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**Oveys Farm,
High Street,
Cookham,
Berkshire**

**Archaeological Evaluation
Written Scheme of Investigation**

NGR SU 896 853

1 Introduction

- 1.1 Planning permission has been granted by the Royal Borough of Windsor and Maidenhead (08/01084), for the construction of a two storey side extension and a single story rear extension to Oveys Farm, High Street, Cookham, Berkshire. A condition is attached to the permission that requires a programme of archaeological works to be undertaken prior to the construction of the development.
- 1.2 Discussions with Fiona MacDonald at Berkshire Archaeology and Oxford Archaeology have resulted in a small field evaluation being required on the site.
- 1.3 This document forms a Written Scheme of Investigation outlining how OA will carry out the evaluation. The main part of this document is site specific, while the appendices outline general OA standards and practice.

2 Location and Geology

- 2.1 The site lies on the north side of the High Street, Cookham, Berkshire at NGR: SU 896 853. The site is in use as a residential garden to the rear of the main building. The site lies at approximately 26.5 m above OD.
- 2.2 The underlying geology is Floodplain Terrace Gravels. (BGS. sheet 255)

3 Archaeological and Historical Background

- 3.1 Oveys farmhouse is situated in Cookham High Street opposite the house where Sir Stanley Spencer the famous painter lived and worked. This was formerly a working farm and the subject of Spencer's painting 'The Farm Gate'. It is set back from the road with a front garden behind a brick boundary wall.
- 3.2 The house is listed Grade II and is timber framed with the black stained frame showing on the exterior, infilled with whitewashed brick nogging. The roof is pitched and clad in plain clay tiles. The house is a medieval hall house of five

bays with a later inserted floor and later timber-framed extension to the rear. Most of the original frame survives excepting the roof which has been completely replaced excepting some timbers in the west gable. A central empty mortice in a cambered tie beam at the west end implies that originally there was a crown post roof.

- 3.3 Originally the house had a service bay at the east end with buttery and pantry on the ground floor reached from the screens passage by adjacent pointed arched headed doorways, these survive but one has lost the arched head. The dividing wall between the service rooms has been removed but the mortices for it survive in a ceiling joist.
- 3.4 The central hall was of two bays and would have reached to the rafters, with one open truss. This space has had a floor inserted, probably in the 16th century and the crossframe below the tiebeam has been infilled on the first floor to further subdivide the upstairs. The high end of the house was west of the hall and was of two bays with a floor. The upper chamber would probably have been open to the rafters originally but a later ceiling has been inserted. There are also empty mortices for joists on the central tie beam in the upstairs bedroom suggesting there was an earlier ceiling/loft floor.
- 3.5 Some early wattle and daub infill survives in the partition walls and in what was the rear external wall now enclosed within the rear extension which was probably added in the 16th century.
- 3.6 A brick chimney stack has been added to the west wall of the house, and the west wall of the house and earlier addition where the proposed extension is to be added have been infilled with later brick nogging, but the timber-framing is still in situ and will be recorded prior to the development.

4 Aims

- 4.1 To establish the presence or absence of archaeological remains within the proposed development area.
- 4.2 To determine the extent, condition, nature, character, quality and date of any archaeological remains affected by the proposed works.
- 4.3 To establish the ecofactual and environmental potential of archaeological deposits and features within the site and to take samples where appropriate.

To make available the results of the investigation

5 Strategy

- 5.1 Five Trial Pits will be excavated along the north - south axis of the footprint of the proposed development. Each Pit will measure 1.2 x 1.2 m. (See accompanying plan).

- 5.2 Excavation of archaeological features will be undertaken to fulfil the basic objective of retrieval of archaeological data affected by the works.
- 5.3 Human remains will be located and planned and left *in-situ*.
- 5.4 All features and deposits will be issued with unique context numbers, and context recording will be in accordance with the established OA *Field Manual* (OAU 1992). All contexts, and any small finds and samples from them will be allocated unique numbers. Bulk finds will be collected by context. Colour transparency and black-and-white negative photographs will be taken of all trenches and archaeological features.
- 5.5 Provision will be made for taking environmental/organic samples in accordance with OA Environmental procedures (OA 2000).
- 5.6 A plan at a scale of 1:100 will be made of all exposed archaeological features noting all visible relationships. Detailed plans of complex features will normally be drawn at 1:20. The site grid will be accurately tied into the National Grid and located on a 1:2500 plan of the area. The site plan will be generated digitally by an EDM Total Station with AutoCAD software. The plan will be tied into the 1:2500 OS map.
- 5.7 Surface finds will be collected during/after machining, by context, to allow provisional dating/characteristics of the site to be determined.
- 5.8 Spoil heaps and stripped surfaces will be monitored and metal detected to aid the spatial distribution of finds.
- 5.9 All field work and recording will adhere to the standards laid down by the IFA *Standard Guidance for Archaeological Watching Briefs (2001)* and OA's standards as laid down in *Fieldwork Manual* (OA, 1st edition. ed. D. Wilkinson, 1992)
- 5.10 The project will be carried out by a suitably qualified OA Supervisor and an appropriate team of archaeologists, under the direction of Dan Dodds, Head of Small Works and under the overall direction of Nick Shepherd, OA Head of Fieldwork.
- 5.11 The watching brief will be monitored by a representative of Berkshire Archaeology.
- 5.12 OA procedures and standards are outlined in Appendix 1. All sub-sections are relevant.

6 Report and Archive

- 6.1 A client report (appendix 8) on the results of the investigation will be completed within three weeks of the end of the fieldwork. The project supervisor and OA finds specialists will undertake the report stage under the direction of the project

manager. Copies will be forwarded to the client. Two copies of the report will be submitted to Berkshire Archaeology and the SMR.

- 6.2 A fieldwork summary form shall be submitted to the Archaeology Data Service as part of the OASIS scheme.
- 6.3 If environmental remains are recovered, then the staff from the OA Environmental Department will scan these to assess the potential of the remains. Detailed analysis, if required, would normally be undertaken by the University Museum, Oxford.

A list of specialists used by OA is presented below:

Specialist	Subject
Richard McPhail (UCL)	Soil micromorphologist
Mark Robinson (Oxford University Museum)	Plant remains analysis
Mark Robinson (Oxford University Museum)	Molluscs
Rob Scaife (Freelance)	Pollen analysis
Dr Louise Loe (OA)	Osteoarchaeologist
Paul Miles (OA)	Computer manager
Matt Bradley (OA)	Head of Geomatics
Leigh Allen (OA)	Finds manager
Dr Rebecca Nicholson (OA)	Environmental manager
Vanessa Fell (Oxford Institute of Archaeology)	Conservator
Kate Cramp (OA)	Lithic analysis
Paul Booth (OA)	Roman pottery
Paul Blinkhorn/Duncan Brown (Freelance)	Saxon/medieval/post-medieval pottery
Chris Salter (Oxford University)	Slag
Liz Stafford (OA)	Geoarchaeologist
Cecily Cropper (Freelance)	Glass
Ian Scott (Freelance)	Metalwork
Dan Miles (Freelance)	Worked wood/Dendrochronology
FayWorley/ Lena Strid (OA)	Animal bone analysis
Belfast Laboratory	C14 dating
Sarah Hall (Oxford Archaeological Research Laboratory)	Thermoluminescence dating

- 6.4 The County Museums Service, if required, will undertake finds conservation.
- 6.5 The site archive including finds (subject to the landowner's agreement) will be deposited with the County Museums Service in an approved format.
- 6.6 A final report will be produced and an appropriate archaeological journal or monograph will be used to publish the findings. The appropriate level of publication will be dependent on the significance of the fieldwork results, but as a minimum a note will be submitted for inclusion in the relevant local journal.

- 6.7 On completion of the fieldwork the site archive will be prepared in the format agreed with the relevant local museum, who will be consulted concerning their requirements. The site archive will be security copied and a copy deposited with the NAR before post-excavation analysis begins or as soon thereafter as can be conveniently arranged. The Museum will be consulted about their conditions for accepting excavated material prior to commencement of the whole project including discussion regarding archiving or reintering human remains.
- 6.8 The site archive (paper and photographic record, artefacts and environmental samples) will be prepared for long-term storage in accordance with *Guidelines for the preparation of excavation archives for long term storage* (Walker 1990 - UKIC) and *Standards in the Museum Care of Archaeological Collections* (Museums and Galleries Commission 1992).

7 Health and Safety

- 7.1 All OA project fieldwork is undertaken in accordance with all relevant current Health and Safety Legislation. This includes in particular the following regulations (the list is not intended to be exhaustive):

Health and Safety at Work Act 1974
Construction (Design and management) Regulations 1994
The management of Health and Safety at Work Regulations 1992
Personal Protective Equipment at Work Regulations 1992
Work Equipment Regulations 1992
Manual Handling Operations Regulations 1992
Workplace (Health, Safety and Welfare) Regulations 1992

- 7.2 The OA has its own Health and Safety Policy which refers to the manual Health and Safety in Field Archaeology (SCAUM 1997), and these two documents constitute the Health and Safety arrangements of the OA. The Director of OA is ultimately responsible under the terms of the Health and Safety Act (1974) for ensuring the safety of employees. He must know the broad requirements of relevant legislation; attend meetings of the OA Health and Safety Committee; ensure that responsibility for health and safety is properly assigned and accepted at all levels. The Director of the OA is David Jennings.
- 7.3 The Health and Safety Co-ordinator of the OA: represents the director on matters of health and safety; keeps abreast of relevant legislation and approved practice, and disseminates this information to OA staff; advises staff as required on matters of health and safety; maintains the OA health and safety records; calls and chairs meetings of the OA Health and Safety Committee. The Health and Safety Co-ordinator is Dan Poore.
- 7.4 The Project Director is the person delegated to take overall charge of a particular project. She/he is responsible for health and safety matters on the projects that they manage, reporting to the Safety Officer in the first instance, and ultimately to OA's Director. She/he must be satisfied that an adequate safety plan has been drawn up for the project, or for each phase of the project.

The Project Director may also be the Project Manager in some cases (see below).

- 7.5 Individual Project Supervisors/Managers are the persons delegated to take charge of a particular phase or part of the overall project. They are responsible for ensuring that for each site that they are in charge of an adequate Risk Assessment and any amendments or additions to the Site Safety Plan have been drawn up prior to work starting on site, and they are immediately responsible for the Health and Safety of employees and sub-contractors under their supervision. They report directly to the Project Director and OA Safety Officer. The OA Health and Safety Committee consists of the Director, Safety Officer, OA Manager and the Site Staff Representative. The Safety Officer normally calls meetings of the Committee when there is business for discussion, but may be called by other members of the committee.
- 7.6 OA's independent Health and Safety Consultants are Safety Services Ltd, Stanton Harcourt, Oxon, who are consulted with regard to matters such as deep trenching, shoring and working in confined spaces.
- 7.7 Prior to the project a pro-forma OA Health and Safety audit check list is completed by the project manager/supervisor and passed to the OA safety Officer for comment. A Risk Assessment document may also be completed. The Project Manager/supervisor ensures that the following information is available to the excavation team copy of the HSE poster 'Health and Safety Law - What You should Know', copy of the Safety Plan and Risk Assessment, Emergency Information Sheet giving details of nearest hospital etc, copy of the Notification of Project to HSE, location of an accident book.

8 References

- BCAS 2008 *Brief for an Archaeological Field Evaluation (Trial Trenching)*
- IFA 2001 *Standard Guidance for Archaeological Watching Briefs*
- OA 1992 *Fieldwork Manual* (1st edition. ed. D. Wilkinson)
- OA 2008 *Grim's Ditch, RAF High Wycombe, Buckinghamshire* (forthcoming)
- SW 2008 *RAF High Wycombe: Written Scheme of Investigation for Archaeological Evaluation*

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Appendix 1

OA Standard Fieldwork Methodology Appendices

The following methods and terms will apply, where appropriate, to all OA fieldwork unless varied by undertakings specified in a detailed Written Scheme of Investigation.

2 MACHINE EXCAVATED TRENCHES

- 2.1 A visual inspection of the entire site will be undertaken. This will include the examination of any available exposures (e.g. recently cut field ditches and geological test pits).
- 2.2 An appropriate mechanical excavator will be used for machine excavated trenches. This will normally be a JCB 3CX Sitemaster or 360° tracked excavator with a 5' or 6' wide toothless bucket. For work with restricted access or working room a mini excavator such as a Kubota KH 90 will be used.
- 2.3 All machining will be undertaken under direct archaeological supervision.
- 2.4 All undifferentiated topsoil or overburden of recent origin will be removed down to the first significant archaeological horizon, in successive, level spits.
- 2.5 Following machine clearance, all faces of the trench that require examination or recording will be cleaned using appropriate hand tools.
- 2.6 Spoil heaps will be monitored in order to recover artefacts to assist in the analysis of the spatial distribution of artefacts. Modern artefacts will be noted but not retained.
- 2.7 All investigation of archaeological levels will be by hand, with cleaning, examination and recording both in plan and section.
- 2.8 Within significant archaeological levels a minimum number of features required to meet the aims will be hand excavated. Pits and postholes will be subject to a 50% sample by volume. Linear features will be sectioned as appropriate. Features not suited to excavation within narrow trenches will not be sampled. No archaeological deposits will be entirely removed unless this is unavoidable. It is not necessarily the intention that all trial trenches will be fully excavated to natural stratigraphy, but the depth of archaeological deposits across the entire site will be assessed. The stratigraphy of all evaluation trenches will be recorded even where no archaeological deposits have been identified.
- 2.9 Any excavation, both by machine and by hand, will be undertaken with a view to avoiding damage to any archaeological features or deposits that appear to be worthy of preservation *in situ*.
- 2.10 Different environmental sampling strategies may be employed according to established research targets and the perceived importance of the strata under investigation. Bulk samples, a minimum of 10 litres, but up to 30 litres if possible for early prehistoric features will be taken for flotation for charred plant remains. Bulk samples will be taken from any waterlogged deposits present for macroscopic plant remains. Columns for pollen analysis will be taken if appropriate. Mollusc samples will be collected if present. Other bulk samples for small animal bones and other small artefacts may be taken from appropriate contexts.
- 2.11 Any finds of human remains will be left in-situ, covered and protected and the coroner informed. If removal is essential it will only take place under appropriate Home Office licence, section 25 of the Burial Act 1857 and local environmental health regulations, and if appropriate in compliance with the Disused Burial Grounds (Amendment) Act 1981.
- 2.12 All finds of gold and silver will be removed to a safe place and reported to the local Coroner according to the procedures relating to Treasure Act, 1996. Where removal can not be effected on the same working day as the discovery, suitable security measures will be taken to protect the finds from theft.
- 2.13 The OA welcomes monitoring visits by the local authorities' archaeological representatives. Timetables of the on-site work will be provided in order that visits can be made at appropriate times.

- 2.14 After recording, the trenches will be backfilled with excavated material, but will otherwise not be reinstated.

RECORDING

- 2.15 Contexts
- If less than ten trenches are to be recorded, a block of numbers, in a continuous sequence will be allocated to each trench.
 - If more than ten trenches are to be recorded, a continuous unique numbering system will operate within each trench only.
 - Written descriptions will be recorded on proforma sheets comprising factual data and interpretative elements.
 - Where stratified deposits are encountered a Harris matrix will be compiled during the course of the excavation.
- 2.16 Plans
- These will normally drawn at 1:100, but on urban or deeply stratified sites a scale of 1:50 or 1:20 will be used. Detailed plans will be at an appropriate scale. Burials will be drawn at scale 1:10.
 - The site grid will be accurately tied into the National Grid and located on the 1:2500 or 1:1250 map of the area.
 - A register of plans will be kept.
- 2.17 Sections
- Long sections of trenches showing layers will be drawn at 1:50. Sections of features or short lengths of trenches will be drawn at 1:20.
 - A register of sections will be kept.
 - Generally all sections will be tied in to Ordnance Datum. The exception to this is where the proposal for the site is mineral extraction where depth in relation to the development proposals is irrelevant. In these cases only some significant sections will be tied in to OD.
- 2.18 Photography
- A full black and white and colour (35 mm transparency) photographic record, illustrating in both detail and general context the principal features and finds discovered will be maintained. The photographic record will also include working shots to illustrate more generally the nature of the archaeological work.
 - Photographs will be recorded on OA Photographic Record Sheets.
- 2.19 All recording will be undertaken in accordance with the requirements of the OA Field Manual (ed. D Wilkinson 1992).

