

108 No. 4

Lydstep

Old House

10532

An ancient building with a vaulted roof and other peculiarities, known as THE PLACE OF ARMS stood in the village of Lydstep; it is now being demolished. Arch. Camb. II, xii, 368; III, xiii, 365; IV, xii, 159.

An earlier house, it would appear, than Plas is the so-called **Palace (7)** at **Lydstep**, a first floor hall above two vaulted cellars or undercrofts, and a building both obvious by being adjacent to the main road and sadly neglected for hundreds of years, a victim of the sheer quantity of historic structures in the county which has ensured that usually only the most spectacular have received any care during the last century.