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John Aylmer

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BIOGRAPHY

John Aylmer was an English churchman who became Bishop of London in 1577. He was a Protestant cleric and writer and acquired Suffolk property, including Akenham and Claydon, with or for the benefit of his son Samuel.

NOTES / SOURCES

The Akenham purchase is recorded as occurring in 1586 in the manor history; the legal-history account dates the broader Aylmer acquisition to the 1580s.

Research sources:

- Historical account of Akenham Manor in the Beaumont Collection catalogue; W. P. Hills, Claydon and Mockbeggars Hall, Proceedings of the Suffolk Institute of Archaeology and History, volume XXIII, 1937, pages 8-10.

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