MORE BOILER EXPLOSIONS

Drawing of destruction of “Egg-Ended” boiler and buildings at George Williamson’s Bridgefield Mill, Rochdale, 15th July 1854, 10 killed
“Historic Steam Boiler Explosions,” Alan McEwen, 2009
(CIBSE Heritage Group Collection)

Boiler explosion at Dean Engine Mill, Rossendale, Lancashire 9th June 1858, 3 killed: Helmshore Local History Society
Boiler explosion at Hembrigg Mill, near Leeds, 27th June 1863
9 killed: Leeds Intelligence, 4th July 1863
Aftermath of boiler explosion at Rose Bank Bleachworks, Ramsbottom, Lancashire, 7th April 1873, none killed: Helmshore Local History Society
Remains of Lancashire boiler after explosion at John Town & Son’s Bobbin Mill, Bingley, West Riding of Yorkshire, 9th June 1869, 15 killed

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Destruction of Hewett’s Wharf, Barking, Essex after boiler explosion 6th January 1899, 10 killed: Alan McEwen Industrial Heritage Collection
After the boiler explosion at Lord Brothers, Canal Street Works, Todmorden, West Riding of Yorkshire
21st January 1875, 7 killed: Todmorden Antiquarian Society

Destruction at Balbardie Colliery, West Lothian after two boilers exploded
19th January 1895, 2 killed: West Lothian Council
Boiler explosion at Beaver Mills, Keene, New Hampshire, USA
22nd May 1893

Boiler explosion at St Mary’s Hospital, Passaic, New Jersey, USA
15th July 2006)