The Designs for Porticos will, I trust, be found very useful, and applicable to many houses, both new and old. The workman also will find the methods clearly shown for drawing and setting out the capitals, cornices, &c. of the Tuscan, Doric, and Ionic orders.

That the utility of the book may be as extensive as possible, I have added some Plans and Elevations of small Houses and Villas, suitable for Farm-houses, or Gentlemen's Residences on a small scale, which, I trust, will be found both economical and convenient.