

John Pelling Collection

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1. Photographs

A large box of miscellaneous and unsorted photographic prints, some in envelopes, and some in boxes

Contents:

- A green box labelled "SPAB Mill Tours": includes large bundle of photos by John Pelling. Some photos are b&w

Several envelopes of photographs. Includes:

- Unnamed mills: a large bundle of photos, unlabelled
- Unnamed mills (2): as above
- Unnamed mills 3): as above
- "Add to Aberdeen": a photo collection of miscellaneous mills (mixture of colour photos, and b&w). Most photos are labelled. Bundle starts with Pen Mill?
- Postcards: a miscellaneous collection of postcards (some filled in), showing photographs of various mills (UK)
- "Named mills": a collection of mill photos (most are unlabelled) – various locations. Includes some b&w photos of mill machinery
- Non-mills: a collection of photos (not mill-related)
- Dutch/Belgium (*sic*) 2001: an envelope of un-catalogued photos of Holland and Belgium
- Holland: 28 / 3 /1975 – 31/3/1975: Dutch windmill photos, some in colour, others b&w
- Outwood Mill, Surrey: photographic negatives

Wind Engine photos

- A large collection of photos of wind engines, arranged by county.

Miscellaneous collection of windmill photos

- A miscellaneous collection of windmill photos in a brown envelope
- Includes a large photo of West Chillington Mill, with notes confirming that West Chillington won the prize of "Best Kept Village in Sussex"

USA TIMS 2000

- A collection of US photos by the International Molinological Society
- Some are labelled with a date, others are not

Unknown/unsorted

- A large box of mill photos (several hundred photos)
- Some are labelled, others not, and includes mixture of UK and foreign mills

HMG Mill Tour list

- A list of mills visited as part of a HMG mill tour around Eindhoven, Netherlands, 1999

A birthday cake photo for "Frank's 80th Birthday"

2. Box A: Folders 1-8**Folder 1**

Four envelopes of mill photos (assorted counties)

Folder 2

Four envelopes of mill photos: EKMG, SIAS (Storrington area), Midland MG (West Midlands), and SPAB (Scotland/Aberdeenshire)

Folder 3

SPAB 1986 – South West Wales
SPAB 1986 – Essex
SIAS 1979 – Sussex
SPAB 1986 – Cambridgeshire

Folder 4

SPAB 1979, Lincolnshire: pocket-sized photographs (some colour, some b&w)
SIAS 2002, Essex: photos of Essex mills
SIAS 2004, E. Sussex: East Sussex mill photos
SIAS 2004, Hants: Hampshire mill photos (Longbridge and Longparish)

Folder 5

SPAB 2002, Leics/Notts: photos of mills in Leicestershire & Nottinghamshire
SIAS 2003, Sussex: photos of mills in Sussex
SIAS 2003, Essex: photos of mills in Essex
SIAS 2002, South London: photos of mills in South London

Folder 6

Watermills: West Midlands, East Anglia & Dyfed
Watermills: North & West
Watermills: South East and South
Watermills: South West

Folder 7

Windmills in the South – numbered, some labelled
Windmills in the Midlands & East Anglia – numbered, some labelled

Folder 8

Four envelopes of Windmills in Southern England: numbered

3. Box B: Folders 9 – 15

Folder 9

Four envelopes of Windmills in Southern England (numbered, some labelled with location and date)

Folder 10

SPAB Mid-Wales, 1980: mixture of b&w and colour photos of Mid-Welsh mills (numbered, and some labelled with relevant locations, taken during 1980)

Hertfordshire/ S. Bedfordshire: colour photos, numbered and labelled

Mildenhamp, 1980: b&w photos of Mildenhamp watermill, Worcestershire

West Sussex (Sussex Industrial Archaeological Society), 1980: photos of mills in West Sussex (numbered and labelled with relevant locations)

Folder 11

North Sussex, 1983: photos of mills in North Sussex (numbered and labelled)

Suffolk, 1983 (SPAB): Suffolk wind and watermills (numbered and labelled)

Miscellaneous, 1982 (SPAB): envelope incorrectly labelled "Nottinghamshire". Includes mills from several counties, including Worcestershire, Nottinghamshire, Leicestershire

South Devon (SPAB), 1982: Devon mill photos (labelled and numbered)

Folder 12

Mill photos – various counties

Essex, 1983 (SPAB): mill photos from Essex and Suffolk (numbered and labelled)

