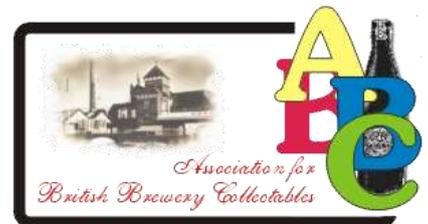


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ASSOCIATION FOR BRITISH BREWERY COLLECTABLES MEMBERSHIP LIST 2019

It's Membership List time again. You can [look at last year's list here](#).

- If you are included in last year's list, and don't want any changes made, you don't need to do anything.
- If you want any changes, please [let me know](#), with details of the change(s) you want.
- If you are not listed, and want to be included, please [e-mail me](#) with your name, e-mail address and details of your collecting interests.
- If you want your details to be deleted, just [e-mail me](#) to that effect. The closing date will be 1st March 2019. Details submitted after that will be dealt with when I have the time.

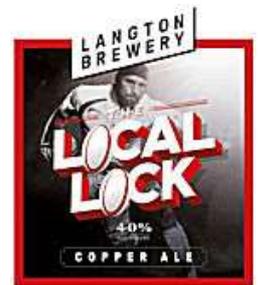
BREWERIANA NEWS



Langton Brewery has done 'Local Lock' in cask for the Six Nations. I was amused by a newspaper report which said that this beer was "to celebrate the brewery's links to local canals and Foxton Locks".

Old Cannon Brewery has done a cask lager called 'Beerexit'.

Pheasantry Brewery has done '1646' in cask for Wetherspoons in Newark to commemorate the surrender of King Charles I. It's a Ringneck Amber Ale, which I believe is a style invented in the USA and adopted by Pheasantry Brewery.



Fierce Beer has canned a special beer for a group that calls themselves 'FitLikey' to raise funds for mental health. An initial 500 cans were done. These will be followed by another 500 cans. They have also done 'Fierce Pilsner' in keg and in can. This is Small Batch Edition 16.

Cattle Shed Brewery's latest bottled beers are 'Herd' and 'No Bull'.

Drygate Brewery has done 'Don't Date Robots' in keg.

Duration Brewing has canned two limited edition beers, 'Small Doses' and 'Deep Roots'.



Lacons Audit Ale, (the one produced by the current micro-brewery in Great Yarmouth, not the original one), won the Champion Winter Beer of Britain competition at the CAMRA Great British Beer Festival, Winter in Norwich. This is a limited-edition beer. Lacons Audit Ale was originally produced for universities in the UK, and also exported to the USA. Original bottles of Lacons Audit Ale are well sought after. The brewery name is rarely mentioned on the early bottles.



American Express has just announced a good deal if you have one of their cards which includes 'Amex Offers'. Their latest offer is for cashback at an on-line beer shop called [Beer52](#). If you spend £24.00 or more with Beer52 using your card, you get £18.00 refunded. I haven't found out how much carriage costs, but you get free carriage if you order around £60.00 worth of beer. They have quite a good stock, including some limited-edition beers previously reported in Beer Memorabilia. I believe it may be possible to get an Amex card, register for the deal, buy some beer, get a refund then cancel the card. I bought some beer with my card at about 3:00 pm on 14th February and it was delivered by Yodel at 8:30 am on 15th!

Tiny Rebel is celebrating its 7th birthday with seven collaborative cans in a special pack, together with a glass, at 40 quid the lot. Each Gift Pack Contains one of each of limited edition Birthday Glass, Tiny Rebel x Deya 'NEIPA', Tiny Rebel x Fourpure 'DDH Pilsner', Tiny Rebel x Neon Raptor 'Tropical Sorbet IPA', Tiny Rebel x Magic Rock 'Citra Session IPA', Tiny Rebel x Siren 'Dark Cherry & Chocolate Barley Wine', Tiny Rebel x Yeastie Boys 'Pomegranate Molasses Belgian Strong' and Tiny Rebel x Big Drop 'Not So Imperial Mocha Vanilla Shot Stout'. Some are also available in cask and/or in keg.



Can House has been demolished. A house in Hartlepool, decorated with thousands of beer cans, has been demolished by the council in the name of progress, to be replaced by a housing estate. I wonder what happened to the cans.



AUCTIONS



This Ind Coope oval mirror sold on E-bay for £215.00. On the back it states that it is the property of Ind Coope, and has the 'castle' logo on the front. This predates the merger with Allsopp's. My main misgiving about this item is that, although the seller included four photographs of the mirror in his or her listing, none showed the base of the frame, indicating the possibility there was a problem with the mirror's condition which the seller didn't want to show.

