, Mostyn Colliery with table of working costs, details of lease terms and recommendations re the installation of an endless chain system for drawing coal, improvements to the harbour and to the ventilation system

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/15/61

Creation dates: 30 June 1834

Scope and Content

Report re the Royalties of the Lords of Mold including current workings in Mold Town and Argoed Collieries and Coed Talon Iron Works with recommendations re conditions of the leases, appointment of an agent and legislation re ventilation

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/15/71

Creation dates: 15 March 1832

Scope and Content

Letter from Armorer Donkin enclosing a statement by Mr Harrison of London of costs for building a railway from Stanhope to Medomsley for the conveyance of lime

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/15/76

Creation dates: 4, 31 March 1834

Scope and Content

Minutes for a report and report re current workings in Norwood Colliery including estimated working costs, profits and valuation of stock

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/15/89

Creation dates: 24 April 1834

Scope and Content

Letter from Samuel Barrett requesting a revision of the estimates and valuation of Norwood to concur with an alteration in the vend basis

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/15/91

Creation dates: 26 April 1834

Scope and Content

Revised report of estimated costs, profits and valuation of Norwood

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/15/94

Creation dates: March 1835

Scope and Content

Report re seams of coal in Twizell Colliery with amount of coal available and estimated profit

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/15/96

Creation dates: May 1838

Scope and Content

Report re current workings, including the new winning at Crowtrees Colliery with valuation

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/15/100

Creation dates: June 1835

Scope and Content

Report re current workings at Mostyn Colliery including the sinking of the Engine Pit and estimated coal prices and recommendations re the improvement of the harbour and loading facilities

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/15/105

Creation dates: 19, 20 June 1835

Scope and Content

Request by John Buddle to Thomas Fenwick, George Johnson, Nicholas Wood, Matthias Dunn, John Foster and Thomas Morriss for a report re the system of ventilation in the Bensham Seam, Wallsend Colliery and the probable causes of the explosion, with report

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/15/107

Creation dates: 15, 18 July 1835

Scope and Content

Request by John Buddle to George Johnson, Nicholas Wood, Thomas Morriss and Matthias Dunn for a report re the effects of the explosion at Wallsend and possibility of restoring the colliery with report of probable causes, recommendations re improved ventilation and estimate of costs of restoring the pit

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/15/112](#)

Creation dates: nd c. 1835

Scope and Content

Reports re sections of strata and quality of coal in the following collieries in Scotland, includes some notes re workings, ownership and transport
Nithsdale District, Dumfries, including Newark, Sanquhar, Town Muir, Kirkconnel and Cair Burn Collieries with plan marking pits, no scale
Dalmellington, Auldna
Kilmarnock District, including sketch plan showing the extent of the Blind Coal, no scale
Airdrie, Belluckney
Mid Lothian District, including Skethe Moor, Vogrie, Crichton and Peth Head
East Lothian District
Preston Grange
Fife Eastern District, including Wemyss Colliery
Dunfermline District, including Waterloo and Mary Pits

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/15/132](#)

Creation dates: 10 July 1835

Scope and Content

Report re current workings in the collieries owned by the Lords of Mold including the sinking of the new Engine Pit at Mold Town Colliery, new winning at Argoed Colliery and Coed Talon Iron Works

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/15/137](#)

Creation dates: 19, 20 Aug 1835

Scope and Content

Request by John Buddle to George Johnson, Nicholas Wood, Thomas Morriss and Matthias Dunn for a report re the restoration of ventilation in Wallsend Colliery following the explosion and report describing the ventilation system and recommending the re-lighting of the furnaces,

improvements to the ventilation system and the use of safety lamps

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/15/141](#)

Creation dates: 1 Dec 1835

Scope and Content

Report re current workings in collieries in North Wales, - Mostyn Colliery, including the completion of the sinking of the Engine Pit and recommendations for increased engine power and the provision of more colliers houses

Flint Colliery, including lack of progress at Brynoch Pit workings

Mold Town Colliery

Argoed Colliery, with details of prices for ship and landsale coal

Coed Talon Iron Works, including tables showing produce and different results achieved from using hot and cold air furnaces

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/15/154](#)

Creation dates: 27 Feb 1836

Scope and Content

Memorandum of an agreement between John Hopper Esq and William Hedley for a lease for 21 years from 13 May 1836 of Crowtrees Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/15/159](#)

Creation dates: c. 1834-1835

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Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/15/168](#)

Creation dates: c. 1834

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Creation dates: c. 1834

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Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/15/180

Creation dates: 26 May 1836

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Estimates of profits for North Hettön, Norwood, Gordon, Evenwood and Roddymoor Collieries

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/15/183

Creation dates: 7 July 1836

Scope and Content

Request for a report re the Amble Coalfield belonging to Lady Newburgh and Amble harbour, (incomplete, no report)

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/16

Colliery Journal and Report Book

Creation dates: 1814 - 1830

Extent and Form: 263 pp

Physical characteristics: Buckram bound volume, 41 x 21cm, labelled Colliery Minutes Previous to July 1830 on front.

Scope and Content

Volume containing colliery reports and accounts, 1814 - 1817 and journal of colliery visits, 1825 - 1830, by Matthias Dunn, relating mainly to collieries in Scotland but also to the North East and Cumberland, 1814 - 1830

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Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/16/1

Creation dates: 7 May 1813

Scope and Content

Report re Catch Pit and Duke Pit, Wallbottle Colliery, including height of seams and the effects of the creep in Catch Pit

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/16/4

Creation dates: 19 Oct 1814

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Notes re past workings in Stanley Colliery

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/16/5

Creation dates: 18 April 1815

Scope and Content

Account of relative costs of feeding horses on hay and corn and on cut hay and straw, given by John Robson, Felling

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/16/6

Creation dates: 31 July 1815

Scope and Content

Return of statistics re employees at Jarrow and Hebburn Collieries, including numbers killed in accidents, their dependents, amounts claimed in parish relief and numbers of employees

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/16/8

Creation dates: 23 Jan 1817

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Estimate of costs for building double pitman's houses with ground plan and elevation, no scale

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/16/11

Creation dates: 8 April 1825

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Whitehaven Colliery, investigation re the lease of St Bees coal held by Lord Lonsdale

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/16/21

Creation dates: 4 May 1825

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Cramlington and Seghill Collieries, dimensions of pits and engine cylinders and pumps

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/22](#)

Creation dates: 19 July 1825

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Whitley Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/25](#)

Creation dates: 9 Aug 1825

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Edmonstone Colliery, Edinburgh

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/30](#)

Creation dates: 12 Aug 1825

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Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/31](#)

Creation dates: 1825

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Valuation of Orrell coal, Sept 1825

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Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/34](#)

Creation dates: [nd Sept 1825]

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Statement of coal prices at Dundee [nd Sept 1825]

Statement of coal consumption by James Taylor & Co, machine makers and Hackney and Chambers, spinners [nd Sept 1825]

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/35](#)

Creation dates: nd 1825

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Statement of prices for cast iron at Dundee, [Sept 1825]

Statement of account by Mr Laing, coal dealer [Sept 1825]

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/36](#)

Creation dates: 5 Oct 1825

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Wemyss Colliery, including section of Coal and Engine Pits to the Chemmiss and Bush Seams, no scale

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/41](#)

Creation dates: 7 Oct 1825

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Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/42](#)

Creation dates: 11 Oct 1825

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Etal Colliery, with plan of the workings and comments re wasteful working methods and plan showing the location of the pits, no scale

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/45](#)

Creation dates: 3 Nov 1825

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North Hetton Colliery, sinking a new pit

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/46](#)

Creation dates: 19 Dec 1825, 24 - 28 March 1826

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Seghill Colliery, sinking of John Pit

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/50](#)

Creation dates: 1822 - 1825

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Investigation of Mr Mason's coal leases at Sanquar, Dumfries, including Newark Colliery, Knocking Engine Pit, Kirkonnel, Mansfield Colliery and

Lime Works and table of profits

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/57](#)

Creation dates: 7 June 1826

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Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/62](#)

Creation dates: 1808 - 1823

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Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/63](#)

Creation dates: May 1826

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Flockton Colliery, Yorkshire

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/16/64

Creation dates: [nd 1826]

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Account of Sanquar Glebe living

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/16/65

Creation dates: 6 July 1826

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List of persons to whom river sale coal is delivered and vend for 30 June

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/16/66

Creation dates: 18 July 1826

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Description of the explosion at Townley Colliery with examination of a witness, Samuel Cooper

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/69](#)

Creation dates: 21 Aug 1826

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Gilmerton Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/73](#)

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Wemyss Colliery, with plan of the workings

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/75](#)

Creation dates: 26 Aug 1826

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Newton Pit (Wemyss)

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/77](#)

Creation dates: 26 Aug 1826

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Maw Pit (Wemyss)

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/79](#)

Creation dates: 26 Aug 1826

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Birstie Colliery, with details of miners wages and duties, includes mention of women workers, plan showing the location of Lamp, Stair and Working Pits and drifts and abstract of working costs

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/87](#)

Creation dates: 31 Oct 1826

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Wanlock Head Lead Mines

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/88](#)

Creation dates: nd [c. 1826]

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Table of Scottish mining terms

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/90](#)

Creation dates: 4 Nov 1826

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Gilmerton

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/91](#)

Creation dates: 2 Nov 1826

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Niddry Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/92](#)

Creation dates: 6 Nov 1826

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Walliford Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/93](#)

Creation dates: 6 Nov 1826

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Birslie Colliery and Preston Grange

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/95](#)

Creation dates: 6 Nov 1826

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Wemyss Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/96](#)

Creation dates: 9 Feb 1827

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Preston Grange Colliery

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/16/98

Creation dates: 10 Feb 1827

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Gilmerton

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/16/100

Creation dates: nd [1827]

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Preston Grange Colliery, estimated cost of winning

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/16/101

Creation dates: nd [1827]

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Birslie, accounts

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/16/102

Creation dates: 13 Feb 1827

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Wemyss Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/106](#)

Creation dates: 16 Feb 1827

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Edmonstone Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/108](#)

