

CRAVEN SAVINGS BANK

SETTLE.

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HOURS OF BUSINESS ... **TUESDAY, 10 to 12 o'clock.**
" " ... **SATURDAY, 3 to 4 "**
And on the Principal Fair Days ... **10 to 12 "**

The Savings are invested with the Government

Present amount of Deposits, £39,278 15s. 6d.

Rate of Interest, £2 10s. per cent.

Amounts from 1/- to £50 are taken in one year.
Any sum not exceeding £5 can be withdrawn without notice; above that sum, seven days' notice is required.
Interest added at the end of each half year, viz: May 20th and November 20th.

SAVINGS BANK ACT, 1891.

Depositors can, by the above Act, deposit money in sums not exceeding £50 in any one year, until the total account amounts to £200.
Notwithstanding the above rule, "a depositor may, not more than once in any savings bank year (Nov. 20th to Nov. 20th), deposit money to replace money previously withdrawn in one entire sum during that year."

Information will at once be furnished by the Trustees, or Managers,
or by

Mr. J. LUND BRAYSHAW, Settle, Actuary

W. Bro. John Lund Brayshaw.

[BORN, 1859. DIED, 1921.]



Settle Parish Magazine.

IN MEMORIAM—Mr. J. L. Brayshaw.

"In the midst of life we are in death."

The truth of this text was never more clearly exemplified than in the case of the death of the late Mr. John Lund Brayshaw. Although never enjoying robust health, up to the very moment of receiving his home call, he was going about pursuing his ordinary avocations of life. As Lent dawned he was returning to his home when the call came to him. Mr. Brayshaw's well-known figure will be missed by everyone. He was most regular in everything he undertook, and his place in Church on a Sunday morning was seldom vacant. He was ever ready to assist in anything for the benefit of his fellow men; in fact it may be said of him that his greatest pleasure in life was derived from giving pleasure to others. This side of his character was particularly exemplified by the great love he had for children, and in their company he appeared to regain his own childhood enthusiasms. In every thing he undertook he aimed at a high standard of excellence, and his loss is one which cannot but be felt in many ways. Our deepest sympathy is extended to his family in their sudden and irreparable loss. R.I.P.

The sudden death of W. Bro. John Lund Brayshaw from heart failure, on February 9th, 1921, the *Castleberg* Lodge, No. 2091, Settle, lost an earnest and enthusiastic member and one of its oldest Past Masters. Bro. Brayshaw started his Masonic career at an early age, and his progress was rapid. He was only in his twenty-sixth year when, on June 25th, 1885, he was initiated in the *Castleberg* Lodge, of which he became W.M. five years later, and in 1890 he received Provincial honours, the office to which he was appointed being that of Senior Grand Deacon. Not only did Bro. Brayshaw give devoted service to the Craft, as was shown by diligent work, and regular attendance at the *Castleberg* Lodge and at Provincial Grand Lodge and support of the Masonic Charities, but he put into daily practice the principles of the Order.

Bro. Brayshaw, who at the time of his death was 62 years of age and a bachelor, was the second son of the late Mr. Thomas Brayshaw, of Giggleswick. After being educated at Giggleswick School, he was articled to a firm of solicitors at Lancaster, and in 1883 he and his brother became partners in a legal practice at Settle. Bro. Brayshaw held several public appointments, including that of Actuary to the Craven Savings Bank, Settle. He was a director of a number of local companies, one of the founders of the Settle Golf Club, and a supporter of many societies in the neighbourhood. His remains were interred at the Parish Church, Giggleswick.

*Mr. J. L. Brayshaw returns sincere
thanks to*

*for kind enquiries during his recent
illness.*

Local.

