

Summary Sheet R0089

- P.1 Born in Crosby Garrett. Moved to Warcop, Tebay, Gaisgill, back to Tebay.
Father a farmer.
Educated at Longdale School, Gaisgill, and Tebay Endowed.
Worked in drapery Co-op at Tebay, then Musgroves, Kendal.
Floor walker employed at Musgroves.
- P.2 Clothing coupons. Piece goods. Sales day.
- P.3 Travelling to work by train during 39/45 war.
Living in Kendal- Rosemead Avenue, Longpool, Serpentine Road.
Wages; union.
Train fares.
- P.4 Tebay station and village.
Father was local preacher.
- P.5 Kendal during war years.
Bomb dropped on farm at Selside.
Prisoners of War at Shap Wells.
- P.6 Displaced persons lived in Shap after the war.
Running a shop in Shap. Father-in-law was a cobbler.
- P.7 Rose Fete in Shap.
Traffic in Shap and on A6.
- P.8 Last years at Tebay School. Longdale School was a two teacher school.
- P.9 Tebay School now a house. Infants School and Top School.
Snowed in at Gaisgill.
Sledges used at hay time.
- P.10 Farm rent from Mr Stainton. Landlord sent cows from Liverpool for wintering.
Farm names, now all gone. Signalling for help.
- P.11 Hearing about the end of the war.
Soldiers in manoeuvres on Orton Fell.
Soldiers visited farm on Sunday evenings.
- P.12 Local dances.
Pubs at Tebay, Orton and Kirkby Stephen.
Local railway ran to Barnard Castle and Darlington.
- P.13 Travelling shops. Man took orders and then delivered.