

## Ancient Monuments in this township

1926 List

### CHURCH CONISTON

*Tumulus* in circle, Banniside, explored 1909; cremation urns, pottery, bead, flints found and now in Coniston museum (W. G. Collingwood, N.S. x, 342).

*Cairns*, Foul scrow (o.s. iii, 254). Site of three cairns on summit of Old Man (W. Ford, quoted by A. C. Gibson, *The Old Man*, 104).

*Rampart* and hut-circle, on Banniside by Torver beck (H. S. Cowper, *Archæologia liii*)

Enclosure and hut-circle, Scrow moss (*ibid.*).

*Roman road*, Stang end to Fell foot (R. G. Collingwood, N.S. xxi, 27-29).

*Church*: consecrated 1586, rebuilt 1819, restored 1891 as St. Andrew's. Brass of 1680.

*Domestic*: Coniston Hall. Traces to N.W. of (older ?) buildings. Manor-house of Flemings, c. 1580, made into farmhouse 1815 (H. S. Cowper, o.s. ix, 439).

*Beacon* on the Old Man (o.s. xiv, 2 43).

*Copper-mines* worked from c. 1600 (W. G. Collingwood, *Eliz. Keswick*, 201).

*Bloomeries*:

- (a) Springs and Waterpark near Coniston Hall;
- (b) near the limekiln, Yewdale;
- (c) the Forge, Coniston (o.s. xv, 211).
- (d) Under Goat crag, Tilberthwaite (N.s. xiv, 493).

*Finds*:

- (a) Perforated pebble, 1869-70, Coniston (o.s. ix, 204; B.N.F.C. xv, 117)
- (b) [Collection of local antiquities at the Ruskin Museum.]

See [Pastscape](#) for much more detail on these and more entries (188 in total – though there may be some overlap with other townships).