JUNE AUCTION

Auction date: Saturday 21st June

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Postal entries should be with me by Friday; emails by 11am on the Saturday. All bids should be accompanied by your full and preferred contact details. All emails will be acknowledged as confirmation of bid. After the auction, notification will go out by email and post – telephone confirmation will only be if specifically requested at the time of bidding. And please, when bidding, it is really helpful if you can include with the lot number a brief description of what the lot is.

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Payment is by cheque preferably, made payable to Mark Alford, but if you wish to pay by bank transfer this information will be made available on an individual basis to the buyer.

Bids please to Mark Alford – details as above.

1. Foreign	*Sitting up Rat*	*Southsea*	*3.00*
2. Carlton	*Turkey, green base*	*Arms of Glastonbury*	*4.00*
3. Carlton	*Puppy in Slipper, some colour*	*Brighton (Lustre)*	*7.00*
4. Unmarked (Saxony)	*Cow lying down*	*Weston-Super-Mare*	*4.00*
5. Arcadian	*Black Cat in Well*	*March*	*8.00*
6. Arcadian	*Mouse sitting up holding acorn*	*Chatham*	*5.00*
7. Grafton	*Fennec Fox, crouching*	*Barmouth*	*15.00*
8. Grafton	*Bear & Ragged Staff*	*Kingston-on-Hull*	*5.00*
9. Grafton	*Lop-eared Rabbit*	*Manchester*	*3.00*

10. Grafton	*Lady in Bonnet*	*Ventnor*	*15.00*
11. Arcadian	*Lion, walking*	*Blandford Forum (King of the Forest)*	*5.00*
12. Arcadian	*Black Cat on Jug*	*Cheddar*	*8.00*



13. Carlton	*Open two-seater Sports Car*	*Wallingford Seal*	*14.00*
14. Arcadian	*Two-seater Car*	*Leicester*	*5.00*
15. Arcadian	*Charabanc, 18-seater*	*Bournemouth*	*8.00*
16. Willow	*Single-decker Tram*	*Elland (Life on the open wave)*	*18.00*
17. Saxony	*Locomotive RH & DR*	*Hythe*	*6.00*
18. Carlton	*Locomotive 4-4-0*	*Maidstone*	*18.00*
19. Carlton	*Motor bike & sidecar*	*Hunstanton St Edmunds*	*16.00*
20. Arcadian	*German Arial Torpedo*	*Kent*	*12.00*
21. Arcadian	*German Arial Torpedo*	*Aberdeen*	*12.00*
22. Shelly (No. 340)	*Howitzer*	*Bishops Stortford*	*12.00*
23. Arcadian	*Armoured Car*	*Dunfermline*	*10.00*
24. Waterfall	*Battleship 140mm (impressed HMS Lion)*	*Grimsby*	*5.00*
25. Carlton	*Pillar Box GR/Verse*	*Monmouth*	*3.00*
26. Arcadian	*Folding Camera*	*St Leonards*	*5.00*
27. Carlton	*(Waisted short) Clock*	*Ashstead*	*4.00*
28. Grafton	*Pierrot playing Bango*	*Bath*	*7.00*
29. Arcadian	*Mr Pickwick climbing bottle (F/F by leg)*	*Dover*	*3.00*
30. Grafton	*Baby, seated*	*Bromley*	*3.00*
31. Arcadian	*Japanese Lady, seated with Parasol*	*Settle*	*4.00*
32. Coronet	*Hexagonal Gramophone with Horn*	*Okehampton*	*5.00*
33. Carlton	*Welsh Spinning Wheel, lustre*	*Swansea*	*7.00*
34. Shelley (No. 504)	*Collar or Lace Iron*	*Crediton*	*5.00*
35. Shelley (No. 197)	*Bag of Golf Clubs*	*Kelso*	*5.00*
36. Royal Worcester	*55mm Cup & Saucer*	*Worcester*	*5.00*
37. Unmarked (Wilton)	*Tramp seated beside milestone (no colour)*	*Bath*	*8.00*
38. Carlton	*Drunk by lamppost "Swat a night boy"*	*Newmarket*	*10.00*

39. Willow	*Cottage built in a day*	*Annan*	*10.00*
40. Vectis	*Old Village Shanklin IOW*	*Isle of Wight*	*20.00*
41. Carlton	*Beach House Canvey*	*Canvey-on-Sea*	*20.00*
42. Carlton	*Shrapnel Villa*	*Eastbourne*	*15.00*



