

Andover, Massachusetts

Fifty Views of this
Historic Town



Including Several Views of North Andover

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AS one of the oldest towns in the United States, Andover enjoys universal distinction. Its name has always been coupled with famous historical events, with which every school-boy is familiar.

It was founded in 1646 by **Rev. John Woodbridge**, to whose efforts were added those of **Simon Bradstreet**, afterward **Governor of Massachusetts**. The land was purchased from **Cutshumache**, **Sagamore of the Massachusetts Indians**, for the sum of six pounds and a coat.

Andover's famous school, **Phillips Academy**, was founded in 1770 by **Samuel Phillips**, and was the first incorporated academy in the country. It has grown steadily from the modest proportions of its earliest days, and today is one of our most popular schools. It has been greatly aided in its growth by the generous benefactions of the **Phillips family**, to whose efforts can be attributed much of its great success. The late **Bishop Phillips Brooks** was a direct descendant of this illustrious family. Andover is also proud of its **Theological Seminary**, and of such men as **Prof. Calvin E. Stowe** and **Prof. Austin Phelps**, who have been presidents

of this institution. Abbot Academy, the first school for girls in this section of the country, was opened in 1829, through the efforts and bequests of Madam Sarah Abbot.

Simon Bradstreet, well known as magistrate, ambassador, and governor of Massachusetts, was one of the founders and residents of Andover, and his wife, Anne, is famous as the first poetess in America. Their descendants, such men as Oliver Wendell Holmes, Wendell Phillips and R. H. Dana, have also earned wide renown, and Andover can be justly proud of her sons.

There are two more things which alone would make Andover famous. It was here that Harriet Beecher Stowe, authoress of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," made her home for several years, and her house is still known as the "Stowe House." The house still stands, also, in which, in February 1832, Samuel F. Smith, then a student in Andover Theological Seminary, wrote the song that was destined to become our national hymn, "America."





HARRIET BEECHER STOWE AND RESIDENCE.



HOME OF DR. SMITH, AUTHOR OF "AMERICA,"



THE ABBOT HOUSE, OLDEST HOUSE IN ANDOVER. BUILT 1690.



ELIZABETH STUART PHELPS WARD'S RESIDENCE



OFFICE, PHILLIPS ACADEMY.



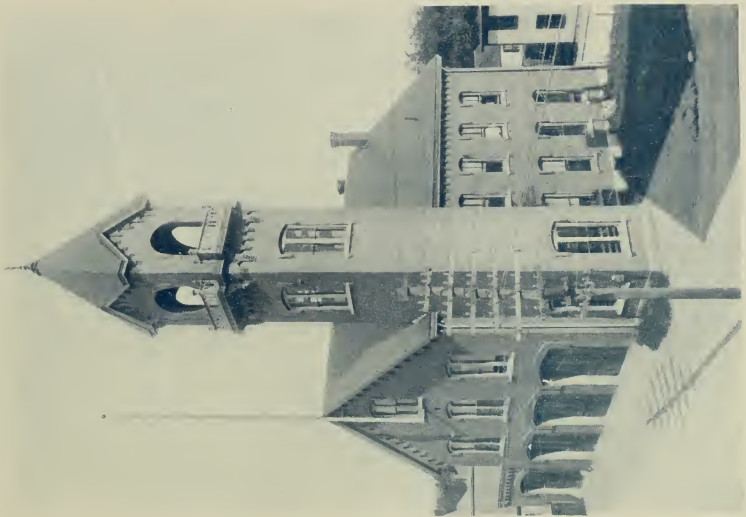
PHILLIPS ACADEMY



GYMNASIUM, PHILLIPS ACADEMY.



DINING HALL, PHILLIPS ACADEMY.



ENGINE HOUSE.



CENTRAL STREET.



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DRAPER HALL, ABBOT ACADEMY.



TOWN HALL.



VIEW OF PUBLIC PARK.



MUSGROVE BLOCK.



PHILLIPS MANSION. BUILT 1752. FOR A TIME THE HOME OF THE LATE BISHOP PHILLIPS BROOKS.
NORTH ANDOVER.