FINDS

- 2.20 All identified finds and artefacts will be retained, although certain classes of building material or post medieval pottery may sometimes be discarded after recording if an appropriate sample is retained. However, no finds will be discarded without the prior approval of the nominated representative of the local authority and the receiving Museum. All appropriate ironwork will be X-rayed.
- 2.21 The pottery and other relevant artefacts will be scanned to assess the date range of the assemblage.
- 2.22 All finds and samples will be treated in a proper manner and to standards agreed in advance with the approved recipient museum. These will be exposed, lifted, cleaned, conserved, marked, bagged and boxed in accordance with the guidelines set out in UKIC's "Conservation Guidelines No. 2".
- 2.23 The level of artefact analysis will be sufficient to establish date ranges of archaeological deposits, a general assessment of the types of pottery and other artefacts to assist in characterising the archaeology, and to establish the potential for all categories of artefacts should further archaeological work be necessary.
- 2.24 At the beginning of a project, the local relevant museum and the landowner will be contacted regarding the preparation and deposition of the archive and finds.
- 2.25 Environmental samples, if appropriate will be processed and scanned for potential date. This will usually be co-ordinated by Dr M Robinson of University Museum, Oxford using appropriate specialists.

7 WATCHING BRIEFS

- 7.1 Ground disturbances (demolition, general site strip and levelling, reduction for roads, excavation for service trenches and foundation trenches) will be monitored by an archaeological supervisor assisted, where necessary, by archaeological technicians and under the overall guidance of a project manager.
- 7.2 All archaeological features and deposits exposed will be recorded.
- 7.3 Where only the tops of features or deposits are exposed, these will be located on a site plan, planned, and recorded by written description and by photographs.
- 7.4 Visible artefacts will be collected in order to assist in the dating of features and deposits.
- 7.5 Where trenches are excavated through cut features (pits, ditches, etc.) and vertical stratigraphy is not present, the features will be recorded in section with appropriate collection of finds.
- 7.6 Where ground disturbance exposes stratified remains or significant features, these will be hand excavated by the archaeologist and recorded.
- 7.7 The archaeological curator will be advised at the earliest opportunity of any archaeological features or deposits that appear worthy of preservation *in situ*.
- 7.8 On completion of the fieldwork the site archive will be compiled and security copied.
- 7.9 Proposals for analysis and publication will be determined in the light of the results of the fieldwork.

RECORDING

- 7.10 All on-site recording will be undertaken in accordance with the *OA Field Manual* (ed. D Wilkinson 1992).
- 7.11 A continuous unique numbering system will be operated. Written descriptions will be recorded on proforma sheets comprising factual data and interpretative elements.
- 7.12 Plans will normally be drawn at 1:50 but in urban or deeply stratified sites a scale of 1:20 will be used. Detailed plans will be at an appropriate scale. Burials will be drawn at 1:10.
- 7.13 A register of plans will be kept.
- 7.14 Sections of features or trenches showing stratigraphy will be drawn at 1:20 or 1:10.
- 7.15 A register of sections will be kept.
- 7.16 All sections will be tied in to Ordnance Datum if possible or into the contractors TBM.
- 7.17 A black and white and colour (35 mm transparency) photographic record, illustrating in both detail and general context the principal features and finds discovered will be maintained. The photographic record will also include working shots to illustrate more generally the nature of the archaeological work.
- 7.18 Photographs will be recorded on OA Photographic Record Sheets.
- 7.19 All identified finds and artefacts from stratified archaeological deposits will be retained, although certain classes of building material or post medieval pottery may sometimes be discarded after recording if an appropriate sample is retained.

9 AREA EXCAVATION

- 9.1 Prior to any area excavation, appropriate survey (e.g. earthwork, contour, geophysical) or sampling strategy (e.g. for topsoil artefact densities, phosphate analysis) will be undertaken prior to mechanical site strip.
- 9.2 In most cases area excavations will be stripped of topsoil and other overburden mechanically. An appropriate machine will always be used. This will normally be a 360° tracked excavator with a 1.5 or 1.8m wide toothless bucket. In other cases a JCB 3CX Sitemaster, or for work with restricted access or working room a mini-excavator such as a Kubota KH 90 will be employed. Lorries or dumpers will be used to move spoil to the storage areas. No machinery will be allowed to cross stripped areas.
- 9.3 All machining will be undertaken under direct archaeological supervision.
- 9.4 All undifferentiated topsoil or overburden will be removed down to the significant archaeological horizon in level spits; the level of the archaeological horizon having first been established by an evaluation or by the digging of test pits.
- 9.5 Mechanically excavated spoil will be monitored in order to recover artefacts that will assist in meeting the aims of the project.
- 9.6 The resulting surface will be cleaned adequately by hand using appropriate tools.
- 9.7 A site grid covering the area of investigation will be established. The grid will normally be on a 10m spacing and related to the Ordnance Survey grid. A temporary bench mark related to Ordnance Datum will be created.
- 9.8 The sampling level of the archaeological remains that will be excavated will be determined after the initial surface clean, but will normally seek to maintain at least the following:
- All structures and all zones of specialised activity (e.g. industrial, agricultural processing, ceremonial, funerary) will be fully excavated and all relationships recorded.
 - *Ditches and gullies*: all significant relationships will be defined and investigated. All terminals will be excavated. Sufficient of the ditch lengths will be excavated to determine the character of each individual ditch over its entire course with consideration given to possible recutting of ditches which may not have taken place over the entire length. This will be achieved by a minimum 10% sample of each ditch length (1m wide section every 10m). Should specialised deposits (e.g. localised refuse dumping, industrial wastes) be present, then more extensive excavation will take place. Sufficient artefact assemblages will be recovered to assist in dating stratigraphic sequences and for obtaining sufficient ceramic assemblages for comparison with other sites.
 - *Pits*: 100% (by number) will be half sectioned. Usually at least 50% (by number) of the pits will be fully excavated. Decisions as to which pits will be fully excavated will be made in the light of information gained in half sectioning.
 - *Post and stake holes*: where they are not clearly forming a structure 100% (by number) will be half sectioned ensuring that all relationships are investigated. Where deemed necessary by artefact context a number may require full excavation.
 - For other features such as working hollows, quarry pits, etc., all relationships will be ascertained. Further investigation will be a matter of on-site judgement, but should seek to define their extent, date and function.
- 9.9 Different environmental sampling strategies may be employed according to established research targets and the perceived importance of the strata under investigation. Bulk samples, a minimum of 10 litres, but up to 30 litres if possible for early prehistoric features will be taken for flotation for charred plant remains. Bulk samples will be taken from any waterlogged deposits present for macroscopic plant remains. Columns for pollen analysis will be taken if appropriate. Mollusc samples will be collected if present. Other bulk samples for small animal bones and other small artefacts may be taken from appropriate contexts.
- 9.10 All artefacts will be retained from excavated contexts unless they are of recent origin. In these cases sufficient of the material will be retained to date and establish the function of the feature.
- 9.11 All finds of gold and silver will be removed to a safe place and reported to the local Coroner according to the procedures relating to Treasure Act (1996). Where removal can not be effected on the same working day as the discovery, suitable security measures will be taken to protect the finds from theft.
- 9.12 All known human remains will be excavated under the appropriate Home Office licence and local environmental health regulations.
- 9.13 In certain circumstances where unusual or extremely fragile and delicate objects are to be found, then their recovery will be by appropriate specialists.

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- 9.25 A register of small finds and environmental samples will be maintained.
- 9.26 All identified finds and artefacts will be retained, although certain classes of building material or post medieval pottery may sometimes be discarded after recording if an appropriate sample is retained. However, no finds will be discarded without the prior approval of the nominated representative of the local authority and the receiving Museum. All ironwork will be X-rayed.
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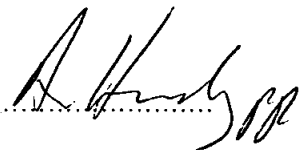
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Front cover: Ovey's Farm, main house

SUMMARY

On the 27th of November 2008 Oxford Archaeology (OA) carried out a field evaluation at Ovey's Farm, The High Street, Cookham, Berkshire (NGR: SU 896 853) on behalf of GMTW Architects. The evaluation revealed extensive deposits of garden soils sealing layers of alluvium. In the southern test pits a possible beam slot on the same alignment as the front of the farm house was observed, while another produced evidence of tree throw holes.

1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 Scope of work

1.1.1 On the 27th of November 2008, OA carried out a field evaluation at Ovey's Farm, The High Street, Cookham, Berkshire (NGR: SU 896 853) on behalf of GMTW Architects prior to the construction of a single storey rear extension and a two storey side extension. Following discussions with Fiona MacDonald of Berkshire Archaeology it was decided to undertake an archaeological evaluation of the site prior to development.

1.1.2 OA produced a Written Scheme of Investigation (WSI) detailing how it would undertake the required evaluation (OA, 2008).

1.2 Location, geology and topography

1.2.1 The town of Cookham is located approximately 3 km north of the town of Maidenhead (Fig. 1). Ovey's Farm lies on the north side of the High Street, approximately in the centre of the town. The site is on level ground and is currently in use as a residential garden to the west and rear of the main building.

1.2.2 The site lies at approximately 26.5 m above OD and the underlying geology is alluvium over Floodplain Terrace Gravels (British Geological Survey sheet no. 255).

1.3 Archaeological and historical background

1.3.1 The archaeological background to the evaluation was prepared for the WSI (OA, 2008) and is reproduced below.

1.3.2 Ovey's farmhouse is situated in Cookham High Street opposite the house where Sir Stanley Spencer the famous painter lived and worked. This was formerly a working farm and the subject of Spencer's painting 'The Farm Gate'. It is set back from the road with a front garden behind a brick boundary wall.

1.3.3 The house is listed Grade II and is timber framed with the black stained frame showing on the exterior, infilled with whitewashed brick nogging. The roof is pitched and clad in plain clay tiles. The house is a medieval hall house of five bays with a later inserted floor and later timber-framed extension to the rear. Most of the original

frame survives excepting the roof which has been completely replaced apart from some timbers in the west gable. A central empty mortice in a cambered tie beam at the west end implies that originally there was a crown-post roof.

- 1.3.4 Originally the house had a service bay at the east end with buttery and pantry on the ground floor reached from the screens passage by adjacent pointed arched headed doorways; these survive but one has lost the arched head. The dividing wall between the service rooms has been removed but the mortices for it survive in a ceiling joist.
- 1.3.5 The central hall was of two bays and would have reached to the rafters, with one open truss. This space has had a floor inserted, probably in the 16th century, and the crossframe below the tiebeam has been infilled on the first floor to further subdivide the upstairs. The high end of the house was west of the hall and was of two bays. The upper chamber would probably have been open to the rafters originally but a later ceiling has been inserted. There are also empty mortices for joists on the central tie beam in the upstairs bedroom suggesting there was an earlier ceiling/loft floor.
- 1.3.6 Some early wattle and daub infill survives in the partition walls and in what was the rear external wall which is now enclosed within the rear extension, probably added in the 16th century.
- 1.3.7 A brick chimney stack has been added to the west wall of the house, and the west wall of the house and earlier addition where the proposed extension is to be added have been infilled with later brick nogging, but the timber-framing is still in situ and was recorded prior to the development.

2 EVALUATION AIMS

- 2.1.1 To determine the extent, date, character, quality, significance and state of preservation of the archaeological remains surviving on the site.
- 2.1.2 To assess the impact of the development on any significant archaeological remains and assess the need for further mitigation before and/or during construction.
- 2.1.3 To establish the ecofactual and environmental potential of archaeological deposits and features.
- 2.1.4 To make available the results of the investigation and to place the results of the evaluation in wider local and regional context.

3 EVALUATION METHODOLOGY

3.1 Scope of fieldwork

- 3.1.1 The evaluation consisted of five 1.5 m by 1.5 m test pits originally evenly distributed along the centre line of the proposed development. Due to a modern extension

scheduled for demolition still standing, Test Pit 1 was moved 1.5 m to the south and Test Pit 2 approximately 1.2 m to the west.

- 3.1.2 The overburden was removed under close archaeological supervision by a 360° mechanical excavator fitted with a 0.6 m wide toothless bucket. Excavation proceeded in spits down to undisturbed natural or to the first significant archaeological layer, whichever was encountered first.

3.2 Fieldwork methods and recording

- 3.2.1 The trenches were cleaned by hand, and any revealed features were sampled to determine their extent and nature, and to retrieve dating evidence. The test pits and any archaeological features were planned at a scale of 1:50 and their sections were drawn at a scale of 1:20. All trenches and features were photographed using digital photography, colour slide and black and white print film. Recording followed procedures laid down in the *OA Field Manual* (ed. D Wilkinson, 1992).

3.3 Finds

- 3.3.1 Finds were recovered by hand during the course of the excavation and bagged by context.

3.4 Palaeo-environmental evidence

- 3.4.1 No samples for palaeo-environmental analysis were taken at this stage of the investigation.

3.5 Presentation of results

- 3.5.1 The results of the evaluation will be detailed on a trench by trench basis followed by an overall discussion and interpretation.

4 RESULTS: GENERAL

4.1 Soils and ground conditions

- 4.1.1 The site was located on dry clay silts enabling clean excavation. Groundwater was not encountered in any of the trenches.

4.2 Distribution of archaeological deposits

- 4.2.1 Significant archaeological evidence was only encountered within Test pits 1 and 4, at the southern and northern ends of the evaluated area. With those exceptions the stratigraphy encountered was similar in all the test pits.

5 RESULTS: DESCRIPTIONS

5.1 Description of deposits

Test Pit 1

- 5.1.1 The underlying natural, a reddish brown silt clay alluvium (14) was encountered at a depth of 0.9 m below the current ground level (Fig. 3, Section 1). This was cut along the southern edge of the pit by an east to west running linear feature with steeply sloping sides (17) (Fig. 3, Plan 1). This was filled with a dark red-brown clay silt (16). No dating evidence was recovered from the context. Sealing the feature and the alluvium was a 0.25 m deep layer of light brown clay silt (13). This contained sub-angular fragments of flint and chalk flecking.
- 5.1.2 Overlying layer 13 was a 0.3 m deep layer of grey-brown clay loam (12). This contained charcoal flecking and fragments of creamware pottery suggesting a worked (garden) soil dating to the 19th-century. This was overlaid by a 0.15 m deep layer of light grey clay silt (11) containing a large number of small to medium sized sub-angular lumps of chalk and fragments of tile. This was sealed by a 0.12 m deep layer of light yellow brown silt clay (15), a probable layer of worked soil. The modern topsoil, a dark grey-brown silt loam (10) 0.18 m deep completed the section. A modern paving slab surface laid on a bed of sand had been set into the surface of this deposit.

Test Pit 2

- 5.1.3 The reddish brown alluvium (25) was encountered at a depth of 0.85 m below the level of the paving slabs (Fig. 3, Section 2). Overlying this was a 0.15 m deep layer of light brown clay silt (24), a probable continuation of layer 13 from Test Pit 1. Sealing this was a 0.15 m deep layer of grey-brown clay loam (23) containing charcoal flecking suggesting it was a worked soil/occupation layer. This was overlaid by a light grey clay silt (22) which contained a large amount of chalk fragments and is a probable continuation of Layer 11 from Test Pit 1. Cut into this layer was a very steep sided linear feature (26). This ran parallel to the 1970s extension and was in excess of 0.6 m deep. Exposed within the base of the cut was a layer of light orange brown sand (28), while the remainder of the cut was filled with a mixed grey-brown and yellow-brown clay silt (27). The feature's location adjacent to the extension, and its alignment suggests that it is the construction cut for the extension.
- 5.1.4 Feature 26 was sealed by a 0.12 m deep layer of light yellow brown silt clay (21), possibly redeposited material from the construction cut. This was overlaid by a 0.15 m deep layer of dark grey-brown silt loam (20). This was covered by sand and paving slabs.

Test Pit 3

- 5.1.5 The underlying natural alluvial clay (34) was encountered at a depth of 0.7 m below the current ground level (Fig. 3, Section 3). Overlying this layer was a 0.15 m deep

deposit of dark brown clay silt (33), possibly a worked (garden) soil horizon which produced fragments of glazed earthenware pottery.

- 5.1.6 Sealing layer 33 was a 0.18 m deep layer of grey-brown silt clay (32) containing charcoal flecking and many brick fragments. This was overlaid by a 0.25 m deep layer of yellow brown clay silt (31) which produced numerous fragments of chalk and clay roofing tile together with gravel inclusions. This may be a continuation of Layers 11 and 22. Overlying this was a dark grey-brown silt loam (30), the last phase of garden soil. As in the previous test pits this was covered by sand and paving slabs.