43. Willow	*Worthing War Memorial*	*Worthing*	*20.00*
44. Arcadian	*Bishops Stortford War Memorial*	*Bishops Stortford*	*20.00*
45. Carlton	*Nurse with full skirt*	*Birmingham*	*25.00*
46. Carlton	*Scottish Soldier, at ease wearing Glengarry*	*Birstall*	*35.00*
47. Swan	*Jovial Monk with glass Arms of Earl of Pomfret*	*Towcester*	*5.00*
48. Carlton	*Jovial Monk*	*Coniston / Verse*	*5.00*
49. Rita	*Monk*	*Griffithstown*	*5.00*
50. Carlton	*Bagpipes*	*Rosyth*	*8.00*
51. St Martins Church Font	Lidded white glazed		20.00
52. St Tudnos Font	Llandudno		10.00
53. Monmouth Font	4 Coloured shields		15.00
54. Haddon Hall Font	Buxton		30.00
55. Lincoln Jack	1782 City Ringers		8.00
56. St Pauls Cathedral	Goss England	City of London	5.00
57. CARMARTHEN CORACLE	CARMARTHEN		8.00
58. Carmarthen Coracle	Llandovery 1484		5.00
59. Bournemouth Bronze Urn	The Royal Bath Hotel, Bath		5.00
60. WELSH CORACLE	ABERYSTWYTH ANCIENT		3.00
61. WELSH CORACLE	LLANGOLLEN		3.00
62. SALISBURY JACK	SALISBURY		3.00
63. Leek Urn	Porlock		4.00
64. Leek Urn	King William Rufus		4.00
65. Leek Urn	Gibraltar		4.00
66. Leek Urn	Crewkerne		4.00
67. Leek Urn	King Alfred AD 871-901		4.00
68. Leek Urn	Lee-on-the Solent		4.00
69. Leek Urn	Commonwealth of Australia		4.00
70. Leek Urn	2nd Duke of Buckingham, died at Kirby Moorside		4.00

71. Leek Urn	Cirencester Abbey, Second Coat	4.00
72. Leek Urn	Huntington	4.00
73. Cone Candle Snuffer	Seaford II	3.00
74. Cone Candle Snuffer	Arms of St Thomas A 'Becket	3.00
75. Cone Candle Snuffer	Isle of Wight Ancient	3.00
76. Cone Candle Snuffer	Dover	3.00
77. Cone Candle Snuffer	Folkstone	3.00
78. Cone Candle Snuffer	Essex	3.00
79. Cone Candle Snuffer	Eastbourne (A)	3.00
80. Cone Candle Snuffer	Bournemouth	3.00
81. Cone Candle Snuffer	Buxton	3.00
82. Cone Candle Snuffer	Croydon	3.00
83. 58mm Ann Hathaway's Cottage		8.00
84. First & Last House	Glazed green door	8.00
85. First & Last House	Un-glazed green door	8.00
86. Manx Cottage		8.00
87. 75mm Shakespear's House		8.00
88. Samual Johnson House Lichfield		8.00
89. Burns Cottage		8.00
90. Lloyd George's Cottage Criccieth		8.00
91. Pill Box & Lid	S/T Windsor Castle	5.00
92. Cylinder Pot 3 legs	S/T Worcester Cathedral	5.00
93. Cylinder Pot 3 legs	S/T Summit of Snowdon	5.00
95. 38mm Cup	B/T Lincoln Cathedral	8.00
96. 38mm Cup	B/T Conway Castle	5.00
97. 38mm Cup	S/T The Clock Tower, Market Sq Aylesbury	5.00
98. 38mm Cup	S/T Ross Market House	5.00
99. 38mm Cup	R/T Lincoln Cathedral S.E.	5.00
100. 38mm Cup	R/T Pittville Spa Cheltenham	5.00
101. Club Vase	S/T Arundel Castle	5.00
102. Club Vase	S/T Tintern Abbey	5.00
103. Club Vase	S/T South African War Memorial Wendover	5.00
104. 38mm Beaker	R/T Pump Room Harrogate	5.00
105. Yarmouth Ewer	S/T Beverley Minster	5.00
106. Yarmouth Ewer	S/T Chirk Castle, N. Wales	5.00
107. Yarmouth Ewer	S/T Arundel Castle	5.00
108. Alibaba Vase	S/T Caerphilly Castle	5.00
109. Hitchin Cup	B/T Tintern Abbey	5.00
110. Painswick Pot	S/T Chirk Castle N. Wales	5.00
111. Windsor Urn	S/T Butler Cross Witney Oxon	5.00
112. Highland Milk Crogan	S/T Royal Pump Rooms, Leamington Spa	5.00
113. 70mm Urn	S/T Castle Gates, Chirk N.W.	5.00
114. 70mm Urn	S/T Lincoln Cathedral	5.00
115. Rayleigh Cooking Pot	S/T Ladies of Llangollen	5.00

