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The former Barcote Manor is now four separate homes

Period properties which both boast colourful histories

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TWO unusual and elegant homes with fascinating histories are available to let.

Both also give tenants access to beautiful grounds.

The first is a house that is part of the Bliss Mill development in Chipping Norton.

The converted mill, which is Grade II-listed, was built in 1872 for manufacturer William Bliss, to make tweed cloth from local wool.

The five-storey building, styled to look like a country house, still has a large chimney, once used for the furnace that powered the mill's steam machinery.

The open-plan living/dining room of the property for rent has a vaulted ceiling and there

are three double bedrooms, an en suite shower room and a separate family bathroom.

It has a garage and is within walking distance of Chipping Norton town centre.

Tenants also have full use of the Bliss Mill grounds, an indoor swimming pool, sauna, gym, squash and tennis courts.

It is available to let, unfurnished, at £1,995 per month through Finders Keepers.

Another beautiful period property with a colourful history is a house which was originally part of Barcote Manor.

The grounds of Barcote Park, near Buckland, were designed by Capability Brown.

The manor became a boarding school before being converted into four separate homes.

The house available for rent has a drawing room with a

fireplace and there is also a secret staircase which leads to the tower plus a kitchen and basement.

There are four double rooms and two bathrooms.

Tenants have roaming rights in beautiful Barcote Park and have use of a garage and off-road parking.

It is available to let unfurnished from mid-September at £3,250 a month through Finders Keepers.

KEY FACTS

Bliss Mill in Chipping Norton
£1,995 per month

House in Barcote Park,
near Buckland
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Bliss Mill in Chipping Norton, right, which used to make tweed, closed in 1980 and was later converted into homes

