

Audley Historian, no. 28

A Civil War Minister: John Smith of Cooper's Green, Audley, Clive Millington

The first Audley Historian article relating to Barthomley tells the story of a minister during the period of the English Civil Wars and includes the history of the Smith family before, during and after the civil wars.

The Silk Road to Silverdale, 1826 –1892, Julie Bagnall

A detailed article on the silk industry in Silverdale.

A Preacher Passes Away and a Teacher Passes Through: Two Methodist Influences in Audley, Ian Bailey

Time spent in Audley by the Rev. John Hickling (with references to John Wesley and Sammy Brindley) and schoolmaster Samuel Goodland Gwynne (with a connection to the cover photo).

Up From The Coalface: Caleb Johnson 1871-1949, Di Anderson

The life of Caleb Johnson, born in Wood Lane, who became manager of Park Hall Colliery in Longton.

Growing up in the Thirties and Forties, Agnes Collins

Recollections of growing up in Halmerend and attending Orme Girls by a member of the Riley family (Riley & Sons and Halmerend post office).

At the Orme Girls, 1943-50, Joan Tomkinson

By coincidence, more recollections of Orme Girls School.

Recollections of New Springs Farm, Beth Sutton and Alfred Ford

A follow-up to the article in last year's journal about New Springs Farm in Talke.