1856

ELECTION OF CONSTABLES.—A vestry meeting was held in the Guardians' Room, Settle, on the 14th of February; J. Tatham was elected into the chair. The meeting was a very crowded one, but withal very good humoured. Mr. C. Duckett read "something out of Gifford or some other universal lawyer," but which it was suggested had formerly belonged to a deceased councillor, and consequently was out of date, especially as it contradicted the precept. It was proposed that the amount be £15 for paid constables, and an amendment was immediately moved that the sum be £25, an increase of £5 over last year. On being put to a shew of hands the numbers were so near that the names were taken down, and on counting up there were 23 for the increased amount and 22 for the £15. After sundry motions and amendments the following were elected Constables, James Wilkinson with a salary of £20, and George Marsden with a salary of £5; William Howarth, James Hardacre, Thos. Horner, Joseph Forrester, M. Whittam, jun., R. Hardacre. The minutes being read over, the meeting adjourned.

RURAL POLICE IN THE WEST RIDING.—On Tuesday the 19th, a Meeting of the Magistrates acting for Staincliffe West was held in the Court House, Settle, to consider what number of Police would be required for that Wapontake. The Magistrates present were Thomas Birkbeck, Esq. (chairman), James Hamerton, Esq., Thomas Clapham, Esq., Edward Parker, Esq., James Peel, Esq., William Robinson, Esq., and Thomas Fullum Parker, Esq. A lengthened discussion took place, but we understand ultimately a certain number was unanimously agreed upon, and Thomas Birkbeck, Esq. was appointed to represent the Wapontake at the Magistrates Committee Meeting to be holden at Wakefield on the 12th of September next.

1856

THE NEW WEST RIDING POLICE.—The New Police commenced on the 1st of January. In Staincliffe West they are 11 in number and are stationed as follows, one at each place: viz.—Settle, Giggleswick, Wigglesworth, Hellifield, Gisburn, Bolton by Bowland, Slaidburn, Bashall Eaves, Newton, Grindleton, Malham, and one for Littondale who has not yet arrived.

1857.

COUNTY POLICE.—On Friday, the 19th, Colonel Cobbe the Superintendent of the County Police arrived in Settle, and inspected the Lock-Ups. And on Saturday, the 20th, he met the Magistrates of the division of Staincliffe West, at the Court House at ten a.m. There were present Thomas Birkbeck, Esq. Thomas Clapham, Esq. William Robinson, Esq. H. A. Littledale, Esq. of Bolton Hall, and J. H. Parker, Esq. of Browsholme Hall. At eleven o'clock the Candidates for the office of Policemen were called in to be examined. They were ten in number, and after going through the examination the Colonel selected Six. The names of the six who passed Colonel Cobbe's examination were Wm. Gifford, R. Burniston, Jas. Chamley, J. Throap, Thos. English, and Jno. Cockshott. They were a very fine lot and we have no doubt they will make useful Policemen. The Colonel met the Ewecross division Magistrates at Ingleton, on Friday noon, and examined the Candidates there. And on Saturday afternoon, he would be on similar business at Skipton.

1857.

25 Giggleswick boys went to St. John's College, Cambridge, between 1631 and 1674.

The first Quakers' Meeting in Settle was held at Widow Armistead's.

Arthur Caterall, of Giggleswick, claimed £450 for damage done by the Parliamentary Troops.

In 1379 Settle Householdors paid 17s. 10d. "poll tax"; Giggleswick, 21s. 8d.

In 1800 Mrs. Backhouse, of Giggleswick, paid £11 2s. od. for window tax.

The Registers of Giggleswick Church from 1627 to 1653 are lost.

Jackson and Troughton were two Settle Printers last century.

The Constables of Giggleswick made a general search for Rogues and Vagabonds, 24th April, 1784.

In 1773 Pennant said the Inn at Settle was the most comfortable one he was ever at.

Knitted Woollen Stockings used to be made in large quantities in Settle.

Many local persons are described in the novel called "Jabez Oliphant."

It has been suggested that the name "Bell Hill" is derived from "The Hill of Baal."

"The Folly" was never completed owing to lack of funds.

Giggleswick Church Tower is probably 100 years older than the body of the Church.

Bigland, in 1812, said the death rate of Settle "is about one in sixty."

