

101 No. 10

Castlemartin

Earthwork

SG4

This earthwork has given its name to the Hundred. Who Martin was is unknown, but unlikely to have been that "Martin of the Towers" who conquered North Pembrokeshire. The earthwork may have been originally sepulchral, but if so was modified, probably by the Normans, and fortified with a palisade, this being the earliest form of Norman castle in Pembrokeshire. Castlemartin was never a stone and mortar castle. Fenton, 406.

Double entered after conversation
with GHW, due to OS reports

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OWNERSHIP AND TENANCY DETAILS

DATE

COMPILED'S NAME: