

South West Region

DEVON

**North Devon**

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**WEST CHALLACOMBE FARM, COMBE MARTIN.**

*West Challacombe Farm, Come Martin. Archaeological and Historical Landscape Survey*

Berry, N. Cirencester : National Trust, 2002, 68pp, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* National Trust

The field work and the background research identified no evidence of prehistoric field systems. The earliest features identified related to the farm house and boundaries thought to be of medieval origin. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* MD, PM

**South Hams**

3/1204 (E.18.F002)

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**CROWNHILL DOWN AND RIDDING DOWN, SOUTH HAMS**

*The Archaeological Landscape of Crownhill Down and Ridding Down, South Hams, Devon*

Fletcher, M Exeter : English Heritage, 2002, 11pp, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* English Heritage

The survey was carried out to determine the archaeological character of the area. Riding Down was found to be both archaeologically important and extremely fragile. Two Scheduled barrows and medieval banks were the predominant features in the area, as well as prehistoric reaves. Crownhill Down was seen to have a unique ridge-top barrow alignment. Over-stocking on the Down, horse-riding and off-road cycling was thought to be responsible for the poor state of preservation of the site. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* BA, MD, PR

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**TOTNES CASTLE**

*Totnes Castle. Archaeological Watching Brief*

Brown, S Exeter : Stewart Brown Associates, 2002, 10pp, pls, figs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Stewart Brown Associates

The investigation followed the appearance of a void just outside the shell keep of the Norman motte. A 19th of 20th century stone-built water tank was revealed, as well as the remains of two earlier walls that were associated with a structure built against the keep wall. Documentary evidence had suggested that a house had been located here. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* MO, PM