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Mr Smithson

Remembers father saying old Joe had the bobbin mill at Cunsey - apparently owned it.

Mr Henry Booth

15 Brendjean Rd,  
Morecambe

~~Mrs~~ Mrs Sellers

16 Miles Platting  
Manchester

Mr Hall

13 Russell St  
Lytham St Annes.

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Joseph Robinson,

Son of Alf

His father taught up to about 1928 or 9. The class at Dolphinstone was one of the last, & had to pass the fiddle because classes were so poorly attended.

Old Joe's parents died about his age of 14 or 15, & then he became a bobbin-turner at Cunsey. Thinks father was born at Cunsey. Father <sup>Alf</sup> never worked until age of 21 - always worked for father. Don't know where he came from

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Joseph & Margaret Robinson

Manned Dec. 25th, 1861.

Stanton Butterby Robinson B 26 Feb. 1863 // Oct 9. 1902.  
 & Jane Smith Oct. 18. 1883.

Margaret Jane Robinson, B 16 July 1865 / ~~11 July 1915~~

Thomas Stanton Oct 11. 1890

Matthew George Robinson B 3. April 1868

D. 3 Aug. 1873.

John Thomas

B 6 Feb. 1871.

Catherine Elizabeth R.

B 8 May 1873. D. 1942

Mary Ann ~~R~~ R

B 27 Aug. 1875

D 1. Dec. 1879

Joseph William R.

B 21 Oct. 1877.

Robert Henry R.

B 11 Oct. 1879.

Albert Threlfall R.

B 18 Aug. 1882.

Let him know if I trace the family  
further back.

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Mrs Frances Gray (nee Allen), c. 57

Born & brought up in Kendal, & so did her parents. Her parents were both dancers, & used to go to Airey's dances up entry lane. They were ballroom dancers, & couldn't step-dance. Probably learnt from Airey. Her parents taught her to dance before she went to T.C. Mrs. Gray went to ~~T.C.~~ Tommy Cannon about 1916-7.

She was one of his first pupils in Kendal - in Blackhall Yard. The others were 3 Hoggart Reels, Tommy Robinson, John Wright.

This was probably his first class in Kendal, & there were only a few pupils. The class was 4½ - 6½, Tuesdays, Thursdays, & Saturday afternoons. A quarter was 13 weeks, & the fee was 10/- for the quarter. On the Friday of the last week was the ball. Then after a gap of 2-3 weeks, he would start again.

Mrs Gray started the dancing at the age of 10. Kept on until she left school (at 14). Just before she left school she took on overflow class for him for a quarter. She had little ones from c. 7-10.

St Georges Hall in Blackhall Yard, ~~at~~ he had the ~~biggest~~ (At that time St Georges Hall was a theatre, & T.C. had the lower hall. During the war there were