

Summary Sheet R0093

- P.1 Born in Grizedale, West Riding, 1910.  
Father was a farmer. Kept mainly sheep.
- P.2 Driving sheep and cows to auction at Hawes.  
Attended Lund School. Two classes only.
- P.3 Girls and boys segregated at school. Two teachers. School punishment.  
Left school at 14, helped at home, then worked at farm at Sedbergh for  
£9 for six months.
- P.4. Origins of the name "Bell".  
Met wife through Methodist church.
- P.5 Courting at Gaisgill. Married 1934 at Gaisgill Chapel.  
Began preaching in 1930.
- P.6 Training as a Methodist preacher.  
Chapels in the Sedbergh circuit.
- P.7. Travelling to chapels to preach.  
Worked for brother collecting eggs and poultry and selling groceries by lorry.
- P.8 Lived at Lunds and Garsdale, then Leeds to manage shop.
- P.9 Moved to Kendal to look after Museum about 1964.
- P.10 Went on course to look after stuffed animals.  
Mr Turner came as full-time curator.  
A. Wainwright worked at Museum.  
Continued to preach in Kendal area.
- P.11 Chapels in the Kendal circuit.  
Description of house at Grizedale. ,Oil lamps, candles, pressure lamps.
- P.12 Lighting, cooking. Peats and coal. Washing day.
- P.13 Parlour used to entertain visitors.  
Games played.
- P13/14 Army service.