

CONTENTS

1	Prologue: The Point of Departure	<i>page</i> 1
2	The Dole of Courage	2
3	The Royal Saints of England	6
4	The Faithful Maid of Honour	14
5	At the Feet of the Dead	19
6	“Mistress Shallow”	23
7	Vices <i>versus</i> Virtues	26
8	The Giant of Burford in Shropshire	36
9	An English Eden	40
10	Folly in Architecture	44
11	Handel in Suburbia	52
12	Angelic Orchestras	58
13	The Sacred Grove	68
14	Elephant hunting in Devon	72
15	Easter Sepulchres	76
16	“A Little Child shall lead Them”	82
17	The Tree of Jesse	84
18	“Old St Paul’s” in Hertfordshire	93
19	The Shadow-Foot of Dennington	95
20	Architectural Models	99
21	A Herbal of Stone	108
22	“Comes the Blind Fury”	116
23	Wool-gathering in Church	118
24	Design for a Journey in Black and Gold	125
25	Epilogue: Searchlights over London	132
	Index of Proper Names	134