



**MORECAMBE BAY PARTNERSHIP
HEADLANDS TO HEADSPACE ORAL HISTORY PROJECT
2015-2018**

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TRANSCRIPT SUMMARY

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INTERVIEW NO: H2H2016.11
 INTERVIEWEE NAME/S: Beryl Leek
 YEAR OF BIRTH: 1936
 INTERVIEWER/S: Rose Clark
 DATE OF INTERVIEW: 18/01/16
 LOCATION: Cark
 SUMMARISER: Jan Bloomer

Track 1	
00.00-01.05	Name, DOB, details of parents
01.06-03.50	Early memories of life in Flookburgh. Description of neighbours and relatives nearby.
03.51-04.48	Descriptions of the main fishing families in Flookburgh
04.49-06.26	Nicknames of fishermen.
06.27-08.24	Work activities to supplement fishing.
08.25-09.32	The effect of the war on fishing.
09.33-11.14	Shrimp picking in the home.
11.15-12.20	The horse used to pull the shrimping carts.
12.21-13.30	Preparation of the shrimps prior to picking.
13.31-16.30	Activities of children in their leisure time.
16.31-19.50	School life in Flookburgh.
19.51-20.37	Adapting to life at Grammar School. Loss of local friends.
20.38-21.55	Names of horses. Feeding the horses.
21.56-22.59	Fishing seasons for fish, shrimps and cockles.
23.00-24.13	Description of the 'Jumbo' used for cockling.
24.14-25.50	Stocking up in Summer for hard times in Winter.
25.51-27.25	Growing your own veg. Selling shrimps and veg at Barrow market.
27.26-33.45	Boiling and picking shrimps. 'Riddling'. Division of labour between men and women.
33.46-36.05	Rare visits outside Flookburgh. Going on the train.
36.06-36.55	Buying fishing equipment.
36.56-37.44	Cartmel races. Highlight of the year. Everybody went!
37.45-39.55	Families who continued fishing after the war.
39.56-45.00	Beryl's work after leaving Grammar School.