

FIELD NAMES

Information gathered from Giggleswick Wills project: 1603-1702

1603 - John Cockman – Rathmell = one close called Stubbinge Close
– Alan Wharffe - Rathmell = messuage at Quickwood in Rathmell

1604 – Wm. Browne - Settle = High Browne close situate... in Settle

1604 – Anth. Foster - Rathmell = 'called lynom (2 acres) upon one rible banke'

also= ' the Threaples lying upon Rible bank (1 acre)

also= ' adjoining..... ground called (Eynoine?)'

also= 'ground called G.....redding'

1606 – Thos. Brayshaw – Gigg. = 'walkmill.....& one little close of ground lying at Lawkland'

also = one acre dale of ground lying in Thackwaite, one pcell of ground called Farrell Banckes & one other pcell of ground called Reddbuttes one other pcell of ground lying nigh to the Red Buttes & one other pcell of gr. called Gildens Sleights.... within territories of Gigg'.

1608 – Xpher Armitstead – Settle (v31 f691)= 'Lands which I purchased of John Tatham....Kettlewell Landes in Settle & Gigg'

also = Ground lying on Rundlay, one close called Aneham one rood called Stacksteade & comon'

also = ½ acre lying on Rundlay & aneham Stacksteade'

also = ground lying under Cammock (7 roods) ... which was pcell of Richard Cookesons Tenemt.'

also = ½ acre & ½ rood in Radbrake one close called Ellersyke lying at Threlainefoote one close lying on short Farricar adj. to houses & garths of Rich. Foster

1608 – Wm. Brennand – Settle = my close at Anley & commons belonging

1608 – Wm. Hall – Gigg. = one acre of ground lying in North Field near unto Settle Bridge & common of pasture

1610 – William Bradley – Rathmell = 'messuage and tenement at Cockley Banck and the Gayle'

1611 – Thomas Watkinson – Settle = 'one rood under Camocke and one half rood in Grndlelandes'

1612 – Richard Armestead – Kn. Stainforth = ground on Studfold Moor

1612 - John Howson – Settle = ground attermiredall commons

also = one acre of gr. lying on Nadbreakes in Settle.....one croft called Ivesons
grass garth

also = one ½ rood lying on reedlands

also = sd. Anley closes

1613 – Robt. Banks – Rathmell = houses & gr. in Rathmell called Quickwood
Tenement

1616 – Ralph Hodgson – Settle = gr. ...called Sandholmes

1617 – Lawrence Lawson – Gigg. = gr. lying at Stripes (9 roods) & one pcell called
Crommocroftes (3 roods) being within **townfields of Gigg.**

1618 – Richard Brown – Gigg. = my close called Eshtons close & the house therein.....
gr. called Leyriggs? (3 roods)

1618 – Hugh Stackhouse – Gigg. = my three closes or end of gr. called the Riddings
within townfields of Gigg.

also = my closes or end of gr.....Thackwaite closes & Ings closes & alan Myre
Close

1619 – James Armetstead – Rathmell = gr. Tenement called Quickwood

1620 – Thos. Cockett – Stainforth = my house at Calgarth, the croft & one pcell of gr.
called ley banks & common of pasture in the moorhead

also = one close of gr. called Acree Close

1621 – Thos. Paley Snr. - Gigg. = one half of the Quarter Lands close

1623 – Thos. Banks – Gigg. = my lease of Hunthwaite to Anne Banks

1625 – James Craven – Stainforth = p cell of gr. called Moore Close also Fowle Sike

1625 – Thos. Hall – Settle = one pcell of arable & meadow gr. In Fericar (1 rood)

also = one lose of common at the Parkes head (3 acres)

also- one house & gdn. In Settle ...lying next Wm. Bankes & also one lathe or
barn, one close in the Ings called Howbecke close ½ acre at Green Gate.... & also one ½
acre & ½ rood on Thornebarr.... upon & thro the commons & moores of Settle.