Creation dates: 17 Feb 1827

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Skettie Muir Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/113](#)

Creation dates: 31 March - 3 April 1827

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Birslie and Preston Grange Collieries

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/116](#)

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Montague Main Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/118](#)

Creation dates: 2 June 1827

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Castle Comer, Crut and Skehand Collieries, Queen's County and workings in Kilkenny, with details of miners conditions and diet

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/126](#)

Creation dates: 11 June 1827

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reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits
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Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/127](#)

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Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/129](#)

Creation dates: 3 - 4 Sept 1827

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Castle Comer Collieries including Rock and Wilson's Pits, Fourtane, with sketch plan showing the site of the pit, Boonyarrow, Coolenaleen and Crut Pits

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/136](#)

Creation dates: 22 Sept 1827

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Hetton Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/137](#)

Creation dates: 5 Oct 1827

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Explorations for coal and copper in Lord Douglas' estates, near Duns, Berwickshire

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/139](#)

Creation dates: Oct 1827

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Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/140](#)

Creation dates: 16 Oct 1827

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Hetton Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/145](#)

Creation dates: 26 - 27 Oct 1827

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Whitehaven, including coal under St Bees School and Croft Pit, with sketch plan of water levels

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/148](#)

Creation dates: 9 Nov 1827

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Elemore Colliery, including Isabella and George Pits

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/151](#)

Creation dates: nd; 1827

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Eppleton winning, nd [Nov 1827]

Hetton Colliery and waggonway, 14 Nov 1827

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/154](#)

Creation dates: nd [1827]

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Dimensions of cinder ovens

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/155](#)

Creation dates: 5 Jan 1828

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Edmonstone Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/156](#)

Creation dates: 8 Jan 1828

Scope and Content

Beginning at Page 11

Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Dundee Railway

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/159](#)

Creation dates: 14 Jan 1828

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Sheriff Hill Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/163](#)

Creation dates: 1828

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Gilmerton Colliery, 17 Jan 1828

Acomb Colliery, Jan 1828

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/165](#)

Creation dates: 1828; 1848

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Crut Colliery, 23 April 1828

Mark Wilson's or Brick Pit [Castle Comer ?], 24 April 1848

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/167](#)

Creation dates: 26 April 1828

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Skehana

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/168](#)

Creation dates: May - 7 June 1828

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

New Etherley Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/170](#)

Creation dates: 28 June 1828

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Edmonstone Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/172](#)

Creation dates: 30 June 1828

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Gilmerton Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/173](#)

Creation dates: 17 July 1828

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Birslie Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/175](#)

Creation dates: 26 Aug 1828

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Team Colliery, dispute re the drainage of water sent from Eighton Banks into Team Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/177](#)

Creation dates: 4 Oct 1835

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of

reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits
Birsly Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/178](#)

Creation dates: 6 Oct 1828

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Dalkeith

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/179](#)

Creation dates: nd [Oct 1828]

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Dundyvan Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/180](#)

Creation dates: nd [Oct 1828]

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Calder Iron Works

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/181](#)

Creation dates: 11 Oct 1828

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Drumpellier Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/182](#)

Creation dates: nd [Oct 1828]

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Kirkintilloch Railway charges

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/184](#)

Creation dates: 1828

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Birslie Colliery, 14 Oct 1828

Preston Grange Colliery, nd. [Oct 1828]

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/185](#)

Creation dates: Dec 1828

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Effects of the Townley Main flooding with calculations re the engine capacity

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/186](#)

Creation dates: Dec 1828

Scope and Content

Beginning at page 11

Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Sheriff Hall, Brunstane or Duddingstone and Niddrie Collieries, Linlithgow

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/188](#)

Creation dates: 5 Jan 1829

Scope and Content

Beginning at page 11

Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Edmonstone Colliery

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/16/189

Creation dates: 12 - 13 Jan 1829

Scope and Content

Beginning at page 11

Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Dundee Railway

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/16/194

Creation dates: 15 Jan 1829

Scope and Content

Beginning at page 11

Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Edmonstone Colliery

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/16/195

Creation dates: 27 Feb 1839

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Stockton, advantages of the Middlesburgh Railway

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/16/198

Creation dates: 25 March 1829

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Caprington Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/201](#)

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Lime Quarry on the estate of Mr Cunningham, Lainshaw, Stewartown

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/202](#)

Creation dates: 26 March 1829

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Caprington Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/208](#)

Creation dates: 27 March 1829

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current

workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits
Irvine Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/211](#)

Creation dates: March 1829

Scope and Content

Beginning at page 11

Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Belluckney Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/213](#)

Creation dates: March 1829

Scope and Content

Beginning at page 11

Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Arden Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/214](#)

Creation dates: 30 March 1829

Scope and Content

Beginning at page 11

Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Birslie Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/215](#)

Creation dates: 6 April 1829

Scope and Content

Beginning at page 11

Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Clarence Railway

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/216](#)

Creation dates: July 1829

Scope and Content

Beginning at page 11

Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Boneyarrow Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/218](#)

Creation dates: 14 July 1829

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Fitzgibbon's property at Glenagower, Limerick

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/219](#)

Creation dates: 13 July 1829

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Loughill Colliery, Limerick

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/221](#)

Creation dates: 15 July 1829

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Knight of Glynn's property, Limerick

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/222](#)

Creation dates: 21 - 22 Aug, 2 Nov 1829

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Tranent, including Splint Coal, New and Sand Pits with sketch plans of workings

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/227](#)

Creation dates: 22 Jan 1830

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Birslie Colliery, including notes re drainage

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/230](#)

Creation dates: 29 Jan 1830

Scope and Content

Beginning at page 11

Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Dundee Railway costs

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/232](#)

Creation dates: 1 Feb 1830

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

New Craig Hall and Niddrie Collieries

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/234](#)

Creation dates: 1 Feb 1835

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits
Edmonstone Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/236](#)

Creation dates: nd [Feb 1835]

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Preston Grange Railway

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/238](#)

Creation dates: 2 Feb 1830

Scope and Content

Beginning at page 11

Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Gilmerton Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/241](#)

Creation dates: March 1830

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices

and profits

Analysis of Gofton's report re Halbeath Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/242](#)

Creation dates: nd [March 1830]

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Kiersbeath Estates

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/243](#)

Creation dates: March 1830

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Burdiehouse Lime Quarries

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/244](#)

Creation dates: 31 March 1830

Scope and Content

Beginning at page 11

Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Halbeath Colliery, including description of drainage and mention of women workers

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/249](#)

Creation dates: 1830

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Craighall Colliery, 10 May 1830

Tranent, 11 May 1830

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/250](#)

Creation dates: nd; 1830

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Preston Grange Colliery, nd [May 1830]

Scremerston Colliery, 12 May 1830

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/252](#)

Creation dates: 5 - 16 June 1830

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Curragh Colliery, including sketch plan of the workings and details of materials and costs for the Athy Railway

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/257](#)

Creation dates: 12 July 1830

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Whitley Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/260](#)

Creation dates: 16 July 1830

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Birslie Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/16/261](#)

Creation dates: 20 July 1830

Scope and Content

Beginning at page 11

Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Edmonstone Colliery

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/16/263

Creation dates: 20 July 1830

Scope and Content

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Journal of colliery visits with notes and observations for the preparation of reports, consisting mainly of sections of seams, descriptions of current workings, working costs, numbers and wages of employees, selling prices and profits

Gilmerton Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17](#)

Colliery Report Book

Creation dates: 1820 - 1833

Extent and Form: 127 pp

Physical characteristics: Paper bound volume, leather spine, 36 x 24cm. labelled Miscellanea 1831, 32, 33 on front and Mr Thos. Forster, Hetton Colliery, Aug 24, 1828.

Scope and Content

Volume containing reports, proposals, accounts and copy letters, 1820 - 1833

Pages 1-13 are blank

At back of volume loose pages. Table showing the weights of the various pumps used [at Haswell], nd

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/14](#)

Creation dates: nd

Scope and Content

Rough pencil calculations

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/15](#)

Creation dates: 9 Feb 1830

Scope and Content

Terms proposed by William Clark of Benton House for a lease for 42 years from May 1830 of Pespool Coal Mine, agreed by John Pemberton

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/17](#)

Creation dates: 24 Feb 1829

Scope and Content

Letter to Hugh Taylor containing a statement of the produce of merchantable coal from the Hutton and Main Coal Seams at Hetton Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/19](#)

Creation dates: nd [c. 1830.]

Scope and Content

Estimate of the cost of winning Haswell Colliery including the construction of a waggonway

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/22](#)

Creation dates: Feb 1831

Scope and Content

Section of Haswell Pit shaft, scale 2': 1", with calculations re the number of bricks required to wall the pit, drawing of a wedged brick, giving dimensions, calculations re the relative costs of using stone and brick for walling and details of the size of brick moulds at Backworth

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/25](#)

Creation dates: Jan 1831

Scope and Content

Specifications and conditions for the building of chaldron coal waggons for the St Helen's Coal Company with drawings of sheaths and wheels, signed by Thomas Storey and D. Burn

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/28](#)

Creation dates: 26 Feb 1831

Scope and Content

Plan and section of the proposed lines of a railway at Haswell Colliery, scales 4ch: 1" and 40': 1" and report re the advantages of the various proposals by Thomas Taylor and Thomas Forster

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/31](#)

Creation dates: 29 June 1829

Scope and Content

Instructions to the contractors for the building of the Seaham Railway

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/33](#)

Creation dates: 19 Dec 1830

Scope and Content

Table showing the descent of each plane on the Seaham Railway with the size of engine needed for each, by George B

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/34](#)

Creation dates: nd [c. 1831.]