Test Pit 4

- 5.1.7 The underlying alluvium, a red-brown silt clay (44) was observed at a depth of 0.85 m below the current ground level (Fig. 3, Section 4). In order to determine if the alluvium sealed any earlier ground surfaces the machine was used to dig a sondage along the western side of the test pit. This showed that the alluvium was in excess of 0.5 m in depth and became lighter in colour with depth. No other deposits were encountered.
- 5.1.8 Cutting into the surface of the alluvium were 2 roughly oval shaped features (46 and 48) (Fig. 3, Plan 4). Upon excavation these were seen to be shallow bowl-shaped depressions suggesting that were tree throw holes. Both were filled with a dark grey-brown clay silt 45 and 47 respectively. Sealing the fills was a 0.3 m deep layer of greyish yellow-brown silt clay (43). This produced charcoal flecking suggesting that it was a worked soil. Overlying this was a 0.2 m deep layer of grey silt clay (42), which also produced chalk and charcoal flecking indicative of a worked soil. The southern edge of this deposit was overlaid by a yellow-brown clay silt (41) containing many small chalk inclusions. This is probably a continuation of layer 31 and may mark its northern extent.
- 5.1.9 Both layers 41 and 42 were overlaid by a 0.25 m deep layer of dark grey-brown clay loam (40), the last phase of garden soil.

Test Pit 5

- 5.1.10 The underlying natural, a red-brown alluvium (54) was observed at a depth of 0.8 m below the current ground level (Fig. 3, Section 5). This was overlaid by a 0.25 m deep layer of light orange brown silt clay (53) containing charcoal flecking.
- 5.1.11 Overlying this was a 0.2 m deep layer of grey silt clay (52), which also produced chalk and charcoal flecking indicative of a worked soil. This was sealed by a grey-brown clay silt (51), 0.12 m deep, containing numerous chalk inclusions. A 0.25 m deep layer of the modern grey-brown clay loam garden soil (50) completed the section.

5.2 Finds

- 5.2.1 Few finds were recovered during the course of the evaluation. Numerous fragments of ceramic roof tile were observed within the layers of worked soil. The presence of this was noted but the majority was not retained.
- 5.2.2 Fragments of pottery including glazed earthenware and transfer printed ware, dating to the 19th and 20th-centuries were recovered from layers 11, 12, 33 and 40. These were all deposits of worked soil. The deposition of these fragments probably represents domestic rubbish disposal.

6 DISCUSSION AND INTERPRETATION

6.1 Reliability of field investigation

- 6.1.1 All the test pits excavated encountered archaeology or natural deposits providing information across the evaluation area. The even distribution of both the trenches and these deposits suggest that the results can be applied across the site.
- 6.1.2 Although two of the proposed trenches were moved from their original positions it is thought that this would not have significantly effected the results and conclusions.

6.2 Overall interpretation

- 6.2.1 All the test pits came down onto the top of the underlying undisturbed natural, an alluvium. The excavation of the sondage in Test pit 4 showed that this did not seal any earlier archaeological deposits.
- 6.2.2 Feature 17 may represent a beam slot, however the small length exposed did not give any indication to its extent or to its relationship to the house. The absence of stone or hardcore within the slot to support a wooden beam does not mitigate against this being a structural feature as this could have been dependant on date of construction and local practise. Alternatively it may represent a truncated boundary or drainage ditch although its profile makes this unlikely.
- 6.2.3 Layers 13, 24, 33, 43 and 53 represent an earlier phase of worked soil. The recovery of glazed earthen ware from layer 33 gives a date range from the early 17th-century up to the late 19th-century.
- 6.2.4 Layers 12, 23, 32, 42 and 52 represent the same phase of worked soil. The presence of brick fragments within these layers suggest that it may coincide with the brick infilling of the timber frame of the house or the construction of the chimney stacks.
- 6.2.5 Layers 11, 22, 31 and 41 are probably all the same deposit. The quantity of chalk found within the deposit suggest that it may represent a layer of hardcore or hardstanding around the house, possibly the farmyard ? The construction cut 26 shows that this predates the extension.

- 6.2.6 Layers 10, 20, 30, 40 and 50 represent the last phase of worked garden soil before it was sealed below the paving slabs. This is probably late 20th-century in date. Layers 15 and 21 are similar and are possibly composed of material excavated from the construction cut for the 1970s extension.
- 6.2.7 The presence of post-medieval worked soil (13, 24, 33, 43 and 53) directly overlying the alluvium suggests that the area around the house has been heavily cultivated. This activity would have resulted in the disturbance and/or destruction of the medieval occupation layers associated with the houses original construction.
- 6.2.8 A subsequent site visit during the excavation of the foundation trenches for the new extension confirmed the stratigraphy observed within the test pits and showed that the entire area had been subjected to cultivation. No other significant archaeology was observed during the course of the site visit.

APPENDICES

APPENDIX 1 ARCHAEOLOGICAL CONTEXT INVENTORY

Test Pit	Ctxt No	Type	Width (m)	Thick. (m)	Comment	Finds	Date
1							
	10	Layer	-	0.2 m	Modern topsoil	-	C20th
	11	Layer	-	0.15 m	Mixed soil and construction debris, possible yard surface ?	Tile, pottery	C19th
	12	Layer	-	0.25 m	Buried soil horizon, earlier garden soil	Tile, pottery	C19th
	13	Layer	-	0.2 m	Buried soil horizon, earlier garden soil	Tile	-
	14	Layer	-	> 0.3 m	Alluvium	-	-
	15	Layer	-	0.15 m	Buried soil horizon, earlier garden soil	Tile	-
	16	Fill	> 0.2 m	0.2 m	Backfill of 17	-	-
	17	Cut	> 0.2 m	0.2 m	Possible beam slot	-	-
2							
	20	Layer	-	0.2 m	Modern topsoil	-	C20th
	21	Layer	-	0.15 m	Buried soil horizon, earlier garden soil	-	-
	22	Layer	-	0.25 m	Mixed soil and construction debris, possible yard surface ?	Tile	-
	23	Layer	-	0.15 m	Buried soil horizon, earlier garden soil	Tile	-
	24	Layer	-	0.15 m	Buried soil horizon, earlier garden soil		
	25	Layer	-	> 0.3 m	Alluvium	-	-
	26	Cut	0.4 m	> 0.6 m	Construction cut for 1970s extension	-	C20th
	27	Fill	0.4 m	0.4 m	Backfill of 26		C20th
	28	Fill	0.3 m	> 0.2 m	Backfill of 26		C20th

<i>Test Pit</i>	<i>Ctxt No</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Width (m)</i>	<i>Thick. (m)</i>	<i>Comment</i>	<i>Finds</i>	<i>Date</i>
3							
	30	Layer	-	0.15 m	Buried soil horizon, earlier garden soil	-	C19th/ C20th
	31	Layer	-	0.25 m	Mixed soil and construction debris, possible yard surface ?	Tile	-
	32	Layer	-	0.15 m	Buried soil horizon, earlier garden soil	Tile	-
	33	Layer	-	0.15 m	Buried soil horizon, earlier garden soil	Pottery	C17th – C19th
	34	Layer	-	> 0.3 m	Alluvium	-	-
4							
	40	Layer	-	0.25 m	Buried soil horizon, earlier garden soil	Pottery	C19th/ C20th
	41	Layer	-	0.1 m	Mixed soil and construction debris, possible yard surface ?	Tile	-
	42	Layer	-	0.18 m	Buried soil horizon, earlier garden soil	Tile	-
	43	Layer	-	0.25 m	Buried soil horizon, earlier garden soil	Tile	-
	44	Layer	-	> 0.5 m	Alluvium	-	-
	45	Fill	0.3 m	0.2 m	Fill of 46	-	-
	46	Cut	0.3 m	0.2 m	Tree throw hole	-	-
5							
	50	Layer	-	0.18 m	Buried soil horizon, earlier garden soil	-	C19th/ C20th
	51	Layer	-	0.12 m	Mixed soil and construction debris, possible yard surface ?	Tile	-
	52	Layer	-	0.2 m	Buried soil horizon, earlier garden soil	Tile	-
	53	Layer	-	0.25 m	Buried soil horizon, earlier garden soil		
	54	Layer	-	> 0.2 m	Alluvium	-	-

APPENDIX 2 BIBLIOGRAPHY AND REFERENCES

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OA, 2000 *Oxford Archaeology Environmental Sampling Guidelines*

OA, 2008 *Ovey's Farm, High Street, Cookham, Berkshire: Written scheme of Investigation for an Archaeological Evaluation*

OAU, 1992 *Fieldwork Manual* (ed. D Wilkinson)

APPENDIX 3 SUMMARY OF SITE DETAILS

Site name: Ovey's Farm, High Street, Cookham, Berkshire

Site code: COOVFa 08

Grid reference: SU 896 853

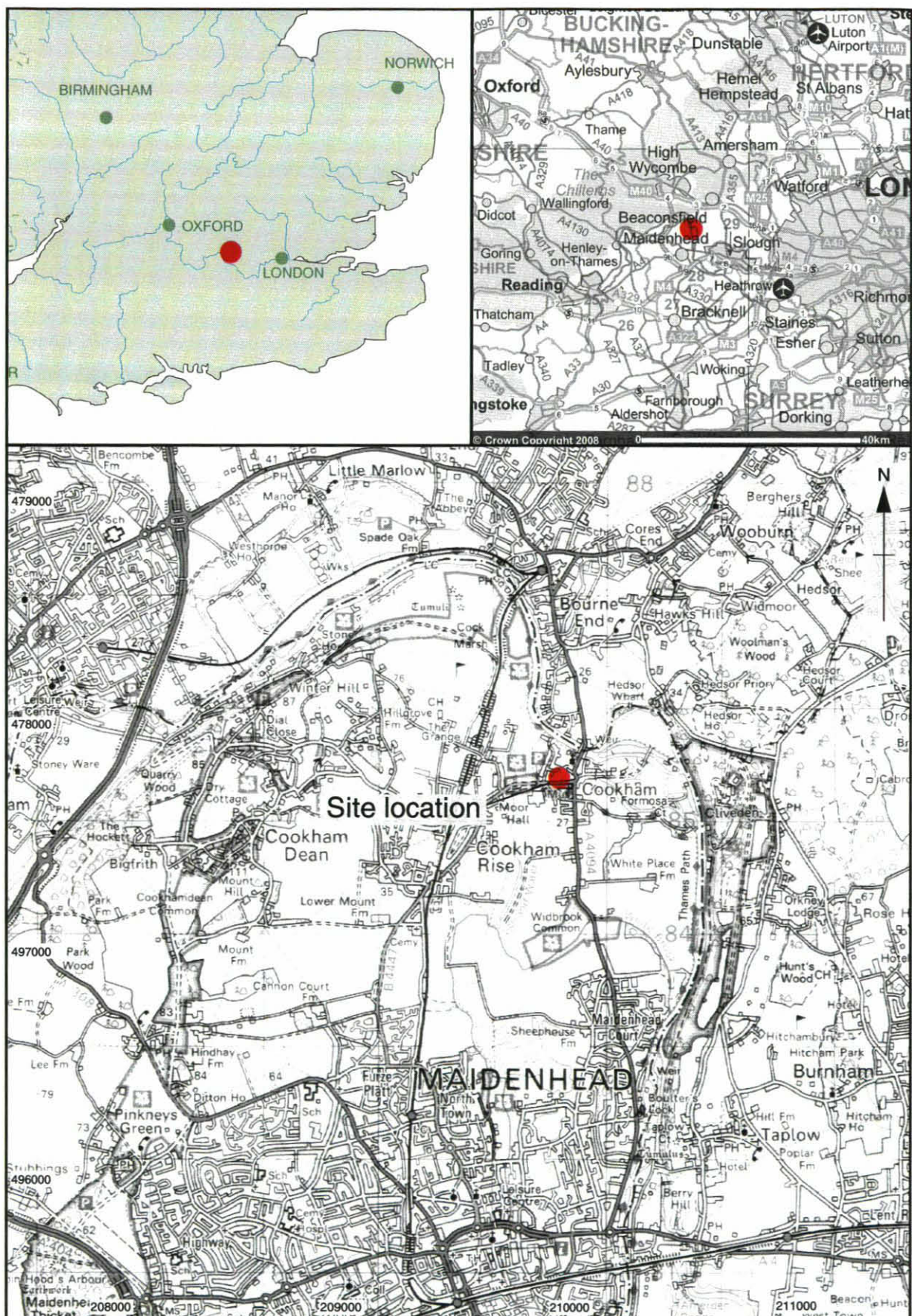
Type of evaluation: 5 machine dug trenches each 1.5 m by 1.5 m

Date and duration of project: 27th, November 2008, 1 day

Area of site: 300 m²

Summary of results: All test pits produced evidence of worked (garden) soils. The southern pit produced evidence for a possible beam slot on a similar alignment to the front of the farmhouse. Two probable tree throw holes were also observed.

Location of archive: The archive is currently held at OA, Janus House, Osney Mead, Oxford, OX2 0ES, and will be deposited with Reading Museum in due course.



