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ARCHAEOLOGICAL WATCHING BRIEF

REPORT

Alterations and extension to the rear of 29 High St, Crickhowell

Planning Application No: 13/08896



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1 Summary

This document comprises the report of an archaeological watching brief undertaken during ground work at a site identified as having potential archaeological resources that may be impacted by any development.

The development of concern is the construction of an extension to an existing listed building.

A planning application was submitted to Brecon Beacons National Parks Authority and as part of the planning process, a condition requiring a written scheme of investigation for a program of archaeological work during ground disturbance was imposed..

The watching brief recovered an assortment of domestic debitage representing 17th to 20th century depositions well as a few fragments of animal bone.

The top of a possible line of embankment or wall was uncovered but lay beyond the depth of the trench requirements.

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4 Introduction

A planning application, 13/08896, was submitted to Brecon Beacons National Parks Authority, (BBNPA) in February 2013 for alterations and rear extension to a dwelling.

The existing building Athelson, 29 High St, Crickhowell, Powys NP8, is Grade II listed Cadw 7215 as group value early 19th c house frontages.

The client Mr R Pickering, was granted Listed building consent in September 2013 with conditions, one of which relevant to this report stated:

(5)

The developer will ensure that a suitably qualified archaeological contractor is present during the undertaking of any ground works in the development area, so that an archaeological watching brief can be maintained. The archaeological watching brief will be carried out in accordance with a written scheme of investigation which has been submitted by the applicant and approved in writing by the local authority and must meet the standards laid down by the Institute for Archaeologists in their Standard and Guidance for an archaeological watching brief.

BBNPA 13/08897/LBC

To meet the condition the client contacted A.P.A.C. Ltd, to undertake the work.

Based on discussions with the client and the BBNPA archaeologist, as well as, available documentation supplied; APAC Ltd produced a design brief for the work DB: WB/CRK/13 which was submitted to planning and approved as 'fit for purpose'.

The watching brief was undertaken on the 24th October 2013.

5 Site Location and Description

Crickhowell is a small village located some 6 miles west of Abergavenny on the A40 Abergavenny to Brecon Rd, fig 01,

29 High St Crickhowell is located on the west side of High Street, a few hundred yards south of the central monument.

The site covered by the watching brief is to the rear of the property, formerly a garden plot with a 1980s kitchen extension (HS 2013), fig 02.

Both the extension and garden had been levelled prior to the start of the watching brief.

6 Geology and Topography

The town of Crickhowell lies on a southerly slope of the Brecon Beacons, above and to the north of the River Usk. The area is for the most part agricultural with a small industrial park to the east.

The underlying geology of Crickhowell is predominantly made up of the Senni and Brownstones formation with drift deposits of boulder clay, alluvium, glacial and fluvoglacial sand and gravel (BGS, 1990).

7 Brief archaeological and historical background

The Crickhowell area is rich in archaeological resources. A simple search on the 'Coflein' database under Crickhowell will yield an NPRN list of 307 records with 'broad class' listings going back to the Neolithic.



Crickhowell town itself has an NPRN number: 91235, with a tentative 'medieval' broad class listing.

A brief report compiled by Clwyd Powys Archaeological Trust (CPAT) from sources held at the HER demonstrates an almost continual habitation at Crickhowell from the 12th century to present (CPAT 2013).

The castle, NPRN 92110, is believed to have been a late 13th century re-fortification of the early 12th century motte which itself possibly replaced the earlier 11th century motte, NPRN 306242, just to the west, at Maescelyn, (Phillips, 149-50. 2004).

29 High Street is some 30m from the castle ditch separated from it by the street and a single line of dwellings that back onto the ditch.

The CPAT report interprets the widened part of High St just to the north of No 29 as an accommodation for the ancient market place, (CPAT 2013).

The report also draws attention to the surviving pattern of burgage plots to the west of the High St and the continuous frontage of dwellings to which No 29 belongs.

Specific reference is made to the property in the Heritage Statement:

Crickhowell's architecture as seen today largely took place between 1720 – 1850. The Dragon Hotel (opposite the application site), Latham House Queen Ann's House are good examples of early Georgian 1702-1760 as are the older houses in Bridge St, Lamb Lane, Dany-y-Castle and 44 High St (which is directly opposite No 29 High St).

Within the map of 1760 houses certainly existed on the site of 29 High St but when the fashionable houses of Latham House and Ivy Towers were built they are described as standing in an otherwise timber-framed shambles of older properties, which presumably refers to the application site of 29 High St and is verified in the CdAw Detail report stating as a pair of early 19th century houses as they appear on the map of 1840.

(HS 2013)

8 Aims and Objectives

The aim of the watching brief was to preserve by record, within the resources available, any archaeological deposits uncovered during groundwork.

The watching brief also ensured that: in the event of archaeological resources of significance, being discovered and requiring treatment beyond the remit of the watching brief, that steps would be implemented to ensure that their treatment would be undertaken within the standards recommended by the IFA.

9 Watching Brief

Ground work for the watching brief was undertaken and completed on the 24th October 2013.

Most of the excavation was undertaken with a tracked mechanical digger with only minimal need for hand clearance required as no archaeological resources other than occasional small finds were uncovered.

