



## The Kingsdown Inn

The original building dates from 1840 and is now part of brewery. (across the road). In 1848 it was put up for sale along with various cottages and pieces of land. *Devizes & Wiltshire Gazette Feb 1848*.

Solomon HALE, indicted for manslaughter of James MINAL at Kingsdown Inn, Stratton. Solomon had been ejected from pub by landlord, with assistance of Minal & Brett. A fight ensued and Minal was knocked down and killed. As prisoner had already been in gaol for 11 weeks he was made to serve one more day. *Devizes & Wiltshire Gazette 28-07-1859*.

### Landlords

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1834-1847	White	Richard	
1847-1855	Arkell	J.	
1855-1867	Miles	John	

1867, 106 Kingsdown Road, built as the replacement when Brewery took over original Kingsdown. --- -Henry JARVIS, of The Kingsdown Inn, Stratton, for receiving spirits without correct certificate on July 15th, a cask of brandy from Mills & Co., Cheltenham. Fined £10. *The Western Daily Press 20-10-1899*.

In the early 1900's the Stratton Lodge of the Wiltshire Working Men's Conservative Benefit Society held several Smoking Evenings here to raise funds. *Swindon Advertiser 18-09-1901 & 23-10-1903*.

-George COLLETT was removed from Inn by P.C. Bullock and given 14 days in gaol. *Swindon Advertiser 29-01-1904*.

1924 the rates were £10/15/0d

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1867-187?	Miles	John		
1872- Oct 1876	Pope	H		
Oct 1876	Pope	Mrs.		<i>Swindon Advertiser 02-10-1876</i>
Oct 1876-1891	Jarvis	Frederick		<i>North Wilts Herald 16-10-1876</i>
1891-1903	Jarvis	Henry		In 1901 a holdover was issued to William H Webb, baker. <i>Swindon Advertiser 18-10-1901</i> .
1903-1911	Clack	Charles A.		
1914-Jan 1936	Pearce	Frederick George	<i>North</i>	1914-Jan 1936

Jan 1936 -	Pearce	Ellen		Jan 1936 -
1939	Canning	Ernest Jas.		
1948-1951	Akester	W		
1956-1970	Vann	Arthur		
1979-1983		Zena		
1985-2016	McGregor	John & Liz		
2017-	Waite	Roger & Sally		