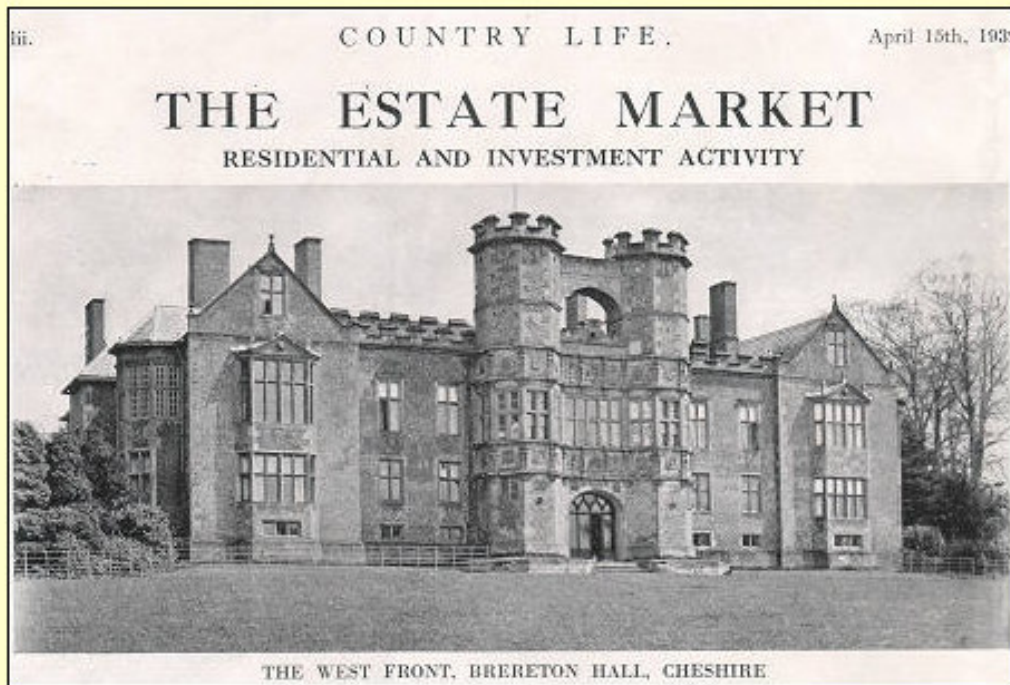


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BRERETON HALL, CHESHIRE

QUEEN ELIZABETH is traditionally reputed to have laid the foundation stone of Brereton Hall, the stately old house near Sandbach, on the Liverpool-London main road. Lord Brereton, who built the house in 1586, was a founder of the Royal Society. It was one of the first houses in England to be built only of brick, and it has magnificent turrets and bays, of an uncommon and remarkably beautiful type. The Hall is one of the treasured survivals of a period of fine architecture and great craftsmanship, in a county that is happily rich in such examples. Messrs. Drivers, Jonas and Co. are to let the Hall on lease.