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The title says it all. Portland, Oregon was home to Minor White for a few years and during that time he accepted a commission to photograph two grand old homes that were slated for demolition. He captured the essence of the homes, the beauty of the detail and the faded glory of these homes that had not been much cared for in their latter days. Who would think peeling wallpaper could be beautiful? For anyone who loves excellent black and white photography and laments the loss of so many old houses in the name of "progress" (one of the homes was replaced with a parking lot), this book is a welcome find. It was a limited edition printing and I was happy to find a copy. I received it within just a few days of ordering and my copy came with a plastic dust cover which was quite nice.

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