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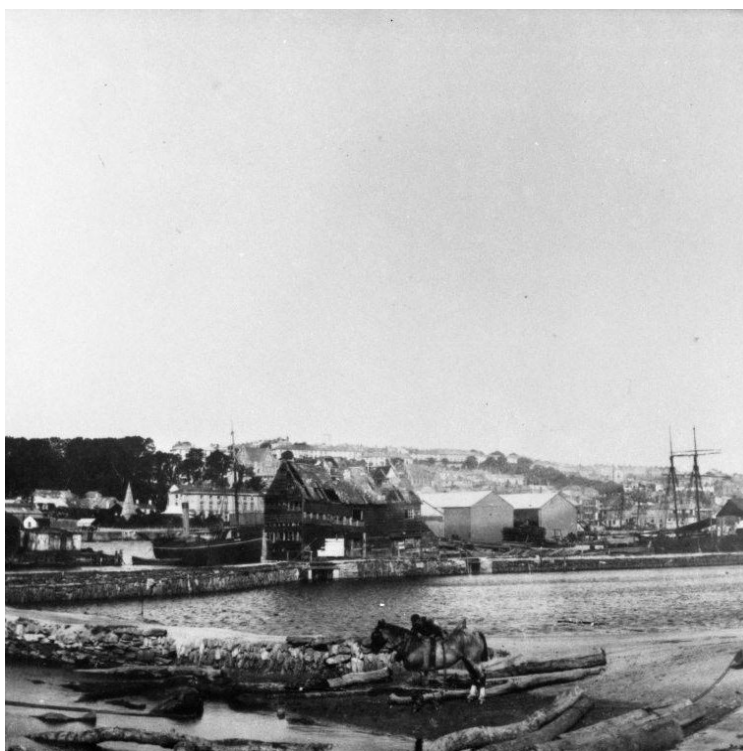
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It's been a busy year!

Here at the Falmouth History Archive (FHA), this week and next, we thought we'd like to share with you some of our 2023 highlights.

Our exhibition Shoreline: Where Sea meets Land, which explored the history of Falmouth's shore-based buildings, businesses and homes. Held in the Spring Gallery at The Poly in February, with FHA volunteers stewarding the event, our five-day exhibition was visited by over 400 people!



Photograph from the exhibition showing the Tide Mill, and the Mill Pool where timber was floated to season it before use. Just visible on the skyline is The Observatory which, with financial support from the Poly and other organisations, operated as a meteorological observatory from 1867 for several years.

Photograph from Brian Osborne's Images of the Past collection number 382.

Responding to almost 120 email enquiries from members of the public, including some from Australia, New Zealand and the USA.

Uploading collections to the National Archive's catalogue Discovery, an online resource which holds government and public records from the time of the Domesday Book to the present day.