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The Mill

(formerly listed as Corn Mill Buildings
Stonyhurst College)

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II

Mill and store, 1840 with later C19th additions. Sandstone rubble with rock-faced sandstone dressings and slate roof. 3 storeys. Main block of 3 parallel pitched roofs running from north-west to south-east. Adjoining to the south-west is a later block with 2 pitched roofs in parallel, but not extending as far to the south-east. Lower additions to the south-west. The building thus presents 5 gables, with copings, to the north-west. Under the 2 left-hand ones are wide tall doorways with segmental arches having projecting keystones. Above each are 3 small window openings with plain stone surrounds, the 2nd gable also having a loading door. The part of the building under the 3rd gable appears at the rear to be original, but is straight jointed on the front wall. It has a 3-storey loading door, now partly blocked, and 2 windows with plain stone surrounds and glazing bars. The 2 later gabled sections at the right have windows with plain stone surrounds and glazing bars, and a door on the ground and 1st floor. The rear of the original portion has small openings with plain stone surrounds on each floor. The south-east wall has a central loading door on each floor, the ground floor one not having a plain stone surround and being roughly broken through.

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St. Mary's Hall

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Preparatory school, built as seminary in 1830 and extended in 1880. Sandstone ashlar with slate roof. 3 storeys with attics. The central 11 bays, their middle 3 bays projecting, form the earliest part of the building. They have chamfered quoins, sill bands and a hipped roof with moulded cornice. The windows are sashed with glazing bars and plain stone surrounds. The door has a plain stone surround with semi-circular head, attached Tuscan columns, plain frieze and moulded cornice. The additions of 1880 comprise 7 bays on each side of the central block, detailed to match the original building. At the rear is a chapel with semi-circular apse. Inside it has a barrel-vaulted ceiling, Diocletian windows, paired Corinthian pilasters flanking the apse, and mosaic decoration.