



# SUSSEX BOOK CLUB

## NEWSLETTER 45

*Founded by David Arscott*

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## NOW IS THE TIME TO SAY GOODBYE!

It is with much regret that I have to announce my retirement from running the Sussex Book Club. Many of you know the club was founded by David Arscott and then Judy Moore took the reins. Judy wanted to pass it on, and though I was exiled in North Derbyshire, I had no wish to see the club fold. Distance and health problems have made my trips home infrequent. I am sorry not to have been able to organise more club outings. The good news is: the club is returning to Sussex to be run by my good friend Jonathan Taylor who lives in Storrington. Some of you may have met him on our trips to Battle and Rottingdean? He also produced the wonderful website for the club, so I know members are in safe hands.

I am always happy to help Sussex authors with their projects and must make special mention of two who have had great success with their books: Lynn Lawson with *THE HOUSE ON THE CLIFF* and Amanda Sanders with *BEYOND THE JET AGE: THE LAMBRETTAS*. Lynn's book is about Seaford, where she lives and I hope to work on her next book later this year.

I have always collected little snips of useless information about Sussex: Ignoring smuggling, Sussex crime was probably no worse than many inland counties, though

the following extract from the *TOURIST'S GUIDE TO THE COUNTY OF SUSSEX* by George F Chambers, published in 1891, shows that suspicion remained, 100 years after the extracts in this book.

"The most serious drawback to Seaford is the civility on the part of the real 'natives.'

This last-named characteristic is reputed to be due to the lawless wrecking spirit which survives to the present day, derived from former generations of inhabitants, notorious wreckers and smugglers, plus the corruption of morals induced by men's votes having been worth £1000. There is still discernible among the people of Seaford a mixture of cringing servility and vulgar bullying..."

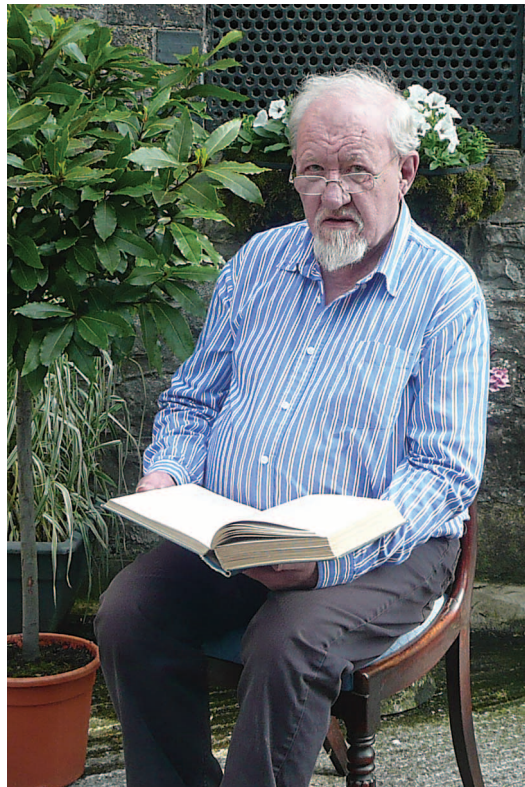
One hopes that Seaford inhabitants were waiting the return of George Chambers with a lynch mob!

I hope you all find something you like in my final newsletter – your orders are always welcome, no matter how small.

I have also included in this newsletter a list of a few secondhand Sussex titles for sale. I only have one copy of each book so please check with me before sending cheques or money. Tel: 01629 640867.

Happy reading,

*Dick Richardson*



# A MOLE LIKE NO OTHER Julia B Grantham

Self-published ISBN 9798694878722 Paperback 216 x 280mm 136 pages **£4.99.**

**Not available through the Book Club – order from bookshops**

**T**his book is for children age 5 – 10 and was written to be read to kids by parents, older siblings or carers. Children love the adventures and all the silly mistakes the characters make; parents notice more subtle jokes and literacy references to famous books. It just works. I also want to mention my wonderful illustrator – Carol Wellart. She loves painting nature and animals.

My book is a story of a toy mole, who in the beginning doesn't even have a name. The girl he was given to as a present, threw him under the bed with the words "an ugly old mole". Eventually he ended up in a box of unwanted toys and spent quite a bit of time there. But, our mole believed that there were better things in store for him and waited for them to happen.

Mercifully for the mole, he'd found a new home, new family and many new friends; and although he hadn't ventured very far from the garden – yet! – he'd found plenty

of adventures!

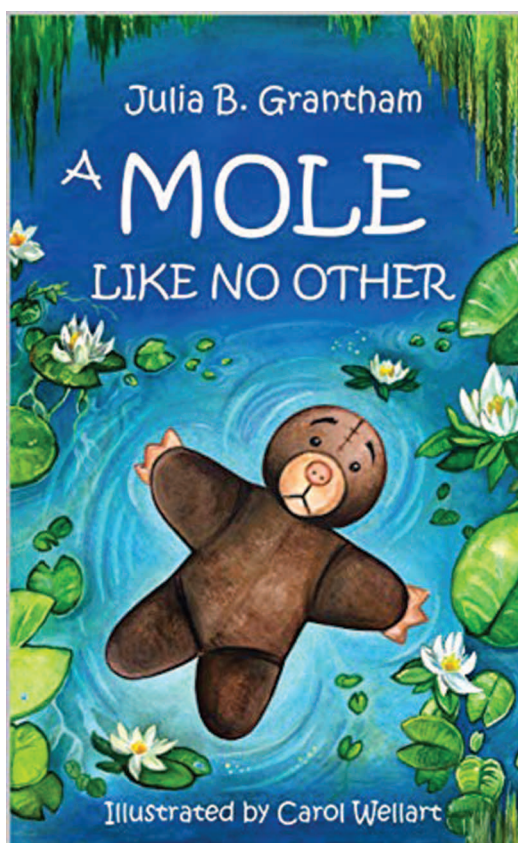
Julia is an Ambassador for the world-wide charity The Jane Austen Literacy Foundation, where she supports the work and life of

Jane Austen. The key word in that is 'Literacy', the purpose of the Foundation is to harness the world-wide passion for Jane Austen to provide literacy resources to communities in need.

Through her work, Julia has met, and is now friends with, Jane Austen's great neice, who lives in Australia and joined the recent audiobook launch over Zoom with Julia.

I hope there will be sequels! I have three possible plot developments in my mind at the moment. I need to decide where to send Moley next. I have animals knocking on our door

daily, asking to be in the book. A squirrel who is completely obsessed with hiding his nuts (walnuts), and digging them up again. A family of rabbits who find their way into the garden, no matter what you do, ETC.



Julia B. Grantham is a trained medical doctor and counsellor, based in Little Horsted, East Sussex. Originally from Russia, Julia has been living in England for over 25 years. She is married and has one grown up son.

Her first children's book, *A Mole Like No Other* was self-published in January this year and has become a best-seller on Amazon in five categories.





# BRIGHTON TIGERS, A STORY OF SPORTING PASSION

Published by Kevin Wilsher & Stewart Roberts

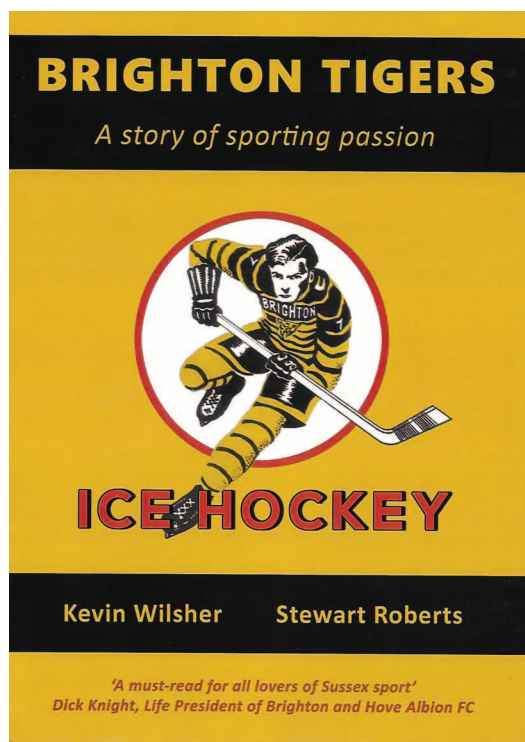
ISBN: 978-1-527255-63-0 Paperback 270 x 210mm 265 pages **£18.95**

200 illustrations, including a team photo from every season.

**B**righton Tigers were arguably the most successful and passionately supported ice hockey team in the country in the years between 1935 and 1965.

This book reveals for the first time the remarkable love affair between ice hockey and the sports fans of Brighton, Hove and surrounding towns. Thousands packed the Sports Stadium in West Street to cheer on the Tigers, helping them to become one of the leading teams in Britain and Europe.

Under the guidance of legendary player-coach Bobby Lee, the Tigers won the grand slam of domestic honours and later pulled off one of the biggest upsets in British ice hockey history,



a 6-3 defeat of the mighty Soviet Union.

As well as recording details of the various players and the games, we have included some slices of local history, including the Hippodrome which was originally an ice rink, and the Hove ice rink near the railway station in the early 1930s.

With a foreword by Dick Knight, Life President of Brighton and Hove Albion, the stories and photos in this book will bring back fond memories to the many fans who still mourn the

loss of the team, and provide answers to younger generations wondering what all the fuss was about.

## Sussex Weekly Advertiser June 18<sup>TH</sup> 1792

To the many knaveties practised on and by parish officers the following anecdote affords a pleasing contrast: One Mitchell, a parishioner of West Chiltington, in this county, having incurred debts which he was unable to pay, absconded about two years ago, and left his family chargeable to the parish; but the present overseers have lately received a letter from him, expressive of his concern for what necessity had compelled him to do, and generously tending ample compensation for the maintenance of children during his absence.

Different was the conduct of a fellow of Shipley parish, which he left burdened with a mistress and child, and revisited not till after an absence of more than 20 years. His appearance then bespoke feebleness and beggary, but the parish failed not to remind her prodigal son of his former gallantry. Before the Justice he piteously pleaded poverty, and tendered three guineas as the whole gleanings of an unsuccessful life. The officials, who believed his tale, unfeelingly seized the wretched pittance, and releasing him from any further claim became the dupes of his artifice, and their own rapaciousness. For the knave, thus secured by a legal acquittance, changed his tone and garb; purchased houses in the parish, and laughed at its petty governors.

