

SOMERSET COUNTY MUSEUMS SERVICE SUMMARY LIST OF ACCESSIONS 1993

All the Service's collections are regarded as a single resource of material evidence relating to Somerset's past and natural environment. Anybody wishing to inspect any of the objects listed is requested to make an appointment with the appropriate keeper, and to quote the accession number(s). Most of the social history collections are dealt with at the Somerset Rural Life Museum, Glastonbury; all other enquiries should be addressed to the County Museum at Taunton Castle or the Museum Education Service at Weir Lodge, 83 Staplegrove Road, Taunton, as appropriate.

Acquisition methods: B = Bequest; D = Donation; E = Exchange; L = Loan; P = Purchase; T = Transfer

Note. For items donated before 1993, the year follows the donor's name.

ARCHAEOLOGY

36/1993	P	ATKINS, M.	Bronze box mount, 11th century, animal head decoration.
46/1993	D	REDUNDANT CHURCHES FUND	Medieval stained glass fragment, possibly from crucifixion scene, from St Michael's church, Seavington St Mary.
47/1993	T	BOURNE HALL MUSEUM	Collection of prehistoric flints from Mendip Hills, ex. T. Walls collection.
139/1993	D	1992	St Mary's church watching brief finds, 1992, excavated by R. and L. Adkins.
143/1992	D	J. SAINSBURY PLC: 1992	West Hensford evaluation finds, 1992: medieval and post-medieval sherds, excavated by R.P.S. Clouston.

ART

010675	L	BLENSDORF, P.	Wooden carving: Spanish dancer by Blensdorf.
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SOCIAL HISTORY

1/1993	D	TUCKER, R.	2 photographs of a group of women outside Abbey House, Glastonbury.
3/1993	T	SMITH, Mrs J., and WAKEFIELD MUSEUM	Postcards depicting Glastonbury Abbey from the west and the Cliffs, Cheddar.
4/1993	D	WYLLIE, Mrs A.	Metal part of patten
5/1993	D	DEBENHAMS PLC	Service wheelchair, ex. Chapman's of Taunton.

6/1993	D	BROCK, Mrs E.L.	Bibby's soap tablet; Boot's luggage tags (5); Dennison luggage tags (packet); pencil in case, advertising Hadfield's fertilizers; Pen Mill writing pad by Snell, Yeovil.
7/1993	D	ANON	Postcards (2): Chard High Street; Church of the Good Shepherd, Furnham, Chard; Photograph: Stoke St Michael Mothers' Union, c. 1930.
8/1993	T	SPINK, Miss D., and WAKEFIELD MUSEUM	Tobacco growing leaflets, 1948; gardening leaflet, 'New Centaureas', by Jarman and Co. of Chard.
10/1993	D	COLLYER, H.	Somerset and Dorset Railway point changing bar used by R. Poore of Glastonbury.
11/1993	D	HUMPHRIES, Mrs	Photograph of Glastonbury Carnival, c. 1938, hand-painted.
12/1993	D	BARTLETT, E.O.	Double-barrelled 12-bore shotgun by F.W. Payne, Glastonbury, c. 1900, used by C.G. Bartlett.
14/1993	D	GROVES, W.	Pair of ox yokes.
15/1993	D	JAMES, N.	Cast iron pig trough, used at Abbey Farm, Glastonbury.
16/1993	D	TUCKER, Mrs E.M.G.	Hat brush by Thorne Brothers, Wiveliscombe.
27/1993	D	LANE, C.	Paraffin wall lamp, primus stove and cooking stove used at Puriton.
28/1993	D	CHISLETT, H.G.	Print of a charabanc outing depicting the Market House Inn, Glastonbury.
29/1993	D	WHITEHEAD, B.E.W.	Bull horn trainers and post auger used by Mr. A. Whitehead at Parbrook, c. 1890. Enamel advertising signs for John Robinson animal feeds and Brooke Bond tea.
30/1993	D	THOMAS, E.J.	Pair of black leather 'Be-Dry' farmworkers' boots.
31/1993	D	WELLS MUSEUM	Cast iron boiler, brick and stone fireplace, and stone trough, all from The Brewhouse, Wells Museum.
40/1993	D	CLARK, Mrs H.	Latin-English lexicon used by James Clark, 1871.
41/1993	D	WHITCOMBE, T.	Hay grab; Sheldon's Quarterly Review magazines (2 issues for September 1962 and June 1962); veteran car rally programme, Priddy to Burnham on Sea, 1959; Fison's fertilizer leaflet, 1960-1; Farmer and Stockbreeder magazines for 1952-70. All formerly used by G. and J. Brown, Canada Farm, Shapwick.
42/1993	D	BROWNING, H.J.	Saw-sharpening vice, c. 1850.
43/1993	P	TACCHI-MORRIS FOUNDATION	Collection of domestic and social items dating from 1940 to 1970 including: saucepans, teapots, warming plates, and pressure cookers.
50/1993	D	DENMAN, Mrs M.	Salter tray used at Bowldish Farm, North Curry, c. 1940-50.
51/1993	D	GLARE, Miss M.	China and compo doll by Shoenu and Hoffmeister, Germany, 1909; jigsaw puzzles, 1901-20; bisque,