This Albion Brewery, Leeds tin sign sold on E-bay for just £36.26. It advertised mineral waters. The Albion Brewery was owned by John Young & Co. from 1860 to 1927, when it was taken over by the Kirkstall Brewery. As well as mineral waters, it produced a range of beer described as 'Gold Medal' and also advertised wines and spirits. Not a lot survives from the Albion Brewery. There is a fairly common but quite attractive ashtray, some playing cards, a large poster, bottles, probably beer mats and not much else. This sign, although rather battered, is likely to be very early, and worth at least double the price it made, even in that condition.



This James Deuchar Lochside draught and bottled ales beer mat sold on E-bay for £70.00. Its condition left something to be desired, but as it dated to 1936, it was a highly desirable item, even in that condition. The mat was double sided, but a previous person had written on the other side, permanently defacing it. It still managed to command a reasonable price, which says a lot for the desirability of pre-war mats.

This Style & Winch Farmer Ale ashtray sold on E-bay for £80.00. This probably dates to before 1929, when Barclay Perkins acquired the brewery. However, brewing continued on the premises until 1965. The pottery mark is Minton's and it has a Regicor stamp (Reginald Corfield) which further indicates its pre-war origin. The ashtray has a small hairline crack, visible both underneath and on top of the item.



A Carter, Milner and Bird Ltd., rare presentation attaché case sold on E-bay for only £34.99. This Sheffield brewery was registered as a limited company in 1899, and became Hope and Anchor Breweries in 1942. The caption on the inside lid of the case states "we hope you have enjoyed your visit to the home of 'Jubilee' and 'Golden Mead', and trust you will find the attaché case useful and the contents enjoyable". Presumably the case contained samples of beer, probably Jubilee Milk Stout and Golden Mead Ale. Even without the original contents this must be worth twice the price it went for, for something that may be more than 100 years old.

NOTES AND QUERIES



In the last issue I asked if members had come across a White Rose Bass sign. Two members responded with details of a sign which still exists on the Market Pub in Elsecar. See in the photograph (left) from [Google Street View](https://www.google.com/maps/@53.7511111,1.4511111,15z). The image also appears on Bass Yorkshire plates and mugs (see right). I had never noticed this image before. Me not being from Yorkshire might have something to do with it. The seller of the sign on E-bay is asking £250.00 for it, which I think is probably too much. Also it is collection only from the seller's address. I wonder how far he'll have to reduce it before it sells – or alternatively offer postage.



EVENTS

Association for British Brewery Collectables events.

The venue of the next Association for British Brewery Collectables meeting will be [the Castle Inn](#), 10, Mount Pleasant, Bradford on Avon, Wiltshire, [BA15 1SJ](#), at about 11:00 on 11th May 2019. The pub is open from 8:30, so there's no problem arriving early. They do bed and breakfast, phone 01225 865 657. It is anticipated that members attending will be entitled to a free bottled beer from a local brewery while stocks last.

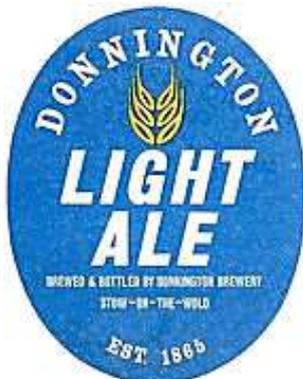
The Labologists Society Spring Meeting – now open to non-members - Donnington Brewery Tour



The Labologists Society is delighted to announce that the Society Spring Meeting will take place on Saturday April 13th in the Cotswolds. To book this event e-mail Eric Doré, for a booking form. Alternatively, send a cheque for £10.00 to Eric Doré, Secretary, The Labologists Society, 86a Southwold Road, Wrentham, Beccles, NR34 7JF and confirm to him [by email](#) that you have done so.

The first part of the meeting will comprise a tour of Donnington Brewery probably regarded as the most picturesque brewery setting in the UK. After the tour (conducted by Mr Johnny Arkell) there will be a chance for some hospitality there before we move on to the Snowhill Arms at Snowhill for the second part of the meeting where we will have use of the skittle alley as a private function room! It appears that we will have a few places left on the tour and so we are now offering these to non-members

Donnington Brewery has 17 beautiful Cotswold pubs (including the Snowhill Arms) and also supplies a number of free houses close by. So, a good place to visit! A Donnington Brewery pub is easily identified by the distinctive black and white signs outside, introduced by Claude Arkell, and the tradition has survived.



Close to the historic Snowhill Manor, which is open to the public, the Snowhill Arms lies in this very pretty village. This is a family-friendly, locals pub which also welcomes animals - they're part of the family too. A large play area for the children and a lovely log fire in the winter offer enticements to visit all year round. Here locals mix comfortably with the many tourists visiting Snowhill Manor.

