

Sea views and no neighbours - island fort goes back on sale

A HISTORIC fort in the middle of the Milford Haven waterway is once again up for sale.

The Grade-II listed Stack Rock Fort is on offer for the price of £295,000, via FBM Estate and Letting Agents' website.

Last June, the property was listed for £400,000 on the estate agent website Purplebricks.

The FBM website bills Stack Rock Fort as "the chance to purchase your very own Grade-II listed fort off the coastal town of Milford Haven which history states was constructed between the years of 1850 - 1852."

The fort was constructed as a gun fort in the Victorian era to protect Milford Haven in the event of an invasion by sea.

FBM is looking for cash buyers who can prove they have the money up front before any viewings take place.

In its glory days, Stack Rock was armed with sixteen 18-ton guns, and manned by

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up to 150 men.

A small consignment of men also manned the fort during the First World War.

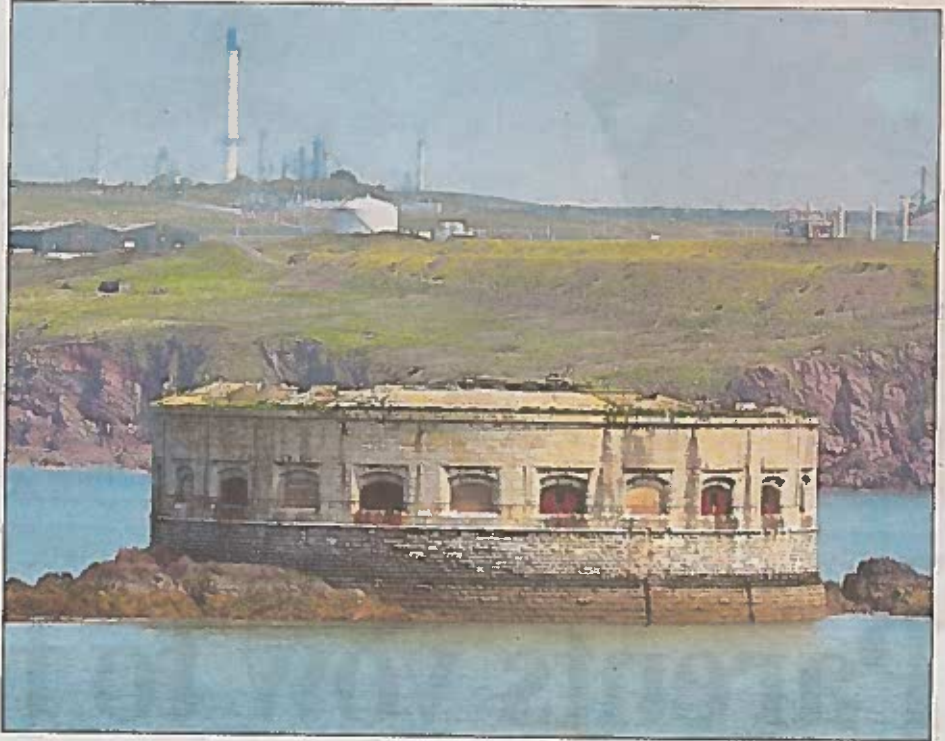
In 2015, it was put up for sale for £150,000.

Made up of three floors with spiral staircases, with canon rooms, and former sleeping quarters, the island provides a 360-degree view of the Haven waterway.

Several coastal defences around the waterway have been put up for sale recently or touted for renovation work.

Plans to convert Hubberston Fort into a support centre for armed forces veterans, were dropped in March.

Pembroke Dock's Defensible Barracks has been put up for auction several times and the future of the Front Street Gun Tower in Pembroke Dock, set to be sold by the county council, remains unresolved.



Stack Rock Fort near Milford Haven is up for sale. PICTURE: Martin Cavaney

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