

MD 454

**Letters & related papers to Jane Taylor of Knowle House Mirfield
mainly from Louisa Mortlock of London together with notes, correspondence
& transcriptions etc. by J.T.M. Nussey on the background to the collection
includes**

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Pedigree of Ingham & Taylor families

1697-1880

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Correspondence sent to the Taylor family (32 items)

c.1811-1841

2/1

**Baker to Miss Taylor - requesting her to accompany Mrs Ingham
on Friday**

n.d.

2/2

**J.C.Mortlock to Jane Taylor – re health of Thurlow and other members
of the family**

1839

2/3

Alice Taylor to Jane Taylor – family news, mention of the Ikin family

19 Oct n.y.

2/4

**Account of deeds executed by Miss Jane Taylor
(these refer to the Tyersall estate)**

22 July 1841

2/5

**H Taylor to Jane Taylor – comments of Janes sea crossing from
Bristol to Cork, acquaintances on holiday in Scarborough, friends**

1837

(see MD454/2/28 for second part of this letter)

2/6

Anne Lister to Jane Taylor – news from home re family & friends

n.d.

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2/7

**Henry Taylor to James Taylor – news of him having applied for a sergency with the Westmoreland Regiment, requesting his father for the necessary money
22 Apl 1811**

2/8

**H Taylor to Mrs Ingham – news of Henry's illness – no hope for him
c.1830**

(see also MD454/2/27)

2/9

E Stone to Jane Taylor –re trip to Tottenham yo see the house – details of garden, plants etc.

May 1834

2/10

Bessy Stone to Jane Taylor – trip to Weymouth to see her new school, Visits to Portland & Chesil Bank, visit to theatre to see 'Les Tableaux Vivant' (description)

n.d.

2/11

Louise J.P.Penrose to Jane Taylor – re shopping (ribbon, lace & bonnets)

n.d.

2/12

Jane Haigh to Jane Taylor – invitation to stay at West Field

n.d.

2/13

H Taylor to Jane Taylor – news of friends, permission to bathe but not to learn swimming

n.d.

2/14

Jane Haigh to Jane Taylor – re two receipts sent for Janes aunt

n.d.

(see MD454/2/30)

2/15

Ruth Wood to Jane Taylor – re an admirer

n.d.

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2/16

**Bessy Stone to Jane Taylor – family news, garden, additions to the library
n.d.**

2/17

**Aunt H Taylor to Jane Taylor – family news, visit to Sir John Mortlock
invitation to Ireland**

5 Jan 1837

2/18

Geraldine Penrose to Jane Taylor – family news

n.d.

2/19

J Taylor to Mrs Taylor – re china

n.d.

2/20

T Tempest Taylor to Jane Taylor – thanks for present of cap & gloves

17 Oct 1839

2/21

?? to Jane Taylor – thanks for texts, death of a child (? at school)

n.d.

2/22

M Ingham to Jane Taylor – family news

11 Feb 1837

2/23

**G Ingham to Jane Taylor – re James health, invitation to stay instead
of returning to school**

n.d.

2/24

Geraldine Penrose to Jane Taylor – family matters

n.d.

2/25

Bessy Penrose to Jane Taylor –family news

n.d.

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2/26

Unsigned to Jane Taylor – visit to the courts at Westminster

n.d.

2/27

H Taylor to Mrs Ingham – death of Henry, possibility of post mortem

n.d.

2/28

Concluding part of letter (see MD454/2/5)

1837

2/29

M Wainhouse to Jane Taylor – news of local families (Halifax)

16 May 1838

2/30

Two receipts – to preserve apples, (see MD454/2/14)

n.d.

2/31

Mr Nevin to the Ladies of Mirfield & Hopton – thanks for purse presented to him

3 Feb 1840

2/32

Lines to the memory of John Joseph Harris

1829

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Transcripts of the Taylor letters (MD454/2/1-32)

4/1-13

Copies of letters from Louisa Mortlock to Jane Taylor (13 items)

1837-1841

4/1

Details of travels to Scotland, Rutland, Notts, & Cambridgeshire

1837

4/2

Account of William's funeral, future plans

1839

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4/3

William's (Thurlow) winter in Malta & his illness

1839

4/4

**Copy of Mrs Copelands letter enclosed with previous letter
(MD454/4/3)**

4/5

Details of Xmas party, family news, relationship with Thurlow family
1840

4/6

Complaining Jane has not written for three months

1840

4/7

**Valentine cards. Description of brooches for bridesmaids
at the wedding of Queen Victoria**

1840

4/8

Death of Maria Thurlow, description of a ball at Staines

1840

4/9

Whether to marry a clergyman, elopement of Lord Drumlanrig

1840

4/10

News of Mr Donaldson, life at Heringfleet

1840

4/11

Eleanor Mortlake's wedding & presents

n.d.

4/12

Refusal to go to Harrogate, riots at Dewsbury

1840

4/13

Valentine verses sent to friends

1841

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Miscellaneous notes relating to the collection.

Notes on Knowle House.

Chronological list of the Taylor letters.

Account of main events concerning Jane Taylor of Knowle House (3 copies)

Extract from the journal of Dr. John Simpson of Bradford 1825

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Correspondence to & from Mr Nussey relating to his research into the Mortlock & Taylor families

/7/1-5

Pedigrees & notes relating to Swire (MD454/7/1), Godolphin (MD454/7/2)

**Withington (MD454/7/3), Wallis (MD454/7/4), Stone (MD454/7/5) families
(5 items)**

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Miscellaneous notes

includes

Will index information

Extracts from Brasenose College Register, Oxford

Post Office directories

1871 census returns for Westbury & Great Elm

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Map of New Wimbledon

1865-6

Map of Wimbledon

1892-4

(photocopies)

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Booklet – ‘The Crawshaws of Cyfarthfa’ pub. Merthyr Tydfil Heritage Trust

/11

Pudsey Civic Society news sheet containing article on ‘Tyersal & its Mirfield connections’

1986

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Extract from ‘Victorian Country Parsons’ – The Rev. Sydney Godolphin Osborne 1808-1889

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General notes

including

Extracts from Burkes Landed Gentry re the Crawshaw family

Pedigree – The Baker – Mortlock connection etc.

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Notes relating to the Taylor family from Parish Registers

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General notes & correspondence relating to family research

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Notes relating to the Cunliffe-Lister family

/17

Notes relating to Jane Taylor including extracts from Wakefield Archives

Deeds Registry

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**Notes & correspondence mostly between Mr Nussey & Mr Mortlock re
the Jane Taylor letters**