			compo and fabric doll by Recknagel (?), Germany; fur fabric bear; dressed peg dolls (3); board game called 'Sorry', 1901-20; card game, 1901-20; game called 'The Great Galuphus', 1901-20; wooden pencil box with sliding top, 1901-20; small tin world globe, 1901-20; mechanical toy bird, c. 1900;
52/1993	D	GLARE, Miss M.	Grey/white china tea set with cups and saucers (4), teapot, jug and bowl; blue china tea set with cups and saucers (2), plate, teapot, jug and bowl.
56/1993	D	THOMAS, R.F.	Reproduction prints (3): 'Six 20th Century Layers and their Eggs'; 'Three views of a typical White Wyndotte'; 'White Orpington Cock'. All published in The Poultry World, November 1912.
57/1993	D	SOUTHWAY, A.	Galvanised baby bath.
58/1993	D	RICE, Mrs E.	Women's Land Army items worn by Mrs Dora Betteridge in the 1940s, including brown leather shoes, tie, badge, armbands (2), and stripes; photograph of Mrs Betteridge in WLA uniform.
71/1993	D	ALDER KING, Messrs	Livestock marking stick.
72/1993	D	ABRAMART, Mrs M.	Thorne's toffee tin; decimal currency conversion table, 1971; Ever Ready front and rear bicycle lamps, c. 1960.
73/1993	D	WALTER, Mrs L.	Herb chopper, c. 1900.
83/1993	D	LAMB, R.C.	Wall clock advertising Hovis bread, formerly in Chilcotts Bakery, Taunton, c. 1910; oak firkin; coffee grinder.
84/1993	D	OVEY, K.	Women's Land Army pay requisition, 15th January 1943.
85/1993	D	THURLEY, J.	Somerset wagon formerly used by Harold Garland, Meare Green Farm, Stoke St Gregory.
89/1993	D	PERKS, Mr and Mrs O.H.	Lidded wicker basket, c. 1900.
101/1993	D	BANWELL, C.	Board of Agriculture and Fisheries booklets for 1911-12; Books: 'Modern Farming', vol. 7; 'Cattle, Sheep and Horses', 1882; 'Dairy, Pigs and Poultry', vol. 4, 1884.
102/1993	D	TRANSPORT AND GENERAL WORKERS UNION	National Union of Agricultural Workers (Whitelackington Branch) banner, 1948; photograph of the presentation of the banner, 1948.
103/1993	D	WEEKS, A.	Leather hedging mitts.
104/1993	D	BAYLY, J. and V.	Rag rug by V. Bayly, c. 1982.
105/1993	D	ROSE, Mrs M.	Perambulator.
107/1993	D	DUNNING, R.W.	Glastonbury Friendly Society pole: black painted pole surmounted with a wooden book.
109/1993	D	DEVIZES MUSEUM: 1993	White glazed mug, with robin on floral sprig, inscribed 'RODE'. Made by South Devon Pottery, Newton Abbot.
114/1993	D	SHEPPARD, Mrs B.	Radiogram by REGENTONE, sold

