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FORMER COUNTY OF TYNE & WEAR

Gateshead

2/511 (C.05.M001)

NZ 27665506
DH3 2LT**NEWCASTLE RETAIL PARK, BYKER***Newcastle Retail Park, Byker, Newcastle-upon-Tyne*

Garrett, F & McKelvey, J Newcastle-upon-Tyne : Tyne & Wear Museums Archaeology Department, 2003, 13pp, figs

Work undertaken by: Tyne & Wear Museums Archaeology Department

No archaeological features or deposits were encountered within the trench. [Au(abr)]

Newcastle-upon-Tyne

2/512 (C.05.M002)

NZ 24996374
NE1 3RF**46-54 CLOSE***Archaeological Evaluation at 46-54, Close, Newcastle-upon-Tyne*

Turnbill, P Barnard Castle : Brigantia Archaeological Practice, 2003, 18pp, colour pls, figs

Work undertaken by: Brigantia Archaeological Practice

There was evidence for late medieval activity within the buildings. In the areas of trenches one and two this evidence was truncated and consisted of cut features immediately below the modern floor. [Au(adp)]

Archaeological periods represented: MD, PM

2/513 (C.05.P002)

NZ 17706610
NE15 9SB**KEITH'S COACHES, HEXHAM ROAD, BLUCHER***Keith's Coaches, Hexham road, Blucher, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Archaeological watching brief and evaluation*

Still, D Durham : University of Durham, Archaeological Services, 2003, 19pp, figs, refs

Work undertaken by: University of Durham, Archaeological Services

In the evaluation trenches no other archaeological features or finds earlier than post-medieval/modern were identified. [Au(adp)]

Archaeological periods represented: MO, PM

2/514 (C.05.M009)

NZ 18426611
NE5 5AE**LEMINGTON***Lemington, Newcastle-upon-Tyne*

Frain, T Newcastle-upon-Tyne : Tyne & Wear Museums Archaeology Department, 2003, 17pp, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Tyne & Wear Museums Archaeology Department

Deposits which were likely to represent the upper fills of the Wall Ditch were located beneath the line of Weslands and adjacent to pavements at a height of 109.14m AOD. The evaluation suggested a re-definition of the line of the Wall Ditch. It also demonstrated that no traces of the Wall or associated archaeological features other than deposits likely to represent the upper fills of the Wall Ditch lay within the limits of the trench required for the insertion of the cable. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: RO

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2/515 (C.05.P003)

NZ 25706440
NE1 6PN**MELBOURNE STREET/GIBSON STREET, NEWCASTLE UPON TYNE*****Melbourne Street/Gibson Street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne***

Still, D Durham : University of Durham, Archaeological Services, 2003, 33pp, colour pls, figs, refs

Work undertaken by: University of Durham, Archaeological Services

Of the four trenches excavated on the site, Hadrian's Wall was identified in trench two in the south-east of the site, 2.3m below the present ground level. This was overlain by a demolition layer containing material from the core of the wall., and a medieval ploughsoil. The remains of post-medieval buildings and a large infilling of 19th century material, possibly of the River Swerle were also discovered. Modern demolition and levelling layers were identified across the site. [Au(adp)]

Archaeological periods represented: MD, MO, PM, RO, UD

2/516 (C.05.P004)

NZ 25516418
NE1 2JE**SALLYPORT BUILDINGS, NEWCASTLE UPON TYNE*****Sallyport Buildings, Melbourne Street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Archaeological Evaluation***

Douglas, M Durham : University of Durham, Archaeological Services, 2003, 8pp, figs, refs

Work undertaken by: University of Durham, Archaeological Services

Two evaluation trenches were excavated in order to investigate the possibilities of archaeological remains, particularly features associated with Hadrian's Wall. No significant archaeological features or deposits were encountered. [Au(adp)]

2/517 (C.05.M004)

NZ 21206440
NE15 6LU**ST. CUTHBERT'S SCHOOL, BENWELL*****St. Cuthbert's High School, Newcastle-upon-Tyne***

Frain, T Newcastle-upon-Tyne : Tyne & Wear Museums Archaeology Department, 2003, 17pp, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Tyne & Wear Museums Archaeology Department

The results of this evaluation indicated that the area had been terraced so that only a number of intrusions which cut into the natural survived. The vallum did not lie within the area of this trench. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: PM

2/518 (C.05.M003)

NZ 15436686
NE15 9DX**THROCKLEY MIDDLE SCHOOL, HEXHAM ROAD, THROCKLEY*****An Archaeological Evaluation at Throckley Middle School, Hexham Road, Throckley, Tyne and Wear***

Pre-Construct Archaeology Limited Durham : Pre-Construct Archaeology Ltd., 2003, 25pp, pls, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Pre-Construct Archaeology Ltd.

