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**REAL PHOTOGRAPHIC POSTCARDS OF BRITISH
AND IRISH COUNTRY HOUSES.**

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It is surprising how many country houses are not found in the standard books of engraved views, so these photographic postcards provide an opportunity to find an image of such a building. These photographs capture an accurate image of the building at a particular time unembellished by artistic licence. These early twentieth photographic postcards are becoming increasingly scarce.



1. **BEDFORDSHIRE. HAYNES PARK.** Hawnes School. Aerial View by Aero Pictorial Ltd., unused, n.d. (Active 1921-58) £5
 Hawnes School was founded in 1929.



2. **BEDFORDSHIRE. MOOT HALL.** Moot Hall, by W. Lyon, used, 1905. £10



3. **BERKSHIRE. BILL HILL.** Bill Hill House, near Wokingham, unused, c.1915. £10



4. **BERKSHIRE. BENHAM PARK.** Benham House, used, *note in ink to right of image,* Righton's Series, 1905. £12
This house was built for the 6th Baron Craven by Henry Holland. The house was greatly altered in 1914.



5. **BERKSHIRE. WINKFIELD MANOR.** Winkfield Manor, Ascot, by W.H. Applebee, unused, [Ashford], c.1918. **£10**



6. **BUCKINGHAMSHIRE. MANOR HOUSE WESTON TURVILLE.** Manor House Weston Turville by The Rapid Photo Co., unused, Peterborough, c.1915. **£10**



7. **CAMBRIDGESHIRE. SWAFFHAM PRIOR HOUSE.** Swaffham Prior House, used, Gillson, Burwell, c.1902. £12



8. **CHESHIRE. MOTTRAM HALL.** Mottram Hall. West Front, used, c. 1910. £12



9. **CORNWALL. PRIDEAUX PLACE.** Prideaux Place Padstow. Aerial View by Aero Pictorial Ltd., unused, n.d. (Active 1921-58) £5



10. **DEVON. THE COURT. COCKINGTON.** The Court. Cockington. Torquay by Cox, unused. Paignton, c.1930. £5



11. **DEVON. FREMINGTON HOUSE.** Fremington House. A.E. Barnes Country House Series, unused, c.1915. £8



12. **DEVON. PEAMORE.** Peamore House, used. 1910. £10



13. **DORSET. HOLNEST HOUSE.** Holnest House, unused, c.1915.
Damaged by fire in 2010.

£12



14. **DURHAM. WHITEHILL HALL.** Whitehill Hall, used, 1906.
Demolished c. 1993.

£10



15. **GLOUCESTERSHIRE. BADGEWORTH COURT.** Badgeworth House. Glos. by W.P. , unused, c. 1915. £12



16. **GLOUCESTERSHIRE. COPSE HILL.** Copse Hill by Taunt's Photographers, used, 1910. £12



17. **GLOUCESTERSHIRE. TORTWORTH COURT.** Court and Lake Tortworth, used, 1904. £12



18. **HAMPSHIRE. DUMMER HOUSE** Dummer House, used, *small piece of corner missing*, 1904. £12
The porch shown here has since been replaced.



19. **HAMPSHIRE. MANOR HOUSE BURNFORD.** The Manor House, Burnford, with motor car by front door, unused, c.1915. **£10**



20. **HAMPSHIRE. MOUNDSMERE MANOR** Moundsmere Manor, unused, c.1915. **£12**



21. **HAMPSHIRE. UPTON HOUSE or THE SAINTS.** The Saints Alresford by T.H. & Co, used, 1921. £10



22. **IRELAND. GARBALLY COURT.** Garbally Court Ballinasloe Co. Galway by Lawrence, unused, Dublin, c. 1920. £10



23. **IRELAND. KNOCKLOFTY HOUSE.** Knocklofty House, Clonmel by Harvey Brothers, used postally, Clonmel, c. 1921. £10