In the "Northern Star" (1817), Giggleswick Tarn was described as "a large and beautiful Lake."

A number of Roman Coins were found near Giggleswick in 1783.

In 1822 the "Royal Union" Coach started from Settle, on its way from Kendal to Leeds, every day at noon.

Thomas Foster, by Will dated 1692, left £5 per annum to the poor of Giggleswick.

Dr. Windsor, the Botanist, was born at Settle, in 1787.

—see opposite

Divisions of Staincliffe and Ewecross, in the West-Riding of the County of York.

To the Conftable of Giggleswick in the said Division.

THESE are in his Majesty's Name to charge and command you that, taking to your Assistance sufficient Men within your Constablewick, (who are hereby required to assist you accordingly) you do make a General Priyv Search in the Night of the 24th Day of April ~~next~~ throughout your said Constablewick, and also at all other Times, so often as you find Occasion, for the finding out and apprehending all Rogues and Vagabonds, and wandering idle Persons: And all such as shall be found dangerous or incorrigible, that then you cause such to be brought before some of his Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said Riding, to be farther dealt withall according to Law. And herein fail not. This our Warrant to continue in Force Three Months.

GIVEN under our Hands and Seals, being two of his Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said Riding, the 27th Day of April in the Year of our Lord 1784

Hen: Wickham

J. A. Busfield

Dr. Lettsom was apprenticed to Dr. Sutcliffe of Settle.
 Football was formerly played in Kirkgate every Shrove-Tuesday.
 In West's "Antiquities of Furness" is a diagram of the supposed action of the Ebbing and Flowing Well.
 Furness Abbey received £5 6s. od. rent from Stackhouse in 1535.
 The Settle and Carlisle Railway was opened for passenger traffic, May 1st, 1876.
 Settle has presented and endowed two Lifeboats.
 The first confirmation at Settle Church was in 1866.
 The first Agricultural Show at Settle was a "Sweepstakes Shew," in 1848.
 The first burial (that of C. Edmondson) in Settle Church Yard was in January 1839.
 The Rev. B. Waugh (of "Prevention of Cruelty to Children" fame) is a native of Settle.
 The "Giggleswick School Olio" appeared in 1845.
 Tom Twisleton's Poems have run through five editions.
 The Craven Bank was established in 1791.
 The Settle "Association for the prosecution of Felons" was formed in 1743.
 King John confirmed the grant of Giggleswick Church to Finchale Priory, in 1208.
 A pool of water suddenly appeared near Settle, in 1791.
 The first marriage (James Hartley's) at Settle Church was in 1849.
 Some people consider Giggleswick Church to be dedicated to "Hali-keld" or "Holy Well."
 There were great festivities at Settle when the Crimean War ended.
 Settle Agricultural Show was not held from 1866 to 1877.
 The Friendly Societies of Settle used to have a "Club Walk" every Whit-week.
 The Rev. R. Ingram laid the Foundation Stone of Settle Church.
 The Wesleyans first began to preach at Settle in 1760.

The Craven Bank Notes.

I have been favoured with a view of several old Craven Bank notes in the possession of Mr T. Brayshaw, of Settle, an antiquarian of high repute in the district. They throw some interesting light upon the origin of the Craven Bank, whose amalgamation with the Bank of Liverpool has furnished food for much discussion during the past few days. The earliest note in Mr Brayshaw's collection is dated Settle, March 27th, 1809. It is for five guineas, bears a shilling stamp, and is devoid of pictorial representation. It is issued in the name of Messrs. Birkbecks, Alcock, Peart and Smith.

A pound note dated 1812, signed by John Birkbeck, and containing the information that the bank was founded in 1791, has a view of Castleberg, upon the face of which famous Settle landmark a faint trace of caricatured human features can be detected. In the three years that had intervened, the partners constituting the bank had changed from Messrs. Birkbecks, Alcock, Peart and Smith to Birkbecks, Alcock, Peart and Moffat. The latter, I gather, was formerly on the staff of the bank at Settle, and became a partner.

A £5 note dated 1818 has a much clearer view of Castleberg. The same partners as noted in the preceding paragraph appear on the face of the note.

In 1819 a £10 note, signed by John Peart, indicates the same partnership, but there is a change in the pictorial representation, the Craven heifer being depicted on the top of the note. In 1821 a guinea note shows that the picture had been moved to the left hand side, but otherwise there was no change.

A pound note of 1825, however, shows an addition—the Craven heifer supplemented by a view of the priory at Bolton Abbey, with medallions on each side. This note is also signed by John Birkbeck.

Ten years later (1835) a £5 note shows that the firm's constitution had altered, the name of Moffat having disappeared from the partnership, which then consisted of Messrs Birkbecks, Alcocks and Peart. The note is entered by Thos. Birkbeck and signed by John Peart, and it is numbered B123. The same view of the Craven heifer and Bolton Abbey appears.

In 1837, two years later, there is another alteration in the firm, as shown by a £10 note in Mr Brayshaw's possession, which is issued at Settle (as in all the other cases noted above), and is signed by Wm. Birkbeck. The names of the partners now appear as Birkbecks, Alcocks, Birkbeck and Robinson. The appearance of the note has also undergone a change, the pictorial adornment being limited to the Craven heifer.

At a subsequent date the firm seems to have been again reconstituted, some bank forms showing that it became Alcocks, Birkbeck, Robinson, Birkbeck and Stansfeld.

On the face of it, there is no possible doubt as to Settle being the Craven Bank's place of origin, and if any business was done in Skipton in the early days of the century it was worked and controlled from Settle as the headquarters.

Another interesting item of information may be added in connection with the career of the Craven Bank. The diary of Wm Lodge Paley, at one time schoolmaster at Giggleswick National Schools, shows that the bank had its run of vicissitudes. For instance, under date February 13th, 1826, Mr Paley wrote:—

A very brisk run upon Settle Bank, but by people from a distance generally.

On the following day, February 14th, the entry in Mr Paley's diary reads:—

Their notes (Craven Bank) were refused in the market to-day in several instances by people who came from a distance; but it is the failure of the Lancaster Bank mainly which has caused these runs.

See also p. 391,
and frontispiece to vol III.

NOTICE.

THE BANKS in Settle, hereby beg to notify that from 16th April next, they purpose closing their establishments from 1 to 2 o'clock daily, and in the afternoon at 4 o'clock except on Saturdays, when transactions for the day will cease at one o'clock.

Settle, 20th March, 1859.

OLD CRAVEN BANK FIVE POUND NOTES.

Several of the Five Pound Notes and Drafts issued by the late Private Banking Firm of Messrs Birkbeck, Robinson & Co., otherwise The Craven Bank Company, at Settle, Skipton, and elsewhere, are still outstanding.

Any Persons who happen to have any of these Notes or Drafts in their possession are strongly advised to bring them in for payment without delay. They may be left at any of the Branches of the Craven Bank Limited, to be transmitted to the Head Office for verification. And the Public are asked to accept this Notice that, after the 31st of December, 1904, no claims in respect of such Notes or Drafts can be recognized.

None of them bear date later than 1880.

It must be borne in mind that, whilst the individual Members of the Banking Firm which created the Notes and Drafts were prepared to meet the liability in respect of them—notwithstanding the lapse of time—their Executors cannot accept liabilities which are legally out of date.

CHARLESWORTH & CO.,
September, 1904. Solicitors, Settle.

The Children of Giggleswick Workhouse used to perform "St. George" as "pace-egggers," every Easter.

The 12th March used to be "potation day" at Giggleswick School.

Hutton published his "Tour to the Caves near Settle" in 1780.

There are 25 Faculty Pews in Giggleswick Church.

The first Catalogue of the Settle Library contains 46 Works.

A Consistory Court was held in Giggleswick Church in February 1890.

Giggleswick Church was reseated in 1822.

