



The Manchester Region Industrial Archaeology Society

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Box 1/1 MRIAS minutes 1964-1979

Box 1/2 correspondence 1964 to 1987 financial records 1983 onwards.

Box 1/2/1 correspondence and minutes 1988 to 1998.

Box 1/2/1 (2) correspondence and minutes 1999 to 2003.

Box 2/1 NWIA panel minutes from 1992 onwards.

Box 2/1/1 North West regional conferences and programs to 1994.

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Box 2/4 JH Norris conference papers and field visits (list in box).

Box 2/4/1 JH Norris. Collection of watermill booklets.

Box 2/4/2 C.Walker's historical letters.

Box 3/1 Archaeological digs and rescue operations. Fairbottom Bobs, Flint compressor etc

Box 3/2 Brian Lamb's collections canal papers etc. postbox survey

Box 3/3-4 MRIAS and other lists and guides.

Box 3/5 and 3/5/1 Dale Street and all the warehouse reports and surveys/canals.

Box 3/6 and 3/6/2 correspondence conservation issues 1983 onwards.

Box 3/7 JH Norris water power research correspondence. List in box.

Box 3/8 JH Norris watermills, glass works etc. drawing and illustrations.

Box 3/11/1 photos of West Cumbria sites visited by MRIAS.

Box 3/12 David Vale's report on Mersey Irwell Navigation: Irwell Bridges (G. H.) Part 1 Recapturing the past of Salford Quays,

Box 4/1 Brian Lamb's Peak Forest record cards.

Box 4/1/1-2 CBA record cards Manchester and Region in box.

Box 4/2/1 Manchester Central area survey photographs in (150) and a list of sites. Album.

Box 4/2/3 Irwell and Bridgewater Canal Castlefield photos.

Box 4/3/1 (2) aircraft factories - Avro, Fairey. Photos.

Box 4/3/2 engineering and timber works. Photos.

Box 4/3/3 ironworks, Peel Williams, Fairbairns. Photos.

Box 4/3/4/1 Motor works and garages, Crossley etc. Photos

Box 4/3/5 textile mills and rubber works. Photos.

Box 4/3/6 tram and bus garages. Photos.

Box 4/3/7/1 canals, docks and railways. Photos.

Box 4/3/8 Watermills and Breweries. Photos.

Box 4 3/9 presentation report Dale Street to MOSI.

Box 4/3/10 Great Northern Warehouse (includes transparencies).

Box 4/4/2 Newcomen Engine digs 1975 to 2000.

Box 4/5 R.L Hill's stationary steam engine records and photos.

Box 5. Newsletters and Occasional papers.

Box 6/1 Manchester and Salford.

Box 6/1/1 Lancashire, Cheshire and the Isle of Man.

6/1/1/2 UMAU and GMAU reports etc

Block 6/2-3 schedules and gazetteers of industrial monuments.

Box 6/4 conservation area area reports. Includes GN Warehouse. Box of John Cox transparencies.

Box 3/1 Archaeological Digs and Rescue Operations.

Fairbottom Bobs Engine, Ashton under Lyne.

Realfitz Pit Dig. Cumbria 1975-6

Steam Compressor, Flint.

For photographs see box 4/4.

Box 3/2 The Brian Lamb Collection.

Brian was a teacher at the Manchester Urban Studies Centre and a member of the Inland Waterways Association. His reports include: Letterbox Surveys and the Peak Forest Canal and Tramway, Bugsworth.

Box 3/5 and 3/5/1 Canals and Warehouses.

Merchants warehouse, Castlefield (1985)

Hollingworth Lake.

Water Power, Castlefield (1987-8)

The Great Northern Warehouse

The Peak Forest Canal (1976)

Manchester Transport Warehouses (2016)

Port of Manchester Warehousing (1921)

Salford Quays- Ships and Warehouses (2015)

Victoria Warehouse, Trafford Park.

Liverpool Warehouse Company, Trafford Park.

Dale Street Waterwheel Surveys (1996)

Dale Street Warehouse Survey (1995)

Southern and Derwent Timber Wharf (1996)

The Hives, Trafford Park (2007)

Manchester Dry Dock Company (2003)

Aspects of the Manchester and Salford Junction Canal.

Journeys on the Underground Canals 1765 to 1968.

The Mersey - Irwell Navigation 2012.