VIEW OF LOWER VILLAGE, TAKEN FROM TOP OF CHIMNEY OF DAVIS & FURBER MACHINE COMPANY,
NORTH ANDOVER.



CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.



BRADSTREET HOUSE, BUILT 1667. HOME OF GOV. BRADSTREET AND HIS WIFE,
ANNE; THE FIRST POETESS IN AMERICA, NORTH ANDOVER.



SCIENTIFIC BUILDING, PHILLIPS ACADEMY.



PRINCIPAL STEARNS' RESIDENCE, STOWE HOUSE AND PHILLIPS ACADEMY CHAPEL.



OLD LATIN COMMONS, PHILLIPS ACADEMY.



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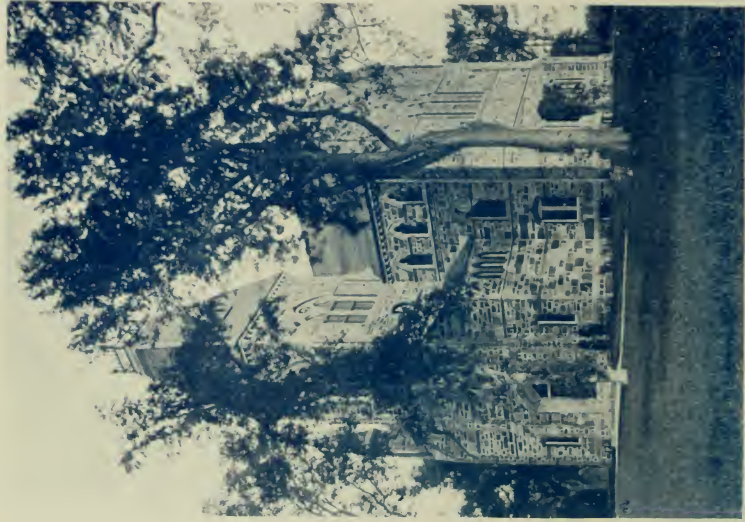
ARCHAEOLOGICAL BUILDING, PHILLIPS ACADEMY.



ANDOVER THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY.



ELM ARCH, ANDOVER THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY.



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CHAPEL, THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY.



ABBOT ACADEMY.



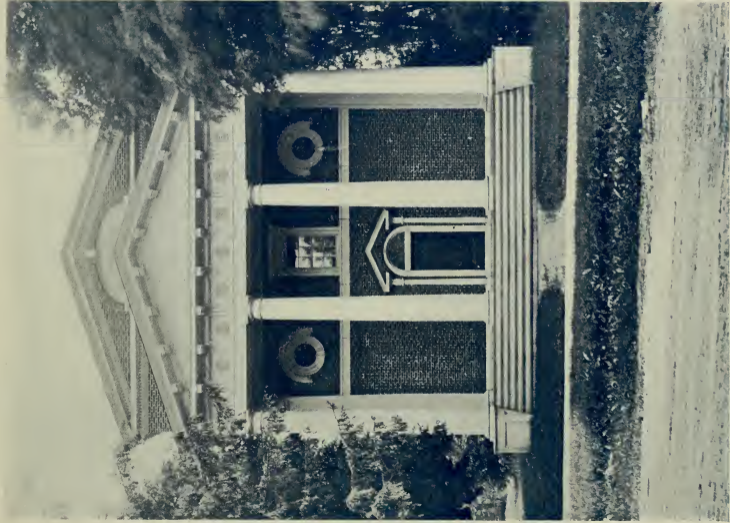
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ELM SQUARE.



K. O. A. CLUB.



PUNCHAR HIGH SCHOOL.



SCHOOL AND MAIN STREET, LOOKING NORTH.



OLD B. & M. R. R. STATION.



STOWE SCHOOL.



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CATHOLIC CHURCH AND PAROCHIAL RESIDENCE.



ORTHODOX CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. ORGANIZED 1834. PRESENT CHURCH
BUILT 1865, NORTH ANDOVER.



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