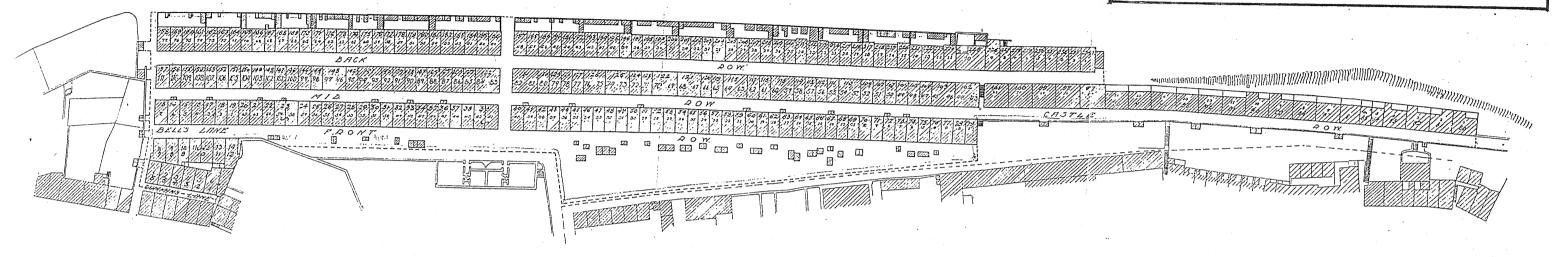
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PLANS OF "NEW HOUSES" WHITEHAVEN

Around 1788 work was commenced on the building of some 266 miners dwellings in the "Ginns" area of Whitehaven.

By 1849 when Robert Rawlinson published his report on the water supply and sanitary condition of the town "New Houses" were unbelievably squalid. Various improvements were effected, but the long rows of tenements were not demolished until 1947.

These plans of "New Houses" were drawn up in 1935.



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