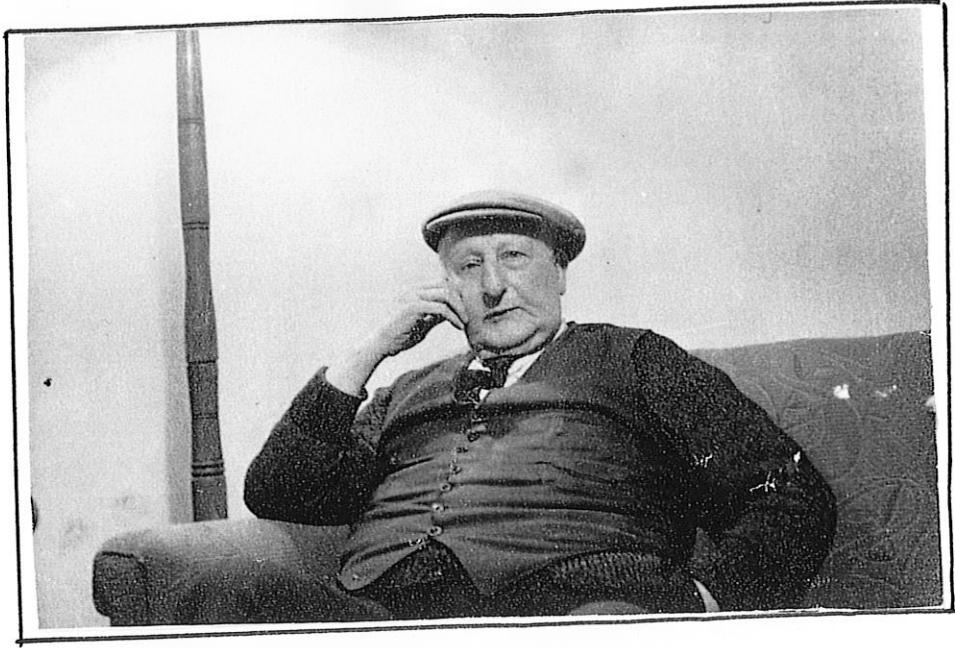


Mrs Mrs Downing, Winifred and Hubert came from Whitwell in 1938 to live at the Eyre Arms. What a well remembered Landlord!



Did we ever see him without that cap?



This photograph might have been taken before they came to Rampton. Mrs Downing, Winifred and Hubert.

Winifred went away to work, never married and unfortunately died quite young. Hubert married Joyce Bailey from Woodbeck.

On leaving the pub in 1957 they went to live at House 11, Main Street where Mr Mrs Walt Baker now live (1992) They stayed a year when Mrs Downing was taken ill and went to live with Hubert as his wife had died. Mrs Downing had to go into a home. Hubert married again to Ann Wright of Woodbeck and when their baby was due in 1959 the old man took himself off into a home in Worksop not wanting to live with a new born baby. He died in 1961 with his wife joining him exactly one month later. She always said she would out live him!