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Hon Secretary ROBERT J BURDEN
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Dear Mr Williamson,

I understand that you are interested in local history of Bridge. I am interested in the brewing aspect of the village.

I have references to the following-

Mutton R. Bridge 1859-1862
Williams, William; " 1839-53-65
" " " ; J; " 1854
Gibbs; Edward and Edmund
Bridge 1870-1875.

These refs are taken from local Kent Directories.

Brewers Journal May 15th 1873

Edward and Edmund Gibbs. Dissolution of Partnership. Brewers and Innkeepers, Bridge Canterbury.

I have a reference of R Mutton in Canterbury at the Newbawn Brewery, Northgate in 1865-1870.

I hope this may be of use to

you and add to your local collection.

The reason I send this is in the hope that you may also be able to help me in my quest for information on local brewers.

I believe that the Plough and Harrow Inn may had a brewhouse attached but of course do not have any concrete proof or photographs.

If any else comes to light I will pass it on to you. It may be of help.

Yours Sincerely

Robert J Burden