The position of trench 4 to the adjoining party wall required that the majority of this was cleared by hand in order to minimise any structural mishap.

The ground was fairly unstable and prone to constant collapse which was not conducive to any intensive study.

The limited available space within the narrow plot dictated the sequence of trenching for the mechanical digger so as not to box the machine.

The sequence is shown in fig 02

Initial recording

A record of the stratigraphy of each trench was made during excavation and modified on completion.



The work was recorded digitally throughout using a Sony DSC F828 Camera set to 8mp Jpeg & RAW format.

All finds recovered were recorded to context and sealed in bags numbered with finds sequence and context.

Post Ex

Following the watching brief, the field notes and photographs were digitised to produce the context record of the stratigraphy and an annotated list of the photographs.

All finds were then individually processed (washed, dried, catalogued and re-bagged) allowing the three appendices to be cross referenced ready for inclusion in the report.

Some of the finds were taken to Steve Clarke at Monmouth Archaeology specialist analysis.

A basic search was undertaken into the readily available history and back ground of the site as required for a watching brief.

The report was produced for the client, planning and CPAT as well as archive copies for the HER.

10 Watching Brief Results

Presentation Notes:

All contexts are denoted [#] in the text, listed in Appendix I, cross referenced in Appendix II, to the plates section

Photographs used in the text are listed Pl #, A complete list of photographs can be found in appendix II.

All finds denoted {#} in the text and are listed in Appendix III with images IIIa.

The trench positions are shown in Fig 02 the assigned TR numbers related to the digging sequence.

Trench 1

Excavation started from the outer rear wall of the main building straight on top of an active soil pipe connected to number 30 next door, Plates 01 & 02. [The pipe was known about and was due for replacement during the work].

The trench cut partially through contexts [100]; a 250mm deep mixture of grey sandy soil with rubble resulting from the levelling of the area during the demolition of the extension, and [104] the black humic remains of the garden soil.

A small assemblage {1} of 18th-20th century domestic debitage was collected from [100] in the area of TR1 whilst [104] produced a much greater amount of domestic debitage {4} mostly 19th century with two sherds of 17th-18th century slipware; one Devonshire one Staffordshire, (Clarke).

Within [100] was also the active soil pipe with modern plastic sections, sequence [107,108,109], which extended into [114], a 300mm layer of orange sandy soil with angular lime inclusions, Plate 03.

Context [114] produced a small assemblage of 19th century ceramics with one sherd of 17th/18th century slipware.

The finds were concentrated in the south eastern part of the trench nearest the house.

Beneath [114] at a depth of about 1m from the surface was a layer of red/orange clay [115] interpreted as natural and also present at the bottom of the other three trenches.

However, the interface between [114] and [115] produced a slight linear stone bank of rounded red sandstone boulders [113] which was compacted enough to resist the mechanical digger's bucket, Plates 03 & 04.

This area was left until the end of the day with the intention of clearing it further by hand.

Unfortunately, before this could be done, the next door neighbour returned and inadvertently used the toilet with its disconnected plumbing.



After the pipe was reconnected, Plate 05, a limited amount of salvage clearing was attempted which produced a small assemblage of finds {9} loosely connected with feature [113]/[115].

The small assemblage {9} was mostly 17th-18th century ceramic but also contained an earlier post med sherd of copper glazed North Devon slipware, (Clarke).

Trench 1 also produced some information on the foundations of the main house shown in Plate 03.

The sequence is: original above ground coursed masonry [116] over 200mm a foundation of un-coursed masonry in red sandy clay [118], cut into [114].

Trench 2

Trenches 2 and 3 were marked out, Plate 06 and excavation of trench 2 initially began from the join with trench 1 pulling towards the party wall with number 28.

A small cut in was planed at the join with 1 but ground instability meant that this had to be abandoned at which point the direction of pull was reversed.

The surface layer was mostly [100] but included along its south eastern side the foundation wall for the removed extension, [101].

Associated with the wall and its cut were finds assemblages {2} and {5}, again mostly 19th century domestic ceramics but with some quite large sherds of iron glazed storage pots.

The cut [102] for [101] continued into [114] which in this part of the site produced no finds.

The north western edge of trench 2 however revealed an isolated layer of coal [106], Plates 06, 07 & 08 which judging by the vertical edge remaining, must have at one time been contained, possibly a coal bunker.

A single sherd of 18th/19th century cream ware ceramic was found in [106].

The north western edge of trench 2 was stepped down in order to reach natural [115].

Trench 3

The third trench, which reached around 1m in depth, produced no finds and little deposition change, plate 09.

Trench 4

The first part of trench 4 closest to the house was partially dug during trench 2, whilst the machine was still able to reach.

However, because of the party wall, the majority of the trench was cleared with a shovel whilst trench 3 was being completed.

The deposition sequence revealed in trench 4, Plate 10 was almost identical to that of trench 1 with one important difference; no evidence of [113].

Context [100] with a 19th-20th century finds assemblage {3}, overlay [114] with its 17th-19th century finds assemblage.

As with trench 1, the finds were at the south eastern end of the trench closest to the house.