Also = one pcell of gr. Lying on Elstone Bank (14 falls or perches)

1626 – Thos. Brayshaw – Gigg. = to the eldest boy the Lower Parke & to the
younger....& his third part in the higher parke

1626 – Lawrence Coulton – Stainforth = one garth & one close called foregroome

1626 – Francis Foster – Rathmell = two p cells of land viz the towne Banke and Owkrs

1626 – John Foster – Feeldgate = gr. At Mossie stones & the green
also = gr. within fields of Gigg. & all my other closes & gr. both Sandhawe
closes Backlaw close two Landriggs Roughurst & my common on the Skarr
also = all my close or incl.....caled broken Hurst
also – gr. under Kidsticke gate

1626 – Richard Foster – Settle = pykedhill close with a house thereon standing & a
close called intake & the gr. & pasture gates in the brown banke

1626 – Jennett Harrison – Langcliffe = gr. called Tentall.....one close in the Lyes called
Browe

1626 – Xpher Shute – Gigg. = Middle Hunthwaite..Caplerigg close & Eshton close

1628 – Robt. Chapman – Mearebeck = arable gr. lying on Gowdy lames (½ acre) & 3
roodes lying upon Cammock Banke & one little pcell under Cammock bank & one
attermiredale (1 acre)

1628 – Richard Clarke – Rathmell = pcell of gr. called Grasmandale in Rathmell
also = my lands in Eplands in Rathmell
also = my meadow land in linam? at dikefoot & all other my meadow gr. above
dike in Rathmell

1629 – Mathew Procter – Rathmell = his barn thereupon builded on Buertrie headland

1631 – Wm.Preston – Mearbeck.Settle = pcell of gr. Called Coate Garth

1632 – Thos. Armestead – Gigg. = viz Ostell bancke, the hollow gate & all the gr.
Beneath the highway pcell of Mr. Shute's tenement & also other pcell called Upp Jacks
close, the Blew Breake close lying about Roome & the Hirst Close with L'ship of Gigg.
Also = viz the Browne Wattikers, the forehead dale

1632 – John Lupton -Settle = '½ of the wood close & the half of Threalam & the half of
gouedlands'

1633 – Thos. Sigswick – Langcliffe = 'close called wheat riddings, one rood at
Slaepstones, one butt at Mealbanke, one pcell of gr. Called Millrowe...one close called
Stubbin..... one ½ of my grass in the Over close'

1635 – Mathew Watkinson – Rathmell = ' gr. In the Little Hall Banke'

1635 – Alice Wigglesworth – Settle = 'pcells of gr. Arable & meadow lying in
Settlefields called Greenrigg Sawthwith & the pcell under Cammock (2 acres or
more).....The which Greenrigg is freehold & the other two by long lease'

1636 – Robt. Howson – Settle = ' one close called Miredales & two pcells the one lying
on Thornebarr & the other on Grayterlands (1 acre)
also – two closes called Aynelaves'

1637 – Miles Thistlethwaite – Settle = 'one close called Suge'

1638 – John Armitstead – Langcliffe = 'one close called the Broadhead'

1638 – Thos. Carr – Gigg. = 'one little butt in Brackenber'
also – one pcell of gr. lying in far Dalifax 5roods)
also – one pcell of gr. lying on Crommo crofts'

1639 – Christopher Deane – Settle = pasture close of gr. Lying within the lordship of Settle.. called Close greene

1641 – Henry Kinge – Settle =
'two pcells of arable land lying in Townfields of Settle on a place called Thorneber & one pcell of land called Cammicke brow & one other pcell of ground called goodmans mosse'

1642 – Henry Claphamson – Gigg. = ' wood or wood ground called Lords Wood bought of (Cliffords) & also that close called the farr maines bought of Thos.Armitstead'

1644 – Robert Kellett – Gigg. = 'one fulling mill at Gigg. & one pcell of ground called Clovenstones (1/2rood)...lying in the townfields of Gigg.'
also 'one pcell of ground called Satrons (1/2rood) lying the fields of Gigg.'
also 'all my close & closes called Th.....ingces? Lying in the townfields of Gigg.'
also 'my part of the Newfield in Gigg...one pcell of ground called Th.....mes & one pcell of ground called Teadp.....dale lying in the townfields of Gigg.'