Giggleswick Grammar School was restored in 1851.

"Robin Hood's Mill" near Stackhouse is supposed to be an underground waterfall.

In 1749 there were legal proceedings respecting the Chancel of Giggleswick Church.

There used to be a Lime Kiln at the base of Castleberg.

Forty years since, Gas was 12s. per 1000 cubic feet in Settle.

The Rev. James Carr, founder of Giggleswick School, died in 1548.

There were 16 members of the Settle Literary Society in 1777.

There were 62 dances at Balderston's "Juvenile Ball" at Settle, in October, 1817.

J. Williams lectured on "The Advantages of Drunkenness," at Settle, in 1835.

Each Member of the old Benefit Societies of Settle used to expend 2d. in drink at every meeting.

A White Swallow was caught at Settle in 1793.

Marshfield formerly belonged to the Parkers of Browsholme.

Geo. Woods dedicated a volume of Poems to Dr Butterton.

Six Pamphlets were issued in the Giggleswick School controversy, 1861—1864.

In 1604 the only local Roman Catholic was Margaret Frankland, of Rathmell.

Her Majesty has only once passed through Settle Station, viz:—May 21st, 1891.

The boys of Giggleswick School used to scramble for figs every 12th of March.

A Purse of 200 guineas was presented to William Wildman, when he left Settle, in 1879.

The Settle Amateur Dramatic Society first performed in January, 1880.

Until 1817 the Craven Bank Notes had a view of Castleberg on them.

The Keighley and Kendal road was made about 1755.

There was a burglary at Mearbeck in 1842.

700 children had tea in the Snow Castle on the Green, on the 6th March, 1886.

300 years ago Giggleswick school-boys commenced work at 6-30 a.m.

1155 persons signed the pledge in the "Blue Ribbon Mission," at Settle, February, 1883.

Tom Twisleton and "Poet Close" wrote each others epitaphs in poetry.

The Hand-weavers of Settle were in great distress in 1828.

The old part of Giggleswick Workhouse was built in 1834.

The Settle Temperance Hotel Company (1883) had a capital of £3000.

It was proposed to re-make Giggleswick Tarn as a memorial of the Queen's Jubilee.

The Ebbing and Flowing Well is called "Giggleswicke Spring" in a very old map.

The Craven Bank used to issue (inter alia) both one pound and one guinea notes.

There was no funeral in all Giggleswick parish, for a period of 13 weeks, in 1788.

The Salvation Army "Attacked Settle," March 6th, 1886.

There were 32 Candidates at the first Settle Parish Council Election, in December, 1894.

Samuel Watson was fined for preaching "in the burying-place" at Settle, in 1670.

An Ancient Stone Circle formerly existed above Cleatop.

Many remains of the Red Deer have been found on High Hill.

See opposite

Presentation to Mr. WM. WILDMAN.

The Subscribers are informed that

A N A D D R E S S

AND A

Purse of Two Hundred Guineas

WILL BE PRESENTED TO

MR. W. WILDMAN,

In the National School-Room, Settle,

ON SATURDAY NEXT, MAY 31st, 1879,

At THREE o'clock.

YOUR ATTENDANCE IS RESPECTFULLY INVITED.

A COPY OF THE ADDRESS AND THE SUBSCRIPTION LIST ARE ANNEXED.

COMMITTEE :

CHRISTOPHER BROWN, Chairman.

HARGRAVES JOHN

HOLDEN THOMAS

INGHAM WM.

LISTER JOHN

SEDGWICK GEO.

SMITH JOHN

JOHN WILSON, Secretary.

H. GORE, TYP.

SETTLE.

To Mr. William Wildman.

We beg, on behalf of your fellow townsmen and friends that you will accept this address and the accompanying purse of 200 guineas as a mark of our warm esteem for you. It is a matter of great regret to us that your life-long connection with the district should be severed by your emigration; yet we hope the change may be in every way a prosperous one to you.

