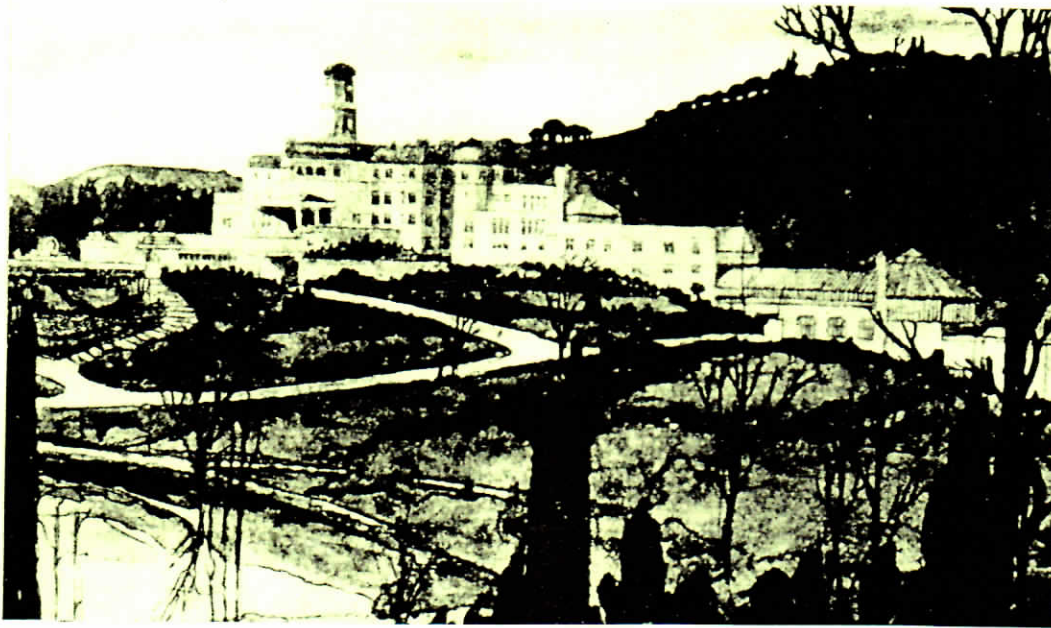


# TIFFANY'S LAURALTON HALL



LOUIS COMFORT TIFFANY, THE MASTER GLASS WORKS GENIUS COMPLETED HIS HUNDRED ROOM OYSTER BAY MANSION IN 1905. THE STUCCO, ART NOUVEAU SHOWPLACE WAS UNLIKE ANYTHING EVER BUILT BEFORE OR SINCE. DESIGNED BY TIFFANY WITHOUT THE AID OF AN ARCHITECT IT BECAME THE SETTING FOR SOME OF THE MOST DAZZLING PARTIES EVER HOSTED IN THE COUNTRY. HUGE WALLS OF STAINED GLASS GAVE THE ROOMS A DARING THEATRICAL GLOW. LAGOONS AND FOUNTAINS FLOWED BOTH INSIDE THE HOUSE AND OUT INTO THE LUSH UNIQUE GARDENS.

MANY OF THE IMAGES PRESENTED ARE FROM A RARE PRIVATE COLLECTION BELONGING TO TIFFANY'S GRANDDAUGHTER, MRS. LOUISE L. PLATT WHO WAS NINETY TWO WHEN SHE SHARED THEM AND HER MEMORIES WITH HISTORIAN, AUTHOR MONICA RANDALL. LEARN ABOUT THIS EXTRAORDINARY HOME AND ITS TRAGIC FATE.

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