

REVIEW

Glenys Crocker, *The Godalming Water Turbine*, The Godalming Water Turbine Trust, 1986, £2

The Fourneyron water turbine originally located at Catteshall Mill was declared a Scheduled Ancient Monument in 1980. SyAS Research Volume, 8 (1981) by Alan and Glenys Crocker gives the history of this site and some details of the turbine. However in 1981 redevelopment of the site resulted in the Thames Water Authority requiring the turbine be removed as an obstruction to the river Wey. The removal of the turbine to a site by Westbrook Mill for conservation provided an opportunity for a detailed study of its construction previously only deduced from underwater examination in the murky waters of the river Wey. A charitable trust was set up in 1983 to preserve the turbine and it is hoped to provide a permanent display for it. The trust have prepared this booklet with details of the turbine and its significance. Illustrated with 18 pictures this booklet complements the Research Volume report.

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