

Newark.

Bridge Pluck Picture at Averham Park Notts

Kent Messenger 1941	KD 314	NBR B.41/651
High 50	KD	
	KD 313	NBR B41/658

"Primrose Cottage" (= Ship Inn).

AA 46 / 4909 Photo of water splash & bridge

41 Bridge Down
Bridge
Canterbury CT 4 5 BA
March 1999

Dear

Trip to St Omer

As you may well have noticed from the apparent cheapness of the cost of this expedition, an error has occurred in the transcription of the price on the way to publication, and two digits have been reversed: the true advertised cost should be **£21.50, NOT £12.50.**

We are most sorry for this unfortunate error, but as a voluntary body devoted to raising funds for the National Trust we cannot, as you will certainly recognise, afford to run the trip at a loss for £12.50 a head!

Would you therefore please

EITHER, send a further cheque for £9.00 per head in the enclosed stamped addressed envelope together with the tear-off slip below;

OR, return the slip with an indication of your withdrawal from the trip. Your initial cheque will then be returned to you immediately.

If no slip is returned you will be assumed to have withdrawn, and your cheque will be returned after the ballot.

Arrangements for booking remain otherwise as advertised and as explained in the current issue of the Newsletter for March 1999.

Many thanks for your forbearance, and with apologies for any inconvenience,

Yours sincerely,

Dorothy Raraty

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Please indicate

EITHER: I enclose a supplementary cheque for £..... for the trip to St Omer

OR: I no longer wish to participate in the trip to St Omer at £21.50 per head.

Signed..... NT membership Number.....

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BRIDGE

(2)

[K.A.O. U438/T 27] Abstract of title of Susannah, Martha Francis, Ellen Eliza, Emily and John Gilbert JOHNSON to a corn windmill, cottage, land ... situate at Bridge.

[19th 20th Jan'y. 1830] to 2. ... And also all that corn windmill and other the buildings then lately erected and built on said piece ... of land ... by & at the sole costs and expences of James Ashenden. [He was a farmer of Eastling]

James Ashenden d. ~~14~~ 14 Sept^r 1832?

2 over

Ashenden mortgaged the mill to Ann & Sarah Gurnes; Ann died & Sarah sold her interest to Thos. Sladden.

5 Jan'y 1849 sale of mill etc. to Thomas JOHNSON of Bridge, miller. Benjamin JOHNSON miller of the city of Canterbury is also concerned in this agreement - he was son of Benjamin.

23 Dec^r 1874 transfer of mortgage of £500 from George Adams to George Fryer, miller of Bridge. who occupied this mill and married one of Thomas Johnson's daughters.

Benjamin Johnson d. 16 Nov. 1865

19 Annoted copy 7/10
/10 Ex tr. Folkestone Herald

(2a)

Saturday 7th and 25th 1933
(w "1936" photo). 2nd Filippi photo from
Coles Farm.

~~19-26~~

From Puggidge Collection:

538251	- 31-3-34
538252	3-12-39
538253	3-12-39-

Charles F Routledge b 1839
St Dunns Fields

Francis T. Vere b 1843

— Sun before: Sat after.

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C.P. Davies Collector
of Mill Newmarket
Kent

SCKM 3

7 Photos

1 PIC

1 Cutting

8 Notes on Bridge Mill

8 Notes of mill & village

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D.W. Puggidge Mill Photos

1 538251 / 52 / 53

21/3/34 // 3/12/39 // 3/12/39

19/Notes Duchas /12 ~~windshaft~~ ~~tapering from top~~ (3)
W centre thus >

/20
1839 John

19/Bridge 20/10/54

c/1 windshaft 11'4" long, consists 9 x 1'2" / " tapering from tip to
centre thus >

BRAKE WHEEL - Clasp armed, wood geared, 1'2 centre face $3\frac{5}{8}$ pitch 3"
BRAKE - WOOD

wood curb - iron truck wheels.

Upright shaft in two parts - upper iron, with iron wallower &
wood sack drive - wallower four iron arms. face 4" pitch 3"

Lower part w/shaft wood, octag. clasp armed wood, spur wheel
3 face 1'2" pitch. Found men on the site - they commenced to demolish
it [orig. continued on leaf with account of Borham new sweeps - same
day.

/20/[page from notebook]

Pilels? Cleggett?