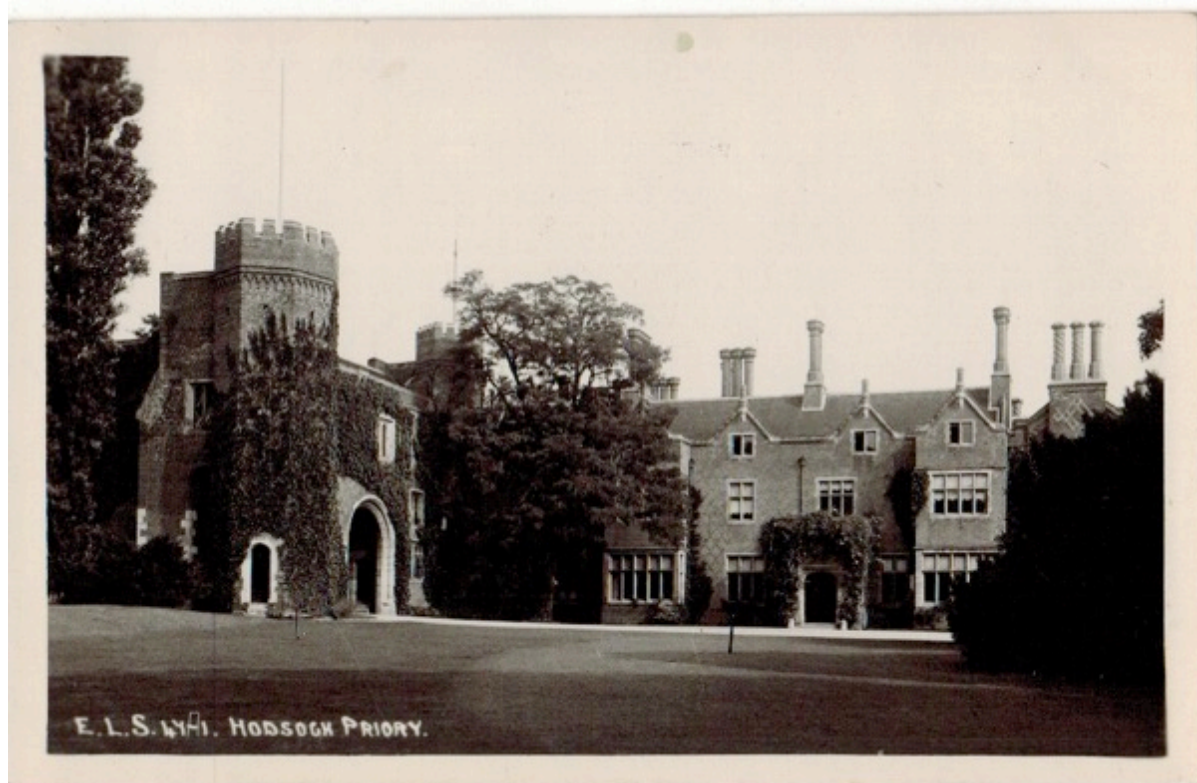
24. **KENT. WALDERSHARE PARK.** Waldershare Park, unused, c.1910. £12



25. **LINCOLNSHIRE. WILLINGHAM HOUSE.** Willingham House. Market Rasen. Kingsway Real Photo Series, unused, dated 1910. **£10**



26. **NORTHAMPTONSHIRE. MOULTON GRANGE.** Moulton Grange, used, *small crease*, c.1913. **£10**



27. **NOTTINGHAMSHIRE. HODSOCK PRIORY.** Hodsock Priory, by E.L. Scrivens & Co, unused, Doncaster, c.1915. £10



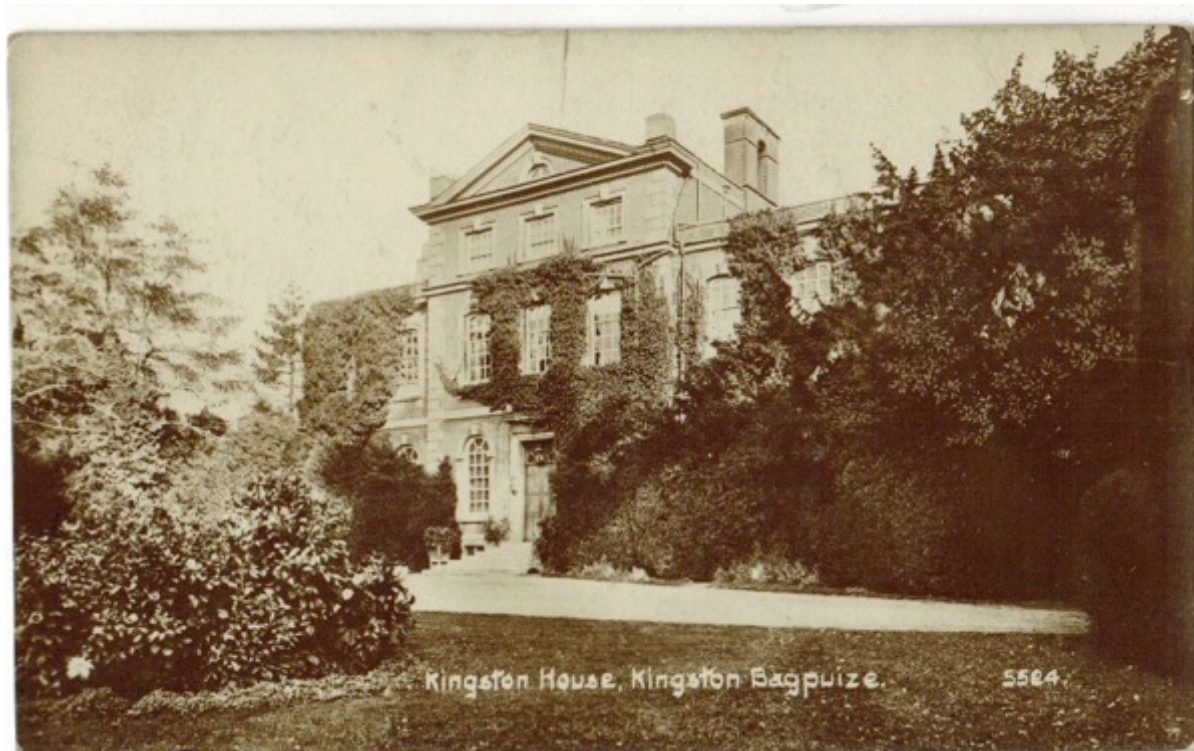
28. **NOTTINGHAMSHIRE. THRUMPTON HALL.** Thrumpton Hall, Entrance Front, by Country Life, unused, Printed by Photochrom Co Ltd, n.d. £5



