

WILLIAM BLAKE'S HOMES IN LAMBETH AND SUSSEX

EVERY one knows the quickening of imagination which comes as the result of seeing the home and surroundings in which some life of great gifts or great achievements has been passed. We feel it in Carlyle's house in Chelsea, in Dove Cottage at Grasmere, in the little Rectory house at Haworth—each person can supply his own example. The color seems to return with new vividness into all our thoughts, as we look round and tell ourselves that this was the very spot where a great mind lived and worked. And there is something especially moving when, as in Blake's case, the contrasts are so sharp between the outer world of narrow circumstance in which his life was passed and the boundless range and depth of his inner vision. He was a Londoner all his life—except for the three eventful years spent in a little Sussex village by the sea—and we can trace him, with accuracy, from one home to another. It is only a few years ago that the house in Fountain Court, Strand, where he died, was pulled down. His birthplace in Golden Square remains. And there is the little red-brick house in Poland Street, No. 23—the Blake's first settled marriage home—standing as Blake must have known it, shabby and dark now with the London smoke of a century and a half, a strange setting for the radiant beauty of the Sonnets of Innocence which were written there.

Sussex Downs, the freedom and solitude and crystal air, the unaccustomed quiet all seemed charged with new significance and wonder. Blake's cottage there still remains, secured now by the Blake Society from change or destruction. A turn from the village street brings you to the yellow thatched veranda which shuts out light and sun from the lower rooms. A strip of garden lies in front, and beyond, a minute's walk over rough grass brings you to the shore of the open sea. Blake's Downs view, miles away. No tiny six-roomed cottage, with its "thatch of rusted gold," can surely ever have been so spiritually discerned before.

"We are safe arrived at our cottage," Blake writes to Flaxman, "which is more beautiful than I thought it, and more convenient. It is a perfect model for cottages, and I think for palaces of magnificent, only enlarging, not altering its proportions, and adding ornaments, not principles. And there is something especially moving when, as in Blake's case, the contrasts are so sharp between the outer world of narrow circumstance in which his life was passed and the boundless range and depth of his inner vision. He was a Londoner all his life—except for the three eventful years spent in a little Sussex village by the sea—and we can trace him, with accuracy, from one home to another. It is only a few years ago that the house in Fountain Court, Strand, where he died, was pulled down. His birthplace in Golden Square remains. And there is the little red-brick house in Poland Street, No. 23—the Blake's first settled marriage home—standing as Blake must have known it, shabby and dark now with the London smoke of a century and a half, a strange setting for the radiant beauty of the Sonnets of Innocence which were written there.

RED ROSE TEA "is good tea"

presented the Governor-General's gold medal to Murray McC. Baird, of Fredericton—a double prize winner—this young man having also won the Montgomery Campbell prize. The Ketchikan medal for the highest standing among the graduates in civil engineering was presented to John H. Flood, of St. John, by His Honor Judge Barry, and the William Crockett scholarship prize was presented to Lawrence P. Smith, of Miss Grace Fleming, of St. John, presented the Alumnae scholarship prize to Miss Mary M. Chestnut, of this city, and the Sir Frederick William Taylor gold medal for the best all-round athlete in college was presented to Corporal C. E. Maiman, of the 58th Howitzer Battery, by Mrs. Robert Fitzrandolph. Cecil H. Turner was the winner of the Brydone-Jack scholarship and the Alumni gold medal was "not awarded."

GIN PILLS FOR THE KIDNEYS

"I had trouble with my kidneys and bladder for some time. I felt better after the first dose. I kept taking them for a month. One day, Mr. Simpson, of this town, told me about the Gin Pills he had with him, and he recommended him to try GIN PILLS, and give him one to take. And both he and his wife have derived great benefit from them."

National Drug & Chemical Co. of Canada Limited, Toronto. CAMPELLO May 24. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Link, on Wednesday and Saturday evenings last was the house alike of much pleasure and surprise, when the members of the Sewing-Club, Red Cross Society, the Women's Auxiliary and the Thimble-Club met in a body to entertain and bid farewell to their guest for the past year and home for the coming year.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE To the Executors, Administrators and Assigns of John W. Hanson, late of the Town of Milton, in the County of Charlotte, Yeoman, deceased, and to all others who may concern.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that under and by virtue of a power of Sale contained in a certain indenture of Mortgage bearing date the second day of November, A. D. 1885, and made or expressed to be made between John W. Hanson of the first part, and Thomas T. of the Town of Saint Stephen, of the second part, and duly registered upon the records of Charlotte County on the tenth day of November, A. D. 1885, in record book No. 37 at pages 543 to 546, both inclusive, and which said indenture of Mortgage by an instrument of assignment bearing date the third day of October, A. D. 1892, and duly registered upon the records of Charlotte County in record book No. 55, at pages 339 and 340, the said John W. Hanson, late of the Town of Milton, in the County of Charlotte, deceased, and to all others who may concern.

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