

Ancient Monuments in this township

1923 List

ADDINGHAM (Little Salkeld)

Great stone circle: "Long Meg and her daughters." Long Meg, the outlier, 12 ft. high. The circle, now of 59 stones, 360 ft. E. and W. diam.; 305 ft. N. and S. (C. W. Dymond, O.S. v, 39; N.S. xiii, 406) .

Tumulus and circle :

- (a) "Little Meg," Maughanby; c. 650 yds. E.N.E. of Long Meg; eleven stones round a small tumulus; cist found with cremation urn; ring-marked stone *in situ*; another, from the cist, in Penrith Museum (N.S. ii, 381-2; xiii, 407).
- (b) Grayson lands, ½ m. W. of N. from Addingham church ; tumulus removed, urn and bead from the cist now in Carlisle Museum; ringmarked stone in situ (W. G. Collingwood, N.S. i, 295; ii, 382).

Tumulus: site ½ m. S.W. of Fiend's Fell; cist and skeleton found 1850 (Whellan, 503) .

Earthwork :vallum and fosse round a spring N. of Long Meg (Stukeley in 1725).

Anglian church site on the Eden near N. boundary of parish; an 8th or 9th cent. foundation, ? destroyed by flood 1360 (Rev. C. J. Gordon, N.S. xiv, 328).

Church:

- (a) St. Michael's, built after 1360, altered 1786, restored 1839, 1898 (Rev. T. W. Stephenson, N.S. xiii, 162).
- (b) Early monuments from the old site:-9th cent. cross-shaft and 11th cent. cross at the church; cross, socket, hogback and graveslab found 1913; 10th cent. fragment in Carlisle Museum (Rev. C. J. Gordon, N.S. xiv, 333; W. G. Collingwood in Calverley, *Crosses*, 3; N.S. i, 289; xiii, 164).
- (c) St. Michael's well, near old church, but now W. of the Eden.
- (d) Ancient chapel of Little Salkeld, deserted 1360 (Rev. C. J. Gordon, N.S. xiv, 331).

Castle of Little Salkeld, site (Lysons, *Cumbd.*, 4).

Domestic :Salkeld Hall, internally ancient, new front 1790 (Jefferson, *Leath Ward*, 325).

Old dykes

- (a) :Cannerheugh dyke " and three round grey stones thereat " (Jefferson, *Leath Ward*, 327) .
- (b) Gamblesby manor boundary ; Parkin stones, long currock and House-in-the-scar (Jefferson, *Leath Ward*, 327).

Old roads:

12th cent. road running E. of Gamblesby (Lanercost Register, T. H. B. Graham, N.S. xxi, 48).

Dacre to Kirkoswald, and Penrith to Alston via Force Mill bridge, which was rebuilt 1360, C. 1530 and C. 1770, and ruined by 1855 ; remains visible (Rev. C. J. Gordon, N.S. xiii, 169).

Gamblesby village stocks (T. H. B. Graham, N.S. xxi, 48).

See [Pastscape](#) for much more detail on these and more entries (only 3 under Little Salkeld in total – though there may be some overlap with adjacent townships)).