Trench 4 also had soil pipe [110, 111, 112] sequence, which had disturbed the ground.

The house foundations exposed at the south eastern end of trench 1 also showed a slight difference in construction to the portion exposed in trench 1.

In the extreme corner, the wall of the main house has a horizontal flag stone [117] between [116] and [118], Plate 10.



Along the northern edge of the trench, the party wall foundations are revealed showing two distinct builds both of which differ from the main house.

The section of party wall abutting the main house has a sequence of modern concrete [120] over un-coursed masonry and brick [121] whilst the furthest section is of brick [124] directly onto concrete [123].

11 Interpretation

The ground condition was poor with the surface having been disturbed during the pre-watching brief levelling.

In addition, both trenches 1 and 4, which produced the majority of finds, followed the direction of two separate soil pipes which had caused considerable disturbance.

The finds that were recovered suggest habitation from at least the 17th century although it is curious that the spread does not extend more than a couple of metres from the present house.

The bank of stone [113] poses the most interesting question as to origin.

Unfortunately, circumstances of contamination as well as the limit of the trenching leaves this particular question unresolved at present.

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13 Archive:

The original archive for this project will remain with APAC Ltd.

A copy of the archive will be deposited with Powys County Archive.

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Fig 01: Location

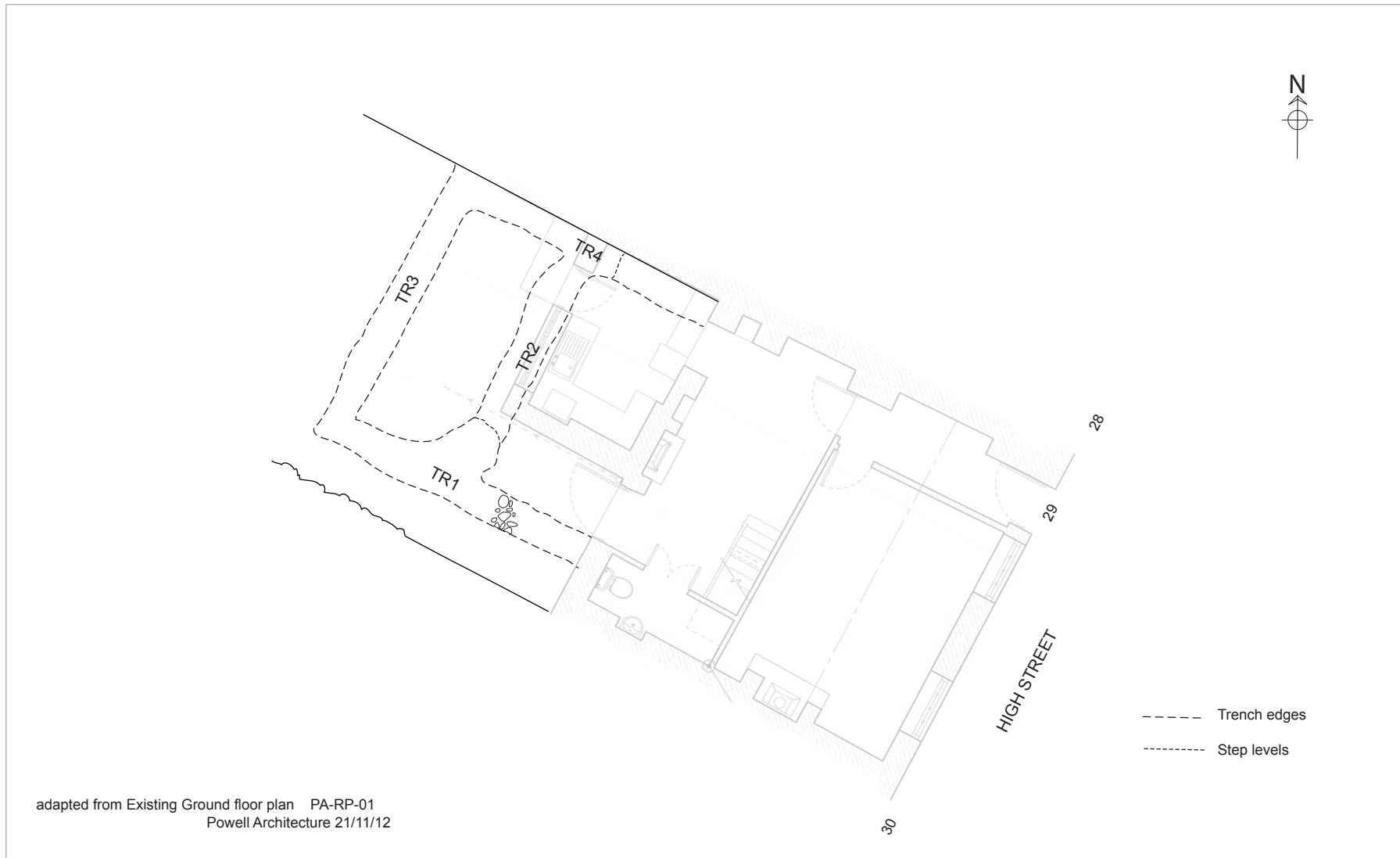


Fig 02. Trench plan



Plate 01: Initial excavation viewed from first floor. SW of plot into garden soil [104] exposing soil pipe [107] in cut [108] with fill [109]



Plate 02: Initial excavation showing fill [109] and pipes [107] with brick supports. 6" soil pipe in salt glaze with later plastic insertions



Plate 03: Building foundation under west door. Rubble masonry [116] over [118], no slab, over [114]. In the foreground [113] an isolated line of rounded sandstone boulders



Plate 04: Vertical view of sandstone boulders possible embankment or wall.





