



I. SORBY.

TRADE MARKS.



Fig. 20. Turner, Naylor & Marples trade marks, I. Sorby

W. & C. Wynn & Co.
142 Suffolk Street
Birmingham
(1813–1872)

W. & C. Wynn & Co.
Century Works
Commercial St.
Birmingham
(1872–1889)

William and Cornelius Wynn were established by 1796. They were “brace, bit, compass, pincers, hammer and heavy steel toy makers” (Warwickshire, by William West, 1830). The ‘Century Works’ was so named to commemorate 100 years of the company. They finally combined with Richard Timmins & Sons in 1889 to become Wynn, Timmins & Co. Ltd. Makers of some finely finished small adjustable wrenches.

Wynn, Timmins & Co. Ltd.

Century Works
Commercial St.
Birmingham
(at 1897)

The company was formed in 1889, a combining of W. & C. Wynn and Richard Timmins & Sons. This was in turn taken over by Balfour Darwins Ltd. of Sheffield in 1969.

Manufacturers and factors of a comprehensive range of handtools including some smaller adjustable wrenches, some called ‘Century’, probably after the works name.

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An article on English wrenches will be published at a future date.