29. **NOTTINGHAMSHIRE. TOLLERTON HALL.** Tollerton Hall, view of front, message in ink, beside image, used, 1904. £10



30. **NOTTINGHAMSHIRE. WIGTHORPE HALL.** Wigthorpe Hall. E. Taylor & Son, Worksop, unused, c.1910. £10



31. **OXFORDSHIRE. KINGSTON HOUSE.** Kingston House Kingston Bagpuize, unused, c.1918. **£10**



32. **OXFORDSHIRE. LANGSTON HOUSE.** Langston House, Chadlington, unused, but written message. c.1906. **£12**



33. **OXFORDSHIRE. SHELSWELL HOUSE.** Shelswell House, unused, but written message. c.1915. £12
 Almost completely rebuilt in 1870s by architect William Wilkinson.



34. **SCOTLAND. BALDARROCH.** Baldarroch. Woddall Series, unused, c. 1918. £10



35. **SCOTLAND. DHALLING MHOR.** Dhalling Mhor Kirn Argyll. M & L National Series, unused, c. 1920. £10



36. **SCOTLAND. GLEN CALADH CASTLE.** Glen Caladah Castle, unused, c. 1920. £10
Used as a training camp in the war and known as H.M.S. Cook.



37. **SCOTLAND. PENNINGHAME HOUSE.** Penninghame House. Newton Stewart by W. Hunter, unused, Newton Stewart, c. 1910. £12



38. **SHROPSHIRE. MINSTERLEY HALL.** Minsterley Hall. R.A. Ltd, unused, ? c.1930. £5



39. **SOMERSET. ABBOTSFIELD.** Abbotsfield Wiveliscombe. G.J.E. Series, used, 1916. £12
 Built for Lacey Collard in the 1870s by Owen Jones.



40. **SOMERSET. BROCKS MOUNT.** Brocks Mount, used, Stoke under Ham, 1911. £12



41. **SOMERSET. COURT HOUSE.** Court House Nether Stowey, unused, c.1920. £10



42. **SOMERSET. CROWCOMBE COURT.** Crowcombe Court, used, 1925. £12



43. **SOMERSET. HOLBROOK HOUSE.** Holbrook House, used, 1906.

£12



44. **SOMERSET. HURDS HILL.** Herds Hill House Langport by Bennett, used, Langport, 1912. £14
Hurd's Hill was the home of the economist Walter Bagehot [1826-1877], the economist.



45. **SOMERSET. MAPERTON HOUSE.** Maperton House, by Clarke & Son, used, Stalbridge & Sturminster Newton, 1909. **£12**
 Featured in Marcus Binney's list of 'top ten most perfect houses of all periods in Britain' (The Times, September 7, 2007).



46. **SOMERSET. MIDELNEY PLACE.** Middelney Place. View between trees, unused postally, but with Christmas message c.1910. **£10**
 According to the hand written message, this was the first postcard of Middelney Place which was built in 1866.