Plate 05: Completed work



Plate 06: Trenches 2 & 3 marked out. [101] in foreground with [106] abutting [101] End of [107] to rear. Slab at corner of N arrow



Plate 07: West edge of trench. Excavation spoils with mix of [105] over coal [106]. Beneath are [114] over clay [115]



Plate 08: View along TR2 showing left [100] over [114] and right [100] over [106] over [114]. Wall and cut [101] & [102] removed





Plate 09: Depth of excavation beneath prepared surface 800mm



Plate 10: Upper step to trench 4 rear and lower step in foreground both within [114]. No evidence of [113]. Also foundations [116-117-118], [120-121] & [123-124]

Site: 29 High St, Crickhowell		Grid Ref: 321693 218330	Site No: WB/CRK/13	Alternate No:	1
CONTEXT	AREA	FEATURE	DESCRIPTION	FINDS	PHOTOGRAPHS
100	Site	Prepared surface	A mixture of levelled, masonry rubble,	{1}05503 {3}	05465, 05466, 05467, 03468, 05469, 05472, 05473, 05474, 05481, 05482, 05483, 05484, 05485, 05486
101	Site	Wall foundation	Loose rubble wall base or foundation	{5}05504	05467,05468, 05471, 05472, 05473
102	Site	Cut	Cut for [101]		
103	Site	Slab	Isolated, abutting [101]	{3} 05505	05473, 05474
104	Site	Deposit	Original garden surface	{2}	05465, 05466, 05473, 05477, 05481, 05482, 05483, 05484, 05485, 05486
105	TR2	Cut	Cut for [106]		05475,
106	TR2	Deposit	Coal spread	{7}	05467, 05468, 05471, 05472, 05473, 05474, 05475, 05481, 05482, 05483,
107	TR1/2/3	Pipe	6" Salt glazed with an added repair of plastic		05465, 05466, 05468, 05473,
108	TR1/2/3	Cut	Cut for [107]		
109	TR1/2/3	Fill	Fill for [107] soft soil and brick some brick support lengths		05465, 05466,
110	TR2/4	Pipe	Yellow 6" salt glazed		05479, 05482, 05483,
111	TR2/4	Cut	Cut for [110]		
112	TR2/4	Fill	Fill for [110], coarse red sand		
113		Deposit?	Linear accumulation of irregular, rounded sandstone boulders < 200mm diameter		05477, 05478, 05483
114	TR1-4	Deposit	Orange sandy soil with angular lime inclusions	{3} {4} {6} {8}	05475, 05476, 05477, 05478, 05479, 05480, 05481, 05482, 05483, 05484, 05485, 05486,
115	TR1,2	Deposit	Natural clay	{9}	05475, 05478, 05480, 05481, 05482, 05483, 05484, 05485, 05486
116	Main Building	Foundation	Coursed masonry		05476, 05472, 05476, 05477, 05480, 05486
117	Main Building	Slab			05476, 05486
118	Main Building	Foundation	Un-coursed masonry in red sandy clay		05476, 05477, 05486
119	Main Building	Cut			
120	1 st extension	Foundation	Concrete		05472, 05473, 05479, 05480,
121	1 st extension	Foundation	Un-coursed masonry & brick in Dark brown sandy clay		05472, 05473, 05479, 05480,
122	1 st extension	Cut			
123	2 nd extension	Foundation	Concrete		05472, 05473, 05479, 05480,
124	2 nd extension	Foundation	Un-coursed masonry in Dark brown sandy clay		05472, 05473, 05479, 05480,
125	2 nd extension	Cut			