We feel it our pleasant duty thus to express our gratitude for the many and varied public services you have rendered, with so much kindness and good feeling. We are quite aware that these have been frequently done in a simple and unobtrusive manner, and in some cases have been scarcely acknowledged; but we now express our sense of the unvarying kindness which prompted them.

Your family has been honourably connected with the town for several generations, and we hope your mother and yourself will always remember, that your departure has called forth a general, and very real, expression of regret. You have our very hearty good wishes for your prosperity and comfort in your future home.

Signed on behalf of the Subscribers,

CHRISTOPHER BROWN, Honorary Chairman.

JOHN WILSON, Honorary Secretary.

Settle, June, 1879.

LIST OF SUBSCRIPTIONS.

| £ s. d. | | £ s. d. | | £ s. d. | | £ s. d. | | | | | | | | | |
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| Concert given by Members of the Choral Society ... | 16 | 8 | 10 | Wm. Thomson (Kendal) | 1 | 1 | 0 | Rev. C. Routh | 0 | 10 | 0 | Rd. Hargreaves, Malham | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| The Committee, Auditors, Treasurer, Secretary of the North Craven Building Society, (Limited) Harrison and G. H. Fryer (Manchester) | 12 | 13 | 0 | Jos. Birkbeck | 1 | 1 | 0 | "Settle" | 0 | 10 | 0 | J. Hardacre | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| W. Christie | 5 | 5 | 0 | D. Danskin (London) | 1 | 1 | 0 | W. Dugdale | 0 | 10 | 0 | Samuel Clarke | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| W. Morrison | 5 | 0 | 0 | Joseph Hartley (Leigh) ... | 1 | 1 | 0 | Thos. Stewart | 0 | 10 | 0 | Mrs. Brennand | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| W. G. Style | 5 | 0 | 0 | J. Clark (Manchester) ... | 1 | 1 | 0 | Jonas Smith (Keighley) ... | 0 | 10 | 0 | D. Taylor | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| W. G. & Co. (London) ... | 5 | 0 | 0 | Henry Gore | 1 | 1 | 0 | W. G. Perfect | 0 | 10 | 0 | H. Brassington | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| W. Dodd (London) | 5 | 0 | 0 | John Bamber (Preston) ... | 1 | 1 | 0 | John Hargraves | 0 | 10 | 0 | M. Knowles | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Dewshaw | 5 | 0 | 0 | G. H. Kent | 1 | 1 | 0 | John Preston | 0 | 10 | 0 | A. Friend | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. A. Robinson | 3 | 3 | 0 | Richard Procter | 1 | 1 | 0 | Herr Schoenemann | 0 | 10 | 0 | Misses Waller | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Clayton | 3 | 3 | 0 | Rev. J. Stansfeld | 1 | 1 | 0 | Miss Stackhouse | 0 | 10 | 0 | Thomas Holmes | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. P. Hartley | 2 | 10 | 0 | Harry Clifford | 1 | 1 | 0 | Mrs. E. Bailey (Lancaster) | 0 | 10 | 0 | Miss Dawson | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. P. Pierson | 2 | 10 | 0 | J. Whittam (Nelson) | 1 | 1 | 0 | Rev. J. Gridale (Halton Gill) | 0 | 10 | 0 | Miss Jenkinson | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| J. Birkbeck, jun. | 2 | 10 | 0 | W. Tattersall (Accrington) | 2 | 1 | 0 | W. Langhorne | 0 | 10 | 0 | Mrs. T. Waller | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| L. Charlesworth | 2 | 10 | 0 | J. Booth (Burnley) | 1 | 1 | 0 | Mrs. Cowgill | 0 | 10 | 0 | Thomas Holmes | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Swale | 2 | 10 | 0 | A. W. Cocks (Methwold) | 1 | 1 | 0 | Mrs. Pomeroy | 0 | 10 | 0 | R. Chapman | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Stockbank | 2 | 10 | 0 | G. M. Robinson | 1 | 1 | 0 | Miss Tristram | 0 | 10 | 0 | Robert Holmes | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Dewshaw | 2 | 2 | 0 | L. Christie | 1 | 1 | 0 | J. Winskill | 0 | 10 | 0 | John Brown | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Perfect | 2 | 2 | 0 | Mrs. Shepherd | 1 | 0 | 0 | Joseph Harger | 0 | 10 | 0 | C. W. Parker | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Robinson (Burnley) ... | 2 | 2 | 0 | John Preston (Mearbeck) | 1 | 0 | 0 | Mrs. Ellis (Church St.) ... | 0 | 10 | 0 | Miss Beasley | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. G. & Son, (Matlock Bath) | 2 | 2 | 0 | Mrs. E. T. Foster | 1 | 0 | 0 | Dr. Watts | 0 | 10 | 0 | Thomas Altham | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. G. & Son, (London) | 2 | 2 | 0 | J. W. Foster | 1 | 0 | 0 | E. Grayson (Bentham) ... | 0 | 10 | 0 | Henry Wilson | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Wilson (Bradford) | 2 | 2 | 0 | Richard Duckett | 1 | 0 | 0 | Mrs. Slinger | 0 | 8 | 0 | Henry Davis | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Wilson (Preston) | 2 | 2 | 0 | Rev. J. Robinson | 1 | 0 | 0 | Mrs. Armistead | 0 | 5 | 0 | John Delaney | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Back (London) | 2 | 2 | 0 | Rev. J. Stackhouse | 1 | 0 | 0 | Miss A. Armistead | 0 | 5 | 0 | J. B. Wilson | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Birkbeck & Co. | 2 | 2 | 0 | The Misses Preston | 1 | 0 | 0 | Miss Harger | 0 | 5 | 0 | Thomas Yeardon | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Battersby | 2 | 2 | 0 | Rev. W. H. Coulthurst ... | 1 | 0 | 0 | Miss E. M. Bryning | 0 | 5 | 0 | Wm. Barrett | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Me Intyre | 2 | 2 | 0 | W. T. Walker | 1 | 0 | 0 | Mrs. Turner | 0 | 5 | 0 | W. Capstick | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. J. Latham | 2 | 0 | 0 | Mrs. Clayton | 1 | 0 | 0 | W. F. Hook | 0 | 5 | 0 | Robert Preston | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Woodhead (Cambridge) | 2 | 0 | 0 | Miss Geldard | 1 | 0 | 0 | James Pratt (Giggleswick) | 0 | 5 | 0 | Robert Wilson | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Wood and Son's late | 2 | 0 | 0 | C. Copeland | 1 | 0 | 0 | J. Foster, jun. | 0 | 5 | 0 | E. Wildman (Stainforth) | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Wood | 1 | 12 | 6 | Mrs. Barker | 1 | 0 | 0 | George Ambler | 0 | 5 | 0 | Mrs. Grime | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. H. Woodall | 1 | 1 | 0 | T. Holden | 1 | 0 | 0 | Thomas Harger | 0 | 5 | 0 | Mrs. Wilkinson | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Hartley (Settle) | 1 | 1 | 0 | James Hammond | 1 | 0 | 0 | Misses Fell | 0 | 5 | 0 | J. T. Handby | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Mansfield | 1 | 1 | 0 | T. Nelson & Sons (Edin.) | 1 | 0 | 0 | Henry King | 0 | 5 | 0 | W. Handby (Austwick) ... | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Smith | 1 | 1 | 0 | J. Langhorne | 1 | 0 | 0 | John V. Harger | 0 | 5 | 0 | T. Twisleton | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Tugleby | 1 | 1 | 0 | G. Sedgwick (Bentham) ... | 1 | 0 | 0 | Miss Tatham | 0 | 5 | 0 | C. King | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Latham | 1 | 1 | 0 | Bentham Agricultural Soc. | 1 | 0 | 0 | John Richards | 0 | 5 | 0 | W. Brown | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Lister | 1 | 1 | 0 | W. D. Fryer (Manchester) | 0 | 10 | 6 | John Hardacre | 0 | 5 | 0 | W. Bond (Bentham) | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Mathison | 1 | 1 | 0 | E. Fearnley | 0 | 10 | 6 | E. Handby | 0 | 5 | 0 | W. King | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Mearhouse | 1 | 1 | 0 | A. Smith | 0 | 10 | 6 | G. Clark | 0 | 5 | 0 | M. Nowell | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Whetton | 1 | 1 | 0 | M. Mason | 0 | 10 | 6 | Misses Jarry | 0 | 5 | 0 | R. Hardacre | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| W. Willan | 1 | 1 | 0 | Rev. G. A. Butterton | 0 | 10 | 6 | Jos. Southwood | 0 | 5 | 0 | W. Rawson (Keighley) ... | 0 | 2 | 6 |
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In Memoriam.