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Figure 1: Site location

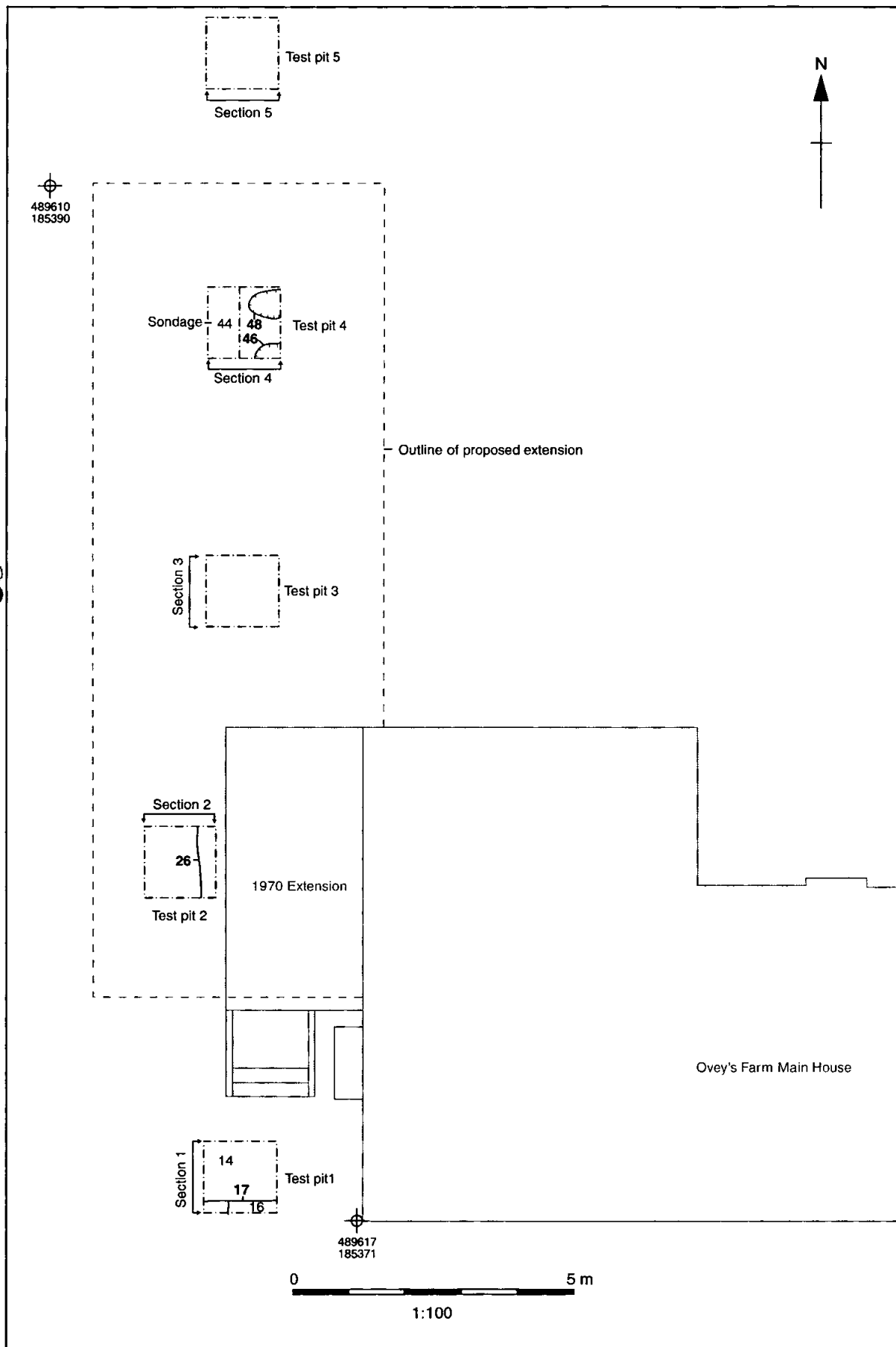


Fig 2: Site plan showing location of the test pits

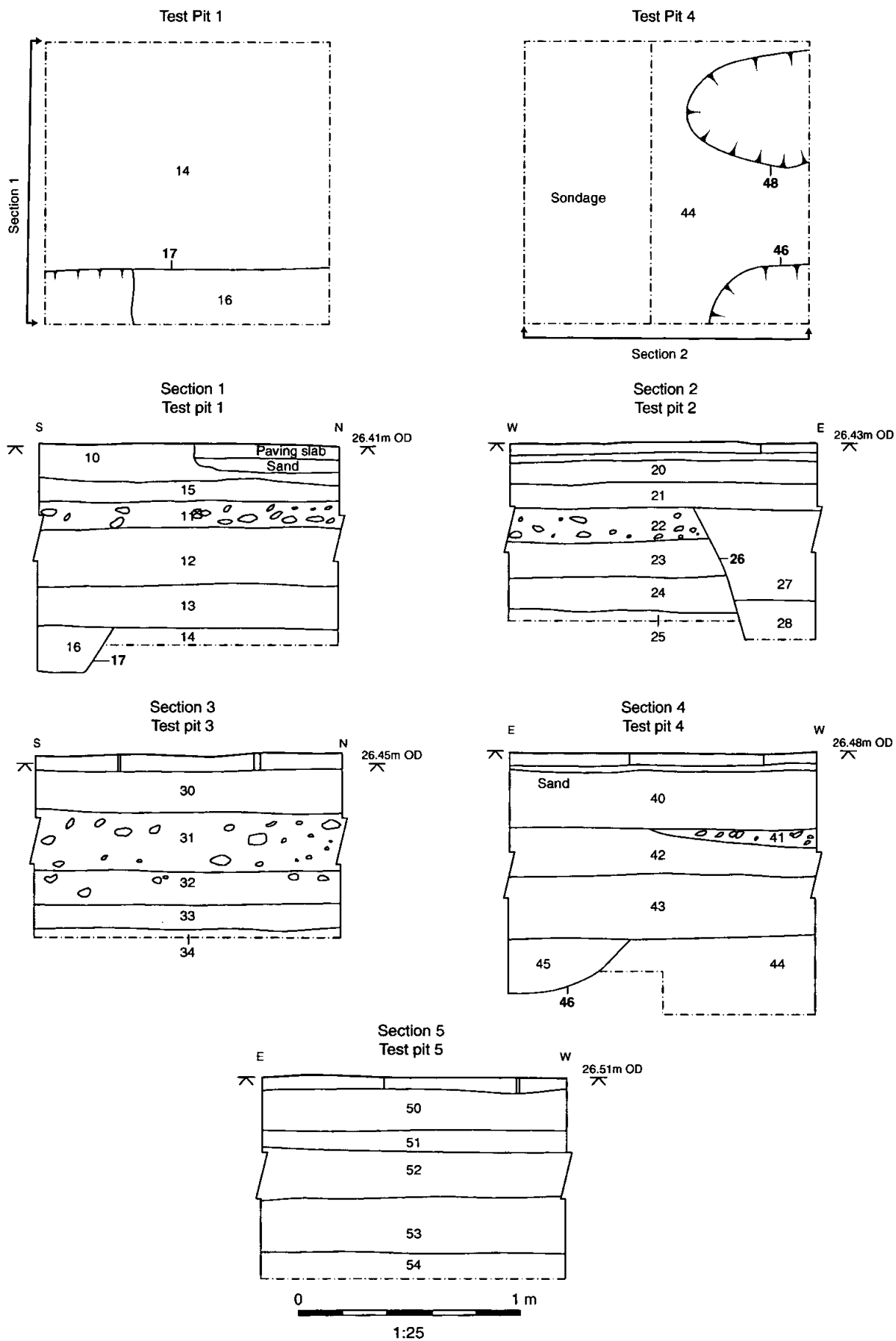
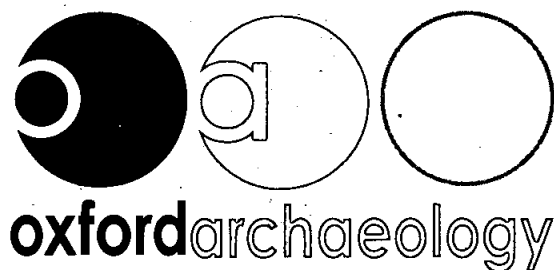


Fig 3: Test pits and sections

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Project details

Project name	Cookham, Ovey's Farm, Phases 1 and 2
Short description of the project	October to November 2008 and February 2009. Oxford Archaeology carried out a field evaluation at Ovey's Farm, Cookham which was both preceded and followed by a building recording exercise. The evaluation revealed extensive deposits of garden soils sealing layers of alluvium. In the southern test pits a possible beam slot on the same alignment as the front of the farm house was observed, while another produced evidence of tree throw holes. The building recording exercise produced a descriptive summary of the building that was used as historical back ground in the evaluation report.
Project dates	Start: 07-10-2008 End: 20-02-2009
Previous/future work	Not known / Not known
Any associated project reference codes	COOVFA 08 - Sitecode
Any associated project reference codes	COOVFA 09 - Sitecode
Any associated project reference codes	REDMG:2008.1014 - Museum accession ID
Type of project	Field evaluation
Current Land use	Other 5 - Garden
Monument type	N/A None
Significant Finds	POTTERY Post Medieval
Methods & techniques	'Test Pits','Visual Inspection'
Development type	Small-scale extensions (e.g. garages, porches, etc.)
Prompt	Planning condition
Position in the planning process	Not known / Not recorded

Project location

Country	England
Site location	BERKSHIRE WINDSOR AND MAIDENHEAD COOKHAM Ovey's Farm, Phases 1 and 2
Study area	300.00 Square metres
Site coordinates	SU 896 853 51.5589761960 -0.707352654072 51 33 32 N 000 42 26 W Point

Project creators

Name of Organisation	Oxford Archaeology
Project brief originator	(No written brief issued)
Project design originator	Oxford Archaeology
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Project director/manager	J. Gill
Project supervisor	M.Sims
Project supervisor	S.Underdown

Project archives

Physical Archive recipient	Reading Museum
Physical Archive ID	REDMG:2008.1014
Physical Contents	'Ceramics','other'
Digital Archive recipient	Oxford Archaeology
Digital Archive ID	COOVFA08 / COOVFAWB / COOVFA09 / COOVFABS
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Project bibliography 1

Publication type	Grey literature (unpublished document/manuscript)
Title	Ovey's Farm, High Street, Cookham, Berkshire. Evaluation Report
Author(s)/Editor(s)	Sims, M
Date	2009
Issuer or publisher	Oxford Archaeology

Place of issue or publication	Oxford
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B. PRIMARY CONTEXT RECORDS

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CONTEXT CHECKLIST

SITE CODE *CAOVPA 02*

SITE NAME *Oreys Farm, Cadeham, Berks*

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12	"		" 13	1	1		Yard worked soil	
13	"		" 14	1	1		Worked soil	
14	"		cut by 17	1	1		Alluvium	
15	"		Below 10	1	1		Worked soil	
16	Fill		Fo 17	1	1		Fill of 17	
17	CA		Fb 16	1	1		Possible beam slot	
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21	"		" 22	2	1		Worked soil	
22	"		" 23	2	1		Yard surface	
23	"		" 24	2	1		Worked soil	
24	"		" 25	2	1		" "	
25	"		Below 24	2	1		Alluvium	
26	CA		Fb 27+28	2	1		Foundation cut (1960s)	
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28	Fill		Fo 26	2	1		" 27	
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31	"		" 32	3	1		Yard surface	
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42	"		" 43	4	1		Worked soil	
43	"		" 44	4	1		" "	
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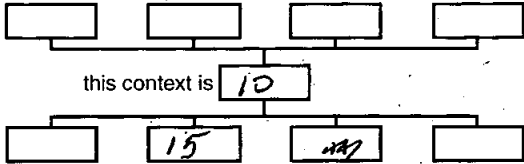


CONTEXT CHECKLIST

SITE CODE C00VFA
08

SITE NAME Oveg's Farm, Cookham, Berks

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Structure No.		Abutted by:		1. compaction 2. colour 3. composition 4. inclusion 5. thickness 6. extent 7. comments 8. method & conditions	
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		Filled by:			
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		Part of:		1. shape in plan 2. base/sides/top profile 3. dimension and depth 4. sketch 5. truncation 6. fill nos 7. other comments	
Co-Ordinates		Consists of:			
		Overlies: <i>15</i>			
Level		Butts:		MASONRY:	
Slide No.		Cuts:		1. materials 2. size of bricks etc 3. finish of stones 4. coursing/bond 5. form 6. faces 7. bond 8. dimensions as found 9. other comments	
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CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

11

SITE COOVFA 08

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE Layer

Trench Test Pit 1

Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by: 15

DEPOSIT:

1. compaction
2. colour
3. composition
4. inclusion
5. thickness
6. extent
7. comments
8. method & conditions

Structure No.

Abutted by:

Plan No.

2

Cut by:

Filled by:

Section No.

1

Same as:

Part of:

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies: 12

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch
5. truncation
6. fill nos
7. other comments

Level

Butts:

MASONRY:

1. materials
2. size of bricks etc
3. finish of stones
4. coursing/bond
5. form
6. faces
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8. dimensions as found
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Slide No.

Cuts:

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Fill of:

Matrix location

Relationships uncertain

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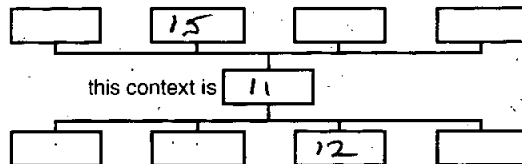
2) light grey brown

3) silt clay

4) Much chalk, fragments of roofing tile

5) Depth 0.15m

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX



Interpretation/Discussion:

Possible old farmyard surface?

Finds (tick): None ☐ Pot ☐ Bone ☐ Flint ☐ Stone ☐ Burnt stone ☐ Glass ☐
Metal ☐ CBM ☐ Wood ☐ Leather ☐

☐ Small Finds

Recorder

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☐ Building Materials

Initials



CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

12

SITE COORDINATES

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE Layer

Trench Test Pit 1

Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by: 11

DEPOSIT:

1. compaction
2. colour
3. composition
4. inclusion
5. thickness
6. extent
7. comments
8. method & conditions

Structure No.

Abutted by:

Plan No.

2

Cut by:

Filled by:

Section No.

1

Same as:

Part of:

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch
5. truncation
6. fill nos
7. other comments

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies: 13

Level

Butts:

MASONRY:

1. materials
2. size of bricks etc
3. finish of stones
4. coursing/bond
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7. bond
8. dimensions as found
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Slide No.

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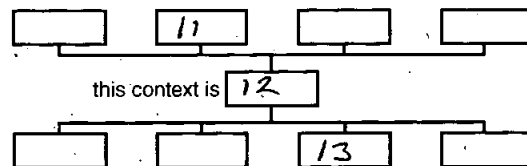
Matrix location

Relationships uncertain

Description (See check lists):

- 1) Friable
- 2) Gray brown
- 3) clay loam
- 4) charcoal flecking many roof tile fragments
- 5) Depth 0.3m

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX



Interpretation/Discussion:

Earlier worked soil horizon.

Finds (tick): None ☐ Pot ☐ Bone ☐ Flint ☐ Stone ☐ Burnt stone ☐ Glass ☐
Metal ☐ CBM ☒ Wood ☐ Leather ☐

☐ Small Finds

Recorder

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Date

☐ Building Materials

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CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

13

SITE COOVFA08

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE Layer

Trench Test Pit 1

Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by: 12

DEPOSIT:

1. compaction
2. colour
3. composition
4. inclusion
5. thickness
6. extent
7. comments
8. method & conditions

Structure No.

Abutted by:

Plan No.

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Cut by:

Filled by:

Section No.

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Same as:

Part of:

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch
5. truncation
6. fill nos
7. other comments

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies: 14 : 16 : 17

Level

Butts:

MASONRY:

1. materials
2. size of bricks etc
3. finish of stones
4. coursing/bond
5. form
6. faces
7. bond
8. dimensions as found
9. other comments

Slide No.

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Matrix location

Relationships uncertain

Description (See check lists):

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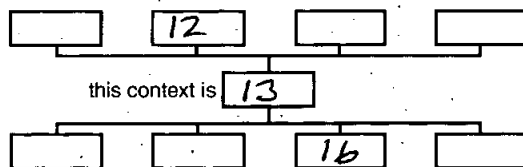
2) Light brown

3) Clay silt

4) Small sub-angular flint & chalk fragments

5) Depth 0.2m

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX



Interpretation/Discussion:

Worked / garden soil

Finds (tick): None ☒ Pot ☐ Bone ☐ Flint ☐ Stone ☐ Burnt stone ☐ Glass ☐
Metal ☐ CBM ☐ Wood ☐ Leather ☐

☐ Small Finds

Recorder

☐ Samples

Date

☐ Building Materials

Initials



CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

14

SITE COORFA 080

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE Layer

Trench Test Pit 1

Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by: 13:16

DEPOSIT:

1. compaction
2. colour
3. composition
4. inclusion
5. thickness
6. extent
7. comments
8. method & conditions

Structure No.

Abutted by:

Plan No. 2

Cut by: 17

Filled by:

Section No.

Same as:

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch
5. truncation
6. fill nos
7. other comments

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies:

Level

Butts:

MASONRY:

1. materials
2. size of bricks etc
3. finish of stones
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5. form
6. faces
7. bond
8. dimensions as found
9. other comments

Slide No.

Cuts:

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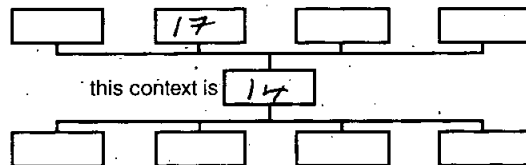
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Relationships uncertain

Description (See check lists):

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX

- 1) Tenacious
- 2) Red-brown
- 3) silt-clay
- 4) Nil
- 5) Depth > 0.25m



Interpretation/Discussion:

Undisturbed natural, Alluvial deposit.

Finds (tick): None ☒ Pot ☐ Bone ☐ Flint ☐ Stone ☐ Burnt stone ☐ Glass ☐
Metal ☐ CBM ☐ Wood ☐ Leather ☐

☐ Small Finds

Recorder

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Initials



CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

15

SITE COOV/TA 08

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE Laser

Trench TPI

Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by: 10

DEPOSIT:

1. compaction 2. colour
3. composition 4. inclusion
5. thickness 6. extent
7. comments 8. method & conditions

Structure No.

Abutted by:

Plan No.

2

Cut by:

Filled by:

Section No.

1

Same as:

Part of:

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies: 17

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
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Level

Butts:

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Cuts:

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Fill of:

Matrix location

Relationships uncertain

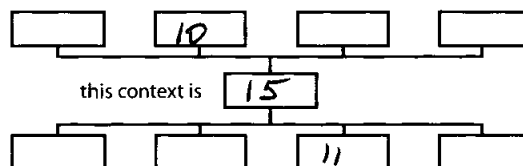
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7. bond 8. dimensions as found
9. other comments

Description (See check lists):

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX

- 1) Tenacious
2) light yellow-brown
3) silt clay
4) Many small flints
5) Depth 0.12m



Interpretation/Discussion

Probable redeposited material from
construction at [26]

Finds (tick): None ☒ Pot ☐ Bone ☐ Flint ☐ Stone ☐ Burnt stone ☐ Glass ☐ Metal ☐
CBM ☐ Wood ☐ Leather ☐

☐ Small Finds☐ Samples☐ Building Materials

Recorder

Date

Initials



CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

16

SITE COOVFA 08

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE Fill

Trench TPI

Context Type: Deposit / ~~Cut~~ / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by: 13

DEPOSIT:

Structure No.

Abutted by:

1. compaction 2. colour
3. composition 4. inclusion
5. thickness 6. extent
7. comments 8. method & conditions

Plan No.

2

Cut by:

Filled by:

Section No.

1

Same as:

Part of:

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch 5. truncation 6. fill nos 7. other comments

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies: 14

Level

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Cuts:

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Matrix location

Relationships uncertain

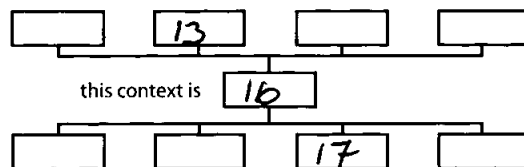
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3. finish of stones 4. coursing/bond 5. form 6. faces
7. bond 8. dimensions as found
9. other comments

Description (See check lists):

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX

- 1) F. table
- 2) Dark red-brown
- 3) clay sett
- 4) W.V
- 5) 0.25m deep
- 6) Fills 17



Interpretation/Discussion

Backfill of feature 17

Finds (tick): None ☒ Pot ☐ Bone ☐ Flint ☐ Stone ☐ Burnt stone ☐ Glass ☐ Metal ☐
CBM ☐ Wood ☐ Leather ☐

☐ Small Finds

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CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

17

SITE *COOVFA 08*

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE *CA*Trench *Test Pit 1*Context Type: ~~Deposit~~ / Cut / ~~Structure~~

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by: *13*

DEPOSIT:

1. compaction 2. colour
3. composition 4. inclusion
5. thickness 6. extent
7. comments 8. method & conditions

Structure No.

