Help us create a
Map of Historic
Swansea and Mumbles

THE HISTORIC TOWNS TRUST is creating a
map of medieval and 19th-century Swansea & Mumbles

In 1290 Swansea was capital of the powerful Marcher lordship of Gower. By 1890, Swansea was Britain's capital of copper.

Based on historic OS mapping, the map brings alive both the medieval town of William Cragh, the famous 'hanged man' of Swansea, and the 'copperopolis' of Hussey Vivian, Lord Swansea — its streets, lanes, wharves and churches. It also depicts the historic village of Mumbles.

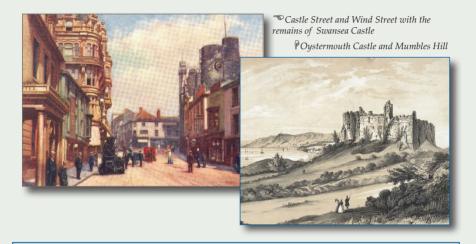*Ben Evans department store, c.1894–1941*

Printed in full colour, the map includes a descriptive gazetteer of Swansea's and Mumbles' historic buildings and streets. Informative and educational, it is a major contribution to understanding Swansea Bay's long history.

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Who's behind the project?

The project is led by a team of Swansea-based historians and researchers, with the backing of the Historic Towns Trust. The Trust is a registered charity which raises funds to publish **historical maps and atlases** of the towns and cities of Britain. Every year, new and exciting discoveries are made about Swansea's past. Some of the most exciting will be on the map!

Castle Street and Wind Street with the remains of Swansea Castle

Oystermouth Castle and Mumbles Hill

Can you help?

Can you help us raise our target of £20,000?

Even small donations will enable us to reach our goal

Contributions can be made by cheque or by bank transfer

Cheques (made out to The Historic Towns Trust) can be sent to: Hon Treasurer, HTT, 7 Juniper Drive, Maidenhead SL6 8RE

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