As there is a train from London arriving at Moreton in Marsh around 11am, we will start the tour of the brewery at 11.30, finish at 12.30pm and after some hospitality comprising a beer or two at the brewery, we leave for Snowhill at about 1pm. We would arrive at the Snowhill Arms before 1.30pm and leave about 4pm in time for those travelling by train to make their way back to Moreton for the London train at around 4.40pm (by the way, at the time of writing the train fare from

London is just £6 each way before any discounts)

We anticipate that there will be an auction of older beer labels during the afternoon (auctions are open to Labologist Society members only) as well as other label sales. The bar at the Snowhill Arms will stay open until 4pm. Please order (and pay for) food and drinks individually. Donnington beers will of course be available there.

We have negotiated a reduced price for the tour of £10 per person payable on booking please. We will deal with bookings in the order in which they arrive and if places are fully booked, we will not cash cheques for those who are not successful.

For those who are travelling to the meeting by train we are arranging a "taxi ticket" (cost £12.00) to include all three journeys involved. Again, first come first served so early bookings are advised please "to avoid disappointment" – and, as we always say, please do not drink and drive.

See you there!



Other breweriana related events of interest

If your organisation has a breweriana event coming up, I can list it here. Just [e-mail me](#) with the details. Events are listed only if there may be breweriana available during the event. Brewery History Society events may be charged for non-members. To join BHS, [click here](#) for a membership form.

19th February to 23rd February 2019. Great British Beer Festival; Winter. To be held at Norwich, St. Andrew's and Blackfriars Halls.

22nd February 2019 to 24th February 2019. Craft Beer Rising. Old Truman's Brewery, Brick Lane, E1 6QL.

13th March to 14th March 2019. BeerX UK 2019. Liverpool Exhibition Centre. A SIBA organised trade event. Brewery History Society to exhibit there.

21st March 2019. Watford Breweriana Auction. Contact Bill Austin, (baustin1951@btinternet.com; phone 07789 900411). 8pm start with viewing from 7pm.

6th April 2019. Breweriana event. Peterborough, 12:00 to 17:00. The Ploughman, 1 Staniland Way, Werrington, Peterborough [PE4 6NA](#). Take the Citi 1 bus from Peterborough bus station and ask for the Ploughman. If interested in a booking a table please contact Mike Johnson at mike_s_johnson@hotmail.com.

13th April (see above). Labologists Society Meeting. At Donnington Brewery and the Snowhill Arms, Snowhill. Bookings only. Booking open to non Labologists Society members from 4th February. More information from [Eric Doré](#). At the time of writing there were only three places left.

15th May 2019. Banks's Brewery tour, Wolverhampton. Meet at brewery shop at 11:30am. Expect a charge for this visit. Contact visits@breweryhistory.com to book.

8th June 2019 Labologists Society AGM at Harvey's Bridge Wharf Brewery at Lewes, East Sussex. For more info contact [Eric Doré](#).

16th August to 18th August 2019. Peakender Beer Festival. Bakewell Show Ground.

10th to 13th October 2019. Brewery Collectables World Convention. La Plata, Argentina.

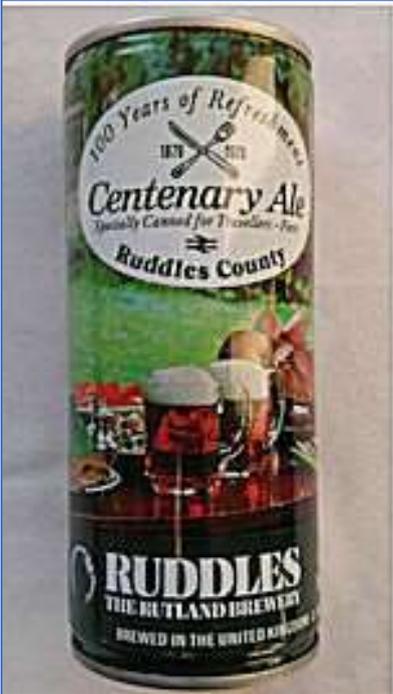
19th October 2019. National Breweriana Auction 2019 at [Burton on Trent Town Hall](#), DE14 2EB.