The 1830 Warehouse at Liverpool Road.

Castlefield to Old Trafford walk 2015.

Rochdale Canal Heywood Branch 2020 and Bridgewater Monuments 2020.

Canal photographs will be found in box 4/3/7/1 and 4/2/3 also at the Museum of Science and Industry Friends Archive boxes 2007/41/3/1 and 2.

Box 3/5/1(2) Cotton Mills

A Novelist's View of the Cotton Industry (2017).

Why So Many Mill fires? (2017).

29 to 43 Liverpool Road (2006).

Swan Lane Mills, Bolton.

Chorlton Mills.

Arkwright Mill, Miller Street (2015).

Steam Engine at Simpsons Mill.

Rope Driving.

Cable Street Fustian Works Salford (2005).

Cotton Mills in Nelson.

Felt Hatting in Stockport (1986).

I trod a Wheelgate (mule spinning) (1986).

Thomas Hoyle's Mayfield Print Works (2013).

Buck's Atlas Works Carlisle (1995).

Gazeteer of Carlisle Textile Mills (2009).

McConnell and Kennedy's Sedgwick Mill (2005).

Chatham Mill (2005).

Cars Mill, Wilmslow (2004).

Palmer Mills, Stockport (2001).

Marsland's Mill, Water Street Stockport (2004)

Bannerman's Shirt Factory Hale (2005) to be deposited.

Murray's Mill, Ancoats (2004)

Roller Printing of Textiles (2017)

Torr Mill New Mills (2019).

Quarry Bank Mill, Styal.

Industrial Heritage of Bolton (textiles)

Chadderton Mill 2017.

Bolton Textile Heritage. 2019.

MRIAS photos of cotton mills in box 4/3/5.

Box 6/1 Other Reports and Surveys Manchester and Salford.

The Irwell Bridge (2017)

The Palatine buildings and their Vicinity (2018)

Barton -on-Irwell (2016)

CWS factories (c 2015)

Manchester's Main Line Railway Stations (2015)

Budenberg Guage Company (2002)

Trafford Park Telephone Exchange (2006)

Carborundum Works, Trafford Park (2006)

Workers' Housing, Manchester (2006)

Eva Brothers, Crabtree Forge (2003)

33 Thomas Street (2005)

Ashbury Carriage and Iron Company (2013)

Mayfield Railway Station (2012)

5 Devonshire Street Salford (2007)

The Manchester Motor Industry (1981)

Plant's Hat Block Works (1977)

Manchester Underground (1974)

U Shaped Manchester Sewers (1985)

All Saints Area (Draft) Trail.

Fletcher Burrows Coalmines (2002)

Ross Mill Farm and House (2008)

Bateman and Sherratt, Salford (2004)

Great Northern Railway Arches (2003)

Newall Green Farmhouse (2006)

Manchester Corporation Sewage Disposal (2018).

Fairbrother Street Salford (2019)

BoatsGate Walkden (1962)

CWS Motor Works (2020)

The Trustees Railways and after (1994)

The Development of Aerodromes around Manchester (2019)

Alcock and Brown TransAtlantic Flight (2019)

Manchester Gas Works (2020)

Salford's Archaeological Past (draft 2018)

Bellhouse Walking Tour (2018)

Photos in boxes 4/3/7/1 and 4/3/2 and 4/3/4/1 and 4/ 2/1 etc

CWS Motor Works. 2020

The Trustees Railways. 1994

Bridgewater Collieries 1760 to 1900.

John Lynch's Engine. 2021

Aspects of the History of the Manchester and Birmingham Railway. 2020. Draft version.

Development of Aerodromes Around Manchester. 2019.

Alcock and Brown flight 2019

Bellhouse Legacy Walking Tour. 2018

Simon Engineering 1946-7

Box 6/1/1 Lancashire, Cheshire and Isle of Man

Nether Alderley Mill (2004)

Holmes Chapel Railway Station (2017)

The Bellhouse Walking Tour (2017)

The Siege of Manchester (2017)

Cheshire's Industrial Archaeology 1-3 parts.

New Brighton Tower (2017)

Warrington Transporter Bridge (2016)

Manchester to Liverpool Express Railway

Coal Mines of New Mills (1987)

The Linotype Estate, Altrincham (2016)

Wet Earth Colliery (2007)

Obelisk and Culvert Dunham (2006)

The Colden Valley (1997)

The Upper Medlock Valley (2008)

Liverpool's South Docks

Glasson Dock (1995)

Horwich Loco Works.