Abutted by:

Plan No.

2

Cut by:

Filled by: *16*

Section No.

1

Same as:

Part of:

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies:

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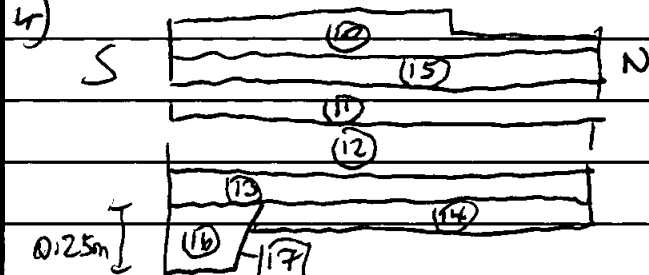
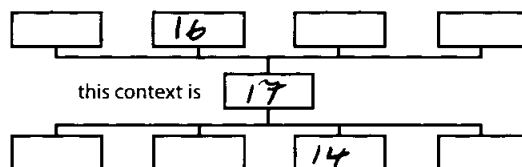
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Description (See check lists):

- 1) *straight edged linear*
2) *steeply sloping sides, flat base*
3) *0.25m deep width unknown*
4)

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX



- 5) *Reduced in depth by later cultivation*
6) *Filled by (16)*

Interpretation/Discussion

Possible beam slot. Same alignment as front of Owen's Farm house.


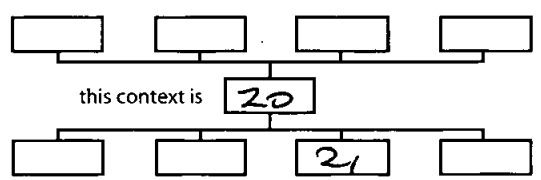
Finds (tick): None ☐ Pot ☐ Bone ☐ Flint ☐ Stone ☐ Burnt stone ☐ Glass ☐ Metal ☐
CBM ☐ Wood ☐ Leather ☐


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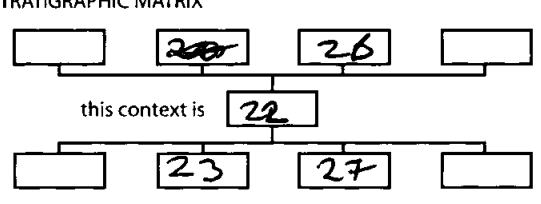
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 CONTEXT RECORD		Context No. 20
SITE COOVA OB	ADDITIONAL SHEETS:	TYPE Lago
Trench TP2	Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure	Check Lists:
Site sub-div	Overlain by:	DEPOSIT: 1. compaction 2. colour 3. composition 4. inclusion 5. thickness 6. extent 7. comments 8. method & conditions
Structure No.	Abutted by:	
Plan No. 1	Cut by:	
	Filled by:	CUT: 1. shape in plan 2. base/sides/top profile 3. dimension and depth 4. sketch 5. truncation 6. fill nos 7. other comments
Section No. 2	Same as:	
	Part of:	
Co-Ordinates	Consists of:	MASONRY: 1. materials 2. size of bricks etc 3. finish of stones 4. coursing/bond 5. form 6. faces 7. bond 8. dimensions as found 9. other comments
	Overlies: 21	
Level	Butts:	
Slide No.	Cuts:	
Neg No.	Fill of:	
Matrix location	Relationships uncertain	
Description (See check lists): 1) Friable 2) Very dark brown 3) silt loam 4) Charcoal and chalk flecking 5) Depth 0.15m		STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>this context is 20</p> </div>
Interpretation/Discussion <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.2em;">Modern garden soil.</div>		
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<input type="checkbox"/> Small Finds		Recorder [Signature]
<input type="checkbox"/> Samples		Date
<input type="checkbox"/> Building Materials		Initials

 CONTEXT RECORD		Context No. 21
SITE COVFA 00		ADDITIONAL SHEETS:
Trench TP 2		Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure
Site sub-div	Overlain by: 20	Check Lists: DEPOSIT: 1. compaction 2. colour 3. composition 4. inclusion 5. thickness 6. extent 7. comments 8. method & conditions
Structure No.	Abutted by:	
Plan No. 1	Cut by:	
	Filled by:	CUT: 1. shape in plan 2. base/sides/top profile 3. dimension and depth 4. sketch 5. truncation 6. fill nos 7. other comments
Section No. 2	Same as:	
	Part of:	
Co-Ordinates	Consists of:	MASONRY: 1. materials 2. size of bricks etc 3. finish of stones 4. coursing/bond 5. form 6. faces 7. bond 8. dimensions as found 9. other comments
	Overlies: 22 : 27	
Level	Butts:	
Slide No.	Cuts:	
Neg No.	Fill of:	
Matrix location	Relationships uncertain	
Description (See check lists):		STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX
1) Friable 2) Light grey yellow-brown 3) Clay silt 4) Chalk flecking 5) Depth 0.12m		<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;"> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">20</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"> </div> </div> <div style="text-align: center; margin: 5px 0;">this context is 21</div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;"> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">27</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">2124</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"> </div> </div>
Interpretation/Discussion		
Earlier worked / quarried / set. Redeposited material from cut [26]		
Finds (tick): None <input type="checkbox"/> Pot <input type="checkbox"/> Bone <input type="checkbox"/> Flint <input type="checkbox"/> Stone <input type="checkbox"/> Burnt stone <input type="checkbox"/> Glass <input type="checkbox"/> Metal <input type="checkbox"/> CBM <input type="checkbox"/> Wood <input type="checkbox"/> Leather <input type="checkbox"/>		
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 CONTEXT RECORD		Context No. 22
SITE COOVFA 040		ADDITIONAL SHEETS:
Trench TP 2		TYPE Lays
Site sub-div	Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure	Check Lists:
Structure No.	Overlain by: 21:27	DEPOSIT:
Plan No. 1	Abutted by:	1. compaction 2. colour
	Cut by: 26	3. composition 4. inclusion
	Filled by:	5. thickness 6. extent
Section No. 2	Same as:	7. comments 8. method & conditions
Co-Ordinates	Part of:	CUT:
	Consists of:	1. shape in plan
	Overlies: 22:27:28:29 23	2. base/sides/top profile
Level	Butts:	3. dimension and depth
Slide No.	Cuts:	4. sketch 5. truncation 6. fill nos 7. other comments
Neg No.	Fill of:	MASONRY:
Matrix location	Relationships uncertain	1. materials 2. size of bricks etc
Description (See check lists): 1) compact 2) Light salt grey 3) Clay silt 4) Much chalk 5) Depth 0.2m		3. finish of stones 4. coursing/bond 5. form 6. faces
		7. bond 8. dimensions as found
		9. other comments
		STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>
Interpretation/Discussion Possible old farmyard surface		
Finds (tick): None <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pot <input type="checkbox"/> Bone <input type="checkbox"/> Flint <input type="checkbox"/> Stone <input type="checkbox"/> Burnt stone <input type="checkbox"/> Glass <input type="checkbox"/> Metal <input type="checkbox"/> CBM <input type="checkbox"/> Wood <input type="checkbox"/> Leather <input type="checkbox"/>		
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CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

23

SITE *COUFA 08*

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE *Layo*Trench *TP2*Context Type: Deposit / ~~Cut~~ / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by: *22, 27*

DEPOSIT:

Structure No.

Abutted by:

1. compaction 2. colour
3. composition 4. inclusion
5. thickness 6. extent
7. comments 8. method & conditions

Plan No.

*1*Cut by: *26*

Filled by:

Section No.

2

Same as:

Part of:

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch 5. truncation 6. fill nos 7. other comments

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies: *24*

Level

Butts:

Slide No.

Cuts:

Neg No.

Fill of:

Matrix location

Relationships uncertain

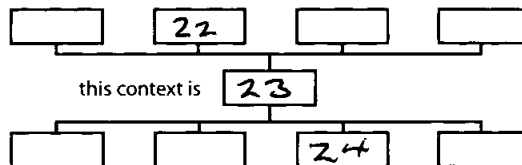
MASONRY:

1. materials 2. size of bricks etc
3. finish of stones 4. coursing/bond 5. form 6. faces
7. bond 8. dimensions as found
9. other comments

Description (See check lists):

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX

- 1) Friable
- 2) Clay loam
- 3) Grey-brown
- 4) Charcoal flecking
- 5) Depth 0.15m



Interpretation/Discussion

Earlier worked (garden) soil.

Finds (tick): None ☒ Pot ☐ Bone ☐ Flint ☐ Stone ☐ Burnt stone ☐ Glass ☐ Metal ☐
CBM ☐ Wood ☐ Leather ☐

☐ Small Finds☐ Samples☐ Building MaterialsRecorder *[Signature]*

Date

Initials

Initials



CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

25

SITE COOVFA 08

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE Layer

Trench TP2

Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by: 24 : 28

DEPOSIT:

1. compaction
2. colour
3. composition
4. inclusion
5. thickness
6. extent
7. comments
8. method & conditions

Structure No.

Abutted by:

Plan No.

1

Cut by:

26

Filled by:

Section No.

2

Same as:

Part of:

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch
5. truncation
6. fill nos
7. other comments

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies:

Level

Butts:

MASONRY:

1. materials
2. size of bricks etc
3. finish of stones
4. coursing/bond
5. term
6. faces
7. bond
8. dimensions as found
9. other comments

Slide No.

Cuts:

Neg No.

Fill of:

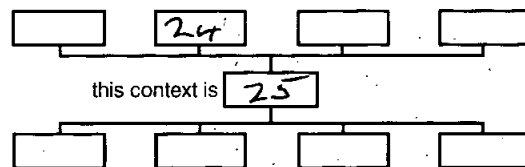
Matrix location

Relationships uncertain

Description (See check lists):

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX

- 1) Terracotta
- 2) Red brown
- 3) Silt clay
- 4) Nil
- 5) Depth > 0.15m



Interpretation/Discussion:

Undisturbed material. Alluvial deposit.

Finds (tick): None ☒ Pot ☐ Bone ☐ Flint ☐ Stone ☐ Burnt stone ☐ Glass ☐
Metal ☐ CBM ☐ Wood ☐ Leather ☐

☐ Small FindsRecorder *MR*☐ Samples

Date

☐ Building Materials

Initials



CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

26

SITE COOVPA 09

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE CA

Trench TP 2

Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by: 21

DEPOSIT:

1. compaction
2. colour
3. composition
4. inclusion
5. thickness
6. extent
7. comments
8. method & conditions

Structure No.

Abutted by:

Plan No.

1

Cut by:

Filled by: 27:28

Section No.

2

Same as:

Part of:

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch
5. truncation
6. fill nos
7. other comments

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies:

Level

Butts:

Slide No.

Cuts: 22:23:24:25

Neg No.

Fill of:

MASONRY:

1. materials
2. size of bricks etc
3. finish of stones
4. coursing/bond
5. form
6. faces
7. bond
8. dimensions as found
9. other comments

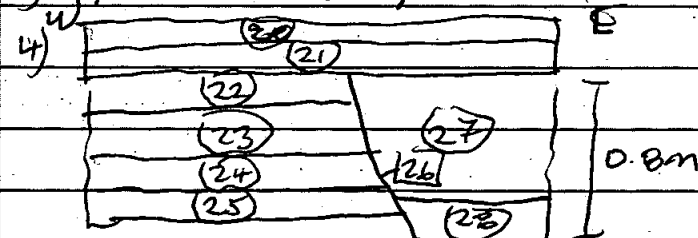
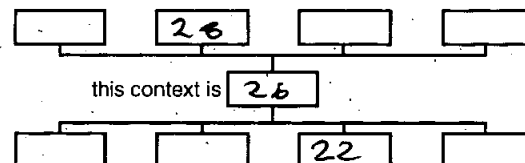
Matrix location

Relationships uncertain

Description (See check lists):

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX

- 1) Straight edged linear
- 2) Very steep sloping side
- 3) > 0.8m deep



5) N.I

6) Filled by (27) and (28)

Interpretation/Discussion:

Construction cut for 1970s extension to west end of house

Finds (tick): None ☐ Pot ☐ Bone ☐ Flint ☐ Stone ☐ Burnt stone ☐ Glass ☐
Metal ☐ CBM ☐ Wood ☐ Leather ☐

☐ Small Finds


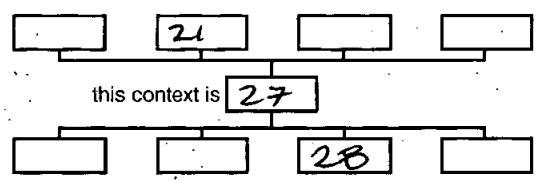
Recorder

☐ Samples

Date

☐ Building Materials

Initials

		CONTEXT RECORD		Context No. 27	
SITE COORFA 08		ADDITIONAL SHEETS:		TYPE F:U	
Trench TP2		Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure		Check Lists:	
Site sub-div		Overlain by: 21		DEPOSIT: 1. compaction 2. colour 3. composition 4. inclusion 5. thickness 6. extent 7. comments 8. method & conditions	
Structure No.		Abutted by:			
Plan No. 1		Cut by:			
		Filled by:			
Section No. 2		Same as:		CUT: 1. shape in plan 2. base/sides/top profile 3. dimension and depth 4. sketch 5. truncation 6. fill nos 7. other comments	
		Part of:			
Co-Ordinates		Consists of:			
		Overlies: 28			
Level		Butts:		MASONRY: 1. materials 2. size of bricks etc 3. finish of stones 4. coursing/bond 5. form 6. faces 7. bond 8. dimensions as found 9. other comments	
Slide No.		Cuts:			
Neg No.		Fill of: 26			
Matrix location		Relationships uncertain			
Description (See check lists):				STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX <div style="text-align: center; margin-top: 10px;">  </div>	
1) Friable					
2) Grey loam					
3) clay silt					
4) Many brick ends					
5) Depth 0.45m					
Interpretation/Discussion: Backfill of construction at [26]					
Finds (tick): None <input type="checkbox"/> Pot <input type="checkbox"/> Bone <input type="checkbox"/> Flint <input type="checkbox"/> Stone <input type="checkbox"/> Burnt stone <input type="checkbox"/> Glass <input type="checkbox"/> Metal <input type="checkbox"/> CBM <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wood <input type="checkbox"/> Leather <input type="checkbox"/>					
<input type="checkbox"/> Small Finds					Recorder [Signature]
<input type="checkbox"/> Samples					Date
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CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

28

SITE COOVFA 08

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE Layer

Trench Test Pit 2

Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by: 27

DEPOSIT:

1. compaction
2. colour
3. composition
4. inclusion
5. thickness
6. extent
7. comments
8. method & conditions

Structure No.

Abutted by:

Plan No.

1

Cut by:

Filled by:

Section No.

2

Same as:

Part of:

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch
5. truncation
6. fill nos
7. other comments

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies: 24:25

Level

Butts:

MASONRY:

1. materials
2. size of bricks etc
3. finish of stones
4. coursing/bond
5. form
6. faces
7. bond
8. dimensions as found
9. other comments

Slide No.

Cuts:

Neg No.

Fill of: 26

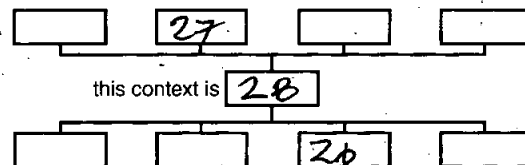
Matrix location

Relationships uncertain

Description (See check lists):

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX

- 1) Fritable
- 2) Dark yellow
- 3) Sand
- 4) Nil
- 5) Depth > 0.2m



Interpretation/Discussion:

Primary backfill of construction cut
[26] Sand to aid drainage.

Finds (tick): None [] Pot [] Bone [] Flint [] Stone [] Burnt stone [] Glass []
Metal [] CBM [] Wood [] Leather []

☐ Small Finds

Recorder

☐ Samples

Date

☐ Building Materials

Initials



CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

30

SITE COOVFA 08

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE Layer

Trench Test PA 3

Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by:

DEPOSIT:

1. compaction
2. colour
3. composition
4. inclusion
5. thickness
6. extent
7. comments
8. method & conditions

Structure No.

Abutted by:

Plan No.

1

Cut by:

Filled by:

Section No.

3

Same as:

Part of:

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch
5. truncation
6. fill nos
7. other comments

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies: 31

Level

Butts:

MASONRY:

1. materials
2. size of bricks etc
3. finish of stones
4. coursing/bond
5. form
6. faces
7. bond
8. dimensions as found
9. other comments

Slide No.

Cuts:

Neg No.