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Igor Osanov in Moscow is a brewer at a mini brewery called Zavod. In 2006 he visited some breweries and distilleries in the UK, as well as the Great British Beer Festival in London. His main hobby is collecting beer items (especially labels, postcards, pins) for about 20 years. But recently he has not had much time for labels but continues to collect beer pins quite actively. He has more than a thousand pins from the whole world but unfortunately only a few from the UK and is now looking to find beer pin collectors in the UK. Don't hesitate to drop him a line to his email osanov@list.ru, or to WhatsApp +79859534147. 02/19

Timothy Hewitt, in Manchester, has a large number of pump clips for sale. These can be viewed on Dropbox, [here](#). Phone number is 07522811017. E-mail timmy.hewitt89@gmail.com. He is happy to accept payment through PayPal, cheque, postal order or bank transfer. 02/19

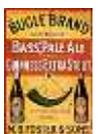
Steve Cook wants envelopes with cancellations featuring British Real Ale breweries and letters from British Real Ale breweries and pubs. Items will be part of a display he will be showing at Sheffield Philatelic Society (stamp club) in Spring 2021. 64 Basegreen Road, Sheffield, S12 3FJ. E-mail tangled_feet@hotmail.co.uk. 02/19



Andy Farmer is looking for full Thomas Hardy's Ale nips. He needs Hardy's Ales with the letter prefixes 'K' 1980, 'L' 1982, 'R' 1989 & 'R' 1990, 'S' 1991, 'T' 1992. Also, all 1993- 1999 Vintage issues. E-mail birchesmill@btinternet.com. 01588 640 409. 02/19.



Rich Monte in the USA, is looking for any rare Bass items. Examples of the kind of stuff he's looking for are illustrated, but anything is of interest. He is especially interested in ceramic coasters, signs, pitchers (jugs), etc. In fact, anything rare. Good prices paid. E-mail hr4378@aol.com. Phone +1 518 527 4180. 02/19



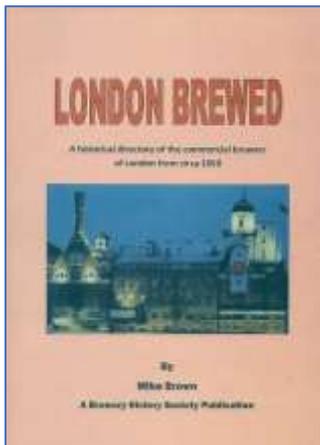
Dave Taylor seeks pre-1960 beer bottle labels, singles or collections considered. Contact Dave in Wimborne, on 01202 980 299 or david.deraled@talktalk.net. 01/19

Andrew Kearley from Bournemouth is an avid collector of beer crown caps (bottle caps) and is seeking to add to his pre-millennium cap collection. If you have any pre-millennium beer caps to offer (swap or sell) or if you have unopened bottles to sell - that have branded bottles caps (brewery name, logo, beer brand etc.) please contact Andrew on 07423 056 707 or by email on kearley7@gmail.com. 01/19

Steve Baker (30 Longbridge Road, Lichfield, Staffs. WS14 9EN) steve.baker@virgin.net, wishes to obtain a good condition Greene King **1953** Coronation Ale label. Offers a good condition **1937** Coronation Ale label from the same company in exchange. 01/19

Frederick Haysom from Brighton, 07768 911 043, e-mail frederickhaysom@msn.com wants First Brews, Last Brews (especially King and Barnes Last Cast), and Coronation Ales. 01/19

The Brewery History Society offers 'LONDON BREWED'. As a keen collector of Breweriana you are probably also fascinated by the history behind the items in your collection. The profusely illustrated **'LONDON BREWED'** by Mike Brown of the Brewery History Society, www.breweryhistory.com, is an essential book for all those interested in brewing, beer and all things London. It has 426 A4 pages with many illustrations in colour and black & white, and is the most comprehensive directory of London breweries anywhere. The index runs to over 17 pages with over 5,600 entries covering London's breweries from c1650. Price £19.95 plus £3.00 Postage & Packing. Enquiries to: The BHS Bookshop, Long High Top, Heptonstall, Hebden Bridge, West Yorkshire HX7 7PF, or email books@breweryhistory.com for further information.



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Janusz Mroz in Edinburgh collects Scottish beer labels. He has 100s of spare Scottish Microbrewery labels for swap. if you are interested, email him. janusz73m@gmail.com. 12/18

David McCleave from London SW19, wants anything appertaining to Old Bill's connection with Smiths of Macclesfield or any other brewery that used him. 07885 272435 or e-mail david.mccleave@btinternet.com. 12/18

Keith Osborne 25 Humber Gardens, Gleneagles, Wellingborough NN8 5WE. 01933 674856, e-mail brewdelver@aol.com seeks a label or a bottle from what he thinks is the only 1953 Coronation label he hasn't yet obtained - Higsons of Liverpool. Generous terms offered. 10/18



Enrique Solaesa from Madrid, wants the San Miguel beer mats illustrated on the left. They were all issued in the UK. Will purchase or swap. He has [a web site](#) with details of items he can swap. Phone +34 6091 71355. Email jesolaesa@yahoo.es. 10/18.

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AND FINALLY ... I understand that Drygate's Apple Ale is part of their Core Range.

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