





Dawn in the heart of Georgian Dublin. The birds in Merrion Square are calling to the birds in St. Stephen's Green. The rosy bricks of the elegant 18th century houses gleam softly in the pale earlymorning light. Behind the doors of four lovingly restored townhouses, log fires, set the night before, are lit. The smell of baking bread fills the kitchen. Silver is polished. Starched linen cloths are unfolded. Fresh flowers are arranged in sparkling crystal vases. And a 200-year-old tradition of gracious Irish living enjoyed by Lord Monek, Lord Mornington and the Duke of Wellington is, once again brought to life.











Step from the cool, airy elegance of the hall past the slender marble columns and the graceful sweep of the neo-classical staircase into the reception area. Here the welcome is as genuine as the hand-picked antiques, as warm as the sunshine that streams in through the windows from the 18th century formal garden.



In the gracious period
Drawing Rooms the air is
fragrant with the scent of
woodsmoke and flowers.
The log fire in the No.23
Cocktail Bar crackles
invitingly. Stray sunbeams
pick out the details of Belgian
tapestries, glittering French
chandeliers and priceless Irish
paintings from the Hotel's

private art collection.









### Private Dining











The richly detailed plasterwork of the separate entrance to Mornington House hints at the splendour of six salons reserved for meetings and private dining. This attention to detail is mirrored in the delicate stucco birds, fruit and flowers that adorn the high ceilings. And in the state-of-the-art technology and the unobtrusive service that create a unique corporate setting.



# The Garden Wing



Classically elegant rooms in the contemporary Garden Wing overlook the box hedges and rose arches of the landscaped period gardens. There are echoes of gracious Georgian style in the authentic design of the fabrics and in the exquisite detail of the furniture. And hints of timeless luxury in the unmistakable touch of crisp linen and the sheer opulence of Italian marble bathrooms.













#### The Main House









Behind the doors that line the hushed corridors of the Main House, original rooms and suites capture the grandeur of a glittering era. Some are vaulted with delicate Rococo plasterwork ceilings; others are graced with magnificent original marble fireplaces. All enjoy the atmosphere of luxury which Lord Monck extended to his guests over 230 years ago.





In spring and summer, the scent of lilac and jasmine and the music of water splashing on pebbles drifts in from the terrace through the open windows of Restaurant Patrick Guilbaud. Here, among the hallmarks of award-winning cuisine and service, surrounded by works of art, guests enjoy wines from one of Europe's finest cellars and food from Ireland's most famous kitchen.















#### The Garden Room Restaurani











After hundreds of years of darkness and silence, the rough stone walls of Lord

Mornington's wine vault have come to life.

Today the arches of the Cellar Bar echo with ripples of laughter and warm conversation. And, in The Garden Room

Restaurant, the warm welcome is the perfect complement to an all day menu that celebrates the best of Irish cuisine.



## The Spa







Classical mosaics are reflected in the shimmering surface of the sapphire pool. Classical music plays softly in the luxurious private treatment rooms. Inspired by the classical ideal of paradise, The Spa is a restful oasis where the body and mind are pampered with indulgent beauty therapies, invigorating work-outs and sensuous massage. All you have to do... is relax.







- In the centre of Dublin opposite Government Buildings, the home of the Irish parliament
- The Merrion is Dublin's most luxurious five star hotel and a member of The Leading Hotels of the World
- Created from four beautifully restored listed Georgian townhouses and a contemporary Garden Wing
- 123 rooms and 19 suites offering cutting edge technology and air conditioning in all guest rooms
- Elegantly decorated in period colours and styles to complement the architecture
- The Garden Room Restaurant dedicated to the finest seasonal Irish ingredients, impeccably executed
- Restaurant Patrick Guilbaud acclaimed gourmet dining
- The elegant Georgian Drawing Rooms for afternoon tea and light refreshments
- The Cellar Bar a relaxed place to meet, in the original 18th century wine vaults
- "No. 23" the intimate cocktail bar
- The Spa 18 metre swimming pool, steam room, gymnasium and luxurious treatment rooms
- 6 magnificent, fully-equipped meeting and private dining rooms
- Private, secure parking for resident guests
- The hotel houses one of the country's most important collections of contemporary Irish art
- Two private gardens by Ireland's leading landscape architect, designed to recreate an 18th century town garden