Scope and Content

Estimate of the comparative costs of transporting coal by horse or by fixed engine for a distance of 800 yards from Haswell Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/35](#)

Creation dates: 7 March 1831

Scope and Content

Proposal for the construction of an engine house at Haswell Colliery, by John Ranson and F. White, masons

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/36](#)

Creation dates: 19 Jan 1831

Scope and Content

Proposal for masonry work for walling [Haswell] Pit, including carrying the stone from Newbottle or Penshaw Quarry, by Anthony Hill and Sons, 31 Jan 1829

Account of metal plates needed for the construction of a boiler with

drawings of the boiler giving dimensions

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/38](#)

Creation dates: 1831

Scope and Content

Proposal to transport coal from Elemore Pit to Haswell Pit and stone from Penshaw to Haswell, by C. Adamson, 3 March 1831

Proposal to transport stone from Penshaw Quarry to Haswell and coal from the Hetton Pits to Haswell, by Thomas and John Burton, 3 March 1831

Proposal to transport coal from Hetton Colliery to Haswell, by Henry Hutchinson, 9 March 1831

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/39](#)

Creation dates: 1831

Scope and Content

Estimate for the supply of carts and waggons [Haswell], by Thomas Williamson, cartwright and William Moody, blacksmith, 4 March 1831

Proposal for the supply of carts for Haswell Colliery, by Nicholas Willis, 7 March 1831

Proposal for the supply of tiles to Haswell Colliery, by John Swan, 28 Feb 1831

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/40](#)

Creation dates: 11 Feb 1831

Scope and Content

Proposal to work the limestone quarry at Haswell, by James Pattison

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/41](#)

Creation dates: c. 1831

Scope and Content

Table of costs for the supply of cart, shaft and gin harnesses, by John Bolam

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/42](#)

Creation dates: 1830, 1831

Scope and Content

Table showing the consumption of hay and corn by the horses at Ouston Colliery, 1830

Prices of waggon wood, by T. Richardson, 28 Feb 1831

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/44](#)

Creation dates: 1831

Scope and Content

List of collieries on the Tyne with basis for 1831 and their representatives

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/45](#)

Creation dates: 22 March 1831

Scope and Content

List of numbers of employees above and below ground at Felling

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/47](#)

Creation dates: 1 Jan 1831

Scope and Content

List of collieries on the Tyne with prices charged per chaldron

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/52](#)

Creation dates: 1825

Scope and Content

Plan and section of the proposed railway from Dundee to New Tyle, surveyed by William Corsar under the direction of C. Landale, coloured to show various estates through which the railway passes, marking major residences and woodland and Dundee Harbour, scale 3 furlongs: 1", 1825
Plan of the County of Angus showing the proposed line of the Railway, marking the line from Dundee to New Tyle with a branch to Forfar and line not yet surveyed from Coupar Angus to Forfar, scale 3 miles: 1", nd.
[1825]

Arrangement

The above 2 maps stuck into the volume.

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/53](#)

Creation dates: 30 Sept 1825

Scope and Content

Report re the proposed Railway between the Strathmore Valley and Dundee, including details of roads and carrier-services, survey of the proposed trading and employment advantages with estimates of revenue, including estimates of grain, lime, coal, yearn, flax, iron, stone and other goods to be carried and of construction and maintenance costs, by Charles Landale

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/70](#)

Creation dates: nd [c. 1825]

Scope and Content

Observation by Matthias Dunn re the above report with revised estimates

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/75](#)

Creation dates: nd [c. 1825]

Scope and Content

Revised proposal for the line of the above Railway in consequence of the decision to abandon the branch line over Lawrence Hill, by Charles Landale

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/77](#)

Creation dates: 3 May 1833

Scope and Content

Terms proposed by John Flintoff for a lease for 34 years of Etherley Grange Colliery, with letter from John Flintoff to William Bolam enclosing the above terms

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/79](#)

Creation dates: 1820

Scope and Content

Notes on a treatise on coal mining by Mr Bald, including improvements to the Bolton and Watt Engine with drawings of a V-Bob and Balance Wheel, methods of constructing a barrier to prevent the spread of creeps with estimate of costs, ventilation systems and methods of boring into unknown wastes with diagram showing direction of bore holes

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/85](#)

Creation dates: 4 Feb 1831

Scope and Content

Letter from Matthew Plummer listing specifications for a 90 h.p. pumping engine to be erected at Haswell Colliery by Mr Hawthorn, with list of tender received for the construction of the engine

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/86](#)

Creation dates: 17 Sept 1831

Scope and Content

Letter from M. Hudson enclosing sketches of 1 and 1 1/3 chaldron waggons with details of dimensions

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/88](#)

Creation dates: 18 Aug 1831

Scope and Content

Sketch plans of chaldron waggons designed by Hugh Taylor with details of dimensions

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/89](#)

Creation dates: 1832

Scope and Content

List of prices of goods supplied to Haswell Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/93](#)

Creation dates: nd [c. 1825]

Scope and Content

Report and estimates re the amount of coal to be carried on the Hartlepool Railway with maintenance costs, revenue and protected shareholders profits

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/17/97](#)

Creation dates: 8 Dec 1831

Scope and Content

Prospectus for the building of the Hartlepool Railway and enlarging the port

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/17/101

Creation dates: Aug 1831

Scope and Content

Prospectus for the Gateshead and Blaydon Railway

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/17/105

Creation dates: 25 April - 9 May 1833

Scope and Content

Account of levellings from the Engine Pit at Haswell to the Thorley Borehole

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/17/113

Creation dates: 14 March 1833

Scope and Content

Detailed accounts of the building costs for the New Main Engine at Haswell Colliery

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/17/125

Creation dates: 1832

Scope and Content

Table giving the weights of various kinds of nails used at Haswell, Ouston and Jarrow Collieries

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/18

Coal Trade Papers.

Creation dates: 1811 - 1837

Extent and Form: 168 pp

Physical characteristics: Buckram bound volume, 37 x 24cm. entitled Coal Trade etc on front

Scope and Content

Volume containing coal trade papers re vend regulation, 1811 - 1829 and coal exports, 1815 - 1817 with statistics from 1793, broadsheets and songs re the pitmen's strike, 1831 - 1832 and colliery reports, 1829 - 1837

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Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/18/1

Creation dates: 9 May - 8 June 1829

Scope and Content

Sections of the Hutton Seam in the Minor Pit, Hetton Colliery

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/18/17

Creation dates: 30 Dec 1826

Scope and Content

General regulations drawn up by the Committee of the Coal Trade for its regulation

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/18/20

Creation dates: 21 Jan 1827

Scope and Content

Instructions to examine the basis for the Wear Collieries and allocate new totals

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/18/21

Creation dates: 27 Jan 1827

Scope and Content

List of collieries on the River Tyne with selling prices and their representatives, marking committee members

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/18/24

Creation dates: 12 Jan 1827

Scope and Content

Copy of AP NRO 3410/For/1/18/20 issued to Messrs Stobart, Thompson and Plummer

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/18/25

Creation dates: 12 Feb 1827

Scope and Content

Evidence from owners and viewers of the Wear Collieries for the allocation of new vend basis including details of coal produced and sold, includes the following collieries - New Washington, North Hetton, Marquis of Londonderry's Collieries, Hetton, Elemore, J.G. Lambton's Collieries, Rickleton and Harraton Outside, Lord Ravensworth's Collieries and Beamish

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/18/37

Creation dates: 2 March 1827

Scope and Content

Reports re Hetton and Rainton Collieries for Messrs Plummer, Thompson and Stobart, including details of current workings and future prospects, by George Hill and George Johnson

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/18/43

Creation dates: 16 March 1827

Scope and Content

Allocation of basis to the Wear Collieries, by Benjamin Thompson, Matthew Stobart and William Stobart

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/47](#)

Creation dates: 16 April 1827

Scope and Content

Letter from John Martindale to Messrs Thompson, Plummer and Stobart enclosing a copy of a resolution re an irregularity in the allocation of the Basis for the Wear

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/48](#)

Creation dates: 17 April 1827

Scope and Content

Minutes of a meeting of the Coal Trade Committee re the resolution, see [NRO 3410/For/1/18/47](#)

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/49](#)

Creation dates: 22 May 1827

Scope and Content

Revised allocation of the basis for the Wear Collieries, by Benjamin Thompson, Matthew Plummer, William Stobart, George Hill and George Johnson

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/50](#)

Creation dates: 7 Sept 1827

Scope and Content

Allocation of the basis for the Wear Collieries, by George Robinson, R.W.

Brandling, George Hill and George Johnson

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/54](#)

Creation dates: 9 Nov 1829

Scope and Content

Allocation of the basis for the Wear Collieries by Charles William Bigge, James Losh and Robert William Brandling

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/55](#)

Creation dates: 12 March 1831

Scope and Content

Minutes of a General Meeting of the Coal Owners of the Tyne and Wear re binding agreements and wages, Coal Trade Office, 50 Westgate Street

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/57](#)

Creation dates: 28 March 1831

Scope and Content

Minutes of a General Meeting of the Coal Owners of the Tyne and Wear re binding agreements, wages and the measurement of corves, Coal Trade Office, 50 Westgate Street

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/59](#)

Creation dates: 28 Feb 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

List of Tyne Collieries with average weekly earnings, number of days worked

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/60](#)

Creation dates: [1831]

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet entitled The Pitmen of the Tyne and Wear (Extracted from the Tyne Mercury, April 5, 1831) printed by R. Stobbs, Durham

Related Material

See also the Tyne mercury April 5, 1831

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/61](#)

Creation dates: 7 April 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet warning against illegal assemble issued by Vane, Londonderry, R. Burdon and G. Robinson, Justice Room, Houghton le Spring, printed by J. Beckwith, Houghton le Spring

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/62](#)

Creation dates: [1831]

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet calling for a meeting at Morpeth, 7 April 1831, to mediate between Coal Owners and the miners, issued by C.J. Clavering, William Burrell, A.J. Cresswell Baker, M. de L. Lawson, William Orde, A. Atkinson Jnr, Thomas Riddell, Charles J. Bigge, E. Collingwood, Robert Hedley and Bertram Mitford, printed by Edward Walker, Newcastle

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/64](#)

Creation dates: 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet entitled A Few Facts in Reply to a Handbill Purporting to be an Extract from The Tyne Mercury, 5 April 1831. (see NRO 3410/61/1/18/60), issued by the Wear Colliers, J. Beckwith, printer, Houghton le Spring, 9 April 1831