47. **SOMERSET. WESTCOMBE HOUSE.** Westcombe House 3, unused, *faint crease on one corner*, c. 1910. £12



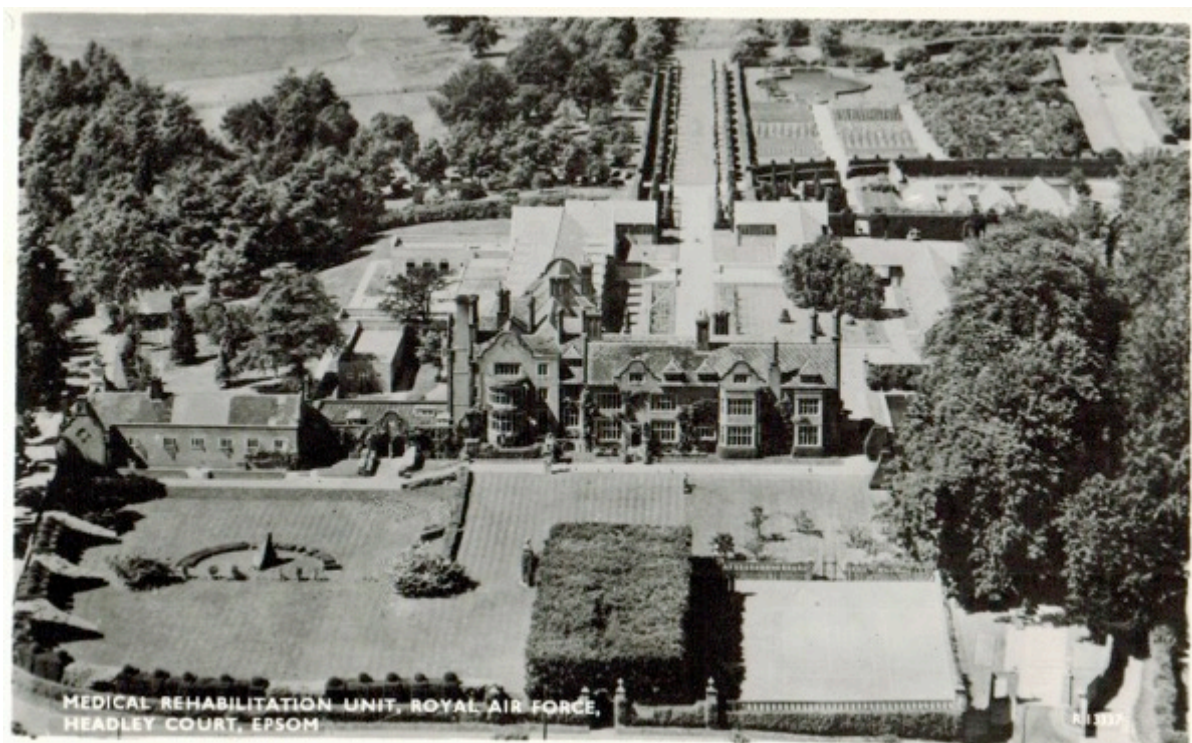
48. **STAFFORDSHIRE. THE GRANGE.** The Grange, Biddulph by W. Shaw, used, *some creasing*, Burslem, 1911. £10



49. **STAFFORDSHIRE. WESTWOOD HALL.** Westwood Hall Leek South Front, used, 1905. £12



50. **SURREY. COBHAM COURT.** Cobham Court Kingsway Real Photo Series, unused, c.1918. £10



51. **SURREY. HEADLEY COURT.** Medical Rehabilitation Unit, Royal Air Force Headley Court, Epsom. Aerial View by Aero Films Ltd., unused, n.d., post 1945. **£5**
Since the Second World War used as a rehabilitation centre.



52. **SUSSEX. BIGNOR PARK.** Bignor Park, unused, c.1915. **£12**



53. **SUSSEX. GRAVENHURST.** Gravenhurst. Bolney, unused, c.1915.

£10



54. **WALES. BODELWYDDAN CASTLE.** Bodelwyddan Castle (Lowther College) by Valentine's, unused. c.1925.

£12



55. **WALES. CROSSWOOD.** Crosswood near Aberystwyth, unused. c.1915. £12
Also known as Trawsgoed.