Harris Matrix

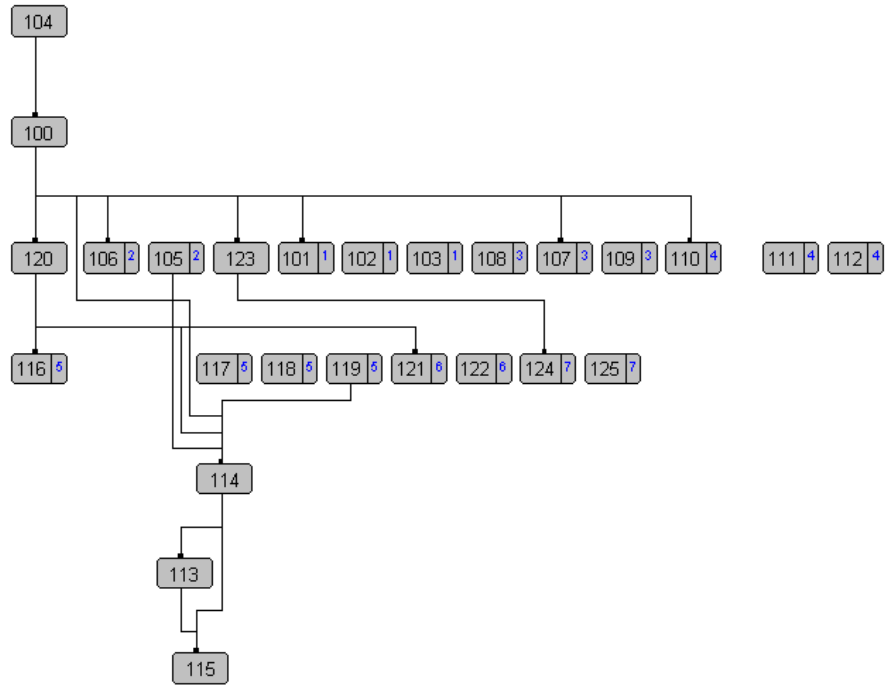


Photo no	Date	Camera	Size	Area	View	Description	Plate
DSC05465	24/10/2013	DSC F828	3264x2448	TR1	V	Initial excavation viewed from first floor. SW of plot into garden soil [104] exposing soil pipe [107] in cut [108] with fill [109]	PL 01
DSC05466	24/10/2013	DSC F828	3264x2448	TR1	SW	Initial excavation showing fill [109] and pipes [107] with brick supports. 6" soil pipe in salt glaze with later plastic insertions	PL 02
DSC05467	24/10/2013	DSC F828	3264x2448	Site	SE	View of prepared ground prior to excavation, [100]. TR 1 right. Centre between left wall scar and digger shows wall foundation [101], Foundation to main building [116]	
DSC05468	24/10/2013	DSC F828	3264x2448	TR2	SW	Position of TR2. Old wall [101] in cut [102]. To the right, coal [106]	
DSC05469	24/10/2013	DSC F828	3264x2448	Internal	NW	Cellar of house with sub surface window/Vent	
DSC05470	24/10/2013	DSC F828	3264x2448	Internal	NW	Cellar of house with sub surface window/Vent	
DSC05471	24/10/2013	DSC F828	3264x2448	TR2	NE	Position of TR2. Old wall [101] in cut [102]. To the right, coal [106]. 1 st and 2 nd extensions; foundations: [121-125]	
DSC05472	24/10/2013	DSC F828	3264x2448	Site	E	Overview showing old wall of 'lean-to', [101] in relation to remaining scars on the adjoining buildings. Foundation [116] and 1 st and 2 nd extensions; foundations: [121-125]	
DSC05473	24/10/2013	DSC F828	3264x2448	Site	NW	Trenches 2 & 3 marked out. [101] in foreground with [106] abutting [101] End of [107] to rear. Slab at corner of N arrow	PL 06
DSC05474	24/10/2013	DSC F828	3264x2448	Site	V	Slab? Possible doorstep for 'lean-to' or surface [103]. Isolated occurrence	
DSC05475	24/10/2013	DSC F828	3264x2448	TR2	NW	West edge of trench. Excavation spoils with mix of [105] over coal [106]. Beneath are [114] over clay [115]	PL 07
DSC05476	24/10/2013	DSC F828	3264x2448	TR4	SE	Building corner under eastern door. Main building coursed masonry [116] over slab [117] over rubble foundation [118] on [114]. 1 st Extension building left, foundations [121] under concrete [120].	
DSC05477	24/10/2013	DSC F828	3264x2448	TR1	SE	Building foundation under west door. Rubble masonry [116] over [118], no slab, over [114]. In the foreground [113] an isolated line of rounded sandstone boulders	PL 03
DSC05478	24/10/2013	DSC F828	3264x2448	TR1	V	Vertical view of sandstone boulders possible embankment or wall.	PL 04
DSC05479	24/10/2013	DSC F828	3264x2448	TR2/4	NE	View towards adjoining building extensions 1 and 2, at upper trench 4 step. Showing two phases of extension noticeable from the foundations: [120-121] & [123-124]	
DSC05480	24/10/2013	DSC F828	3264x2448	TR4	SE	Upper step to trench 4 rear and lower step in foreground both within [114]. No evidence of [113]. Also foundations [116-117-118], [120-121] & [123-124]	PL 10
DSC05481	24/10/2013	DSC F828	3264x2448	TR2	SW	View along TR2 showing left [100] over [114] and right [100] over [106] over [114]. Wall and cut [101] & [102] removed	PL 08
DSC05482	24/10/2013	DSC F828	3264x2448	Site	V	[100], [104], [106], [110], [114] & [115]. Angle to the left is the result of ground collapse	
DSC05483	24/10/2013	DSC F828	3264x2448	Site	V	[100], [104], [106], [110], [114], [115] & [113]. Angle to the left is the result of ground collapse	
DSC05484	24/10/2013	DSC F828	3264x2448	TR2/1	SW	Depth of excavation beneath prepared surface 800mm	PL 09
DSC05485	24/10/2013	DSC F828	3264x2448	TR2/1	SW	Depth of excavation beneath prepared surface 800mm (long view)	
DSC05486	24/10/2013	DSC F828	3264x2448	Site	SE	Completed work	PL 05