			by Vowles of Shepton Mallet, c. 1955; Bakelite ashtray, c. 1935; Frear's biscuit tin; Wright's biscuit tin; Vic medication jar, c. 1950; iodine bottle, c. 1960; boric acid ointment; Snowfire healing tablet; Burgess lion ointment; Euflavine dressing, c. 1944; standard no. 8 dressing. Brass door knocker, Arthurian cross shaped. Women's Land Army issue pruning saw. Steel-rimmed spectacles and case.
117/1993	P	ROBINSON, P.	
118/1993	D	FOOTE, Miss P.	
120/1993	D	GOULD and SWAYNE (SOLICITORS)	
170/1992/1	D	TEEK and DUCKETT (<i>per</i>): 1992	Bygones, flail, bar, etc.
172/1992	D	STOODLEY, Mrs D.	Labour certificate of F. Pope, Thorney, Langport, 1914.
171/1992	D	DUCKETT: 1992	Smock and hat.
COSTUME			
21/1993	D	KING, Miss M.A.H.	RAF officer's uniform jumper worn by Flt. Lt. H.K.H. King during Second World War (<i>see also</i> collection 84.DD.95)
43/1993	P	TACCHI-MORRIS FOUNDATION	Collection of costume accessories, dating from 1950, to 1970 including: hats, handbags, gloves, umbrellas, hat trimmings and handbag accessories.
53/1993	D	WIDGER, E.	Black velvet cloche hat, 1920; Black velvet cloche hat, feather-trimmed, 1920s; costumier's box, Henry Heath, Newton Abbot.
54/1993	D	LONGSHAW, K.	White cotton crochet text on blue velvet, made by Mrs. M. Forward, Castle Cary.
68/1993	D	ADAMS, Miss J., and WELLS MUSEUM	Paper and wood fan, c. 1868, bird and leaf design, ebony guard sticks; Mauchline ware pin cushion, with scenes of Minehead and Dunster; hand-tinted (?) photograph of woman in chair, c. 1872-5; pale green cotton drawstring reticule; carved peach stone necklace, green stained.
69/1993	D	WILLY, Mrs E.M.	Blue silk dress, c. 1958; brown silk dress, c. 1958; navy rayon dress, c. 1940, printed 'S' design by Vanity Vogue; black lace evening dress, c. 1958, by Mary Black; cream long knitted(?) silk mittens.
70/1993	D	BESLEY, P.	Steel skirt lifter, late 19 century, used by Cordelia Payne, Kilve.
134/1992	P	VIVIAN-NEAL, R.: 1992	Costume collection: grey/beige dress, bodice and jacket.
178/1992	D	WHITING, J.E.: 1992	Lady's black Victorian umbrella.
MILITARY			
SLI/1446-7			No. 4 .303 rifles (2) (deactivated) and .303 Bren machine gun (deactivated) (for display in Somerset Light Infantry Museum).

