

CAPABILITY BROWN
& BELVOIR

DISCOVERING A LOST LANDSCAPE

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CAPABILITY BROWN
 drew his proposals for the Belvoir
 landscape twice: this large scroll
 for hanging on a wall and a
 much smaller one for the book
 of proposals which was easier to
 transport and take outside

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**AN EVENING VIEW OF THE
 CASTLE** from one of Brown's
 viewpoints, the now demolished
 St. James's Church at Woolsthorpe

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VIEW TOWARDS HARSTON
from the Private Terrace



'A Plan for the intended Alterations at BELVOIR CASTLE the Seat of HIS GRACE the DUKE of RUTLAND by L. BROWN, 1780', from Brown's Book of 10 proposals

OPPOSITE

A BIRD'S EYE VIEW OF THE CASTLE AND ESTATE, spring 2015, taken from the same angle as Brown's map of proposed alterations. One of the biggest differences is that the main driveway, built in the early 1800s, leads into the parkland above the village of Harston from the oak avenue on the Denton road at the top left of the picture. Brown's drive was intended further south from the village of Harston

