#### C: OTHER HAMBROOK KENT POSTCARDS

**Sepia cards captioned 'H Bros S' without a number.** Some of these are likely to exist with numbers too.

Aylesford: The Friars Gateway, Aylesford [=HB1089]

Chattenden: The Bridge, Four Elms Hill Eccles: St Martin's Church [=HAM183]

Fawkham: Fawkham Station
Goodnestone: Goodnestone, Kent
Higham: Higham Church

Ightham: The George & Dragon Hotel, Ightham

Luddesdown: Luddesdown Church
Ospringe Ospringe Church
Plaxtol: Plaxtol Church

Rochester: Rochester Cathedral: the choir looking East

Wrotham: St Mary's Road, Wrotham [from N]
Wrotham: St Mary's Road, Wrotham [from S]
Wrotham: Wrotham Hill [=A: HAM047]

Wrotham: Bull Hotel Wrotham [no other identification = HB 1327]

[Wrotham] Pettyns Farm [no other identification]

Black and white cards: 'Hambrook's Snodland Series No. [...]' on front. First issued c.1904.

No. 51 Aylesford, Kent
No. 53 Burham Old Church
No. 58 Birling Church
No. 73 Birling Village

### Black and white cards, with 'A.N.Hambrook, Snodland, Kent' on reverse

Court Lodge, Cuxton
Cuxton Rectory 178; The Rectory, Cuxton [two types]
Upper Bush, Cuxton [also in sepia]
Harvel, near Gravesend
The Avenue, Hoo Common
"Deanmead", Harvel
Holly Hill, Meopham

Black and White: 'Published by A. N. Hambrook, Snodland, Kent' on reverse

High Street and Church, Halling, Kent HAL112 PM 26-03-1906

Birling: Sepia cards, some with Hambrook's name, and some with 'S. Peters, Birling' [but produced by Hambrook]. At least one is found with both attributions.

Parsons' Corner, Birling A.N.Hambrook / High Street, Snodland

Parsons' Corner, Birling [-]

Leg Lane Corner, Birling A.N.Hambrook / Snodland

Birling from the Church Tower A.N.Hambrook / Snodland Birling from the Bank [-] Birling Church & Schools [-] Church & School, Birling, Kent A.N.Hambrook / Snodland Birling Manor [front] A.N.Hambrook / Snodland; S.Peters / Birling Birling Manor [S side] A.N.Hambrook / Snodland The Manor, Birling [from SE] A.N.Hambrook / Snodland Birling Manor Fire Jan. 17 1917 Hambrook, Snodland The Lodge Gate, Birling Manor S.Peters / Birling The Ash's, Birling S.Peters / Birling Birling Ashes S.Peters / Birling Side View, The Ashes, Birling [-] **Birling House** S.Peters / Birling Birling Place S.Peter's / Birling The Oak Room, Birling Place S.Peter's / Birling The Oak Room, Birling Place S.Peter's / Birling

### **MULTIVIEW CARDS**

Multiview cards were often issued as part of a release of small sets of cards. Hambrook created many of them and their uniform designs enable us to identify many groups which were made for shops in Kent villages and which therefore bear the name of those shops rather than that of Hambrook.

## **DESIGN I**



Five images in sepia with 'GREETINGS FROM [...]' and flowers above and below. The pictures usually come from the numbered 'H Bros S' series; pre-1914. The following are known:

ASH Waddington [HB1155]; Guilton; High Street [HB1138]; High

Street [HB1139; also coloured (published 'Austin Beer')]; St

Nicholas Church [HB1136]

ASHFORD High Street; High Street; Church Road; East Hill; Eastwell

Towers [ex George Cooper?]

AYLESFORD: [HAM118] Nos. 1043; 1256; 1259; 1037; 1101 BORO' GREEN: Nos. 1203; 1206; Sandy Lane [No?] 1049; 1088 CHATHAM: [HAM171] Nos. 1195; 1275; 1194; 1278; 1272

COBHAM: [HAM166] Nos. 1223; 1225; Avenue [No?]; 1219; Leather

Bottle [No?]

