

CH 74

CONTEXT F 1720....

CUTTING H3..... CO-ORDINATES: East..... North.....

DATE EXPOSED 24.7.74..... DATE COMPLETED 28.7.74.....

DESCRIPTION Posthole?

Appeared as a possible posthole during a course of cleaning earthy areas. Great uncertainty, initially, as area very disturbed with fault running NNE/SSW. many tilted stones

MAX. WIDTH AND DIRECTION Width: at top (estim) 27cm, at base? 14cm -

~~MAX. LENGTH AND DIRECTION~~ (this is very uncertain, due to difficulty in identifying extent of post hole along fault line)

MAX. DEPTH/HEIGHT THICKNESS Depth c 39cm, but may be more, base cannot be properly examined at this stage, as packing stones would collapse

OVERLAIN BY .....

CUTS .....

CUT BY .....

ABUTS OR CONTIGUOUS WITH .....

PLANS No..... SECTIONS No. see following page...

PHOTO: B/W..... COL..... NEG. NOS.....

SAMPLE Type:..... Nos.....

EXCAVATOR

RECORDER

ASSOCIATED FEATURES

ASSOCIATED FINDS 3 Fragments black pebble + 1 more Fragment of black pebble.

COMMENT DESCRIPTION CONTINUED.

on North side of Feature, some interpreted by excavator as packing stones. From c 20cm down this likelihood increased. The North West side is a Fault edge, but the South East edge is fairly convincing as a cut edge.

Fill: ① Dark earth and small stones, 5 of which in North West half were burnt.

② larger stones with some, but less, earth between, lighter in colour, and including chipples.

26.7.74 Section drawn, photographed and planned.

28.7.74 Other half removed. 2 more large packing stones found

P.T.O.

one on North side, other on East.

COMMENT

This feature now seems certainly a post-hole, which though it exactly hit the fault, has fairly good round edge on the East and South sides. Its recognition was due to the skill of the excavator (John Goulds) most diggers would have missed it.

2 drawing Inc: