Ancient Monuments in this township

1923 List

WIGTON

Roman:

- (a) altar (C.I.L. vii, 345) at Highmoor House.
- (b) altar, uninscribed, in the town; and see "Old Carlisle" under Westward.
- *Church:* St. Mary's, rebuilt 1788, restored 1880-82; stones and old beams in the tower; old pillars, etc. (from the church) at Mr. Dalton's tanyard. Stone "coffin or vault "with skeletons found 1880. A window (? from the church) in a cottage on the Highmoor estate. Great bell, 1789. Organ 1859 (Wilson Moore, *Hist. Wigton*). Brass to Col. Barwise, 1648; monument to John Brown, vicar, 1763.
 - (b) Waverton church, 1863.
 - (c) Friends' Meeting house, 1706, rebuilt 1829.
 - (d) Congregational chapel, 1819, now Infant School, Market Hill.
 - (e) Wesleyan chapel, 1828, converted into cottages, 1883, in George St.
 - (f) Congregational chapel, Water St., 1834.
 - (g) St. Cuthbert's R.C. chapel, 1835 -57.
 - (h) Oulton old chapel, rebuilt 1839, formerly Baptist, with graveyard-inscriptions from 1738. Near it a cottage, clay walls and lintel 1680 (*ibid.*).

Sites:

- (a) Dalston Lodge, in corner field W. of main road near Chapel House farm (ibid.).
- (b) Hospital of St. Leonard, mentioned 1385 (F. of F.)? at Spital.

Old road: Wigton to Kirkland and Spital (Wilson Moore).

Finds: undated carved stones, Highmoor House

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