Fill of:

Matrix location

Relationships uncertain

Description (See check lists):

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX

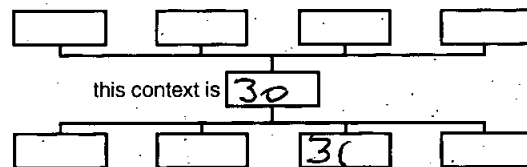
1) Friable

2) Dark grey-brn

3) silt loam

4) Charcoal flecking, st small stone frags

5) Depth 0.25m



Interpretation/Discussion:

Modern garden soil

Finds (tick): None ☐ Pot ☐ Bone ☐ Flint ☐ Stone ☐ Burnt stone ☐ Glass ☐
Metal ☐ CBM ☐ Wood ☐ Leather ☐

☐ Small FindsRecorder *AS*☐ Samples

Date

☐ Building Materials

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CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

32

SITE COOVFA00

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE Layer

Trench TP3

Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by: 31

DEPOSIT:

1. compaction
2. colour
3. composition
4. inclusion
5. thickness
6. extent
7. comments
8. method & conditions

Structure No.

Abutted by:

Plan No.

1

Cut by:

Filled by:

Section No.

3

Same as:

Part of:

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch
5. truncation
6. fill nos
7. other comments

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies: 33

Level

Butts:

MASONRY:

1. materials
2. size of bricks etc
3. finish of stones
4. coursing/bond
5. form
6. faces
7. bond
8. dimensions as found
9. other comments

Slide No.

Cuts:

Neg No.

Fill of:

Matrix location

Relationships uncertain

Description (See check lists):

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX

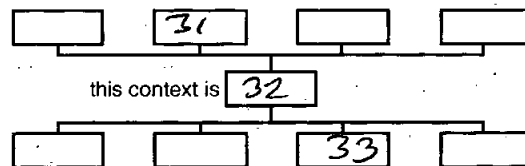
1) Fertile

2) grey-brown

3) silt clay

4) Many roof tile fragments, charcoal flecking

5) Depth 0.18m



Interpretation/Discussion:

Earlier garden soil

Finds (tick): None [] Pot [] Bone [] Flint [] Stone [] Burnt stone [] Glass []
Metal [] CBM [] Wood [] Leather []

☐ Small Finds

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☐ Building Materials

Initials



CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

33

SITE COOKA 08

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE Layer

Trench TPS

Context Type: Deposit / ~~Cut~~ / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by: 32

DEPOSIT:

1. compaction
2. colour
3. composition
4. inclusion
5. thickness
6. extent
7. comments
8. method & conditions

Structure No.

Abutted by:

Plan No.

Cut by:

Filled by:

Section No.

3

Same as:

Part of:

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies: 34

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch
5. truncation
6. fill nos
7. other comments

Level

Butts:

Slide No.

Cuts:

Neg No.

Fill of:

MASONRY:

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3. finish of stones
4. coursing/bond
5. form
6. faces
7. bond
8. dimensions as found
9. other comments

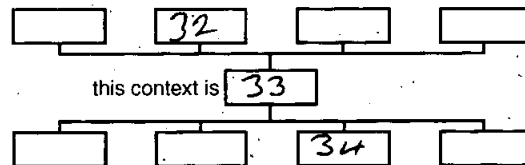
Matrix location

Relationships uncertain

Description (See check lists):

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX

- 1) Friable
- 2) Dark brown
- 3) silt clay
- 4) Charcoal flecking,
- 5) 0.15m deep.



Interpretation/Discussion:

Earlier garden soil

Fragments of glazed earthenware (C17th-C19th) recovered.


Finds (tick): None ☐ Pot ☒ Bone ☐ Flint ☐ Stone ☐ Burnt stone ☐ Glass ☐
Metal ☐ CBM ☐ Wood ☐ Leather ☐


☐ Small FindsRecorder *PC*☐ Samples

Date

☐ Building Materials

Initials

		CONTEXT RECORD		Context No. 34	
SITE COOVFA 08		ADDITIONAL SHEETS:		TYPE Layer	
Trench TP3		Context Type: Deposit / <u>Cut</u> / Structure		Check Lists:	
Site sub-div		Overlain by: 33		DEPOSIT: 1. compaction 2. colour 3. composition 4. inclusion 5. thickness 6. extent 7. comments 8. method & conditions	
Structure No.		Abutted by:			
Plan No. 1		Cut by:			
		Filled by:			
Section No. 3		Same as:		CUT: 1. shape in plan 2. base/sides/top profile 3. dimension and depth 4. sketch 5. truncation 6. fill nos 7. other comments	
		Part of:			
Co-Ordinates		Consists of:			
		Overlies:			
Level		Butts:		MASONRY: 1. materials 2. size of bricks etc 3. finish of stones 4. coursing/bond 5. form 6. faces 7. bond 8. dimensions as found 9. other comments	
Slide No.		Cuts:			
Neg No.		Fill of:			
Matrix location		Relationships uncertain			
Description (See check lists): <div style="font-size: 1.2em;"> 1) Tenacious 2) Red-brown 3) soft clay 4) w/v 5) Depth > 0.1m </div>			STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX		
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Interpretation/Discussion: Undisturbed alluvium natural Alluvial deposit.					
Finds (tick): None <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pot <input type="checkbox"/> Bone <input type="checkbox"/> Flint <input type="checkbox"/> Stone <input type="checkbox"/> Burnt stone <input type="checkbox"/> Glass <input type="checkbox"/> Metal <input type="checkbox"/> CBM <input type="checkbox"/> Wood <input type="checkbox"/> Leather <input type="checkbox"/>					
<input type="checkbox"/> Small Finds					Recorder [Signature]
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		CONTEXT RECORD		Context No. 40	
SITE COOVERA 02		ADDITIONAL SHEETS:		TYPE Layer	
Trench	Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure			Check Lists:	
Site sub-div	Overlain by:			DEPOSIT: 1. compaction 2. colour 3. composition 4. inclusion 5. thickness 6. extent 7. comments 8. method & conditions	
Structure No.	Abutted by:				
Plan No. 1	Cut by:				
	Filled by:				
Section No. 4.	Same as:			CUT: 1. shape in plan 2. base/sides/top profile 3. dimension and depth 4. sketch 5. truncation 6. fill nos 7. other comments	
	Part of:				
Co-Ordinates	Consists of:				
	Overlies: 41				
Level	Butts:			MASONRY: 1. materials 2. size of bricks etc 3. finish of stones 4. coursing/bond 5. form 6. faces 7. bond 8. dimensions as found 9. other comments	
Slide No.	Cuts:				
Neg No.	Fill of:				
Matrix location	Relationships uncertain				
Description (See check lists):					
1) Friable					
2) Dark grey brown					
3) Silt loam					
4) Charcoal flecking					
5) Depth 0.3m					
Interpretation/Discussion: Modern garden soil					
Finds (tick): None <input type="checkbox"/> Pot <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bone <input type="checkbox"/> Flint <input type="checkbox"/> Stone <input type="checkbox"/> Burnt stone <input type="checkbox"/> Glass <input type="checkbox"/> Metal <input type="checkbox"/> CBM <input type="checkbox"/> Wood <input type="checkbox"/> Leather <input type="checkbox"/>					
<input type="checkbox"/> Small Finds					Recorder PLG
<input type="checkbox"/> Samples					Date
<input type="checkbox"/> Building Materials					Initials



CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

41

SITE COOVFA 08

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE Laser

Trench

Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by:

DEPOSIT:

1. compaction
2. colour
3. composition
4. inclusion
5. thickness
6. extent
7. comments
8. method & conditions

Structure No.

Abutted by:

Plan No.

1

Cut by:

Filled by:

Section No.

4

Same as:

Part of:

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch
5. truncation
6. fill nos
7. other comments

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies:

Level

Butts:

MASONRY:

1. materials
2. size of bricks etc
3. finish of stones
4. coursing/bond
5. form
6. faces
7. bond
8. dimensions as found
9. other comments

Slide No.

Cuts:

Neg No.

Fill of:

Matrix location

Relationships uncertain

Description (See check lists):

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX

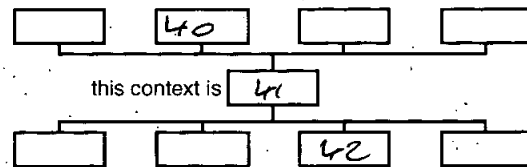
1) Trenches

2) light gray

3) Clay silt

4) Many small-medium shale lumps

5) Depth 0.1m



Interpretation/Discussion:

Possible old farmyard surface?

Finds (tick): None [] Pot [] Bone [] Flint [] Stone [] Burnt stone [] Glass []
Metal [] CBM [] Wood [] Leather []

△ Small Finds

Recorder

◇ Samples

Date

⬆ Building Materials

Initials

42

SITE C00VFA 08

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE *Layer*

Trench

Context Type: Deposit / ~~Cut~~ / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by: 40; 41

DEPOSIT:

Structure No.

Abutted by:

1. compaction
2. colour
3. composition
4. inclusion
5. thickness
6. extent
7. comments
8. method & co

Plan No.

Cut by:

CUT:

Section No.

Same as:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch
5. truncation
6. fill nos
7. other comments

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

MASONRY:

Level

Butts:

1. materials
2. size of bricks etc
3. finish of stones
4. coursing/bond
5. form
6. faces
7. bond
8. dimensions as found
9. other comments

Slide No.

Cuts:

Neg No.

Fill of:

Matrix location

Relationships uncertain

Description (See check lists):

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX

1) Tenuosus

2) Gewinn

3) SiH₄ - clay

4) chalk and charcoal flecking

5) Depth 0.25m

Interpretation/Discussion:

soil

Worked soil, earlier phase of garden

Finds (tick): None ☒ Pot ☐ Bone ☐ Flint ☐ Stone ☐ Burnt stone ☐ Glass ☐
Metal ☐ CBM ☐ Wood ☐ Leather ☐

Small Finds

Recorder


Samples

Date _____

Building Materials

Initials



CONTEXT RECORD

Context No:

43

SITE COOFA08

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE Layer

Trench

Context Type: Deposit / ~~Cut~~ / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by: 42 1

DEPOSIT:

1. compaction
2. colour
3. composition
4. inclusion
5. thickness
6. extent
7. comments
8. method & conditions

Structure No.

Abutted by:

Plan No.

1

Cut by:

Filled by:

Section No.

4

Same as:

Part of:

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies: 44 ; 45 ; 47

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch
5. truncation
6. fill nos
7. other comments

Level

Butts:

Slide No.

Cuts:

Neg No.

Fill of:

Matrix location

Relationships uncertain

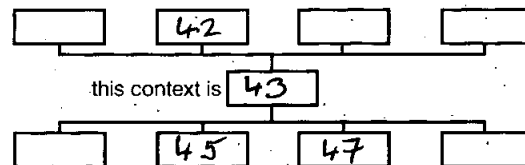
MASONRY:

1. materials
2. size of bricks etc
3. finish of stones
4. coursing/bond
5. form
6. faces
7. bond
8. dimensions as found
9. other comments

Description (See check lists):

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX

- 1) Teradoss
- 2) Gray/yellow brown
- 3) soft clay
- 4) Charcoal flecking
- 5) Depth 0.35m



Interpretation/Discussion:

Worked soil, earlier phase of garden soil.

Finds (tick): None ☐ Pot ☐ Bone ☐ Flint ☐ Stone ☐ Burnt stone ☐ Glass ☐
Metal ☐ CBM ☒ Wood ☐ Leather ☐

☐ Small Finds

Recorder

☐ Samples

Date

☐ Building Materials

Initials



CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

44

SITE COOVFA 08

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE Layers

Trench

Context Type: Deposit / ~~Cut~~ / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by: 43 : 45 : 47

DEPOSIT:

1. compaction
2. colour
3. composition
4. inclusion
5. thickness
6. extent
7. comments
8. method & conditions

Structure No.

Abutted by:

Plan No.

Cut by: 46 : 48

Filled by:

Section No.

4

Same as:

Part of:

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch
5. truncation
6. fill nos
7. other comments

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies:

Level

Butts:

MASONRY:

1. materials
2. size of bricks etc
3. finish of stones
4. coursing/bond
5. form
6. faces
7. bond
8. dimensions as found
9. other comments

Slide No.

Cuts:

Neg No.

Fill of:

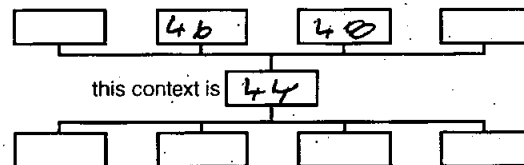
Matrix location

Relationships uncertain

Description (See check lists):

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX

- 1) Tenacitas
- 2) Red brown
- 3) silt clay
- 4) Nil
- 5) Depth 70.4m



Interpretation/Discussion:

Alluvium

Finds (tick): None ☒ Pot ☐ Bone ☐ Flint ☐ Stone ☐ Burnt stone ☐ Glass ☐
Metal ☐ CBM ☐ Wood ☐ Leather ☐

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CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

45

SITE COOVFA 08

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE F:U

Trench

Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by:

43

DEPOSIT:

1. compaction
2. colour
3. composition
4. inclusion
5. thickness
6. extent
7. comments
8. method & conditions

Structure No.

Abutted by:

Plan No.

1

Cut by:

Filled by:

Section No.

4

Same as:

Part of:

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch
5. truncation
6. fill nos
7. other comments

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies:

44

MASONRY:

1. materials
2. size of bricks etc
3. finish of stones
4. coursing/bond
5. form
6. faces
7. bond
8. dimensions as found
9. other comments

Level

Butts:

Slide No.

Cuts:

Neg No.

Fill of:

4b

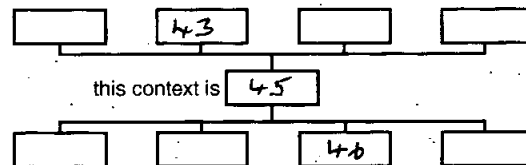
Matrix location

Relationships uncertain

Description (See check lists):

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX

- 1) Friable
- 2) Light grey brown
- 3) silt clay
- 4) N/V
- 5) Depth 0.2m



Interpretation/Discussion:

Fill of tree throw hole [4b]

Finds (tick): None ☒ Pot ☐ Bone ☐ Flint ☐ Stone ☐ Burnt stone ☐ Glass ☐
Metal ☐ CBM ☐ Wood ☐ Leather ☐



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Samples

Date



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CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

46

SITE COOVFA 08

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE *Tree
throw hole*

Trench

Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by: 42

DEPOSIT:

1. compaction
2. colour
3. composition
4. inclusion
5. thickness
6. extent
7. comments
8. method & conditions

Structure No.

Abutted by:

Plan No.

1

Cut by:

Filled by: 45

Section No.

4

Same as:

Part of:

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch
5. truncation
6. fill nos
7. other comments

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies:

Level

Butts:

Slide No.

Cuts: 44

MASONRY:

1. materials
2. size of bricks etc
3. finish of stones
4. coursing/bond
5. form
6. faces
7. bond
8. dimensions as found
9. other comments

Neg No.

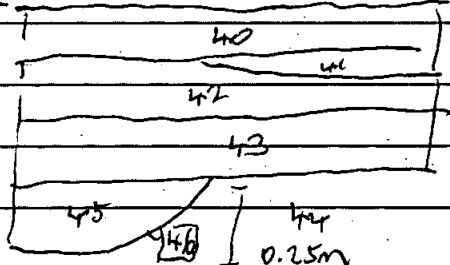
Fill of:

Matrix location

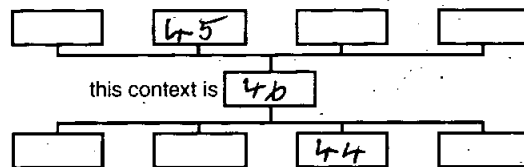
Relationships uncertain

Description (See check lists):

- 1) Ovoid in plan
- 2) "Bowl" shaped profile
- 3) 0.25m deep, 0.5m dia
- 4) E



STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX



- 5) Reduced in depth by later cultivation
- 6) Filled by 45

Interpretation/Discussion:

Tree throw hole.


