

HEN AND CHICKEN

In 1835 the landlord of the beerhouse, Thomas Jenner, enclosed a slip of waste ground on the opposite side of the road which he held as a garden and orchard. Alma Cottage was built on this site in the 1860s. (see ALMA COTTAGE)

West Sussex Record Office

In 1881 the beerhouse was being run by pig dealer, James Lewry, and his wife, Ann.



Postcard thanks to Ron Oulds

Peter or Mark Laker enjoying a pint



Mrs Lewry with Peter Laker, haymaking in the field at the rear of the Hen and Chicken



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