# A-Z OF BRIGHTON AND HOVE PLACES-PEOPLE-HISTORY

Kevin Newman

Amberley Publishing paperback 234 x 165mm 96 pages **£14.99**

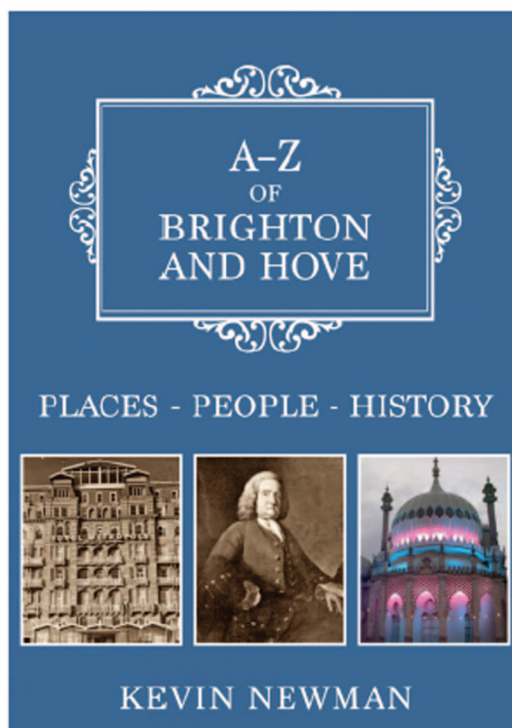
100 illustrations

Published July 2020 ISBN 978-1-445692-21-0

**A**n engaging exploration of Brighton and Hove highlighting the Sussex seaside resort's fascinating history, people and places from across the centuries.

The Sussex seaside towns of Brighton and Hove have been a city since 2000 and attract millions of visitors every year. The city boasts a wealth of history and in this book local author Kevin Newman takes the reader on a selective and engaging tour of Britain's premier coastal resort.

A-Z of Brighton and Hove delves into the stories behind the city's most notable streets, places, parks and buildings, as well as the dark secrets of its inhabitants, hidden lanes and 'twittens' (the Sussex name for alleyways). The book reveals the stories behind of some of the more unusual place names and the history of many of its distinctive features, and also tales of the city's less famous (and infamous) sons and daughters



and the places they frequented. It provides something for everyone, whether visiting or a citizen of the 'Old Ocean's Bauble'.

## THE AUTHOR

Kevin Newman is an author of history text-books who also advises theatre and TV production companies on their historical plays and programmes. As well as being a GCSE History examiner, he gives a number of historical talks and presentations throughout the South of

England every year and still manages to squeeze in some history teaching when not running his organisation, All-Inclusive History. A full time history teacher for 15 years, Kevin always tried to bring the past alive through exploring its buildings, and still takes educational and corporate groups, such as Sotherby's School of Art on architectural tours.

100 illustrations

## Sussex Weekly Advertiser

August 18<sup>TH</sup> 1788

The man who was last week taken up on suspicion of robbing the Brighthelmston waggon, was on Friday examined, when nothing positive deduced against him, he was discharged.

May 4<sup>TH</sup> 1795

A few mornings ago a duel was fought near Preston hedges, between an artillery officer at Brighton and another belonging to the Lancashire Fencibles quartered there. They discharged a brace of pistols each, but neither took effect, when the seconds interfered, and through their mediation the champions quitted the field of honour, quite cool, and apparently in perfect friendship.

# LOST VILLAGES OF SUSSEX

Alex Vincent

Amberley Publishing paperback 234 X 165mm 96 pages £14.99

100 illustrations

Published November 2020 ISBN 978-1-445698-20-5

Throughout England there are thousands of lost or deserted villages. Most were abandoned after the Black Death or other plague epidemics, but some were lost to coastal erosion or the encroaching sea, while others were re-settled elsewhere when the livelihood upon which the village relied disappeared and some were even deliberately moved in later centuries on the whim of country house owners.

In this book author Alex Vincent surveys the lost villages of Sussex. By examining old records and maps, the history of excavations in the area, local archaeological archives and records and the evidence of remaining buildings, ruins and old earthworks, he has recorded over 140 deserted, shrunken and shifted villages in East and West Sussex. He explores what remains on these sites currently, including their churches, which often stand alone today; now isolated farmhouses; ruins; fragments in later buildings and the sites of old houses

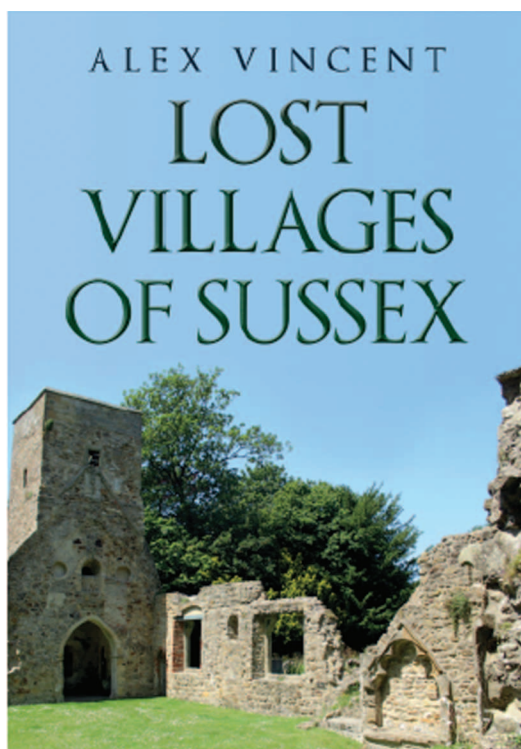
and streets that are often just bumps in a field; pest houses and mass graves of plague victims; the importance of place names as a record of previous inhabitation; lost industries; and many more markers of a vanished world.

This fascinating picture of an important but often forgotten part of the history of Sussex over the centuries will be of interest to all those who live in this corner of south-east England or have known it well.

## THE AUTHOR

Alex Vincent is a local historian who has been researching Sussex history and the lost villages of Sussex for many years, including the discovery of three hitherto unknown shrunken and

deserted mediaeval villages where the author noticed earthworks. His previous publications include a series on the Roman Roads of Sussex and other counties in the South East of England and Lost Churches and Chapels of Sussex.



## Sussex Weekly Advertiser December 10<sup>TH</sup> 1792

Last Friday morning Mr. Thomas Guy, of Chiddingly, was knocked down and robbed of his watch and money as he was foddering his father's beast by a fellow in a sailor's dress. The robber was, however, soon afterwards traced by his footsteps (which were marked by the particular manner in which his shoes are plated) to the Half Moon on Heathfield Down, where he was taken with the watch in his possession. He was the same day committed to Horsham Jail, in order to be tried for the offence at our next Assizes.



# SECRET ARUNDEL

Eddy Greenfield

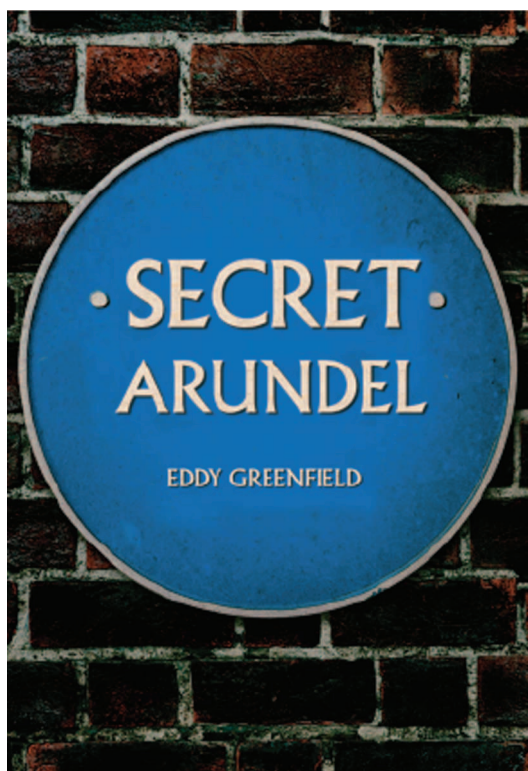
Amberley Publishing paperback 234 x 165mm 96 pages £14.99

100 illustrations

Published September 2020 ISBN 978-1-445696-01-0

**S**ecret Arundel explores the lesser-known history of the West Sussex town of Arundel through a fascinating selection of stories, unusual facts and attractive photographs.

The town of Arundel in West Sussex is overlooked by Arundel Castle and the Roman Catholic cathedral, which was built through the support of the Duke of Norfolk, but the history of Arundel is built on much more than the castle and the dukes and earls. Secret Arundel unveils the lesser-known stories of its townspeople and events. These include the wartime German spy scandal that rocked the town's Home Guard and saw its second-in-command jailed in 1940, how escaped German POWs concealed themselves in a top-secret bunker that was originally intended to house resistance fighters in the event of a Nazi invasion, and the history of the town's jailhouse and some of those who found themselves locked behind its iron bars.



With no fewer than three priories, a friary, a medieval church, a Gothic Revival cathedral and even a Commandery of the Knights Hospitallers nearby, Arundel has had a long and fascinating religious history. The town was also the site of a medieval Jewish community and a stronghold for nonconformism. In Secret Arundel the author explores the lost and disused churches and chapels dotted around the town and its immediate surroundings as well as other unusual stories.

With tales of remarkable characters, unusual events and tucked-away or disappeared historical buildings and locations, Secret Arundel will appeal to all those with an interest in the history of this town in West Sussex.

## THE AUTHOR

Eddy Greenfield is a local historian based in West Sussex who has written books on the local history of the area and is also a contributor for a number of magazines in the Sussex area.

## Sussex Weekly Advertiser

January 23<sup>RD</sup> 1792

Last Saturday, William Ready and Samuel Vulgar, convicted of petty larceny at our last Sessions, were publicly whipped, according to their sentences, at the market post in this town [Lewes]. The former received 160 lashes, the latter 60.

Vulgar, after he had received his punishment, was taken into custody by a Sheriff's officer, who under authority of a Judge's warrant, attended for that purpose, the prisoner being charged with violently assaulting and beating a customs officer at Arundel while in the execution of his duty.