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/18/65

Creation dates: [1831]

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Newspaper cutting including statements from the Coal Owners, 9 April 1831, the Colliery Workers, 23 March 1831 and resolutions of a Coal Trade Meeting, 28 March 1831

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/18/66

Creation dates: [1831]

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet entitled The Pitmen of the Tyne and Wear, printed by R. Stobbs, Durham

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/18/67

Creation dates: 15 April 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet offering a reward for information leading to the conviction of persons who attacked the horse-keepers of the Hetton Coal Company, printed by Beckwith, Houghton

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/18/68

Creation dates: 15 April 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet giving notice of the use of an armed patrol to protect the lives and property of miners wishing to resume work. printed by Beckwith, Houghton

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/69](#)

Creation dates: 16 April 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet appealing to the cities of Durham, Sunderland and Wearmouth for assistance to the striking miners, issued by William Chapple, George Bowden and James Buddick Watson for Durham, Thomas Morrison and John Dobson for Sunderland and T. Duncan and C.P. Skinner for Wearmouth, printed by Beckwith, Houghton

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/70](#)

Creation dates: 18 April 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet appealing for assistance from the public to the striking miners, issued by Robert Cuthbertson, William Miller and Barnabas Shipley, printed by Beckwith, Houghton

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/71](#)

Creation dates: 18 April 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet entitled To the Public, The Pitmen of the Tyne and Wear. In Answer to the Tyne Mercury and Other Publications, J. Marshall, printer, Newcastle

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/72](#)

Creation dates: 19 April 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet giving an account of damage at Jesmond Colliery belonging to Richard Burdon Sanderson, Douglas and Kent, Printers, 50 Quayside, Newcastle

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/73](#)

Creation dates: 20 April 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet entitled Caution to Pitmen and Others giving an extract from an Act of 7th and 8th George IV, Cap. 30 re riotous assembly, Edward Walker, printer, Newcastle

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/74](#)

Creation dates: 28 April 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet entitled The Pitmen, To the Public, From the Pitmen of the Tyne and Wear, laying out the pitmen's grievances, Marshall, printer, Newcastle

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/75](#)

Creation dates: nd

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Pamphlet entitled An Appeal to the Public from the Pitmen of the Tyne and Wear, printed by T. and J. Hodgson, Union Street, Newcastle

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/76](#)

Creation dates: nd

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Song entitled First Drest Man of Seghill or the Pitman's Reward for Betraying his Bretheren, with woodcut illustration, printed by J. Marshall, Newcastle

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/77](#)

Creation dates: c. 1831

Scope and Content

Pamphlet entitled An Earnest Address and Urgent Appeal to the People of England in Behalf of the Opressed and Suffering Pitmen of the Counties of Northumberland and Durham...etc. by W. Scott, printed by John Marshall, Newcastle, 1831. Printed.

Song entitled The Opressions of the Pitmen, by Joseph Hall, Collier, Sheriff Hill, printed by Douglas and Kent, Newcastle, nd. Printed

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/78](#)

Creation dates: nd

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet entitled Dreadful Riot and Battle Between Soldiers and Colliers, describing an incident in Monmouthshire, printed by J. Marshall, Newcastle

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/79](#)

Creation dates: 1825

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Pamphlet entitled A Voice from The Coal Mines or a Plain Statement of the Various Grievances of the Pitmen of the Tyne and Wear, printed by J. Clark, jun, Market Place South Shields

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/80](#)

Creation dates: 6 May 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Resolutions of a General Meeting of Coal-Owners of the Rivers Tyne and Wear, printed by Preston and Heaton, 96 Side, Newcastle

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/81](#)

Creation dates: 17 May 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet advertising 100 Guineas reward for information re the cutting of a rope on the inclined plane from the engine at Cramlington Colliery Railway, printed by Preston and Heaton, 96 Side, Newcastle

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/82](#)

Creation dates: nd

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet entitled Coal Owners and Pitmen etc. To the People of Northumberland and Durham, by Vinder, printed by Mitchells, Newcastle

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/83](#)

Creation dates: 18 May 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Statement of a meeting of pitmen's delegates with observations on the behaviour of the coal owners towards the pitmen, printed by J. Marshall

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/84](#)

Creation dates: 6 May 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet issuing a statement by Lord Londonderry re differences with the miners at Penshaw Colliery, printed by J. Beckwith, Houghton

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/85](#)

Creation dates: 16 May 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet giving rates for hewing at Jarrow Colliery, printed by G.W. Barnes

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/86](#)

Creation dates: 6 May 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet entitled An Appeal to the Public from the Pitmen giving details of queries from a pitmen's delegate meeting to the coal owners and their response, printed by T. and J. Hodgson, Union Street

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/87](#)

Creation dates: 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Rules and Regulations of the Coal Miner's Friendly Society, established 4

June 1831, printed by W., E. and H. Mitchell, St. Nicholas Churchyard, Newcastle

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/88](#)

Creation dates: 1831

Scope and Content

Pamphlet entitled The Two Subjects which Remain in Dispute Between the Coal Owners and the Pitmen...etc, printed by Edward Walker, Pilgrim Street, Newcastle, 1831. Printed.

Notice issued by the committee of the Hetton Coal Company to William Hunter to quit his colliery house, printed by James Beckwith, Houghton, 16 May 1831. Printed with manuscript additions

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/89](#)

Creation dates: 3 June 1831

Scope and Content

List of wages paid in 1830 and intended to be paid in 1831 at Felling Colliery, issued by Thomas Forster, Printed with manuscript additions.

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/90](#)

Creation dates: 8 May 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet containing a statement by Lord Londonderry requesting a return to work

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/91](#)

Creation dates: nd

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet entitled A Dialogue between a Lady and a Coalowner while at Dinner, printed by Douglas and Kent, Quayside, Newcastle

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/92](#)

Creation dates: 5 May 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Resolution of the Coal Trade Office re the making of returns of hewer's wages, printed by Preston and Heaton, 96 Side, Newcastle

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/93](#)

Creation dates: 18 May 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet advertising the sale of coal from Berwick at Newcastle Quay, printed by R.T. Edgar, 68 Pilgrim Street, Newcastle

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/94](#)

Creation dates: c1831

Scope and Content

Newspaper cutting advertising the sale of colliery at Amble, 16 March 1831

Newspaper cutting reporting the meeting of the pitmen on the Town Moor, 21 March 1831

Song entitled The Grievances of the Pitmen written by a pitman at Gateshead Fell, printed by Douglas and Kent, 50 Quayside, Newcastle, nd. Printed

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/95](#)

Creation dates: 7 May 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet entitled Points of Difference Existing Between the Coal Owners and Their Men...from a Sincere Friend, printed by J. Beckwith, Houghton le Spring

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/96](#)

Creation dates: 9 May 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet offering 100 guineas reward for information re the cutting of a rope on a gin at Team Colliery, printed by Preston and Heaton

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/97](#)

Creation dates: 5 Sept 1829

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Particulars of the letting of Woodland Colliery, Cockfield, belonging to the Marquis of Cleveland, printed by W. Heppel, Staindrop

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/98](#)

Creation dates: 11 June 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet offering 200 guineas reward for information re the cutting of 2ropes on the inclined plane at Benwell Colliery, printed by Preston and Heaton, 96 Side, Newcastle

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/99](#)

Creation dates: 14 June 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet issued by John Buddle offering wages and working conditions at Wallsend Colliery, printed by W., E. and H. Mitchell, Newcastle

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/100](#)

Creation dates: c1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Song entitled The Pitmen's Complaint, by J. Knox, printed by J. Marshall, Newcastle, nd. Printed

Pamphlet entitled A Second Letter Addressed to the Pitmen of the Tyne and Wear on the Subject of Their Dispute with the Coal Owners by Philanthropists, printed by Edward Walker, Pilgrim Street, Newcastle, 1831.

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/101](#)

Creation dates: 14 April - 28 Oct 1830

Scope and Content

Accounts for Felling Colliery

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/102](#)

Creation dates: 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet offering £50 reward for information re the stopping of the engine and other damage at Walldridge Colliery, printed by M. Atkinson, Chester le Street, 26 Dec 1831. Printed

Poster advertising the non-union hewers and putters for Walldridge Colliery, printed by M. Atkinson, Chester le Street, 24 Dec 1831.

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/103](#)

Creation dates: 10 Jan 1832

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet offering 500 guineas reward for information re damage at Waldrige Colliery, issued by Lord Melbourne, Whitehall, printed by W., E. and H. Mitchell, Newcastle

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/104](#)

Creation dates: 21 March 1831

Physical characteristics: Printed.

Scope and Content

Broadsheet entitled An Account of the Public Meeting of the Pitmen on Newcastle Town Moor, printed by W. Douglas, 50 Quayside, Newcastle

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/114](#)

Creation dates: 1801 - 1816

Scope and Content

Account of coal imported into London, with calculations of averages for 5 years

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/115](#)

Creation dates: 18 April 1815

Scope and Content

Account of coal imported into London by inland navigation on the Grand Junction Canal, with account of duty paid, 1805 - 1814, signed by J. Reynolds collector and A. Garey, comptroller, Customs, Grove Park, Watford

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/116](#)

Creation dates: 21 April 1815

Scope and Content

Account of coal imported into London by costal vessels with account of duty paid, 1804 - 1814, signed by Richard Harrass, collector and W. Bishop, comptroller, Custom House, London

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/118](#)

Creation dates: 1814 - 1816

Scope and Content

Account of coal consumed in London with calculations of surplus

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/120](#)

Creation dates: nd c. 1816

Scope and Content

Account of the quantity of coal transported by canal and railway and sold duty-free, with observations re such sales

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/122](#)

Creation dates: nd c. 1816

Scope and Content

Accounts and observations re duties on coal sent to London and other ports by sea

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/126](#)

Creation dates: 1817

Scope and Content

Statement of the quantity of coal exported from Newcastle to foreign ports with account of duty paid and observations re the reduction of duties

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/130](#)

Creation dates: nd c. 1817

Scope and Content

Memorial to the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury from the proprietors of collieries on the River Wear and Sunderland shipowners re the unfair competition offered by coal conveyed by canal and railways on which no duty is payable

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/133](#)

Creation dates: 1815 - 1818

Scope and Content

Report of a committee to investigate the canal and railway coal trade, with details of developments, 1815 - 1818, 29 Jan 1818

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/142](#)

Creation dates: 1811, 1815 - 1819

Scope and Content

List of the vend and bases allocated to the Tyne collieries

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/152](#)

Creation dates: 1793 - 1815

Scope and Content

Account of duties payable under various Acts of Parliament, 1795 - 1814
Table of the quantities of coal exported from Newcastle and Blyth, 1795 - 1815

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/154](#)

Creation dates: Sept 1816

Scope and Content

List of collieries on the Tyne, Wear and Blyth with their proprietors and acting agents

Reference: [NRO 3410/For/1/18/161](#)

Creation dates: 1822

Scope and Content

List of collieries on the Tyne, Wear and Blyth with their proprietors and acting agents

Reference: NRO 3410/For/1/19

Colliery Report and Account Book

Creation dates: 1766 - 1835

Extent and Form: 71 documents

Physical characteristics: Buckram bound volume, 42 x 28cm. containing individual documents, Various sizes, bound together, labelled Loose Papers, Hartley 1784. Walker. 1766 - 1824 on front.