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1	TR1	100	1 sherd south east Wales earthenware partial glaze (Clarke) 1 sherd stoneware bottle top rim 1 clay pipe stem 2 sherds cream ware 1 sherd blue and white bone china 1 sherd blue and white china with stamp and blue tree design 1 sherd white china with blue spot 1 bone china tea cup rim 1 sherd pearl ware 1, 2mm thick shard of clear white glass	18 th – 19 th 20 th	24/10/13
2	TR1	104	1 sherd iron glazed earthenware pot rim 1 sherd cream ware, dish bottom 1 sherd cream ware, plate bottom 2 sherds “refit” blue and white dish rim 2 sherds blue and white china 1 sherd blue and white china, depicting a building and people 1 sherd blue and white china pouring jug, floral design	19 th	24/10/13
3	TR4	100	1 sherd glazed Somerset earthenware pot bottom (Clarke) 1 sherd glazed Somerset earthenware pot rim (Clarke) 1 sherd Somerset earthenware 1 sherd stoneware 1 sherd stoneware pot bottom 6 clay pipe stems 5 sherds cream ware 1 iron latch 1 sherd pearl ware plate rim 2 sherd “refit” blue and white china, floral design 1 sherd blue and white china, floral design 2 sherds white china 2 sherds yellow glazed china plate 1 sherd white china with blue line and embossed design 1 sherd china cup rim with one blue stripe, and one thick black stripe 1 thick shard green glass 1 shard 2mm thick aqua blue glass 1 shard thick white glass 1 sherd white glass, with embossed pyramid design 1 sherd stoneware, green glazed vegetable design, pink inside glaze	19 th 19 th 19 th 19 th 20 th	24/10/13
4	TR1 (2 bags)	114	1 sherd old north Devonshire slipware pot rim. 31cm diameter (Clarke) 1 sherd Staffordshire slipware (Clarke) 1 sherd glazed Somerset earthenware (Clarke) 1 large sherd glazed Somerset earthenware pot rim. 26cm diameter (Clarke) 1 sherd Somerset earthenware slipware (Clarke) 4 sherds “refit” iron glazed earthenware pot 6 sherds iron glazed earthenware pot 1 sherd iron glazed earthenware pot rim 41cm diameter 1 sherd salt glazed stoneware 1 sherd iron glazed stoneware tea pot spout 1 white glazed stoneware handle 1 white glazed stoneware pot base 1 sherd yellow glazed stoneware, with and white and blue design 1 sherd stoneware, cream coloured glaze 2 sherd “refit” pearl ware 2 sherd “refit” white china 1 sherd white china tea cup bottom 1 sherd white china bowl bottom 2 sherds white china 2 sherd blue and white china 1 sherd blue and white “chinosere” plate rim 1 sherd blue and white “chinosere” plate 1 sherd modern earthenware pot 1 shard white glass bottle neck 1 bone fragment 1 stone	17 th -18 th 17 th -18 th 19 th 19 th 19 th 19 th 19 th 19 th 19 th	24/10/13
5	TR2	101	1 large sherd iron glazed earthenware pot bottom, 27cm diameter 1 large sherd iron glazed earthenware 1 large sherd iron glazed, white earthenware pot rim, 25cm diameter 2 bone fragments		24/10/13
6	TR1	114	1 sherd Devonshire slipware 3 sherd south east Wales red glazed earthenware (Clarke) 1 sherd west Monmouthshire earthenware pot rim (Clarke) 1 stoneware bottle neck 2 sherds cream ware 1 sherd white china bowl rim with indigo coloured transfer	17 th -18 th 19 th	24/10/13

