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New Buckenham Castle in its Historical Landscape

Following the accession of King Stephen in 1135 and the political uncertainty of the Anarchy period which followed, the Norman lord William d'Albini II constructed a castle on his Buckenham estate. This castle was complemented by a planned town enclosed by a defensive ditch and an extensive deer-park. This lecture examines the historic development of New Buckenham and the landscape of lordship within which it was situated.

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