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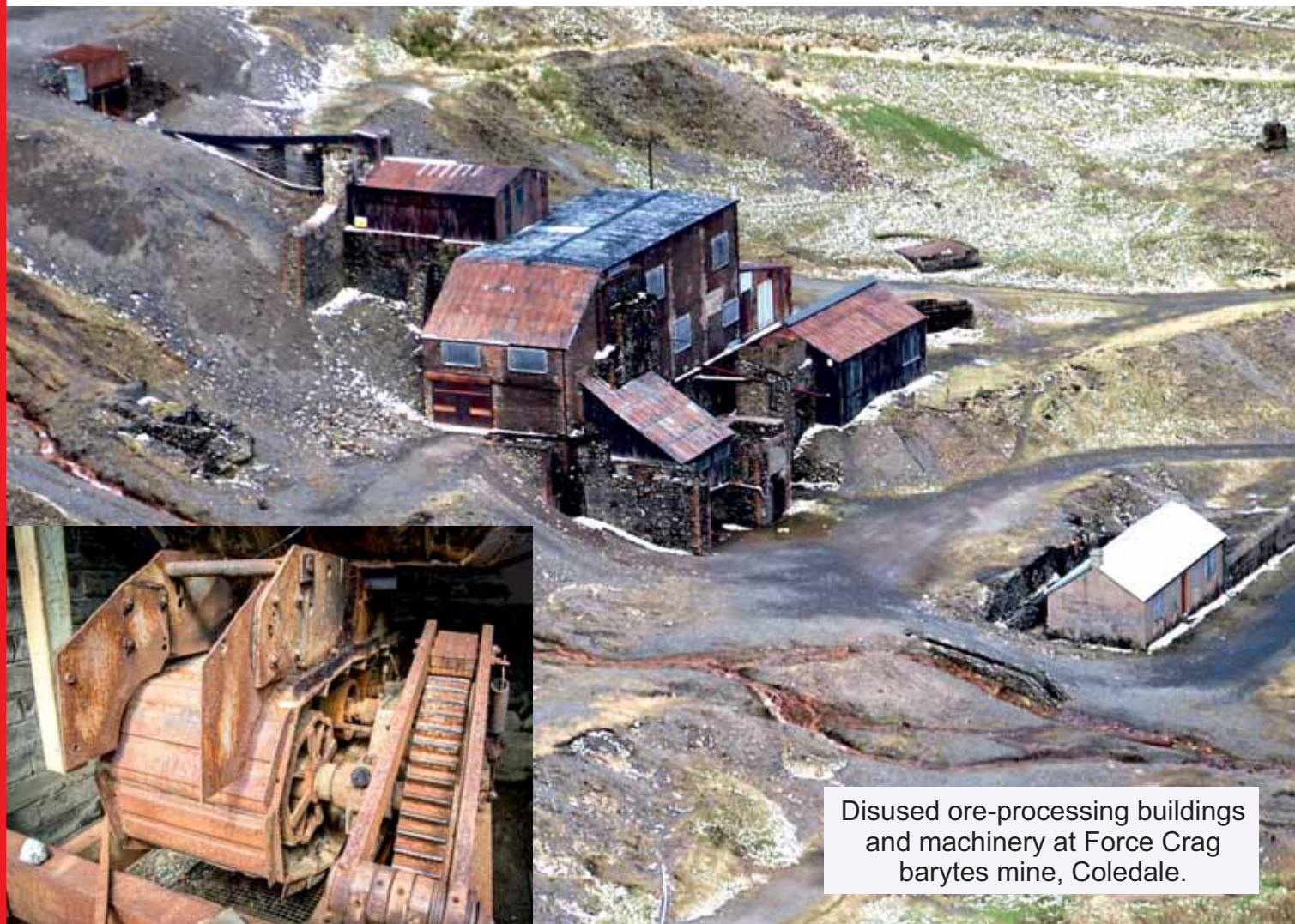
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Cumbrian Minerals

by Ian Tyler

Yew Tree Hall, High Lorton on Thursday 13th July, at 7.30pm

Honister, Force Crag, Hodbarrow, Coniston: these are just some of the mines that once made Cumbria the centre of an extensive mineral extraction industry. Ian Tyler, a local historian specialising in mining history, highlights key aspects of this story.



Disused ore-processing buildings and machinery at Force Crag barytes mine, Coledale.

Visitors are welcome at £3 including refreshments

The next talk is on 14th September, by Kathleen Jones : 'A Passionate Sisterhood.'