Irlam Local Industries (1979)

Irlam Steelworks.

The Huddersfield Narrow Canal (1975)

Sandstone Pillar, Dunham (2006)

Birkenhead's Docks and Railways (1997)

Birkenhead Docks.

Dolphin Home Gasworks 1811-1867 (1984)

Bollington Under Bridge (2006)

Sawney Bridge Dunham (2008)

Salt Extraction Bollin Valley (2006)

Woodhouses Road (2005)

Wich Houses at Nantwich (1983)

Lo Wood gunpowder Company (1998)

Black Powder Manufacture, Furness (1995)

Archaeology at Bersham (1976)

Laxey Mining Company Isle of Man (1970)

Water and Power at Dunham Mill (2005)

Burgage Plots, Altrincham (2004)

Hale Moss and Elitex (2004)

Dobson and Barlow (2001)

Ollerset Water Works.

Port of Lancaster (1982)

Vanished Dwellings Preston circa 1980

Trafford Park Industrial Trail (1989)

Industrial Archaeology of Preston (1974)

History of Keswick (1989)

John Wilkinson Ironmaster (1987)

Port of Lancaster. 1982

Vanished Dwellings Preston. 1980

Trafford Park, Salford Quays 2022.

History of Keswick. 1989

John Wilkinson. 1987

Photo boxes 3/11/1 and 4/3/3.

Box 6/1/1(2) UMAU, GMAU and other units

Cotton Mills of Ancoats.

The Lymm Slitting Mill.

The Warton Windmill

Burrs Mill, Bury (1987-8)

Houghton Green Denton (1987-8)

Gillnow Mill Bolton.

Torr Vale Mill New Mills

Parkside Colliery, St. Helens (1995)

Standedge Tunnel

Park Mill Brereton (2002) and Waterwheel.

The Hosiery Works, Preston (2001)

Wet Earth Colliery.

The Fox Hill Coal Staithes (2000)

Bright Shop Park Bridge (2001)

Station yard Warehouse, Delph (2002)

Greenbridge Works, Rawtenstall (2000)

Beatings Mill Norderm (2001)

Elk Mill, Royton (1998)

Cleveland Iron and Steel

Worsley Delph (draft 2018)

Cleveland Iron and Steel

Worsley Delph. 2018

Shrewsbury Maltings.

Boxes 6/2 and 6/3 industrial Monuments and Listed Buildings.

Lime Kilns North Lancs/South Cumbria.

Industrial Archaeology of the Isle of Man.

Industrial Archaeology of Greater Manchester (2000)

Industrial Archaeology of Stockport (1965?)

Industrial Cleveland.

Salford Council Local List (2012)

City of Salford Listed Buildings (2009)

Merseyside's Industrial Past (2007)

Congleton (1981)

Cheshire- Monuments and Listed Buildings (1975)

The Industrial Archaeology of Manchester and South Lancashire (1977)

Industrial Lancaster.

Lancashire Industrial Monuments (1975)

Stockport archaeology (1974)

Industrial Archaeology of Oswaldtwistle (1980)

Preston Cotton Industry

Industrial Archaeology of Lancashire (draft) 2007

Buildings and structures within three miles Peterloo (2018)

A Peterloo Trail (2019)

Central Oldham architecture.

Box 6/4 Conservation Area Reports

Starting the Northwest Museum of Science and Industry. R LH (2014)

English Heritage Research Strategy (2010)

East Peak Industrial Archaeology Heritage Support.

Macclesfield Canal Conservation Area (1975)

Strategy for Stockport Mills.

Medlock Valley Plan (1981)

N.W. Historic Environment.

Conservation in Greater Manchester.

Heritage Conservation in Lancashire (1999)

Worsley Village Conservation Area. (1972)

Wigan Strategy (2003-7)

Styal Conservation Area (1975)

Restoration of Rochdale Canal.

Castlefield.

Ancoats (1991)

Liverpool (2004) Plan.

Park Bridge.

The Lead Legacy Peak District (2004)

Manchester Street Furniture.

The Great Northern Warehouse 1996 onwards.

Beneath the Ironbridge (2018)



Reading Room. Chetham's Library.
