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# John Aubrey (1626-1697)

(English biographer and antiquarian, b. Easton-Piers, Wiltshire, of declining gentry. St. Blandford School, Dorset, Trinity College, Oxford, and Middle Temple. Identified Avebury as prehistoric site, Fellow of Royal Society. Ruined early 1670s, lived on friends. Friend of Anthony à Wood, Thomas Hobbes; d. Oxford, buried Church of St Mary Madalene, Oxford; many unpub. manuscripts on antiquities, toponymy, curiosities, psychic phenomena, etc. in Bodleian Library)

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