

**Omeath Mill Book, 1805, 1808**

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**Title:** Omeath Mill Book

**Dates:** 31 Jul 1805 - 30 Oct 1805, 08 Dec 1805, 10 May 1808 - 11 May 1808

**Level of Description:** Fonds

**Extent:** 1 item, 8pp

**Name of Creator(s):** Omeath Mill

**Admin/Biographical History:** Omeath Mill was the corn mill in Ballinteskinn that is recorded on the first six-inch edition of the Ordnance Survey map in 1835-36. It is recorded as disused in the first twenty-five inch OS map of Co Louth which was surveyed in 1907-09.

**Archival History:** The item was transferred from Buxton Museum and Art Gallery in the UK to Louth County Archives Service in 2023. No previous archival history is known.

**Scope and Content:** Lists the spending of O'Meath Mill. It includes expenses for materials such as nails, timber, stone blocks, labourers etc, names from whom some materials are supplied from and names of labourers or masons, 31 Jul 1805 - 30 Oct 1805 (4pp); a further page contains two entries referring to a latitat (writ summoning an appearance) at a legal suit, 10 May 1808 - 11 May 1808 (1p); the inside page contains 'a method for the tidesmen to keep their accounts of delivery of goods from on shipboard' which consists of a printed list of items with amounts such as pipes, buits, puncheons, etc, possibly issued by the harbour commissioners (1p); and the back of the book contains the Omeath Toll for 8th December 1805 and the Carlingford Toll for June [1805] (2pp).

**Subject index:** 19<sup>th</sup> Century; Business Records; Industry and Commerce; Labourers; Mills; Trade

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