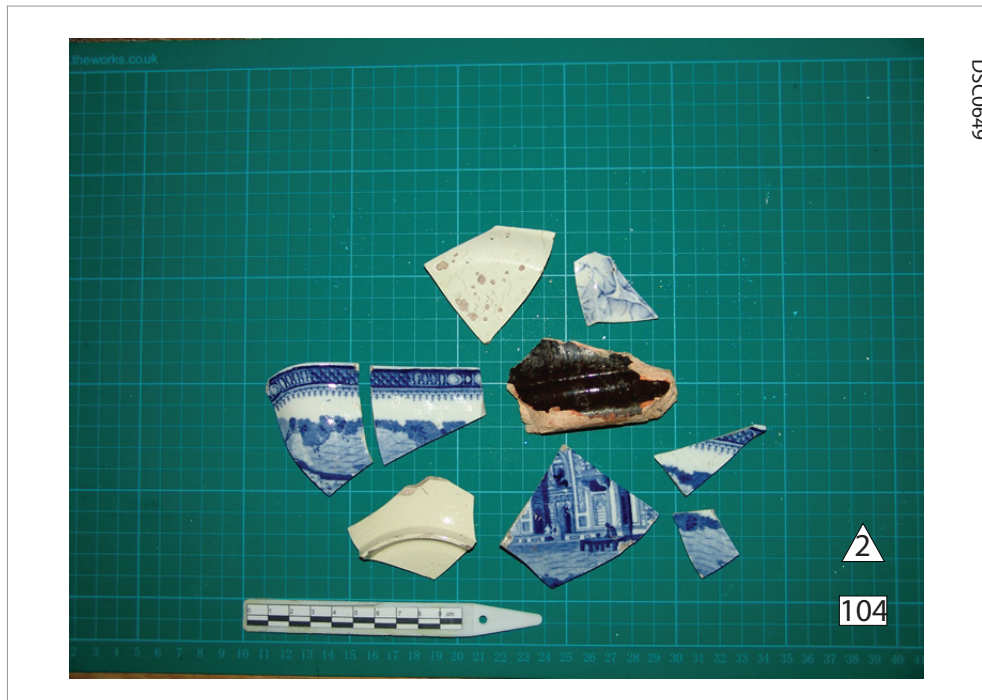


			1 small sherd white china cup rim with blue coloured transfer		
7	TR2	106	1 sherd cream ware		24/10/13
8	TR4	114	1 sherd green glazed North Devonshire slipware (Clarke) 2 sherd "refit" iron glazed white earthenware 1 sherd iron glazed stoneware 1 clay pipe stem 1 sherd cream ware 1 sherd blue and white china	17 th -18 th 19 th	24/10/13
9	TR1	113/115	1 sherd glazed copper speckled earthenware (Clarke) 1 sherd Staffordshire slipware 2 sherds cream ware 1 sherd blue pearl ware 1 sherd blue and white china tea cup bottom 1 shard brown glass bottle neck	PM 17 th -18 th	24/10/13

All finds were returned to Mr & Mrs Pickering



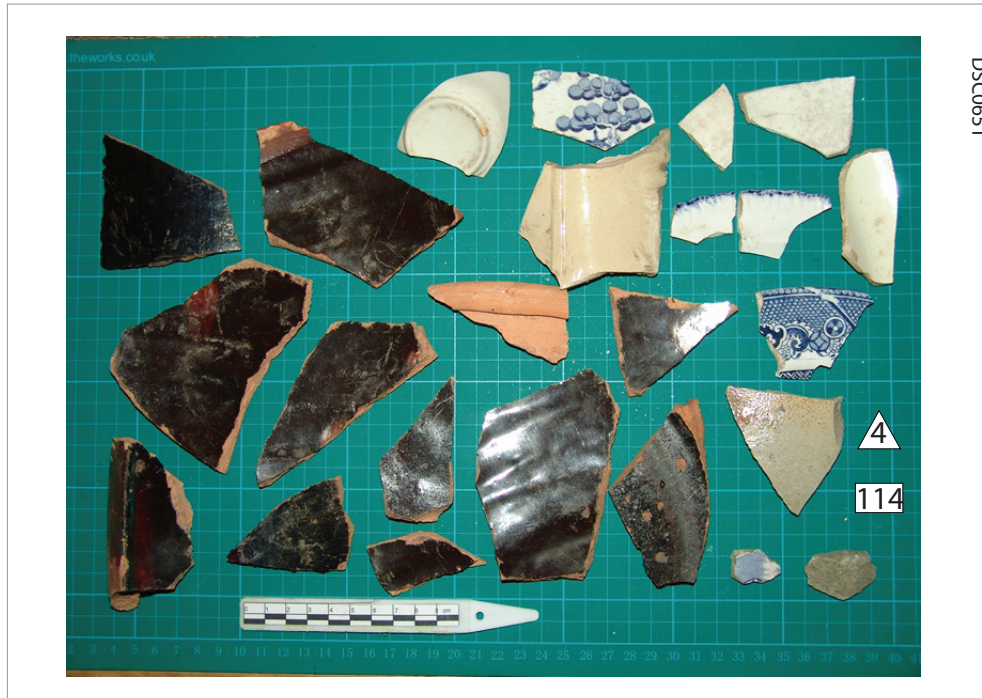
1		100	1 sherd south east Wales earthenware partial glaze (Clarke) 1 sherd stoneware bottle top rim 1 clay pipe stem 2 sherds cream ware 1 sherd blue and white bone china 1 sherd blue and white china with stamp and blue tree design 1 sherd white china with blue spot 1 bone china tea cup rim 1 sherd pearl ware 1, 2mm thick shard of clear white glass	18 th – 19 th 20 th	24/10/13
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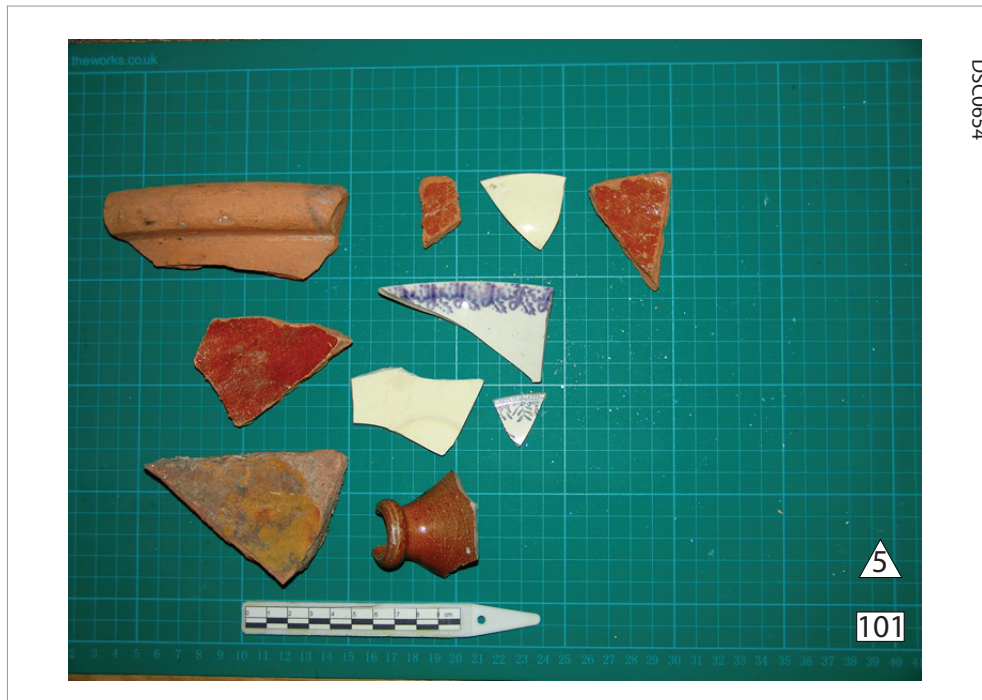


