

# Victoria County History (Cumbria) Project

## Form 2 (Institutions)

<b>Place</b> <small>(i.e. subject of VCH article)</small>	<b>Pre-1974 County</b> <small>(delete as appropriate)</small>	<b>Ward</b> <small>(delete as appropriate)</small>	<b>Ancient parish</b>
Dean Township	CUMBERLAND	Allerdale Above	Dean

### Checklist of sources to be consulted

*Please use the following abbreviations to indicate the source of information:*

1687 Denton OS 1 <sup>st</sup> ed. [1867 according to Carlisle librarian] OS 2 <sup>nd</sup> ed. [1901 according to Carlisle librarian]	1829 P&W 1847 M&W [for Cumberland] 1851 Mannex [for Westmorland]	1873 PO 1879 Slater 1901 Bulmer [for Cumberland] 1906 Bulmer [for Westmorland]
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### 1. Places of worship

St Oswald's Church, Dean [1687 Denton, 1829 P&W, M&W 1847, 1867 OS 1, 1879 Slater, 1901 Bulmer and OS 2]

### 2. Schools

A grammar school [1829 P&W]  
Grammar School at the church stile founded and endowed with £10 by John Fox (native of Dean but of the Goldsmiths' company London). Rebuilt in 1799 [M&W 1847]  
School and grammar school (endowed) [1867 OS 1]  
Grammar school and National school [1879 Slater]  
The Old grammar school (founded in 1596 by John Fox, rebuilt at the expense of his son in 1615) has been entirely removed. Also the National School erected by subscription 1863 and enlarged 1871 at a cost of £250. [1901 Bulmer]  
A school (not where the grammar school had been located on OS 1) [1901 OS 2]

### 3. Industrial sites

Mines and Quarries  
A quarry and coal pits on Dean Moor. [1867 OS 1]  
A coal owner was listed in the directory [1879 Slater]  
Colliery (drift) at Dean Moor employing 30 men [1901 Bulmer]  
Old quarries at Near Croft House [1901 Bulmer]  
Several old levels, an old shaft, old coal road, old quarry, quarry and tramway on Dean Moor. Collingdale quarry right on the boundary between Dean Moor, detached portion and the township to the west no 257 [1901 OS2]

Mills (specify type, e.g., corn; fulling; saw; woollen; cotton; paper)

The lord's mill [1687 Denton]  
A corn mill [1829 P&W]  
Saw mill near Collingdale quarry right on the boundary between Dean Moor, detached portion and the township to the west no 257 [1901 OS2]

Factories

Other

**4. Community Organisations** (e.g. friendly societies; working men's clubs; sports societies; literary societies; reading rooms)

Royal Oak [1829 P&W, 1847 M&W] Royal Yew [1901 Bulmer] Inn [1901 OS 2]

In 1596 John Fox bequeathed £150 and Mrs Fidler £100 in 1850 for the grammar school. In 1822 Mrs Robinson left £100 for the education of poor children. Mrs Fidler also left £100 to the poor of the parish. In 1882 Elizabeth Williamson left £317 to the national school.[1901 Bulmer]

**Other matters which might affect the length/complexity of the article**

Post office at Dean High Mains [1901 Bulmer]