116. Penmaenmawr Urn S/T Devils Bridge Aberystwyth 5.00
117. Betws-y-Coed Kettle B/T Devils Bridge Aberystwyth 5.00
118. Devices Cup S/T The Market Cross Devizes 5.00
119. 80mm dia Crinkle Pin Dish R/T High St. Oxford 5.00
120. 80mm Beaker B/T Doune Castle from N.E. 5.00
121. 60mm Cup B/T High Street Bridgnorth 5.00
122. 65mm Cup B/T Grange from Carmel Hill (Sea View) 5.00
123. 65mm Cup B/T Burns Cottage Ayr 5.00
124. 80mm Melon Cream Jug S/T St Thomas A 'Becket Cottage 5 00
125. 70mm Crinkle Cut Vase C/T Seaton Church 5.00
126.70mm cup C/T The Gateway Lancaster Castle 5.00
127.TWICKENHAM PIPE TWICKENHAM 5.00
128.Russian Shell Sunderland 4.00
129.Russian Shell Barnet 4.00
130.Russian Shell Arms of Wales 4.00
131.British Shell Barry 4.00
132.British Shell Falmouth 4.00
133.WINCESTER JACK 45mm Trusty Servant 4.00
134.Willow Shakespeare House 65mm 10.00
135.Willow Shakespeare House 130mm 15.00
136.H&RL Shakespeare House 155mm 20.00
137Willow Ann Hathaway's Cottage 110mm 20.00
138.Willow Burns Cottage 105mm 20.00
139.Willow Burns Cottage With full details on back of Building 50.00
140.Unmarked Burns Cottage 55mm F/F on Chimney 10.00
141.Willow Bell Hotel 84mm inscribed nice clean coy 35.00
142. Willow Old Blacksmiths Shop 15.00
143.Willow St Anns Well Great Malvern Coloured 75.00
144.Willow Dick Whittington Inn inscribed 60.00
145.Willow John Milton's Cottage 75.00
146.Unmarked (willow) Harvard House 50.00
147.Unmarked (willow) Harvard House Writing on back chip in top of Chimney 35.00
148.Unmarked Wallace Tower Yellow Brown Colour 2 tips of tower missing 35.00
149.Willow Feathers Hotel Ludlow 52mm 30.00
150.Willow St Benet's Abbey Norfolk Broads Wroxham (chip under base leading to Hair line does not go through tray just base 30.00
151.postcard No 6 U/U Arms 0f Wycombe 3.00
152.postcard No 6 U/U Manchester 3.00
153.postcard No 6.U/U City of Liverpool 3.00
154.postcard No 6 U/U Mark on back as in a album Huntingdon 2.00
155.postcard No 6 U/U Bournemouth 3.00
156.postcard No 5 U/U County Borough of Hanley 3.00
157.postcard No 5 U/U Mark on back as in album Huntingdon 2.00
158.postcard No 5 U/U City of London 3.00