# SUSSEX'S MILITARY HERITAGE

Dean Hollands

Amberley Publishing paperback 234 x 165mm 96 pages £14.99

120 illustrations

Published August 2020 ISBN 978-1-445695-17-4

The county of Sussex, today divided into East and West Sussex, has a rich military history that stretches back through the centuries. With its coastline facing continental Europe, Sussex has experienced the impact of invasions from Celtic and Roman times, followed by waves of Saxon, Viking and Norman invaders. Defences were built along the shoreline against the threat of later French invasion, particularly during the Napoleonic scare, and the county was again in the front line during the First and Second World Wars, both in the aerial battle and as a possible seaborne invasion route both for the Allies and the Germans. Inland, Sussex's military heritage can also be seen throughout the county, with battle sites from medieval times through to the Civil War and numerous buildings and other structures

still standing.

Sussex's Military Heritage explores the military heritage of the county, from Iron Age camps and Roman fortifications to medieval castles, Martello towers, Second World War airfields and Cold War defences, but also the proud history of the military units that were raised in the county and sent to fight in conflicts abroad. This book will be of interest to all those who would like to know more about Sussex's remarkable military heritage.



## SUSSEX'S MILITARY HERITAGE

DEAN HOLLANDS



### THE AUTHOR

Dean Hollands is a local and military historian who served in the Army and Surrey Police. He conducts guided tours of World War I and II battlefields in Europe and is an associate member of the Guild of Battlefield Guides. He is also researcher and volunteer at Aldershot Military Museum.

### Sussex Weekly Advertiser

October 20<sup>TH</sup> 1794

About ten days ago at Shoreham, some officers of the Prince of Wales (or 10<sup>th</sup> Light Dragoons) were returning to camp early in the morning when they observed a bottle on the beach, and on a nearer approach found it was occasioned by a gang of smugglers who were running a cargo of contraband spirits, whom they immediately attacked, and with the assistance of some soldiers from the camp secured the cargo till a Revenue officer arrived and made a legal seizure of it. It consisted of a boat and between four and five hundred tubs of geneva, which was afterwards lodged in his Majesty's warehouse at Shoreham. One of the boat's crew who showed an inclination to resistance, had his arm nearly cut off by a military officer, and, but for the gunwale of the boat, which stopt the progress of the sword, 'tis thought he must inevitably have been killed.

# WORTHING PUBS

David Muggleton, Colin Walton and James Henry

Amberley Publishing paperback 234 x 165mm 96 pages **£14.99**

100 illustrations

Published September 2020 ISBN 978—1445688-02-2

The hamlet of Worthing began to develop as a fashionable seaside resort during the late eighteenth century. It attained town status in 1803 when its administration was invested in a board of commissioners that first met at the Nelson Hotel. Inns of greater antiquity were the White Horse at West Tarring, the Maltsters Arms at Broadwater and the Anchor in Worthing High Street. Other well-established pubs, such as the town centre Warwick and the Cricketers at Broadwater, began as basic beer retailers and brewing victuallers of the Victorian period.

Several pubs in the area are of architectural interest. The ornate Grand Victorian opened in 1900 as the Central Hotel, the half-timbered design of the Thomas á Becket (1910) was in homage to the nearby medieval Parsonage Row cottages, while the imposing Downlands was built in 1939 in the classic roadhouse style. *Worthing Pubs* takes us on a fully illustrated tour of the historical hostelries in the district, yet also acknowledges how the local drinking culture has been shaped by the contemporary craft-beer bar and the burgeoning micropub scene.

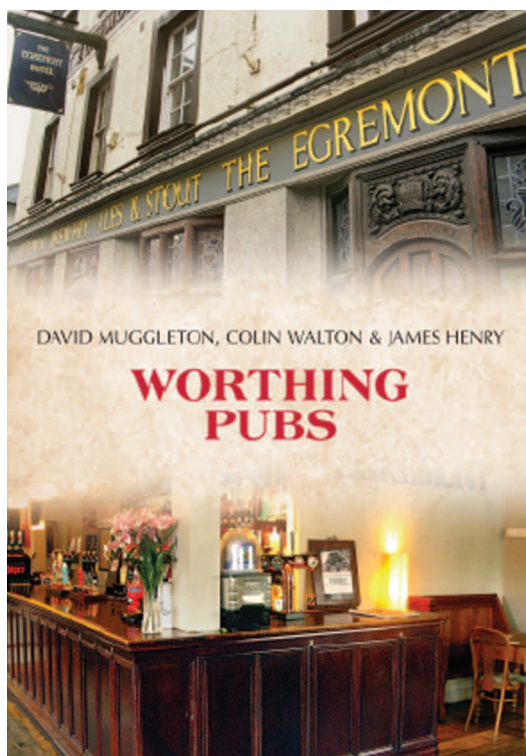
## THE AUTHORS

David Muggleton is a professional lecturer and writer with a particular interest in pub and brewery history. He is a member of the British Guild of Beer Writers, Pub History Society, Brewery History Society and CAMRA. Over the years, David has gained an extensive knowledge of Brighton pubs both by drinking in them and by delving deep into local archives to uncover their fascinating histories.

Colin Walton is a born and bred Worthingite with a lifelong interest in history, having graduated with a BA (Hons) in the subject in 1996. He is co-researcher on the [worthingpubhistory.com](http://worthingpubhistory.com) history site, and *Worthing, The Curmudgeons Guide* with James Henry. With a passion for the history of Worthing he is a tour guide for the

National Lottery funded Worthing Heritage Alliance.

James Henry is an established fiction author who also has an interest in local history. Teaming up with Colin Walton, they set about researching the history of their local pubs and hostelries dating back to the sixteenth century. It was inevitable that along the way they would accumulate a wealth of knowledge on their home town.





## LAND OF HOPE AND STORY

A celebration of Rural Britain's history,  
myth and legend

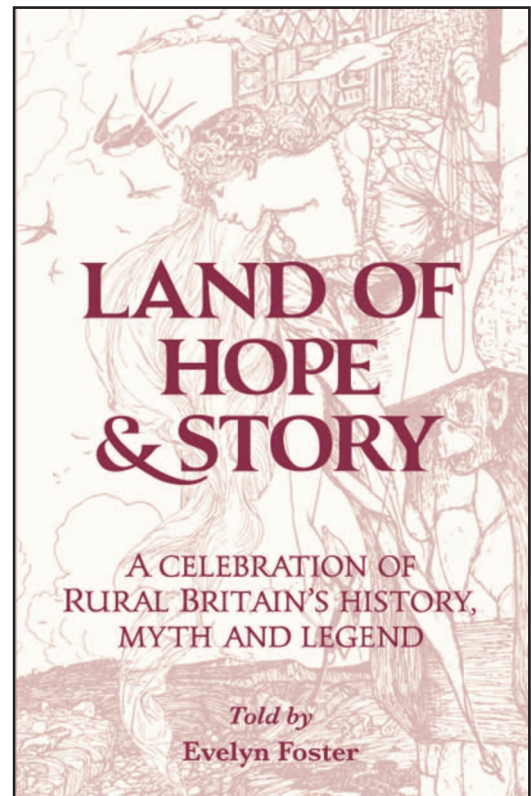
Evelyn Foster

Country Books paperback 198 x 129mm

82 pages **£7.99**

ISBN 978-1-910489-85-7

**A** book for all those who love Great British history and the Great British countryside! Land of Hope and Story is a celebration of British countryside, history, nostalgia and legend. Proceeds from the gift book will raise money for the National Trust. Land of Hope and Story aims to raise spirits in these challenging times. It is full of fun, hope and positive patriotism, as well as a great love of Great Britain and its landscape. A book to lift any life and any lockdown!



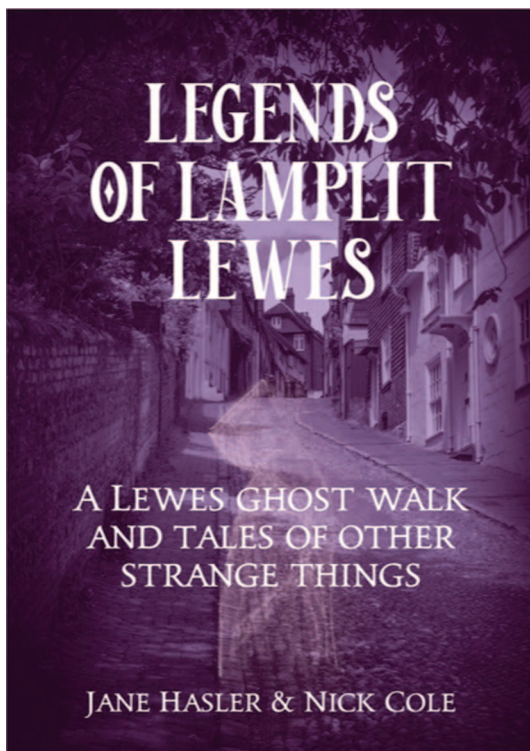
## LEGENDS OF LAMPLIT LEWES

A Lewes ghost walk and tales of other strange things

Jane Hasler & Nick Cole

Country Books paperback 210 x 148mm 70 pages **£8.50**

ISBN 978-1-910489-80-2



**L**ewes has its fair share of stories about strange things, history and legends. Legends of Lamplit Lewes brings together a collection of these tales in which ghosts, murderers, saints and hangings abound. The book's inspiration began in the 1990s when two friends, Jane Hasler and Nick Cole, discovered a shared interest in such things and a deep love of the town. Originally conceived and performed as a guided walk, including once at the Lewes Festival, the reader can now take this tour for themselves and learn of mysteries, miracles, murder, magic and quite a few phantoms too....if they dare! The book includes a route map of Lewes, with numbered stops for each story. Jane and Nick enjoyed creating this work and guiding the walk together though they only got to perform it a handful of times. Sadly, Nick died in 2011. Jane has now published it for posterity and for those interested in such things in the unique and historic town of Lewes. Illustrated by Kevin Stewart Cantwell BA (Hons.)

# FROZEN FAIRYTALES FOR ALL AGES

Evelyn Foster

Country Books paperback 198 x 129mm 60 pages £7.99

ISBN 978-1-910489-75-8

In this difficult days, we all need inspiration. A recently published book might provide this.

**I**t is: FROZEN FAIRYTALES by Evelyn Foster, published by Country Books: a collection of uplifting fairytales perfect for lockdown, birthday or Christmas.

Fairytales as Dickens said, help and comfort children (and adults!) more than anything. Readers are reassured by Rapunzel finding resources in herself (her hair!) and by someone as small as a child being able to outwit a giant. The happy endings, in particular, give readers hope for their own futures. This collection contains one where the hero is a doctor, and another where a boy and his grandmother triumphantly survive a plague.

It's notable too that many fairytale heroines have to spend time in lockdown – in towers!