CUXTON: [N] 'Published by / F.E.Chalklen'

Upper Bush; Cuxton Church; Schools; Whorne's Place;

Railway Station

EYTHORNE Sandwich Road; Church; Lower Eythorne; Elvington Village;

Waldershare Church [all Hampshire's Photo Series]

KNOCKHOLT: [HAM163] W. Fowler, Post Office, Knockholt

Old London Road; Church; Beeches; Chevening Lane;

[Knockholt] House

LOWER STOKE: 'F.R.Lawrence, Lower Stoke'

High Street; Mackay's Court; The Windmill; St Peter's Church;

Post Office

PLAXTOL: [HAM170] Kent Series [HAM030; HAM019; Puttenden

(Sepia); HAM076; HAM059].

SANDWICH: 1061; 1066; 1067; 1295; Manwood Court [No?] SEAL: [HAM 185] 1083; 1171; 1170; 1081; 1168

SHOREHAM High Street; The Bridge; Station Road; Village from Bridge;

Church

WROTHAM: [HAM119] Nos. 1200; 1327; 1146; 1165; High Street [no.?]

**DESIGN II** 



Six images in sepia captioned 'SOUVENIR FROM [...]' and decorated with flowers. Images are mostly from the numbered 'H Bros S' series; pre-1914. The following are known:

AYLESFORD: [HAM178] Nos. 1036; 1038; 1253; 1256; 1045; Friars

Gateway [No?]

CLIFFE: [HAM175] 'Published by E.Bentley, Cliffe.'

Rectory; Church; Castle House, Cooling; Church interior;

Castle; High Street

HIGH HALSTOW: [N] 'Published by E.J.Maylam'

[]; High Street, High Halstow; []; Church interior; Church;

The Norard, High Halstow 523

IGHTHAM [HAM176] Nos. 1103; 1178; Ightham Mote (unnumbered); St

Peter's Church, Ightham [No?]; Ightham Village [No?]; 1052

ROCHESTER: [HAM120] Nos. 1025; 1028; 1004; 1023; 1021; 1005

SANDWICH: [HAM158] Nos. 1295; 1061; Postern Gate, Richborough Castle

[No?]; 1159; The Rope Walk, Sandwich [No?]; 1065

WINGHAM [HAM 184] Wingham Court; St Mary's Church, Wingham;

High Street, Wingham; Church Road, Wingham; The Street,

Wingham; Preston Hill, Wingham

WROTHAM: [HAM128] Nos. 1165; 1200; 1215; 1147; 1312; 1330

**DESIGN III** 



Five sepia images captioned 'Greetings from [...]'. Images are mostly from the 'H Bros S' numbered series, but some are later and the design was probably used in the 1920s and definitely so in the case of the Wrotham card. The following are known:

BIRLING: [BIR053] BIR008; BIR043; BIR009; BIR042; BIR065

CHATHAM: Marine Barracks; HB1195; HB1276; HB1197; War Memorial COBHAM: [HAM156] Nos. 1219; 1223; The Avenue, Cobham Park

[No?]; Leather Bottle [No?]; 1225

EYNSFORD: [N] High Street; High Street; Church & Bridge; Tudor

Cottages; The Bridge

HALLING: [HAL012] HAL003; HAL024; HAL074; HAL102?; HAL112? IGHTHAM: [HAM173] Nos. 1355; 1357; At Ightham Court [No?]; 1090;

1052

ROCHESTER: [HAM162] Nos. 1021; Rochester Bridge [No?]; 1280; 1004;

1025

WROTHAM: [HAM157] Wrotham Hill; The Hills; Church and War

Memorial, Wrotham; High Street; 1165

The above lists are likely to be expanded as further examples are discovered. The following sepia cards [all N] and shops seem to be part of Hambrook's empire.

# ALL HALLOWS, F.R.Lawrence, / Lower Stoke

All Hallows Place, Rochester
The Vicarage, All Hallows, Rochester, Kent
Bell's Farm, the Beach, All Hallows, Rochester, Kent
All Saints Church, All Hallows, Rochester, Kent
The Street, All Hallows, Rochester, Kent
Floating Dock (with ship on) Port Victoria, Kent
Bay Tree Farm, All Hallows, Kent

ASH, J. Coulthurst, Chemist, Ash

Goldstone, Ash 1157 Ash from Church Tower 1137 [also H Bros S 1137] Church High St., Ash

## BURHAM, 'C.Bolton's Photo Series'

Rochester Road, Burham
Rochester Road, Burham
A View of Burham Hills
Burham from Church Tower, showing Cement Works
Feeding time at 'The Robin Hood', Burham, Kent
Fleur De Lis, Burham
The Windmill Inn, Burham