159.postcaed No 5 U/U Arms of Wycombe 3.00
160.postcaed No 5 U/U Bradford 3.00
161.postcard No 5 U/U Bournemouth 3.00
162.postcard No 4 U/U Mark on back as in album Huntingdon 2.00
163.postcard No 4 U/U Lowestoft 3.00
164.postcard No 4 U/U Scarborough 3.00
165. postcard No 4 U/U City of London 3.00
166.postcard No 4 U/U Manchester 3.00
167.postcard No 4 U/U Blackburn 3.00
168. postcard No 4 U/U Bournemouth 3.00
169. postcard No 3 U/U City of London 3.00
170.postcard No 3 U/U Liskeard 3.00
171.postcard No 3 U/U Arms of Reading 3.00
172.postcard No 3 U/U Mark on back as in album Huntingdon 2.00
173.postcard No 3 U/U Halifax 3.00
174.postcard No 2 U/U Arms of Wycombe 3.00
175.postcard No 2 U/U Mark on back as in album Huntingdon 2.00
176.postcard No 2 U/U Saxmundham 3.00
177. postcard No 1 U/U Blackpool 3.00
178.postcard No 1 U/U City of York 3.00
179.postcard No 1 U/U Mark on back as in album Huntingdon 2.00
180.postcard No 1 U/U Lowestoft 3.00
181.postcard No 7 Used Arms of Wycombe Aug 8th 1907 5.00
182.postcard No 6 Used Kensington 29th Nov 1906 5.00
183.postcard No 6 Used Isle of Wight May 7th 1907 5.00
184. postcard No 5 Used Guernsey 5.00
185.postcard No 4 Used Cambridge Oct 26th 1906 5.00
186.postcard No 3 Used Accrington Nov 24th 1906 5.00
187.postcard No 2 Used Cambridge Nov 22nd 1906 5.00
188.postcard No 2 Used Leeds Dec 10th 1905 5.00
189.postcard No 5 U/U Weymouth 3.00
190.postcard No 6 Used Isle of Wight Sep 3rd 1907 5.00
191.Square Tea pot stand
Windsor/Berkshire/Floret Etonia/Henry III/St Georges Windsor 5.00
192.Square Tea pot stand Old Scarlet and verse 5.00
193.Square Tea pot stand Trusty Servant and verse 5.00
194.Square Tea pot stand Robin Hoods last shot and verse 5.00
195.Square stand City of Nottingham/St George/England/HMS Q/V blue fading 3.00
196.Square Tea pot stand King Alfreds Jewel/Banner/K/Alfred born/ 6.00
197.Square Tea pot stand Franco British Exhibition 1908 6.00
198. Square Tea pot stand Flags of the Allies 6.00
199.Square Tea pot stand Crystal Palace Opened/Festival/G&M/London/verse curved
Is the line 6.00
200. Square Tea pot stand Wembley 1924 Large crest 6.00

201.50mm loving cup Hampshire/George III/Bournemouth Centenary 1810-1910 6.00
202.Welsh Leek Port Talbot (L) 5.00
203.Welsh Leek Newcastle-Emlyn (L) 5.00
204.BOURENMOUTH BOTTLE BOURENMOUTH 5.00
205.Welsh Crochon Fountains Abbey 3.00
206.Canterbury Font Dished Arms of Thomas A Becket 10.00
207.Canterbury Font Closed Lid Parren 15.00
208.CLOCHESTER GIGANTIC VASE COLCHESTER/PORT/ABBEY 20.00
209.Window in Thrums 10.00
210.Ann Hathaway's Cottage 60mm 10.00
211.Burns Cottage 10.00
212.Old Maids Cottage Lee Glazed 10.00
213.Old Maids Cottage Lee Unglazed 10.00
214.Stockton Salt Pot Antwerpen 3.00
215.Colchester Vase St Helena 3.00
216.Felixstowe Urn Port Elizabeth 3.00
217.Kettering Urn Monte Carlo 3.00
218.Glastonbury Bowl Toronto 3.00
219.Tewkesbury Urn Schweiz 3.00
220.York Urn Argentina 3.00
221. Penmaenmawr Urn Arras 3.00
222.Portland Vase Luzern 3.00
223.Looe Ewer Berlin 3.00
224.Chester Vase Santa Crux De Tenerife 3.00
225. Ostend Oolen Pot Brugge/Belgium/Westvlaanderen 3.00
226.Samuel Johnsons House Lichfield 15.00
227.First & Last Post Office 15.00
228.Arcadian Pot Transfer Black Cat & Few of St Pauls good luck from dear old London Town 10.00
229. Duchess Elephant Bispham 5.00
230. Acadian Elephant Uppwey 5.00
231.Clarence Elephant C/T Battle Abbey Gateway 5.00
232.Unmarked Elephant Whitly Bay 5.00
233.Unmarked Elephant Prittlewll 5.00
234.Arcadian 3 Black Cats in Bed St Davids 5.00
235.Carlton Black Cat on Chair Joly Good Luck Warwick 5.00
236. Arcadian Sundial Wembley 1925 5.00
237. Arcadian Pot Osnabruck 5.00
238. Arcadian Lighthouse Longstone 5.00
239. Longships Lighthouse Largs 5.00
240. Eddystone Lighthouse Gourock 5.00
241.EDDYSTONE LIGHTHOUSE PLYMOUTH 8.00
242.Lewes Urn Seal of Rye verse The Romans Named Rye 8.00
243. King Newton Urn The League of Goss Collectors 8.00

