

## Local Tradesmen

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## Silloth & District Community Transport

Don't forget this is a voluntary service provided for the use of registered groups, with trained drivers and there are facilities for able and disabled people alike. The minibus also features a tail lift, making it easier for wheelchair access. To book the vehicle please contact Rachael Blackburn on 016973 32679.

## More Memories of Days Gone By

We also had a coal Chute to put cargoes into steamers to go across to Ireland. We had slate boats, bringing cargoes from Wales. The "Harlow Plain", "Enid", "Sybil Mary" and the little "Pandora" the smallest of the four.

We had Fisons Chemical Works too, which brought us some big ship loads of "Phosphate", "Sulphur Ore", "Basic Slag" and "Kaynet".

Last but not least we have Carrs Mill making flour and cattle foods, all the wheat and maize used to be shipped by Monks of Liverpool their names were all called after women except the "Shoreham", "T.P. Tilling" and the "J.J. Monks", the women's names were "Alice",

"Gertie", "Florence", "Claretta", "Clara Monks", "Isabelletta", "Elizabetha", "Susetta", "Queenie", "Madie" and "Agnes Ellen".

Carrs used to send a shipload of flour to Belfast about every three weeks but that stopped when the war started and that order was never repeated. We used to load Schooners with bran and pairings, it was stored in the long shed where the Cubing Plant is situated now. There was the "General Havelock", "Twin Sisters", Harvest" and the "Solway Lass".

We also had our own tugboat called the "Petrel" stationed here. Her job was to help the big ships enter the port, also tow out the Schooners and take out the dredging hopper to empty in the deep-water channel.

## Buzz Joke

*A visitor to the Lake District lost his way in the mist and wandered about the squelching mountain side for three days. At last the mist lifted slightly and in the distance he saw a man striding along with a shepherds crook in his hand.*

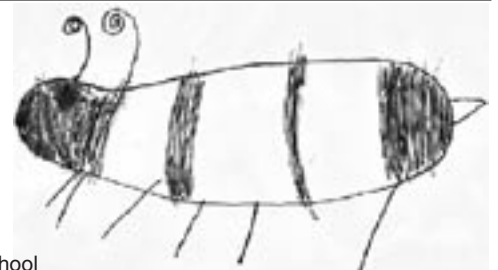
*"Help, Help" he called. The man waited for him to come stumbling along. "What's the matter?" he asked.*

*"I'm lost" said the visitor pitifully. "I've been lost for three days."*

*"Is there a reward out for you, do you think?" asked the local.*

*"Oh, I shouldn't think so"*

*"Well, ye're still lost", said the local, and walked off into the mist.*



Bertie Bee  
by  
Rowan Pierce  
aged 6  
from  
Holme St. Cuthbert School