The book also, of course, aims to give pleasure to all those children who love the

Frozen films!

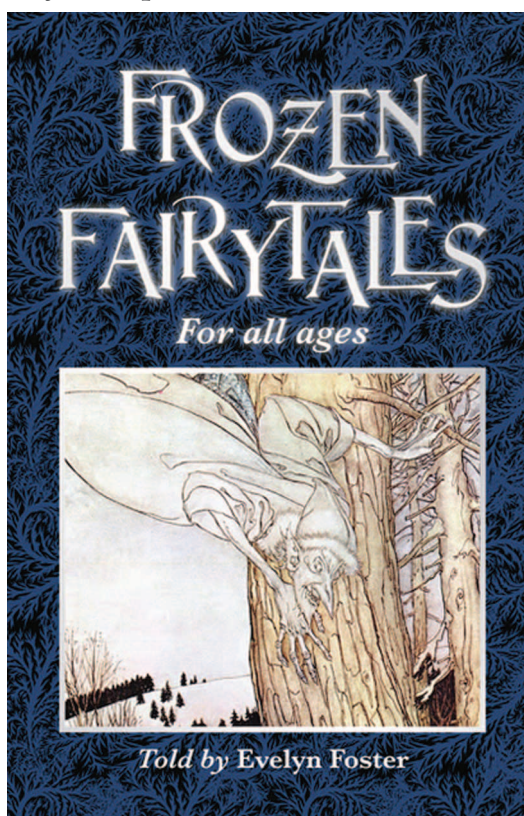
Heroes and heroines of myth and fairytale are unselfish. They are willing to make sacrifices for the sake of the community. These stories feel especially apt today.

So it's great if both adults and children can enjoy them, as part of our common international heritage, and be inspired by their pleasure and its purpose. If we do, we may finally create a world in which we can all live more happily ever after ...!

The writer has lectured on myth and fairytale at the Royal Festival Hall, helped plan women of the world festivals at the Southbank Centre, and

given myth and legend workshops at the British Museum.

She has also played an amazing amount of good fairies and Fairy Godmothers!



Sussex Weekly Advertiser

May 12<sup>TH</sup> 1788

Late on Saturday night one of the caps and balls belonging to the stonework at Lewes Bridge was wantonly removed and thrown into the river, by some evil disposed persons. The constables yesterday used their endeavour to discover the offenders but without effect

June 19<sup>TH</sup> 1797

In the night of Sunday, the 11th instant, 4 Hen Turkey, with eleven young ones, seven Ducks, and a Hen with thirteen chickens, were stolen from the premises of Mr. Wm. Groom, of Edburton.

A reward of Seven Guineas will be given to any person that will discover the offender or offenders, to be paid on his or their conviction by Mr. Brooker, of Brighthelmston,



# BEYOND THE JET AGE

THE STORY OF THE LAMBRETTAS Amanda Sanders

Country Books paperback 246 x 189mm 168 pages (£20.99 Inc. P&P)

over 450 photographs, many in colour

Published 9<sup>TH</sup> November 2020 ISBN 978-1-910489-81-9

Not available through the Book Club

Contact: amanda4929@btinternet.com

The Lambrettas are an English Mod Revival band formed in Lewes, East Sussex.

I was outside a gig in 2014 with some friends having a cigarette, and we were laughing about some of the weird and wonderful things that had happened to us over the years, when Dave Coombs, said to me "You should write a book". I said I would, and kept meaning to get started, but until now, lockdown 2020, I always used the excuse I was too busy! All of a sudden, I didn't have that excuse anymore!

I decided to put the book together as a light hearted look at the lives and adventures of The Lambrettas over the past 42 years. Although not written as a serious biography, it covers a lot of what happened as it travels chronologically through the years. Some of the stories people sent have been very slightly edited, but they have been left as much as possible in the contributors' own words to keep authenticity, as these are their stories.

I wanted everyone who was in and around the band to have the opportunity to contribute their story. There were some who didn't respond to my request and others who I would have liked to include, but was unable to locate.

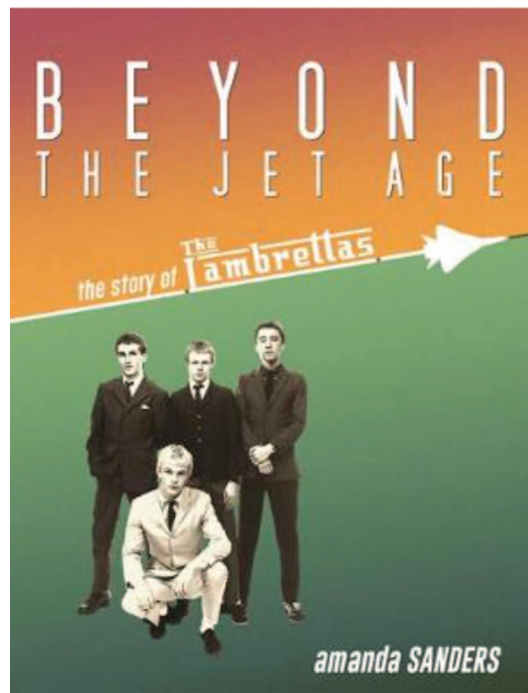
It may seem a peculiar decision to write

Part 3 in the First Person, so I would like to explain why. It was easy to write Parts 1 & 2 about them, as even though I was there, I wasn't so inextricably linked to everything that was happening because I was at home doing family stuff! However, I was finding it increasingly difficult to continue writing in the same way in Part 3. I kept writing "we" instead of "they", so I gave in to the inevitable.

I have certainly had a great time taking myself back there over the past few months, and to catch up with some of those people we haven't seen for years. Since 2009 Doug and Paul have said "We know that there are always people who don't embrace change, but hope that people will come and watch us with an open mind and enjoy it for what it is. We have a firm grasp on our heritage, but also a clear idea on the future." I am completely aware that Part 3 covers over ten years of a whole different era, but to write The Lambrettas story with-

out including those years and those people would not be telling the whole story. Since 2009 we've been so lucky and had so much fun, and just as much as catching up with old friends, it has also been great talking to our new friends and including all their contributions.

*Amanda Sanders, September 2020*





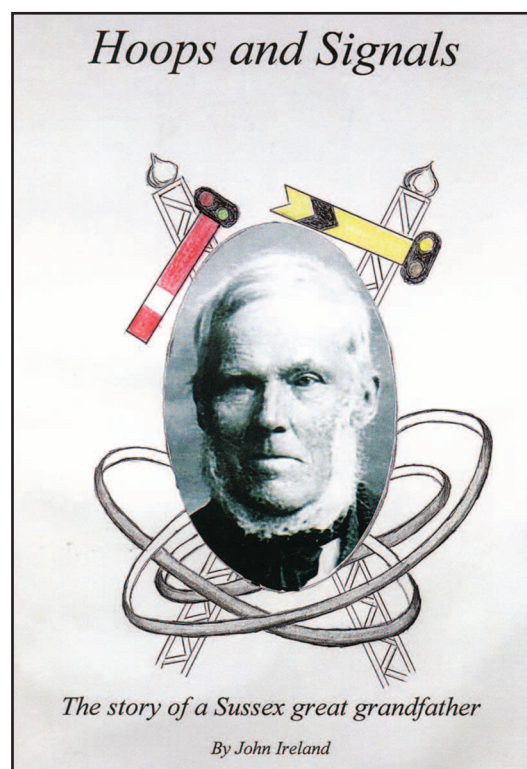
# HOOPS AND SIGNALS

The story of a Sussex great grandfather  
John Ireland

Country Books paperback 210 x 148mm 70 pages **£6.99**

Published 2013 ISBN 978 1 906789 79 4

Thomas Ireland, an ancestor of the author, spent his whole life in the mid-Sussex village of Balcombe. From the early days of the London to Brighton railway line Thomas was a signalman at Balcombe tunnel, but long before that he had followed his father and other relatives into the woodland craft of the barrel hoop maker. Alongside his duties with the railway company he continued to be very active in this trade for the rest of his life. In joining the railway he made a quantum leap from the life of the rural workman into the industrial world. But what marks out this member of the nineteenth century rural working class is that he was highly literate. People from the village frequently came to him to have their letters read or written. Probably to a large extent self-taught, he read voraciously and – most significantly – wrote down what he learned in a series of thirty or so pocket note books. In most of these he kept a journal. John Ireland, who has known Balcombe all his life, inherited these diaries, and his book uses them to provide a prism through which the varied aspects of Thomas's life and character are revealed.



John Ireland, a retired language teacher, lived for a few years in Balcombe, but since 1966 has lived in Suffolk. He is married to Pam and has two children and four grandchildren.

## Sussex Weekly Advertiser

14<sup>TH</sup> April 1783

Last Wednesday, between four and five o'clock in the afternoon, as Richard Pope, a gentleman's servant, was on his road from Handcross to Beeding, in this county, he was attacked by a single footpad, near the Crab Tree, on St. Leonards Forest, who after knocking him down with a bludgeon, and supposing him to be dead, robbed him of £5 2s in money, and a silver watch and made off across the forest. Two persons have since been taken up on suspicion of committing the said robbery.

22<sup>ND</sup> December 1783

About a week since one W. Pelley, of Chichester was stopped on the road, at the end of Raw Mare Lane, near the above city, by three footpads, who robbed him of a few shillings, but Pelley having, a small distance behind, passed two men, had the presence of mind to keep the robbers in chat till the men came in sight, to whom he immediately gave the alarm, when two of the villains, named Smith and Hartley, were taken and secured, and the next day committed by W. Mill Leves Esq., to Horsham Gaol.

# WRITTEN BY READERS LETTERS TO THE SUSSEX COUNTY MAGAZINE 1928-1932

Selected and edited by Dick Richardson

Country Books paperback 210 x 148mm £7.50

Published 2013 ISBN 978 1 906789 82 4

49 half-tone photos and illustrations

The Sussex County Magazine was founded by Arthur Beckett in 1927 and ceased publication in 1956. The best, and probably the first county magazine in the country, it carried little, if any advertising, which led to its ultimate downfall. The Magazine provides a veritable treasure trove of articles on the county. In this slim volume I have selected and edited readers' letters from 1928-1932. This is a book for dipping into, and there should be something for everyone with a love of Sussex.

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## New book reveals many humorous aspects of policing in Sussex over the last 40 years.

### **Are you confused by Line of Duty on TV?**

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A Cuckfield, West Sussex resident passed many hours in “lock-down” by doing something many people say they must get around to one day. He wrote a book.