Essex, 1977 (SPAB): mill photos – mostly Essex, but some of Norfolk windmills (numbered and labelled)

Ashford area (Kent), 1983 (East Kent Mills Group): collection of East Kent mill photos

Miscellaneous (1983), SPAB: incorrectly titled "Worcs/Shropshire". Contains photos of mills from England and Wales, including Worcestershire and Monmouthshire mills

Folder 13

Mill photos – various counties

West Midlands, 1985 (Midlands Mills Group): collection of Staffordshire watermill photos

Hampshire, 2004 (Sussex Industrial Archaeology Group): incorrectly labelled. Photos are mostly of Sussex mills, and include several photos of Ifield watermill, Crawley)

Worcestershire, Gloucestershire, S. Wales, 1984 (SPAB): assorted mill photos

(labelled and numbered)

Storrington, 1985 (SIAS): small collection of Sussex mill photos

Folder 14

Mill photos – various regions

Windmills: Midlands/ East Anglia/ Dyfed: two envelopes of mill photos (some b&w) from various counties

Windmills: S/SE England: two envelopes of mill photos from various counties in Southern England

Folder 15

Mill photos – mostly Sussex

Central Sussex, 1995 (SIAS): photos of mills from central Sussex

Mid Sussex, 2006 (SIAS): small envelope of Sussex mill photos

West Sussex, 2005 (SIAS): small collection of mill photos from West Sussex

Norfolk, 1984 (SPAB): assortment of Norfolk windmill photos

4. Box C: Folders 16-20

Folder 16

Four envelopes of mill photos from various counties

Midlands/East Anglia/ Dyfed: two envelopes of mill photos

Watermills, South/ South East England: two envelopes of assorted mill photos from the South and South East*. Includes photos of the watermill at Michelham Priory, East Sussex.

(*Includes some Cambridgeshire mills)

Folder 17

Midlands/ East Anglia/ Dyfed: three envelopes of mill photos (various counties)

South/South East: selection of mill photos (various locations)

Folder 18

Windmills – Midlands/East Anglia/Dyfed: two envelopes of mill photos (various locations)

Windmills – South/South Eastern England: two envelopes of mill photos (Southern counties. Includes some old b&w photos from early 1900s

Folder 19

Watermills – Midlands/East Anglia/Dyfed: two envelopes of mill photos (various locations)

Watermills – South/ South East England: two envelopes of mill photos (various locations). Some b&w.

Sussex Mills Group postcards (issued 2003): a small envelope of postcards depicting windmills in Sussex.

Folder 20

Watermills – South/ South East: two envelopes of mill photos (various locations)

Watermills – South West England: envelope of mill photos from the South West

Watermills – North/West England: envelope of mill photos from Northern and North West England (various locations)

5. Box D: Folders 21-29

Envelopes of photos have been removed from folders.

Mill photos from SPAB tours:

North Yorkshire 09/1988
Warwickshire 05/1990
North Wales 05/1990
Anglesey/North Wales 06/-09/1991
South Oxfordshire 05/1992
Lancashire 09/1992
West Sussex 05/1993
Leicestershire 05/1994
Suffolk 09/1994
Norfolk 09/1994
Bath 09/1995
Oxfordshire/Berkshire 05/1999
Mid Sussex 10/2004

Mill photos from SIAS tours:

Kent 05/1989
Essex 07/1992
Sussex 08/1997
Botley Mill 08/1998
Ifield Watermill 10/2001
Mid Sussex 06/2002
Sussex 07/2002
Mid Sussex 04/2003
South London 07/2003
Mid Sussex 10/2003
East Sussex 04/2004
Sussex/ Surrey 05/2004
Out of county 07/2004
Sussex 04/2005
East Sussex/ West Kent 07/2005
Windmill Hill 11/2005
Mid Sussex 04/2006
Kent 07/2006

Other

Miscellaneous photo collection
Midlands/ East Anglia Windmills (two envelopes)
Watermills in the South of England: includes several photos of Botley mill, Hampshire, photos of two of the mills in Whitchurch (Town Mill and Whitchurch Silk Mill), and two 1981 photos of Eling Tide Mill, Hampshire (amongst others)

6. Photos from Mill visits, various countries

Photograph albums:

