



William BEAN

(1787 - 1866)

A pioneer in the study of Yorkshire geology and he amassed a significant collection, particularly from localities in the Scarborough district that was utilised by Young and Bird (1822); John Phillips (1829) and Morris and Lycett (1851-55).

Bean's specimens are often accompanied by distinctive oblong paper labels, frequently gummed to the specimen, written in a neat rounded back hand and surrounded by a ruled brown ink line. Specimens in EM(NH), Yorkshire Museum, Scarborough Museum and Melbourne.