244. Pilgrims Costrel The League of Goss Collectors 8.00
245.Harrogate Ewer Hitchin 3.00
246. Maltese Twin Vase City of Liverpool/See of Liverpool 5.00
247. DEVON OAK PICCHER DEVON 5.00
248.SARK FISH BASKET SERGQ 5.00
249. Toby Jug 70mm Orange Coat/Blue Trousers 10.00
250. Brown Hexham Abbey Frid Stol 10.00
251.Wordsworth Birthplace Cockermouth 15.00
252.Charles Dickens House Gads Hill 15.00
253. Taper Mug H in for-get-me-nots 5.00
254.Taper Mug S in for-get-me-nots 5.00
255. Taper Mug Everted Rim F in for-get-me-nots 5.00
256.Two Handle Tyg Province of the Cape of good Hope 3.00
257.Swiss Milk Bucket Flag of Portugal 5.00
258. BOURNEMOUTH BOTTLE BOURNEMOUTH 5.00
259.Silchester Vase S/T Symonds Yat Station & River Wye 5.00
260. QUEEN VICTORIAS SLIPPER & LEAFLET SIDMOUTH 8.00
261. Large SCARBOROUGH JUG SCARBOROUGH/YORKSHIRE 5.00
262.HASTINGS KETTLE HASTINGS 3.00
263.EXETER VASE BADGE OF THE CITY OF EXETER 5.00
264.Mary Queen of Scots cup Earl of Moray (a missing in Moray) 5.00
265. Square Tray with Teapot/cup & saucer/jug/sugar bowl all with For-get-me-nots 10.00
266.Oval Tray as above but with 4 Cups & Saucers 25.00
267. Manx Sprit Measure Royal Army Medical Corps 10.00
268. Mons Meg London Rifle Brigade 25.00
269. Waterlooville Bottle Royal Army Medical Corps 10.00
270.Southport Vase Honourable Artillery Coy 30.00
271. MANX PEEL POT C/T MANX CAT/ROOSTER 5.00
272.Queen Phillipa's record chest 90mm Gillingham Kent 5.00
273.Willow Black Cat next to bottle Gretna Green 8.00
274.Lloyd Georges Home 10.00
275. MALTESE FIRE GRATE MALTA/VALLETTA 5.00
276.Newbury Bottle S/T Castle Gates Chirk N.W 5.00
277. Abergavenny Jar S/T The Parish Church Bedford 5.00
278.Leek Urn S/T Greyfriars Hospital Coventry 20.00
279. 115mm loving cup outpressed head of WH Goss Goss/Stoke upon Trent 15.00
280.Crinkle top ball vase S/T St Marys Church Luton 10.00
281. 80mm loving cup outpressed head Edward VII/Blackpool 10.00
282. BATH BRONZE EWER BATH/SEE OF BATH 6.00
283.DENBIGH BRICK DENBIGH/DENBIGHSHIRE 15.00
284. Mug M Goss C/T Will you come for a hop 25.00
285. Oxford Ewer Etruscan/Scythian Armour 25.00
286. Dorset Cup Scythian/Danish Armour 25.00

287. York Ewer British/Etruscan Armour 25.00
288. Arundel Ewer Roman/Scythian Armour 25.00





289. Shetland Pony Bruton Abbey 35.00
290. Hardback Book Memoirs of Edward Vaughan Kenealy 10.00
291. Collect Crested Cats M&Colin Carter 35.00
292. Square Tray 70nn dia S/T Boston Church 15.00
293. Square Tray 70nn dia B/T Barron Falls Cairns 30.00

294. 1 handle Tyg	HMS Warrior	35.00
295. Las Palmas Jar	HMS St Vincent	35.00
296. Manx Peel Pot	HMS Conqueror	35.00



297. Welsh Candle Snuffer Unrecorded Yellow Dress 75.00



298. Advertising Menu Holder (see FC) Coloured Tulips 75.00
299. Goss England Unmarked Boy on Turtle (see Inside FC)
California in England 125.00
300.Unmarked (Grafton) Couchs house Polperro Polperro 100.00