Retired Sussex Police Inspector Neil Sadler, 67, had been giving “live” talks to a variety of groups across the south of England since 2012. However, on the 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2020, the outbreak of “Covid 19” put a sudden end to that.

For Neil, the excitement of answering the telephone to book a future talk was replaced by the sudden realisation that every call would now be a cancellation. Over seventy groups would cancel, with many not even considering a rescheduled date.

Neil set about doing what he had planned to do many years in the future. He decided to follow government advice and “stay at home” and write down the bulk of his material from his three police related talks. **But he wanted to add an extra dimension.**

**The introduction to this newly published book “The Inspector calls; Confessions of a police speaker!” explains what he wanted to achieve:**

*“The distinguished gentleman stood to deliver his vote of thanks at the end of the talk. “I am, no doubt, the only person in this room who has seen Neil totally naked!” he said, to looks of surprise from the mixed audience in genteel Haywards Heath. He qualified his comments very quickly, explaining that he had actually been the speaker’s family doctor for over twenty years!*

*Rather than being just a series of “a policeman’s tall tales”, Neil recounts many aspects of policing since his time on the beat in the late 1970s.*

*What makes this book far more engaging and possibly unique, is the reaction he has received from members of the audience at his numerous talks across the south of England. These are shown throughout the book as “Talks experiences”.*

These reactions have included:

The octogenarian at a Women’s Institute meeting who asked to be handcuffed before he left, as she had always wondered what it felt like!

The man who offered his forthright views on Margaret Thatcher and the Miners’ Strike. Almost forty years later, he still held powerfully emotional views on “The Iron Lady”.

The book covers a range of subjects including:

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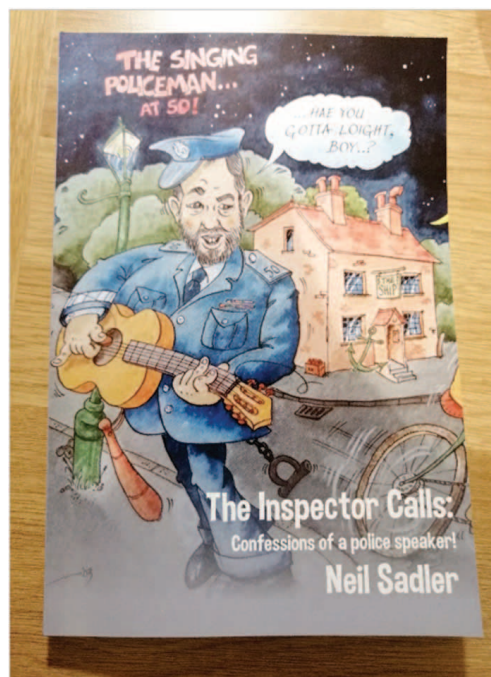
**The bombing of the Grand Hotel by the IRA in 1984** also features, together with stories from “the Clink” (various prison visits) which will have you amazed at some of the things people have said or done.

**“An effervescent trot through the highs and lows of a career in policing, told in a wonderfully Brysonesque style that will have you laughing out loud, then break your heart. Superb!”**

**Graham Bartlett, Police procedure advisor and author, with Peter James of: Death comes knocking: policing Roy Grace’s Brighton**

Neil’s book is available by emailing him direct at [neilsadler1953@gmail.com](mailto:neilsadler1953@gmail.com) and costs £7.99 + £1.99 postage and packing.

Neil is more than happy to personalise a copy with a suitable message.



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# NO PLACE TO LIE SECRETS UNLOCKED, A PROMISE KEPT

Helen Garlick

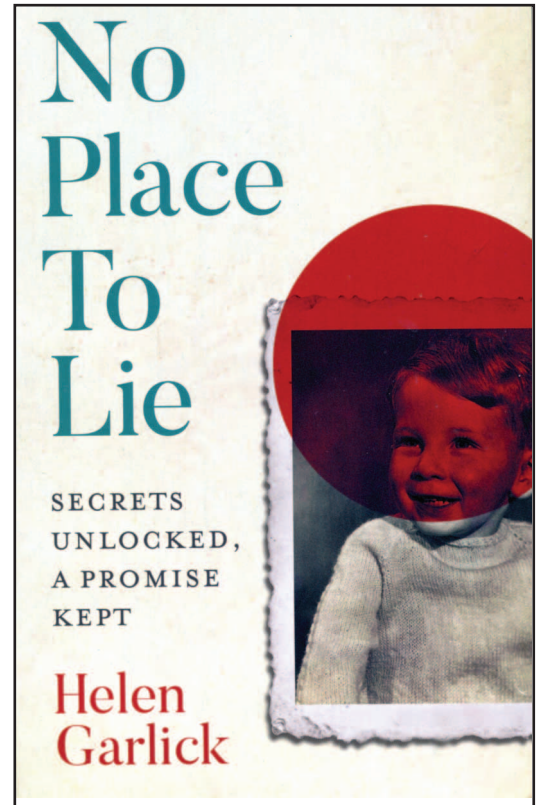
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On St David's Day 1981, Helen receives a phone call in St Louis from her distraught father in Yorkshire, leading her to a heart-searing path of discovery. Her brother David's shocking death at twenty in a remote mansion triggers a quest to unravel shrouded in secrets and silence.

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Catherine Simpson'



Sussex Weekly Advertiser  
April 28<sup>TH</sup> 1794

On Saturday se'nnight two women, who had arrived at Brighton the preceding evening in a carrier's waggon, took a very genteel lodging house belonging to a Mr Bonne, adjoining Mrs Hamilton, on the Steine, at that place, at the rent of three guineas and a half per week; which they at first pretended was for a family with whom they lived as servants. In this capacity they had given orders for several articles necessary for house keeping; but some part of their conduct having been suspected as not being altogether consonant with the character they had assumed, they threw off the servile appellation of dependents, and declared themselves ladies of small fortune who had travelled from Bath (their native place). The proprietor of the house placed a guard at the door to save the ladies the trouble of removing any part of his property.

On Thursday and Friday the blockaded ladies were necessitated to appear at the windows of their castle, as they termed it, to answer the clamour of near a hundred Poissardes, and other persons who had assembled about the door demanding that they would come forth and decamp with as little baggage as they possessed when they entered, namely, the clothes which were upon their backs.

On Saturday last the above ladies were reduced to the necessity of a capitulation. They offered to quit provided a Post Chaise should be hired and paid for by the Landlord to convey them to this place; that they should be protected from the vengeance of the fish women who had hugely threatened them; and to have the week's rent remitted them; all which being acceded to by the landlord, they set off, and arrived here [Lewes] about 3 o'clock in the afternoon; but their fame having alighted before them, they could get no admittance into any house whatever, and they departed on foot the same afternoon.

# BATTLE OF BRITAIN, WEST SUSSEX

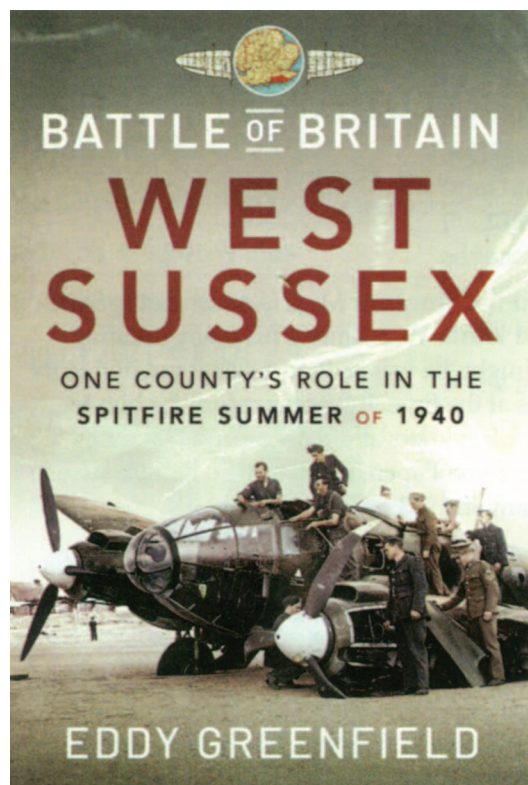
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## Sussex Weekly Advertiser

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2<sup>ND</sup> December 1799

Last week the weights at Southwick Mill were tried by the Constables of that district and found deficient 5lb in the cwt., at which the population were so irritated that they exhibited the Miller in effigy about the streets, and afterwards burnt it.

April 14<sup>TH</sup> 1800

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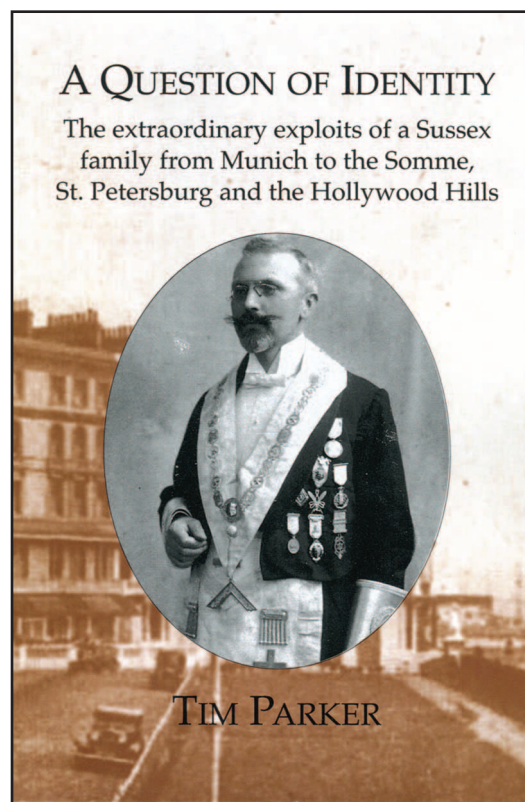
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*"Who do you think you are? Well, it has taken me some sixty odd years to find out. 'A Question of Identity' is the story of what I discovered."* Tim Parker, June 2018.

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FRY, Philip: **BRITAIN IN OLD PHOTOGRAPHS: LANCING & SOMPTING: A SECOND SELECTION** \* 1998 Sutton 1st NF **£10.50**

Transport; grow your own; business; beside the sea-side; sport; highways & byways; farming; the airport; carnivals & entertainment; military matters; McCarthy Brothers; Appledram & Coombes. B&W photos with extended captions.

GLOVER, Judith: **THE PLACE NAMES OF SUSSEX** \* 1986 Batsford 190pp NF **£10.00**

More than 2,000 place names explained. Glossary. Biblio.

