

# **Twentieth Century Military Sites: Second World War and later Camps and Ranges in South Pembrokeshire**

## **Interim Report 2017-18: Desk-Based Assessment**



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## **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

Military camps and ranges in Carmarthenshire, Ceredigion and north Pembrokeshire have been subject to a desk-based assessment over previous years, and this final project looks at those in South Pembrokeshire. Sites investigated include training camps and ranges, hospitals, prisoner of war camps, internment camps, resettlement camps and temporary camps such as American camps set up for the D-Day landings.

During the 20<sup>th</sup> century South Pembrokeshire has seen a heavy military presence, elements of which continue today. At the outset of the project 138 sites were recorded in the Historic Environment Record, many based on Roger Thomas's Survey of 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire, and which, following more detailed investigation have been updated and enhanced. A further 88 new sites have been added to the record.

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Mae gwerysloedd milwrol a meysydd tanio yn Sir Gaerfyrddin, Ceredigion a gogledd Sir Benfro wedi bod yn destun asesu wrth ddesg dros y blynyddoedd diwethaf, ac mae'r prosiect olaf hwn yn edrych ar y rhai hynny yn Ne Sir Benfro. Mae'r safleoedd a gaiff eu harchwilio'n cynnwys gwerysloedd hyfforddi a meysydd tanio, ysbytai, gwerysloedd carcharorion rhyfel, gwerysloedd caethiwedigaeth, gwerysloedd ailsefydlu a gwerysloedd dros dro fel gwerysloedd Americanaidd a ffurfiwyd ar gyfer glaniadau D-Day.

Yn ystod yr 20fed ganrif, roedd presenoldeb milwrol mawr yn Ne Sir Benfro ac mae elfennau o hynny yn parhau heddiw. Ar ddechrau'r prosiect, cofnodwyd 138 o safleoedd yn y Cofnod Amgylchedd Hanesyddol, roedd llawer wedi eu seilio ar Arolwg Roger Thomas o Adeiladau Milwrol Sir Benfro o'r 19eg a'r 20fed Ganrif. Ar ôl archwiliad mwy manwl, mae'r rhain wedi eu diweddarau a'u gwella. Mae 88 o safleoedd newydd pellach wedi eu hychwanegu at y cofnod.

## INTRODUCTION

This study of Camps and Ranges forms part of a phased programme of work being undertaken by the Welsh Archaeological Trusts, addressing the lack of information on the archaeology and historic environment which stems from the conflicts of the twentieth century. Cadw have grant-aided the investigation of various classes of site across Wales, and within Dyfed, these include: Military Airfields and their dispersed sites, crashed Military Aircraft sites, scoping exercises to investigate the archaeology of the First World War, and now desk-based assessments on Camps and Ranges within the counties of Carmarthenshire and Ceredigion, and the Preseli district of North (Pyper 2012, 2013a & b, 2014a & b, Pyper 2015, Pyper 2017). This report constitutes the second part of the assessment looking at the south Pembrokeshire district. This suite of assessments also builds on the work carried out through the Defence of Britain programme, co-ordinated by the Council for British Archaeology and now archived with the Archaeology Data Service and the Royal Commission on Ancient and Historical Monuments for Wales.

The project addresses several of the themes and sub-themes identified in the research agenda of *Modern Military Matters* (Schofield 2004, p14), where it is acknowledged that camps are one of the least studied categories of site, and in addition the difficulty of establishing overall figures for the numbers of camps constructed. This assessment takes into consideration any military established base or range and includes the three armed services; the army, air force and navy. It also includes facilities established for the use of foreign forces, the home guard, and civilian organisations such as the Women's Land Army. Thus, the scale of sites in this class is vast including; military camps, ranges including training facilities for small arms or weapons testing and any associated structures, smaller camps associated with searchlight or anti-aircraft batteries, hospitals, prisoner of war camps, internment camps, resettlement camps, temporary camps for American troops prior to D-Day and also those for Conscientious Objectors, Women's Land Army, etc. It does not include the dispersed accommodation camps associated with the airfields and sites of military aviation that have been covered in the previous assessments, Pyper 2012, 2013 and 2014. This report constitutes the first stage, a desk-based assessment, to be followed by site visits to record surviving remains.

These studies do not address camps established prior to, or during the First World War associated with the Yeomanry and Territorial Forces, as these are being assessed through a separate project devoted to the First World War. This report concentrates on the massive military expansion and mobilisation which took place immediately preceding and during the Second World War, those sites in use during the post war 'Cold War' years and sites in continued military use. Many of these sites were temporary and rapidly constructed, and many with only a basic infrastructure provided. In South Pembrokeshire many buildings, sometimes large country houses, and very often town houses were requisitioned for billeted personnel or for military headquarters and there may be temporary structures erected within the grounds.

In South Pembrokeshire a number of sites continued in use beyond the end of hostilities, through the Cold War and continue in use today. The report addresses sites that are, or have been owned, leased or licensed by the military, and not areas of private land which have been used for military training (TOPL; Training Over Private Land), though the use of this land for military training may have left an archaeological legacy it is not easily defined within the scope of this assessment.

The information collated in this report will contribute to our understanding of the impact of the 20th century conflicts through its archaeology and surviving structures, provide a basis for follow-up fieldwork, and provide information and advice for heritage management purposes and for development control and forward planning in Local Planning Authorities.

## **PROJECTS AIMS AND OBJECTIVES**

The projects aims and objectives are set out in the Dyfed Archaeological Trust Cadw Grant-Aided Programme Project Proposals 2017-18;

The overall aims of the project are:

- an application of definition, classification, quantification and distribution of these sites in South Pembrokeshire,
- an assessment of the archaeological significance of these sites in both a regional and national perspective,
- an assessment of the vulnerability of this element of the archaeological resource,
- recommendations for scheduling and listing

These aims will be fulfilled following the fieldwork assessment in part two of the project.

The desk-based assessment's objectives are:

- To access and assess available primary and secondary sources for each of the camps and ranges within south Pembrokeshire,
- To incorporate this information into the Dyfed Archaeological Trust's Historic Environment Record (HER), creating new sites or enhancing existing ones,
- To create GIS polygons to be supplied for heritage management advice.

## **METHODOLOGY**

The way in which this project has been approached mirrors that of previous threat related projects undertaken by the Welsh Archaeological Trusts with grant-aid from Cadw. Maps, plans and aerial

photographs were consulted for each site. Records were created and new point and polygon-based GIS data compiled as a result of the research. This information is now integrated into the regional Historic Environment Record and is available through the HER and through the Archwilio website.

The following methodology was adopted to achieve the project's objectives:

- An assessment of existing records within the HER,
- An assessment of existing records within the NMR / Coflein,
- An assessment of the records held in the Defence of Britain archive,
- A rapid overview of sources during a visit to the National Archives,
- An assessment of records held at the local records office, in this case Pembrokeshire Archives,
- An assessment of records and aerial photographs held at the National Monument Record,
- An assessment of the digital records held at Fold3.com, a web-based collection of original US military records, including many from the U.S. National Archives,
- Assessment of data listed in secondary sources, on the internet or hard copy local histories and memoirs,
- Assessment of wartime and later aerial photographs,
- Creation of new records and enhancement of existing records in the HER,
- Production of a short report including a gazetteer of sites.

The National Archives and Pembrokeshire Archives Service were visited to consult primary sources and also the Royal Commission on Ancient and Historical Monuments of Wales, principally to review RAF aerial photographs. Documents held at the Castlemartin Range Liaison Office were also consulted.

A number of key sources were the basis for the assessment, of foremost importance is the survey work carried out by Roger JC Thomas in 1993 and its associated database and MapInfo GIS tables. The report by John Schofield (2006) *England's Army Camps* and Roger J C Thomas (2003) *Prisoner of War Camps (1939-1948)* have also been consulted.

Increasingly on-line sources are available with many groups or individuals publishing on the internet or transcribing historic documents on websites or webpages. In Pembrokeshire, a website established by PLANED (Pembrokeshire Local Action Network for Enterprise and Development) called 'Experience Pembrokeshire' have worked with Roger Thomas to provide information on the extensive military heritage in the county, on occasion there is further information on sites recorded in his 1994 report. Any references to this or other websites are sourced in the individual site records with their corresponding Uniform Resource Locator (URL) to access the appropriate page on the internet.

In addition both Roger JC Thomas and Adrian James who currently writing a book on the history of the Castlemartin Range have also kindly supplied information.

All sources consulted are referenced in the individual site records.

## **SITE DEFINITIONS**

Site types are derived from the Thesaurus of Monument Types for Wales, which is based on the Defence of Britain thesaurus definitions. Descriptions of site type and scope notes are available at the web address:

[http://orapweb.rcahms.gov.uk/apex/f?p=200:1::Go:NO:RP:P1\\_SHOW\\_DETAILS%2CP1\\_REPORT\\_OFFSET:1%2C0](http://orapweb.rcahms.gov.uk/apex/f?p=200:1::Go:NO:RP:P1_SHOW_DETAILS%2CP1_REPORT_OFFSET:1%2C0)

Sites could include existing buildings which were requisitioned, or the construction of new temporary or permanent buildings, or canvas tents, which were erected for the duration of hostilities. The guiding principal in recording sites has been those areas where military training or installations may have left an archaeological footprint and the location can be reasonably accurately identified.

Many of the sites identified have a complex history and it has not been possible to be absolutely sure of different phases of activity during the scope of this project. Further desk based research in the local archives or the National Archives may reveal their narrative histories.

Some documentary sources – for instance War Diaries or United States Army station lists - often associate military units by town or village but do not provide location information. Wartime documents record Cassini Grid references though not usually to a greater accuracy than a four figure reference, where possible these have been converted to identify with reasonable accuracy their location.



## RESULTS

Prior to the assessment being carried out **138** records for camps, ranges and military installations were recorded within the HER:-

PRN	Site Name	TYPE	Community	NGR
4517	DEFENSIBLE BARRACKS	BARRACKS;FORT	Pembroke Dock	SM96100310
5805	WINDMILL HILL	ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY	Pembroke	SM97960053
5806	WINDMILL HILL	ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY	Pembroke	SM97960050
5807	WINDMILL HILL	ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY	Pembroke	SM97930047
5808	WINDMILL HILL	ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY	Pembroke	SM97910048
5809	WINDMILL HILL	ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY	Pembroke	SM97920051
6734	ROYAL LION HOTEL;HIGH STREET NOS.1-2	MILITARY HEADQUARTERS	Tenby	SN1331000597
8450	LLANEATH NAVAL OIL FUEL DEPOT	DEPOT	Pembroke Dock	SM95520307
8451	LLANION NAVAL OIL FUEL DEPOT	DEPOT	Pembroke Dock	SM97900423
20493	NORTON THE NOS.10 11 12;CLIFFE NORTON HOTEL	MILITARY HEADQUARTERS	Tenby	SN1324300687
24430	EAST BLOCKHOUSE POINT	BATTERY	Angle	SM843028
24446	LLANION BARRACKS	BARRACKS	Pembroke Dock	SM96760416
26178	RAF PEMBROKE DOCK SITE NO.5	MILITARY CAMP	Lamphey	SN01830124
26183	HODGESTON HILL HOSTEL	WOMEN'S LAND ARMY HOSTEL	Lamphey	SN03320087
26184	HODGESTON HILL HOSTEL	ABLUTIONS BLOCK	Lamphey	SN03320087
26185	HODGESTON HILL HOSTEL	STOREHOUSE	Lamphey	SN03360088
26186	HODGESTON HILL HOSTEL	BARRACKS	Lamphey	SN03340088
26187	HODGESTON HILL HOSTEL	SEWAGE WORKS	Lamphey	SN0330300778
26189	BUTTERMILK LANE	MILITARY CAMP	Cosheston	SM98800240
26191	BATEMANS HILL	ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY	Cosheston	SN01280498
26192	POINT LANE	BARRAGE BALLOON SITE	Cosheston	SM99610386
26193	POINT LANE	SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY	Cosheston	SM98700402
26194	SNOWDROP VALLEY	BARRAGE BALLOON SITE	Cosheston	SM98680324
26195	LOWER NASH FARM	SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY	Cosheston	SN01110291
26199	UPTON CASTLE	HOSPITAL	Cosheston	SN02090473
26200	UPTON CASTLE	SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY	Cosheston	SN020047
26201	RNAS LAWRENNY FERRY; HMS DAEDALUS II	FLYING BOAT BASE	Martletwy	SN01240611
26206	DIMOCKS CORNER	BARRAGE BALLOON SITE	Pembroke Dock	SM97560359
26209	RAF PEMBROKE DOCK	BARRAGE BALLOON SITE	Pembroke Dock	SM95850379
26210	BARRACK HILL	BARRAGE BALLOON SITE	Pembroke Dock	SM95680326
26211	PENNAR BARRACKS	BARRAGE BALLOON SITE	Pembroke Dock	SM94680294
26212	MILITARY ROAD	BARRAGE BALLOON SITE	Pembroke Dock	SM95700265
26213	ST. PATRICKS PLAYING FIELD	BARRAGE BALLOON SITE	Pembroke Dock	SM96280258
26214	WAR MEMORIAL PARK	BARRAGE BALLOON SITE	Pembroke Dock	SM97020320
26225	BRITANNIA ROAD	BARRAGE BALLOON SITE	Pembroke Dock	SM96760282
26242	PWLLCROCHAN	SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY	Hundleton	SM92090262
26243	PENNAR CANTS	SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY	Hundleton	SM93300305
26244	WEST PENNAR	ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY	Hundleton	SM93100309
28405	EAST BLOCKHOUSE BATTERY	ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY	Angle	SM84190276

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28471	LLANION HILL	ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY	Pembroke Dock	SM97520440
28472	WARREN FARM	SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY	Hundleton	SR93329778
28473	RAF ST TWYNNELLS;AMES 70A	RADAR STATION	Castlemartin	SR94409770
28475	RAF ST TWYNNELLS;AMES 70A	RADAR STATION	Castlemartin	SR94199741
28497	KILGETTY	MILITARY CAMP	Begelly	SN12670762
28546	SAGESTON MOUNTAIN	SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY	Carew	SN0711703553
28549	RAF WARREN;AMES 70	RADAR STATION	Castlemartin	SR9269297511
28550	RAF WARREN;AMES 70	TRANSMITTER BLOCK	Castlemartin	SR9269597750
28551	RAF WARREN;AMES 70	TELEPHONE JUNCTION BOX	Castlemartin	SR9253697182
28552	RAF WARREN;AMES 70	AIR RAID SHELTER	Castlemartin	SR9255097192
28553	RAF WARREN;AMES 70	RECEIVER BLOCK	Castlemartin	SR92679720
28554	RAF WARREN;AMES 70	TRANSMITTER BLOCK	Castlemartin	SR92919732
28555	RAF WARREN;AMES 70	GUARDHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR9290597286
28556	RAF WARREN;AMES 70	TRANSFORMER BOX	Castlemartin	SR93089748
28558	RAF WARREN;AMES 70	EMERGENCY WATER SUPPLY	Castlemartin	SR9258597358
28559	RAF WARREN;AMES 70	GUN EMPLACEMENT	Castlemartin	SR9255197290
28560	RAF WARREN;AMES 70	TRANSMITTER ARRAY	Castlemartin	SR9271397550
28651	BLACK COVE	SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY	Angle	SM86980092
28655	NORTH HILL	SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY	Angle	SM86640353
28669	BUSH CAMP	MILITARY CAMP	Pembroke Dock	SM97350327
28691	WOODFIELD FOLLY LANE	BARRAGE BALLOON SITE	Cosheston	SM99680455
28698	LOVESTON	MILITARY CAMP	Begelly	SN08280772
28743	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	DEFENCE POST	Castlemartin	SR8912597568
28744	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	DEFENCE POST	Castlemartin	SR8900497550
28745	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	GUN EMPLACEMENT	Castlemartin	SR8906197600
28767	GUPTON	SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY	Castlemartin	SR89569884
28768	MERION CAMP CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	FIRING RANGE	Castlemartin	SR93999688
28769	LINNEY HEAD CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR8834095811
28770	LINNEY DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR88289627
28771	LINNEY DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR8837896414
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28773	LINNEY DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR88819598
28774	LINNEY DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR8922896871
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28776	LINNEY DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR8910596380
28777	LINNEY DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	TARGET	Castlemartin	SR89259605
28778	LINNEY DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR8939895900
28779	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR89749638
28780	PEN-Y-HOLT DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR8978996153
28781	LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR8976697098
28782	LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR8915997280

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	ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE			
28783	LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	GUN EMPLACEMENT	Castlemartin	SR8919797348
28784	LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	DEFENCE POST	Castlemartin	SR8929997217
28785	BLUCKS POOL LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	DEFENCE POST	Castlemartin	SR8894597375
28786	THE POLE LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	DEFENCE POST	Castlemartin	SR8886997477
28787	CROW BACK LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	DEFENCE POST	Castlemartin	SR8890197506
28788	FRAINS LAKE SANDS LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	DEFENCE POST	Castlemartin	SR8904797585
28791	LAKE LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	DEFENCE POST	Castlemartin	SR8917697587
28792	LAKE LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	GUN EMPLACEMENT	Castlemartin	SR89179757
28793	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	PRACTICE TRENCH	Castlemartin	SR89559812
28794	BROWNSLADE BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	GUN EMPLACEMENT	Castlemartin	SR89819830
28795	BROWNSLADE BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	GUN EMPLACEMENT	Castlemartin	SR89839838
28796	BROWNSLADE CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR9024097059
28797	BROWNSLADE CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR9055296784
28798	PEN-Y-HOLT DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR9025996068
28799	PEN-Y-HOLT DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR9021195817
28800	BULLIBER DOWN CASTLE MARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR9062795434
29912	THE BURROWS PENALLY	FIRING RANGE	Tenby	SS12009890
29913	THE BURROWS PENALLY	FIRING RANGE	Tenby	SS12359895
30041	PENALLY BURROWS	RIFLE BUTTS	Tenby	SS12149857
30136		AUXILIARY HIDE	Llawhaden	SN08881386
32579	PENALLY CAMP	MILITARY CAMP	Penally	SS110989
32644	TREVALLEN DOWN	BOMBING RANGE	Stackpole	SR97309300
33300	ANGLE	BATTERY	Angle	SM84730192
33438	ANGLE	BATTERY	Angle	SM86330105
33441	LINNEY HEAD	OBSERVATION POST	Castlemartin	SR8834095811
33444	LINNEY DOWN	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR8832596478
33445	FLIMSTON DOWN	TARGET	Castlemartin	SR93029486
33446	MEWSFORD POINT	OBSERVATION POST	Stackpole	SR9423793926
33447	BUCHSPOOL DOWN	RADAR STATION	Stackpole	SR95529336
33448	TREVALLEN DOWNS	TARGET	Stackpole	SR9689893065
33449	TREVALLEN DOWNS	BLOCKHOUSE	Stackpole	SR9696393098
33450	TREVALLEN DOWNS	BLOCKHOUSE	Stackpole	SR9683093061
33451	TREVALLEN DOWNS	BLOCKHOUSE	Stackpole	SR9727392931
33452	TREVALLEN DOWNS	BLOCKHOUSE	Stackpole	SR9742193023
33453	TREVALLEN DOWNS	TARGET	Stackpole	SR9734692958
33454	ST. GOVAN'S HEAD	OBSERVATION POST	Stackpole	SR9741392708
33456	MANORBIER CAMP	RADAR STATION	Manorbier	SS07339665
33520	ST. GOVAN'S HEAD	TARGET	Stackpole	SR97209305

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35023	WEST ANGLE	COASTAL BATTERY	Angle	SM8468002500
35061	PEMBROKE DOCK	BARRAGE BALLOON SITE	Pembroke Dock	SM97340436
35099	PEMBROKE DOCK	ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY	Pembroke Dock	SM95350336
38876	GREAT FURZENIP	RADAR PLINTH	Castlemartin	SR88859881
38877	BROWNSLADE BURROWS	MILITARY ROAD	Castlemartin	SR89719848
38878		CONTROL TOWER	Castlemartin	SR90649859
38880		MILITARY CAMP	Castlemartin	SR91229770
39369	BROWNSLATE FARM	BARRAGE BALLOON SITE	Angle	SM95270113
44607	RAF ANGLE	ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY	Angle	SM86710109
55454	WHETSTONE HILL	ANTI AIRCRAFT DEFENCE SITE	Angle	SM88400073
59430	CRESSELLY HOUSE	MILITARY HEADQUARTERS	Jeffreyston	SN0645606543
59819	THE ATLANTIC HOTEL AND AREA RAILINGS	MILITARY HEADQUARTERS	Tenby	SN1334900154
59912	NOS 5,6,7,8,9,10 AND 11 THE CROFT	MILITARY HEADQUARTERS	Tenby	SN1321800902
102534	CASTLEMARTIN AIRSTRIPS	AIRFIELD	Castlemartin	SR92189530
102543	LAMPHEY COURT	GRAFFITI	Lamphey	SN01800100
102553	RAF ANGLE	ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY	Angle	SM85380238
105783		SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY;BOMBING DECOY	Llawhaden	SN07341780
105969	RAF TENBY	MILITARY BASE	Tenby	SN13600057
105981	PICTON CAMP	MILITARY CAMP	Slebech	SN00921394
109322		BOMBING RANGE	Llangwm and Hook	SN 00781109

*Table 1: Sites in South Pembrokeshire previously recorded in the HER and updated and enhanced.*

Following the assessment a further new 88 sites have been added to the HER and the existing sites updated and enhanced, see Figure 1 and the following table:

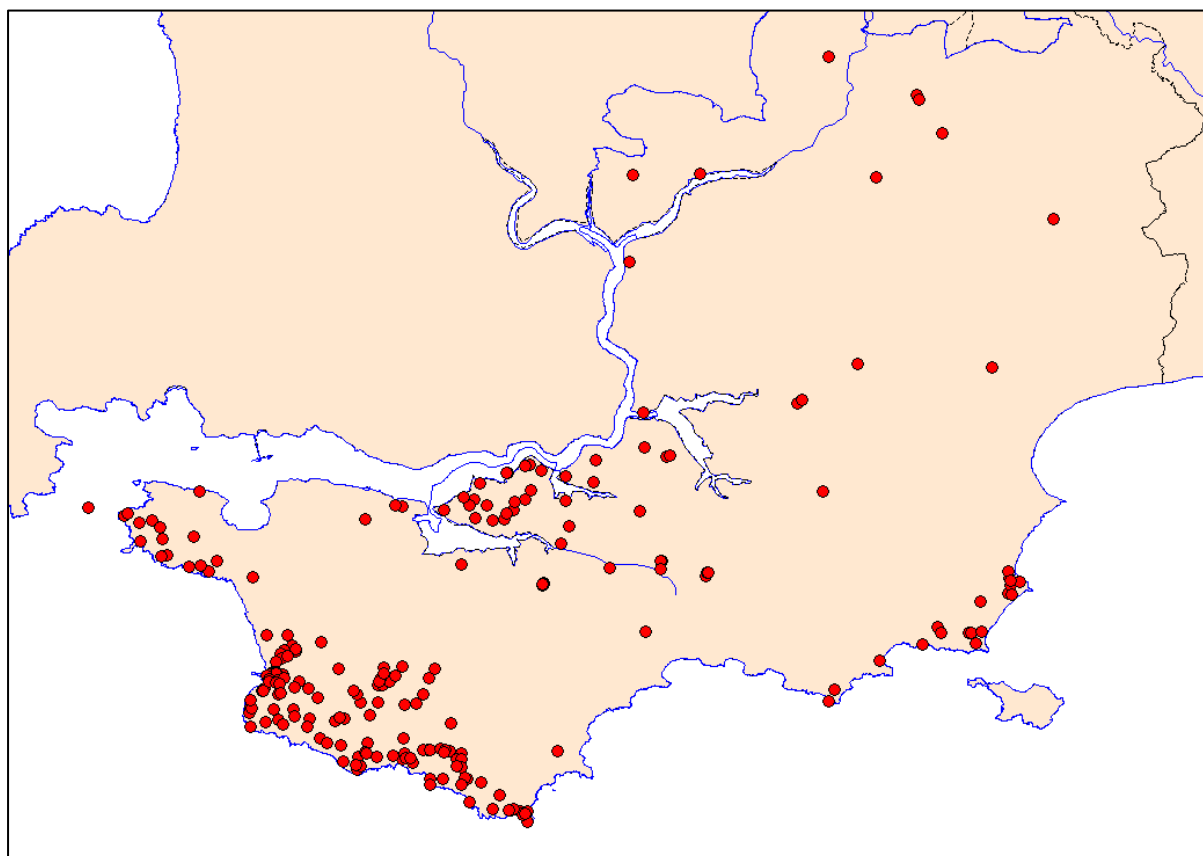


Figure 1: Distribution of sites across South Pembrokeshire

PRN	Site Name	Type	Community	NGR
110419		MILITARY CAMP	Jeffreyston	SN06280644
110420		MILITARY CAMP	Penally	SS12309992
110421		MILITARY CAMP	Narberth	SN10221656
110422		MILITARY CAMP	Slebech	SN03111398
110423	22 Victoria Street	MILITARY HEADQUARTERS	Tenby	SN13220020
110424	SCHOOL OF ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY	MILITARY TRAINING SITE	Penally	SS09009800
110425		MILITARY CAMP	Lamphey	SS01329894
110426		ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY	Angle	SM87210126
110427		ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY	Angle	SM85580143
110428	RUSHACRE	WOMEN'S LAND ARMY HOSTEL	Narberth	SN11061529
110429		SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY	Lampeter Velfrey	SN14711248
110430		SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY	Angle	SM85440199
110431		MILITARY CAMP	Pembroke	SM98520183
111259		ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY	Pembroke Dock	SM96990295
111260		BOMBING RANGE	Stackpole	SR96309310
111261		SEARCHLIGHT	Angle	SM85410142

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		BATTERY		
111262		SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY	Angle	SM85100260
111263		SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY	Lamphey	SN00140103
111264		AUXILIARY UNIT OPERATIONAL BASE	Penally	SS109991
111265		MILITARY TRAINING SITE	Stackpole	SR98409500
111266		SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY	Pembroke Dock	SM96660263
111267		SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY	Pembroke Dock	SM96780415
111268		SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY	Angle	SM86450206
111271		SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY	Narberth	SN10301642
111272		FIRING RANGE	Penally	SS104985
111276		MILITARY CAMP	Lamphey	SN01810124
111277		FIRING RANGE	Penally	SS11919889
111278	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	GUNPOST	Castlemartin	SR88949731
111279	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	GUNPOST	Castlemartin	SR88789707
111280	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	GUNPOST	Castlemartin	SR88719700
111281	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	GUN EMPLACEMENT	Castlemartin	SR88769701
111282	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE; CADET RANGE	FIRING RANGE	Stackpole	SR96529358
111283	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	MAST	Castlemartin	SR89449832
111284	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	TARGET	Castlemartin	SR89349820
111285	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	WINCH	Castlemartin	SR89379806
111286	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	ROAD	Castlemartin	SR89189795
111287	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	GUN EMPLACEMENT	Castlemartin	SR89949731
111288	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	GUN EMPLACEMENT	Castlemartin	SR89409751
111289	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	GUN EMPLACEMENT	Castlemartin	SR89439741
111290	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR90869529
111291	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR91299522
111292	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR91109602
111293	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR91409610
111294	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR91259613
111295	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	TARGET	Castlemartin	SR91379468
111296	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	ANTI LANDING TRENCH	Castlemartin	SR91869482

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111297	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	ANTI LANDING TRENCH	Castlemartin	SR93309474
111298	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	TARGET	Castlemartin	SR91839441
111299	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	TARGET	Castlemartin	SR91939451
111300	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	TARGET	Castlemartin	SR91799456
111301	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR92279619
111302	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR91959661
111303	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR92509661
111304	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR91839688
111305	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	TARGET	Castlemartin	SR91719700
111306	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	AIRFIELD	Castlemartin	SR93409655
111307	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	CONTROL TOWER	Castlemartin	SR93789658
111308	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	ARMY CAMP	Stackpole	SR94909593
111309	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR92119496
111310	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR92489484
111311	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	TARGET	Castlemartin	SR92149493
111312	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	ANTI LANDING TRENCH	Castlemartin	SR93659462
111313	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	TARGET	Castlemartin	SR93409495
111314	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR93449477
111315	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR93599478
111316	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	TARGET	Castlemartin	SR94149506
111317	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR94029504
111318	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Castlemartin	SR94249507
111319	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Stackpole	SR94599508
111320	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Stackpole	SR94889503
111321	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	TARGET	Stackpole	SR94739505
111322	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Stackpole	SR94689496
111323	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Stackpole	SR95279494
111324	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	TARGET	Stackpole	SR95159479
111325	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	TARGET	Stackpole	SR95119474
111326	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL	BLOCKHOUSE	Stackpole	SR95269476

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	ARMoured CORPS RANGE			
111327	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Stackpole	SR95259449
111328	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	TARGET	Stackpole	SR95109453
111329	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	FIRING RANGE		SR93369545
111330	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Stackpole	SR94669411
111331	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Stackpole	SR94259412
111332	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Stackpole	SR95279390
111333	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	Stackpole	SR95449412
111334	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	TARGET	Stackpole	SR95379415
111335	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	TARGET	Stackpole	SR95909400
111336	MILFORD HAVEN APPROACHES	FIRING RANGE	Maritime	SM8303
111337	DELPHI GARAGE	MILITARY HEADQUARTERS	Tenby	SN13280046
111338	AIR DEFENCE RANGE MANORBIER	FIRING RANGE	Manorbier	SS07509703

Table 2: New sites in South Pembrokeshire now recorded in the HER

The range of site types represented are recorded in the table below:-

SITE TYPE	NO
BLOCKHOUSE	48
GUN EMPLACEMENT	20
SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY	20
TARGET	20
MILITARY CAMP	15
BARRAGE BALLOON SITE	13
ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY	11
FIRING RANGE	9
MILITARY HEADQUARTERS	7
RADAR STATION	5
ANTI LANDING TRENCH	3
BARRACKS	3
BATTERY	3
BOMBING RANGE	3
GUNPOST	3
OBSERVATION POST	3
AIRFIELD	2
CONTROL TOWER	2
DEFENCE POST	2
DEPOT	2
WOMEN'S LAND ARMY HOSTEL	2



MILITARY TRAINING SITE	2
AIR RAID SHELTER	1
ARMY CAMP	1
AUXILIARY HIDE	1
AUXILIARY UNIT OPERATIONAL BASE	1
COASTAL BATTERY	1
EMERGENCY WATER SUPPLY	1
FLYING BOAT BASE	1
GRAFFITI	1
GUARDHOUSE	1
HOSPITAL	1
MAST	1
MILITARY BASE	1
MILITARY ROAD	1
PRACTICE TRENCH	1
RADAR PLINTH	1
RECEIVER BLOCK	1
RIFLE BUTTS	1
ROAD	1
SEWAGE WORKS	1
STOREHOUSE	1
TELEPHONE JUNCTION BOX	1
TRANSFORMER BOX	1
TRANSMITTER ARRAY	1
TRANSMITTER BLOCK	1
WINCH	1
ANTI AIRCRAFT DEFENCE SITE	1
ABLUTIONS BLOCK	1

*Table 3: Table of site types represented in this assessment*

### Military Camps

Fifteen Military Camps have been identified in the region encompassing a wide range of sites including camps established for British troops and the American army who arrived in the region from 1943-1944 in preparation for D-Day.