Polperro, on Cornwall's south-east coast, is a typical fishing village in a deep and secluded valley with narrow streets and quaint buildings leading down to the creek. Like many Cornish seaside villages, it has a tradition of smuggling. Couch's House was built of the local sedimentary stone and earth (now covered with tallow in lime) late in the sixteenth century. It was occupied in 1800 by William Quiller, a famous privateer and smuggler, whose granddaughter Jane married the multi-talented Jonathan Couch in 1815. Couch (1789-1870) wrote a history of Polperro and a four-volume classic, "History of the Fishes of the British Isles". He was also a doctor who worked with the mentally [ill]. His grandson, Sir Arthur Quiller-Couch, the scholar and writer, never lived in this house. Known as "the quaintest house in the village" Couch's house was earlier a museum and is now a private residence. (Collecting Miniature Coloured Cottages, Sam & Maggie Seabrook, New Cavendish Books, 1996)



301. Willow (Rare) Pretty Cottage Park Road, Port Sunlight *150.00*





This cottage is not mentioned in the standard book on the subject, *Collecting Miniature Coloured Cottages*, by Sam & Maggie Seabrook, New Cavendish Books, 1996; but is mentioned in the second of their two follow-up productions *Coloured Souvenir Cottages* Pub: Sam & Maggie 2012. *When, in 1887 William Lever found his factory in Warrington too small, he decided to move to a new site on the Mersey. The sit was a swamp, and had to be drained before the factory could be built alongside the River Mersey, and then next to the factory he built the village, the workers' houses and leisure facilities amongst the landscaped surroundings … Material was available for the production of Lux, Sunlight, Rinso, Vim and Lifebuoy, which were transported all over the world. There were two classes of cottage in Port Sunlight at the turn of the century: kitchen houses at 5/- to 6/3d per week, and parlour houses at 7/6d to 10/- per week. The parlour houses, such as 'Pretty Cottage' had an additional large living room and an extra bedroom. There were 900 houses in all that were built, all different and now listed, mostly semi-detached or terraced, designed by 30 different architects … This extremely rare model (there is evidence to suggest at least two of them) was produced by Willow Art China … Some postcards with "Pretty Cottage, Park Road" were produced around 1910 … it has terracotta features above the front windows and fancy brickwork around the front door. The house was first occupied about 1894 …*

302. An Clachan Cottage (very rare) 500.00







The great Empire Exhibition of 1938 featured within its boundaries a large area known as the Clachan. This consisted of a collection of authentically reproduced 'Highland and Island' buildings sited amongst mature trees, with rolling grassland, a loch and a burn, and linked by trodden by-ways. 'Clachan' is the Gaelic word for a Highland village, and an 'an clachan' is a single cottage within that village. In this show village the architect, Dr Colin Sinclair, brought together different types of crofting cottages from various parts of Scotland. Two Hebridean black-houses with 6-feet thick sloping walls and rounded gables, demonstrated the crofters' expertise, acquired over 1,000 years, in combatting the harsh Atlantic winter weather… he Argyll cottage had a proper standing chimney, indicating that the weather there was not so harsh as elsewhere.

The village was demolished in about 1940 as a wartime measure because it was close to shipping lanes and might have served as a landmark. We have been unable to ascertain which of the cottages were the so-called prototypes for these models but it seemed likely that the Argyll an clachan inspired one of them. In fact, Goss England simply revamped existing moulds (of the Burns cottage) *by recolouring them and marking them with the red lion and 'An Clachan.' The Arcadian 'Jean MacAlpine's Inn' An Clachan was modelled on a cottage at Aberfoyle; whilst the Goss 'Burns' An Clachan* (as in this example for auction)

In *Collecting Miniature Coloured Cottages* (Sam & Maggie Seabrook, New Cavendish Books, 1996) there is a page to this cottage, and another to Jean MacAlpine's Inn. What it doesn't mention is that Sam and Maggie actually bought the Jean MacAlpine cottage in an utterly derelict condition, and spent years restoring it – all of which they kept a record of, and which they later published in a book.

The 'other' An Clachan cottage by Goss is the Jean MacAlpine Inn, modelled by Arcadian and later sold by Goss at the 1938 Glasgow Empire Exhibition as "An Clachan Cottage"