56. **WALES. DYFFRYN HOUSE.** Dyffryn House Side Elevation, unused. c.1920. £10



57. **WALES. NANTEOS.** Nanteos by Pickfords, unused. Aberystwyth, c.1920. £10



58. **WALES. PWLLYCHROCHAN.** Pwllychrochan Hotel Rhos by Hunt, used. Manchester, 1906. £10



59. **WARWICKSHIRE. CLOPTON HOUSE.** Clopton House. W.A. Smith, used, 1903. £10



60. **WORCESTERSHIRE. HAGLEY HALL.** Hagley Hall by John Price & Son's, oval image, unused. c.1915. £10



61. **WORCESTERSHIRE. PULL COURT.** Pull Court, unused. c.1920. £10



62. **WORCESTERSHIRE. THE LEASOWES.** The Leasowes. Halesowen. Parkes Bros. Inset images of Shenstone and The Priory, unused. Blackheath & Halesowen, c.1915. £10



63. **YORKSHIRE. CONSTABLE BURTON HALL.** Constable Burton Hall by Walter Scott, unused, Bradford, c.1920. £10



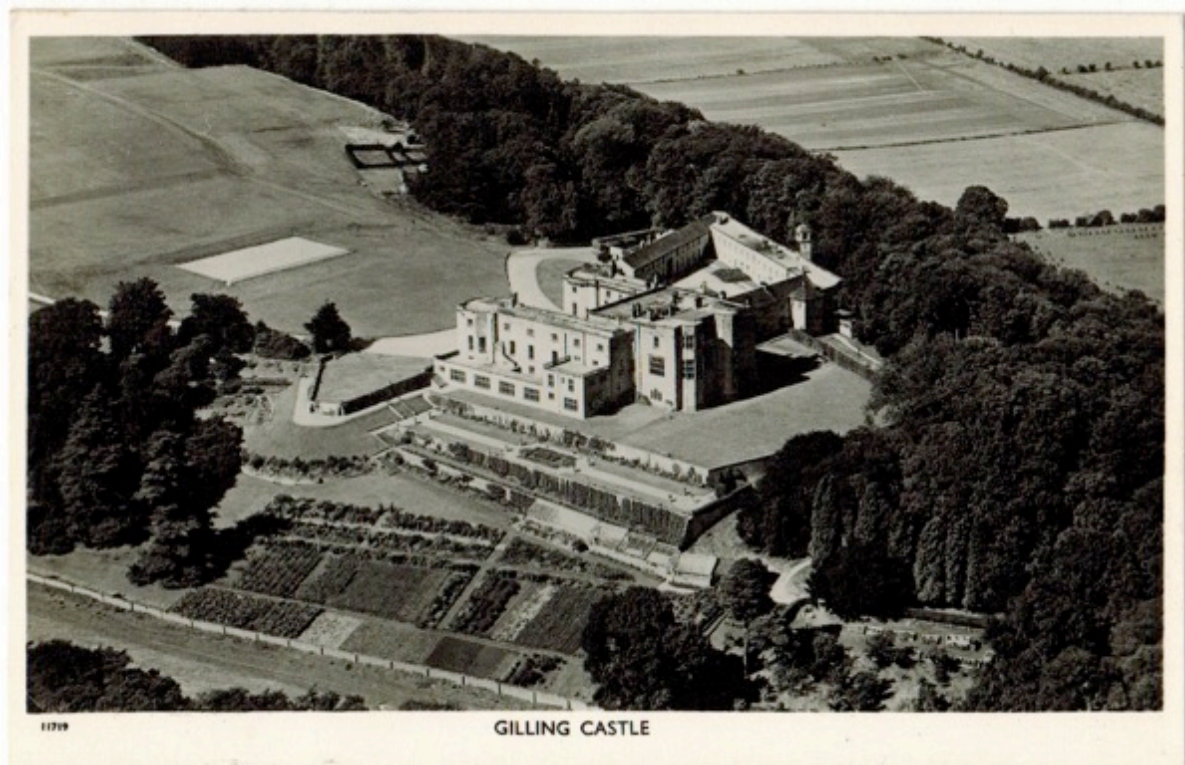
64. **YORKSHIRE. COURTLANDS.** Courtlands, Shipley Bridge, used, 1913. £12



65. **YORKSHIRE. CRAWSTONE HALL.** Crawstone Hall, Greetland, used, 1912. £12



66. **YORKSHIRE. DALTON HALL.** Dalton Hall, by Beatrice Sarah Corless, unused, Burton, c.1915. £12



67. **YORKSHIRE. GILLING CASTLE.** Gilling Castle. Aerial View by Aero Pictorial Ltd., unused, n.d. (Active 1921-58) £5



68. **YORKSHIRE. GLEDSTONE HALL.** Gledstone Hall. by SSCO, used, 1904. £12



69. **YORKSHIRE. MORTHEN HALL.** Morthen Hall, unused, c.1915. £12



70. **YORKSHIRE. THROAPHAM MANOR.** Throapham Manor, unused, c.1915. £10