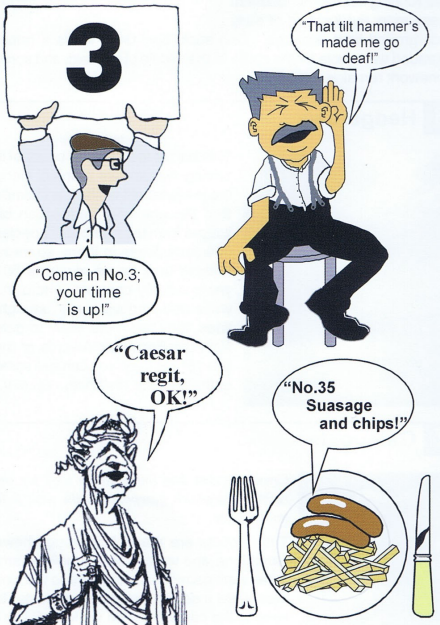


Where, in Sheffield, would the following quotes give you clues about the history of the area?



The answer, of course, is in the valley of the River Porter, and its tributary, the Mayfield.

This leaflet describes a walk of about 1½ miles, over lanes and public footpaths, which will enable you to trace some of the history of the landscape.

There are several stiles along the route, but the less nimble can appreciate much of the landscape from the public roads.

The walk may be varied by simply following the paths and roads on the map, with due regard for road safety and landowners' property.



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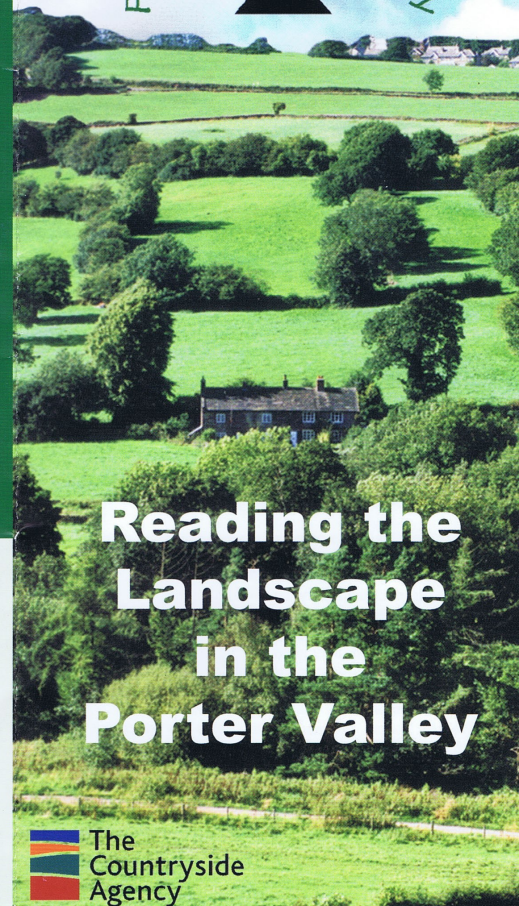
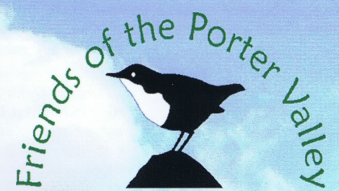
The Friends of the Porter Valley have produced several reports on the archaeology and ecology of the valley contact the Hon. Secretary.

The dams are described in Water Power on the Sheffield Rivers edited by David Crossley, Sheffield Trades Historical Society/Sheffield University Division of Continuing Education, 1989 127pp.

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