

SUMMARY SHEET

- P.1 Born 1902, Highgate, Kendal.
Father worked for wine merchant; then Croppers, Burneside.
Mother had boardinghouse, Kirkland.
Began work at Library 1916.
- P.2 Library staff; duties; repair of books; boilerhouse in cellar.
- P.3 Layout of Library. Use by Kendal Debating Society, etc.
- P.4 Union meetings. Roseanne Jenkinson & Isaac Robinson worked at Library.
- P.5 Mr Brown (Librarian) had shop at Silloth.
Buying books at Market Hall.
- P.6 Staff at Library before 1916. Mr Brown's career. R.H.Greenwood,
chairman of the governors.
- P.6/7 Dr Parker.
- P.7 Sir Roy Lancaster. The Parker Fund.
First wage - five shillings per week.
- P.8 Supplying books to 98 schools in Westmorland by carrier. Hours worked.
- P.9 Choral Society concert. Left Library.
- P.10 Library exams; preparing for them. Cataloguing. Writing a book.
- P.11 Stanley Snaith wrote book on mountaineering.
Studying the piano; taking piano exams; teaching piano.
- P.12 Concerts at St. George's Hall. Three choirs in Kendal.
Sadlers Wells did Marriage of Figaro; Shakespearean season; Mr Frank
Benson.
- P.13 Operas, concerts, dances at St. George's Hall.
Warren & Chorley, solicitors, Stramongate.
Mother remembered St. George's being built in 1870s.
Epidemic of typhoid in Kendal.
Grandmother had shop in Windermere Road.
- P.13/14 Cafe in Stramongate.
- P.14 Grandfather came from Ireland during potato famine; deserted family.
Family from Windermere Road went to Shap Wells to avoid typhoid epidemic.
- P.15 Hospital in Kendal - hospital, then laundry, then outpatients; Spittall.
Elections in Kendal: the Yellow Gallop.
- P.16 1906 W.Stewart Smith, Liberal MP
1910 Captain Bagot elected.
1912 W.H.Somervell stood.
Two MPs in Westmorland - South Westmorland and North Westmorland.
1914 John Weston MP.
Geordie Martindale supporting Liberals.

- P.17 Geese on Gooseholme; Bulfield's Yard, Stramongate.
Fair on the New Road.
- P.18 Policeman killed at Masons Arms, Stramongate.
Mother's guest house catered for cycling clubs; New year parties.
74 for breakfast on Easter Sunday.
- P.19 Washing and drying sheets.
Visitor wrote articles for cycling magazines; Patterson illustrator.
- P.20 Sold grand piano to Alec Weatherall, organist at Parish Church.
Eric Nicholson writing life of Brotsky, professor of violin.
Eric Nicholson's porcelain and watercolours.
- P.21 Eric Nicholson's watercolours bought by Peter Scott, now in Abbot
Hall