GODFREY, John, LESLIE, Kim & ZEUNER, Diana: **WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL: THE FIRST 100 YEARS** \* 1988 WSCC 144pp 1st large format paperback NF **£10.50**

Early beginnings; the first thirty years; between the wars; the Second World War; the post-war era; the last fifteen years. Many historic col & B&W photos.

GRAY, James S: **VICTORIAN & EDWARDIAN SUSSEX FROM OLD PHOTOGRAPHS** 1971

Batsford 128pp 1st DJ VG **£18.50**

Introduction; the coastal resorts; farming; harbours & rivers; the Brighton road; West Sussex; East Sussex; schools; industries; the working day; shops & markets; inns; manners & customs; sport & recreation; public occasions; turnpikes; the railway. 170 B&W photos with extended captions.

GREEN, Kenneth: **CHICHESTER PAST & PRESENT** 1986 Milestone 94pp 1st FEP INSCR DJ NF **£8.50**

45 old B&W photos with extended captions.

GUILMANT, Aylwin: **BYGONE RYE & WINCHELSEA** 1984 Phillimore 1st DJ VG **£18.50**

Introduction; 150 old photos – landscapes & buildings; shipping; earning a living; occasions & personalities; Biblio. Chronological table of major events.

GUNDRY, Doris: **PETWORTH TODAY & YESTERDAY** \* ND 1980? pub by author 48pp title page missing EX LIB P **£3.50**

Exploring the town; ghosts & ancient wall paintings; Petworth House & Park; Percys, Seymours & Wyndhams; Petworth from early days; the parish church; great occasions; excursions. Town map. B&W photos.

HAM, Joan: **SULLINGTON: DOMESDAY TO D-DAY** \* 1992 pub by author xiipp prelims + 352pp 1st large paperback F **£18.50**

The parish; the church; the rectories; the manor; the Sandgate Estate; Sullington School; Sullington Warren; Sandgate Preservation Society; local government; village halls; farms; the wars; people. 345 B&W photos. 111 figures in text. Sources. Genealogies. Family trees. Index.

HARE, Chris (compiled by): **WORTHING** \* 1997 Chalford Archive Photograph Series 128pp 1st NF **£12.50**

Historic B&W photos with extended captions. Lost

views; the pier; royalty & mayoralty; wild weather; pictures that made the news; recreation; trades; Broadwater & Offington; Tarring; Durrington & Salvington; Goring; children.

HARMER, HRH & ELLERAY, DR: **A PICTURE OF WORTHING** \* 1975 W Sussex County Council 32pp 1st stapled booklet VG **£3.50**

42 historic B&W photos with extended captions.

HARMER, Rob: **BOGNOR REGIS IN OLD PHOTOGRAPHS** \* 1989 Sutton 144pp 1st VG **£10.50**

Over 100 historic B&W photos. Sea scenes; London Road; High Street; transport; schools; Bognor at war; royalty & society; the Berstedes; floods & snow; shops & businesses; the villages; sports & pastimes; people & places.

HARMER, Rob: **CHICHESTER IN OLD PHOTOGRAPHS** \* 1990 Sutton 144pp 1st NF **£10.50**

The cross & the streets; royal celebrations & events; the cathedral & church; trade & business; education; hospitals; the wars; personalities; sport & recreation; railways; fire & police; music.

HARRAP, Ian: **PETER IDEN'S VIEWS OF CHICHESTER** \* 1979 pub by author 56pp 1st large format landscape paperback VG **£8.50**

Sepia & line illus from paintings by well-known artist Peter Iden. Extended captions. Map. West Street; North Street; East Street; The Pallants; South Street; The Cathedral.

HARRISON, Frederick & SHARP NORTH, James: **OLD BRIGHTON OLD PRESTON OLD HOVE** 1974 Flare Books xivpp prelims + 202pp prot DJ NF **£18.50**

Facs of the 1st edition of 1937 with a new intro by Ray Watkinson. A record of the buildings lost in the name of 'progress' with 113 B&W photos, maps, deeds, illus & engravings.

HAYWARD, RL: **YESTERDAY IN SULLINGTON** \* 1981 pub by author 36pp stapled booklet VG **£7.50**

The church, the parish & the manor. Map. B&W photos.

HERNAMAN, Irene: **WEST GRINSTEAD & OUR SUSSEX FOREFATHERS** 1924 Sands & Co 98pp blue cloth VG **£75.00**

Scarce copy of this rare book concerning Catholic history in mid-Sussex. Intro by the Cardinal Archbishop of Westminster. Introduction; early history; the shrine at West Grinstead. B&W photos. est Grinstead. Biblio. Index. Important work on the priests hiding in the area during the persecutions.

HOLLINGDALE, Eileen: **OLD BRIGHTON: A COLLECTION OF PRINTS, PAINTINGS & DRAWINGS** 1979 George Nobbs 127pp 1st EX LIB prot DJ G **£12.50**

The royal connection; the Pavilion; the Steine; the front; the beach & bathing; piers & pastimes; public buildings & pursuits; railways; views & visits; bills & business. Index.

HOWARD, Anthony: **COUNTRY WAYS IN SUSSEX**

**& SURREY** \* 1986 TVS/Countryside 80pp 1st large format NF **£10.50**  
 Seen through the eyes of country people – Ashdown Forest: the South Downs; Selsey; Rye; Balcombe; Frensham Ponds; Pevensey Levels. Col & B&W photos.  
 HUGHES, Annabelle & WINDRUM, Anthony:  
**BYGONE HORSHAM** 1982 Phillimore 1st DJ F **£18.50**  
 148 historic B&W photos of Horsham, West Sussex with extended captions.  
 HYDE, H Montgomery: **THE STORY OF LAMB HOUSE, RYE: THE HOME OF HENRY JAMES** \* 1966 National Trust 94pp rev stapled booklet VG **£5.00**  
 31 B&W photos. Family trees of James & Lamb families.  
 JERROME, Peter & NEWDICK, Jonathan:  
**PETWORTH TIME OUT OF MIND** \* 1982 Windows Press 160pp 1st large paperback G **£14.50**  
 208 old photos & engravings of Petworth with extended captions.  
 JERROME, Peter & NEWDICK, Jonathan:  
**PETWORTH: THE WINDS OF CHANGE** \* 1983 Windows Press, Petworth, W Sussex 160pp 1st F **£14.50**.  
 Using the photos of Patrick Garland, this book charts the years 1922-1932 around Petworth, Sussex. Little had changed for around a hundred years, although Garland was not opposed to arranging a 'peasant' in a pose by an open fire, knowing he had a ready market with national newspapers for the 'quaint Sussex yokel!'  
 JERROME, Peter & NEWDICK, Jonathan: **THE MEN WITH LAUGHTER IN THEIR HEARTS: PHOTOGRAPHS FROM THE 1930s BY GEORGE GARLAND** \* 1986 Windows Press 128pp 1st large paperback covers creased G **£14.50**  
 George Garland (1900-1978) produced photographic articles for the Sussex Weekly News & the Sussex Daily News between 1934-1935. The 169 photos in this book are from those sources & there are extended captions. Map of Sussex. Petworth steeple in splints; Petworth fair; Boxgrove tiptees; Ebernoe Horn Fair; Sussex cider-makers; a link with Charles Dickens; Findon Sheep Fair; farm labourers, etc.  
 JERROME, Peter: **TREAD LIGHTLY HERE: AN AFFECTIONATE LOOK AT PETWORTH'S ANCIENT STREETS** 1990 Windows Press 231pp 1st prot DJ NF **£25.00**  
 This book deals with the sixteen old streets of Petworth, their buildings, history & the people who lived & worked in them. B&W photos. Line illus.  
 JINKS, AJ: **AN ILLUSTRATED GUIDE & SOUVENIR TO PEVENSEY** \* ND c1920 pub by author 40pp 1st VG **£10.00**  
 Pevensey, East Sussex, was once an important little seaport & a limb of the Cinque Port of Hastings. The Mint house 1342; Pevensey Castle; Pevensey

church; old 'Pemsie'; Westham church. Plan of Pevensey. 32 B&W photos, illus.

JOHNSON, WH: **SUSSEX DISASTERS IN THE LAST TWO CENTURIES** \* 1998 SB Publications 120pp 1st NF **£10.50**

Terrible accidents, horrific natural disasters & the awful consequences of human nature. Tragedies of the sea, collapse of great buildings, a devastating rail accident & all-consuming fires. The loss of the Rye lifeboat in 1928, the flying boat crash at Eastbourne, etc. B&W photos. Sources.

JONES, Iris & STANFORD, Daphne:

**LITTLEHAMPTON IN OLD PHOTOGRAPHS** \* 1990 Sutton 160pp 1st VG **£10.50**

Over 100 historic B&W photos with extended captions, Town; beach; river; transport; industry; trade; services; schools & churches; sport & leisure; events & disasters; people.

KERRIDGE, RGP: **A HISTORY OF LANCING** 1979 Phillimore xvipp prelims + 191pp 1st prot DJ NF **£25.00**

To the outsider, Lancing is best known for its public school whose 19thC Gothic chapel dominates the skyline. The author traces the village history from its Saxon roots. Lancing ancient & modern; manors, farms & other estates; development of 15 the land & field names; old buildings; roads; old families; population; societies & clubs. glossary of terms; calendar of dates & events; list of vicars from 1284; list of maps; references; index. 29 B&W photos. 38 figures in text. 10 maps. 10 diagrams.

KERRIDGE, RGP & STANDING, MR: **GEORGIAN & VICTORIAN BROADWATER** 1983 Phillimore XIIpp prelims + 132pp 1st prot DJ VG **£21.00**

Until the 18th century Broadwater governed the three separate villages of Broadwater, Worthing & Offington. By the end of that century the increasing popularity of sea-bathing caused such growth in Worthing that the relationship began to reverse. Worthing's continued expansion through the 19thC was such that Broadwater was totally engulfed, becoming one of the residential suburbs within the urban spread of the Borough of Worthing. The former village, centred on Broadwater Street, had a distinct character, identity and history. Now largely lost, old Broadwater has been painstakingly reconstructed by the efforts of the Broadwater Research Group. They have provided from the surviving, scattered records, evidence of the community's growth, building by building, family by family, to its position of predominance, in about 1700, followed by its slow decline into obscurity over the next two centuries. 40 B&W photos. 36 line illus & maps. Sources. Index.

