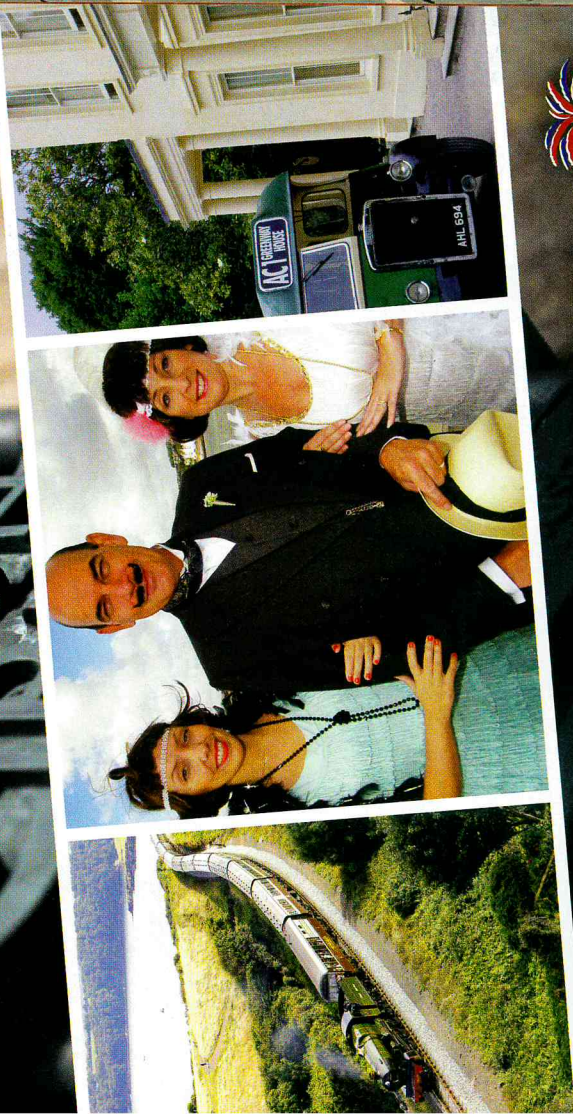


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Drift back into the style and opulence of the Jazz Age as you retrace the steps of the world's best-selling author along Torquay's seafront.

- 1 THE GRAND HOTEL** Site of Agatha's honeymoon to Archie Christie on Christmas Eve 1914.
- 2 TORQUAY RAILWAY STATION** Remembered as the site where Joan Hickson's Miss Marple and David Suchet's Poirot met for the first time as part of the Centenary Celebrations.
- 3 TORRE ABBEY** Home of the Agatha Christie's Potent Plants Garden.
- 4 PRINCESS PIER** A favourite spot of Agatha's for roller-skating, and built in the same year she was born.
- 5 PRINCESS GARDENS** Featured in The ABC Murders, and site of Princess Theatre, where the official Agatha Christie Theatre Company tours each year.
- 6 THE PAVILION** It was after attending a Wagner concert here that Archie Christie proposed to the young Agatha Miller.
- 7 AGATHA CHRISTIE BUST** A bronze bust created to commemorate the Agatha Christie centenary year in 1990 by Dutch sculptor Carol Van Den Boom-Cairns.
- 8 THE STRAND** Recognisable in certain novels.
- 9 TORQUAY MUSEUM** Home to the Agatha Christie Gallery.
- 10 ROYAL TORBAY YACHT CLUB** Agatha's father Frederick Miller was a prominent member here.
- 11 BEACON COVE** Agatha once got into difficulty whilst swimming here and almost drowned. Living Coasts overlooks the cove from its terrace.
- 12 IMPERIAL HOTEL** Features in three novels.

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