Ancient Monuments in this township

1926 List

HEVERSHAM AND MILNTHORPE

Cave, "Fairy Hole," explored 1912; a wolf den, medieval remains (J. W. Jackson, N.S. XIV, 262).

Anglian cross-shaft and fragment in church wall (N.s. xxv, 28).

Churches:

- (a) Heversham, St. Peter's, 1360 (*Test. Karl.* 27). St. Mary's well N.W. of church (N. & B. i, 194). For history and description see J. F. Curwen, N.S. xxv, 28-79. Stones of S. arcade and lower part of tower and vestry, E.E. N. and S. transseptal chapels added, 14th or 15th cent. N. aisle and porch added, 16th cent. Rebuilt from lower courses after fire of i6 or; restored 1816, 1867-8. Four piscinae (o.s. xii, 210). Stoup. Fragments of old glass. Effigy of Dorothy Bellingham, d. 1626 (N.s. iv, 133).
- (b) [Milnthorpe, St. Thomas', 1837; restored, 1883.]

Tower: Heversham Hall, tower built before 1384, deserted *c.* 1540 by the Buskells who built the present hall (Curwen, *Castles 280*). Great Elizabethan table (o.s. xiii, 58).

Other:

- (a) Grammar School founded 1613 (N. & B. i, 198). Cockpit near school (H. S. Cowper, o.s. xiii, 98).
- (b) Market cross, with foot-shackles.
- (c) Mills in 17th-18th cent. (N. & B. i, 201).

Old road

- (a) passed the School to Bull-copy brow;
- (b) turnpike road diverted 1823-4 (J. F. Curwen).

Find: stone hammer, before 1770, Endmoor (N. & B. i, 213; Evans, Anct. Stone Impl., 179).

See <u>Pastscape</u> for much more detail on these and more entries (39 in total – though there may be some overlap with other townships).