LEWIS, Ralph: **SCENE IN SUSSEX: A FRESH LOOK AT THE COUNTY** 1973 Research 146pp rept DJ VG **£10.50**

The county, people & places, past & present. B&W photos. Line illus. Index.

LIVINGSTONE, Helen: **BRIGHTON & HOVE**

**PICTORIAL MEMORIES** 1998 Waterton Press

109pp 1st large format DJ VG **£12.50**

Historic photos from the Francis Frith Collection with extended captions. The Piers; the seafront – Rottingdean to the Palace Pier; the Palace Pier to King's Esplanade; Brighton town & the environs.

LOOKER, Samuel J: **WORTHING CAVALCADE:**

**RICHARD JEFFERIES A TRIBUTE** 1946 Worthing

Art Development Scheme 156pp 1st DJ VG **£42.00**

Scarce. Two unpublished fragments by Richard Jefferies. Jefferiesiana. Essays & studies of Jefferies by other writers including Clifford Bax. 58 B&W photos.

LOOKER, Samuel J: **WORTHING CAVALCADE:**

**WILLIAM HENRY HUDSON: A TRIBUTE BY**

**VARIOUS WRITERS** 1947 Worthing Art

Development Scheme 169pp 1st blue cloth/gilt VG **£35.00**

Hudson, born in 1841 in Argentina, & came to live in Worthing. He is best known now for his book *Shepherd's Life*, though his writings on natural history are numerous. Col frontis. B&W photos.

LOWERSON, John: **VICTORIAN SUSSEX** \* 1972

BBC Radio Brighton 63pp 1st stapled booklet VG **£7.50**

The developments in 19thC Sussex, the railway system, towns & villages, etc. B&W photos, engravings, maps.

MAXSE, Lady: **PETWORTH IN ANCIENT**

**TIMES** \* 1972 Petworth Church Council 36pp rev ed stapled booklet VG **£8.50**

Articles first published in the church magazine

1925-1930. An old map; town houses of Petworth;

old Petworth House; the Dawtreys; old family

names; Petworth trades; some old accounts; gossip & tradition; Sussex place names. B&W photo.

McCARTHY, Edna & 'Mac': **SUSSEX RIVER:**

**JOURNEYS ALONG THE BANKS OF THE OUSE**

– **SEAFORD TO NEWHAVEN** \* 1976 Lindell 54pp

rept large format paperback FEP INSCR VG **£8.50**

The Ouse from early times with 9 maps/figures. The tide-mills & re-discovering a Sussex village. The end of Tidemills village. Line illus.

MIDDLETON, Judy: **BRIGHTON & HOVE IN OLD**

**PHOTOGRAPHS** \* 1988 Sutton 160pp 1st NF

**£10.50**

The Royal Pavilion; beach & seafront; piers; boating & fishing; shops; streets; work; transport; sports & pastimes; education & health; celebrations; people; parks & gardens; military matters; HMS King Alfred; the rural scene.

MIDDLETON, Judy: **BRITAIN IN PICTURES:**

**PORTSLADE** \* 1997 Sutton 128pp 1st NF **£10.50**

The old village; the brewery; St Nicholas' church; farms & open spaces; the gas works & the canal; Ronuk; war; St Andrew's church; schools; streets, shops & trade; people; buildings. Index. Over 100 B&W photos with extended captions.

MILLWARD, Roy & ROBINSON, Adrian: **THE LOW**

**WEALD & DOWNS** \* 1973 Macmillan Education

36pp 1st large format stapled booklet VG **£7.50**

Four Sussex parishes of the Western Weald (Iping, Stedham, Woolbeding & Chithurst); the Wealden iron industry (Ashburnham & Lamberhurst); land-forms & prehistory in the eastern part of the South Downs. B&W photos. Maps. Biblio. Index.

MONTGOMERY, John: **DAVID PEACOCK'S**

**BRIGHTON SKETCHBOOK** 1979 Perspective

Press 96pp 1st LAM BDS NF **£10.00**

Sketches of Brighton with historical text. The Royal Pavilion; the Dome; Old Steine; Old Ship Hotel; Grand Hotel; birdcage bandstand; Royal Albion Hotel; Palace Pier; West Pier; Marlborough House; the Lanes; the Cricketers; the Golden Fleece; the Pump House; Brighton Place; the clock tower; Churchill Square; Clarence Hotel; Theatre Royal; Lewes Crescent; St George's, Kemp Town; Madeira Drive; Volk's Railway; Royal Crescent; the marina; St Peter's; the Pepper Pot; the tramway depot; St Nicholas' church; railway station; Duke of York's cinema; Preston Manor; West Blatchington mill; the engineerium; Brunswick Square; old Portslade; St Mary's, Shoreham; old Patcham; Sussex University; North End House, Rottingdean; the Elms, Rottingdean; Rottingdean Grange.

NEALE, Kenneth: **VICTORIAN HORSHAM** 1973

Phillimore vipp prelims + 109pp 1st DJ VG **£16.50**

The diary of Henry Michell 1809-1874 – personal, business & public life. His attitudes, aspirations & purposes illuminate the Victorian middle-class environment. The Corn Law, railway 'mania'; the American Civil War; the Great Exhibition of 1851; Parliamentary reform. Michell was a horsham brewer & Belloc refers to his ales at the Washington inn in 'The Four Men'.

NOBLE, Alison (edited by): **BRAMBER: GLIMPSES**

**OF A VILLAGE** \* 1996 Beeding & Bramber Local

History Society 60pp 1st NF **£7.50**

A selection of historical notes, memories & thoughts on Bramber. Maps. B&W photos. The Castle; the great bridge; Bramber during the Civil War; St Mary's; the Castle Hotel; ghosts & tall tales; a rotten borough; customs & curios.

NORMAN, Michael: **A WALKABOUT GUIDE TO**

**SHOREHAM** \* 1989 Marlipins Museum 32pp 2nd ed

stapled booklet NF **£3.50**

Folding map 1789. Line illus. B&W photos.

Engravings. What to see in New Shoreham.

ODELL, Mary Theresa: **MORE ABOUT THE OLD**

**THEATRE, WORTHING** 1945 Worthing Art

Development Scheme 194pp 1st worn DJ VG

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Scarce. The Theatre Royal 1807-1855. Col & B&W photos. Line illus. Old playbills. Plays, players & playbills. The proprietor & his playhouse. Mr Trotter & his circuit of theatres; the printers of the Worthing playbills; the Brighton Theatre; the Gravesend Theatre; The Southend Theatre. Index.

ODELL, Mary Theresa: **OLD THEATRE DAYS: THE BRIGHTON THEATRE UNDER THE MANAGEMENT OF MR THOMAS TROTTER OF**



**WORTHING 1814-1819** 1944 Worthing Art Development Scheme 102pp 1st worn DJ VG **£35.00**

Scarce. The history of the Brighton Theatre. Playbills. Col & B&W photos, engravings. Patrons. Index.

ODELL, Mary Theresa: **THE OLD THEATRE, WORTHING 1807-1855** 1938 Worthing Art Development Scheme 163pp 1st prot DJ VG **£42.00**  
Scarce. Not released until 1945. The history of the Theatre Royal. Col & B&W photos, engravings, playbills. Index.

OLLERENSHAW, Neville: **A HISTORY OF THE PREBENDAL SCHOOL** 1984 Phillimore 89pp 1st DJ F **£14.50**.

The cathedral school at Chichester, Sussex, is one of the oldest in the country, possibly dating from the time of St Wilfred in the 7thC. 11 B&W photos. List of chancellors from 1121. Index.

PAILTHORPE, Richard & SERRAILLIER, Ian: **GOODWOOD COUNTRY IN OLD PHOTOGRAPHS** \* 1987 Sutton 160pp 1st VG **£10.50**

Over 100 old B&W photos with extended captions. Goodwood; West Dean; the villages; medicine; the railway; agriculture & woodland crafts; the Weald & Downland Open-Air Museum. Further reading.

POPLE, Philip & BERRY, Patricia: **BRITAIN IN OLD PHOTOGRAPHS: BISHOPSTONE & SEAFORD – A SECOND SELECTION** \* 1995 Sutton 126pp 1st NF **£10.50**

Historic B&W photos with extended captions. Views & buildings; events & people; Little Hallands, a country house; the farms; naval & military; sport & entertainment.

PORTER, Valerie: **THE SOUTHDOWN SHEEP** 1981 Weald & Downland Open Air Museum 177pp 1st DJ NF **£21.00**

John Ellman of Glynde in East Sussex first saw the potential for the breed. Development of the breed; the Southdown Sheep Society; famous British flocks & breeders; shepherds; sheep fairs; biblio; index. B&W photos.

POWER, Mike: **PUB WALKS IN WEST SUSSEX** \* 1991 pub by author 96pp 1st NF **£6.50**

Forty circular walks. Col & B&W photos. Maps.

PRICE, Bernard: **BYGONE CHICHESTER** 1975 Phillimore 1st DJ NF **£18.50**

163 old photos of the city a century ago with extended captions

PRICE, Bernard: **CHANGING CHICHESTER** 1982 Phillimore DJ NF **£18.50**

278 photos with extended captions marking the changes to the city. Maps. Transport. Local worthies, etc.

PRICE, Bernard: **CHICHESTER: THE VALIANT YEARS** 1978 Phillimore 1st EX LIB (minimal marks to FEP) DJ VG **£12.50**

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**PUTTY MEDALS & HEROES: THE HISTORY OF SELSEY FIRE BRIGADE 1909-1939** \* 2008 The

Selsey Society 166pp 1st large format NF **£14.50**  
Numerous historic mono photos.

RIDGE, Dudley: **A SUSSEX FAMILY** 1975

Phillimore 92pp 1st prot DJ VG **£12.50**

The family of Ridge from 1500 to the present day. References. Biblo. Post mortem inventories. Deed of conveyance for Woodbrookes; Armorial bearings of the Ridge family. Pedigrees. Index. 14 B&W photos.

RIPPON, Angela (foreword): **THE HIDDEN PLACES OF SUSSEX** \* M&M Publishing 252pp 1st VG **£4.50**

Descriptions of tourist attractions & lesser known places, hotels, inns, restaurants, caravan parks, camp sites, historic houses, museums, gardens, etc. Maps. Line illus. Index.