Scope and Content

Volume containing reports, accounts, agreements and letters relating mainly to Winlaton, Risemoor, Hartley and Walker Collieries, 1766 - 1824 and printed account of colliery accidents, 1658 - 1835 Section 1 and 2 include details of provenance. Arrangement Each document is numbered. For/1/19/A1 Creation Date: 1781-2 Extent and Form: 6p Scope and content: Account of the cost of winning Winlaton Colliery owned by Lord Mountstuart, Lord Beauchamp and John Simpson Esq, 1781 - 1782. Presented by Major John English For/1/19/B1-1c Creation dates: 13-27th November 1781 Extent and Form: 4 p Scope and Content Report re Risemoor or Hedley Fell Colliery, including details of the leasing of the colliery since 1763, previous and present workings, results of borings, drainage and ventilation, by Christopher Bedlington, Robert Donkin, George Johnson and William Gibson, 28 April 1781. For/1/19/B1d-f Creation Dates: 1710-1781 Extent and Form: 3 p Report on the history of the workings, 1710 - 1780, by William Brown, nd. [1781]. copy, Presented by the Newcastle upon Tyne Society of Antiquaries, 29 March 1934

For/1/19/C1-1a Creation dates: 1835 Extent and Form: 2 pp Scope and Content List of colliery accidents which have taken place in coal mines in Northumberland and Durham, 1658 - 1829, giving date, name of colliery, cause of accident and number of lives lost, with additional notes re some of the explosions, by John Sykes, Newcastle, 1 Jan 1830, with manuscript additions listing further accidents, 1776 - 1835 by John Sykes, 24 Leazes Crescent, 24 June 1835.

For/1/19/D1-1a Creation dates: 19 April 1780 Extent and Form: 2 pp Scope and Content Fortnightly account for Hartley Colliery and Salt Works compiled by John Ocheltrie and John Brotherick

For/1/19/D2-2a Creation dates: 5 Sep 1770 Extent and Form: 2 pp Scope and Content Bond in £200 by George Raffield of Monk-Wearmouth, master mariner and William Dobson of Seaton Sluice a gent to Sir John Hussey Delaval of Ford Castle for the repayment of a debt of £100.

For/1/19/D3 Creation dates: 28 April - 11 May 1784 Extent and Form 1 pp Scope and Content: Fortnightly account for work at Hartley South Farm by John Ocheltrie and John Brotherick. Includes the following names, and gives specific details about the farm work they were paid for: Joseph Donnison John Donnison Robert Donnison Margaret Donnison John Taylor Isabale [Isabell?] Taylor Elizabeth Taylor Henry Yarrow Ann Chicken Lancelot Purvis Joseph Story Samuel Horn Phillis Dawson Ann Crawford William Charlton Thomas Charlton

For/1/19/D4-4a Creation dates: 11 June 1796 - 24 June 1797 Extent and Form: 2 pp
Scope and Content Profit and loss account for Hartley Colliery and Salt Works

For/1/19/D5 Creation dates: 23 July 1770 Extent and Form: 1pp Account of payments
at Hartley Colliery and Salt Pans.

For/1/19/D6-6a Creation dates: 10 Dec 1799 Extent and Form: 2 pp Scope and
Content Statement of prices for bottles given by the River Tyne manufacturers,
agreed by Isaac Cookson sen, Isaac Cookson jun, Mr. M. Hewitson, Mr Rutherford
and Francis Blackett, with draft letter [from Lord Delaval's agent] re bottle prices, 10 -
13 Dec 1799.

For/1/19/D7 Creation dates: 19 April to 3 May 1780 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope and
Content Sir John Hussey Delaval Bart. Account of coal from Fortune Pit and Main
Coal Seam in Hartley Colliery including Incident charges above and below ground;
Fortune Pitt workers pay with names: Robt. [Robert] Johnson Thos. [Thomas]
Johnson Geo. [George] Proud Cud. [Cuthbert?] Watkin John Whittle Wm. [William]
Todd Ralph Penley Jos. [Joseph?] Johnson Jon. [John?] Wheeler Wm [William]
Armstrong Thos [Thomas] Hall Jos. [Joseph?] Whittle Geo. [George] Bowdon James
Wonders Peter Lashley Ralph Barres [Barnes?] Jos. [Joseph?] Stoker Chris.
[Christopher?] Durey Charls. [Charles?] Robinson Robt. [Robert] Dunn Frances
Sharp Robt. [Robert] Nicholson Or. [Oliver?] Johnson James John [unreadable
name] Geo. [George] Penley James Robinson Jon. [John?] Tweedy Jon. [John?]
Stephenson Jon. [John?] Dryden Robt. [Robert] Paterson Geo. [George] Young Moss.
[Morris? Moses?] Hopper Jon. [John?] Carr Wm. [William] Wright Edw. [Edward?]
Robinson Thos. [Thomas] Henderson Geo. [George] Stewart Robt. [Robert]
Hymers Parsey Potts Wm. [William] Clark Thos. [Thomas] Crawford Geo. [George]
Henderson Jon. [John?] Courley Cud. [Cuthbert?] Barres [Barnes?] Mark
Croudes David Jack Robt. [Robert] Jorsten James Mitchell James Cork Wm. [William]
Dodds Mark Taylor Math. [Matthew? Matthias?] Becamson Wm. [William?]
Lowery Mary Lowery Jos. [Joseph?] Cook Jon. [John?] Dawson Rob. [Robert?]
Jackson James Armstrong Doctor Heny. [Henry?] Barker

For/1/19/D8 Creation dates: 19 April to 3 May 1780 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope and
Content Account of meal delivered to workmen

For1/19/D9 Creation dates: 19 April to 3 May 1780 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope and
Content Account of work in the Fortune Pit for Sir John Hussey Delaval Bart, including
names of miners: Wm. [William] Straughon Chris. [Christopher] Johnson Joseph
Hall John Scorer Joseph Todd George Wright William Gibson Mathew Hall George
Stewart George Bowdon John Dawson William Armstrong William Clark Thomas
Crawford Doctor

For/1/19/D10 Creation dates: 28 April to 12 May 1784 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope
and Content Lane Pit list including names: David Robinson Stephen Short Geo.
[George] Graham Andw. [Andrew] Carr Jno.[John] Robinson Jno. [John] Paton Jno.
[John] Cuthbertson Geo [George] Watson Jas [James?] Sagesmith [?] Geo [George]
Gills Jas? [James, John] Tindle Henry Jonsten [?] Thos. [Thomas] Watson Mathw.
[Mathew] Scott Jos. [Joseph] Hornsley Mathw. [Mathew] Dawes [?] Peter Cunny

[?] Mathw. [Mathew] Cluff Jno. [John] Smith [unreadable name] Robt. [Robert] Dawes Jas [James] Mordeu Thos [Thomas] Dawson Thos [Thomas] Dawson & Judy Jno [John] Stewart Robt [Robert] Wood Geo [George] Shouner [?] Jno [John] Hogg Jun Wm [William] Smith Mary Downy Jos. [Joseph] Simpson Jno [John] Wilkinson

For/1/19/D11 Creation dates: 28 April to 12 May 1784 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope and Content Account of daily work at Hartley Colliery for Lord Delaval including names of workers: Jonathon Hogg George Willson John Willson John Elstob Sen William Grindstone John Horsley Mathew Hall William Dodds John Storey Robert Taylor George Brown Robert Thoburn Jams [James] Stephenson William Lorvery Thomas Horsley John Wardlass Michael Happle William Bolton William Penley Sen William Penley Jun William Nicholson Eliz? [Elizabeth] Harbottle John Taylor John Smith Moses Hopper William Crawford John Dalglish John Bonedon Chris [Christopher] Marton Andrew Spence Robert Spence Joseph Todd George Bruce James Thompson Peter Allen Paul Forster John Crooks Ralph Barker John Taylor Joseph Cook Robert Hewey

For/1/19/D12 Creation dates: 28 April to 12 May 1784 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope and Content Account of coal from Spring Pitt and main coalseam of Hartley Colliery. Meal delivered account on small sheet attached with following names of workers: Frances Sharp Paul Forster Mary Lorvery Samuel Scott Thos [Thomas] Dakers Adam Liton Jos [Joseph] Stoker Cubert [Cuthbert] Foster Ralph Spuner John Tunney Wm [William] Simpson Thos [Thomas] Currey Robert Jaxon George Hernderson On reverse, the Spring Pit Bill with workers names: Thomas Cuthbertson Jonathon Walton Frances Sharp Robert Nicholson George Borudon George Henderson William Henderson Ralph Spuner Samuel Scott Joseph Stoker William Simpson John Tunney Thomas Daykers Adam Lighton Ralph Mills Andrew Spence John Dickison William Dinness William Hope Cuthbert Forster Mary Lorvery Joseph Cook Robert Jackson Paul Forster Doctor

For/1/19/D13 Creation dates: 28 April to 12 May 1784 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope and Content Account for work in Stone Drift in the Goodspeed Pit for the Right Honourable Lord Delaval. On reverse, the Goodspeed Pit Stone Drift Bill including workers names: William Dixon Joseph Hall James English William Ford William Gibson Doctor Attached on separate sheet is the Account for meal delivered to the following workmen: Moses Hopper Joseph Hall James English William Ford William Gibson

For/1/19/D14 Creation dates: 19 April to 3 May 1780 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope and Content Account for meal delivered to the following workmen: John Storey Jacob Watson Sam Stephenson Thomas Blackey John Dalglish Robert Spence Andrew Spence John Crooks

For/1/19/D15 Creation dates: 19 April to 3 May 1780 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope and Content Account from Sir John Hussey Delaval Bart to R Haway for smithwork for Hartley Colliery.

