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Strippers, Ostlers and Gentlemen: Talk by Nigel Mussett

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Timed to mark the publication of the Giggleswick (St Alkelda's) Parish Registers 1800 - 1999, this illustrated talk will focus attention on what the parish registers tell us of the occupations in which our predecessors were engaged in Settle and Giggleswick between the years 1840 and 1900. Some other aspects of local Victorian life, such as the impact of the cotton mills and consequent changes in population, will also be touched upon. The limitations of the parish registers in providing such details of our social history will be considered and a light-hearted quiz has been devised to round off the evening.

Event: 18th April 2015, 7.30 pm, at the Folly

Tickets £7 bookings 01729 822893

[Ends; photograph below/attached]

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