Of the major camps established Bush Camp outside Pembroke Dock was a large camp established during the First World War and reoccupied during the Second (PRN28669). Penally (PRN 32579) was a camp established for training in the 19<sup>th</sup> century but saw continued use and further redevelopment during the Second World War. Merrion Camp (PRN 111339) was established when Castlemartin was requisitioned for military training and has continued in use to this day.

A number of hutted camps have been identified from aerial photographs (PRN 28497, 28698, 38880, 110420) many of which were temporary in nature and demolished after the war.

Camps established within the grounds of country houses include the American arm camp at Picton for the United States Army Piper Cub airstrip (PRN 105981) and Cresselly House (PRN 110419) used by both the British and American troops. Slebech and Sodstone House (PRNs 110422 and 110421) were also occupied by American troops, and aerial photographs clearly show the distinctive 'winterized' concrete tent bases laid out in the grounds.

#### Ranges; Bombing and Firing

South Pembrokeshire has a heavy presence in terms of military training and includes Castlemartin (PRN 28768), Manorbier (PRN111338) and Penally (PRNs 29912, 29913, 1112727, 111277) which are all still in active use by the military.

There are two Naval Ranges listed on the listed in the SD 559 ranges map and appendix for West & South Wales, listed as N104 and N105 'Milford Haven Approaches' (formerly numbered N48 C and D), with 'Guns A.A. H. & L' (Anti-Aircraft Heavy & Light) used by 'H.M. Ships' under the controlling authority of 'F.O.I.C Milford Haven' (Flag Officer In Charge).

#### Military Headquarters

A number of military headquarters have been identified in the assessment, most of them in Tenby where a large number of units were billeted at the outset of the war. Many of these headquarters were accommodated in town houses or requisitioned hotels. The 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion Pembrokeshire Home Guard headquarters was established in 1940 in the Conservative Club in Tenby which is now the Royal Lion Hotel (PRN 6734). In 1940 a Belgian Combat Unit was established in Tenby from a regrouping of Belgian soldiers who had been evacuated to the UK. Their headquarters was established at the Atlantic Hotel (PRN 59819).

#### Observation Post

Three Observation Posts are associated with the live firing held on the Castlemartin training area (PRNs 33441, 33446, 33454).

#### Military Hospital

A military hospital was established at Upton Castle by the Royal Army Medical Corps (PRN 26199) and a number of huts are visible within the grounds of the Castle.

#### Depots and Stores

Two large oil depots were established in 1928 at Llanion and Llanreath either side of Pembroke Dock (PRNs 8451 & 8450), which both consisted of large oil tanks to supply the Admiralty at the

Royal Dockyard. The Llanreath depot was bombed in August 1940 setting alight oil tanks which remained ablaze for three weeks.

#### Women's Land Army

Two Land Army Hostels were established in South Pembrokeshire, one at Hodgeston Hill (PRN 26183) and Rushacre at Narberth (PRN110428).

#### Coastal and Searchlight Batteries

Camps associated with coastal and searchlight batteries have been recorded extensively along the southern side of Milford Haven. These range in scale and extent from the massive coastal artillery battery at West Blockhouse (PRN 24430) to searchlight batteries which commonly had huts and ancillary structures associated such as that identified at Sodstone House near Narberth (PRN 111271).

#### Military Training

Aside from the training ranges at Castlemartin, Manorbier and Penally the south coast of Pembrokeshire and Carmarthenshire was subject to a largescale military training exercise called 'Operation Jantzen'. Film footage of the exercise held in the Imperial War Museum documents the exercise which took place from 22<sup>nd</sup> July to 5<sup>th</sup> August 1943, which was intended to prepare for 'Operation Overlord'; the invasion of the continent. The aim was to practise beach landings and the supply and maintenance of an Army Corps of two divisions for 14 days. No individual sites have been recognised which relate to this exercise.

#### Barrage Balloons

Thirteen barrage balloon sites have been included – most of these have been located in an arc around the south side of Pembroke Dock, forming a defensive ring around the dockyard. Each site would have had a store and associated structures.

#### Associated sites

The assessment includes a number of high level records for training areas such as Castlemartin, Manorbier and Penally. Within each of these extensive sites are numerous individual features, sites, structures and buildings. Within Castlemartin training area many had been previously identified from fieldwork by Roger JC Thomas in 1993, but had not been recorded in the HER until this project was undertaken. Many of these sites include individual gun emplacements, blockhouses and targets.

Sites not represented in the district

An absence of Prisoner of War camps has been observed, and none as yet have been identified in South Pembrokeshire. This absence may be due of the high military presence for training and defence in the region.

## **DISCUSSION**

South Pembrokeshire has a rich military heritage, which has benefitted from Roger JC Thomas's survey and report of Military Buildings in Pembrokeshire (1993 and 1994). Many of the sites recorded by Thomas had not yet been included into the HER, and this assessment has endeavoured to ensure that this was corrected.

The training ranges of Castlemartin, Manorbier and Penally have a dense archaeological legacy spanning 80 years - nearly 140 years at Penally - of almost continuous use by the military. Inevitably these sites have complex histories which reveal changing military investment, tactics and technology. The scope of this report has been broad brush and extensive, and it has not always been possible to drill down into these different phases of development, use and reuse.

A range of sources have been drawn on to assess the range of sites in the county. Primary sources include those seen at both the National Archives, the Pembrokeshire Archives and those held within the range office at Castlemartin. Aerial photographs have been an essential source of information for establishing the location and extent of sites; the Medmenham wartime collection have been helpful, as have the 1946 sorties which cover South Pembrokeshire.

The Map and List appended to the List of Firing Ranges in 1945 (Figure 2) identified the Milford Approach Naval Ranges (PRN 111336) in addition it also demonstrates the extent of the ranges of Castlemartin, and Manorbier and Penally.

The PLANED volumes on the Military Heritage of Pembrokeshire have also been useful as a secondary source and help to provide further histories and descriptions of the sites. However, the narrative histories of many of the sites still require expansion and where possible these will be teased out when further work is carried out.

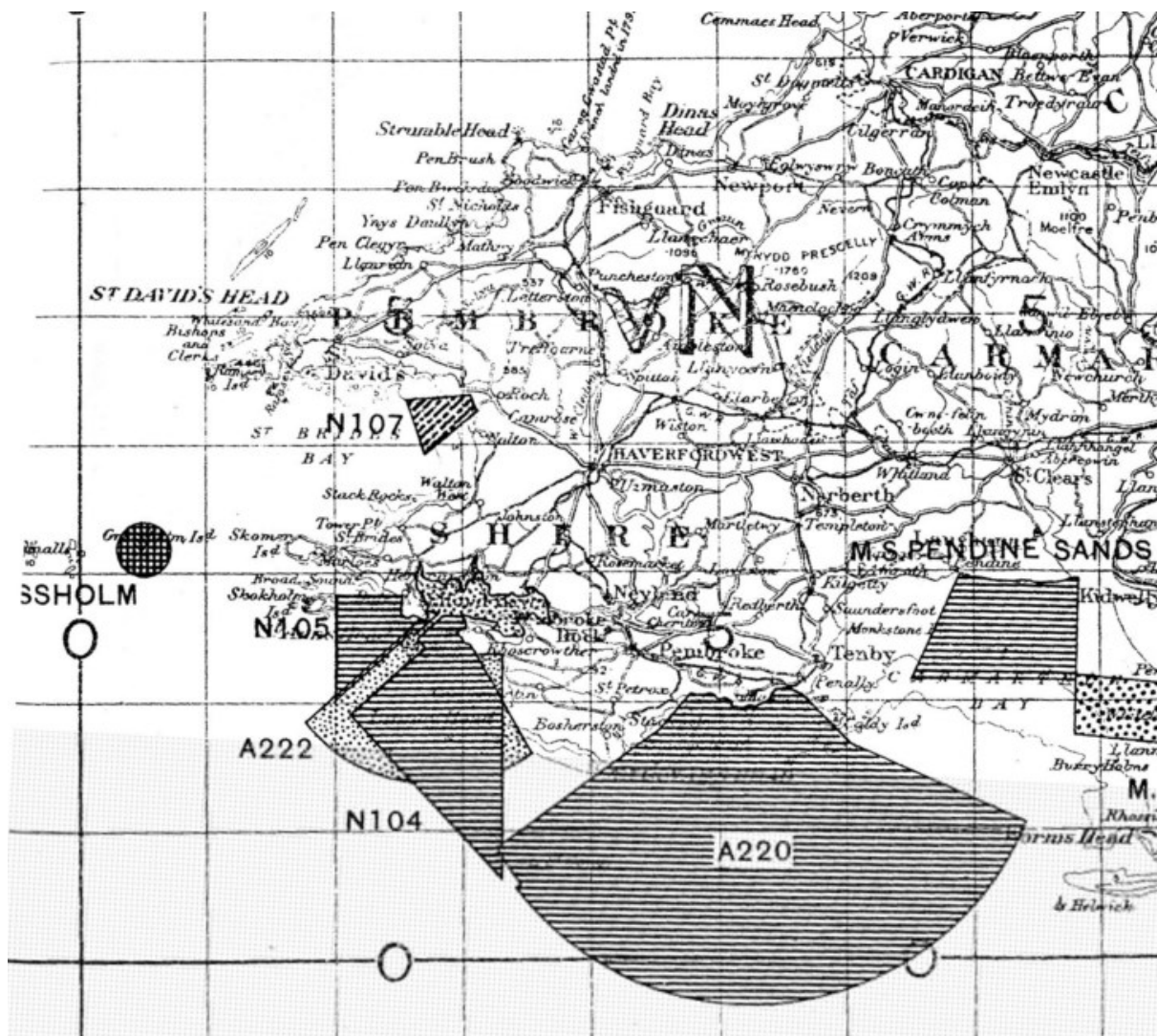


Figure 2: SD 559 ranges map (1945), West and South Wales

## ARCHAEOLOGICAL POTENTIAL

Table 4 below summarises the likelihood and potential significance for archaeological remains at each of the sites identified. Three categories of potential have been shown, those for 'Upstanding Remains' which includes either buildings, huts or other built structures, 'Below Ground' remains which includes hut platforms, ground works and services, earthwork banks and monuments etc. The third category is 'Associated Ephemeral Remains' which might include artefacts or unstratified remains, and graffiti or aborglyphs (graffiti carved into the bark of trees). Aborglyphs have been recognised as particularly common in military contexts associated with Country house parkland, where troops were often accommodated in the house and associated grounds.

For each of these categories the archaeological potential of sites was assessed using the following terms; confirmed, high potential, possible, unlikely, or none, based on recent aerial photography (Next Perspectives 2009).

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PRN	Site Name	Type	upstanding remains	below ground	associated ephemeral
4517	DEFENSIBLE BARRACKS	Barracks;Fort	Listed and scheduled remains	High potential	High potential
5805	WINDMILL HILL	ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY	none	High potential	possible
5806	WINDMILL HILL	Gun Emplacement	None	High potential	possible
5807	WINDMILL HILL	Gun Emplacement	None	High potential	Possible
5808	WINDMILL HILL	Gun Emplacement	None	High potential	possible
5809	WINDMILL HILL	Gun Emplacement	None	High potential	possible
6734	ROYAL LION HOTEL;HIGH STREET NOS.1-2	MILITARY HEADQUARTERS	Confirmed – listed building in its own right	-	Possible
8450	LLANEATH NAVAL OIL FUEL DEPOT	Depot	None	possible	possible
8451	LLANION NAVAL OIL FUEL DEPOT	Depot	None	Unlikely	possible
20493	NORTON THE NOS.10 11 12;CLIFFE NORTON HOTEL	MILITARY HEADQUARTERS	Confirmed – listed building in its own right	-	possible
24430	EAST BLOCKHOUSE POINT	Battery	Confirmed/ high potential	High potential	possible
24446	LLANION BARRACKS	Barracks	Confirmed / high potential	-	possible
26178	RAF PEMBROKE DOCK SITE NO.5	Military Camp	High potential	High potential	Confirmed - aborglyphs
26183	HODGESTON HILL HOSTEL	WOMEN'S LAND ARMY HOSTEL	High potential	High potential	possible
26184	HODGESTON HILL HOSTEL	ABLUTIONS BLOCK	High potential	-	-
26185	HODGESTON HILL HOSTEL	STOREHOUSE	High potential	-	-
26186	HODGESTON HILL HOSTEL	BARRACKS	High potential	-	-
26187	HODGESTON HILL HOSTEL	Sewage Works	High potential	-	-
26189	BUTTERMILK LANE	Military Camp	High potential	High potential	possible
26191	BATEMANS HILL	Anti-Aircraft Battery	none	none	possible
26192	POINT LANE	Barrage Balloon Site	None	unlikely	
26193	POINT LANE	Searchlight Battery		possible	
26194	SNOWDROP VALLEY	Barrage Balloon Site	None	unlikely	
26195	LOWER NASH FARM	Searchlight Battery		Unlikely	
26199	UPTON CASTLE	Hospital		possible	
26200	UPTON CASTLE	Searchlight Battery		possible	
26201	RNAS LAWRENNY FERRY; HMS DAEDALUS II	Flying Boat Base		possible	
26206	DIMOCKS CORNER	Barrage Balloon Site	None	none	
26209	RAF PEMBROKE DOCK	Barrage Balloon Site	None	unlikely	
26210	BARRACK HILL	Barrage Balloon Site	None	unlikely	
26211	PENNAR BARRACKS	Barrage Balloon Site	None	none	
26212	MILITARY ROAD	Barrage Balloon Site	None	none	

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26213	ST. PATRICKS PLAYING FIELD	Barrage Balloon Site	None	unlikely	
26214	WAR MEMORIAL PARK	Barrage Balloon Site	None	unlikely	
26225	BRITANNIA ROAD	Barrage Balloon Site	None	none	
26242	PWLLCROCHAN	Searchlight Battery		unlikely	
26243	PENNAR CANTS	Searchlight Battery		possible	
26244	WEST PENNAR	Anti-Aircraft Battery		possible	
28405	EAST BLOCKHOUSE BATTERY	Anti-Aircraft Battery		possible	
28471	LLANION HILL	Anti-Aircraft Battery		none	
28472	WARREN FARM	Searchlight Battery		Possible/ unlikely	
28473	RAF ST TWWYNNELLS; AMES 70A	Radar Station		High potential	
28475	RAF ST TWWYNNELLS; AMES 70A	Radar Station	confirmed		
28497	KILGETTY	Military Camp		none	
28546	SAGESTON MOUNTAIN	Searchlight Battery		unlikely	
28549	RAF WARREN; AMES 70	Radar Station		possible	
28550	RAF WARREN; AMES 70	Transmitter Block	High potential		
28551	RAF WARREN; AMES 70	Telephone Junction Box		High potential	
28552	RAF WARREN; AMES 70	Air Raid Shelter		High potential	
28553	RAF WARREN; AMES 70	Receiver Block		High potential	
28554	RAF WARREN; AMES 70	Transmitter Block	High potential		
28555	RAF WARREN; AMES 70	Guardhouse	High potential		
28556	RAF WARREN; AMES 70	Transformer Box		High potential	
28558	RAF WARREN; AMES 70	Emergency Water Supply		High potential	
28559	RAF WARREN; AMES 70	Gun Emplacement		possible	
28560	RAF WARREN; AMES 70	Transmitter Array		possible	
28651	BLACK COVE	Searchlight Battery		possible	
28655	NORTH HILL	Searchlight Battery		possible	
28669	BUSH CAMP	Military Camp		unlikely	
28691	WOODFIELD FOLLY LANE	Barrage Balloon Site		unlikely	
28698	LOVESTON	Military Camp		possible	
28743	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	Defence Post		High potential	
28744	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	Defence Post		High potential	
28745	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	Gun Emplacement	Confirmed - Scheduled		
28767	GUPTON	Searchlight Battery		possible	
28768	MERION CAMP CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	Firing Range	Confirmed/ High potential		
28769	LINNEY HEAD	Blockhouse	Confirmed/		

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	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE		High potential		
28770	LINNEY DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Blockhouse	Confirmed/ High potential		
28771	LINNEY DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Blockhouse	High potential		
28772	LINNEY DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Blockhouse	High potential		
28773	LINNEY DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Blockhouse	High potential		
28774	LINNEY DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Blockhouse	High potential		
28775	LINNEY DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Blockhouse	High potential		
28776	LINNEY DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Blockhouse	High potential		
28777	LINNEY DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	TARGET	High potential		
28778	LINNEY DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Blockhouse	High potential		
28779	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Blockhouse	High potential		
28780	PEN-Y-HOLT DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Blockhouse	High potential		
28781	LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Blockhouse	High potential		
28782	LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Blockhouse	High potential		
28783	LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Gun Emplacement		High potential	
28784	LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Gun Emplacement	Confirmed - scheduled		
28785	BLUCKS POOL LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Gun Emplacement	High potential		



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28786	THE POLE LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Gun Emplacement	Confirmed - scheduled		
28787	CROW BACK LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Gun Emplacement	Confirmed - scheduled		
28788	FRAINSLAKE SANDS LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Gun Emplacement	Confirmed - scheduled		
28791	LAKE LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Gun Emplacement	Confirmed - scheduled		
28792	LAKE LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Gun Emplacement	Confirmed - scheduled		
28793	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Practice Trench		possible	
28794	BROWNSLADE BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Gun Emplacement		possible	
28795	BROWNSLADE BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Gun Emplacement		possible	
28796	BROWNSLADE CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Blockhouse	High potential		
28797	BROWNSLADE CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Blockhouse	High potential		
28798	PEN-Y-HOLT DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Blockhouse	High potential		
28799	PEN-Y-HOLT DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Blockhouse	High potential		
28800	BULLIBER DOWN CASTLE MARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE	Blockhouse	High potential		
29912	THE BURROWS PENALLY	Firing Range		High potential	
29913	THE BURROWS PENALLY	Firing Range	High potential		
30041	PENALLY BURROWS	Rifle Butts	High potential		
30136		Auxiliary Hide	High potential		

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32579	PENALLY CAMP	Military College; Military Camp	Confirmed / High potential		
32644	TREVALLEN DOWN	Bombing Range	Confirmed - scheduled		
33300	ANGLE	Battery		High potential	
33438	ANGLE	Battery		High potential	
33441	LINNEY HEAD	Observation Post	High potential		
33444	LINNEY DOWN	Blockhouse	High potential		
33445	FLIMSTON DOWN	TARGET	High potential		
33446	MEWSFORD POINT	Observation Post	High potential		
33447	BUCHSPOOL DOWN	Radar Station		High potential	
33448	TREVALLEN DOWNS	TARGET	Confirmed - scheduled		
33449	TREVALLEN DOWNS	Blockhouse	Confirmed - scheduled		
33450	TREVALLEN DOWNS	Blockhouse	Confirmed - scheduled		
33451	TREVALLEN DOWNS	Blockhouse	Confirmed - scheduled		
33452	TREVALLEN DOWNS	Blockhouse	Confirmed - scheduled		
33453	TREVALLEN DOWNS	TARGET	Confirmed - scheduled		
33454	ST. GOVAN'S HEAD	Observation Post	High potential		
33456	MANORBIER CAMP	Radar Station	Confirmed - scheduled		
33520	ST. GOVAN'S HEAD	TARGET	Confirmed - scheduled		
35023	WEST ANGLE	Coastal Battery	High potential		
35061	PEMBROKE DOCK	Barrage Balloon Site		possible	
35099	PEMBROKE DOCK	Anti-Aircraft Battery		possible	
38876	GREAT FURZENIP	Radar Plinth		High potential	
38877	BROWNSLADE BURROWS	Military Road		possible	
38878		Control Tower		High potential	
38880		Military Camp		possible	
39369	BROWNSLATE FARM	Barrage Balloon Site		possible	
44607	RAF ANGLE	Anti-Aircraft Battery		possible	
55454	WHETSTONE HILL	ANTI AIRCRAFT DEFENCE SITE		High potential	
59430	CRESSELLY HOUSE	MILITARY HEADQUARTERS			possible
59819	THE ATLANTIC HOTEL AND AREA RAILINGS	MILITARY HEADQUARTERS			possible
59912	NOS 5,6,7,8,9,10 AND 11 THE CROFT	MILITARY HEADQUARTERS			possible
102534	CASTLEMARTIN AIRSTRIPS	Airfield		unlikely	
102543	LAMPHEY COURT	Graffiti	confirmed		
102553	RAF ANGLE	Anti-Aircraft Battery		possible	
105783		Searchlight Battery		possible	
105969	RAF TENBY	Military Base	High potential		
105981	PICTON CAMP	Military Camp		Confirmed - high potential	
109322		Bombing Range	High potential		
110419		MILITARY CAMP		possible	

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110420		MILITARY CAMP		possible	
110421		MILITARY CAMP		possible	possible
110422		MILITARY CAMP		possible	possible
110423	22 Victoria Street	MILITARY HEADQUARTERS			possible
110424	SCHOOL OF ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY	MILITARY TRAINING SITE		possible	
110425		MILITARY CAMP		possible	possible
110426		ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY		High potential	
110427		ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY		possible	
110428	RUSHACRE	WOMEN'S LAND ARMY HOSTEL		unlikely	
110429		SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY		possible	
110430		SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY		possible	
110431		MILITARY CAMP		unlikely	
111259		ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY		none	
111260		BOMBING RANGE		possible	
111261		SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY		possible	
111262		SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY		possible	
111263		SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY		none	
111264		AUXILIARY UNIT OPERATIONAL BASE		Location unconfirmed	
111265		MILITARY TRAINING SITE		High potential	
111266		SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY		none	
111267		SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY		unlikely	
111268		SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY		none	
111271		SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY		unlikely	
111272		FIRING RANGE		possible	
111276		MILITARY CAMP		High potential	confirmed
111277		FIRING RANGE	confirmed		
111278	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	GUNPOST	Confirmed - scheduled		
111279	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	GUNPOST	Confirmed - scheduled		
111280	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	GUNPOST	Confirmed - scheduled		
111281	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	GUN EMPLACEMENT	Confirmed - scheduled		
111282	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE; CADET RANGE	FIRING RANGE	Confirmed - scheduled		
111283	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	MAST		possible	
111284	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	TARGET			possible
111285	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	WINCH		possible	
111286	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	ROAD		possible	
111287	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	GUN EMPLACEMENT		High potential	
111288	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	GUN EMPLACEMENT		High potential	
111289	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	GUN EMPLACEMENT		High potential	

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	CORPS RANGE				
111290	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	High potential		
111291	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	High potential		
111292	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	High potential		
111293	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	High potential		
111294	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	High potential		
111295	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	TARGET	High potential		
111296	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	ANTI LANDING TRENCH		possible	
111297	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	ANTI LANDING TRENCH		possible	
111298	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	TARGET	High potential		
111299	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	TARGET	High potential		
111300	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	TARGET		High potential	
111301	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	High potential		
111302	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	High potential		
111303	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	High potential		
111304	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	High potential		
111305	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	TARGET		High potential	
111306	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	AIRFIELD			possible
111307	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	CONTROL TOWER	High potential		
111308	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	ARMY CAMP		High potential	
111309	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	High potential		
111310	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	High potential		
111311	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	TARGET		High potential	

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111312	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	ANTI LANDING TRENCH		possible	
111313	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	TARGET	High potential		
111314	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	High potential		
111315	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	High potential		
111316	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	TARGET		High potential	
111317	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	High potential		
111318	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	High potential		
111319	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	High potential		
111320	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	High potential		
111321	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	TARGET		High potential	
111322	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	High potential		
111323	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	High potential		
111324	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	TARGET		High potential	
111325	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	TARGET		High potential	
111326	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	High potential		
111327	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	High potential		
111328	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	TARGET		High potential	
111329	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	FIRING RANGE	Confirmed		
111330	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	High potential		
111331	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	High potential		
111332	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	High potential		
111333	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	BLOCKHOUSE	High potential		
111334	CASTLEMARTIN	TARGET		High potential	

	ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE				
111335	CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE	TARGET	High potential		
111336	MILFORD HAVEN APPROACHES	FIRING RANGE	None	None	none
111337	DELPHI GARAGE	MILITARY HEADQUARTERS	None	None	none
111338	AIR DEFENCE RANGE MANORBIER	FIRING RANGE	High potential	High potential	High potential

*Table 4: Table showing archaeological potential*

The table summarises each site on the basis of archaeological potential and offers priorities for the second phase of work which will involve carrying out fieldwork.

