



COYNE ROAD COLLEGE HILLSIDE

COACH ROAD COTTAGE, HEMPSTEAD.

In June 1969, an American by the name of Robert E. Turner of 63, Howe Road, Cohasset, Mass. U.S.A. called at this cottage and said that his grandmother lived there. He brought with him sketches of this cottage taken from photographs which his father possessed. In the following year, 1970, the said Robert Turner's father, Thomas Turner and his wife Clare, of 409, Ridgewood Road, Maplewood, New Jersey, U.S.A. paid a visit to Europe and England. They came to this cottage and spent the day here. Thomas Turner took many photographs of this cottage where his mother had lived as a girl. She left Hempstead at the age of 18 to run away to America, taking with her a print of the cottage. This photograph was taken from the print which hangs on the wall of Thomas Turner's home in New Jersey, U.S.A. The original print of the cottage was taken in 1862. The occupiers of the cottage from 1966-1974 were Mr. Edward Turner, his wife Winifred and daughter Melanie. They were no relation of the original Turners, which was a strange coincidence.