

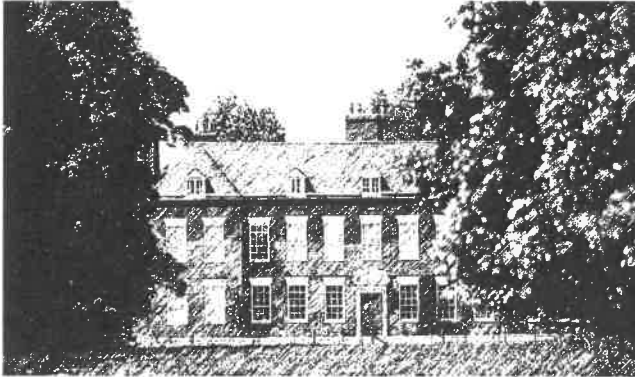
# POINTS OF INTEREST

## A) The Parish Church of St. Peter and St. Paul:

This lovely building dates back to the 14th century. Its 53 metre spire, rebuilt in 1887, is a landmark visible from some distance.

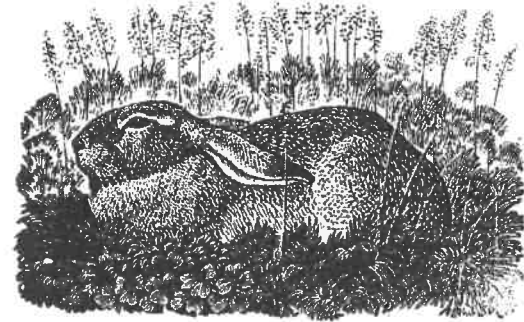
Coleshill, itself, was a former royal demesne. The town was once inherited from the de Montforts by Simon Digby, whose descendants lie in the church vaults, and who was notable for changing sides in the War of the Roses.

**B) Blyth Hall:** This old hall was extensively remodelled in 1692 by Sir John Dugdale. It is still owned by the Dugdale family, which owns large amounts of land in the area.



Blyth Hall, viewed from within the grounds, which are not open to the general public. The Whitacre and Shustoke Horticultural Society holds its annual show in the grounds at the front of the Hall on the last Saturday of July.

**C)** The white posts signify the line of a major oil pipeline that runs from Lowestoft to the Kingsbury Oil Terminal, which is five kilometres north of this point.



Look out for Hares, which are commonly found in the large open fields around the Coleshill area. At one time they were in decline, but are now becoming more common.

**D) Whitacre Water Works:** This imposing building is a prime example of Victorian industrial architecture.

**E) Cole End Bridge:** This historic bridge was built around 1360, and widened in the 18th Century. The original arches can be seen over the river from the footpath.