For/1/19/D16 Creation dates: 3 May 1780 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope and Content Corves and rods bought from Joseph Cook by Sir John Hussey Delaval Bart for Fortune Pit. For/1/19/D17 Creation dates: 19 April to 3 May 1780 Extent and Form:

1 pp Scope and Content Account of work at Hartley Colliery for Sir John Hussey Delaval Bart. Including workers names: George Willson John Willson Wm [William] Grindstone Walter Forrest John Ellstob John Storey Jacob Watson Robert Todd Robert Taylor Henry Proud Andrew Crowdass [?] John Dobbs Saml [Samuel] Stephenson Thomas Blakey George Johnson Saml [Samuel] Stephenson Wm [William] Bolton Wm [William] Penley Thomas Lashley Phillis Smith John Taylor Moses Hopper John Smith William Crawford John Dalglish Robert Spence Andrew Spence John Bowden Chris Marton Paul Forster John Crooks Ralph Barker John Taylor Joseph Cook Robert Hewey George Barburn [?] James Willson John Hile William Smith James Watson David Were Robert Carr Robert Thoburn John Dalglish Robert Jackson

For/1/19/D18 Creation dates: 5 June 1793 to 13 June 1795 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope and Content Accounts of outstanding debts against Hartley Colliery and Saltworks including Tradesmen names and their supplies: Messers Landell & Chambers - Hardware Mr Jas [James] Bell - Leather Mr Henry Smith - Candles Mr Edmd [Edmund] Robson - Hardware Messers Harrison & Tyler - Cast Iron Isaac Cookson Esq. - Engine bars etc Mr Jno [John] Marshall - Ropes Mr Jas [James] Budman [?] - Gunpowder Mr Edwd [Edward] Humble - Stationer Mr Hathwaite - Oil etc Mr Jno [John] Wardell - Pit props Mr Jno & Geo [John & George] Emerson - Cast Iron Mr William Bow - Timber etc Mrs Jane Bunton - Lime Messers Lloyd & Burdon - Iron Mr Jno [John] Clark - Ropes Mr Edwd [Edward] Charlton - Nails Mr Malin Sorsbie - Cast Iron Messers Trewick & Pearson - Props etc Mr Jno [John] Meek - Pan plates Mr Wm [William] Watson - Plumber Mr Robt [Robert] Lambert - Props etc Mr Jno [John] Huntley - Props Mr Jno [John] Gray & Co - Iron & Rye Mr Josh [Josiah] Bilton - Props Mr Armorer [?] Donkin - Deals Mr Wm [William] Hawks & Co - Iron Mr Jno [John] Kidd - Sacks Messers Hounson - Beech rails Messers Blaylock & Hindmarsh - Deals Mr Robt [Robert] Hutton - Props etc Mr Jno [John] Alexander - Grease Mr Anthy [Anthony] Hood - Beech rails etc Messers Surtees & Brown - Deals Mr Willm [William] Row & Co - Iron Mr John Richardson - Plaister paris Mrs Jane Marshall - Tinker Mr Robt [Robert] Stephenson - Props Mr Edwd [Edward] Watts - Oakwood Mr Thrift - Tinker Mr Chas [Charles] Smith - Props etc Messers Wm & Hy [William & Henry] Prest - Leather Mr Jno [John] Turner - Hamsticks Mr Thos [Thomas] Parker - Smithwork Mr Henry Robson - Timber & deals

For/1/19/D19 Creation dates: 28 April to 12 May 1784 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope and Content Account of work in the Delight Pit for The Right Honourable Lord Delaval and the Delight Pit Bill with the following workers names: William Straughton William

Mully William Robinson James Cluff Robert Taylor Junior Doctor Bill attached on separate sheet for meal to: Thos [Thomas] Baxter William Mulley William Robinson

For/1/19/D20 Creation dates: 28 April to 12 May 1784 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope and Content Account of work at the Colliery and Crowhall Farm for the use of the Right Honourable Lord Delaval, with the following workers names: Anthony Hall John Elstob Jun. Thomas Taylor John Taylor Elendon Brown Ann Drydon Margaret Watson Isabella Cook Barbry Cook Ann Willson Elin Forster Mary Buddle Jane Hogg Margaret Rutherford List of equipment for colliery, from Sir John Hussey Delaval Bart to Thomas Hunt, attached on separate sheet, dated Jan 22 1773

For/1/19/D21 Creation dates: 19 April to 3 May 1780 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope and Content Fortune Pitt List including the names of the following workers: Robt. [Robert] Johnson Thos [Thomas] Johnson Jon [John, Jonathon?] Weeler Wm [William] Armstrong Thos [Thomas] Hall James Wonders Peter Lashley Ralph Barres [Barnes?] Chris [Christopher] Durey Chas [Charles] Robinson Robt [Robert] Burn Or [Oliver?] Johnson James Robison Jon [John, Jonathon?] Drydon Moss. [Moses?] Hopper Harvey Potts Wm [William] Tweedy Wm [William] Mulby Nich [Nicholas] Lam James Cork Mark Croudes Jon [John, Jonathon?] Courley James Armstrong Rob [Robert] Hills Geo [George] Stewart Mary Lowery Math [Matthew] Hall For/1/19/D22 Creation dates: 19 April to 3 May 1780 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope and Content Meal delivered to workmen in the Waggon Bill: Thos [Thomas] Duncan Wm [William] Grindstone Walter Forrest

For/1/19/D23 Creation dates: 19 April to 3 May 1780 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope and Content Account of work at wagons and ways for Sir Jon Hussey Delaval Bart. Includes the following names with the type of work done: Geo [George] Nicholson Thos [Thomas] Duncan Adam Minta James Henderson Wm [William] Mitchell Phillis Smith G&J Wilson Wm [William] Grindstone Walter Forrest Ra [Ralph?] Atkinson Thos [Thomas] Trotter

For/1/19/D24-24a Creation dates: 19 April to 3 May 1780 Extent and Form: 2 pp Scope and Content Fortnightly account for work on the Seaton Estate, for the use of Sir John Hussey Delaval Bart by John Ocheltrie and John Brotherick, includes following names with details of work supplied: Josh. [Josiah] Turner Stepn. [Stephen] Oxley Robt. [Robert] Hewey Geo [George] Wilson Geo [George] Sate? James Bambro? James Sommerwell

For/1/19/D25 Creation dates: 19 April to 3 May 1780 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope and Content Account of work in Good Luck Pit and Yard Coal Seam in Hartley Colliery for Sir John Hussey Delaval Bart. Includes following workers names on the Good Luck Pit Bill: Henry Ward Alexr [Alexander] Pettecrow Jos [Joseph] Stephenson George Carr Henery Forster John Scurfield James Cluff James Johnson William Allison Christopher Pigg Richard Walker John Barrass Alexander Barrass Andrew Jack John Crowdass John Stewart Thos [Thomas] Soulsby Alexr [Alexander] Stephenson Andrew Steal Andrew Fleck Andrew Scott John Brown Wm [William] Henderson Andrew Crowdass Paul Housten John Headley John Harkness John Smith Sen Saml [Samuel] Scott Mary Lowery Joseph Cook Robert Jackson Doctor Attached on separate sheet the Good Luck Pit list with following names: Paul Forster Henery Forster George Carr Henery Ward Andrew Scott Wm [William] Laws John Brown James Jonston John Wilkeson John Crudes John

Smith Rich. [Richard] Wake John Steurd Alexr [Alexander] Pettecro Alexr [Alexander]
Stevenson Jos [Joseph] Stevenson Thos [Thomas] Solsbey Christopher Pigg Paul
Forster John Hedley John Haky John Bares Jas [James] Cluff

For/1/19/D26 Creation dates: 28 April – 12 May 1784 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope
and Content Account of work in Lane Pit and Yard Coal Seam in Hartley Colliery for
Sir John Hussey Delaval Bart. Includes following workers names on the Lane Pit Bill
[very difficult handwriting]: Sewd? Robinson Jno [John] Cey? Stephen Short [&
son?] Mathw [Mathew] Laing & sons? Thos [Thomas] Hill Geo [George] Graham &
sons? Jos [Joseph] Whittle Wm [William] Wheeler Andw [Andrew] Carr Jno [John]
Robinson Jno [John] Heton & son Jno [John] Cuthbertson Jno [John] Jack Geo
[George] Watson Geo [George] Sedon David Brown Wm [William] Wright Jas [James]
Newsmith Thos [Thomas] Wright & son? Geo [George] Gills Andw [Andrew]
Scotty? Jas [James] Tindle Sammuel [Portus?] & son Wm [William] Todd Henry
[Jenston??] Thos [Thomas] Watson Mathw [Mathew] Scott & son Jos [Joseph]
Hornsley & Grson? Mathw [Mathew] Davis & son Peter Cunny Mathw [Mathew]
Cluff Jno [John] Wright Sen? Steven Heppell Jno [John] Smith & sons Jno [John]
Gladson & sons [unreadable] Spence Robt [Robert] Lewis Jas [James] Mordue Robt
[Robert] Hall Wm [William] Jerray? Thos [Thomas] Dawson Thos [Thomas Dawson &
Judy Jno [John] Young & sons Robt [Robert] Wood Geo [George] Spouner? Mathw
[Mathew] Hall & Allison Jon [Jonathon] Hogg Jun. Wm [William] Smith Jos [Joseph]
Cook Robt [Robert] Jackson Doctor Jos [Joseph] Simpson Croudus & Crowson Jno
[John] Wilkinson

For/1/19/E1 Creation dates: 31 Dec 1809 – 28 Jun 1809 Extent and Form: 1
pp Scope and Content Tentale accounts of Messrs Ord, Peareth and Reay with the
Corporation of Newcastle for coal produced and sold from Walker Colliery

For/1/19/E2-2a Creation dates: 31 Dec 1803 – 27 Jun 1804 Extent and Form: 2
pp Scope and Content Tentale accounts of Messrs Ord, Peareth and Reay with the
Corporation of Newcastle for coal produced and sold from Walker Colliery, High and
Main coal

For/1/19/E3 Creation dates: 23 Sep 1807 -21 Sep 1808 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope
and Content Tentale account of the Walker Owners to the Dean and Chapter of
Durham for coal produced from South Hebburn.

