

Lighting: Then and now

THEN	NOW
A mill in Northern England where, at the age of 12 or 13, young people would be expected to work in spinning and weaving mills from dawn to dusk under fairly harsh conditions. Oil lamps, gas lighting and natural daylight were the main types of lighting in use in 1885.	
An accountant or bookkeeper from Victorian or Edwardian times would have to work by daylight or candlelight.	
An early miner would have to use a davy lamp to see when working underground.	