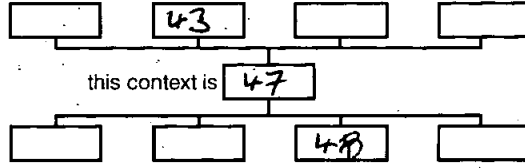
Finds (tick): None ☐ Pot ☐ Bone ☐ Flint ☐ Stone ☐ Burnt stone ☐ Glass ☐
Metal ☐ CBM ☐ Wood ☐ Leather ☐

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Initials

		CONTEXT RECORD		Context No. 47	
SITE COOVFA 08		ADDITIONAL SHEETS:		TYPE Fill	
Trench TEA P44		Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure		Check Lists:	
Site sub-div		Overlain by: 43		DEPOSIT: 1. compaction 2. colour 3. composition 4. inclusion 5. thickness 6. extent 7. comments 8. method & conditions	
Structure No.		Abutted by:			
Plan No. 2		Cut by:			
		Filled by:			
Section No. 4		Same as:		CUT: 1. shape in plan 2. base/sides/top profile 3. dimension and depth 4. sketch 5. truncation 6. fill nos 7. other comments	
		Part of:			
Co-Ordinates		Consists of:			
		Overlies: 44			
Level		Butts:		MASONRY: 1. materials 2. size of bricks etc 3. finish of stones 4. coursing/bond 5. form 6. faces 7. bond 8. dimensions as found 9. other comments	
Slide No.		Cuts:			
Neg No.		Fill of: 4B			
Matrix location		Relationships uncertain			
Description (See check lists): 1) Terraces 2) light grey brack 3) silt clay 4) N.B. 5) 0.18m deep			STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX		
					
Interpretation/Discussion: Fill of tree throw hole [4B]					
Finds (tick): None <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pot <input type="checkbox"/> Bone <input type="checkbox"/> Flint <input type="checkbox"/> Stone <input type="checkbox"/> Burnt stone <input type="checkbox"/> Glass <input type="checkbox"/> Metal <input type="checkbox"/> CBM <input type="checkbox"/> Wood <input type="checkbox"/> Leather <input type="checkbox"/>					
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CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

48

SITE COOVFA 08

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE Tree & Throat hole

Trench Test Pit 4

Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by: 43

DEPOSIT:

1. compaction
2. colour
3. composition
4. inclusion
5. thickness
6. extent
7. comments
8. method & conditions

Structure No.

Abutted by:

Plan No.

2

Cut by:

Filled by: 47

Section No.

4

Same as:

Part of:

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies:

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch
5. truncation
6. fill nos
7. other comments

Level

Butts:

Slide No.

Cuts: 44

Neg No.

Fill of:

MASONRY:

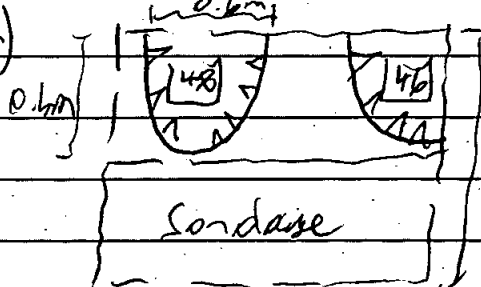
1. materials
2. size of bricks etc
3. finish of stones
4. coursing/bond
5. form
6. faces
7. bond
8. dimensions as found
9. other comments

Matrix location

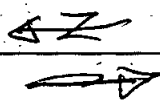
Relationships uncertain

Description (See check lists):

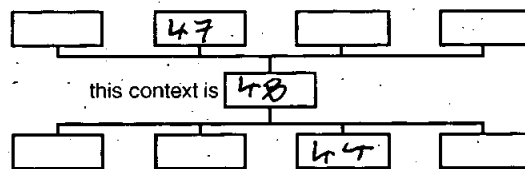
- 1) Ovoid in shape
- 2) Bowl shaped profile
- 3) 0.8m x 0.6m x 0.18m deep
- 4)



Section 4



STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX



- 5) Reduced in depth by later cultivation
- 6) Filled by (47)

Interpretation/Discussion:

Tree Throat hole..

Finds (tick): None ☒ Pot ☐ Bone ☐ Flint ☐ Stone ☐ Burnt stone ☐ Glass ☐
Metal ☐ CBM ☐ Wood ☐ Leather ☐

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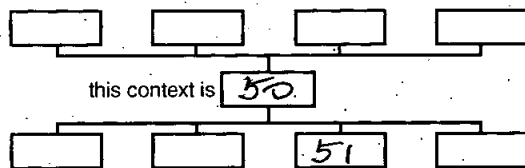
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SITE <i>CAOVFA 08</i>		ADDITIONAL SHEETS:		TYPE <i>Layer</i>	
Trench		Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure		Check Lists:	
Site sub-div		Overlain by:		DEPOSIT: 1. compaction 2. colour 3. composition 4. inclusion 5. thickness 6. extent 7. comments 8. method & conditions	
Structure No.		Abutted by:			
Plan No. <div style="font-size: 2em;">1</div>		Cut by:			
		Filled by:			
Section No. <div style="font-size: 2em;">5</div>		Same as:		CUT: 1. shape in plan 2. base/sides/top profile 3. dimension and depth 4. sketch 5. truncation 6. fill nos 7. other comments	
		Part of:			
Co-Ordinates		Consists of:			
		Overlies: <i>51</i>			
Level		Butts:		MASONRY: 1. materials 2. size of bricks etc 3. finish of stones 4. coursing/bond 5. for 6. faces 7. bond 8. dimensions as found 9. other comments	
Slide No.		Cuts:			
Neg No.		Fill of:			
Matrix location		Relationships uncertain			
Description (See check lists):				STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX	
1) <i>Friable</i> 2) <i>Dark grey brown</i> 3) <i>Silt loam</i> 4) <i>Charcoal flecking</i> 5) <i>Depth 0.2m</i>				<div style="text-align: center;">  <p>this context is <i>50</i></p> </div>	
Interpretation/Discussion: <i>A Modern garden soil</i>					
Finds (tick): None <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pot <input type="checkbox"/> Bone <input type="checkbox"/> Flint <input type="checkbox"/> Stone <input type="checkbox"/> Burnt stone <input type="checkbox"/> Glass <input type="checkbox"/> Metal <input type="checkbox"/> CBM <input type="checkbox"/> Wood <input type="checkbox"/> Leather <input type="checkbox"/>					
<input type="checkbox"/> Small Finds				Recorder <i>MA</i>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Samples				Date	
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CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

51

SITE COOVFA00

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE Layer

Trench

Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by: 50

DEPOSIT:

1. compaction
2. colour
3. composition
4. inclusion
5. thickness
6. extent
7. comments
8. method & conditions

Structure No.

Abutted by:

Plan No.

Cut by:

Filled by:

Section No. 5

Same as:

Part of:

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch
5. truncation
6. fill nos
7. other comments

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies: 52

Level

Butts:

Slide No.

Cuts:

Neg No.

Fill of:

MASONRY:

1. materials
2. size of bricks etc
3. finish of stones
4. coursing/bond
5. form
6. faces
7. bond
8. dimensions as found
9. other comments

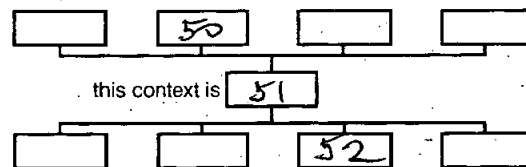
Matrix location

Relationships uncertain

Description (See check lists):

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX

- 1) Friable
- 2) Light grey
- 3) Clay silt
- 4) mod. chalk blocks
- 5) Depth 0.15m



Interpretation/Discussion:

Possible remnants of old farmyard surface?

Finds (tick): None ☒ Pot ☐ Bone ☐ Flint ☐ Stone ☐ Burnt stone ☐ Glass ☐
Metal ☐ CBM ☐ Wood ☐ Leather ☐

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CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

52

SITE COOVFA 08

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE Layer

Trench

Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by:

51

DEPOSIT:

1. compaction
2. colour
3. composition
4. inclusion
5. thickness
6. extent
7. comments
8. method & conditions

Structure No.

Abutted by:

Plan No.

1

Cut by:

Filled by:

Section No.

5

Same as:

Part of:

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch
5. truncation
6. fill nos
7. other comments

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies:

53

Level

Butts:

Slide No.

Cuts:

Neg No.

Fill of:

MASONRY:

1. materials
2. size of bricks etc
3. finish of stones
4. coursing/bond
5. form
6. faces
7. bond
8. dimensions as found
9. other comments

Matrix location

Relationships uncertain

Description (See check lists):

1) Friable

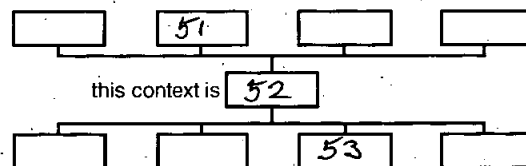
2) Green

3) Silt clay

4) Chalk and charcoal flecking

5) Depth 0.25m

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX



Interpretation/Discussion:

Worked soil, earlier garden soil.

Finds (tick): None ☒ Pot ☐ Bone ☐ Flint ☐ Stone ☐ Burnt stone ☐ Glass ☐
Metal ☐ CBM ☐ Wood ☐ Leather ☐

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CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

53

SITE COOVFA 00

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE Layer

Trench

Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by: 52

DEPOSIT:

1. compaction
2. colour
3. composition
4. inclusion
5. thickness
6. extent
7. comments
8. method & conditions

Structure No.

Abutted by:

Plan No.

1

Cut by:

Filled by:

Section No.

5

Same as:

Part of:

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies: 54

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch
5. truncation
6. fill nos
7. other comments

Level

Butts:

MASONRY:

1. materials
2. size of bricks etc
3. finish of stones
4. coursing/bond
5. form
6. faces
7. bond
8. dimensions as found
9. other comments

Slide No.

Cuts:

Neg No.

Fill of:

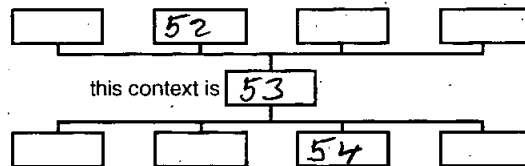
Matrix location

Relationships uncertain

Description (See check lists):

- 1) Friable Friable
- 2) Light orange brown
- 3) S.H. clay
- 4) Charcoal flecking
- 5) 0.3m depth

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX



Interpretation/Discussion:

Worked soil, earlier garden soil

Finds (tick): None ☒ Pot ☐ Bone ☐ Flint ☐ Stone ☐ Burnt stone ☐ Glass ☐
Metal ☐ CBM ☐ Wood ☐ Leather ☐

☐ Small Finds


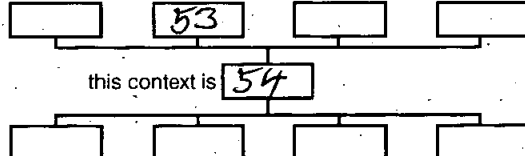
Recorder

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SITE <i>COORFA 08</i>		ADDITIONAL SHEETS:		TYPE <i>Layer</i>
Trench	Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure			Check Lists:
Site sub-div	Overlain by: <i>53</i>			DEPOSIT: 1. compaction 2. colour 3. composition 4. inclusion 5. thickness 6. extent 7. comments 8. method & conditions
Structure No.	Abutted by:			
Plan No. <i>1</i>	Cut by:			
	Filled by:			
Section No. <i>5</i>	Same as:			CUT: 1. shape in plan 2. base/sides/top profile 3. dimension and depth 4. sketch 5. truncation 6. fill nos 7. other comments
	Part of:			
Co-Ordinates	Consists of:			
	Overlies:			
Level	Butts:			MASONRY: 1. materials 2. size of bricks etc 3. finish of stones 4. coursing/bond 5. form 6. faces 7. bond 8. dimensions as found 9. other comments
Slide No.	Cuts:			
Neg. No.	Fill of:			
Matrix location	Relationships uncertain			
Description (See check lists):				STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX
<i>1) Tenacious</i> <i>2) light yellow brown Red brown</i> <i>3) silt clay</i> <i>4) N/A</i> <i>5) Depth > 0.15m</i>				
Interpretation/Discussion: <i>Undisturbed alluvium.</i>				
Finds (tick): None [] Pot [] Bone [] Flint [] Stone [] Burnt stone [] Glass [] Metal [] CBM [] Wood [] Leather []				
<input type="checkbox"/> Small Finds				Recorder <i>[Signature]</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Samples				Date
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B. CATALOGUE OF DRAWINGS

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PLAN RECORD SHEET

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08

SITE NAME Ovej's Farm Coochen

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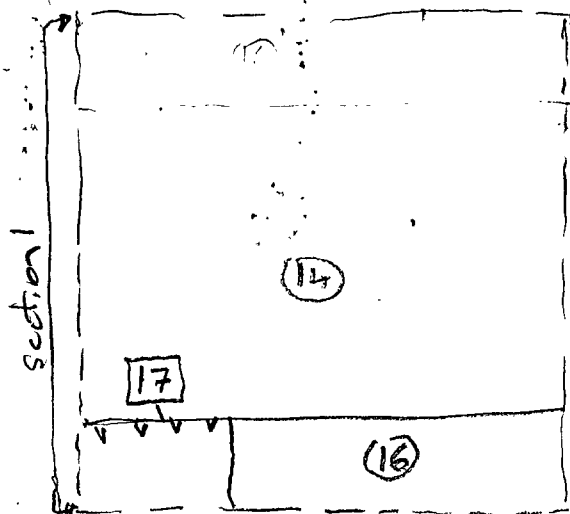
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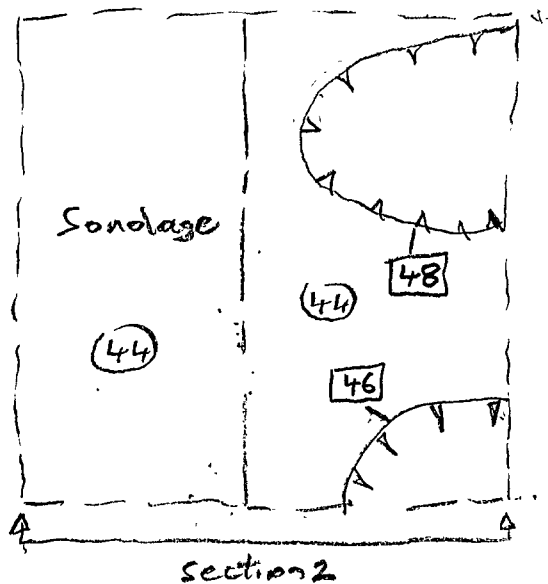


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Test Pit 1

Plan 1

Scale 1:20



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Test Pit 2

Plan 2

Scale 1:20

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Plan 3

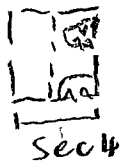
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Test Pit 4



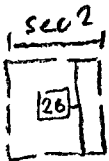
Outline of
proposed extension



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Test Pit 3



Test Pit 2

1970s
extension

steps
down



Test Pit 1

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Ovey's Farm

Main House

Garage Wall

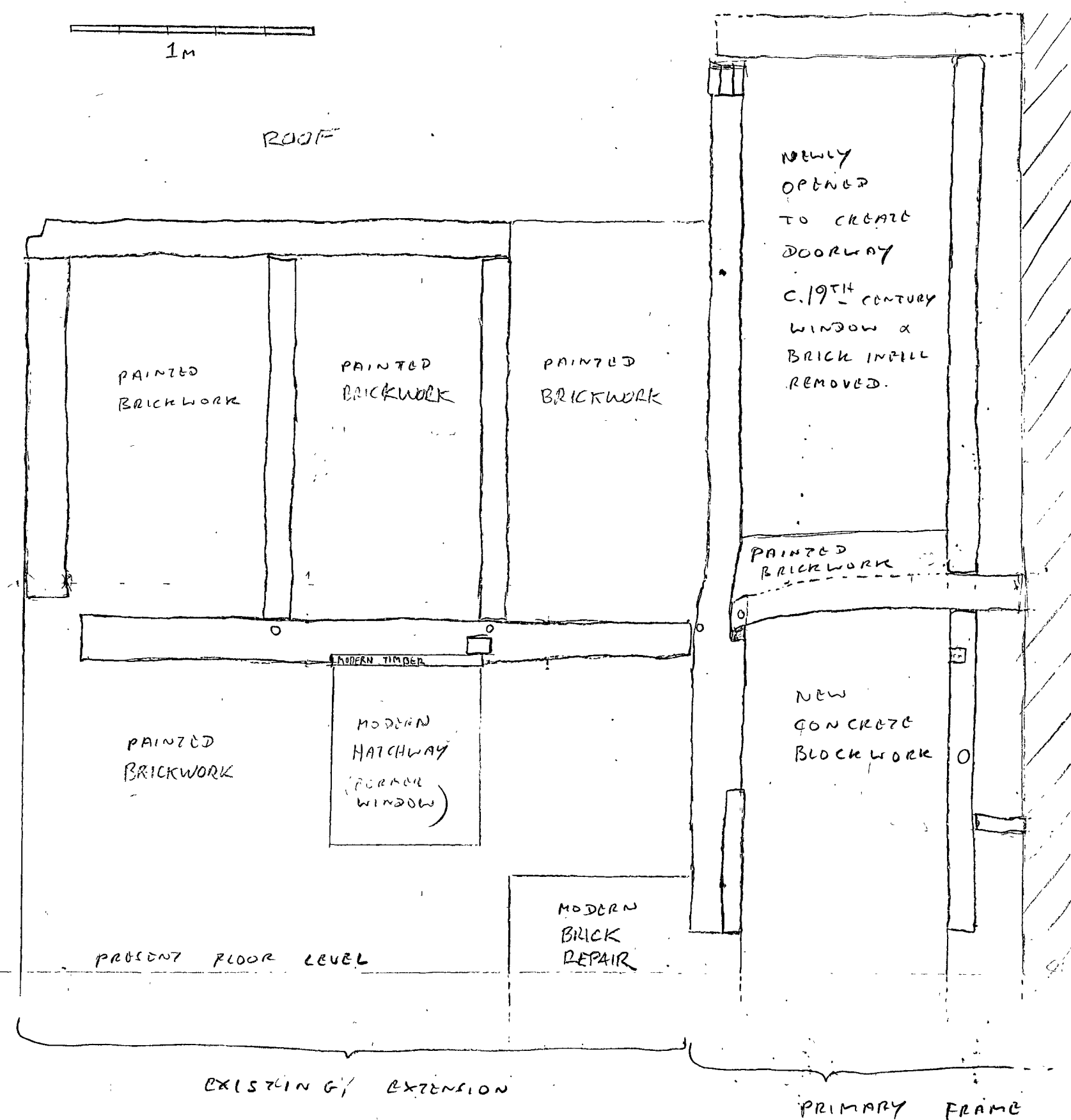
Drawing 4, West façade, Ground to first floor

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OVEY'S FARMHOUSE, COOKHAM
DRAWING 4
COOVFA'09
WEST FAÇADE, GROUND & FIRST FLOOR
WEST FACING ELEVATION.
SCALE 1:20
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1m

ROOF



NEW BLOCK WALL
OF EXTENSION.

