Ancient Monuments in this township

1926 List

BROUGHAM

Stone circles, S. side of Leacet wood; urn, burnt bones found (o.s. v, 96).

Interment with cist etc. at Moorhouse farm (Proc. S.A., N.S. vi,270).

Roman

- (a) fort, BROCAVUM, and tombstone (R. G. Collingwood, N.S. xxii, 140). Milestone found 1874, ¹/₂m. N. of E. from Brougham Castle (Prof. Harkness, o.s. ii, 147). Inscribed stones (C.I.L. vii, pp. 73, 74). Coins of *c*. 253-273 found 1910 near the Castle (N.s. Xi, 209).
- (b) Road, Brougham to Wetherriggs (P. Ross, N.S. xx, 12); and
- (c) eastwards from Brougham to Kirkbythore.

Churches:

- (a) "Ninekyrkes" (N. & B. i, 392), St. Ninian's, rebuilt 1660. Bell inscribed "Ninekirks, 1625." Two graveslabs found 1846 over graves under the chancel. Font, 1662; almsbox, 1663 (Rev. T. Lees, o.s. iv, 420; Rev. A. J. Heelis, N.S. iii, 353).
- (b) St. Wilfrid's, ancient chapel rebuilt 1659, restored 1840-50. Old cross-base with modern cross in churchyard (N.s. xxiv, 375).
- (c) St. Wilfrid's Well.
- Brougham Castle, on site of Roman fort. Keep c. 1170; outworks 1204; outer gatehouse c. 1270 and c. 1310; buildings by Roger de Clifford III c. 1380; repaired c. 1550; restored 1652 and dismantled 1691. Fosse on E., S. and W. sides. Two piscinae in chapel (o.s. xii, 209). (Curwen, *Castles*, 87; N.S. xxii., 143).

Domestic:

- (a) Brougham Hall, 14th cent., rebuilt 1829 (Curwen, Castles, 258).
- (b) Hornby Hall, of Birkbecks c. 1550 (M. W. Taylor, o.s. iv, 392)
- (c) Winderwath Hall; chapel formerly at Chapel Garth ? (N. & B. i, 400; Whellan, 790) ? the same as Hospital lands of Clarke, *Survey*, *5*.

Other:

- (a)The Countess' Pillar, 1656 (N. & B. i, 394)•
- (b) Site of Hartshorn tree, on road 2¹/₂m. E. of Brougham Castle; horns affixed 1333 in memory of King Edward Baliol's hunting, and removed 1648 (Lady Anne Pembroke, *Diary*, 1658).

Roads:

(a) Eamont bridge to Brough on Stainmore (on line of Roman road) made after Acts of which the first dates 1743 (J. F.Curwen, MS.).

- (b) Old ford over Eamont at Udford.
- (c) The Castle wath (ford) of Brougham mentioned 1380 (*Cal. Pat. Rolls*, 1377-81, p. 530).
- (d) Brougham bridge, 1812.

Find: Anglo-Saxon gilt circlet (Archæological Journal, iv, 63).

See <u>Pastscape</u> for much more detail on these and more entries (74 in total – though there may be some overlap with other townships).