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Sir Thomas Webster, 1st Baronet

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BIOGRAPHY

Sir Thomas Webster was a London financier, landowner and politician who acquired the Battle Abbey estate in 1721 from the 6th Viscount Montagu. The acquisition included several Sussex manors, including Agmerhurst.

NOTES / SOURCES

The specific Agmerhurst inclusion is stated in the estate description associated with the 1721 purchase.

Research sources:

- Henry Whistler, Whistler, Henry , Epsom and Ewell History Explorer, citing Rose Fuller

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Huntington Library, Battle Abbey Archives, 1077-circa 1830; English Heritage, History of Battle

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