## CONCLUSION

The study has been successful in carrying out an extensive survey of camps and ranges in south Pembrokeshire, which has resulted in updating and enhancing the 138 existing HER records and adding a further 88 new records. In many cases, where information is available, the geographical extent of a site has been identified, mapped and included in the HER to inform future heritage management advice.

By its nature the broad scope of such an assessment has prioritised identifying and recording sites for inclusion in the HER, which has meant that it has not usually been possible to drill down into each sites' own narrative history.

The methodology employed in this report has followed that used in the previous assessments for Carmarthenshire, Ceredigion and North Pembrokeshire (Pyper 2015, 2016 & 2017). It is based on a rapid assessment of documentary sources available from the National Archives and local records offices. The review of material at the National Archives was rapid and rather broad brush, and only obvious sources identified through the on-line Discovery catalogue were explored. It is likely that a more thorough investigation would provide further documentary material to inform our understanding of military activity in southwest of Wales since the Second World War.

This desk-based assessment provides a base line of information of camps and ranges within the county and something which should be further enhanced through follow-up fieldwork. The archaeological implications of the work suggest a surprisingly large number of sites which were in military use from the Second World War and onwards and the considerable potential for archaeological remains throughout the county.

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## **GAZETTEER OF SITES**

### **Felicity Sage, Historic Environment Record Manager**

The gazetteer is listed in alpha numeric order. Where it has been possible to identify the extent of a site then a polygon has been drawn around it and the map is included. Where applicable a corresponding wartime or post War Aerial Photograph is also attached to the record.

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**PRN** 4517 **NAME** DEFENSIBLE BARRACKS

**TYPE** Barracks , Fort **PERIOD** Post-medieval

**NGR** SM96100310 **COMMUNITY** Pembroke Dock

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *Listed Building LB II, Scheduled Monument*

**PE379 EVIDENCE** Building

### SUMMARY

Barracks built in the 1840s for the defence of the dockyard. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

The barracks has a commanding view of the dockyard at Pembroke Dock. The barracks were constructed in 1841-46 and housed the Royal Marines who were tasked with protecting the dockyard. The barracks consist of a defensive square structure with projecting bastions on each corner surrounded by a dry moat. Within the defensible barracks, a central square parade area was enclosed by blocks of barrack rooms, mess areas, magazines and gun sheds. The basements contained areas for laundry, stores, latrines and magazines. The layout of the site probably represents the last example of a 'square bastion trace' fortification built in Europe. Also acts as a gun platform to protect the barracks from land or seaward attack. A Pyper based on Scheduling description. Llanion Barracks were constructed at the turn of the 19th/20th centuries and became the primary accommodation for troops, though the Defensible Barracks continued to be occupied by various small units until the early 1950s. At the outbreak of the Second World War 'The Buffs' - East Kent Regiment - were garrisoned there. A Pyper 2018 based on Vernon Scott 1993. Octagonal

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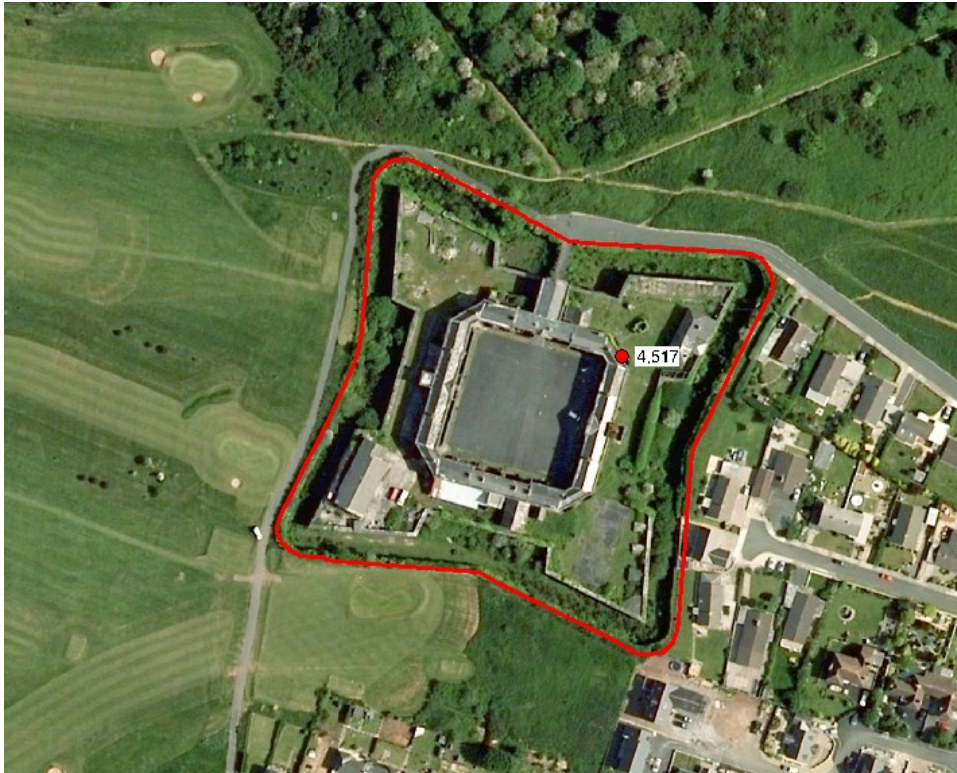
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**PRN** 5805 **NAME** WINDMILL HILL

**TYPE** Earthwork , ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY **PERIOD** Prehistoric? , MODERN

**NGR** SM97960053 **COMMUNITY** Pembroke

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork, DOCUMENTARY  
EVIDENCE

### **SUMMARY**

A Heavy Anti-aircraft Battery. A Pyper 2018

### **DESCRIPTION**

A complex consisting of one command post, two irregular octagonal gun pits, two square gun pits, and two holdfasts. Aerial photographs from 2009 show the site as overgrown with concrete footings. Recorded by RJC Thomas in 1993. A Pyper 2018. Earth mound of unknown significance.

RPS August 2001

**SOURCES** Mm AP Vertical Meridian Airmaps 1955 190-200 25994-5

Pm Map OS 1971 6" SM90 SE

**OTHER SOURCES**

Aerial photograph Next Perspectives 2009 Digital aerial photo mapping



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**PRN** 5806 **NAME** WINDMILL HILL

**TYPE** Earthwork , ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY **PERIOD** Prehistoric? , MODERN

**NGR** SM97960050 **COMMUNITY** Pembroke

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork, DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

**SUMMARY**

A Heavy Anti-aircraft Battery. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

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### OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN 5807 NAME** WINDMILL HILL

**TYPE** Earthwork , ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY **PERIOD** Prehistoric? , MODERN

**NGR** SM97930047 **COMMUNITY** Pembroke

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork, DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

A Heavy Anti-aircraft Battery. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

A complex consisting of one command post, two irregular octagonal gun pits, two square gun pits, and two holdfasts. Aerial photographs from 2009 show the site as overgrown with concrete footings. Recorded by RJC Thomas in 1993. A Pyper 2018. Earth mound of unknown significance. RPS August 2001

**SOURCES** Mm AP Vertical Meridian Airmaps 1955 190-200 25994-5

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**PRN 5808 NAME** WINDMILL HILL

**TYPE** Earthwork , ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY **PERIOD** Prehistoric? , MODERN

**NGR** SM97910048 **COMMUNITY** Pembroke

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork, DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

A Heavy Anti-aircraft Battery. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

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Aerial photograph Next Perspectives 2009 Digital aerial photo mapping

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**PRN** 5809 **NAME** WINDMILL HILL

**TYPE** Earthwork , ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY **PERIOD** Prehistoric? , MODERN

**NGR** SM97920051 **COMMUNITY** Pembroke

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork, DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

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### DESCRIPTION

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**SOURCES** Mm AP Vertical Meridian Airmaps 1955 190-200 25994-5

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**PRN** 6734 **NAME** ROYAL LION HOTEL;HIGH STREET NOS.1-2

**TYPE** Military Headquarters **PERIOD** Post-medieval

**NGR** SN1331000597 **COMMUNITY** Tenby

**CONDITION** Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Listed Building 6164 II,*



Conservation area 13550065 **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

Occupied house in Tenby. RPS July 2001 During the Second World War the Conservative Club (now the Royal Lion Hotel) became the headquarters for the 1st Battalion Pembrokeshire Home Guard. A Pyper 2018 based on Tipton 1986.

### **DESCRIPTION**

During the Second World War the Conservative Club (now the Royal Lion Hotel) became the headquarters for the 1st Battalion Pembrokeshire Home Guard. A Pyper 2018 based on Tipton 1986. Early C19th, 4-storeys Formerly known as the Lion Hotel. No1: Early C19th, 4 storeys, 3 bays, stucco, Parapet with '5'-scrolled ramps to ends. No2: Early C19th 3-storeys, 3 days. Originally known as Lavallon House. Formerly listed as the conservative club, a separate property. Now forms part of the hotel. See p.40 for group interest.

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**PRN** 8450 **NAME** LLANEATH NAVAL OIL FUEL DEPOT

**TYPE** Depot **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM95520307 **COMMUNITY** Pembroke Dock

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### **SUMMARY**

Admiralty Oil Depot linked to the Royal Dockyard. In use from 1928 to 1978. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

### **DESCRIPTION**

1928-78 Admiralty Oil Depot now derelict. 16 oil storage tanks four deep rock-cut moats pumphouse and buildings linked to Royal Dockyard by a tunnel. All oil tanks have been demolished nine due to wartime damage. Site in use as a golf course in the early part of the 21st century. RJC Thomas 24-01-93

On August 19th 1940 a lone German bomber struck one of the seventeen tanks and started a fire which was to burn for three weeks. The fire was fought by 650 men from 22 fire brigades from as far as Birmingham and Cardiff. Five firemen lost their lives in the blaze. Thirteen George Medals were awarded to the firefighters. (A Pyper based on Besley 2004)

Aerial photographs suggest the site has been redeveloped as a golf course. A Pyper 2018

**SOURCES** Mm List Allen,B & Murphy,K 1998 Coastal survey 1997-98 -Lower Milford Haven SMR Library

Mm AP Vertical RAF 1946 Sortie No.106g-uk-1625 Frames 4359-4361

Mm Desc Text RCAHM 1978 DRF

Mm List RCAHM 1978 13e,PE

Pm Desc Text Richards,W 1983 Pembrokeshire Under Fire West Wales Guardian

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Pm Desc Text Scott,V 1980 Inferno 1940 Western Telegraph

Mm GP Thomas,R 1993

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No.046-000, DRF

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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The oil tanks of Llanreath ablaze some 12 days after being bombed, photograph taken 31<sup>st</sup> August 1940 Medmenham collection M2177\_17



1940 Medmenham M2144a\_17

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**PRN** 8451 **NAME** LLANION NAVAL OIL FUEL DEPOT

**TYPE** Depot **PERIOD** Post-medieval

**NGR** SM97900423 **COMMUNITY** Pembroke Dock

**CONDITION** Damaged **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Admiralty Oil Depot from 1928-78, consisting of 17 oil tanks. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1994.

### DESCRIPTION

1928-77, Admiralty Oil Depot. 17 oil tanks, enclosed by earth bunds clustered in one group of two, ? groups of three and two groups of four, protected by eight rock cut bunds. One water tank, a

tunnel and a variety of huts and other buildings including mooring dolphins. RJC.Thomas, 24.01.93. The oil tanks have been removed and the site has been levelled and grassed over. It is currently enjoyed by general public as an amenity area. Ferry Wood to the north is still intact as are the jetties (three in all) PRN 37051. RSR April 1999. The former naval oil fuel depot was linked by a tunnel to a deep water jetty (PRN 37051). Its derelict oil tanks were removed in 1984, as part of the developments and improvements on six sites in the Pembroke Dock Enterprise Zone. HJ April 1999.

**SOURCES** Mm List DAT 1999 Milford Haven Historic Audit - Part 1 Pembroke Ferry to Garron Pill Stage 1 Data gathering

Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46. Sortie No.106G-UK-1625 Frames 6345-6347

Mm List RCAHM 1978 13e,PE

Mm Desc Text RCAHM 1978 DRF

Mm GP Thomas,R 1993

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 061-000, DRF

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire



1944 Medmenham M1505

**PRN** 20493 **NAME** NORTON THE NOS.10 11 12;CLIFFE NORTON HOTEL

**TYPE** Terrace , MILITARY HEADQUARTERS **PERIOD** Post-medieval , MODERN

**NGR** SN1324300687 **COMMUNITY** Tenby

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Listed Building 6202 II, Conservation area 13550065* **EVIDENCE** Building

### SUMMARY

The Norton Hotel was requisitioned during the Second World War and became the headquarters of the 159th Welsh Brigade. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

Middle + Northern buildings - 4 storeys. First floor Balcony. South-east building - 3 storeys + basement, iron balcony. See p.62 for group value.

**SOURCES** Pm List WO 1977 BSAHI-Tenby p.62

### OTHER SOURCES

Article Western Telegraph Reporter 2017 Entrance arch for Grade II Hotel

Article Hotchin, B. 2017 Plans To 'Punch' Hole In Listed Hotel Okayed

Mention Tipton, John 1986 Tenby during World War II

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**PRN** 24430 **NAME** EAST BLOCKHOUSE POINT

**TYPE** Battery **PERIOD** Post-medieval

**NGR** SM843028 **COMMUNITY** Angle

**CONDITION** Damaged **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Building

### SUMMARY

Coastal artillery battery, consisting of gun emplacements, searchlights and associated defences. Manned by 428 and / or 429 Coast Battery Royal Artillery 532 Coast Regiment Royal Artillery. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1994.

### DESCRIPTION

Main gun battery with outstations for smaller guns. Concrete construction. KM 1996 Complex consisting of two 9.2 and three 6 gun emplacements, 3 Coast Artillery Searchlights, a practice OP, two Spigot Mortar posts, three 2 UP holdfast, a practice battery, an engine room, a 'Twin' 6 pounder emplacement & various infantry defences. RJC Thomas 1994

**SOURCES** Mm List DAT 1987 CR 24429

Mm GP Murphy,K 1997 DAT97-21-23

Mm GP TAJ 1987 Colour Slide under 24429

Mm GP Murphy,K 1996 Two colour slide SMR GP slide file

Mm List Murphy,K & Allen,B 1997 Coastal Survey 1996-7 - Strumble Head to Ginst Point SMR Library

Pm Mention SPARC 1994 South of the Landsker - Angle Parish File

**OTHER SOURCES**

Aerial photograph (digital) James,T 1988 SM80SW007.jpg

Vertical aerial photograph 106 G UK 1425 1946 106G UK 1425

Vertical aerial photograph RAF 1946 106G/UK1625

Aerial Photograph (Vertical) RAF 1950 Sortie 540/376 frame 0017

Book Peter Cobb and the U.K.F.C 2013 Coastal Defence Batteries of England, Wales, Scotland, Ireland & Isle of Man in the Second World War

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire





RAF 106G UK 1629 8<sup>th</sup> July 1946

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**PRN** 24446 **NAME** LLANION BARRACKS

**TYPE** Barracks **PERIOD** Post-medieval

**NGR** SM96760416 **COMMUNITY** Pembroke Dock

**CONDITION** Damaged **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

#### **SUMMARY**

Military Barracks from 1903 to 1972 consisting of red brick buildings, initially built to supplement a hutted camp. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1994.

## **DESCRIPTION**

1903-72 Barracks now in use as light industry premises and domestic residence. Large complex of red brick buildings built at the turn of the 20th century to complement an existing hutted camp a further phase of construction occurred during the Second World War. Became surplus to the needs of the MOD in 1967. Sold in 1973. RJC Thomas 1993. Construction of these red brick built barracks began in 1899 and was completed in 1906. They were intended and seen as modern barracks for the late Victorian imperial army with better quality accommodation for soldiers and their families. They were built on a new site east of Pembroke Dock and replaced the old Defensible Barracks (PRN 4517). Llanion Barracks were declared surplus to military requirements by 1966. The former HQ buildings and officers' mess were taken over by the newly formed South Pembrokeshire District Council and remain in local authority use by Pembrokeshire County Council to this day. HJ & RSR April 1999. In October 1943 the 110th US Infantry Regiment (part of the 28th US Infantry Division from Pennsylvania) were stationed here for eight months undertaking training on Pembrokeshire's beaches and in the Preseli hills. On 1st April 1944 Eisenhower, the Supreme Allied Commander, visited the Regiment to inspect and speak to the troops. The regiment left under cover of darkness on the 14th April 1944 for Wiltshire before heading on to Normandy in July of that year. The 2nd US (Indianhead) Infantry Division replaced them in Pembrokeshire, before leaving for Europe some months later. A Pyper 2018 based on Vernon Scott. Last regiment to serve there when the military abandoned the premises was 37 Heavy Air Defence Regiment. A Pyper 2018 based on PLANED Guide to Military Heritage.

## **SOURCES** Mm Plan 1877 Plan 429-1-0105 Brompton Barracks

Pm Desc Text Carradice, P 1991 The Book of Pembroke Dock Barracuda Books, ISBN 0 86023 4843

Mm List DAT 1987 CR 24429, Milford Haven Defences

Pm Note NPP 1985 The Fortification of Milford Haven and Pembroke Dock DRF under 24429

Mm AP Vertical RAF 1946 Sortie No 106G-UK-1629 Frames 3138-3139

Mm GP Thomas, R 1993

Pm Desc Text Thomas, R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas, R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No 063-000, DRF

Mm File many 1989 Planning Application to convert army building to two dwellings. Llanion Barracks DRF

## **OTHER SOURCES**

Book PLANED A Guide to the Military Heritage of Pembrokeshire

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire





1944 Medmenham M1505

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**PRN** 111339 **NAME** MERRION CAMP

**TYPE** Military Camp **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR93999688 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Complex

### **SUMMARY**

Merrion Camp consists of the accommodation quarters, and service and administration facilities for Castlemartin Range. A Pyper 2018

### **SOURCES**

Mm Map 2011 Castlemartin, World Training Areas, 1:25000

Mm Mention no date Castlemartin Range, Information for Visiting Units



Merrion Camp looking east. No date. (Castlemartin Range Office)

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**PRN** 26183 **NAME** HODGESTON HILL HOSTEL

**TYPE** Hostel , WOMEN'S LAND ARMY HOSTEL **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SN03320087 **COMMUNITY** Lamphey

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Womens Land Army Hostel. during the Second World War, present use agricultural. Consisting of truncated, single storey, brick construction hut, with a combined header water tank tower and chimney. Small hut of unknown function, base of demolished hut and a septic tank. A Pyper based on RJC.Thomas 2018

### DESCRIPTION

1939-45, Womens Land Army, Hostel, present use agricultural. Consisting of truncated, single storey, brick construction hut, with a combined header water tank tower and chimney. Small hut of unknown function, base of demolished hut and a septic tank.

**SOURCES** Mm GP Thomas,R 1993

Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46. Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625 Frames 4346-4347

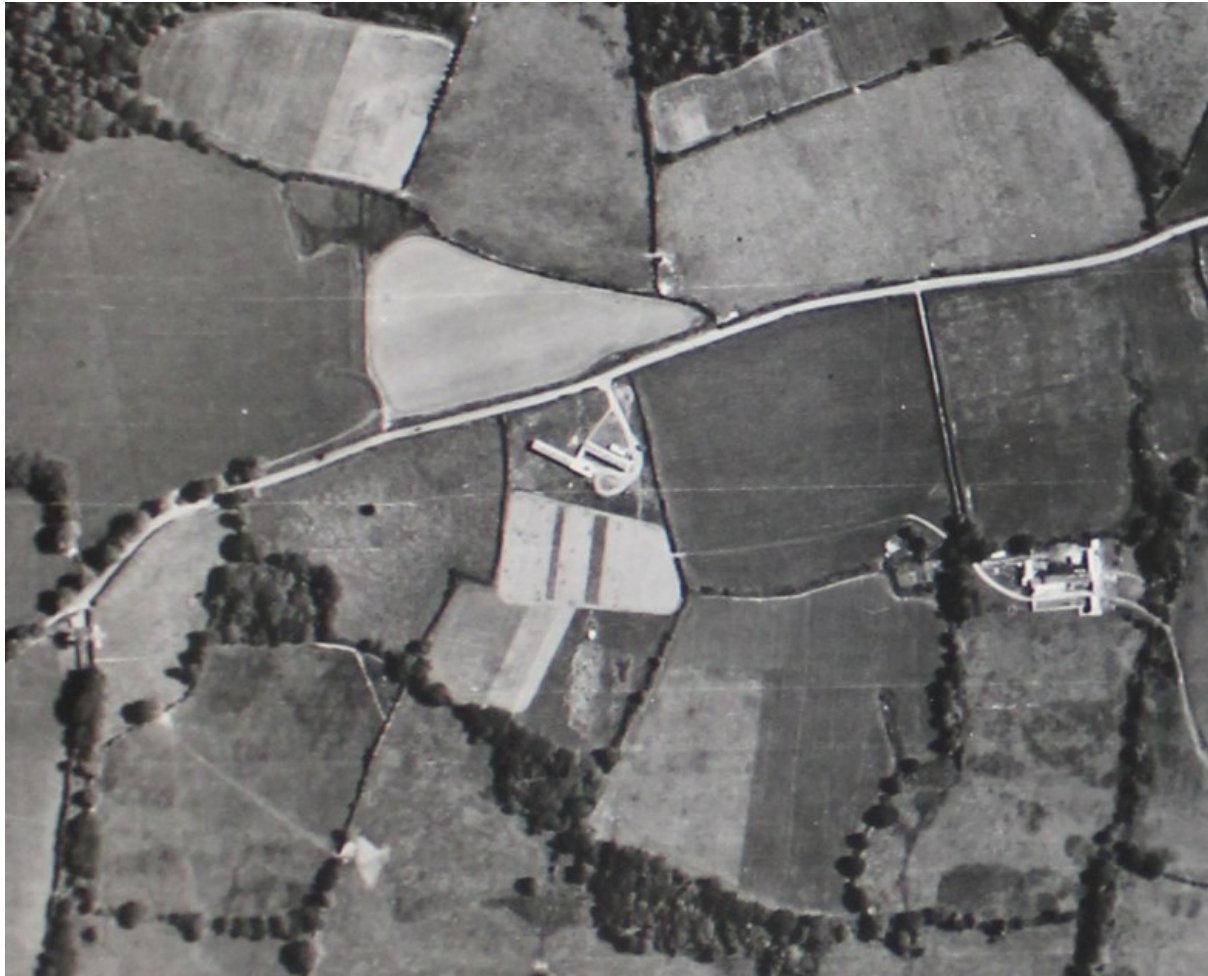
Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No.^005-000

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

#### **OTHER SOURCES**

Book PLANED A Guide to the Military Heritage of Pembrokeshire

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire



RAF 106G UK 1625 4346 7<sup>th</sup> July 1946

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**PRN** 26184 **NAME** HODGESTON HILL HOSTEL

**TYPE** ABLUTIONS BLOCK **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SN03320087 **COMMUNITY** Lamphey

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Building

#### **SUMMARY**

Ablutions block for the Women's Land Army Hostel. Consisting of single storey, five bay, brick

construction, gabled corrugated asbestos roof. Combined header water tank tower and chimney, offset at north east corner of structure. Brick walls fair faced. Truncated section of a larger hut, including accommodation. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018

#### **DESCRIPTION**

1940-45, Ablutions/Latrines/Bath House, present use low grade agricultural. Consisting of single storey, five bay, brick construction, gabled corrugated asbestos roof. Combined header water tank tower and chimney, offset at north east corner of structure. Brick walls fair faced. Truncated section of a larger hut, including accommodation. RJC.Thomas, 21.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46. Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625 Frames 4346-4347

Mm GP Thomas,R 1993

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No.^005-001

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

#### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 26185 **NAME** HODGESTON HILL HOSTEL

**TYPE** STOREHOUSE **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SN03360088 **COMMUNITY** Lamphey

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Building

#### **SUMMARY**

Storehouse for the Women's Land Army Hostel. Store, now derelict. Consisting of single storey, 'temporary brick' fair faced, three doorways in south west wall, sloped flat corrugated asbestos roof is missing, originally carried on timber purlins, 4x1 bay. A Pyper based on RJC.Thomas, 2018

#### **DESCRIPTION**

1940-45, Store, now derelict. Consisting of single storey, 'temporary brick' fair faced, three doorways in south west wall, sloped flat corrugated asbestos roof is missing, originally carried on timber purlins, 4x1 bay. RJC.Thomas, 21.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm GP Thomas,R 1993

Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46. Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625 Frames 4346-4347

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No.^005-002

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

#### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire



**PRN** 26186 **NAME** HODGESTON HILL HOSTEL

**TYPE** BARRACKS **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SN03340088 **COMMUNITY** Lamphey

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

A barrack building for the Women's Land Army. Rectangular brick plinth, concrete floor, hut demolished. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018.

### **DESCRIPTION**

1940-45, Hostel/Barracks. Rectangular brick plinth, concrete floor, hut demolished. RJC.Thomas. 21.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46. Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625 Frames 4346-4347

Mm GP Thomas,R 1993

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No.^005-003

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 26187 **NAME** HODGESTON HILL HOSTEL

**TYPE** Sewage Works **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SN0330300778 **COMMUNITY** Lamphey

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### **SUMMARY**

A sewage plant serving the Women's Land Army Hostel. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018.

### **DESCRIPTION**

1940-45, Filter Bed/Septic Tank/Sewage Disposal, now derelict. Small rectangular, brick built combined filter bed and septic tank. RJC.Thomas, 21.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46. Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625 Frames 4346-4347

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No.^005-004

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

## OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 26189 **NAME** BUTTERMILK LANE

**TYPE** Military Camp **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM98800240 **COMMUNITY** Cosheston

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

## SUMMARY

A camp for the Royal Naval Fire Fighters, originally consisting of 10 huts apparently, 5 are clearly visible on the Meridian vertical aerial photographs (1955). 2009 aerial photographs show the remains of 3 huts in a ruinous condition, only one apparently with a surviving curved asbestos roof. A Pyper 2018.