It is our painful duty to announce the death of one who in his time was the life and soul of our little town. Of no one could it be more truly said "he had no enemies," for "Will Wildman" was the friend of everybody, and the idol of all children.

No Christmas party was complete without his genial presence, and the memorial card which we copy will make his loss come home to many a Christmas gathering.

He was brought up here and educated under Dr. Butterton, at Giggleswick School, but at an early age came into his fathers printing office, now the Craven Printing and Stationery Company, Limited.

The continued ill-health of Mr. John Wildman obliged the son to enter the Stationery department, and manage the retail whilst still a youth; but his kind engaging manner made him a favourite with everyone and his good nature was only too frequently trespassed upon. He never knew when to say "no" and his purse was always open—often to his own disadvantage. During this period the Settle Almanac was first produced and "Wildmans' Almanac" became a household word.

*William Wildman,
Born at Settle 16th Feb. 1843.
Died at Devonport, Auckland
New Zealand,
2nd Aug 1897.*

Never robust, he thought a milder climate would suit him, and so the business was disposed of, and the family left for New Plymouth (a rising town in New Zealand) in the summer of 1879. His fellow townsmen presented him with a purse of £200, and what was of more value to him, the good wishes of all went with him. As New Plymouth shewed no opening, he started business in Auckland, in partnership with a Mr. Kidd, and the *Punch* of the town notified the event with an excellent cartoon of a wild man of the woods carrying a kid in his arms.

He was a great favourite in the town, and every literary worker in New Zealand and Australia sought his advice, whilst Sir George Grey and he were bosom friends. He afterwards edited a paper *The Thames* with much success—and was also a Churchwarden at St. Pauls for many years. The Rev. W. H. Wilson, Vicar of Te Awamatu, Waikato (and formerly of Bentham), met Mr. Wildman in Auckland, year before last, and was much struck with his appearance. He had become quite grey and frequently suffered from great difficulty of breathing. As the post of chief librarian to the Auckland free library became vacant, Mr. Wildman applied for the post and altho' the number of applicants was very large including several university graduates, our old friend came in second, and with characteristic good nature wrote a congratulatory letter to the lucky candidate which was published in the Auckland papers. He married an Auckland lady who is left with three children to mourn his loss, for an attack of Bronchial Asthma (from which he had suffered much) carried him off at the early age of 54 years.

ANXIOUS TO KNOW THE RESULT.
In Birmingham last week a funeral was proceeding down the Aston Road when one of the mourners, reaching sight of a chequer employed by the Railway Company, put his head out of the mourning cloth and shouted "I say, Bill, how's it at half-time?" When he heard that his favour team was leading, the mourner shouted "Hurrah!" and withdrew his head into the carriage and went on his way sorrowing.

A LIGHTNING TARGET.
Down on an exposed knoll on Dartmoor is a deserted and ruined farmhouse which has a strange history. It was built for a gentleman who was a member of the House of Commons, and was a very distinguished man. He was a member of the House of Commons, and was a very distinguished man. He was a member of the House of Commons, and was a very distinguished man.

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