1644 – Thomas Mitchell – Settle = 'one pcell of arable land in Settle called the Stone Acre'

1645 – Robert Banks – Gigg. = 'two closes called Highrigg & Jacks Close'

1646 – Richard Braishey – Gigg. =
'one close called Brigham close lying within Tfields of Gigg & 3 cattlegates or Cowgates & a ½ within pasture close called Newfield in Gigg.'

1646 – Richard Wilson – Settle =
'one close called Lords? Close lying in Langcliffe field'
also 'one Attermire dale'

1647 – Robert Brayshay – Gigg. =
'one close called the Raynes & the house therein standing'
also – tenter land & broadhead land'

1647 – Robert Cote – Gigg. =
'one pcell lying under Cockett & one pcell called a Tofte land, & one other pcell called a keld Land lying within the Townfields of Gigg.' (bought of Rowland Falthrop)

1647 – Ellen Dawson – Stainforth = one pasture called Summer Banke

1647 – Francis Lawson – Settle =
'one Atturmyre dale – settle'

1649 – Richard Kidd – Settle =
'Threalome two closes in Gigg. Field.....two dales on Attermire'
also – 'one close called Laye gapp'
also – 'Mary shall have Thornber land'
also – 'another pcell of ground called heskitt another lea called Edlestonebancke'
also – 'the Newfield.....Greenriggs'
also – 'one pcell called forriker & that little house'
also – 'one pcell called hawbecke dale'

1650 – Robert Craven – Settle =
'land which lie in Stainforth...my part in Riding close & Ridings Head
Esheverance?.....fosbancke'

1654 – James Dixon – Gigg. =
'ground lying at Jackraynes in the Northfields & at Newfields, within Tship of Settle'

1656 – Henry Clarke – Rathmell = gr. At Hesberthall

1656 – Rowland Falthropp – Roome =
'ground known as netherwathclose Farwath & Longinge lying on the Farr moores of
Gigg.'

1657 – Roger Armitstead – Feizer =
'Territories of Feizer & extending above Layreaber Hill also 2 closes of pasture ground
lying in Gigg. Scarr'

1657 – Thomas Paley – Paley Green =
'closes called Town closes within Lawkland'

1657 – Richard Preston – Gigg. =
'ground at Stangrams & Brackenberr close.....Stangrams next to Brackenber.....ground
line near Stangrams Sike'
also – 'close called Crookes.....my close called Tenter close'

1659 – Mary Ducard – Stackhouse =
'house & ground called Langley/Longley?'
also – 'my land called Redlee/Radlee'

1661 – William Carr – Langcliffe = 'ground called Boone Garris & Earorths?'

1663 – Thomas Swaynson – Rathmell = 'causey close'

1664 – John Foster – Settle = called the Crofts the holy acre the holy acrehead & the Ealand

1664 – John Howson – Settle = enter to Anleys & Sawworth & Stirskill Close

1664 – Ann Lucas – Gigg. = 'closes called Ravensber'

1664 – Jane Taylor – Roomehouses =
'one close called under cockitt with one rood lying at the north end of that close'
also – 'two closes called Sanding joyning the north end of Green Fald'

1665 – Richard Armitstead – Stainforth = Five cattlegates in Langcliffe over Close

1665 – Robert Browne – Stainforth = 'pasture close called Winskill Stones'
also – 'lands & tenements lying near Nealsing called the new close Brocstar lose & Calt Close'

1666 – John Carr – Settle =
'close called Highbrow & Nuba Hill at Mealebank'
also – 'common of pasture upon Scalebur, the Bankes & Scar'
also – 'Carlill close otherwise Ewes close in Lship of Langcliffe