1839	P(igt?)	Johnson, Thomas
1847	B(agilaw)	" "
1852	K(elly)	" "
1858	M	Huxstet, Gilbert
1859	K	Fryer George
1862	K	Fryer Thomas
1866	K	" G
1874	K	Fryer George
1878	K	Fryer George
1879	Holm	Transf'd from Geo. Fryer to Messrs. Johnson
1880	"	Transf'd from Messrs Johnson to White (over)
1882	K	Wm White
1890	K	"
1895	K	" wind & steam
1900-1907(c)		Wm <u>Mainwaring</u>

F 123052 / 1 as Coles Field (2)

£12.60

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12 as NMR AA 78/1566

To be copied / 3 NEW

To be copied / 4 NEW ca 1950

/ 5 as No 3, but darker

/ 6 as No 2.

To be copied / 7 as NTR Jan 1933 (back to front??)

/ 8 Bridge from church Dealow p/c.

To be copied / 11 Photo of spur wheel.

/ 12 P.D. Wed 20th October 1954 For men on site

commenced demolition ~~on~~ Friday 15 October 1954 w' help
of a crane and it was down to the main work at the time of
my visit - about 1.30 am on Wed 20th October

One of the men remembered it at work and spoke of A. Peggden
being the last journeyman there

There remained on the site at the time of my visit
the cast iron windshaft 11' 4" long, casters 9" x 1' 2 1/2"

Brake wheel wooden, clasp armed, wood geared,
cast 1 ft 2" deep, coys 3". pitch 3 5/8" in face

Brake - wood; curb - wood; iron truck wheels.

Upright shaft - in two parts; upper part iron

carrying iron wallower, w' wood ring to drive sack
hoist. Wallower had 4 arms, coys 3", pitch 4" in
face. Lower part of upright shaft wooden, octag. in section,
spur wheel wooden, clasp armed, 1 1/2" pitch, 3" in face.

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Kentish Gazette 7 July 1818; 1d To be sold by p.c. ALL neat.
CORN WINDMILL, diving two pair of stones, and machinery complete and
a storehouse near... both in good repair, as the same are standing...
on a piece of land at Bridge Hill... now in the occupation of Mr John
Fagg, milled. The said corn windmill and storehouse must be
taken down and removed by the purchaser, on or before the sixth
April next...

13/;; K.G. 2 Dec 1808; 1c MILL ROBBED, whereas in the night of
Wednesday last, the 30th November, the Mill belonging to John
Fagg, on Bridge Hill, was broke open by forcing the hinges of the
door, apparently with an iron crow or chisel, and a
Quantity of flour with two SACKS marked 'J. Fagg, Bridge Mill'
were stolen thereout and traced for about half a mile across the
fields, leading towards Canterbury by Patrickestone.
Whoever can give information so that the offender or offenders
may be convicted, shall receive a reward of TWENTY POUNDS
from the aforesaid John Fagg.

K.G. 18 July 1808; 4a WANTED, A journeyman wind miller -
Inquire of John Fagg, Bridge, July 18, 1808

14 K.G. 8 Octr 1791 'Cleggitt, milled and baker, Bridge, takes
this opportunity of returning his most grateful acknowledgements to the
neighbouring gentry and inhabitants of Bridge for the many part
favours received in the above branches: at the same time begs
leave to inform them, he has just opened a corn-chamber's
shop, and hopes by the strictest attention to every article
of his business, he shall be able to merit their future as well
as past favours. Beans, Peas and Barley, to be sold ready-ground.
N.B. Gentlemen who keep dogs may be supplied with oatmeal,
in any quantity, on the most reasonable terms.

K.G. 8 July 1791 Tuesday was married at Boxley... Mr George Clegggett, miller & baker at Bridge, to Miss Frances Parks, at Boxley.

K.G. 12 August 1791 WANTED. An apprentice to a Miller and Baker - a stout healthy lad, of a creditable family.
Apply to George Clegggett, Bridge

K.G. 26 October 1792 G.C. advertising for a sober miller.

/16 K.G. 2-5 Sept. 1789 4d. Wednesday last died in Bridge's Alms House, in this city, Mrs Pilcher, aged 94, mother of the late Mr. Pilcher, miller, of Bridge

K.G. 10-14 Oct 1788 1c Adv. for sale of furniture of the late Mr John Pilcher, Baker, at Bridge.

/17 K.G. 13-17 April 1787[a]: Wanted a man who understands the business of a MILLER and BAKER... He may have constant work and good wages by applying to John Pilcher, at Bridge

/18 K.G. 26-30 May 1786: 4d. On Sat last was committed to St Dunstons goal... John Kent, of this city, miller, charged on the oath of John Pilcher, of Bridge, miller and baker, with having stolen out of his mill in the Parish of Patricdowne, a bag, containing upwards of one hundred ~~lb~~ weight of wheaten flour...