

CH75

CONTEXT F 1951....

CUTTING J99..... CO-ORDINATES: East..... North.....

DATE EXPOSED 22.7.75..... DATE COMPLETED .....

DESCRIPTION Post hole? Pit?  
Presence of posthole suspected at top of layer ② No burning,  
but a number of tilted stones within a possible edge.  
23.7.75 Sectioned, dug and drawn. Edges very nebulous -

MAX. WIDTH AND DIRECTION .....

MAX. LENGTH AND DIRECTION .....

MAX. DEPTH/HEIGHT THICKNESS .....

OVERLIES .....

OVERLAIN BY ... layer ① .....

CUTS .....

CUT BY ... F.1960 .....

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 with F1960?

ASSOCIATED FINDS Finds 1st half. 1 Fragment of leaf shaped  
arrowhead Depth c. 10cm.

DESCRIPTION CONTINUED

perhaps true <sup>edge</sup> not yet found. A concentration of burnt  
stone in section at depth of 30-40cm, and further burnt  
stones of scattered distribution.

Removal of second half 26.7.75

It became plain that the drawn section does not show  
the true edges; burnt stone continued beyond them  
27.7.75.

Edges still not found, though possible arc of base in  
bedrock at bottom. Burnt stone still continues into "walls"

and hole abandoned for moment until after removal of layer ② in the hope of finding some surface indications of extent.

The fault line running NW/SE through F1951 was revealed more clearly after removal of ②, and to North West of F1951 appeared as a line of vertical stones. Immediately North East of this was a small area of concentrated burning, which was sectioned and dug as a posthole. Sides were not well defined, but excavator was fairly confident that here, as within F1952 was a post hole dug within the fill of a larger feature.

Fill contained a fair depth (c10cm) of darker soil, considerable burnt stones; no finds.

comment The full extent of the whole feature (ie F1951 and F1960), plus, presumably, the area surrounding them, was never determined as time ran out. Burnt stones still continued in "sides" and if dug out, the thing would probably have turned into large shapeless pit like Feature's F1950 and F1952 - whether man-made or natural, impossible to say, as the whole in area of great disturbance.

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