1668 – Thos. Lawson – Gigg. = Dalicer, The Oakes Brayshey Close

1668 – Thomas Paley – Gigg. =
'3 closes above Roome houses in Gigg. Called great Leonorthwaite Closes with one Laith or barn therein standing & the little close'

1668 – Robert Paycocke – Cowside =
'pcell ground called Banck Ings another pcell of ground called Parracke with 4 cattle gates in Gorbeck'
also – 'one pcell of ground called Myres & another pcell of ground called brown banke'

1669 – William Johnson – Langcliffe = 'pcells viz Peasber Rood'

1669 – Thomas Lawson – Lodge = 'ground called Reedlaws Close'

1669 – William Paley – Gigg. =
'ground called the Rake? Acre lying near unto the school in Gigg.'
also – 'closes called Cappleriggs & with one croft inclosed called Oliver croft'

1669 – John Wildman – Settle =
'Ayneim? Close, Cammacke close, Scalber & Banks, Attermire dale & a pcell of goodmans mosse'

1670 – George Knowles – Malham lands = 'grassing in new Close....hanleth pasture & sheepgates on Thackewecke Moore'

1671 – Jane Carr- Rathmell = 'one close called Zayneham Close'

1771 – Richard Falthrop – Malhamlands = 'oxgang of land in Hanlith'

1671 – Robert Paley – Tipperthwaite =
'pasture close lying on the back of a place called Hunthwaite'

1672 – Miles Coate – Gigg. =
'ground called Goat..... Land lying near Stangrams & the Townfields of Gigg.'

1674 – Allon Carr – Gigg =
'two pcells of land one pcell called Mangorams.....& one pcell called Conenstone'

1675 – Thomas Harrison – Lower Paley Green =
'closes called Stackhouse Close & Holme & kiln Close.....two closes called Brayshay closes..... a close called Crommerrigge..... a pcell of common & turbary on Lawkeland More'

1676 – Hugh Claphamson – Slaidburn =
'two closes lying within territories of Gigg. Called..the Maines Close & of the close at the Maines Foot or the close above the Town with the house or barne thereon standing'

1678 – James Armitstead – Stainforth =
'viz one close called Goscar & little bottom land with the old house & garden..... & also fulling or walke mills'

1680 – John Foster – Rathmell =
'two pcells of lease land commonly called Sproatwray & Bockholme'

1680 – Elizabeth Nowell – Cappleside 'Tenements called Foulescales & Batesons'

1681 – James Houghton – Rathmell =
'that meadow close called by the name of Hudholme lying within territories & townfields of Rathmell & formerly belonging to the Manor of Long Preston (1 ½ acres)

1682 – Christopher Dawson – Langcliffe =
'one close called Blulaw within Tship of Langcliffe

1683 – John Lawson – Lodge =
'two pastures called Highhill & Halstead....& title in 3 dales of ground lying in Skirskill?'
also -'those closes called Watkinson closes (4 acres) & one close called lower Sowerlands (1 acre)'
also -' ground lying upon..... Settle moores within that part called the Cragg pt. (10 acres) & one close lying amongst the same closes called Stevensons close (1 acre) & also

one close called Moore? Close lying beyond the Gill & betwixt the ground of Mr. Richard (Preston?) (2 acres) & also one close or pasture ground called Stirskill (12 acres)' also- 3 closes called Watkinsons closes & the two closes called Sowerlands'

1685 – Anthony Lister – Gigg. = my house called the Thorn tree...& a moyety of turbarry of mossy gr. Lying at a place called Thieves Moss

1690 – William Armitstead – Over Settle =
'one ½ acre of land lying on Thornber & 4 cattle gates on pasture called Scaleber'

1690 – William Renardson – Gigg =
'new close commonly called Rawshabanke & one close called Nues? Nooke & the moss except one per of.....one close called Adam close'

1691 – James Johnson – Paley Green =
'one close lying beneath the highway adjacent to the ground of Thomas Carr ..land on another pcell of ground called the (rid)gill'