NUMISMATICS

32/1993	D	HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN	Set of 1993 Maundy coins (4).
39/1993	P	WHITMORE, J.	Frome Co-op check, 1lb loaf; Bridgwater public house check, 1895-1920 (Three Crowns Hotel).
45/1993	D	YOUNG, D.	Twerton Co-op checks (2); Bath and Twerton Co-op check.
106/1993	D	WEST SOMERSET MUSEUM and MORCOM, D.	Minehead public house check (Red Lion Inn).
115/1993	P	WHITMORE, J.	Ilminster public house check (Railway Hotel); Radstock Co-op 1 pint milk check; Radstock Co-op 1 pint milk check; Radstock Co-op half pint milk check; Frome Co-op check, 1lb loaf.
124/1993	D	EDWARDS, Mrs K.	Coin collection: Edward VI 1s, 1559; Elizabeth I half groats (35 coins); Elizabeth I 3d, 1575; Elizabeth I 6d, 1591; Elizabeth I 1d, 1561-82; Elizabeth I 1d, 1575; Edward III groat (2 coins); Edward III groat; Edward III 1d; Henry VIII groat, 1509-26; Henry VIII groat, 1544-7; Henry VIII groat, 1544-7; James I 6d, 1665; James I farthing token (Lennox issue) (2 tokens); James I 6d, 1604-7 (Irish); Elizabeth I 6d, 1563; Elizabeth I 6d, 1592; Mary groat, 1553-4; Charles I 1s, 1640-1; Charles I 6d, 1640-1; Charles I 1d, 1631-2 (1st milled issue); Charles I 1d, 1631-2 (1st milled issue); Charles I 1d, 1631-2 (1st milled issue); Charles I 20d, 1637-42 (Scottish); Charles II crown, 1677; Charles II crown, 1677; Charles II half crown, 1671; Charles II 1s, 1677; Charles II 4d, 1678; Charles II 4d, 1683; James II half crown, 1686 (1st bust); James II 3d, 1687; James II 4d; James II half crown, 1690 (gunmoney); William III 5s, 1695 (1st bust, 1st harp); William III 5s, 1696 (3rd bust, 1st harp); William III 1s, 1697 (3rd bust); William III 6d, 1696; William III 6d, 1697; William III 6d, 1700; William III 6d, 1696; William III 4d, 1698; Charles II 3d, 1680; Charles II 2d, 1672; Anne 1s, 1711; Anne 6d, 1711; George I 6d, 1723; George II 1s, 1758 (2 coins); George II 6d, 1739; George II 6d, (old head); George II 6d, 1757; George II 6d, 1758; George II 1d, 1750; George III 1s, 1816; George III 6d, 1819; George III 6d; George III 2d, 1786; George III 1d, 1800; William IV 1/2d, 1834; William IV 6d, 1831; William IV 6d, 1836;

William IV 4d, 1836 (3 coins);
 William IV 1/4d, 1831, (3 coins);
 Victoria 6d. (young head); Victoria
 Maundy 3d, 1838; Victoria 4d, 1855;
 Victoria 4d, 1854; Victoria 4d, 1840;
 Victoria 4d, 1855; Victoria 4d, 1840;
 Victoria 4d, 1843; Victoria 4d, 1849;
 Constantine I Ae4 (Lyon); George IV
 coronation medals, 1820 (2 medals).
 [Note. This collection specifically
 donated to the Somerset
 Archaeological and Natural History
 Society.]

PLATE

37/1993	P	BEET, B.	Silver serving spoon by R. Hamlin, Taunton, c. 1700.
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NATURAL SCIENCES

98/1992	D	HICKMAN, Mrs: 1992	Mineral: Asbestiform hand specimen from Zimbabwe.
99/1992	D	KING, Dr A.: 1992	Rock and fossil: Specimens of bone bed from Blue Anchor Point.
101/1992	D	ENGLISH NATURE and KING, Dr A.: 1992	Fossil: Ichthyosaurus sp. <i>A. bucklandi</i> ; biozone, Lower Lias, Hinkley Point. Field collection by Somerset County Museums staff.
165/1992	D	CARTER, N.:	1992 Plant and Funi: <i>Ganoderma lucidum</i> ; attached to roots of <i>Salix</i> sp. (willow), Poundisford.
166/1992	D	LUTTRELL, Col. W.: 1992	Fossil: Ichthyosaurus sp. Middle <i>A. bucklandi</i> ; biozone, Lower Lias, Kilve. Field collection by Somerset County Museums staff with the kind permission of Col. G.W.F. Luttrell.
33/1993	D	LEVY, E.T. and D.A.	Insects: collection of Somerset Syrphidae (hover flies) (119 specimens).