## DESCRIPTION

Camp/Royal Naval Fire Fighters, consisting of two curved asbestos huts, brick gable of a further hut. The camp originally consisted of ten huts. RJC.Thomas, 14.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46. Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625 Frames 4354-4355

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No.^007-000

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

## OTHER SOURCES

Aerial photograph Next Perspectives 2009 Digital aerial photo mapping

Aerial Photograph (Vertical) Meridian Airmaps 1955

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire



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**PRN** 26191 **NAME** BATEMANS HILL

**TYPE** Anti Aircraft Battery **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SN01280498 **COMMUNITY** Cosheston

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** None

### **SUMMARY**

Site of a Heavy Anti-Aircraft Battery, demolished and now in agricultural use. A Pyper 2018

### **DESCRIPTION**

1940-44, Air Defence, Heavy Anti-Aircraft Battery, now demolished. RJC.Thomas, 18.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm List DAT 1999 Milford Haven Historic Audit - Part 1 Pembroke Ferry to Garron Pill  
Stage 1 Data gathering

Mm AP Vertical RAF 08.07.46 Sortie No. 106G-UK-1629 Frames 2032-2033

Mm AP Vertical RAF 15.03.46. Sortie No. 106G-UK-142515 Frames 3395-3397

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No.^009-000

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

#### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire



Anti-aircraft battery and associated hutted accommodation RAF 106G UK 1625/6342

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**PRN** 26192 **NAME** POINT LANE

**TYPE** Barrage Balloon Site **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM99610386 **COMMUNITY** Cosheston

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

#### **SUMMARY**

Site of a barrage balloon during the Second World War, now demolished and the main concrete block and cable loop buried by the farmer. A Pyper 2018.

#### **DESCRIPTION**



1940-44, Air Defence, Barrage Balloon, now demolished. Central cable loop set in a concrete block encircled at 45 degree intervals by eight concrete tethering blocks. RJC.Thomas, 18.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm List DAT 1999 Milford Haven Historic Audit - Part 1 Pembroke Ferry to Garron Pill  
Stage 1 Data gathering

Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46 Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625 Frames 6344-6345

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No.^010-000

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of  
Pembrokeshire

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire



RAF 106G/UK 1625/6343 7<sup>th</sup> July 1946

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**PRN** 26193 **NAME** POINT LANE

**TYPE** Searchlight Battery **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM98700402 **COMMUNITY** Cosheston

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Site of a searchlight battery during the Second World War, now demolished and returned to pasture. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

1940-45, Air Defence Searchlight Battery, now demolished, consisting of two hut bases. RJC.Thomas,18.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm List DAT 1999 Milford Haven Historic Audit - Part 1 Pembroke Ferry to Garron Pill Stage 1 Data gathering

Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46 Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625 Frames 6345-6346

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No.^011-000

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

### OTHER SOURCES

CPAT 2007 Waterloo Public Amenity Site, Nr Pembroke Dock, Pembrokeshire DRF  
Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 26194 **NAME** SNOWDROP VALLEY

**TYPE** Barrage Balloon Site **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM98680324 **COMMUNITY** Cosheston

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Site of a barrage balloon during the Second World War. A Pyper 2018.

### DESCRIPTION

1940-45, Air Defence, Barrage Balloon. Central cable loop set in a concrete block, encircled at 45 degree intervals by eight concrete tethering loops. RJC.Thomas, 18.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm List DAT 1999 Milford Haven Historic Audit - Part 1 Pembroke Ferry to Garron Pill Stage 1 Data gathering

Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46 Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625 Frames 6345-6346

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No.^012-000

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

**PRN** 26195 **NAME** LOWER NASH FARM

**TYPE** Searchlight Battery **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SN01110291 **COMMUNITY** Cosheston

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Site of a former Searchlight battery during the Second World War. Now demolished. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

1940-45, Air Defence, Searchlight Battery, now demolished. RJC.Thomas, 18.01.93

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Manning,A 1997 A477 Trunk Road: Nash to Bangeston Improvement  
ACA reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46 Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625 Frames 6341-6342

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No.^013-000

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of  
Pembrokeshire

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 26199 **NAME** UPTON CASTLE

**TYPE** Hospital **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SN02090473 **COMMUNITY** Cosheston

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Building

### SUMMARY

A temporary hospital of the Royal Army Medical Corps was established at Upton Castle during the Second World War. Aerial photographs show seven Nissen huts within the grounds. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

### DESCRIPTION

Royal Army Medical Corps, Temporary Hospital, now demolished, Seven nissen huts and within Upton Castle. c1941. RJC.Thomas, 22.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm List DAT 1999 Milford Haven Historic Audit - Part 1 Pembroke Ferry to Garron Pill  
Stage 1 Data gathering

Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46. Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625 Frames 6340-6341

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No.^015-000

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

#### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire



A number of hutted buildings are visible within the grounds of the castle

RAF 106G/UK1625/6342 7<sup>th</sup> July 1946

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**PRN** 26200 **NAME** UPTON CASTLE

**TYPE** Searchlight Battery **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SN020047 **COMMUNITY** Coshaston

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** None

#### SUMMARY

Site of a searchlight battery during the Second World War, though location not clear, now demolished. A Pyper 2018

#### DESCRIPTION

1940-45, Air Defence, Searchlight Battery, now demolished. RJC.Thomas, 22.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm List DAT 1999 Milford Haven Historic Audit - Part 1 Pembroke Ferry to Garron Pill

Stage 1 Data gathering

Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46. Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625 Frames 6340-6341

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No.^016-000

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 26201 **NAME** RNAS LAWRENNY FERRY; HMS DAEDALUS II

**TYPE** Flying Boat Base **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SN01240611 **COMMUNITY** Martletwy

**CONDITION** Damaged, Various **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** , Complex

**SUMMARY**

The site of the seaplane station, Royal Naval Air Station (RNAS) Lawrenny Ferry established in 1941 and closed in 1944. The base included a slipway PRN 26202 (18ft wide) constructed of concrete slabs, and a quay which was pre-existing. In addition one hangar (60 x 70ft), three aircraft pens and aviation fuel storage for 4800 gallons were constructed. (Fleet Air Arm, Handbook Royal Naval Air stations 1948-1955). The slipway still survives and is in use by the local yacht club, which now occupies the site. A Pyper 2018

**DESCRIPTION**

RNAS Lawrenny Ferry was also known as HMS Daedalus II, and it was established in October 1941 when the flying boat training squadron, No 764, moved to Lawrenny Ferry following the bombing of Pembroke Dock, although aircraft had used this base for some time before that. Here the Fleet Air Arm trained landplane pilots and aircrew to use seaplanes and also practised bombing and firing on a target range 3 miles to the north at Sprinkle Pill. The squadron disbanded in 1943 and the station officially closed in 1944. Aircraft were moored in the river Daugleddau between Lawrenny Quay and Coedcanlas further upstream. The amphibious aircraft Walrus, the Fairey Swordfish and, in 1942, some American Vought-Sikorsky Kingfisher were employed. Summary based on Jones, I., 2007, Airfields and Landing Grounds of West Wales. In 2011 the site was being used as a yacht club. The slipway, approximately 80m long by 6m wide, remains and is in use by the yacht club. The remains of the winch-house are visible in the concrete at the foot of the door of a new modern shed. The owner in recent years had to dismantle the winch and associated engine, (10 ton boom defence winch and 64HP Ruston Diesel engine Mark 4 VQZ no 193355): the latter is now at the Earth Wind and Fire Museum, Pembrokeshire. A concrete platform for the office building shown in the aerial photos can also be seen at the west end of the quay. There is no visible trace of the hangar or dispersal pens. (A. Pyper, Jan 2012) 1941-43, Seaplane Station, Seaplane Training Squadron, now used as a yacht club. One blister hanger, three square

hardstandings, and a wooden jetty all now demolished or buried. One concrete slipway extant. RJC.Thomas, 18.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm AP Vertical RAF 08.07.46. Sortie No. 106G-UK-1629 Frames 2032-2033  
Pm Mention SPARC South of the Landsker - Lawrenny Parish file  
Pm Desc Text Smith,DJ 1981 Action Stations 3 Patrick Stephens Limited, ISBN 0-85059-485-5  
Mm GP Thomas,R 1993  
Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. ^017-000  
Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

**OTHER SOURCES**

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Book Hale, Martin 1995 Royal Naval Air Station Lawrenny Ferry  
Report Pyper,A 2012 Twentieth century military sites: Airfields  
Article Abraham, Barry 2002 Fleet Air Arm Bases III, 1939 to date  
Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 26206 **NAME** DIMOCKS CORNER

**TYPE** Barrage Balloon Site **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM97560359 **COMMUNITY** Pembroke Dock

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

The site of a barrage balloon, during the Second World War, now demolished and the site redeveloped. A Pyper 2018

**DESCRIPTION**

1940-44, Air Defence, Barrage Balloon, now demolished. A central cable loop set in a concrete block, encircled at 45 degree intervals by eight concrete tethering blocks. RJC.Thomas, 22.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46. Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625 Frame 6346  
Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. ^021-000  
Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 26209 **NAME** RAF PEMBROKE DOCK

**TYPE** Barrage Balloon Site **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM95850379 **COMMUNITY** Pembroke Dock

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

The site of a barrage balloon during the Second World War, now demolished. A Pyper 2018.

### DESCRIPTION

1940-44, Air Defence, Barrage Balloon, now demolished. Central cable loop set in a concrete block, encircled at 45 degree intervals by eight concrete tethering blocks. RJC.Thomas, 22.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm AP Vertical RAF 08.07.46. Sortie No. 106G-UK-1629 Frames 3136-3137

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. ^024-000

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 26210 **NAME** BARRACK HILL

**TYPE** Barrage Balloon Site **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM95680326 **COMMUNITY** Pembroke Dock

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

The site of a barrage balloon during the Second World War, now demolished and the site redeveloped. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

1940-44, Air Defence, Barrage Balloon, now demolished. Central cable loop set in a concrete block, encircled at 45 degree intervals by eight concrete tethering blocks. RJC.Thomas, 22.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46. Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625 Frames 4359-4360

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. ^025-000

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 26211 **NAME** PENNAR BARRACKS

**TYPE** Barrage Balloon Site **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM94680294 **COMMUNITY** Pembroke Dock

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

The site of a barrage balloon during the Second World War, now demolished and the site redeveloped. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

1940-44, Air Defence, Barrage Balloon, now demolished. Central cable loop set in a concrete block, encircled at 45 degree intervals by eight concrete tethering blocks. RJC.Thomas, 22.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm List Allen,B & Murphy,K 1998 Coastal survey 1997-98 -Lower Milford Haven SMR Library

Mm Desc Text Schlee,D 2002 Pennar Point, Pembroke Dock SMR Library, Project record 45078

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. ^026-000

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 26212 **NAME** MILITARY ROAD

**TYPE** Barrage Balloon Site **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM95700265 **COMMUNITY** Pembroke Dock

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

The site of a barrage balloon during the Second World War, now demolished and the site redeveloped. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

1940-44, Air Defence, Barrage Balloon, now demolished. Central cable loop set in a concrete block, encircled at 45 degree intervals by eight concrete tethering blocks. RJC.Thomas, 22.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46. Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625 Frames 4359-4360

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. ^027-000

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire



## OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 26213 **NAME** ST. PATRICKS PLAYING FIELD

**TYPE** Barrage Balloon Site **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM96280258 **COMMUNITY** Pembroke Dock

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

## SUMMARY

The site of a barrage balloon during the Second World War, now demolished and the site reinstated. A Pyper 2018

## DESCRIPTION

1940-44, Air Defence, Barrage Balloon, now demolished. Central cable loop set in a concrete block, encircled at 45 degree intervals by eight concrete tethering blocks. RJC.Thomas, 22.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46. Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625 Frames 4359-4360

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. ^028-000

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

## OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 26214 **NAME** WAR MEMORIAL PARK

**TYPE** Barrage Balloon Site **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM97020320 **COMMUNITY** Pembroke Dock

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

## SUMMARY

The site of a barrage balloon during the Second World War, now demolished and the site reinstated. A Pyper 2018

## DESCRIPTION

1940-44, Air Defence, Barrage Balloon, now demolished. RJC.Thomas, 22.01.93.

**SOURCES** Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. ^029-000

## OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 26225 **NAME** BRITANNIA ROAD

**TYPE** Barrage Balloon Site **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM96760282 **COMMUNITY** Pembroke Dock

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

## SUMMARY

Site of a barrage balloon in the Second World War, now demolished and the site redeveloped. A Pyper 2018.

## DESCRIPTION

1940-44, Air Defence, Barrage Balloon, now demolished. Central cable loop set in concrete block, encircled at 45 degree intervals by eight tethering blocks. RJC.Thomas, 22.01.93.

**SOURCES** Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. ^040-000

## OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 26242 **NAME** PWLLCROCHAN

**TYPE** Searchlight Battery **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM92090262 **COMMUNITY** Hundleton

**CONDITION** Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

## SUMMARY

The site of a searchlight battery during the Second World War, now demolished. A Pyper 2018

## DESCRIPTION

1940-45, Air Defence, Searchlight Battery, now demolished. Two nissen huts, a single concrete hardstanding and a circular emplacement. RJC.Thomas, 23.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Murphy,K 1995 Archaeological Desk-top Assessment in the area of Martin's Haven and Pwllcrochan Church

Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46. Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625 Frames 4367-4368

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. ^052-000, DRF

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 26243 **NAME** PENNAR CANTS

**TYPE** Searchlight Battery **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM93300305 **COMMUNITY** Hundleton

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

The site of a searchlight battery during the Second World War, now demolished and in agricultural use. A Pyper 2018.

**DESCRIPTION**

1940-45, Air Defence, Searchlight Battery, now demolished. Two huts bases, a concrete hardstanding, and a circular earthen emplacement. The two hut bases are located in the ditch of an iron age fort. RJC.Thomas, 23.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm List Allen,B & Murphy,K 1998 Coastal survey 1997-98 - Lower Milford Haven SMR Library

Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46. Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625 Frames 4365-4366

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. ^053-000, DRF

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 26244 **NAME** WEST PENNAR

**TYPE** Anti Aircraft Battery **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM93100309 **COMMUNITY** Hundleton

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

The site of a Heavy Anti-aircraft Battery, now demolished and site returned to agricultural use. A Pyper 2018

**DESCRIPTION**

1940-44, Air Defence, Ack-Ack/Heavy Anti-Aircraft Battery, now demolished. Four gun pits, a command post, fourteen hut bases. When the guns were withdrawn circa 1944, dummy guns were installed, to give the appearance of a fully armed battery. RJC.Thomas, 23.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm List Allen,B & Murphy,K 1998 Coastal survey 1997-98 - Lower Milford Haven SMR Library

Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46. Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625 Frames 4364-4366

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. ^054-000, DRF

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28405 **NAME** EAST BLOCKHOUSE BATTERY

**TYPE** Anti Aircraft Battery **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM84190276 **COMMUNITY** Angle

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

The site of a Light Anti-Aircraft Battery, now demolished and site reinstated. A Pyper 2018

**DESCRIPTION**

1941-45, Air Defence, Light Anti-Aircraft Battery, now demolished. Two irregular brick 40mm Bofor Gun pits with integral detachment shelters. RJC.Thomas, 09.03.94.

**SOURCES** Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century ^Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No.^388-000, See 126-000

**OTHER SOURCES**

Vertical aerial photograph RAF 1946 106G/UK1625

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28471 **NAME** LLANION HILL

**TYPE** Anti Aircraft Battery **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM97520440 **COMMUNITY** Pembroke Dock

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

The site of a Light Anti-Aircraft Battery, during the Second World War, now demolished and site redeveloped. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

1940-44, Light Anti-Aircraft Battery. Two hut bases and an emplacement set in a hedgeline. RJC.Thomas, 24.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm List DAT 1999 Milford Haven Historic Audit - Part 1 Pembroke Ferry to Garron Pill Stage 1 Data gathering

Mm AP Vertical RAF 08.07.46. Sortie No 106G-UK-1629 Frames 3137-3139

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No.^067-000

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28472 **NAME** WARREN FARM

**TYPE** Searchlight Battery **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR93329778 **COMMUNITY** Hundleton

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

The site of a searchlight battery during the Second World War, site now demolished and in agricultural use. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

1940-45, Searchlight Battery, present use agricultural land. Three emplacements constructed either of earth or sandbags and nine huts. RJC.Thomas, 24.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No.^068-000

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire



A searchlight emplacement and associated huts. RAF 106G/UK 1625/5395

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**PRN** 28473 **NAME** RAF ST TWYNNELLS; AMES 70A

**TYPE** Radar Station **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR94409770 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Various **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

The site of a Radar Chain Home Low station during the Second World War. A complex consisting of various structures and huts. Land returned to agricultural use but some structures still shown on recent aerial photos. A Pyper 2018.

### DESCRIPTION

1940-45, Radar/Chain Home Low, present use agricultural land, village hall. Air Ministry Experimental Station No.70a, consisting of an aerial gantry, transmitter/receiver block (tx/yx block), standby set house and huts of different varieties. RJC.Thomas, 24.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Avia 7-521 Public RO, Ruskin Avenue, Kew, Richmond Surrey

Mm AP Vertical RAF Sortie 106G-UK-1625, Frames 5392-5395

Mm GP Thomas, R 1993

Mm Record Form Thomas, R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. ^069-000

Pm Desc Text Thomas, R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of

Pembrokeshire

## OTHER SOURCES

Aerial photograph Next Perspectives 2009 Digital aerial photo mapping

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire



A complex of structures and buildings shown on the RAF 106G/UK 1625 5393, 7<sup>th</sup> July 1946, above and Next Perspectives 2009 aerial mapping below.

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**PRN** 28475 **NAME** RAF ST TWYNNELLS; AMES 70A

**TYPE** Radar Station **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR94199741 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Damaged **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

## SUMMARY

A ROTOR bunker for Ground Control Interception (GCI), in use during the Cold War from 1951-54. The complex consists of a semi-sunken 'R6' operations block, a stand-by set house, a transformer kiosk, police dog pens, sewage works, five radar plinths a type 80 modulator building and a guard

room. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

### DESCRIPTION

1951-54. 'Rotor Period', Ground Control Intercept, now derelict/low grade agricultural land. Complex consisting of a 'R6' operations block, standby set house, transformer kiosk, police dog pens, sewage works, five radar plinths, type 80 modulator building and a guardroom. RJC.Thomas, 24.01.93.

### SOURCES

Mm GP Thomas,R 1993

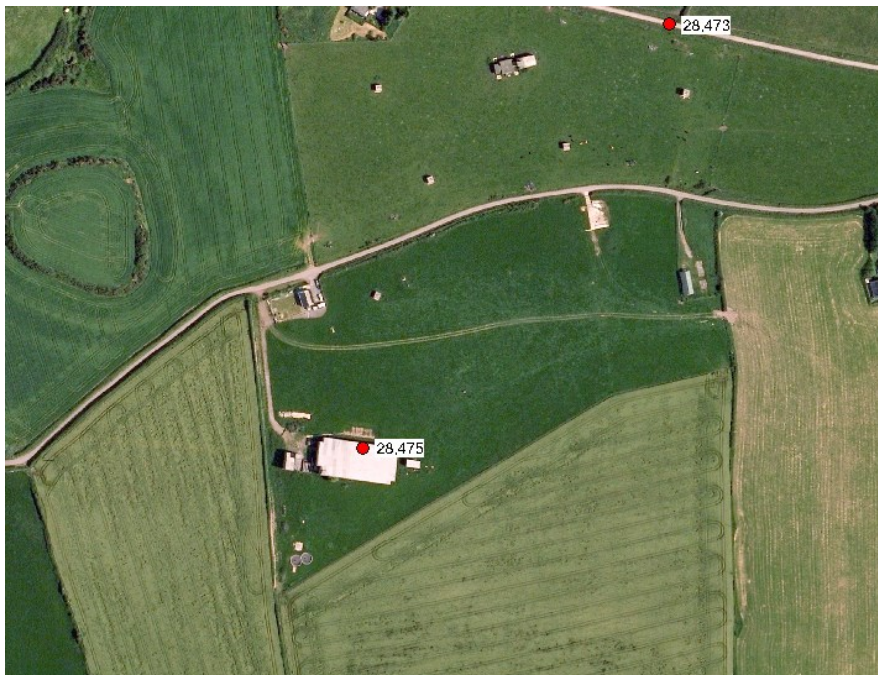
Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No.^070-000

### OTHER SOURCES

Book PLANED A Guide to the Military Heritage of Pembrokeshire

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire



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**PRN** 28497 **NAME** KILGETTY

**TYPE** Military Camp **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SN12670762 **COMMUNITY** Begelly

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### SUMMARY

Hutted camp with bell tents identified on 1946 aerial mapping, but not shown on the 1942 aerial



photos, may be related to use for D-day preparation. Site has been redeveloped. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

**DESCRIPTION**

c1939-43, Camp. Eight, single storey, rectangular plan huts with pitched gable roofs. RJC.Thomas, 24.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm AP Vertical RAF 08.07.46. Sortie No. 106G-UK-1629 Frames 5053-5055  
Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th 20th Century ^Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire  
Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. ^074-000

**OTHER SOURCES**

Aerial Photograph (Vertical) Medmenham Aerial Photographic Collection 1942  
Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28546 **NAME** SAGESTON MOUNTAIN

**TYPE** Searchlight Battery **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SN0711703553 **COMMUNITY** Carew

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

A searchlight battery from the Second World War. Site demolished. A Pyper 2018

**DESCRIPTION**

1940-45, Air Defence, Searchlight Battery, now demolished. Two hut bases, one small hardstanding, one large and one small earthen emplacement. RJC.Thomas, 25.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46. Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625 Frames 6333-6334  
Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 077-000

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28549 **NAME** RAF WARREN;AMES 70

**TYPE** Radar Station **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR9269297511 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Damaged **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

An Air Ministry Experimental Station Chain Home radar station established during the Second World War. Consists of a complex of huts and blockhouses for transmitting and receiving, also the bases of masts. Largely demolished and returned to agricultural use. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 1993.

### **DESCRIPTION**

1940-45, Air Ministry Experimental Station, Chain Home, present use low grade agricultural. Complex of transmitting and receiving blockhouses, huts and bases of the receiving mast. RJC.Thomas, 24.01.93.

### **SOURCES** Mm GP Thomas,R 1993

Mm Desc Text Avia 7-341, Avia 7-258, Enclosure 13a Public Records Office, Ruskin Avenue,Kew,Richmond Surrey

Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 080-000

### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire



RAF 106G/UK/1625/5397

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**PRN** 28550 **NAME** RAF WARREN; AMES 70

**TYPE** Transmitter Block **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR9269597750 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### **SUMMARY**

A transmitter block part of the Air Ministry Experimental Station Chain Home radar station established during the Second World War. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

### **DESCRIPTION**

1940-45, TX Block Type C, Transmitter Block, present use store. Single storey, re-inforced concrete, earth covered blockhouse. Entrances in north and south walls flanked by sloping concrete blast walls. Small room externally to west of northern entrance passageway. Small blast wall to east of southern entrance. Internally one large and one smaller rooms. Southern entrance passageway flanked by three cupboards and a smaller chamber. Two raised concrete beds in

western room. RJC.Thomas, 11.12.93.

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Avia 7-341, Avia 7-258, Enclosure 13a Public Records Office, Ruskin Avenue,Kew,Richmond Surrey

Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm GP Thomas,R 1993

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 080-001

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28551 **NAME** RAF WARREN;AMES 70

**TYPE** Telephone Junction Box **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR9253697182 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

Telephone Junction Box, test hut, part of the Air Ministry Experimental Station Chain Home radar station established during the Second World War. A Pyper 20188 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

**DESCRIPTION**

1940-45, Telephone Junction Box, Test Hut, now derelict. Semi sunken, square brick, flat concrete roof, approx 5' (1.52m) square. Doorway in north wall approached by concrete steps protected by a blast wall. RJC.Thomas, 24.01.93.

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Avia 7-341, Avia 7-258, Enclosure 13a Public Records Office, Ruskin Avenue,Kew,Richmond Surrey

Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm GP Thomas,R 1993

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 080-002

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28552 **NAME** RAF WARREN;AMES 70

**TYPE** Air Raid Shelter **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR9255097192 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Air Raid Shelter, part of the Air Ministry Experimental Station Chain Home radar station established during the Second World War. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

### DESCRIPTION

1940-45, Air Raid Shelter, now derelict. Semi sunken, earth covered, pre-cast concrete parabolic bolted sections. Entrance in northern wall protected by two brick blast walls. Square concrete hatch with steel ladder set centrally in roof against the eastern wall. RJC.Thomas, 11.12.93.

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no.

2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm GP Thomas,R 1993

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 080-003

Mm Desc Text Avia 7-341, Avia 7-258, Enclosure 13a Public Records Office, Ruskin Avenue,Kew,Richmond Surrey

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28553 **NAME** RAF WARREN;AMES 70

**TYPE** Receiver Block **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR92679720 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Receiver block, part of the Air Ministry Experimental Station Chain Home radar station established during the Second World War. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

### DESCRIPTION

1940-45, RX Block, Receiver Block, present use low grade agricultural. Single storey, re-inforced concrete,earth covered blockhouse. Entrance in south west and south east walls flanked by sloping concrete blast walls. Seven rooms internally, central large square room flanked by two rooms to the north and four small rooms off a passageway to the south. Small room externally to the east off the south east entrance. RJC.Thomas, 11.12.93.

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Avia 7-341, Avia 7-258, Enclosure 13a Public Records Office, Ruskin Avenue, Kew, Richmond Surrey

Mm List Page, N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm GP Thomas, R 1993

Pm Desc Text Thomas, R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas, R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 080-004

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28554 **NAME** RAF WARREN; AMES 70

**TYPE** Transmitter Block **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR92919732 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

Transmitter block, part of the Air Ministry Experimental Station Chain Home radar station established during the Second World War. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

**DESCRIPTION**

1940-45, TX Block Type C, Transmitter Block, present use store. Single storey, re-inforced concrete, earth covered blockhouse. Entrance in west and east walls flanked by sloping concrete blast walls. Small room externally to north of eastern entrance. Small blast wall to south of west entrance. Internally one large and one smaller rooms. Western entrance passageway flanked by three cupboards and a small chamber. Two raised concrete beds in northern room. RJC. Thomas, 11.12.93.

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Avia 7-341, Avia 7-258, Enclosure 13a Public Records Office, Ruskin Avenue, Kew, Richmond Surrey

Mm List Page, N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm GP Thomas, R 1993

Pm Desc Text Thomas, R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas, R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 080-005

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

**PRN** 28555 **NAME** RAF WARREN;AMES 70

**TYPE** Guardhouse **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR9290597286 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Building

### SUMMARY

Guard Hut and General Purpose Hut, part of the Air Ministry Experimental Station Chain Home radar station established during the Second World War. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

### DESCRIPTION

1940-45, Guard Hut/General Purpose Hut, present use store. Single storey, six bay, 'temporary brick' construction. Gabled corrugated asbestos roof. Doorway in each gable. Seven brick piers extend beyond side walls. Standard steel, 8 light, windows located in the 1st, 3rd and 5th bays. RJC.Thomas, 11.12.93.

**SOURCES** Mm GP Thomas,R 1993

Mm Desc Text Avia 7-341, Avia 7-258, Enclosure 13a Public Records Office, Ruskin Avenue,Kew,Richmond Surrey

Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 080-006

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28556 **NAME** RAF WARREN;AMES 70

**TYPE** Transformer Box **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR93089748 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Transformer Kiosk, part of the Air Ministry Experimental Station Chain Home radar station established during the Second World War. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

### DESCRIPTION

1940-45, Transformer Kiosk, now derelict. Single storey, re-inforced concrete, earth covered

blockhouse. Entrances in south west, north east and south east walls protected by sloping blast walls. Internally, single square chamber sub-divided into three rooms by brick walls. Large cable ducts in floor. RJC.Thomas, 11.12.93.

**SOURCES** Mm GP Thomas,R 1993

Mm Desc Text Avia 7-341, Avia 7-258, Enclosure 13a Public Records Office, Ruskin Avenue,Kew,Richmond Surrey

Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 080-007

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28558 **NAME** RAF WARREN;AMES 70

**TYPE** Emergency Water Supply **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR9258597358 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

Static Water Tank and Emergency Water Supply, part of the Air Ministry Experimental Station Chain Home radar station established during the Second World War. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

**DESCRIPTION**

1940-45, Static Water Tank/Emergency Water Supply, now derelict. Semi-sunken, square, rendered brick lined open tank, earth banked. RJC.Thomas, 11.12.93.