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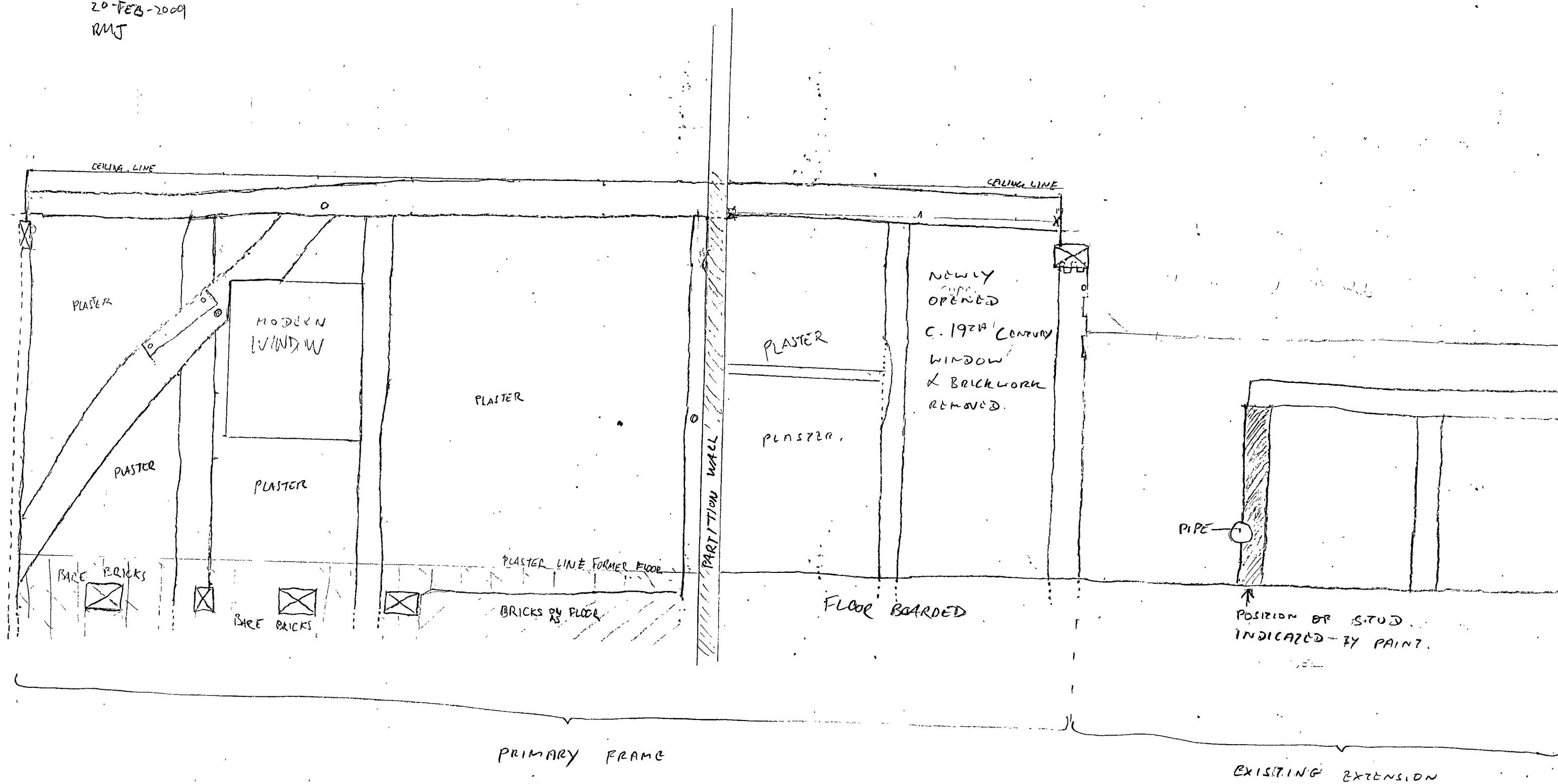
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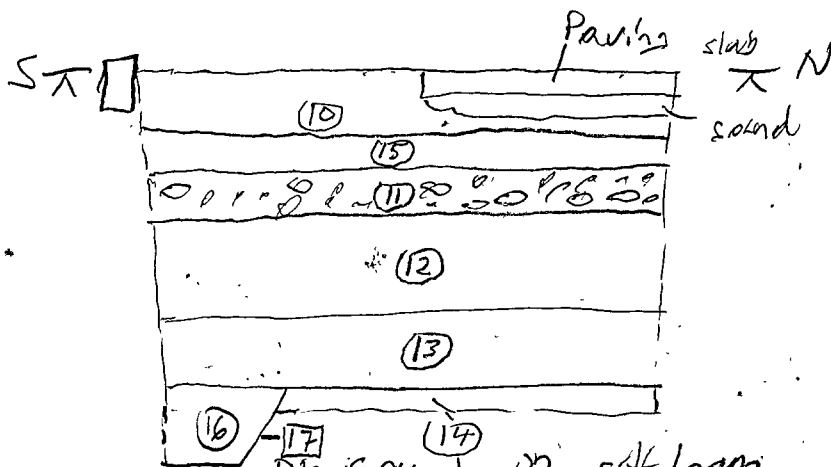
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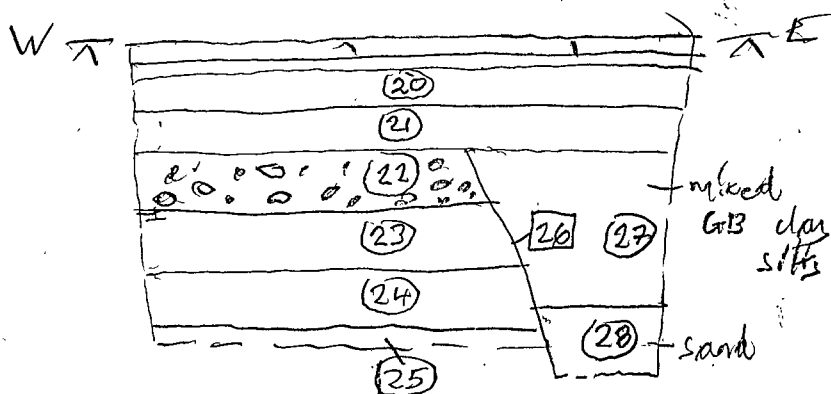
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WEST FACADE, 1ST FLOOR
EAST FACING (INTERNAL) ELEVATION
SCALE 1:20
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COOVFA 08
Test P. 41
Section 1
Scale 1:20

- 10 Dk Grey brown silt loam
- 11 Light grey clay silt much chalk
- 12 Grey brown clay loam charcoal much tile
- 13 Light brown clay silt flint + chalk
- 14 Reddish brown silt clay alluvium
- 15 Light yellow brown silt clay small flint



COOVFA 08
Test P. 42
Section 2
Scale 1:20

20 = 10

21 = 15

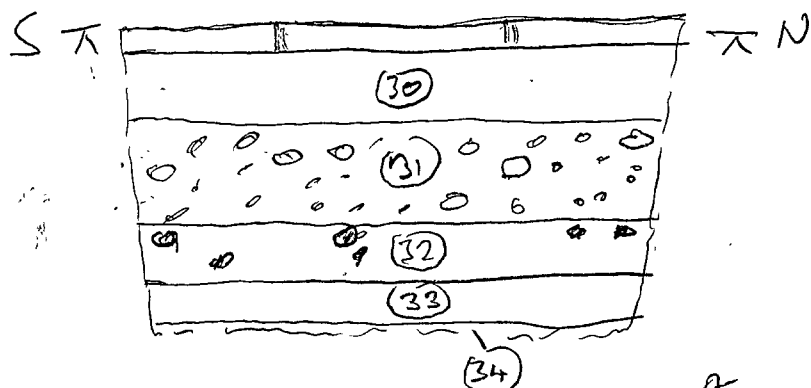
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23 = 12

24 = 13

25 = 14

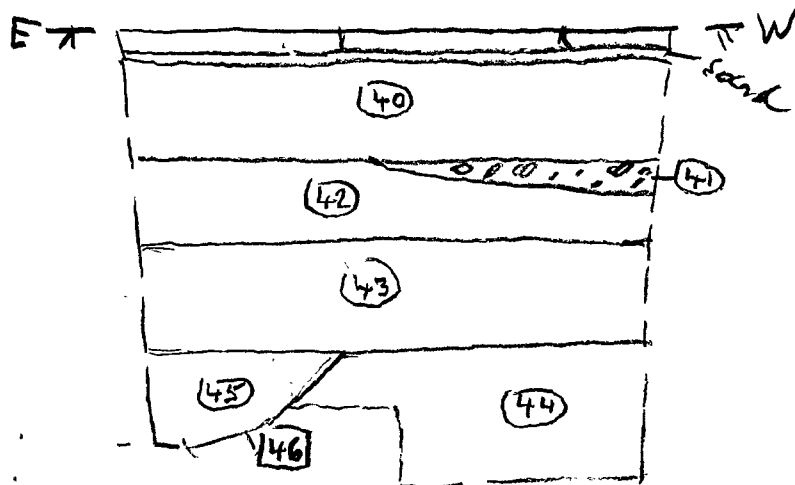
26 = construction cut for extension



COOVFA 08
Test P. 43
Section 3
Scale 1:20

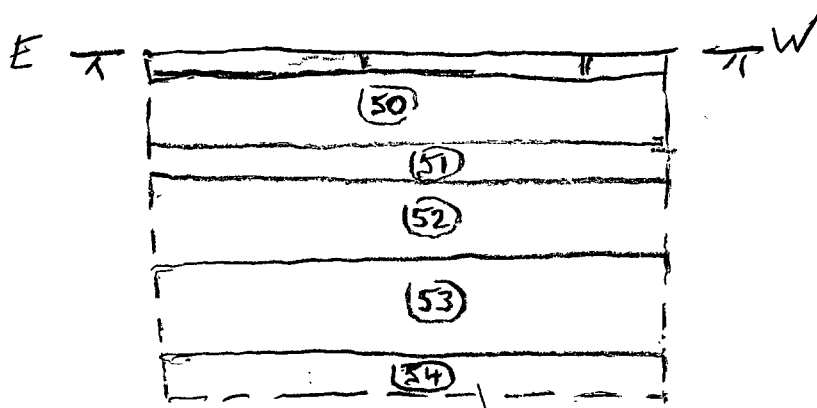
30 = 10

- 31 Yellow-brown clay silt much gravel chalk tile
- 32 grey brown silt clay much CBM
- 33 Dark brown silt clay - earthenware
- 34 = 14



COOVFA 08
Test Pit 4
Section 4
Scale 1:20

40 = 10 41 = 11 42 = Grey silt clay chalk + charcoal flecking
43 = Grey/yellow brown silt clay charcoal flecking
44 = 14
45 = Light grey brown silt clay
46 = T.T.H.



COOVFA 08
Test Pit 5
Section 5
Scale 1:20

50 = 10 51 = 11
52 = 42
53 = Light orange brown silt clay charcoal flecking
54 = 14.

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C. Finds Box/Bag lists

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Finds Compendium

Site Code	Invoice Code	Site Name	Accession No	OAU No
COOVFA 08	COOVFAEV	Oveys Farm		1398

Finds materials summarised for Site Code: COOVFA 08 and invoice code: COOVFAEV

Material	No of Boxes	No Of Contexts	No Of Sherds	Total Weight (g)	Box Sizes	Box Numbers
CBM		2	5	225		MISC.01 - mixed box
Graphite		1	1	3		MISC.01 - mixed box
Pottery		4	9	106		MISC.01 - mixed box
Totals:			15	334 g		

Total No of Boxes:	+	Miscellaneous Box Sizes:
	1 miscellaneous boxes	MISC.01 Size 4

Box Contents Sheets

Site Code COOVFA 08	Material: Miscellaneous
Box Size Size 4	Box No MISC.01 Accession No

Context	SF No	No of Bags	No of Objects	Material:	Weight (g)	Context	SF Number	No of Bags	No of Objects	Material:	Weight (g)
11		1	4	CBM	197						
43		1	1	CBM	28						
40		1	1	Graphite	3						
11		1	1	Pottery	1						
12		1	4	Pottery	10						
33		1	2	Pottery	84						
40		1	2	Pottery	11						

No of Contexts:	7	Total Bags:	7
Total Objects:	15	Total Weight:	334



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08

SITE NAME *Owen's Farm, Cookham*

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SITE CODE *COOVFM*
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SITE NAME Over's Farm Cookham

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Oxford Archaeology

SITE CODE COOVFA
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SITE NAME Oves's Farm Cookham

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PHOTOGRAPHIC RECORD SHEET

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Camera number

Lens number

Black & white / ~~colour~~

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	3	W	' ' ' "	
	4	N	Test P.42 Sect 2	
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	6	N	' ' ' "	
	7	W	Test P.43, Sect 3	
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	9	W	' ' ' "	
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	12	S	' ' ' " "	
	13	S	Test P.45, Section 5	
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PHOTOGRAPHIC RECORD SHEET

SITE CODE COOVFA'09

SITE NAME OVEY'S FARM, COOKHAM.

FILM NO. 2

Camera number

Lens number

Black & white / colour

Date	Negative number	View	Context(s)	Initials
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	9			
	10			
	11		WEST FACADE, INSIDE INSIDE, NORTH PART, 1 ST FLOOR	
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	18			
	19	E	WEST FACADE, OUTSIDE, GROUND FLOOR	
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	9	W	1 1 1 1 1	
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4	Digipics 003.jpg	Test Pit 1, Section 1			1 m	W	ms
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21	Digipics 020.jpg	Site of new extension showing the 1970s extension				N	ms
22	Picture 021.jpg	Base of chimney stack after demolition of extension				SE	ms
23	Picture 022.jpg	Base west wall of house after demolition of extension				E	ms
24	Picture 023.jpg	Base west wall of house after demolition of extension				E	ms
25	Picture 024.jpg	Foundation trench along west side of garden				S	ms
26	Picture 025.jpg	Northern foundation trench				E	ms

Digital Photographic Record Sheet

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28	S	site of new extension	S. J. U.	07/10/08
29	SE	West wall ground floor, within existing extension	S. J. U.	07/10/08
30	SW	external view of rear of house	S. J. U.	07/10/08
31	E	external view of west wall	S. J. U.	07/10/08
32	SE	external view of existing extensions	S. J. U.	07/10/08
33	W	South end of west wall on first floor	S. J. U.	07/10/08
34	SE	North end of west wall, ground floor	S. J. U.	07/10/08
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41	W	South end of west wall on first floor, rail and joists	R. M-J	20/02/09
42	SW	North end of west wall on first floor	R. M-J	20/02/09
43	W	North end of west wall on first floor, corner post and plates	R. M-J	20/02/09
44	W	North end of west wall on first floor, detail of corner post and plate	R. M-J	20/02/09
45	SW	North end of west wall on first floor, general view	R. M-J	20/02/09
46	SE	North end of west wall; ground and part of first floor	R. M-J	20/02/09
47	E	North end of west wall; ground and part of first floor	R. M-J	20/02/09
48	E	North end of west wall; ground and part of first floor	R. M-J	20/02/09
49	E	North end of west wall; ground floor, new blocking	R. M-J	20/02/09