- *TIMS. 2000: 10th International Symposium, September 16 – 24, 2000. Stratford, Virginia, USA*
- *SPAB Trip to Flanders, 2005*
- *Mill Visits: France and Belgium, 1996*: various locations, most unlabelled. Includes contents list in the inside front cover of album, detailing all mills featured in this album. Also includes a separate envelope labelled "1996 Tour & 1975 Easter. Dutch Tickets": comprises a small collection of tickets.
- *Mill Visits: Dutch and French, 1960s – 1990s*: Includes a list in inside front cover, as follows:

1994	FNW – Dutch Tour	First 16 pages
		1
1997	Sluis	2
1996	Brugges	2
		2
1991	Valkenburg	1
1990	Brittany	1
1982	TIMS France & Paris	7
1975	Dutch Tour	2
1967	Paris (1965 – Belgium, distant view of mill. 1 slide)	End paper

- *Mill Visits F.N.W. Dutch, 1997*: Inside contents page reads as follows:

F.N.W. West Brabantse Mill Tour. June 5-9 th 1997				
Based at Bovendonk Centre. Hoeven, near Breda				
Mill no. visited				Inv no.
Thursday				
1	Hoeven	De Toekomst	Tower Mound	B 29
Friday				
2	Huijbergen	Johanna	" "	B 48
3	Halsteren	Sancto Antonio	" "	B 38
4	Heense	De Vos (The Fox)	"	B 65
4A	"		Oil Engine Mill on Hurst in own building	
5	Nieuw Vossemeer	De Assumberg	Eight-sided smock corn	B 64
6	Sint Philipsland	De Hoop	"	Z 12
7	Sint Annaland		Post	Z 15
8	St Maartensdijk	(De Nijveilaid, 1866)	Tower	Z 16
Saturday				
9	Ouid Albas		Tower Drainage scoop wheel	ZH 166
10	Ouid Albas	De Hoop	Tower corn	ZH 167
11	Bleskensgraaf		Hollow Post Drainage Screw Lift	ZH 168
12	"	Tjsker (built by Aart Schouter)		

12 A	"		Oil Engine Lifting Drainage Mill. In own building	
13	"	De Vriedschap	Tower Corn. Boat Loading	ZH 170
14	Streefkerk		Hollow Post. Scoop wheel	ZH 165
15	Kinderdijk		" " "	ZH 155
15	Kinderdijk		Smock & Tower Mills (1-18)	
Sunday				
16	Roosendaal	De Hoop	Post Corn	B 82
17	Nispen	Van Arden	Van Reit Sails Tower Mound	B 84
18	Wouw	De Arend (Eagle)	Tower (Flags on)	B 114
19	Roosendaal	De Twee Gebrulders (the Two Brothers)	Tower stage	B 83
20	Bosschenhoofd	De Heimolen (Beehive) in forest	Tower mound	B 45
21	Etten Leur	new mill on old base	Tower stage	
22	Etten Leur	De Zwartenburg	Tower Drainage	B 30
23	Princehage - Breda	Viede En Hoop	Tower - tallest in world	
Monday				
24	Zundert	De Akkermolen	Post (open trestle)	B 582
25	Bavel	De Hoop (millwright at work)	Tower Mound	B 452
26	Den Hout	De Hoop (Petes Mill)	Tower Mound	B 482
27	Terheijden	De Arend (Eagle)	Tower stage	B 528
End of Tour				

- *Mill Visits, 2002*: Includes mill and landscape photos from August 2002 (various locations)
- *Windmills - abroad*: An album of mill photos from various countries. Includes:

France (including a large collection of windmills in Brittany)

The Azores, Portugal

Crete

Cyprus

Holland

Paros and Rhodes (Greece)

Spain

Sweden - Malmo smock mill

Canary Islands - Lanzarote

Majorca

Paris - includes a re-produced sketch (originally by Van Gogh), of le Moulin de la Galette, Montmatre, 1886

Normandy, France - windmill photos

USA, Florida and California

Holland - a series of reproduced paintings of windmills

7. Miscellaneous

Bundle of non-photographic material. Includes:

- Small envelope containing notes issued by Barnham Mills (John Baker) – notes on pig rearers and sow breeders
- Plastic pouch containing notes on farm produce, Frank Ayling, Terwick Mills, Rogate, Sussex
- Notes from Rawlinson Bros. (H.J. Rawlinson)
- Invoice regarding request for 100 sacks of oats, lent to a Mr. Atlee, March 1874
- "*Particulars and conditions of sale*" regarding the sale of a post mill, cottage, and associated land, to a Mr. Henry Gates, 5th September, 1864
- "Particulars" for the proposed sale of Beeding Mill, (a grist mill in Beeding, Sussex), along with a "*cottage, stabling, land, and out-buildings*" (no date)
- Sketch of a wind turbine, buildings, and a river (in background). Signed "Martin Hardie" (a nineteenth century artist), no date
- Poster advertisement for Bradleys (Speldhurst) Ltd, Speldhurst Mills, Tunbridge Wells, Kent (an animal feed seller, still in operation today)

