

1906: The postcard describes the location as Taxal church, Whaley Bridge

1938: Mee, in *The King's England* described 'a magnificent yew 20 feet round'.

2005: The female yew grows ESE of the church. It consists of a horse shoe hollow shell with a low broken wall around it, so that the base is hidden. An additional piece of stump will probably not last much longer.

Much of the original trunk remains to a height of between 5' and 8' and new growth in the form of tall rising branches is attached to this.

Girth was only 15' 5" close to the ground but increases considerably a few feet above the ground.

