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Houghton Resurgent

As if maintaining the house, park and estate at Houghton is not enough, its owner **Lord Cholmondeley** has embarked on an ambitious programme of embellishment, both to park and gardens. Here he outlines his progress so far. Not only lost features returning, but contemporary ones are also starting to make an impact

Norfolk Shell Houses

Shells have found their way into gardens as decorative features since Roman times. The fashion for their use has waxed and waned, and the buildings which contained them have proved even more fragile. **George Carter** reveals some Norfolk survivors

Rooms with a View

If ones garden commanded a view, to construct a Gazebo from which to admire it would seem a natural progression. **Gareth Hughes** uncovers some examples amid the pastoral prospects of Thorpe

Shrouded in Decay

Patsy Dallas unearths a rare garden survivor, remarkable traces of a Stuart garden, at West Dereham Grange

Repton at Catton

The Landscaped Park at Catton, now part of Norwich, has long been considered to be Humphrey Repton's first major work.

Tom Williamson challenges the extent of Repton's involvement and in doing so our perception of the importance of 'great names'

Wolterton Makeover

This leading Landscape 'Gardener of his day', William Sawrey Gilpin visited Wolterton Hall in the 1820's to advise on changes to the landscape. **Roger Last** finds out what was proposed and something of Gilpin's approach to landscape

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