Receipt for advertisement in West Sussex Gazette, 1867

Bundle of photographs (Essex and Sussex mills): An assortment of photos of Essex and Sussex mills. Of particular note is a photo, mounted on a card, of Sullington Mill, taken the day before the mill burned down, on May 20th 1910. Also of notes is an A5-sized photograph, showing Selsey Mill, Sussex

Miscellaneous photos: An assortment of miscellaneous mill photos, various locations. Of particular note is a photo of the drainage mill at Ashtree Farm, Great Yarmouth (1951), then the only working drainage mill remaining in Norfolk (built in 1912), and which was wrecked during the 1953 East Coast floods

Cambridgeshire mill photos: A small collection of Cambridgeshire mill photos by John Pelling. Includes:

- Interior of the woad mill or Parson Drove, near Wisbech, Cambridgeshire
- Stacks of woad at Parson Drove
- The Pumping Engine & House, Haddenham, Cambridgeshire, c. 1897
- Entrance to the Woad Mill at Parson Drove, with the horse attached to the mill wheel
- Cleansing and widening the xxx, Engine outfall? Cambridgeshire, July 1910

Telegrams: A collection of telegrams by a Mr. Whitehead, Owston Ferry, dating from the 1890s

Envelope containing later copies of old photos of windmills, most copyright Edward Reeves, photographer, Lewes. Also photo of the opening of restored smock mill, Chailey, by Princess Alice, Countess of Athlone (see programme of opening ceremony, Mills Archive library).

Handwritten lists of mill meetings/tours:

- SPAB Mills Section members meetings, 1930-2006, 4 pages
- SPAB Mills Section members meetings by venue with no's of attendees, 1 page
- TIMS symposiums, tours and visits, 1965-2007, 2 pages
- Acorn Walks, 1993-2006, 2 pages
- Wey and Arun Junction Canal and Arun Navigation visits, 1962-2006, 3 pages
- SPAB Mills Section one day mill tours, 1953-2006, 2 pages
- SPAB Mills Section weekend tours, 1971-2007, 2 pages

8. Photos of High Salvington Mill

Scans of 1181 photos of High Salvington Mill by John Pelling, 1975-2006. Originals held by High Salvington Mill.

9. Photographs of mill tours

- East Anglia mill visits and holidays 1: 1973-1988
- East Anglia mill visits and holidays 2: 1991-2002
- European mill visits 1964-2003
- FNW mills visits: Netherlands 1994, France and Belgium 1996, Netherlands 1997
- HMG mills visit, Eindhoven, Netherlands, 1999
- KMG tour, France and Belgium, 2001
- Norfolk, 2002

SPAB tours

- North Yorks, 6-9 Sept 2001
- Lincs/Leics/Derbys, 17-20 May 2002
- Hampshire, 29 Aug-1 Sept 2002
- Essex, 31 May 2003
- Dorset, 28-31 Aug 2003
- Norfolk, 22 May 2004
- Devon, 2-5 Sept 2004

10. 35mm slides

Includes:

Slides of English wind and watermills stored in small slide boxes by mill or county

Slides from Netherlands mill visit Easter 1975

Large box of slides from SPAB mill tours. Contains images from following tours:

- Staffordshire, May 1973
- Kent, May 1974
- Cheshire, Aug 1974
- Oxford, May 1975
- Kent, May 1976
- Northumberland, Sept 1976
- Essex, May 1977
- Norfolk, Aug/Sept 1977
- Leicestershire, June 1978
- Cumbria, Sept 1978
- Molicon, 1979
- Sussex, 1979
- Lincolnshire, 1979
- Bedfordshire/Hertfordshire, 1980
- TIMS France, 1982
- FNW Holland, 1994

(Box 2 and 3 have been merged)

11. Large items

British Railways poster 'See England by Rail: Cambridgeshire'

London Underground poster 'The two mills, Outwood, Surrey'

Poster 'The Miller's Trail' with map of mills near Bury St Edmunds

Poster with cross section of smock mill

Large print Muggeridge photo of Alconbury mill from 1948 SPAB exhibition at V&A