## CLIFFE, 'Published by / E.Bentley / Cliffe'

Cliffe from Church Tower looking South Reed Street, Cliffe Buckland, Cliffe The Rectory, Cliffe Lady Chapel, St Helen's, Cliffe High Street, Cliffe [no publisher shown] St Helen's Church, Cliffe [=HAM099] Station Road, Cliffe

## COOLING: 'Published by / E.Bentley / Cliffe'

The Dungeon, Cooling Castle Ruins & Moat, Cooling Castle Cooling Castle, Kent Castle House, Cooling (by F.E.Lawrence, Stoke)

### CUXTON. 'F.E.Chalklen'

Wood Street, Cuxton
The Council Schools, Cuxton
Cuxton Valley [see multiview, Design I]
Upper Bush, Cuxton [see multiview, Design I]
Cuxton Station [see multiview, Design I]
Cuxton Church [see multiview, Design I]
Warren House, Cuxton
Cuxton House & Forge
The Street, Cuxton [Hambrook on reverse?]
Brick House, Cuxton [Hambrook on reverse?]
The White Hart, Cuxton

### **EYNSFORD**

Eynsford church [interior] 'R. Gee's Photo Series'

Riverside, Eynsford 'published by R. Gee, Eynsford' Eynsford from the Hills 'R. Gee's Photo Series' The Bridge, Eynsford 'published by R. Gee, Eynsford'

#### **FAIRSEAT:**

Fairseat Post Office [no publisher shown]

GRAIN: 'S. Wright / Post Office, Grain'

Grain Spit

The Cock Inn, Isle of Grain

St Jame's [sic] High Street, Isle of Grain

Church & Schools, Isle of Grain

Cock Hotel & Post Office, Isle of Grain [S.Wright's / Photo Series]

Coastguard Station, Isle of Grain

Wall End, Isle of Grain

Willow Place, Isle of Grain

**Grain Station** 

R. C. Y. C., Port Victoria, Kent

Home Farm, Isle of Grain

### HALLING:

The Hills, Halling; The Hills near Snodland [HAL003]

Halling from the Hills [HAL009]

Halling Station [HAL011]

New Town, Halling [HAL013]

High Street, Halling [HAL024]

Upper Halling from the Hills [HAL029]

Vicarage Road, Halling [HAL030]

Halling, Kent [HAL035]

The Vicarage House, Halling [HAL036]

Manor House, Halling [HAL037]

Halling Ferry [HAL045]

In the Woods at Halling [HAL074]

The Schools, Halling [HAL077] A. Mills / Post Office, / Halling

Halling Vicarage [HAL097]

HIGH HALSTOW: 'Maylam's Photo Series'

**High Halstow Schools** 

St Margaret's Church, High Halstow

Buckhole Farm, High Halstow

Station Road, Middle Stoke, Kent [F.J.Maylam/ High Halstow & Lower

Stoke]

HOO: 'Y.T Dann's / Photo Series'

Gordon Terrace, Hoo

Hoo Post Office High Street, Hoo White Hall, Hoo Bell's lane, Hoo Hoo Beach

### LUDDESDOWN:

Great Buckland, Luddesdown
Great Buckland
S.Peters, Birling
J.Harpley, Harvel

### MEOPHAM:

The Fountain, Meopham Green [sepia version of HAM039] Meopham Church [interior]

SHOREHAM: 'A Walker / Post Office / Shoreham'

Church & Hills, Shoreham Sevenoaks Road, Shoreham Shoreham from White Hill The Meadows, Shoreham On Shoreham Hills

STOKE: 'F.R.Lawrence / Lower Stoke'

Post Office Stores, Lower Stoke, Kent [multiview, design I] The Old Mill, Lower Stoke, Rochester, Kent [multiview, design I] Mackay's Court, Lower Stoke, Rochester, Kent [multiview, design I] The Vicarage, Stoke, Rochester, Kent

WEST KINGSDOWN: 'Pub. by W.W.Judge Post Office / Kingsdown'

School Lane, Kingsdown [=HAM025]

# WINGHAM

The Street, Wingham 'E.V.Newman' Church & Surgery, Wingham 'E.V.Newman'