

Summary Sheet

P.1 Born in Crosthwaite, 1905. Father - butcher and farmer. Moved to Underbarrow

P.2 Recollections of funeral around 1907/8.

P.3 Moved to Staveley. Attended private school on Serpentine

Road, Kendal.

P.4/6 Grandmother's dress. Home-made petticoats and underwear.

P.6 Church. Grandfather lay preacher, Barrowfield, Underbarrow (chapel). Church at Underbarrow

P.7 Chores - gathering sticks, poultry

P.8 Market in Kendal.

P.8/9 Day trip to Morecambe. Sister Hetty organist.

P9/10 First cars. Father's butching van.

P.10 Visit to Grasmere Sports. Stepmother's dress.

P.11 Flag floors, butter making.

P.12 Superstitions. Staffing of farm. Hiring fairs.

P.13 Life during 1914/18 War. Flu epidemic 1918.

P.14 Sleeping arrangements.

P.14/15 Underbarrow School.

P.15 Old cures. Dancing classes/dresses/balls.

P.16 Christmas parties.

P.17/18 First wireless/gramophone. Food.

P.19/21 Cooking, kitchen range, diet.

P.22 Private school activities.

P.23 Acting as maid, unpaid.

P.24 Stepmother sick. Decides to leave home.