St Keyne Wishing Well Halt to Causeland



On sale at Looe Tourist Information Centre priced at £4.50.

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A relatively short walk along Cornish country lanes deep in the East Looe Valley taking in the Holy Well of St Keyne.

Exiting the station, go past the tall building straight ahead which was an old mill, and follow the road around to the left, ignoring the junction to the right. The lane now starts to climb, with high banks to either side.

At the top of the hill, you come to a junction and St Keyne Well. The Well is famous for its connection with newlyweds and the story is displayed in the slate for you to read. From the well, go left down the hill to the St Keyne Well Hotel. This fine building was built in 1884 by a tea plantation owner who made his money in India before returning to Cornwall.

The road descends back down into the valley passing a large abandoned quarry on the right-hand side. Carry on down the road passing the remains of an old lime kiln.

The little halt at Causeland is soon reached. At the station, behind the platform, you can see the remains of the old canal.