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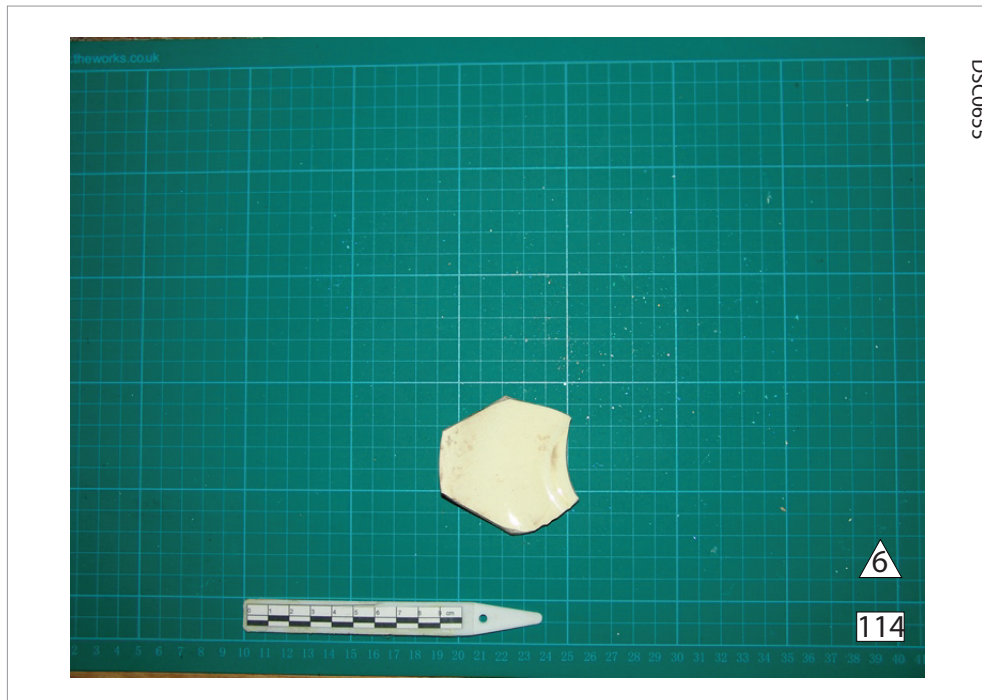
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9	115	1 sherd glazed copper speckled earthenware (Clarke) 1 sherd Staffordshire slipware 2 sherds cream ware 1 sherd blue pearl ware 1 sherd blue and white china tea cup bottom 1 shard brown glass bottle neck	PM 17 th -18 th	24/10/13
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5	101	1 large sherd iron glazed earthenware pot bottom, 27cm diameter 1 large sherd iron glazed earthenware 1 large sherd iron glazed, white earthenware pot rim, 25cm diameter 2 bone fragments	24/10/13
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6		114	1 sherd Devonshire slipware 3 sherd south east Wales red glazed earthenware (Clarke) 1 sherd west Monmouthshire earthenware pot rim (Clarke) 1 stoneware bottle neck 2 sherds cream ware 1 sherd white china bowl rim with indigo coloured transfer 1 small sherd white china cup rim with blue coloured transfer	17 th -18 th 19 th	24/10/13
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8		114 1 sherd green glazed North Devonshire slipware (Clarke) 2 sherd "refit" iron glazed white earthenware 1 sherd iron glazed stoneware 1 clay pipe stem 1 sherd cream ware 1 sherd blue and white china	17 th -18 th 19 th	24/10/13
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9	115	1 sherd glazed copper speckled earthenware (Clarke) 1 sherd Staffordshire slipware 2 sherds cream ware 1 sherd blue pearl ware 1 sherd blue and white china tea cup bottom 1 shard brown glass bottle neck	PM 17 th -18 th	24/10/13
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