ROYALL, Michael: **THE PETWORTH HOUSE OF CORRECTION: A HISTORY OF THE WEST**

**SUSSEX BRIDEWELL** \* 1999 pub by author 164pp 1st signed by author F **£14.50**

A house of correction is mentioned in the mid 17thC by Lord Leconfield. Plan of 1783. Engravings of the house & treadwheels. It closed in 1880 & Lord Leconfield bought the buildings for £3,500.00 who demolished it the following year using the 48,850 bricks to build two houses. Biblio.

SMITH, RM: **ALKA-SELTZER GUIDE TO PUBS OF SUSSEX** \* 1974 Alka-Seltzer 94pp 1st G **£3.50**

Line illus by Myerscough.

STAINES, Rev E Noel: **DEAR AMBERLEY: A GUIDE TO AMBERLEY & HISTORY OF THE PARISH** \* 1982 Amberley Parochial Council 56pp rept stapled booklet NF **£6.50**

The people of the village; the people in the fields; the people of the church; the people at the castle; other people. B&W photos.

STRUDWICK, Ivy Linda: **PULBOROUGH: A PICTORIAL HISTORY** 1983 Phillimore, Chichester 128pp 1st DJ NF **£18.50**

Pulborough has changed a lot in the past century. In 1910, it was a peaceful country village, disturbed only by the sound of horses' hooves on the roughly cobbled streets & by the Monday cattle market held beside the railway station. Like the houses & shops, the streets were lit by oil-lamps, for there was no electricity or gas – nor mains water or drainage either. Fortunately, the camera was invented in time to record old Pulborough before the most sweeping changes occurred. 165 B&W

photos with extended captions.

STRUDWICK, Ivy Linda: **PULBOROUGH: A**

**PICTORIAL HISTORY** 1983 Phillimore, 128pp 1st EX LIB prot DJ G **£10.50**.

**SUSSEX COUNTY MAGAZINE Vol.IV No.1**  
**January 1930 G £12.00**

Pashley Manor; the foxhounds of Sussex; treasure trove; romantic Hastings; old Sussex deeds; Harry Bush, a Sussex artist; wheatears & shepherds; smuggling 100 years ago; Sussex songs; Sussex & the USA; Barbara Young; two Sussex forges; the

RAOB. Line illus, mono photos.

**SUSSEX COUNTY MAGAZINE Vol.IV No.2**

**February 1930 G £12.00**

Hills Green, Kirdford: the water of Arun; the coast & Edward III's wars; the foxhounds of Sussex; Sussex & the USA; smuggling 100 years ago; a paved road in West Sussex; home-made wines; the charm of Brighton; Hellingly Mill. Line illus, mono photos.

**SUSSEX COUNTY MAGAZINE Vol.IV No.4 April 1930 G £12.00**

Ebernoe House; Sussex schools; pre-war Bognor; Van de Velde; home-made wines; Sussex & the USA; Hastings rope houses; smuggling 100 years ago; curious customs. Line illus, mono photos.

**SUSSEX COUNTY MAGAZINE Vol.V No.1**

**January 1931 G £12.00**

Church House, Northiam; the Samoyed; Lewes & Armada days; Seaford in Parliament 1660-1832; Sussex & the USA; the last days of Kitty O'Shea; Dacre of the south – a romantic opera; Sussex & religious drama; Sussex from the air: Beeding Church; foot beagling. Line illus, mono photos.

**SUSSEX COUNTY MAGAZINE Vol.V No.2**

**February 1931 G £12.00**

Dean in Tillington; winter preserves; Sir John Fagg, MP for Sussex 1680-81; tar barrels; Andrew Borden's 'Dietary of Helth'; rugby football in Brighton; Sussex schools; stag hunting 70 years ago;; old charms & superstitions; old hunting songs; Sussex from the air: Sussex & the USA; Newhaven and its Tipperale. Line illus, mono photos.

**SUSSEX COUNTY MAGAZINE Vol.V No.3 March 1931 G £12.00**

Backsettown, Henfield; the country saddler; De Laigles; dowsing; Pevensey Castle; the Royal Sussex Regiment; Charles, 4th Duke of Richmond, MP; Rongwood 1737; Sussex & the USA; the prehistoric site at Playden; Sussex from the air: Sussex schools. Line illus, mono photos.

**SUSSEX COUNTY MAGAZINE Vol.V No.5 May 1931 G £12.00**

Oldland Mill House, Keymer; John Ashburnham, MP for Sussex 1661; a terror of Tilgate; Brighton through Chinese eyes 1877; lawn tennis in Sussex; the tragedy of Goldstone Bottom; Surrey/Sussex glass industry; Elisabeth & Philip, Earl of Arundel; some Saxon churches; heraldic needlework at Hove; Sussex & the USA; Line illus, mono photos.

**SUSSEX COUNTY MAGAZINE Vol.V No.6 June 1931 G £12.00**

Silverden Hall, Northiam; some Sussex men abroad; the seven penitential psalms; barrows on the south downs; Sussex & the USA; farm life in old Sussex; Surrey/Sussex glass industry; downland flowers; Southwick Roman villa; 18thC Sussex diary. Line illus, mono photos.

**SUSSEX COUNTY MAGAZINE Vol.V No.7 July 1931 G £12.00**

Pallingham Manor, Wisborough Green; John Pelham, Bt., Whig in five parliaments; Brighton

during the Regency period; a Southdown shepherd; Surrey/Sussex glass industry; Southwick Roman villa; earthquakes in Sussex; Sussex & the USA. Line illus, mono photos.

**SUSSEX COUNTY MAGAZINE Vol.V No.8 August 1931 G £12.00**

The Well House, Northiam; two Sussex men at Minden; a Southdown shepherd; the Sussex route of Charles II; Sussex water mills; the little archbishop at Horsted Keynes; Sussex & the USA; ecclesiastical costume on brasses; the funeral of Prior Nelond; cornfield flowers in Sussex; Surrey/Sussex glass industry. Line illus, mono photos.

**SUSSEX COUNTY MAGAZINE Vol.V No.9**

**September 1931 G £12.00**

Gulledge, East Grinstead; a Southdown shepherd; Sussex & the USA; Sussex & oral tradition; Surrey/Sussex glass industry; Spencer Compton, Speaker of the House; game preservation. Line illus, mono photos.

**SUSSEX COUNTY MAGAZINE Vol.V No.10**

**October 1931 G £12.00**

Newtimber Place; an art-loving village – Sedlescombe; the Battle of Mercedsburn; dragon folklore; the Round Table; Sussex & the USA; Surrey/Sussex glass industry; Chichester Cathedral. Line illus, mono photos.

**SUSSEX COUNTY MAGAZINE Vol.V No.11**

**November 1931 P cover detached £10.00**

The Marshall's Manor, Maresfield; Sussex chantries; the Cokelers, a Sussex sect; the tragedy of Donkey Row; Surrey/Sussex glass industry; Sussex & the USA; amateur football. Line illus, mono photos.

**SUSSEX COUNTY MAGAZINE Vol.V No.12**

**December 1931 G £12.00**

Old Stanmer carol; Hoyle Manor Farm, Heyshott; a Petworth press; curiosities in churches; Leigh Hunt; Brighton foot beagles; Surrey/Sussex glass industry. Line illus, mono photos.

TAYLOR, Mary: **THIS WAS RUSTINGTON No. 2**

**THE EARLY YEARS** \* 1980 pub by author 64pp 1st stapled booklet VG **£6.50**

Prehistoric & Roman times; Domesday; the Penfold Estate; West Preston Manor; 'Captain Swing' Maps. Plans. Historic B&W photos.

TAYLOR, Mary: **THIS WAS RUSTINGTON No. 5 IN**

**TIMES OF WAR** \* 1989 pub by author 60pp 1st stapled booklet VG **£6.50**

1914-1918; 1939-1945. Historic B&W photos.

Folding map Rustington Handley Page Aerodrome.

TAYLOR, Rupert: **CENTENARY: ONE HUNDRED YEARS OF THE BOROUGH OF WORTHING \***

1990 Beckett Newspapers 96pp large format paperback 1st F **£12.50**

Col & B&W photos. All the major events in the town's history over 100 years.

TAYLOR, Rupert: **MURDERS OF OLD SUSSEX \***

1991 Countryside 123pp 1st NF **£10.50**

A selection of 'horrid crimes' from Tudor times to the

20thC. Illus with engravings lithographs & B&W photos. Index.

TAYLOR, Rupert: **THE EAST SUSSEX VILLAGE BOOK** \* 1988 Countryside 190pp rept VG **£10.50**

Over 100 villages, their people, past events & local legends. Line illus by Jo-Anne Taylor. Index.

THOMPSON, HJF: **THE LITTLEHAMPTON STORY No.2 THE SWING BRIDGE STORY** \* 1979 pub by author 64pp 1st stapled booklet G **£6.50**

Historic B&W photos.

THOMPSON, HJF: **THE LITTLEHAMPTON STORY No.3 THE PICTUREMAKERS** \* 1981 pub by author 64pp 1ststapled booklet G **£6.50**

The town's early photographers & their work.

18th/19thC artists. Full of old photos, lithographs & prints of a lost town.

THOMPSON, HJF: **THE LITTLEHAMPTON STORY No.4 LITTLEHAMPTON THEN & NOW** \* 1982 pub by author 64pp 1st stapled booklet VG **£6.00**

Another collections of old photos printed in sepia

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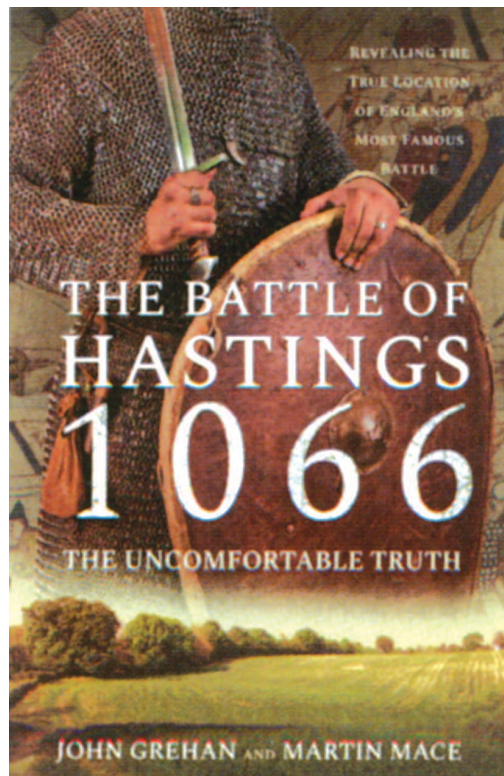
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