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Templeton

Camp

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Known as Sentence Camp. Tradition goes that the Templars held a court on this camp, hence the name. ("Templeton owes its name to the fact of its having been the Pembrokeshire home of the Knights Templars, being a branch from Templecombe, Somerset. The Templars were probably established here 1150-1180, and their lands passed to the Hospitallers of Slebech about 1333". J. Roger Rees). Sentence Camp is an earthen castle with a ditch round it, such as were used both by Welsh and Normans just before stone castles were built.