1692 – John Hall – Settle = 'rent on the pasture called High Scarr & Scaleber and one pcell of ground called Edlestone Banks'

1693 - William Banks – Lower Paley Green =
'a pasture called Scaleber & sheepgates in a pasture called Settle Banks...within Tship of Settle'
also -' one house one croft one garden 3 cattlegates in the Newfield lying within Lship of Gigg.'
also -' one Ings close called pindamire & one pcell of ground lying in that part of the field called Tofts...within Lship of Gigg.'
also – 'a dwellinghouse one part of a barn with land belonging.....lying & being.....Paley Green with one close called Red Gill thereunto lying'
also – 'one pcell of ground called Grassgarthnooke....within Tship of Gigg.'

1693 – Roger Camm – Settle = 'meadow ground called Ings Close'
'one pcell of arable called Edlestone banke & one pcell of arable called far Thornber'
also – one pcell of ground called northornber & 2 dales called Skirskill dales'

1694 – William Paley – Stainforth =
'closes called Overgarth & one Croft lying at the head of Nether flainsey & over flainsey & one house standing in Highfield one pcell of ground lying under Teanley the Round Ing two pcells of ground lying behind the Garth the Pindermyre Close the Sandyholme the H(ore)beck Garth Nooke Close Thackwood Close & one dale in Thackwoods Isabill Hagg & one pcell of ground lying in Fosbanke & all those several pcells of ground lying in the Townfields containing 2 ½ acres & ½ one acre Forgroomes Close & one little Close near adjoining Hayes Close & the house therein standing halfe part of the Great Tongue the little Tongue 3 acres & halfe one acre in one pasture called Sand close Eleven

beastgates or cattle gates in one pasture called Catrigg Close, two beast gates in one pasture called the Moor head'
also – those pastures called Langcliffe Scarr Close & the Scarr close'

1695 – Richard Wilson – Langcliffe =
'pcell of ground called Round close.....stinted pasture called Farr Moore in Tship of Settle'

1696 – Anthony Procter – Settle = 'land lying on Threlam (Threaplands?)

1697 – Thomas Foster – Fieldgate = 'meadow ground called Well close'

1697 – Robert Windsor – Settle =
'one close lying & situate at Rundley Bridge – called Rundley Bridge close & one other pcell adjoining.....Greenridge close'

1698 – Robert Foster – Stainforth (an early enclosure reference)
'one pasture called the Great Tounge – I having one half (10 acres)'
also – 'one close being at end of Shirwood Lane called houbecke & one other close called Sandyhoulme & one part of one close joyning to Sandyhoulme called Thackwood....& to be fenced out of the mean profitts & one way & Raine now fenced out & lying in the Townfield for a way to sd. Pcell called Thakewood & one other pcell called Morehear Furthe'

1699 – William Foster – Stainforth =
'close called Coate(Goate?) close (4 acres)..... stinted pasture called Sannett Close.....one close called Catrigg – stinted'
also – pcells of ground called Goate Yeates with one close on the north side of it called Goate side one close called Over Goate Heslay & Intacke Close with one close called Stangs 4 acres in Moorehead cattlegates in Sannett one close called Tentelands alias Backsmire one pcell called Croft land 2 pcells called Howbeck land & Ridding land also severall pasture closes called Goascars'

1699 – John Robinson – Settle =
'½ acre of turbary lying in a place called Cockett Moss'
also – land lying on a place called Fearom & one other pcell of land called Sandholme & one little pcell of land lying near the milne door.....& pasture on Bankes High Scar & Scaleber'

1699 – Thomas Tindall – Holling Hall =
'houses & lands at Rathmell called late Currers & Swainsons...closes called Catterall closes'
also – my estate at Cappleside...closes called Tarnes & Bumme'

1701 – Elizabeth Foster – Stainforth =
'close or enclosed meadow ground called Haber close lying in territories of Austwick'