The Three Magnets:

Town:
- Opportunity
- Social life
- Amusement
- Money wages
- Work
- Housing
- Nature
- Distance from work
- High rents
- Foul air
- Slums

Country:
- Beauty of nature
- Hands out of work
- Land
- Long hours
- Low wages
- Lying idle
- Trespassers
- Fresh air
- Low rents
- Meadow
- Forest
- Sunshine
- Public spirit

Where will they go?

Town-Country:
- Beauty of nature
- Social life
- Opportunity
- Low rents
- High wages
- Plenty to do
- No sweating
- Enterprise
- Flow of capital
- Gardens
- No smoke
- No slums
- Cooperation
Garden Cities of Tomorrow
Conference

This day conference will explore the history of garden cities, suburbs and villages, and issues surrounding their conservation and future, as well as the design of new garden communities.

The conference will feature a keynote session by Katy Lock of the Town and Country Planning Association, who is co-author of ‘The Art of Building a Garden City’. Contributors will also include: Mervyn Miller, author of ‘English Garden Cities’ (English Heritage); Sarah Rutherford, author of ‘Garden Cities’ (Shire Library); and Elain Harwood, writer on 20th century architecture, as well as a range of other national and local experts.

The conference will be held in Welwyn Garden City, Ebenezer Howard’s second Garden City, which celebrates its centenary year in 2020.

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Venue      Welwyn Hatfield Borough Council Chambers
Cost       £67 including light lunch

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