For/1/19/E4-4a Creation dates: 12 Sep 1807 Extent and Form: 2 pp Scope and
Content Copy of an Estimate of the water in the Walker Colliery feeders and the
pumping capacity required.

For/1/19/E5 Creation dates: March 1766 – Nov 1774 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope
and Content Rent account for Battle Hill and Wincombe farms occupied by the Walker
Colliery Owners belonging to Newcastle Corporation, from March 1766 [to Nov 1774]

For/1/19/E5a Creation dates: 31 Dec 1766 – 31 Dec 1774 Extent and Form: 1
pp Scope and Content Account of coal carried by waggon from pits on the Walker
Estate to Walker Colliery Staith from 1766 [to 1774]

For/1/19/E6-6a Creation dates: 5 May 1768 Extent and Form: 2 pp Scope and Content Letter from Dr J. Rotheram to the owner of Walker Colliery, containing a proposal to build a new winding engine.

For/1/19/E7 Creation dates: 28 March 1777 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope and Content Table showing charges for stone quarrying and masonry work [for Walker Colliery?].

For/1/19/E8-8a Creation dates: 14 April 1780 – 9 Jan 1782 Extent and Form: 2 pp Scope and Content: Description of the sinking of Gosforth Pit [Walker] by Ralph Elliot.

For/1/19/E9-9a Creation dates: nd [c. 1786.]. Extent and Form: 2 pp Scope and Content: Statement of the case in a dispute between Messrs Goldburn, Dodd and Brown and Messrs Redheads and Robson re payments of rent for coal mines in the Birdhope Craig Estate, lease dated 1 May 1783.

For/1/19/E10 Creation dates: 19 Oct 1781 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope and Content: Report by John Smith re current workings in Walker Colliery.

For/1/19/E11 Creation dates: 30 March 1790 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope and Content: Copy of Agreement between Messrs Ord, Peareth and Reay and Ralph Elliot, sinker for the sinking of Jane Pit, Walker Colliery.

For/1/19/E12-12b Creation dates: nd [c. 1796] Extent and Form: 3 pp Scope and Content: Abstract of a lease of Walker Colliery for 41 years from Mid-summer, 1796.

For/1/19/E13-13a Creation dates: 13 June 1798 Extent and Form: 2 pp Scope and Content: Account for installing tubbing at King Pit, Walker Colliery including following names: Edward Elliot William Scott M Barnes Jno [John] Scott Robert Nixon Thomas Brown Hewitson & Scott Andw [Andrew] Patterson James Richards Geo [George] Scott & Jno [John] Hewitson Edward Elliot Geo [George] Carr Geo [George] Wilkinson Mark Wakefield

For/1/19/E14-14a Creation dates: 31 Jan 1804 Extent and Form: 2 pp Scope and Content Notice to Sir Mathew White Ridley that he is to quit Byker Colliery by Messrs Ord, Peareth and Reay, copy delivered by John Blenkinsop to Roger Fenwick, agent to Sir Matthew White Ridley.

For/1/19/E15 Creation dates: nd [c Jan 1817] Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope and Content Queries [from John Carr] re the re-opening of Walker Colliery including working expenses, drainage, damage done by water and the creep and the effectiveness of the barrier.

For/1/19/E15a Creation dates: 15 Jan 1817 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope and Content: Recommendations to John Carr by Thomas King and James Jobling in response to letter For/1/19/E15.

For/1/19/E15b-15c Creation dates: 18 Jan 1817 Extent and Form: 2 pp Scope and Content: Further recommendations to John Carr by Thomas King and James Jobling

in response to letter For/1/19/E15.

For/1/19/E16-16b Creation dates: 26 March 1817 Extent and Form: 3 pp Scope and Content Proposals by John Carr Esq and Co. to Messrs Orde, Stanhope and Shadforth for a lease of East Benton and to Messrs Bigge, Brown and Clarke for Little Benton coalmines.

For/1/19/E17 Creation dates: 19 April 1817 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope and Content Copy letter of query by John Watson and James Jobling re the best place for siting the pumping engine at Walker.

For/1/19/E17a Creation dates: 19 April 1817 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope and Content Recommendations by Thomas King in response to letter For/1/19/E17a.

For/1/19/E18 Creation dates: 19 April 1817 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope and Content Original letter from John Watson and James Jobling. See For/1/19/E17. For/1/19/E19 Creation dates: 3 Sept 1817 Extent and Form: 1 pp Scope and Content Agreement by James Gordon for smith work at South Gosforth, Colliery.

For/1/19/E20-20a Creation dates: 4 Dec 1818 Extent and Form: 2pp Scope and Content Letter to Messrs Buddle and Watson from Thomas King requesting their opinion of the re-opening of Walker colliery.

For/1/19/E20b-20e Creation dates: 15 Dec 1818 Extent and Form: 4pp Scope and Content Report by John Buddle and John Watson, at the request of Thomas King, on the measures to be undertaken for the re- opening of Walker Colliery, particularly re drainage and installation of pumping engines.

For/1/19/E21-21d Creation dates: 4 Dec 1818 Extent and Form: 5pp Scope and Content Details of proceedings at Walker Colliery, by Thomas King, to accompany the request in For/1/19/E20-20a

For/1/19/E22-22a Creation dates: 31 Dec 1818 Extent and Form: 2pp Scope and Content Letter from Thomas King to J. Grace Esq re drainage measures at Walker and the dismantling of the Engine pump, refers to differences with Messrs Buddle and Watson re measures to be taken.

For/1/19/E23 Creation dates: 21 Sept 1824 Extent and Form: 1pp Scope and Content Account of coal carried over the lands of the Dean and Chapter from Walker Colliery, 28th September 1823 – 21st September 1824.

For/1/19/E24-24a Creation dates: 10 Nov 1823 Extent and Form: 2 pp Scope and Content Calculations and estimates re amounts of coal available in Walker Colliery after drainage, by Messrs Fenwick, Johnson and Wood

For/1/19/E25 Creation dates: 11 Nov 1823 Extent and Form: 1pp Scope and Content Page one of a two page letter by T. Fenwick, G Johnson and N Wood giving their recommendations in response to the queries found in document For/1/19/E25a

For/1/19/E25a Creation date: 16 Oct 1823 Extent and Form: 1pp Scope and Content Letter referred to in documents For/1/19/E25 and For/1/19/E25b. Queries from Edward Henderson and Robert Johnson for the lessees of Walker re the amount of Coal available in Walker Colliery and re the possibilities of working Bigges Main, South Hebburn, Old Byker, Walker Hill, St Anthony's or Lawson Main Collieries.

For/1/19/E25b Creation date: 11 Nov 1823 Extent and Form: 1pp Scope and Content Page two of a two page letter by T. Fenwick, G Johnson and N Wood giving their recommendations in response to the queries found in document

For/1/19/E25a. For/1/19/E26-26a Creation dates: Nov 1823 Extent and Form: 2pp Scope and Content Account of strata sunk through at Bog Hall or Kirkheaton Colliery with memoranda re current workings.

For/1/19/E27 Creation dates: 31 Dec 1823 Extent and Form: 1pp Scope and Content Valuation of stock at Walker Colliery.

For/1/19/E28 Creation dates: 23 Jan 1824 Extent and Form: 2pp Scope and Content Account of the number of employers at Walker, their jobs and wages.

For/1/19/E29-29d Creation dates: 10 Feb 1824 Extent and Form: 5pp Scope and Content Letter to the owners of Walker Colliery by Matthias Dunn on taking over the management of the colliery. Report re current workings in Henry, Gosforth and Fair Pits, Walker Colliery with recommendations for improvements including the sinking of Gosforth Pit to the Metal Coal Seam and the erection of a pumping engine there, with sketch section of Gosforth Pit shaft and estimate of capital expenditure required, the sinking of a new pit alongside the Engine Pit, with estimate of costs and the construction of a waggonway.

For/1/19/30 Creation dates: 10 Feb 1824 Extent and Form: 1pp Scope and Content Estimate and memoranda re the cost of opening Charlotte Pit, Walker Colliery, by Matthias Dunn.

For/1/19/E31-31a Creation dates: 10 Feb 1824 Extent and Form: 2pp Scope and Content Estimate of the cost of winning the coal under the dyke at Gosforth Pit, Walker.

For/1/19/E32-32a Creation dates: 16 Feb 1824 Extent and Form: 2pp Scope and Content Proposal by Jos. Smith to build a high pressure pumping engine for Walker Colliery.

For/1/19/E33 Creation dates: 16 Feb 1824 Extent and Form: 1pp Scope and Content Copy of letter by Jos. Smith to Mr Matthias Dunn in above document For/1/19/E32-32a.

For/1/19/E34-34c Creation dates: 20 Feb 1824 Extent and Form: 4pp Scope and Content Examination of the merits of a plan for forming a drift from Fair Pit to Engine Pit, the sinking down of the Engine Pit and the opening out of the Charlotte Pit.

