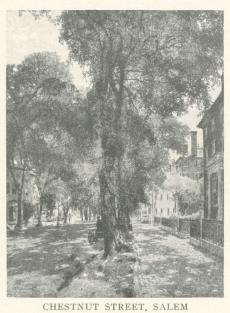
## NEW ENGLAND STREETS

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#### FOREWORD

THE New England streets were painted because association with them is congenial and appealing. They were not, painted because they need restoring like some half blotted out record of a civilization past and gone. They were done because it is pleasant to put down something which has retained its early charm and individuality, and which gives one the assurance of permanence.

One knows that Chestnut Street with its proud mansions, all built in the heyday of our colonial architecture, and its rows of towering elms, is the same street grown older, that it was a hundred years ago. One is quite as sure too that High Street, Newburyport, with its leisure and elegance, was the same yesterday. While the byways and elm shaded streets of Ipswich, suggest all the repose of another generation.

And the narrow streets of Marblehead, which climb uphill and down and turn and wind so crookedly, need no dreamer to find the charm and quaintness of former days. One has the impression of flowers where there might be sidewalks, and roofs where the town might end. Duncan Street, Gloucester, with its block shops and sail lofts, still leads one down to the sea, where fishing vessels lie at their moorings, as they always have.

In each town one lingers on some street beside which the village green has withstood the borrowings of time. It may be a small plot like the Manchester Square with its elm and its open belfry, or it may be larger like the Boston Common bounded by the thoroughfares of a great city. But always the atmosphere of these New England streets seems like a refreshing intermission in our modern life, inviting one to return.

#### TITLES OF PAINTINGS

1.	Chestnut Street, Salem\$	1200
	High Street, Newburyport	600
3.	Looking Toward South and Middle Streets, Marblehead	600
4.	Beacon Street, Boston	400
	High Street, Ipswich	400
6.	Duncan Street, Gloucester	400
7.	Corner Park and Tremont Streets, Boston	400
8.	Washington Street, Marble- head	300
9.	Federal Street, Salem	300
	Tucker Street, Marblehead	200
11.	By the Square, Manchester	200
12.	Lafayette Corner, Marble- head	175
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