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Avia 7-341, Avia 7-258, Enclosure 13a Public Records Office, Ruskin Avenue,Kew,Richmond Surrey

Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

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Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 080-009

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Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire



**PRN** 28559 **NAME** RAF WARREN;AMES 70

**TYPE** Gun Emplacement **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR9255197290 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### **SUMMARY**

Gun Pit and Defence Post, part of the Air Ministry Experimental Station Chain Home radar station established during the Second World War. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

### **DESCRIPTION**

1940-45, Gun Pit/Defence Post, now derelict. Rectangular, open earthen pit, set into hedgeline. RJC.Thomas, 11.12.93.

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Avia 7-341, Avia 7-258, Enclosure 13a Public Records Office, Ruskin Avenue,Kew,Richmond Surrey

Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm GP Thomas,R 1993

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Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 080-010

### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28560 **NAME** RAF WARREN;AMES 70

**TYPE** Transmitter Array **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR9271397550 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### **SUMMARY**

West Coast Array, transmitter array, part of the Air Ministry Experimental Station Chain Home radar station established during the Second World War. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

### **DESCRIPTION**

1940-45, West Coast Array/Transmitter Array, present use agricultural land. Four 325' (99.12m) high steel 'pencil' masts with guyed steel cables at 100', 200' and 300' (30.5m, 61.0m and 91.5m) intervals. All four masts have been demolished. One aerial halyard balance weight, two masts

bases, three winch bases, one concrete aerial hulyard balance weight base and numerous curtain balance weight bases remain. RJC.Thomas, 11.12.93.

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Avia 7-341, Avia 7-258, Enclosure 13a Public Records Office, Ruskin Avenue,Kew,Richmond Surrey  
Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports  
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**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 28651 **NAME** BLACK COVE

**TYPE** Searchlight Battery **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM86980092 **COMMUNITY** Angle

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

A searchlight battery during the Second World War, now demolished. A Pyper 2018

**DESCRIPTION**

1940-45, Air Defence, Searchlight Battery, present use agricultural land. Two Nissen hut bases and one concrete hardstanding. RJC.Thomas, 06.03.94.

**SOURCES** Mm List Murphy,K & Allen,B 1997 Coastal Survey 1996-7 - Strumble Head to Ginst Point SMR Library

Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46. Sortie No.106G-UK-1625, Frames 4375-4376 Frames 4375-4376

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 131-000

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28655 **NAME** NORTH HILL

**TYPE** Searchlight Battery **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM86640353 **COMMUNITY** Angle

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

A searchlight battery during the Second World War, now demolished and land returned to agriculture. A Pyper 2018.

### DESCRIPTION

1940-48, Air Defence, Searchlight Emplacement, now demolished, present use agricultural land. Large circular earthen banked emplacement. RJC.Thomas, 10.02.94.

**SOURCES** Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46. Sortie No 106G-UK-1625, Frames 6367-6368 Frames 6367-6368

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 132-003

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28669 **NAME** BUSH CAMP

**TYPE** Military Camp **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM97350327 **COMMUNITY** Pembroke Dock

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Building

### SUMMARY

Bush Camp was a hutted military camp during the First World War which was later reoccupied in the Second. A barrage balloon was tethered on the former sports field. It consisted of 28 various huts, including timber framed, Nissen and Romney designs. Three surface air raid shelters, a sports ground and pavilion. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018. The camp has been demolished and the site is largely redeveloped.

### DESCRIPTION

1914-18, 1939-45, Army Camp now demolished. Twenty eight assorted huts, including timber framed, nissen and romney designs. Three surface air raid shelters, sports grounds and pavilion. RJC.Thomas, 15.11.93. A 1947 site plan of accommodation records: 1. Nissen Hust 36' x 16', 2. Ablutions 1/2 Nissen, 3. Latrines, 4. Cookhouse, Camp Structure, 5. Dining Hall, Rec Toom and Lavatory Accommodation 6. Bakery, 2 Nissen Huts each 36' x 16' 7. Nissen Hut 36' x16' 8. Iris Hutting & Brick incl Showers and Latrines, 9. Petrol Pump 10. Iris Hut 96' x 35' 11. Ditto 48' x 35' 12. Twin Iris Hutting 112' x 70' 13. Timer & Asbestos Hut 14. Nissen on Brick Dwarf Walls 15. Ditto 16. Timber Hut 54' x 16'

**SOURCES** Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46. Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625, Frames 6345-6346

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 345-000

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Plan Bush Estate Office 1947 Bush Camp Pembroke Dock Accommodation Site Plan. 1:500

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire



1940 Medmenham M2144a\_17



26<sup>th</sup> April 1944 Medmenham 1505\_39

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**PRN** 28691 **NAME** WOODFIELD FOLLY LANE

**TYPE** Barrage Balloon Site **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM99680455 **COMMUNITY** Cosheston

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

The mooring site for a Barrage balloon, during the Second World War, consisting of a central cable loop set in a concrete block, with 8 tethering blocks surrounding it in a circle. Plotted off aerial photos. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018

### DESCRIPTION

1940-44, Air Defence, Barrage Balloon, now demolished, present use agricultural land.  
RJC.Thomas, 08.01.94.

**SOURCES** Mm List DAT 1999 Milford Haven Historic Audit - Part 1 Pembroke Ferry to Garron Pill  
Stage 1 Data gathering

Mm AP Vertical RAF 08.07.46. Sortie No. 106G-UK-1629 Frames 2031

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of  
Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Survey Site No. 353-000

### OTHER SOURCES

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Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28698 **NAME** LOVESTON

**TYPE** Military Camp **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SN08280772 **COMMUNITY** Begelly

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

A military camp identified from 1946 aerial photographs. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018.

### DESCRIPTION

1939-45, Military Camp, now demolished. Five hut bases, six hardstandings. RJC.Thomas, 28.02.94.

**SOURCES** Mm AP Vertical RAF 08.07.46. Sortie No. 106G-UK- 1629, Frames 5048-5049  
Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Survey Site No. 377-000

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28743 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Defence Post **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR8912597568 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , SAC , SPA , SSSI* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

An anti-invasion defence post or pillbox, built during the Second World War. A square, semi-sunken structure, brick lined and entered by a doorway in the east wall, approached by concrete steps. The roof is a low flat reinforced concrete slab supported on brick piers. A large hole has been blasted through the roof by an explosive charge. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018.

### DESCRIPTION

1940-44, Anti-Invasion, Defence Post/Pillbox, now derelict. Semi-sunken, square, brick lined defence post, entered by a doorway in east wall approached by a flight of concrete steps. Low flat

re-inforced concrete roof supported on brick piers at each corner. The roof has a large hole blasted through it by a shaped explosive charge. RJC.Thomas, 04.02.93.

**SOURCES** Mm List Murphy,K & Allen,B 1997 Coastal Survey 1996-7 - Strumble Head to Ginst Point SMR Library

Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46. Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625 Frames 5403-5404

Mm GP Thomas,R 1993

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 394-000

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28744 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Defence Post **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR8900497550 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , SAC , SPA , SSSI* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

An anti-invasion defence post or pillbox, built during the Second World War. A square, semi-sunken structure, brick lined and entered by a doorway in the east wall, approached by concrete steps. The roof is a low flat reinforced concrete slab supported on brick piers. A large hole has been blasted through the roof by an explosive charge. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas.

**DESCRIPTION**

1940-44, Anti-Invasion, Defence Post/Pillbox, now derelict. Semi-sunken, square, brick lined defence post, entered by a doorway in east wall approached by a flight of concrete steps. Low flat re-inforced concrete roof supported on brick piers at each corner. The roof has a large hole blasted through it by a shaped explosive charge. RJC.Thomas, 04.02.93.

**SOURCES** Mm List Murphy,K & Allen,B 1997 Coastal Survey 1996-7 - Strumble Head to Ginst Point SMR Library

Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey ACA Reports^

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Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 395-000

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN** 28745 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Gun Emplacement **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR8906197600 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , SAC , SPA , SSSI , Scheduled Monument Pe534* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

A beach defence battery or field gun emplacement for 75mm field guns, built between 1940-41. Consists of a low circular brick wall enclosing a concrete gun floor reached by a ramp on the northern side. The emplacement has a 'dumb bell' plan. Aerial photographs indicate a further gun floor which is now buried by sand. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

**DESCRIPTION**

1940-41, Anti-Invasion, Beach Defence Battery/Field Gun Emplacement, now derelict. Low circular brick wall enclosing a concrete gun floor reached by a ramp on the northern side. A further gun floor is apparent on aerial photographs, this is now buried by drifting sand. The emplacement originally had a 'dumb bell' plan. Built for 75mm field guns. RJC.Thomas, 04.02.93.

**SOURCES** Mm List Murphy,K & Allen,B 1997 Coastal Survey 1996-7 - Strumble Head to Ginst Point SMR Library

Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46. Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625 Frames 5403-5404

Mm GP Thomas,R 1993

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 396-000

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**PRN** 28767 **NAME** GUPTON

**TYPE** Searchlight Battery **PERIOD** Modern



**NGR** SR89569884 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

A searchlight battery in use during the Second World War, now demolished and site returned to agricultural use. A Pyper 2018.

### DESCRIPTION

1939-45, Air Defence, Searchlight Battery, present use agricultural. One hut base, one anti-aircraft light machine gun emplacement and one 90cm searchlight emplacement. RJC.Thomas, 03.06.94.

**SOURCES** Mm AP Vertical RAF 07.07.46. Sortie No.106G-UK-1625, Frames 2388-2387

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 430-000

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28768 **NAME** MERION CAMP CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Firing Range **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR93999688 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *SSSI , Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Castlemartin training range of 5900 acres was acquired by the War Office in 1938 from the Cawdor Estate. After the Second World War it was returned to farming use but with the outbreak of the Korean war in 1951, it was brought back into use and has remained as a military training area ever since. Farming has also continued alongside the range's primary use with cattle, and in the winter, flocks of sheep. Castlemartin is the only UK army range normally available for armoured units for direct-fire live gunnery exercises and associated manoeuvres, with both on-land impact areas and a large offshore safety area. A Pyper based on MOD website 2018.

### DESCRIPTION

Tank Range now demolished. 6,400 acres of coastal plain for training of NATO armoured forces. Divided into Range West and Range East, with a camp set centrally on the northern boundary. RJC. Thomas, 4 Feb 1993

**SOURCES** Pm Desc Text Duncan,N 1972 79th Armoured Division Hobb's Funnies, ISBN 853830827 Profile Publications

Pm Desc Text MOD Sanctuary ( The MOD Conservation Magazine, No's 22 & 24

Mm Mention Murphy,K 1993 Castlemartin RAC range Electrification Scheme SMR Library

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Aerial Photograph Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625, Frames 1336-1321,3335-3354,5404-5392

Mm AP Vertical RCAHMW 1998 985054-09, 985055.27 DRF

Mm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th And 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 121-000, Film 9300327

Pm Mention Western Telegraph 'Commandant retires after ten-year posting' DRF

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Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire



RAF 106G/UK 1625 7<sup>th</sup> July 1946

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**PRN** 28769 **NAME** LINNEY HEAD CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Blockhouse **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR8834095811 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Intact **STATUS** SAC , SPA , SSSI , Pembrokeshire Coast National Park **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Blockhouse on the Tank Range. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

### DESCRIPTION

Tank Range, Blockhouse in excellent condition, present use observation post. Single storey, reinforced concrete observation post protected to the rear and flanks by a semi-circular earth and rock revetment. Blockhouse 'S' Sierra (still operational). RJC. Thomas, 4 Feb 1993

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Aerial Photograph Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625, Frame 3354

Mm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th And 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 121-001, Film 9300332, Frames 8 & 9

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28770 **NAME** LINNEY DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Blockhouse **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR88289627 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , SAC , SPA , SSSI **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Blockhouse on the Tank Range. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

### DESCRIPTION

Tank Range, Blockhouse now derelict. Semi-sunken single storey, reinforced concrete, rectangular plan blockhouse protected by earth and stone revetment to the rear (east) and flanks. Double doorway in west wall. RJC. Thomas, 4 Feb 1993

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Range Condition Survey Report no.2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Aerial Photograph Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625, Frame 3354

Mm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th And 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 121-002, Film 9300335, Frame 3

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28771 **NAME** LINNEY DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Blockhouse **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR8837896414 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** SAC , SPA , SSSI , *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

Blockhouse on the Tank Range. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

**DESCRIPTION**

Tank Range, Blockhouse now derelict. Semi-sunken reinforced concrete, rectangular plan with projecting 'V' shaped front wall. Steel door entrance, two narrow observation slits in 'v' projection. Rear wall (east) and flanks protected by earth and rock revetment. RJC. Thomas, 4 Feb 1993

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Aerial Photograph Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625, Frame 3354

Mm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th And 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 121-003, Film 9300335, Frame 4

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28772 **NAME** LINNEY DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Blockhouse **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR8834896693 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

Blockhouse on the Tank Range. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

### DESCRIPTION

Tank Range, Observation Post, Blockhouse now derelict. Semi-sunken reinforced concrete, rectangular plan with projecting 'V' shaped front (north west) wall. Steel doorway, two narrow observation slits in 'v' projection. Rear wall (south east) and flanks protected by earth and rock revetment. RJC. Thomas, 4 Feb 1993

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Aerial Photograph Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625, Frames 3354 & 5404

Mm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th And 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 121-004, Film 9300335, Frame 5

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28773 **NAME** LINNEY DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Blockhouse **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR88819598 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Intact **STATUS** SAC , SPA , SSSI , Pembrokeshire Coast National Park **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Blockhouse on the Tank Range. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

### DESCRIPTION

Tank Range, Blockhouse, Target Which in excellent condition. Single storey, reinforced concrete, rectangular plan chamber containing a former barrage balloon which. Entered through two steel doors in south west wall. Rear wall (north east) and flanks protected by earth and rock revetment. (Operational) Blockhouse 'R' Romeo. RJC. Thomas, 4 Feb 1993

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

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Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28774 **NAME** LINNEY DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Blockhouse **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR8922896871 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Damaged **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Structure

## SUMMARY

Blockhouse on the Tank Range. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

## DESCRIPTION

Tank Range, Blockhouse, Target Which now derelict. Semi-sunken single storey, reinforced concrete, rectangular chamber. Double doorway in west wall with false stone built gable above. Rear wall (east) and flanks protected by earth and stone revetment. RJC. Thomas, 4 Feb 1993

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Aerial Photograph Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625, Frames 5403 & 5404

Mm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th And 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 121-006, Film 9300332, Frame 6

## OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28775 **NAME** LINNEY DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Blockhouse **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR8934196902 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Structure

## SUMMARY

Blockhouse on the Tank Range. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

## DESCRIPTION

Tank Range, Blockhouse, Observation Post now derelict. Semi-sunken single storey, reinforced concrete, rectangular plan blockhouse. Steel door in west wall, single observation slit closed by an armoured shutter in a short section of wall angled away from doorway. Earth and rock revetment to rear and flanks. RJC. Thomas, 4 Feb 1993

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Aerial Photograph Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625, Frames 5403 & 5404

Mm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th And 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 121-007, Film 9300332, Frame 5

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28776 **NAME** LINNEY DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Blockhouse **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR8910596380 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

Blockhouse on the Tank Range. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

**DESCRIPTION**

Tank Range, Blockhouse, now derelict. Semi-sunken reinforced concrete, rectangular plan. Doorway and large window in west wall with cantilevered metal frame above. Earth and stone revetment to rear and flanks. Earth ramp on south flank permits access to roof for wheeled vehicles. Blockhouse 'C' Charlie. RJC. Thomas, 4 Feb 1993

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Aerial Photograph Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625, Frames 3354 & 5403

Mm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th And 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 121-008, Film 9300335, Frames 7 & 49

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Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28777 **NAME** LINNEY DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Railway **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR89259605 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Structure

## SUMMARY

Blockhouse on the Tank Range. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

## DESCRIPTION

Post 1946, Tank Range, Target Railway. 330 metre long railway, semi-sunken, with an earth mound at each end protecting the buffer steps. The railway is operated by steel cable winched from Blockhouse 'P' Papa. {Site121/010, PRN 28778} (operational). RJC. Thomas, 4 Feb 1993

**SOURCES** Mm AP Vertical JA Storey & Partners 1983 Aerial Photograph Run 56, Frames 090-092  
Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th And 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 121-009, Film 9300335, Frames 51 & 52

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Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28778 **NAME** LINNEY DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Blockhouse **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR8939895900 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Structure

## SUMMARY

Blockhouse on the Tank Range. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

## DESCRIPTION

1939-45, Blockhouse, Target Winch in excellent condition. Semi-sunken, single storey, reinforced



concrete, rectangular chamber. Double doorway closed by steel doors in west wall. Protected by earth and stone revetment rear and flanks. (Operational associated with target railway 121-009, PRN 28777). Blockhouse 'P' Papa. RJC. Thomas, 4 Feb 1993.

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Sortie No.106G-UK-1625 Frames 3353-3354

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No^121-010, Film 9300335, Frame 53

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28779 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Blockhouse **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR89749638 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

Blockhouse on the Tank Range. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

**DESCRIPTION**

1939-45, Blockhouse, Target Winch in excellent condition. Semi-sunken, single storey, reinforced concrete, rectangular chamber. Double doorway in west wall closed by two steel doors. Protected to the rear and the flanks by earth and stone revetment. (Operational), Blockhouse 'D' Delta. RJC. Thomas, 4 Feb 1993.

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Sortie No.106G-UK-1625 Frames 3352 and 5403

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No^121-011

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28780 **NAME** PEN-Y-HOLT DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Blockhouse **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR8978996153 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Structure

#### **SUMMARY**

Blockhouse on the Tank Range. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

#### **DESCRIPTION**

1939-45, Blockhouse, Shelter, now derelict. Semi-sunken, timber construction, rectangular plan, doorway in west wall. Earth revettment to rear and flanks, roof removed. RJC. Thomas, 4 Feb 1993.

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm GP Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey, Report no. 2004-39 Plate 7

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Sortie No.106G-UK-1625 Frames 3352 and 5403

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No^121-012, Film 9300329, Frames 44 & 46

#### **OTHER SOURCES**

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Report Page,N 2004 50079 Castlemartin ATE Condition Survey 2004.pdf

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28781 **NAME** LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Blockhouse **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR8976697098 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , SAC , SPA , SSSI* **EVIDENCE** Structure

#### **SUMMARY**

Blockhouse on the Tank Range. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

#### **DESCRIPTION**

1939-45, Blockhouse, Observation Post, now derelict. Single storey, reinforced concrete, rectangular plan with 'V' shaped projection in front wall. Entered by a single steel door, two  
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observation slits (one in each face of the 'V' projection). Protected to rear and the flanks by earth and stone revetment. RJC. Thomas, 4 Feb 1993.

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Sortie No.106G-UK-1625 Frames 5402-5403

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No^121-013

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28782 **NAME** LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Blockhouse **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR8915997280 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , SAC , SPA , SSSI* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

Blockhouse on the Tank Range. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

**DESCRIPTION**

1939-45, Blockhouse now derelict. Semi-sunken, single storey, reinforced concrete, rectangular plan steel door and observation slit in west wall. Protected to rear and flanks by earth and stone revetment. West wall has sustained gunfire spangs. Fragment of concrete from site No. 121-015 on roof. RJC. Thomas, 4 Feb 1993.

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Sortie No.106G-UK-1625 Frames 5403-5404

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No^121-014, Film 9300328, Frames 5 & 6

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28783 **NAME** LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Gun Emplacement **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR8919797348 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , SAC , SPA ,*

**SSSI EVIDENCE** Structure

### **SUMMARY**

A gun emplacement dating from around 1943. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

### **DESCRIPTION**

Circa 1943, Emplacement now derelict. Rectangular reinforced concrete floor, enclosed by a battered wall, wide opening in east wall. Wall construction consists of sand-filled sandbags encased in concrete, shuttered with trench sheeting held in place by steel picket posts. Badly damaged by gunfire. RJC. Thomas, 4 Feb 1993.

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Sortie No.106G-UK-1625 Frames 5403-5404

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No^121-015, Film 9300328, Frames 3 & 4

### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire



9300328, Frames 3 & 4 Roger Thomas 1993

**PRN** 28784 **NAME** LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Training Structure , Defence Post **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR8929997217 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , SAC , SPA , SSSI , Scheduled Monument Pemb534* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### **SUMMARY**

A Tobruk Shelter or Ringstand gun position now derelict. Semi-sunken, reinforced concrete, rectangular plan, divided into two chambers. Rear chamber entered by doorway in east wall, steps up from chamber allow access to octagonal chamber with circular opening centrally set in roof. External shuttering of sandbags has rotted leaving indented surface to walls. RJC. Thomas, 18 Dec 1993. To the east of the shelter a system of trenches and firing positions has survived. Forms part of the mock German defences built to provide a training ground for British troops to practise beach landing and assault exercises prior to D-Day. A Pyper 2018.

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Sortie No.106G-UK-1625 Frames 5403-5404

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No^121-016, Film 9300328, Frame 2

### **OTHER SOURCES**

CADW 2008 Notification of scheduling

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Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire



930032802 1993 Roger JC Thomas

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**PRN** 28785 **NAME** BLUCKS POOL LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Training Structure , Defence Post **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR8894597375 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , SAC , SPA , SSSI , Scheduled Monument SAM Pemb534* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

A Tobruk Shelter or Ringstand gun position now derelict. Circa 1943, Sunken, reinforced concrete, rectangular plan, divided into two chambers, roof flush with surface. Rear chamber entered by doorway in east wall, steps up from chamber allow access to octagonal chamber with circular opening centrally set in roof. Internally shuttered with trench sheeting. RJC. Thomas, 18 Dec 1993. Forms part of the mock German defences built to provide a training ground for British troops to practise beach landing and assault exercises prior to D-Day. A Pyper 2018.

### DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Sortie No.106G-UK-1625 Frames 5403-5404

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings Of

Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No^121-017

**OTHER SOURCES**

CADW 2008 Notification of scheduling

CADW 2008 AM107

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28786 **NAME** THE POLE LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Training Structure , Defence Post **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR8886997477 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , SAC , SPA , SSSI , Scheduled Monument SAM Pemb534* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

A Tobruk Shelter Type 58c gun position or Ringstand built c 1943 and now derelict. Sunken, reinforced concrete, rectangular plan, divided into two chambers, roof flush with ground surface. Rear chamber entered by doorway in east wall, steps up from chamber allow access to octagonal chamber with circular opening centrally set in roof. Internally shuttered with trench sheeting. RJC. Thomas, 18 Dec 1993. Forms part of the mock German defences built to provide a training ground for British troops to practise beach landing and assault exercises prior to D-Day. A Pyper 2018.

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Sortie No.106G-UK-1625 Frames 5403-5404

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No^121-018

**OTHER SOURCES**

CADW 2008 Notification of scheduling

CADW 2008 AM107

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28787 **NAME** CROW BACK LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Training Structure , Defence Post **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR8890197506 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , SAC , SPA , SSSI , Scheduled Monument SAM Pe534* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

A Tobruk Shelter Type 58c gun position or Ringstand now derelict, built c1943. Sunken, reinforced concrete, rectangular plan, divided into two chambers, roof flush with ground surface. Rear chamber entered by doorway in south wall, steps up from chamber allow access to octagonal chamber with circular opening centrally set in roof. Internally shuttered with trench sheeting. RJC. Thomas, 18 Dec 1993. Forms part of the mock German defences built to provide a training ground for British troops to practise beach landing and assault exercises prior to D-Day. A Pyper 2018.

### DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Sortie No.106G-UK-1625 Frames 5403-5404

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No^121-019

### OTHER SOURCES

CADW 2008 Notification of scheduling

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Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28788 **NAME** FRAINSLAKE SANDS LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Training Structure , Defence Post **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR8904797585 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , SAC , SPA , SSSI , Scheduled Monument SAM Pe534* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Circa 1943, Tobruk Shelter, Ringstand now demolished. Shattered fragments of reinforced concrete, scattered over a wide area. The Tobruk shelter has been destroyed by an explosive charge. RJC. Thomas, 18 Dec 1993. Forms part of the mock German defences built to provide a training ground for British troops to practise beach landing and assault exercises prior to D-Day. A Pyper 2018



## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Sortie No.106G-UK-1625 Frames 5403-5404

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No^121-020

## OTHER SOURCES

CADW 2008 Notification of scheduling

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Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28791 **NAME** LAKE LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Training Structure , Defence Post **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR8917697587 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , SAC , SPA , SSSI , Scheduled Monument Pe534* **EVIDENCE** Structure

## SUMMARY

Tobruk Shelter or Ringstand now derelict, built circa 1943. Semi-sunken, reinforced concrete, rectangular plan divided into two chambers. The rear chamber is entered by a doorway in the east wall, steps up from chamber permit access to an octagonal chamber with circular opening set centrally in roof above. External shuttering of sandbags has rotted leaving an indented surface to the walls. RJC. Thomas, 4 Feb 1993. Forms part of the mock German defences built to provide a training ground for British troops to practise beach landing and assault exercises prior to D-Day. A Pyper 2018

## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625, Frames 5403-5404

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No^121-023, Film 9300332, Frame 2

## OTHER SOURCES

CADW 2008 Notification of scheduling

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Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire



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**PRN** 28792 **NAME** LAKE LINNEY BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Gun Emplacement **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR89179757 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , SAC , SPA , SSSI , Scheduled Monument Pe534* **EVIDENCE** Structure

## SUMMARY

Gun emplacement for an 88 mm gun now derelict, built circa 1943. Rectangular reinforced concrete floor, enclosed by low concrete walls 14m E-W by 10m. Construction of walls: sand filled sandbags encased in concrete, shuttered with trench sheeting held in place by steel picket posts. Large opening in rear (east) wall. A Pyper based on scheduling description and RJC. Thomas, 4 Feb 1993. Forms part of the mock German defences built to provide a training ground for British troops to practise beach landing and assault exercises prior to D-Day. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

Circa 1943, Emplacement now derelict. Rectangular reinforced concrete floor, enclosed by low concrete walls. Construction of walls: sand filled sandbags encased in concrete, shuttered with trench sheeting held in place by steel picket posts. Large opening in rear (east) wall. RJC. Thomas, 4 Feb 1993.

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625, Frames 5403-5404

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No^121-024, Film 9300332, Frame 1

### OTHER SOURCES

CADW 2008 Notification of scheduling

CADW 2008 AM107

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28793 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Practice Trench **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR89559812 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

A 60m long infantry trench, sawtooth in pattern, aligned E-W. Plotted from aerial photographs. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 1993.

### DESCRIPTION

Circa 1943, Infantry Trench. 60 metre long saw-tooth plan (cremaillere) trench aligned west-east. Plotted off aerial photographs. RJC. Thomas, 30 Jan 1995.

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Range Condition Survey, Report no.2004-39 ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625, Frames 5402-5404

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No^121-025

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

**PRN** 28794 **NAME** BROWNSLADE BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE  
**TYPE** Gun Emplacement **PERIOD** Modern  
**NGR** SR89819830 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Structure

#### **SUMMARY**

Circa 1943 gun emplacement. Rectangular, low walled emplacement. RJC. Thomas, 30 Jan 1995.

#### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Range Condition Survey, Report no. 2004-39 ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625, Frames 5402

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No^121-026

#### **OTHER SOURCES**

Article Thomas, RJC 1995 Castlemartin's Little bit of Tobruk

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**PRN** 28795 **NAME** BROWNSLADE BURROWS CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE  
**TYPE** Gun Emplacement **PERIOD** Modern  
**NGR** SR89839838 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin  
**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Structure

#### **SUMMARY**

Circa 1943 gun emplacement. Rectangular plan, low walled emplacement. RJC. Thomas, 30 Jan 1995.

#### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Range Condition Survey, Report no. 2004-39 ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625, Frames 5402

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings Of

Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No^121-027

**OTHER SOURCES**

Article Thomas, RJC 1995 Castlemartin's Little bit of Tobruk

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**PRN** 28796 **NAME** BROWNSLADE CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Blockhouse **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR9024097059 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

1939-45, Blockhouse, Observation Post now derelict. Semi-sunken, reinforced concrete, rectangular plan with projecting 'V' shaped front (south west) wall. Steel door, two narrow observation slits in 'V' projection. Rear wall and flanks protected by earth and rock revettment. RJC. Thomas, 4 Feb 1993.

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625, Frames 5402-5403

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No^121-028, Film 9300332, Frame 7

## OTHER SOURCES



9300332, Frame 7 Roger JC Thomas 1993

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**PRN** 28797 **NAME** BROWNSLADE CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Blockhouse **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR9055296784 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Structure

## SUMMARY

1939-45, Blockhouse, Target Winch in excellent condition. Single storey, reinforced concrete, rectangular plan, double steel doorway in front (north west) elevation. Protected to rear and flanks by earth and stonw revettment. Earth ramp up to roof on south side allows wheeled vehicles access, (Operational) Blockhouse 'B' Bravo. RJC. Thomas, 4 Feb 1993.

## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625, Frames 5401-5402

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th and 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No^121-029, Film

9300329, Frame 46

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire



9300329, Frame 46 Roger JC Thomas 1993

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**PRN** 28798 **NAME** PEN-Y-HOLT DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Blockhouse **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR9025996068 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Tank Range, Blockhouse, target winch in excellent condition. Single storey, reinforced concrete rectangular plan, two large doors in west elevation. Protected to rear and flanks by an earth and rock revettment. (Operational) 'E' Echo. RJC. Thomas, 4 Feb 1993

### DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Aerial Photograph Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625, Frames 3352-53

Mm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th And 20th Century Military Buildings Of

Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 121-030, Film 930029, Frame 42

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28799 **NAME** PEN-Y-HOLT DOWN CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Blockhouse **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR9021195817 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

1939-45, Observation Post, Blockhouse, now derelict. Semi-sunken, single storey, reinforced concrete rectangular plan chamber, with 'V' plan projection in front of south west elevation. Steel doorway, one observation slit in each face of 'V' projection. Protected to rear and flanks by an earth and rock revetment. Blockhouse 'O' Oscar. RJC. Thomas, 4 Feb 1993

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Aerial Photograph Sortie No. 106G-UK-1625, Frames 3351-53

Mm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th And 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Disused Military Buildings Study Site No. 121-031, Film 930028, Frame 1

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 28800 **NAME** BULLIBER DOWN CASTLE MARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** Blockhouse **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR9062795434 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , SAC , SPA , SSSI* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**



1939-45, Observation Post, Blockhouse, now derelict. Semi-sunken, single storey, reinforced concrete rectangular plan with projecting 'V' plan main elevation. Steel door, narrow observation slit in each face of the 'V'. Protected to rear and flanks by an earth and rock revetment. RJC.

Thomas, 4 Feb 1993

## **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 7 July 1946 Aerial Photograph Sortie No.106G-UK-1625 Film 9300330, Frame 12

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 Survey Of 19th And 20th Century Military Buildings Of Pembrokeshire

Mm Record Form Thomas,R 1994 Dissused Military Buildings Study Site No121-033

## **OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire



Film 9300330, Frame 12 Roger JC Thomas 1993

**PRN** 29912 **NAME** THE BURROWS PENALLY

**TYPE** Firing Range **PERIOD** Post-medieval

**NGR** SS12009890 **COMMUNITY** Tenby

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

### SUMMARY

A rifle range marked on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map of 1889. Shown as disused on the 2nd edition OS of 1907, and superseded by a range to the east, PRN 29913. A Pyper 2018.

### DESCRIPTION

Post mediaeval rifle range comprising 4 butts and 20 pits. A rifle range comprising four sets of butts at the southern end with three lines of pits marked at 100-600 yards. The pits are approximately 60ft x 30ft (18.5m x 9.2m) The 1907 2nd edition notes these ranges as disused and shows new ranges to seaward. A. Gale Feb 1995

**SOURCES** Ph Map OS 1889 Pembs Sheet XLI.15 1st Ed,1:2500

Pm Map OS 1907 Pembs Sheet XLI.15 2nd Ed, 1:2500

Mm Mention Gale,A 1995 Between Tides, A Coastal Survey of Carmarthen Bay:A Pilot Project

### OTHER SOURCES

Report Gale,A 1995 30108 Between Tides, Coastal Survey of Carmarthen Bay

Ordnance Survey 1889 1:2500 1st Edition Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 29913 **NAME** THE BURROWS PENALLY

**TYPE** Firing Range **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SS12359895 **COMMUNITY** Tenby

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

### SUMMARY

A 600 yard rifle range shown on the 2nd edition Ordnance Survey map parallel to the earlier range PRN 29912. Concrete covered butts survive at the southern end (PRN 30041). In use in the early 20th century, but now eroding into the sea. Superseded by the modern range built during the Second World War PRN 111277. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

Modern rifle range comprising 4 butts and 20 pits. A rifle range with butts at the southern end and six target areas at 100yd (92.4m) interval to northwest. The target area are at right angles to the

shore and measure approximately 220ft x 20ft (67.8m x 6.2m). A. Gale Feb 1995

**SOURCES** Mm Mention Gale,A 1995 Between Tides, A Coastal Survey of Carmarthen Bay:A Pilot Project

Pm Map OS 1907 Pembs Sheet XLI.15 2nd Ed, 1:2500

**OTHER SOURCES**

Article Thomas, RJC 1997 Penally Training Camp

Map Ordnance Survey 1907 2nd edition, 1:2500 Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 30041 **NAME** PENALLY BURROWS

**TYPE** Rifle Butts **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SS12149857 **COMMUNITY** Tenby

**CONDITION** Damaged **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

Rifle butts associated with the 600 yard gallery range (PRN 29913). Consists of a concrete covered walkway with shelters. Disused and now eroding into the sea. A Pyper 2018.

**DESCRIPTION**

Modern rifle butts. The rifle butts can be seen from the beach because the cliff beneath them is eroding. They survive as a concrete walkway between two walls whose outer faces are beneath sand 05.02.95. The butts are shown on the 2nd edition OS. A. Gale Feb. 1995. A massive concrete structure c.100m long and 8m wide. The protected area for target raising. The east end of this structure is beginning to fall into the sea. KM 1996

**SOURCES** Mm Mention Gale,A 1995 Between Tides, A Coastal Survey of Carmarthen Bay:A Pilot Project

Mm GP Murphy,K One colour slide SMR GP slide file

Mm List Murphy,K & Allen,B 1997 Coastal Survey 1996-7 - Strumble Head to Ginst Point SMR Library

Pm Map OS 1907 Pembs Sheet XLI.15 2nd Ed, 1:2500

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report A. PYPER 2015 FIRST WORLD WAR: THE MILITARISED LANDSCAPE INTERIM REPORT YEAR 1

Article Thomas, RJC 1997 Penally Training Camp

Report Gale,A 1995 30108 Between Tides, Coastal Survey of Carmarthen Bay

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**PRN 30136 NAME**

**TYPE** Auxiliary Hide ? **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SN08881386 **COMMUNITY** Llawhaden

**CONDITION** DAMAGED, Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Subterranean Feature, None

**SUMMARY**

A Second World War bunker, its function is thought to be associated with the Auxiliaries. Auxiliary Units were a secret resistance network of highly trained volunteers prepared to be Britain's last ditch line of defence in the event of an invasion. They operated in a network of cells from hidden underground bases around the UK. Information recorded from the Captain of the local team remembered it was a 'distribution base' (A Pyper based on M Cullen 2015)

**DESCRIPTION**

Large, multi-chamber underground bunker with above ground entrance (on the lower slope) and below ground escape tunnel (on the upper slope). Overall dimensions approximately 78ft x 16.5ft max. Thought to be a SDS bunker, Special Duties Section Branch was a network of civilian observers and a secret wireless network (T. Jukes 11th Oct 2013). Partly collapsed subterranean structure consisting of a vertical access shaft and a tunnel c.40m long the tunnel arches constructed of concrete with corrugated sheet shuttering. EM Jan 1995

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Morgan,E 1995 Canaston Wood DRF for PRN 30137

**OTHER SOURCES**

Documents Tony Jukes 2013 Underground Bunker Canaston Woods

Email Malcolm Cullen 2015 Re: Airfields. Canaston Wood bunker

Vertical aerial photograph RAF 1946 106G/UK1625

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**PRN 32579 NAME** PENALLY CAMP

**TYPE** Military College , Military Camp **PERIOD** Post-medieval , Modern

**NGR** SS110989 **COMMUNITY** Penally

**CONDITION** Various **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Complex

**SUMMARY**

Penally was originally built as a musketry camp established in 1860. An article by Roger JC Thomas identifies the episodes of new construction and modification throughout its history (1997, p22-23). Early plans show that it consisted of a guardhouse, officers quarters and mess, sergeants mess, soldiers quarters and ablutions, a stable, stores, magazine, guardhouse, kitchen block, cookhouse, canteen and two underground water tanks. The permanent buildings were built of brick with stucco finish and slated roofs. These were for the use of the training staff rather than visiting troops who would have been accommodated under canvas. Whilst this was fine during the summer

months, during the First World War training demands increased and huts were provided in 1915. During the Second World War further construction took place to accommodate ever increasing numbers for training on the rifle ranges and 31 curved corrugated Turner Asbestos huts were provided. During the war many allied troops were stationed at Penally and undertook rifle, mortar and grenade training on the range. A new moving target range was established. A Pyper 2015 updated 2018

### DESCRIPTION

A camp established in 1860 to train Militia Units in musketry in response to the perceived threat of a French invasion. RJC Thomas 1995

**SOURCES** Pm Desc Text SPARC 1995 South of the Landsker - Penally Parish file

Pm Desc Text Thomas,R 1994 19th and 20th century Military Buildings in Pembrokeshire Site No 116

Mm Desc Text Thomas,R 1995 Draft text for article in sanctuary DRF

### OTHER SOURCES

Plan War Office 78/2790 1867 Penally Plans of Hut Encampment. 1. Ordnance Survey under the direction of Capt. G.E. Sanford, RE. 1867 MS coloured. MS additions, 1895 2. Penally Plans of Hut Encampment. 1:500

Plan War Office WO78/3037 Penally. Plans and sections of Musketry Camp and Buildings, 1913. 1:500 and 1:120

Book PLANED A Guide to the Military Heritage of Pembrokeshire

Article Thomas, RJC 1997 Penally Training Camp

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**PRN** 32644 **NAME** TREVALLEN DOWN

**TYPE** Bombing Range **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR97309300 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** Various **STATUS** *SSSI , Scheduled Monument Pemb533 , Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork

### SUMMARY

A tank range established during the Second World War which consists of a firing point and assembly area to the south of Newton, and two target ranges with railways for moving targets, both located to the southeast. A series of blockhouses protected personnel, one at each end of target tracks. Also includes a 1950s air to ground target for use by the Royal Navy based at Brawdy Airfield (PRN 102001). A Pyper 2018 based on scheduling description and R JC Thomas.

### DESCRIPTION

Roger Thomas has identified this site as the 'Bombing Range', number 249. Site not visited during coastal survey. B Allen 1996

**SOURCES** Mm List Murphy,K & Allen,B 1996 Pembrokeshire Coastal Survey SMR Library  
Mm Desc Text Thomas,RJC 1994 Survey of 20th and Century Military Building of Pembrokeshire  
p.28

**OTHER SOURCES**

CADW 2008 Notification of scheduling  
CADW 2008 AM107  
Article Thomas, RJC 1995 Castlemartin's Little bit of Tobruk

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**PRN** 33300 **NAME** ANGLE

**TYPE** Battery **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM84730192 **COMMUNITY** Angle

**CONDITION** Damaged **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

The site of a searchlight battery during the Second World War. Site has been demolished and returned to agricultural use. A Pyper 2018

**DESCRIPTION**

R Thomas refers to this site as number 246, searchlight battery. All that remains is a scattering of brick and concrete debris. B Allen 1996

**SOURCES** Mm List Murphy,K & Allen,B 1996 Pembrokeshire Coastal Survey SMR Library  
Mm Desc Text Thomas,RJC 1994 Survey of 20th and Century Military Building of Pembrokeshire  
p.24

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report Page,N 1999 TIR Gofal Farm Visit Report South Studdock Farm  
Vertical aerial photograph RAF 1946 106G/UK1625

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**PRN** 33438 **NAME** ANGLE

**TYPE** Battery **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM86330105 **COMMUNITY** Angle

**CONDITION** Damaged **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Building

**SUMMARY**

A searchlight battery during the Second World War, site has been demolished and returned to agricultural use. A Pyper 2018.

### DESCRIPTION

R Thomas refers to this site as number 248, Searchlight Battery. All that remains are brick and concrete rubble dumps and concrete bases. B Allen 1996

**SOURCES** Mm List Murphy,K & Allen,B 1996 Pembrokeshire Coastal Survey SMR Library  
Mm Desc Text Thomas,RJC 1994 Survey of 20th and Century Military Building of Pembrokeshire p.25

### OTHER SOURCES

Vertical aerial photograph RAF 1946 106G/UK1625

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**PRN** 33441 **NAME** LINNEY HEAD

**TYPE** Observation Post **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR8834095811 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , SAC , SPA , SSSI* **EVIDENCE** Building

### SUMMARY

An observtion post marked on the Castlemartin Range maps, 1970 & 1989.

### DESCRIPTION

Military observation post still in use. Murphy,K 1997

**SOURCES** Mm List Murphy,K & Allen,B 1997 Coastal Survey 1996-7 - Strumble Head to Ginst Point SMR Library  
Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

### OTHER SOURCES

Map MoD 1989 Castlemartin RAC Range, Map 1:25000  
Map MoD 1970 Castlemartin RAC Range, Map six inches to one mile.

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**PRN** 33444 **NAME** LINNEY DOWN

**TYPE** Blockhouse **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR8832596478 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *SAC , SPA , SSSI , Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

A blockhouse associated with the tank range. A Pyper 2018.

## DESCRIPTION

Blockhouse, now disused (1996).

**SOURCES** Mm List Murphy,K & Allen,B 1997 Coastal Survey 1996-7 - Strumble Head to Ginst Point SMR Library

Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 33445 **NAME** FLIMSTON DOWN

**TYPE** TARGET **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR93029486 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork

## SUMMARY

A tramway behind a bank served as a moving target for tank-firing. Several blockhouses are associated with this tramway; these have not been assigned separate record numbers - some are still used by the military, others are redundant. Though now disused, this tramway was in use until the recent past (writing in 1996), as works associated with it destroyed round barrow 566.

## DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm List Murphy,K & Allen,B 1997 Coastal Survey 1996-7 - Strumble Head to Ginst Point SMR Library

Mm AP Vertical Musson,C 1998 B & W Aerial photo 985054-19 showing flimston promotory fort and tramway DRF 602

Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

## OTHER SOURCES

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**PRN** 33446 **NAME** MEWSFORD POINT

**TYPE** Observation Post **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR9423793926 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole



**CONDITION** Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Building

#### **SUMMARY**

A military observation post marked on range maps of 1989 & 2011. A Pyper 2018

#### **DESCRIPTION**

Military observation post in use in 1996.

**SOURCES** Mm List Murphy,K & Allen,B 1997 Coastal Survey 1996-7 - Strumble Head to Ginst Point SMR Library

Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

#### **OTHER SOURCES**

Map MoD 1989 Castlemartin RAC Range, Map 1:25000

Map MoD 2011 Castlemartin, World Training Areas, 1:25000

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**PRN** 33447 **NAME** BUCHSPOOL DOWN

**TYPE** Radar Station **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR95529336 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Building

#### **SUMMARY**

A rectangular concrete hardstanding in use in 1960 that had been replaced by another structure by 1996.

#### **DESCRIPTION**

Radar station in use in 1996. K Murphy, 1996 Rectangular concrete hardstanding for a radar caravan. Replaced by a modern structure. Not visited during survey. Roger Thomas, 1993

**SOURCES** Mm List Murphy,K & Allen,B 1997 Coastal Survey 1996-7 - Strumble Head to Ginst Point SMR Library

Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

#### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 33448 **NAME** TREVALLEN DOWNS

**TYPE** Artillery Target , **TARGET** **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR9689893065 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Scheduled Monument Pemb533 , Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork

### **SUMMARY**

A moving target tramway 140 meters long which runs between two blockhouses PRNs 3349 and 33450, forming part of the tank firing training range (PRN 32644). A Pyper 2018

### **DESCRIPTION**

A 140m long tramway running between two blockhouses, PRNs 33449 and 33450, and behind a bank, represents the remains of a moving target for tank-firing practice. KM 1996 140m long target railway laid within a sunken trackbed, protected to the north by an earth bank. Terminates to the west at blockhouse 33450, and to the east at blockhouse 33449. Thomas,R 1993

**SOURCES** Mm List Murphy,K & Allen,B 1997 Coastal Survey 1996-7 - Strumble Head to Ginst Point SMR Library

Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm Database Thomas,RJ 1993 Military sites in Pembrokeshire, RT.DBF FPW2.6 database, Site No 121-93

### **OTHER SOURCES**

CADW 2008 Notification of scheduling

CADW 2008 AM107

Article Thomas, RJC 1995 Castlemartin's Little bit of Tobruk

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire



RAF 106G/UK 1625/1324

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**PRN** 33449 **NAME** TREVALLEN DOWNS

**TYPE** Blockhouse **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR9696393098 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Scheduled Monument Pemb533 , Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

A semi-sunken blockhouse located at the end of a tramway for moving targets on the tank range. A Pyper 2018.

### DESCRIPTION

Blockhouse, disused when visited in 1996, that stands at the eastern end of a target tramway, PRN 33448. A blockhouse, PRN 33450, stands at the western end of the tramway. JJH August 2001.

**SOURCES** Mm List Murphy,K & Allen,B 1997 Coastal Survey 1996-7 - Strumble Head to Ginst Point SMR Library

Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39,  
ACA Reports

**OTHER SOURCES**

CADW 2008 Notification of scheduling  
CADW 2008 AM107  
Article Thomas, RJC 1995 Castlemartin's Little bit of Tobruk

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**PRN 33450 NAME** TREVALLEN DOWNS

**TYPE** Blockhouse **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR9683093061 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Scheduled Monument Pemb533 , Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

A semi-sunken blockhouse located at the end of a tramway for moving targets on the tank range.  
A Pyper 2018.

**DESCRIPTION**

Blockhouse, disused when visited in 1996, stands at the western end of a target tramway, PRN 33448. Another blockhouse, PRN 33449 stands at the eastern end of the tramway. JJH August 2001

**SOURCES** Mm List Murphy,K & Allen,B 1997 Coastal Survey 1996-7 - Strumble Head to Ginst Point SMR Library

Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39,  
ACA Reports

**OTHER SOURCES**

CADW 2008 Notification of scheduling  
CADW 2008 AM107  
Article Thomas, RJC 1995 Castlemartin's Little bit of Tobruk

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**PRN 33451 NAME** TREVALLEN DOWNS

**TYPE** Blockhouse **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR9727392931 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Scheduled Monument Pemb533 , Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

A single storey c.1943 rectangular blockhouse protected from the north, West and east by earth and stone revetments. It was derelict in 1993 and disused in 1996. A tramway, PRN 33453, ran between this blockhouse and blockhouse PRN 33452, 180m to the north-east. The tramway was used as an artillery target. JH 2001 based on Thomas,R 1993

#### DESCRIPTION

Single storey,semi-sunken,rectangular,concrete block blockhouse, protected from the rear {north},flanks,and over-head by earth and rock revetments. Doorway and one narrow observation port in south east wall.Target railway turntable outside. Roger Thomas, 1993

**SOURCES** Mm List Murphy,K & Allen,B 1997 Coastal Survey 1996-7 - Strumble Head to Ginst Point SMR Library

Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm Database Thomas,RJ 1993 Military sites in Pembrokeshire, RT.DBF FPW2.6 database, Site No 121-96

#### OTHER SOURCES

CADW 2008 Notification of scheduling

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Article Thomas, RJC 1995 Castlemartin's Little bit of Tobruk

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 33452 NAME** TREVALLEN DOWNS

**TYPE** Blockhouse **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR9742193023 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Scheduled Monument Pemb533 , Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Structure

#### SUMMARY

A single storey c.1943 rectangular blockhouse protected from the north, west and east by earth and stone revetments. It was derelict in 1993 and disused in 1996. A tramway ran between it and blockhouse, PRN 33451, 180m to the south-west, and was used as an artillery target. JH 2001 based on Thomas,R 1993. Forms part of the tank firing range PRN 32644. A Pyper 2018

#### DESCRIPTION

Blockhouse, now disused (1996). Murphy,K 1996^Single storey,semi-sunken,rectangular,re-inforced concrete winch blockhouse, protected from the rear {north},flanks,and over-head by earth and rock revetments. Double doorway in south wall flanked by retaining walls which have been damaged by explosives. Thomas,R 1993

**SOURCES** Mm List Murphy,K & Allen,B 1997 Coastal Survey 1996-7 - Strumble Head to Ginst Point SMR Library

Mm AP Vertical Musson,C 1998 B & W Aerial photo 985055-30 PRN 33520

Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm Database Thomas,RJ 1993 Military sites in Pembrokeshire, RT.DBF FPW2.6 database, Site No 121-97

#### **OTHER SOURCES**

CADW 2008 Notification of scheduling

CADW 2008 AM107

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 33453 **NAME** TREVALLEN DOWNS

**TYPE** TARGET **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR9734692958 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Scheduled Monument Pemb533 , Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork

#### **SUMMARY**

A 180m long tramway used as a tank-firing target running between two blockhouses, PRN 33451 to the south-west and PRN 33452 to the north-east. The tramway was created at the same time as the blockhouses, c.1943. It was disused by 1993 and in a poor condition. JH 2001 based on Roger Thomas 1993

#### **DESCRIPTION**

A tramway runs between two blockhouses, PRNs33451-2, and is protected by a bank. The remains of tank-firing target, now disused. Murphy,K 1996 ^180m long target railway laid within a sunken trackbed, protected to the north by an earth bank. Terminates to the west at blockhouse PRN 33451, and to the east at blockhouse PRN 33452. Thomas,R 1993

**SOURCES** Mm List Murphy,K & Allen,B 1997 Coastal Survey 1996-7 - Strumble Head to Ginst Point SMR Library

Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm Database Thomas,RJ 1993 Military sites in Pembrokeshire, RT.DBF FPW2.6 database, Site No 121-098

#### **OTHER SOURCES**

CADW 2008 Notification of scheduling

CADW 2008 AM107

Article Thomas, RJC 1995 Castlemartin's Little bit of Tobruk

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire



RAF 106G/UK 1625/1324

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**PRN** 33454 **NAME** ST. GOVAN'S HEAD

**TYPE** Observation Post **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR9741392708 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Building

### SUMMARY

1943 military observation post in use in 1996 as a coastguard lookout. JH 2001 based on Roger Thomas 1993

### DESCRIPTION

Single storey, rectangular, re-inforced concrete blockhouse, protected from the rear {north},flanks,and over-head by earth and rock revetments. Large observation window in south wall wraps around east and west walls. Roger Thomas 1993

**SOURCES** Mm List Murphy,K & Allen,B 1997 Coastal Survey 1996-7 - Strumble Head to Ginst

Point SMR Library

Mm GP Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey, Report no. 2004-39  
Plate 4

Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39,  
ACA Reports

Mm Database Thomas,RJ 1993 Military sites in Pembrokeshire, RT.DBF FPW2.6 database, Site No  
121-100

#### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Pembrokeshire Condition Survey

Report Page,N 2004 50079 Castlemartin ATE Condition Survey 2004.pdf

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 33456 **NAME** MANORBIER CAMP

**TYPE** Radar Station **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SS07339665 **COMMUNITY** Manorbier

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Scheduled Monument PE493 , Pembrokeshire Coast National  
Park* **EVIDENCE** Building

#### **SUMMARY**

A Coast Defence Chain Home Low Radar station, the complex consists of a transmitter/ receiver box and two generator buildings. Built during the Second World War, probably around 1942, in order to track shipping in the Bristol Channel and low flying aircraft. A Pyper 2018

#### **DESCRIPTION**

Coast Defence Chain Home Low (Radar). KM 1996

**SOURCES** Mm List Murphy,K & Allen,B 1997 Coastal Survey 1996-7 - Strumble Head to Ginst  
Point SMR Library

#### **OTHER SOURCES**

Documents CADW 2005 Notification of scheduling

Documents CADW 2005 AM107





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**PRN** 33520 **NAME** ST. GOVAN'S HEAD

**TYPE** TARGET **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR97209305 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** Intact **STATUS** *Scheduled Monument Pemb533 , Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Earthwork

### **SUMMARY**

This is a target/direction finder for bombing practice by the Royal Navy based at Brawdy airfield. It consists of concentric rings of stones/boulders with a directional arrow. Originally the stones were painted white. A Pyper 2018.

### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm List Murphy,K & Allen,B 1997 Coastal Survey 1996-7 - Strumble Head to Ginst Point SMR Library

Mm AP Vertical Musson,C 1998 B & W Aerial photo 985055-30 DRF

Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm Database Thomas,RJ 1993 Military sites in Pembrokeshire, RT.DBF FPW2.6 database, Site No 429-002

Pm List Thomas,RJC 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th century military buildings of Pembrokeshire No. 429

**OTHER SOURCES**

CADW 2008 Notification of scheduling

CADW 2008 AM107

Article Thomas, RJC 1995 Castlemartin's Little bit of Tobruk

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**PRN** 35023 **NAME** WEST ANGLE

**TYPE** Coastal Battery **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM8468002500 **COMMUNITY** Angle

**CONDITION** Near Intact **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

A coast battery with underground magazines built during the Second World War. A Pyper 2018

**DESCRIPTION**

Roger Thomas identified this site, RT359. Three guns, light artillery battery with underground magazines. BA & KM 1997

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Allen,B & Murphy,K 1997 Milford Haven survey SMR Library

Mm Desc Text Thomas,RJC 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th century military buildings of Pembrokeshire

**OTHER SOURCES**

Vertical aerial photograph RAF 1946 106G/UK1625

Vertical aerial photograph 106 G UK 1425 1946 106G UK 1425

Aerial Photograph (Vertical) RAF 1950 Sortie 540/376 frame 0017

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**PRN** 35061 **NAME** PEMBROKE DOCK

**TYPE** Barrage Balloon Site **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM97340436 **COMMUNITY** Pembroke Dock

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

#### **SUMMARY**

Site of barrage balloon identified by Roger Thomas. The site of the installation is a field. Concrete blocks on the foreshore below the site, a concrete (anchor block) block lies in the adjacent field at the point marked on the base map. BA & KM 1997.

#### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Allen,B & Murphy,K 1997 Milford Haven survey SMR Library

Mm Desc Text Thomas,RJC 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th century military buildings of Pembrokeshire Site No 252-000

#### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report S. RATTY & D. SCHLEE 2014 LAND NORTH OF CLEDDAU BRIDGE HOTEL, PEMBROKE DOCK, PEMBROKESHIRE: UPDATED HISTORIC ENVIRONMENT APPRAISAL

Aerial Photograph (Vertical) RAF 1946 8th July 1946 106G/1629

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**PRN** 35099 **NAME** PEMBROKE DOCK

**TYPE** Anti Aircraft Battery **PERIOD** Modern ?

**NGR** SM95350336 **COMMUNITY** Pembroke Dock

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

#### **SUMMARY**

A Light anti-aircraft battery built during the Second World War. A Pyper 2018.

#### **DESCRIPTION**

Light anti aircraft battery identified by Roger Thomas, RT249. The site was not visited during fieldwork. BA & KM 1997

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Allen,B & Murphy,K 1997 Milford Haven survey SMR Library

Mm Desc Text Thomas,RJC 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th century military buildings of Pembrokeshire Site No 249-000

#### **OTHER SOURCES**

Aerial Photograph (Vertical) RAF 1946 8th July 1946 106G/1629

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 38876 **NAME** GREAT FURZENIP

**TYPE** Radar Plinth **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR88859881 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Structure

#### **SUMMARY**

The 1960's radar platform at Great Furzenip took the form of a rectangular concrete hardstanding that has been replaced by a more modern structure. JH August 1999 based on Thomas,RJ, 1993

#### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm Database Thomas,RJ 1993 Database of military sites in Pembrokeshire Site No.121-107

#### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 38877 **NAME** BROWNSLADE BURROWS

**TYPE** Military Road **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR89719848 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Near Destroyed **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Structure

#### **SUMMARY**

The remains of mesh tracking uncovered by sand workings date from c.1943. JH August 1999 based on Thomas,RJ 1997

#### **DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Range Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39 ACA Reports

Mm Database Thomas,RJ 1993 Military sites in Pembrokeshire, RT.DBF FPW2.6 database, Site No 121-132

#### **OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN 38878 NAME**

**TYPE** Control Tower **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR90649859 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

**SUMMARY**

An enclosed, glazed control post on a steel frame with an open steel stair rising through the framework. JH Sept 1999 based on Thomas, R

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm Database Thomas,RJ 1993 Military sites in Pembrokeshire, RT.DBF FPW2.6 database, Site No 121-106

**OTHER SOURCES**

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**PRN 38880 NAME**

**TYPE** Military Camp **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR91229770 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Complex

**SUMMARY**

A military camp of at least twenty seven huts, hidden under the trees flanking the formal drive to Brownslade House, PRN 6447. All of the huts were demolished by 7 July 1946. Some rectangular concrete floors remain in undergrowth. R.Thomas 1993

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES** Mm List Page,N 2004 Castlemartin Army Training Estate Condition Survey Report no. 2004-39, ACA Reports

Mm AP Vertical RAF 1946 106G-UK-1625, frames 5399 - 5402.

Mm Database Thomas,RJ 1993 Military sites in Pembrokeshire, RT.DBF FPW2.6 database, Site No 121-061

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 39369 **NAME** BROWNSLATE FARM

**TYPE** Barrage Balloon Site **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM95270113 **COMMUNITY** Angle

**CONDITION** Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

Barrage Balloon Site plotted from RAF APs (1946). The site consisted of a central cable loop set in a concrete block, encircled at 45 degree intervals by eight concrete tethering blocks. The site has been demolished.

### DESCRIPTION

**SOURCES** Mm Desc Text Page,N 2000 Tir Gofal farm visit Brownslate report no.39421 SMR Library

Mm AP Vertical RAF 1946 106G 1625,4359-60 frames 4356-4360

### OTHER SOURCES

Report Page,N 2000 Tir Gofal Farm Visit Report Brownslate Farm

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**PRN** 44607 **NAME** RAF ANGLE

**TYPE** Anti Aircraft Battery **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM86710109 **COMMUNITY** Angle

**CONDITION** Damaged **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Structure

### SUMMARY

A gun pit described in Roger Thomas's 1993 survey as 'Light Anti-aircraft Battery; Complex formerly consisting of three rectangular huts and a square fair-faced brick gun pit. Only the gun pit remains extant. Associated with RAF Angle.'. Located within a field boundary and visible as a low mound, approximately 1.5m high. Displaced concrete and brick lie over it, so it is difficult to establish how much lies in situ. A Pyper 2012.

### DESCRIPTION

### SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Report Pyper,A 2002 39848 TG Carters Green.pdf

Vertical aerial photograph RAF 1946 106G/UK1625

**PRN** 55454 **NAME** WHETSTONE HILL

**TYPE** World War 2 Defence , ANTI AIRCRAFT DEFENCE SITE **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM88400073 **COMMUNITY** Angle

**CONDITION** Damaged **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Building

### **SUMMARY**

An anti-aircraft site which includes a series of concrete bases and hard standings for ancillary and support structures associated with the Scheduled Whetstone Hill WWII Anti-Aircraft battery (SAM Pe 494; PRN 14355), identifiable on recent aerial photographs (Next Perspectives 2009). There are 14 individual concrete slabs visible on the aerial photograph although a survey in 1993 identified some 35 as part of the wider complex not all which may lie within the UID polygons. The structures on the bases would have included technical buildings such as a generator house, workshop, stores and domestic support such as accommodation barracks, wash rooms, latrines, mess area, canteen and sick bay. These structures would mostly have been Nissen hut style in timber and corrugated metal, and whilst the bulk of these have long since gone some evidence of their form and materials may still survive such as metal hold fasts set in the concrete and brick footings for internal divisions. Other associated remains are known to survive at similar sites such as paths and tracks, metal stanchions and spikes to support perimeter fencing and earthwork remains of ground defences such as machine gun nests and mortar pits.

### **DESCRIPTION**

### **SOURCES**

#### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report Pritchard, H 2013 105542 A0028520 UID 304,019 HEF REPORT  
Aerial photograph Next Perspectives 2009 Digital aerial photo mapping

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**PRN** 59430 **NAME** CRESSELY HOUSE

**TYPE** House **PERIOD** Post-medieval

**NGR** SN0645606543 **COMMUNITY** Jeffreyston

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *Listed Building 15933 II\** **EVIDENCE** Building

### SUMMARY

Cresselly House was built c.1770 for John Bartlett Allen, the wealthy owner of local coal mines. Described in the listing description as a restrained, elegantly proportioned villa design is characteristic of later C18 Palladian-inspired architects. During the Second World War it was requisitioned and used by the Royal Marines (102 Royal Marines Brigade) and 102 LAD (Light Aid Detachment) in 1942. A Pyper 2018.

### DESCRIPTION

This record is a duplicate of PRNs 30671. See that record for full details of this Grade II\* listed house

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Report Hall, J and Sambrook, P 2010 SAUNDERSFOOT HUB HERITAGE AND NATURAL ENVIRONMENT AUDIT: PART D JEFFREYSTON COMMUNITY AUDIT  
Book Perrett, Anthony J 1992 Special Publication No 14; The Royal Marines in Wales

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**PRN** 59819 **NAME** THE ATLANTIC HOTEL AND AREA RAILINGS

**TYPE** Military Headquarters **PERIOD** Post-medieval

**NGR** SN1334900154 **COMMUNITY** Tenby

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *Listed Building 26302 II, Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Conservation area 13550065* **EVIDENCE** Building

### SUMMARY

The hotel was requisitioned during the Second World War and became headquarters to the Belgian Combat Unit from May 1940-1941.

### DESCRIPTION

Grade II listed house

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Mention Tipton, John 1986 Tenby during World War II



**PRN** 59912 **NAME** NOS 5,6,7,8,9,10 AND 11 THE CROFT

**TYPE** House **PERIOD** Post-medieval

**NGR** SN1321800902 **COMMUNITY** Tenby

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *Listed Building 26396 II, Pembrokeshire Coast National Park , Conservation area 13550065* **EVIDENCE** Building

#### **SUMMARY**

Grade II listed house During the Second World War 11 The Croft was requisitioned by the Royal Marines Signals Division. A Pyper 2018.

#### **DESCRIPTION**

#### **SOURCES**

##### **OTHER SOURCES**

Book Perrett, Anthony J 1992 Special Publication No 14; The Royal Marines in Wales

**PRN** 102534 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN AIRSTRIPS

**TYPE** Airfield **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SR92189530 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *Site of Special Scientific Interest* **EVIDENCE** Complex

#### **SUMMARY**

An airstrip on the Castlemartin range was established before the war to provide target - towing aircraft for the training of anti-aircraft artillery. The airfield was ovoid in shape, no longer than 500 yards with hangars to the northwest. Once the war started the airfield was no longer used and trenches were dug in order to make enemy landings impossible in this remote area. Summary based on Jones, 2007. A Pyper 2012. Supersedes record PRN 102063

## DESCRIPTION

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Book Jones, Ivor 2007 Airfields and Landing Grounds of Wales: West  
Report Pyper, A 2012 Twentieth century military sites: Airfields

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**PRN** 102543 **NAME** LAMPHEY COURT

**TYPE** Graffiti **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SN01800100 **COMMUNITY** Lamphey

**CONDITION** Intact **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Natural Feature

### SUMMARY

Graffiti carved into a beech tree at the entrance to Lamphey Court. Representing the left sleeve of a U.S. Army NCO's service dress uniform, the insignia (or patches) are from top to bottom: Unit patch, representing the division, corps command or army to which the man is currently assigned. Rank insignia: First Sergeant. Service stripe (also called a hash mark) representing three years service. Overseas bars, each bar represents six months overseas service, so this insignia represents someone who had already been overseas for two years. This would appear to date from 1943 when I and K companies of the 110th Infantry, 28th US Infantry Division were stationed at a site to the rear of Lamphey Court. A Pyper 2013.

## DESCRIPTION

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Book PLANED A Guide to the Military Heritage of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 102553 **NAME** RAF ANGLE

**TYPE** Anti Aircraft Battery **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SM85380238 **COMMUNITY** Angle

**CONDITION** Near Destroyed **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

### SUMMARY

A group of three rectangular huts identified on the RAF Angle site plan of 1943?, and identified

from aerial photos by RJC Thomas as a Light Anti-aircraft battery. When visited in January 2013 no visible traces of structures could be identified. A Pyper 2013.

## DESCRIPTION

## SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES

Vertical aerial photograph RAF 1946 106G/UK1625

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**PRN** 105783 **NAME**

**TYPE** Searchlight Battery , BOMBING DECOY **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SN07341780 **COMMUNITY** Llawhaden

**CONDITION** Near Destroyed **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

## SUMMARY

A searchlight battery of a complex of 8 hut bases and 6 minor concrete floored features. They are believed to be the remains of a WWII searchlight battery operated as a decoy for the Naval depot at Trecwn. Recorded from an aerial photograph 1946 (R Thomas, 1993). At a Glastir visit in 2014 only one of the bases was visible the others having been grassed over. There was a stock feeder on this surviving base which prevents poaching of surrounding grassland and also keeps vegetation off the base. (H. Pritchard, 2014)

## DESCRIPTION

## SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Vertical aerial photograph RAF 1946 106G/UK1625

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**PRN** 105969 **NAME** RAF TENBY

**TYPE** Military Base **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SN13600057 **COMMUNITY** Tenby

**CONDITION** Not Known **STATUS** *Conservation area 13550065* **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

## SUMMARY

Royal Air Force marine section store. The Headquarter of No 48 Air Sea Resue Unit was located at Laston. House. Description based on RJC Thomas 1993. A Pyper 2014

## DESCRIPTION

## SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 105981 **NAME** PICTON CAMP

**TYPE** Military Camp **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SN00921394 **COMMUNITY** Slebech

**CONDITION** DAMAGED **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Documentary Evidence

## SUMMARY

Site of a United States Army camp and Piper Cub airstrip during the Second World War. Post war aerial photographs indicate rectangular concrete hut bases and square concrete tent bases. A Pyper based on I. Jones 2007, p106-7. A field visit in 2012 confirmed the survival of various concrete hut bases. A Pyper 2012. Associated with airfield PRN 102536

## DESCRIPTION

## SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES

Vertical aerial photograph 106 G UK 1425 1946 106G UK 1425

Aerial Photograph (Vertical) RAF 1946 RAF 106G UK1472 4MAY46

Book Jones, Ivor 2007 Airfields and Landing Grounds of Wales: West



RAF 106G UK 1425 15<sup>th</sup> April 1946

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**PRN 109322 NAME**

**TYPE** Bombing Range **PERIOD** Modern

**NGR** SN 00781109 **COMMUNITY** Llangwm and Hook

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *Pembrokeshire Coast National Park* **EVIDENCE** Documentary

Evidence

### SUMMARY

Practice bombing range for the nearby seaplane base Royal Naval Air Station Lawrenny based at Lawrenny Ferry. Target zone on mud flats at the confluence of the Western and the Eastern Cleddau rivers. Two riverside quadrant posts on eastern shore near Landshipping Point allowed observation of training exercises. Recorded by RJC Thomas as site no 190/000 A Pyper 2017  
Information taken from CB 4368 A. Admiralty Handbook of Naval Air Stations Aug. 44.

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire  
Descriptive Text 1944 CB 4368 A. Admiralty Handbook of Naval Air Stations Aug. 44  
Vertical aerial photograph RAF 1946 106 guk 1629

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**PRN** 110419 **NAME** CRESSELLY HOUSE

**TYPE** MILITARY CAMP **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SN06280644 **COMMUNITY** Jeffreyston

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

A Second World War military camp, used by British and American troops. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

Complex of Nissen huts and a large concrete vehicle park. Occupied at various times by the Royal Marines and the United States Army. Plotted off aerial photographs. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas. The 110th Infantry's Cannon Company were stationed here from October 1943 - April 1944. General Eisenhower inspected the troops stationed here in early April 1944. A Pyper 2018 based on Vernon Scott.

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Aerial Photograph (Vertical) US Aerial Photograph 1944 Medmenham collection M1505  
Aerial Photograph (Vertical) RAF 1946 8th July 1946 106G/1629  
Article Scott, Vernon 1993 Pembrokeshire Soldierly

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**PRN 110420 NAME**

**TYPE** MILITARY CAMP **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SS12309992 **COMMUNITY** Penally

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

**SUMMARY**

A Second World War military camp. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

**DESCRIPTION**

A military camp consisting of a complex of seventeen Nissen huts. Plotted off Aerial Photographs. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas. 2018

**SOURCES**

**OTHER SOURCES**

Vertical aerial photograph RAF 1946 106G/UK1625

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 110421 NAME** SODSTONE

**TYPE** MILITARY CAMP **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SN10221656 **COMMUNITY** Narberth

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

**SUMMARY**

A Second World War military camp centred on Sodstone House. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

**DESCRIPTION**

The 'winterised' camp laid out in 1943 consisted of a complex of twenty eight concrete tent bases. Plotted off aerial photographs. Site occupied at one time by the United States Army. A Pyper 2018

**SOURCES**

**OTHER SOURCES**

Vertical aerial photograph RAF 1946 106G/UK1625

Book PLANED A Guide to the Military Heritage of Pembrokeshire

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire



RAF 106G UK 7<sup>th</sup> July 1946

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**PRN 110422 NAME**

**TYPE** MILITARY CAMP **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SN03111398 **COMMUNITY** Slebech

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

**SUMMARY**

A Second World War military camp. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018.

**DESCRIPTION**

Complex consisting of five 16 foot span Nissen huts, Turners curved asbestors huts, a rectangular plan gable roofed hut and a large concrete hardstanding. Site used by the United States Army. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018.



## SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES

Vertical aerial photograph RAF 1946 106G/UK1625

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 110423 **NAME** 22 Victoria Street

**TYPE** MILITARY HEADQUARTERS **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SN13220020 **COMMUNITY** Tenby

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

## SUMMARY

A terraced house recorded in the 1942 war diaries to have been the location of the Headquarters for the Royal Marines Division Artillery. A Pyper 2018

## DESCRIPTION

## SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES

Book Perrett, Anthony J 1992 Special Publication No 14; The Royal Marines in Wales

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**PRN** 110424 **NAME** SCHOOL OF ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY

**TYPE** MILITARY TRAINING SITE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SS09009800 **COMMUNITY** Penally

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

## SUMMARY

Site of Anti Aircraft Artillery school which consisted of Nissen huts, hardstandings and a gun emplacement. Site cleared and only the gun emplacement remains. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018.

## DESCRIPTION

Complex of c50 dispersed huts, chiefly Nissen huts, hardstandings, and a gun emplacement. Site cleared apart from the gun emplacement and concrete footings by 2 July 1950.

## SOURCES

## OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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### PRN 110425 NAME

**TYPE** MILITARY CAMP **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SS01329894 **COMMUNITY** Lamphey

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

A camp associated with Heavy Anti-aircraft Battery, consisting of 15 rectangular concrete hut bases. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018

### DESCRIPTION

Fifteen rectangular concrete hut bases demolished by 1946. Plotted off aerial photographs.

## SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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### PRN 110426 NAME

**TYPE** ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SM87210126 **COMMUNITY** Angle

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

Heavy Anti-aircraft battery. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018.

### DESCRIPTION

Complex consisting of a command post, four gun pits, 21 huts, a Nissen magazine with earth revetment, and a radar platform. Demolished apart from two gun emplacements by July 1946. All structures demolished by 1992. One 3.7 inch gun holdfast remains extant. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018.

## SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 110427 NAME**

**TYPE** ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SM85580143 **COMMUNITY** Angle

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

**SUMMARY**

Light Anti-aircraft battery. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018

**DESCRIPTION**

Complex consisting of three rectangular huts and a square plan, fair-faced brick gun pit. Associated with RAF Angle. Plotted off aerial photographs. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018

**SOURCES**

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 110428 NAME** RUSHACRE

**TYPE** WOMEN'S LAND ARMY HOSTEL **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SN11061529 **COMMUNITY** Narberth

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

**SUMMARY**

Women's Land Army Hostel. A Pyper 2018.

**DESCRIPTION**

A complex consisting of combined accommodation and ablutions block, three curved asbestos huts (Turner's Curved Asbestos Cement) used as tractor and implement stores, and a sewage plant. Plotted off aerial photographs. Local information indicates that the site was later used to house Irish labourers. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018

**SOURCES**

**OTHER SOURCES**

Book PLANED A Guide to the Military Heritage of Pembrokeshire  
Vertical aerial photograph RAF 1946 106G/UK1625

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**PRN 110429 NAME**

**TYPE** SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SN14711248 **COMMUNITY** Lampeter Velfrey

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

**SUMMARY**

A searchlight battery. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

**DESCRIPTION**

complex of ten concrete hut bases plotted off aerial photographs; no evidence of searchlight emplacements visible. Huts arranged against the north-east and north-west hedges of the field to the north-west of the Grange. Recorded by RJC Thomas in 1993. A Pyper 2018

**SOURCES**

**OTHER SOURCES**

Vertical aerial photograph RAF 1946 106G/UK1625

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 110430 **NAME**

**TYPE** SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SM85440199 **COMMUNITY** Angle

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

**SUMMARY**

A searchlight battery. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

**DESCRIPTION**

Consisting of two rectangular concrete hut bases and a generator bed. Plotted off aerial photographs by RJC Thomas in 1993. A Pyper 2018

**SOURCES**

**OTHER SOURCES**

Vertical aerial photograph RAF 1946 106G/UK1625

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 110431 **NAME**

**TYPE** MILITARY CAMP **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SM98520183 **COMMUNITY** Pembroke

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

**SUMMARY**

A Second World War military camp. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 1993.

#### **DESCRIPTION**

Complex of huts, largely removed by time of RAF aerial photograph in 1946. Five concrete hut bases, an extant rectangular plan gable roofed hut and an assault course can be discerned. The camp was occupied at one time by U.S. Army troops. A Pyper 2018.

#### **SOURCES**

##### **OTHER SOURCES**

Aerial Photograph (Vertical) RAF 1946 106G- UK- 1625

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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#### **PRN 111259 NAME**

**TYPE** ANTI AIRCRAFT BATTERY **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SM96990295 **COMMUNITY** Pembroke Dock

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

#### **SUMMARY**

Light Anti-aircraft Battery, A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

#### **DESCRIPTION**

Consisting of two rectangular concrete hut bases, and a square plan gun pit. Plotted off aerial photographs by Roger Thomas in 1993. A Pyper 2018

#### **SOURCES**

##### **OTHER SOURCES**

Vertical aerial photograph 106 G UK 1425 1946 106G UK 1425

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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#### **PRN 111260 NAME**

**TYPE** BOMBING RANGE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR96309310 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

#### **SUMMARY**

Helicopter Air to Ground bombing range. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018.

#### **DESCRIPTION**

Complex consisting of a control tower, bombing target, range direction arrow, gun butts, and various tanks / armoured cars used as air - ground targets. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018.

#### **SOURCES**

##### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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#### **PRN 111261 NAME**

**TYPE** SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SM85410142 **COMMUNITY** Angle

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

#### **SUMMARY**

A Searchlight battery. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018.

#### **DESCRIPTION**

Consisting of two rectangular concrete hut bases, three anti-aircraft light machine gun pits, and one 90 cm searchlight emplacement. Plotted off aerial photographs. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018.

#### **SOURCES**

##### **OTHER SOURCES**

Vertical aerial photograph RAF 1946 106G/UK1625

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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#### **PRN 111262 NAME**

**TYPE** SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SM85100260 **COMMUNITY** Angle

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

#### **SUMMARY**

Searchlight battery. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018.

#### **DESCRIPTION**

Searchlight battery consisting of two rectangular concrete hut bases, a concrete generator bed, and one 90 cm searchlight emplacement. Plotted off aerial photographs. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018.

## SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES

Vertical aerial photograph RAF 1946 106G/UK1625

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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## PRN 111263 NAME

**TYPE** SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SN00140103 **COMMUNITY** Lamphey

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

## SUMMARY

Searchlight battery. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018

## DESCRIPTION

Searchlight battery consisting of two rectangular concrete hut bases. Plotted off aerial photographs. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018

## SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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## PRN 111264 NAME

**TYPE** AUXILIARY UNIT OPERATIONAL BASE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SS109991 **COMMUNITY** Penally

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** CONJECTURAL

## SUMMARY

A Second World War Operating Base; A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993

## DESCRIPTION

Operating Base; an underground chamber used as a base for three 'Auxillary' unit members, to operate behind enemy lines had Germany invaded. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas on local information not verified. 2018

## SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 111265 NAME**

**TYPE** MILITARY TRAINING SITE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR98409500 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

**SUMMARY**

Tank range including Broad Haven beach, Stackpole Warren, Stackpole Head, Barafundle Bay, and Stackpole Park. Used by the 79th Armoured Division for training. Officers' quarters were at Stackpole Court. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018

**DESCRIPTION**

Tank range including Broad Haven beach, Stackpole Warren, Stackpole Head, Barafundle Bay, and Stackpole Park. Used by the 79th Armoured Division for training. Officers' quarters were at Stackpole Court. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018

**SOURCES**

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire  
Aerial Photograph (Vertical) RAF Sortie 106G/UK/1399

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**PRN 111266 NAME**

**TYPE** SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SM96660263 **COMMUNITY** Pembroke Dock

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

**SUMMARY**

Searchlight battery. A Pyper based on Roger Thomas 2018

**DESCRIPTION**

Searchlight battery consisting of two rectangular plan concrete hut bases, two Anti-Aircraft Light Machine Gun (ALMG) weapons pits, and a 'horseshoe' plan earthen searchlight emplacement. Plotted off aerial photographs. A Pyper based on Roger Thomas 2018

**SOURCES**

**OTHER SOURCES**

Vertical aerial photograph RAF 1946 106G/UK1625  
Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 111267 NAME**

**TYPE** SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SM96780415 **COMMUNITY** Pembroke Dock

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

**SUMMARY**

Searchlight battery. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018.

**DESCRIPTION**

Searchlight battery consisting of rectangular plan earth reveted gun emplacement. Entrance in south west corner, detachment shelter with flat reinforced concrete roof against east wall. No associated huts etc., due to location within Llanion Barracks. Not visited during survey. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018.

**SOURCES**

**OTHER SOURCES**

Aerial Photograph (Vertical) RAF 1946 8th July 1946 106G/1629

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**PRN 111268 NAME**

**TYPE** SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SM86450206 **COMMUNITY** Angle

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

**SUMMARY**

Searchlight battery. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

**DESCRIPTION**

Searchlight battery consisting of a complex of five rectangular plan Nissen huts and a square plan, fair-faced brick gun pit. Associated with RAF Angle. Plotted off aerial photographs. Not visited during survey. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 2018.

**SOURCES**

**OTHER SOURCES**

Vertical aerial photograph RAF 1946 106G/UK1625

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 111271 NAME**

**TYPE** SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SN10301642 **COMMUNITY** Narberth

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

A searchlight battery consisting of two Nissen hut and a concrete hut base. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

### DESCRIPTION

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Book PLANED A Guide to the Military Heritage of Pembrokeshire

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 111272 **NAME**

**TYPE** FIRING RANGE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SS104985 **COMMUNITY** Penally

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

The site of field artillery firing range pre1914 - 1945. A Pyper 2018.

### DESCRIPTION

The site of field artillery firing range, possibly pre-dating 1914 and in continued use until the end of the Second World War. As well as firing out to sea, it is believed that firing took place towards Giltar Point over troops occupying the practice trenches (PRN33458). A Pyper based on PLANED Guide to the Military Heritage of Pembrokeshire 2018.

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Book PLANED A Guide to the Military Heritage of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 111276 **NAME**

**TYPE** MILITARY CAMP **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SN01810124 **COMMUNITY** Lamphey

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

## **SUMMARY**

The site of a US army camp during the Second World War. A Pyper 2018

## **DESCRIPTION**

The US army were camped adjacent to the RAF dispersed hutted camp. The I and K companies of the 110th Infantry Regiment, 28th United States Infantry Division were camped here in late 1943 and early 1944 in preparation for D-Day. Aerial photographs show that the US camp was 'winterised', with rows of square concrete tent bases encircled by a concrete road. This site is now located in woodland. A Pyper 2018

## **SOURCES**

### **OTHER SOURCES**

Book PLANED A Guide to the Military Heritage of Pembrokeshire

Vertical aerial photograph RAF 1946 106G/UK1625

Documents Lt Col Philip C Grinton (US Army, Retired) US Army/Army Air Force: Units from UK Station List as of 21 February 1944.

Documents Lt Col Philip C Grinton (US Army, Retired) US Army/Army Air Force: Units from UK Station List as of 31 March 1944.

Documents Lt Col Philip C Grinton (US Army, Retired) US Army/Army Air Force: Units from UK Station List as of 14 November 1943.

Documents Lt Col Philip C Grinton (US Army, Retired) US Army/Army Air Force: Units from UK Station List as of 31 December 1943.

Article Derek Rees, Phil Howells 2004 D-Day special - 60th anniversary of the Normandy landings



7<sup>th</sup> July 1946 RAF 106G UK 1625 4349

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**PRN** 111277 **NAME**

**TYPE** FIRING RANGE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SS11919889 **COMMUNITY** Penally

**CONDITION** INTACT **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** EXTANT STRUCTURE

### SUMMARY

A 600 yard firing range was established during the Second World War and is still in use today. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

A 600 yard Gallery Range was established during the Second World War to the west of the earlier ranges (PRNs 29912, 29913), and is still in use today. A Pyper 2018

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Article Thomas, RJC 1997 Penally Training Camp

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**PRN** 111278 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** GUNPOST **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR88949731 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *Scheduled Monument PE534E* **EVIDENCE** RUINED  
STRUCTURE

### SUMMARY

A Tobruk shelter or ringstand gun position, built c 1943. Position overlooks Blucks Pool to the west and the beach to the south. Forms part of the mock German defences built to provide a training ground for British troops to practise beach landing and assault exercises prior to D-Day. A Pyper 2018.