For/1/19/E35-35c Creation dates: 20 Feb 1824 Extent and Form: 4pp Scope and Content Copy of document For/1/19/E34-34c

For/1/19/E36-36a Creation dates: 23 March 1824 Extent and Form: 2pp Scope and Content Proposal by Ralph Coulthard to install pumps at Walker Colliery.

For/1/19/E37 Creation dates: 7 April 1824 Extent and Form: 1pp Scope and Content Sketch plan of the state of Metal Coal driftings at Gosforth Pit, Walker Colliery.

For/1/19/E38 Creation dates: 12 April 1824 Extent and Form: 1pp Scope and Content: Proposals by Thomas Pratt to supply ropes to Walker Colliery.

For/1/19/E39-39a Creation dates: 15 April 1824 Extent and Form: 2pp Scope and Content To Mr Buddle from Matthias Dunn. Draft queries re the advisability of sinking a new pit close to the Engine Pit, the best methods of working Charlotte, Delight and Engine pits, Walker Colliery and the prospects for winning Bigges Main.

For/1/19/E40 Creation dates: 26 April 1824 Extent and Form: 1pp Scope and Content: Thomas Pratt's proposal to supply ropes to Walker Fair Pitt from May 1824 to May 1825.

For 1/19/E41-41a Creation dates: 3 May 1824 Extent and Form: 2pp Scope and Content: Thomas Buddle's report and recommendations re document For/1/19/E39-39a.

For/1/19/E42-42b Creation dates: 16 Jun 1824 Extent and Form: 3pp Scope and Content: Valuation of materials in the Gosforth Pit winding engine.

For/1/19/E43-43a Creation dates: 18 May 1824 Extent and Form: 2pp Scope and Content: Walker Colliery tentale accounts 7 May 1823 to 18 May 1824.

For/1/19/E44 Creation dates: 11 Jun 1824 Extent and Form: 1pp Scope and Content: Memo by Matthias Dunn; agreement by John and Robert Moor to sink the new pit at Walker Colliery.

For/1/19/E45 Creation dates: [1824?] Extent and Form: 1pp Scope and Content: Estimate for brass and iron work at Walker colliery.

For/1/19/E46 Creation dates: 18 Jun 1824 Extent and Form: 1pp Scope and Content Notes on costings for a winding machine similar to Gosforth Pitt, by Ralph Coulthard at Heaton. For/1/19/E47-47i Creation dates: 5 Aug 1824 Extent and Form: 10 pp Scope and Content: General report re current workings at Walker including accounts for the previous 6 months and progress with the sinking of the new pit and drainage of the colliery with estimate of the amount of available coal and working costs and valuation of stock, by Matthias Dunn.

For/1/19/E48 Creation dates: 8 Sep 1824 Extent and Form: 1pp Scope and Content: Memoranda re future prospects for Walker Colliery including estimate of available coal, capital investment required and working costs, by Matthias Dunn.

For/1/19/E48a Creation dates: 16 Sep 1824 Extent and Form: 1pp Scope and Content: Prospect of outlay over 4 years at Walker Colliery, by Matthias Dunn.

For/1/19/E48b-48d Creation dates: 20 Sep 1824 Extent and Form: 3pp Scope and Content: Probable duration of Walker colliery, by Matthias Dunn.

For/1/19/E49 Creation dates: 30 Sep 1824 Extent and Form: 2pp Scope and Content: Letter from Matthias Dunn to John Buddle requesting his opinion re lowering the pumps in the Engine Pit down to the Main Coal Seam to help the drainage of Fair Pit, with reply by John Buddle.

For/1/19/E50 Creation dates: 9 Sep 1824 Extent and Form: 1pp Scope and Content: Warrant for Northumberland, Newcastle upon Tyne and Durham counties to arrest George Thompson, putter at Walker Colliery for breaking his miners bond agreement. For/1/19/E51-51a Creation dates: 12 Oct 1824 Extent and Form: 2pp Scope and Content: Queries by Matthias Dunn arising from a dispute re the viability of carrying on Walker Colliery including the amount of available coal, profitability of the workings and effectiveness of the drainage.

For/1/19/E51b-51f Creation dates: 23 Oct 1824 Extent and Form: 5pp Scope and Content: Opinion, estimates and recommendations by George Hill to Matthias Dunn re document For/1/19/E51-51a.

For/1/19/E52 Creation dates: [1824?] Extent and Form: 1pp Scope and Content: Plan of the Charlotte Pit workings, Walker Colliery, no scale.

For/1/19/E53 Creation dates: [1824?] Extent and Form: 1pp Scope and Content: Calculations re the amount of available coal at Walker colliery.

For/1/19/E54 Creation dates: 6 Nov 1824 Extent and Form: 1pp Scope and Content: Queries to George Hill by Matthias Dunn re the feasibility of lowering the pumps in the Engine Pit to drain Fair and Ann Pits and whether it is worth continuing to work the colliery.

For/1/19/54a Creation dates: 13 Nov 1824 For/1/19/E54 Extent and Form: 1pp Scope and Content: Reply to Matthias Dunn by George Hill. His opinion and recommendations re document For/1/19/E54.

Volume containing reports, accounts, agreements and letters relating mainly to Winlaton, Risemoor, Hartley and Walker Collieries, 1766 - 1824 and printed account of colliery accidents, 1658 - 1835

Section 1 and 2 include details of provenance.

Arrangement

Each document is numbered.

Creation dates: 23 March 1934

Extent and Form: 6 pp

Scope and Content

Account of the cost of winning Winlaton Colliery owned by Lord Mountstuart, Lord Beauchamp and John Simpson Esq, 1781 - 1782. Presented by Major John English

Creation dates: 19th c

Extent and Form: 7 pp

Scope and Content

Report re Risemoor or Hedley Fell Colliery, including details of the leasing of the colliery since 1763, previous and present workings, results of borings, drainage and ventilation, by Christopher Bedlington, Robert Donkin, George Johnson and William Gibson, 28 April 1781, and report on the history of the workings, 1710 - 1780, by William Brown, nd. [1781]. copy, Presented by the Newcastle upon Tyne Society of Antiquaries, 29 March 1934

Creation dates: 1835

Extent and Form: 2 pp

Physical characteristics: Printed with manuscript additions.

Scope and Content

List of colliery accidents which have taken place in coal mines in Northumberland and Durham, 1658 - 1829, giving date, name of colliery, cause of accident and number of lives lost, with additional notes re some of the explosions, by John Sykes, Newcastle, 1 Jan 1830, with manuscript additions listing further accidents, 1776 - 1835 by John Sykes, 24 Leazes Crescent, 24 June 1835.

Creation dates: 19 April - 3 May 1780

Extent and Form: 2 pp

Scope and Content

Fortnightly account for Hartley Colliery and Salt Works compiled by John Ocheltrie and John Brotherick

Bond in £200 by George Raffield of Monk-Wearmouth, master mariner and William Dobson of Seaton Sluice a gent to Sir John Hussey Delaval of Ford Castle for the repayment of a debt of £100, 5 Sept 1770. 1pp.

Fortnightly account for work at Hartley South Estate by John Ocheltrie and John Brotherick, 28 April - 11 May 1784. 1 pp.

Creation dates: 11 June 1796 - 24 June 1797

Extent and Form: 2 pp

Scope and Content

Profit and loss account for Hartley Colliery and Salt Works

Account of payments at Hartley Colliery and Salt Pans, 23 July 1770. 1pp.

Statement of prices for bottles given by the River Tyne manufacturers, agreed by Isaac Cookson sen, Isaac Cookson jun, Mr. M. Hewitson, Mr Rutherford and Francis Blackett, with draft letter [from Lord Delaval's agent] re bottle prices, 10 - 13 Dec 1799. 2pp.

Accounts for Hartley Colliery, including accounts of coal produced, daily pay bills giving names of miners and days worked and waggon-way work, includes Fortune, Lane, Spring, Godspeed Delight and Goodluck Pits, 1780 - 1784. 22pp.

Fortnightly account for work on the Seaton Estate, by John Ocheltrie and John Brotherick, 19 April - 3 May 1780. 1pp.

Creation dates: 1803 - 1804, 1808 - 1809

Extent and Form: 2 pp

Scope and Content

Tentale accounts of Messrs Ord, Peareth and Reay with the Corporation of Newcastle for coal produced and sold from Walker Colliery

Tentale account of the Walker Owners to the Dean and Chapter of Durham for coal produced from South Hebburn, 1807 - 1808. 1pp.

Estimate of the water in the Walker Colliery feeders and the pumping capacity required, 12 Sept 1807. 2pp.

Rent account for Battle Hill and Wincombe farms occupied by the Walker Colliery Owners belonging to Newcastle Corporation, 1767 - 1774. 1pp.

Account of coal carried by waggon from pits on the Walker Estate to Walker Colliery Staith, 1766 - 1774. 1pp.

Letter from Dr J. Rotheram containing a proposal to build a new winding engine at Walker, 5 May 1768. 2pp.

Table showing charges for stone quarrying and masonry work, 28 March 1777. 1pp.

Description of the sinking of Gosforth Pit [Walker], by Ralph Elliot, 14 April 1780 - 13 Jan 1782. 2pp.

Statement of the case in a dispute between Messrs Goldburn, Dodd and Brown and Messrs Redheads and Robson re payments of rent for coal mines in the Birdhope Craig Estate, lease dated 1 May 1783, nd. [c. 1786.] 2pp.

Creation dates: 19 Oct 1781

Extent and Form: 1 pp

Scope and Content

Report re current workings in Walker Colliery, by John Smith

Agreement between Messrs Ord, Peareth and Reay and Ralph Elliot, sinker for the sinking of Jane Pit, Walker Colliery, 30 March 1790. 1pp.

Creation dates: nd [c. 1796]

Extent and Form: 3 pp

Scope and Content

Abstract of a lease of Walker Colliery for 41 years from Mid-summer, 1796.

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