### DESCRIPTION

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

CADW 2008 Notification of scheduling  
CADW 2008 AM107

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**PRN** 111279 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** GUNPOST **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR88789707 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *Scheduled Monument PE534G* **EVIDENCE** EXTANT  
STRUCTURE

### SUMMARY

A Tobruk shelter or ringstand gun position built c 1943. Forms part of the mock German defences built to provide a training ground for British troops to practise beach landing and assault exercises prior to D-Day. A Pyper 2018.

### DESCRIPTION

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

CADW 2008 AM107

CADW 2008 Notification of scheduling

Article Thomas, RJC 1995 Castlemartin's Little bit of Tobruk

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**PRN** 111280 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** GUNPOST **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR88719700 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *Scheduled Monument PE534I* **EVIDENCE** EXTANT  
STRUCTURE

### SUMMARY

A Tobruk shelter or ringstand gun position built c 1943. Slightly different design to others as the crew and ammunition chamber is oriented at 90degrees to the firing chamber. Forms part of the mock German defences built to provide a training ground for British troops to practise beach landing and assault exercises prior to D-Day. A Pyper 2018.

### DESCRIPTION

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Article Thomas, RJC 1995 Castlemartin's Little bit of Tobruk

CADW 2008 Notification of scheduling

CADW 2008 AM107

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**PRN** 111281 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** GUN EMPLACEMENT **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR88769701 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *Scheduled Monument PE534H* **EVIDENCE** EXTANT  
STRUCTURE

### SUMMARY

A gun emplacement for a 50mm anti-tank gun. Consists of a small pad of concrete c3metres in diameter, surrounded or enclosed by a low clay brick retaining wall c0.3 high. Forms part of the mock German defences built to provide a training ground for British troops to practise beach landing and assault exercises prior to D-Day. A Pyper based on scheduling description 2018.

### DESCRIPTION

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

CADW 2008 AM107

CADW 2008 Notification of scheduling

Article Thomas, RJC 1995 Castlemartin's Little bit of Tobruk

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**PRN** 111282 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE; CADET RANGE

**TYPE** FIRING RANGE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR96529358 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** **STATUS** *Scheduled Monument PE533* **EVIDENCE**

### SUMMARY

A firing point for cadets to train aiming and firing tanks. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

Built during the Second World War to train cadet tank crews to fire at targets both from a static point and also to fire whilst on the move - and finally to fire whilst moving over uneven ground. The firing point consists of an area of concrete hardstanding for assembly of tanks, then a long triangle which includes concrete tracks which include 'speed bumps' to simulate rough ground. To the south is a circular static firing point. A Pyper based on scheduling description 2018.

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

CADW 2008 AM107

Article Thomas, RJC 1995 Castlemartin's Little bit of Tobruk

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**PRN 111283 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** MAST **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR89449832 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** STRUCTURE

**SUMMARY**

A concrete holdfast for a mast. A Pyper 2018, based on RJC Thomas 1993.

**DESCRIPTION**

1.75m square with metal holdfast, probably for the anti-aircraft range c1942.

**SOURCES**

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 111284 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** TARGET **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR89349820 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** DAMAGED **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** ARTEFACT SCATTER

**SUMMARY**

Remains of a Churchill tank, used as a target. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES**

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 111285 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** WINCH **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR89379806 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** STRUCTURE

**SUMMARY**

A structure of railway sleepers which formed a winch bed associatd with an aerial cable target built



as part of the anti-aircraft gunnery range. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

#### DESCRIPTION

#### SOURCES

##### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 111286 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** ROAD **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR89189795 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** EXTANT STRUCTURE

#### SUMMARY

Remains of a matting road. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993

#### DESCRIPTION

Wire road matting recorded by RJC Thomas in 1993 as 30m long in 37'6" (11.44m) lengths and 10" (3.05m) wide and fixed to the ground surface with 1/4 (6.5mm) milds steel 6" (15.25cm) plates and two 2' (61cm) long spikes.

#### SOURCES

##### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 111287 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** GUN EMPLACEMENT **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR89949731 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** EXTANT STRUCTURE

#### SUMMARY

A Tobruk Shelter Type 58c gun position. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

#### DESCRIPTION

A Tobruk Shelter Type 58c gun position or Ringstand now derelict, built c1943. Semi-sunken, reinforced concrete, rectangular plan, divided into two chambers, roof flush with ground surface. Rear chamber entered by doorway in east wall, steps up from chamber allow access to octagonal

chamber with circular opening centrally set in roof. RJC. Thomas, 18 Dec 1993. Forms part of the mock German defences built to provide a training ground for British troops to practise beach landing and assault exercises prior to D-Day. A Pyper 2018.

#### SOURCES

##### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire  
Article Thomas, RJC 1995 Castlemartin's Little bit of Tobruk

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**PRN 111288 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** GUN EMPLACEMENT **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR89409751 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** EXTANT STRUCTURE

#### SUMMARY

A Tobruk Shelter Type 58c gun position. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

#### DESCRIPTION

A Tobruk Shelter Type 58c gun position or Ringstand now derelict, built c1943. Semi-sunken, reinforced concrete, rectangular plan, divided into two chambers, roof flush with ground surface. steps up from chamber allow access to octagonal chamber with circular opening centrally set in roof. RJC. Thomas, 18 Dec 1993. Forms part of the mock German defences built to provide a training ground for British troops to practise beach landing and assault exercises prior to D-Day. A Pyper 2018.

#### SOURCES

##### OTHER SOURCES

Article Thomas, RJC 1995 Castlemartin's Little bit of Tobruk  
Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 111289 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** GUN EMPLACEMENT **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR89439741 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** EXTANT STRUCTURE

#### SUMMARY

A Tobruk Shelter Type 58c gun position. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

### DESCRIPTION

A Tobruk Shelter Type 58c gun position or Ringstand now derelict, built c1943. Semi-sunken, reinforced concrete, rectangular plan, divided into two chambers, roof flush with ground surface. steps up from chamber allow access to octagonal chamber with circular opening centrally set in roof. RJC. Thomas, 18 Dec 1993. Forms part of the mock German defences built to provide a training ground for British troops to practise beach landing and assault exercises prior to D-Day. A Pyper 2018.

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Article Thomas, RJC 1995 Castlemartin's Little bit of Tobruk  
Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 111290 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** BLOCKHOUSE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR90869529 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** EXTANT STRUCTURE

### SUMMARY

Concrete rectangular blockhouse. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993

### DESCRIPTION

Single storey, rectangular , re-inforced concrete winch blockhouse. Overhead, rear and sides protected by earth and stone revetments. Double steel doors in the southwest wall. Vehicle ramp to roof. RJC Thomas 1993.

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 111291 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** BLOCKHOUSE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR91299522 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** EXTANT STRUCTURE

### SUMMARY

Concrete rectangular blockhouse. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993

### DESCRIPTION

Single storey, rectangular , re-inforced concrete winch blockhouse. Overhead, rear and sides protected by earth and stone revetments. Double steel doors in the southwest wall. Vehicle ramp to roof. RJC Thomas 1993.

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 111292 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** BLOCKHOUSE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR91109602 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** EXTANT STRUCTURE

### SUMMARY

Concrete blockhouse. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993

### DESCRIPTION

Single storey, rectangular with V-shaped projection in SW wall, re-inforced concrete observation blockhouse. Overhead, rear and sides protected by earth and stone revetments. Observation slits in V-shaped projection. RJC Thomas 1993.

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 111293 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** BLOCKHOUSE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR91409610 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** EXTANT STRUCTURE

### SUMMARY

Concrete blockhouse. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993

### DESCRIPTION

Single storey, rectangular with V-shaped projection in SW wall, re-inforced concrete observation blockhouse. Overhead, rear and sides protected by earth and stone revetments. Observation slits in V-shaped projection. RJC Thomas 1993.

## SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 111294 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** BLOCKHOUSE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR91259613 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** EXTANT STRUCTURE

## SUMMARY

Concrete blockhouse. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993

## DESCRIPTION

Single storey, re-inforced concrete blockhouse. Overhead and rear protected by earth and stone revetments. Masonry retaining walls and double steel doors in west wall. Earth vehicle ramp to roof on south elevation. Brick latrine. RJC Thomas 1993.

## SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 111295 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** TARGET **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR91379468 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** EXTANT STRUCTURE

## SUMMARY

Target butt. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993

## DESCRIPTION

120m long low earth bank with parallel trench to the rear with five pits set back int rear wall of trench. RJC Thomas 1993.

## SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 111296 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** ANTI LANDING TRENCH **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR91869482 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

#### **SUMMARY**

Trenches dug as anti-landing obstacles. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

#### **DESCRIPTION**

A grid of trenches dug in across the former airfield operated in the Anti-aircraft Co-operation role by Western Airways. Trenches extend onto Mount Sion Down. All trenches were back filled. Plotted off aerial photographs. RJC Thomas 1993

#### **SOURCES**

##### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 111297 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** ANTI LANDING TRENCH **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR93309474 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

#### **SUMMARY**

Trenches dug as anti-landing obstacles. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

#### **DESCRIPTION**

Pair of trench and mound anti-landing obstacles aligned roughly north east-south west. SR93319479 - SR93289469 (west trench) and SR93439475 - SR93409463 (east trench). Plotted off aerial photographs. RJC Thomas 1993

#### **SOURCES**

##### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 111298 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** TARGET **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR91839441 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

A target butt. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

### DESCRIPTION

170m long low earth bank aligned northwest - south east. RJC Thomas 1993.

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 111299 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** TARGET **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR91939451 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

A target butt. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

### DESCRIPTION

120m long low earth bank RJC Thomas 1993.

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 111300 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** TARGET **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR91799456 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

An irregular trench, c 2m wide and 1m deep, possibly a trackbed for a moving target. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

### DESCRIPTION

An irregular trench, c 2m wide and 1m deep, possibly a target railway trackbed as the most northerly point is occupied by a spur associated with the target railway operated from blockhouse

'T' Tango and 'U' Uniform. RJC Thomas 1993.

## SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 111301 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** BLOCKHOUSE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR92279619 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

## SUMMARY

Blockhouse 'K', shown as Unmanned on 1970 MoD plan. A Pyper 2018

## DESCRIPTION

Identified by RJC Thomas 1993 from aerial photographs.

## SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES

Map MoD 1970 Castlemartin RAC Range, Map six inches to one mile.

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 111302 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** BLOCKHOUSE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR91959661 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

## SUMMARY

Blockhouse 'Y', shown as Unmanned on 1970 MoD plan. A Pyper 2018

## DESCRIPTION

Single storey, semi-sunken, rectangular with projecting V plan southwest wall, re-inforced concrete. Protected from rear, flanks and overhead by earth and stone revetments. Observation slits in projection. Steel door. RJC Thomas 1993

## SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES

Map MoD 1970 Castlemartin RAC Range, Map six inches to one mile.



Map MoD 1989 Castlemartin RAC Range, Map 1:25000

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 111303 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** BLOCKHOUSE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR92509661 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

Blockhouse 'H', shown as Dugout on 1970 MoD plan. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

Single storey. semi-sunken, rectangular with projecting V plan southwest wall, re-inforced concrete. Protected from rear, flanks and overhead by earth and stone revetments. Observation slits in projection. Steel door. RJC Thomas, 1993.

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Map MoD 1989 Castlemartin RAC Range, Map 1:25000

Map MoD 1970 Castlemartin RAC Range, Map six inches to one mile.

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**PRN 111304 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** BLOCKHOUSE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR91839688 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

Blockhouse 'A', shown on 1970 MoD plan. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

Single storey, rectangular, re-inforced concrete winch blockhouse associated with a moving target range. Protected from rear and overhead by earth and stone revetments. Double and single steel door in southwest wall. Adjacent brick built latrine. RJC Thomas, 1993.

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Map MoD 1989 Castlemartin RAC Range, Map 1:25000

Map MoD 1970 Castlemartin RAC Range, Map six inches to one mile.

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 111305 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** TARGET **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR91719700 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### **SUMMARY**

A target track for a moving target. A Pyper 2018

### **DESCRIPTION**

300m long target railway laid within a sunken trackbed, associated with blockhouse 'A'. RJC Thomas, 1993.

### **SOURCES**

#### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Map MoD 1989 Castlemartin RAC Range, Map 1:25000

Map MoD 1970 Castlemartin RAC Range, Map six inches to one mile.

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**PRN 111306 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** AIRFIELD **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR93409655 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### **SUMMARY**

A grass airstrip. A Pyper 2018

### **DESCRIPTION**

A grass airstrip on a fairly flat open ground to the southwest of the main camp. The western limit and width of runway marked by two opposed L shaped concrete markers. Latterly used by De Havilland Beaver liaison aircraft. RJC Thomas 1993. Recorded on the 1970 RAC map.

### **SOURCES**

#### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Map MoD 1970 Castlemartin RAC Range, Map six inches to one mile.

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**PRN 111307 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** CONTROL TOWER **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR93789658 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

**SUMMARY**

Steel frame glazed control tower. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993

**DESCRIPTION**

**SOURCES**

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 111308 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** ARMY CAMP **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR94909593 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

**SUMMARY**

A hutted camp consisting of Nissen huts and connecting tracks and services. A Pyper 2018.

**DESCRIPTION**

Identified from 1946 Aerial Photographs, recent aerial photos show the area has been returned to grazing. A Pyper 2018

**SOURCES**

**OTHER SOURCES**

Vertical aerial photograph RAF 1946 106G/UK1625

Aerial photograph Next Perspectives 2009 Digital aerial photo mapping

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**PRN 111309 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** BLOCKHOUSE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR92119496 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

Blockhouse 'T', shown on 1970 MoD plan. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

Single storey, rectangular, re-inforced concrete winch blockhouse associated with a moving target range. Protected from rear and overhead by earth and stone revetments. Re-inforced concrete retaining wall. Double and single steel door in southwest wall. Adjacent brick built latrine. RJC Thomas, 1993.

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Map MoD 1989 Castlemartin RAC Range, Map 1:25000

Map MoD 1970 Castlemartin RAC Range, Map six inches to one mile.

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**PRN** 111310 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** BLOCKHOUSE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR92489484 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

Blockhouse 'U', shown on 1970 MoD plan. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

Single storey, rectangular, re-inforced concrete winch blockhouse associated with a moving target range. Protected from rear and overhead by earth and stone revetments. Re-inforced concrete retaining wall. Double and single steel door in southwest wall. Adjacent brick built latrine. RJC Thomas, 1993.

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Map MoD 1970 Castlemartin RAC Range, Map six inches to one mile.

Map MoD 1989 Castlemartin RAC Range, Map 1:25000

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 111311 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** TARGET **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR92149493 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

#### **SUMMARY**

A target track for a moving target. A Pyper 2018

#### **DESCRIPTION**

880m long target railway laid within a sunken trackbed, protected to the north by a bank. Associated with blockhouses 'T' and 'U'. RJC Thomas, 1993.

#### **SOURCES**

##### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire  
Map MoD 1989 Castlemartin RAC Range, Map 1:25000  
Map MoD 1970 Castlemartin RAC Range, Map six inches to one mile.

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**PRN** 111312 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** ANTI LANDING TRENCH **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR93659462 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

#### **SUMMARY**

Trenches and mound dug as anti-landing obstacles. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993.

#### **DESCRIPTION**

A trenches aligned northeast-southwest. Plotted off aerial photographs. RJC Thomas 1993

#### **SOURCES**

##### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 111313 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** TARGET **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR93409495 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

#### **SUMMARY**

A target track for a moving target. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

A dismantled 470m long target railway laid within a sunken trackbed, protected to the north by a bank. Aligned east-west with a loop at western end. RJC Thomas, 1993.

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 111314 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** BLOCKHOUSE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR93449477 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

Blockhouse, shown on 1970 MoD plan. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

Single storey, semi-sunken, rectangular, re-inforced concrete observation blockhouse with projecting V plan southwest wall. Protected from rear, flanks and overhead by earth and stone revetments. Observation slits in projection. Steel door. RJC Thomas, 1993.

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 111315 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** BLOCKHOUSE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR93599478 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

Blockhouse 'W', associated with moving target range shown on 1970 MoD plan. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

Single storey, rectangular, re-inforced concrete flat roof winch blockhouse. Protected to rear (north), by earth and stone revetments. Steel door in east wall, observation window in west wall. Winch for target railway. RJC Thomas, 1993.

## SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Map MoD 1989 Castlemartin RAC Range, Map 1:25000

Map MoD 1970 Castlemartin RAC Range, Map six inches to one mile.

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**PRN 111316 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** TARGET **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR94149506 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

A moving target range. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

A 220m target railway laid within a sunken trackbed, protected to the north by an earht bank. Associated with two blockhouses at each end of the track. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 1993.

## SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 111317 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** BLOCKHOUSE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR94029504 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

A blockhouse associated with a moving target range. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

Single storey, semi-sunken rectangular with projecting V plan southwest wall, re-inforced concrete observation blockhouse. Protected from rear, flanks and overhead by earth and stone revetments. Observation slits in projection. Steel door. RJC Thomas 1993.

## SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

**PRN 111318 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** BLOCKHOUSE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR94249507 **COMMUNITY** Castlemartin

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

#### **SUMMARY**

A blockhouse associated with a moving target range. A Pyper 2018

#### **DESCRIPTION**

Single storey, semi-sunken rectangular , re-inforced concrete winch blockhouse. Protected from rear (north), flanks and overhead by earth and stone revetments. Double doorway in west wall accessed by concrete ramp. RJC Thomas 1993.

#### **SOURCES**

##### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 111319 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** BLOCKHOUSE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR94599508 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

#### **SUMMARY**

A blockhouse associated with a moving target range. A Pyper 2018

#### **DESCRIPTION**

Single storey, semi-sunken rectangular , re-inforced concrete blockhouse. Protected from rear, flanks and overhead by earth and stone revetments. RJC Thomas 1993.

#### **SOURCES**

##### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 111320 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** BLOCKHOUSE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR94889503 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE



### SUMMARY

A blockhouse associated with a moving target range. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

Single storey, semi-sunken rectangular , re-inforced concrete blockhouse. Protected from rear, flanks and overhead by earth and stone revetments. RJC Thomas 1993.

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 111321 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** TARGET **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR94739505 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

A moving target range. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

A 330m target railway laid within a sunken trackbed, protected to the north by an earth bank. Associated with two blockhouses at each end of the track. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 1993.

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 111322 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** BLOCKHOUSE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR94689496 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

A blockhouse associated with a target range. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

Single storey, semi-sunken rectangular, with projecting V plan south wall, re-inforced concrete

observation blockhouse. Protected from rear, flanks and overhead by earth and stone revetments. Observation slits in projection, Steel door. RJC Thomas 1993.

#### **SOURCES**

##### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 111323 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** BLOCKHOUSE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR95279494 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

#### **SUMMARY**

A blockhouse associated with a moving target range. A Pyper 2018

#### **DESCRIPTION**

Single storey, semi-sunken rectangular , re-inforced concrete winch blockhouse. Protected from rear (north), flanks and overhead by earth and stone revetments. Double doorway in southwest wall accessed by concrete ramp. RJC Thomas 1993.

#### **SOURCES**

##### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 111324 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** TARGET **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR95159479 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

#### **SUMMARY**

A moving target range. A Pyper 2018

#### **DESCRIPTION**

A 330m target railway running east west laid within a sunken trackbed, protected to the north by an earth bank. Associated with two blockhouses at each end of the track. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 1993.

#### **SOURCES**

## OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 111325 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** TARGET **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR95119474 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

## SUMMARY

A moving target range. A Pyper 2018

## DESCRIPTION

A 470m long target railway running southwest - northeast laid within a sunken trackbed. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 1993.

## SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 111326 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** BLOCKHOUSE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR95269476 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

## SUMMARY

A blockhouse associated with a moving target range. A Pyper 2018

## DESCRIPTION

Single storey, semi-sunken rectangular, reinforced concrete observation blockhouse. Protected from rear (north), flanks and overhead by earth and stone revetments. Steel door and small observation port in south wall. RJC Thomas 1993.

## SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 111327 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** BLOCKHOUSE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR95259449 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

#### **SUMMARY**

A blockhouse associated with a moving target range. A Pyper 2018

#### **DESCRIPTION**

Single storey, semi-sunken rectangular , re-inforced concrete observation blockhouse. Protected from rear (north), flanks and overhead by earth and stone revetments. Steel door and small observation port in south wall. RJC Thomas 1993.

#### **SOURCES**

##### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 111328 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** TARGET **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR95109453 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

#### **SUMMARY**

A moving target range. A Pyper 2018

#### **DESCRIPTION**

A 340m long target railway laid within a sunken trackbed with loop towards the western extremity. Terminates to the west at southern extremity of target railway and to the east at blockhouse. A Pyper based on RJC Thomas 1993.

#### **SOURCES**

##### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 111329 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** FIRING RANGE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR93369545 **COMMUNITY** community

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

A triangular looped road for the firing of tanks. A Pyper

### DESCRIPTION

A triangular loop of concrete road. RJC Thomas 1993

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 111330 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** BLOCKHOUSE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR94669411 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

A blockhouse associated with a moving target range. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

Single storey, semi-sunken rectangular with projecting V plan south wall, re-inforced concrete observation blockhouse. Protected from rear, flanks and overhead by earth and stone revetments. Observation slits in projection. Steel door. RJC Thomas 1993.

### SOURCES

#### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 111331 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** BLOCKHOUSE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR94259412 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

A blockhouse associated with a moving target range. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

Single storey, semi-sunken rectangular with projecting V plan south wall, re-inforced concrete

observation blockhouse. Protected from rear, flanks and overhead by earth and stone revetments. Observation slits in projection. Steel door. RJC Thomas 1993.

#### SOURCES

##### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN** 111332 **NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMoured CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** BLOCKHOUSE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR95279390 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

#### SUMMARY

A blockhouse associated with a moving target range. A Pyper 2018

#### DESCRIPTION

Single storey, semi-sunken rectangular, re-inforced concrete observation blockhouse. Protected from rear (north), flanks and overhead by earth and stone revetments. Steel door and small observationport in south wall. RJC Thomas 1993.

#### SOURCES

##### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire



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**PRN 111333 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** BLOCKHOUSE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR95449412 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

**SUMMARY**

A blockhouse associated with a moving target range. A Pyper 2018

**DESCRIPTION**

Single storey, semi-sunken rectangular, re-inforced concrete observation blockhouse. Protected from rear (northeast), flanks and overhead by earth and stone revetments. RJC Thomas 1993.

**SOURCES**

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 111334 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** TARGET **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR95379415 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

**SUMMARY**

A target track for a moving target. A Pyper 2018

**DESCRIPTION**

170m long target railway laid within a sunken trackbed, protected to the northeast by a bank. Associated with blockhouse. RJC Thomas, 1993.

**SOURCES**

**OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

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**PRN 111335 NAME** CASTLEMARTIN ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS RANGE

**TYPE** TARGET **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SR95909400 **COMMUNITY** Stackpole

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

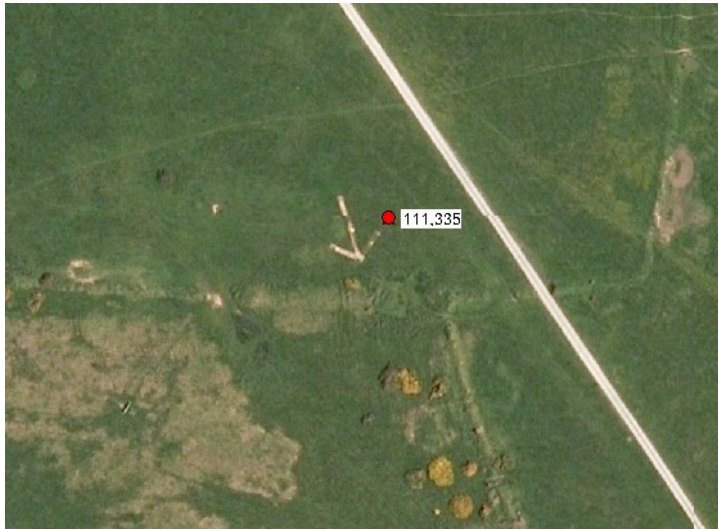
A concrete direction arrow pointing south-southeast. A Pyper 2018 based on RJC Thomas 1993

### DESCRIPTION

### SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire



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**PRN** 111336 **NAME** MILFORD HAVEN APPROACHES

**TYPE** FIRING RANGE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SM8303 **COMMUNITY** Maritime

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### SUMMARY

A maritime naval range in use in 1945. A Pyper 2018

### DESCRIPTION

There are two Naval Ranges listed on the map and appendix SD559 List of Firing Ranges or West & South Wales, listed as N104 and N105 (formerly N48 C and D) Milford Haven Approaches, facilities are listed as Guns and Heavy & Light Anti Aircraft guns used by H.M. Ships under the controlling authority of F.O.I.C Milford Haven (Flag Officer In Charge). A Pyper 2018 based on SD 559 map and appendix 1945.

### SOURCES

### OTHER SOURCES



Map 1945 SECRET Appendix to SD 559 List of Firing Ranges of which the location and danger height are shown on SD 559, Edition of May, 1945

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**PRN 111337 NAME** DELPHI GARAGE

**TYPE** MILITARY HEADQUARTERS **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SN13280046 **COMMUNITY** Tenby

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### **SUMMARY**

The headquarters and indoor training for D company 1st Battalion Pembrokeshire Home Guard was located in the Delphi Garage on South Parade. A Pyper 2018.

### **DESCRIPTION**

### **SOURCES**

#### **OTHER SOURCES**

Mention Tipton, John 1986 Tenby during World War II

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**PRN 111338 NAME** MANORBIER SCHOOL OF ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY; AIR DEFENCE RANGE MANORBIER;

**TYPE** FIRING RANGE **PERIOD** MODERN

**NGR** SS07509703 **COMMUNITY** Manorbier

**CONDITION** NOT KNOWN **STATUS** *None recorded* **EVIDENCE** DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

### **SUMMARY**

A training range in continued use since 1937. A Pyper 2018

### **DESCRIPTION**

A training school consisting of a complex of huts, anti-aircraft gun emplacements, training facilities, parade ground, accommodation including purpose built married quarters.

The Air Defence Range was established in 1972 following the closure of the School of Anti-Aircraft Artillery Manorbier and combined the field and anti-aircraft Schools of Artillery at Larkhill.

A Pyper 2018.

### **SOURCES**

#### **OTHER SOURCES**

Report RJC Thomas 1994 Survey of 19th and 20th C Military Buildings of Pembrokeshire

Booklet His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the War Department 1941 Manorbier Anti-Aircraft Artillery Range Byelaws

Booklet His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the War Department 1939 Manorbier Machine Gun Anti-Aircraft Range Byelaws

Map 1945 SECRET Appendix to SD 559 List of Firing Ranges of which the location and danger height are shown on SD 559, Edition of May, 1945

Manorbier S.A.A.A. Camp 1958 (Pembrokeshire Archives HDX/1588/18-E-9)



Medmenham 24<sup>th</sup> April 1942 M2330\_18



Manorbier S.A.A.A. Camp 1958 (Pembrokeshire Archives HDX/1588/18-E-9)

Archaeological data, from the Regional Historic Environment Record, supplied by The Dyfed Archaeological Trust in partnership with Local Authorities, Cadw and the partners of ENDEX DAT, 2011 (and in part Crown, 2011).



## **Second World War and later Camps and Ranges; South Pembrokeshire**

### **Desk-Based Assessment**

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