The archaeological investigations located a truncated length of the foundations of Hadrian's Wall. The ditch to the north of Hadrian's wall was not encountered during the evaluation. However, the northern part of the trench, where the ditch was expected, could not be excavated. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: RO

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2/519 (C.05.M010)

NZ 17006650
NE15 9SA**WALBOTTLE SERVICE STATION*****Walbottle Service Station, Newcastle-upon-Tyne***

Stobbs, G Newcastle-upon-Tyne : Tyne & Wear Museums Archaeology Department, 2003, 16pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Tyne & Wear Museums Archaeology Department

Two trenches were dug across the presumed line of the wall ditch. The ditch was recorded 0.78m below the current ground level. Trench three revealed the uppermost ditch fill, above which lay the edge of a metalled track, running diagonally across the ditch. The trackway contained no dateable finds but was sealed by a post-medieval ploughsoil. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: PM, RO, UD

2/520 (C.05.P005)

NZ 28306630
NE6 4NR**WALKERGATE CITY HOSPITAL FOR INFECTIOUS DISEASES BENFIELD ROAD, NEWCASTLE UPON TYNE*****Walkergate Hospital Site, Newcastle-upon-Tyne. Archaeological Evaluation and Monitoring***

Durkin, A & Teesdale, A Barnard Castle : Northern Archaeological Associates, 2003, 17pp, pls, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Northern Archaeological Associates

A trench 30m x 4m wide was excavated in order to identify the location, alignment and state of preservation of the Benton to Winchcombe Waggonway. This proved that the major earthworks of the waggonway survive intermittently across the site, outside of the footprint of the former City Hospital. The truncated embankment and trackway gullies were evident. The timber elements had been removed during decommissioning, but evidence such as industrial waste from gullies, the width of the embankment and a 1m wide ledge in the eastern gully indicated the construction of the waggonway. All other features encountered post-dated the waggonway and were associated with the site's agricultural usage and later hospital buildings. One of the test pits revealed a ditch, probably a former previous field boundary. [Au(adp)]

Archaeological periods represented: PM**North Tyneside**

2/521 (C.05.M007)

NZ 30977097
NE27 0EX**BACKWORTH WAGGONWAY, WEST ALLOTMENT*****Backworth Waggonway, West Allotment, North Tyneside***

Brogan, G Newcastle-upon-Tyne : Tyne & Wear Museums Archaeology Department, 2003, 22pp, colour pls, figs, refs

Work undertaken by: Tyne & Wear Museums Archaeology Department

The evaluation did reveal the form of the original wagonway, but no original trackway artefacts were recovered in situ. Two parallel rows of settings for stone sleeper blocks were located and those blocks would have carried cast iron fish-bellied rails for the standard 4 foot 8.5 inches gauge. The track was flanked by stone walls with one site, to the north-east of the rails, having been rebuilt three times. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: PM

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2/522 (C.05.M008)

NZ 30807120
NE27 0RU**BACKWORTH, NORTH TYNESIDE***Backworth, Tyne and Wear*

Brogan, G Newcastle-upon-Tyne : Tyne & Wear Museums Archaeology Department, 2003, 15pp, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Tyne & Wear Museums Archaeology Department

One feature had a possible archaeological origin but its function was not clear and its origin could therefore have been geological. Post-medieval ploughing could have removed earlier archaeological remains. Because of the absence of archaeological deposits within the trenches it was recommended that no further archaeological works are required for the site. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: PM, UD

2/523 (C.05.M011)

NZ 33907100
NE25 9AZ**BURNT HOUSE NURSERIES, MONKSEATON***Archaeological Investigation at Burnt House Nurseries, Monkseaton, Tyne and Wear*

Turnbull, P Barnard Castle : Brigantia Archaeological Practice, 2003, 11pp, colour pls, figs, refs

Work undertaken by: Brigantia Archaeological Practice

A small spread of coal of recent date was located in trench one. In trench two were identified two parallel spreads of coal, apparently of 19th century date, which might indicate the former presence of a wagonway or track of industrial character. No features of archaeological interest were found in trench three. [Au(abr)]

2/524 (C.05.M006)

NZ 30907030
NE27 0EB**WEST ALLOTMENT, NORTH TYNESIDE***West Allotment, North Tyneside, Tyne and Wear*

Muncaster, W Newcastle-upon-Tyne : Tyne & Wear Museums Archaeology Department, 2003, 20pp, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Tyne & Wear Museums Archaeology Department

The evaluation involved the excavation of seven trenches. Only two trenches produced features and deposits of archaeological interest. A culvert dated to the 19th century was found within trench seven together with evidence of the earlier natural watercourse. The other trenches produced no features apart from a field drain with the exception of trench two which contained what was likely to represent the remains of 19th/20th century clay extraction pits. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: MO, PM**Sunderland**

2/525 (C.05.M005)

NZ 40015765
SR6 0DD**CHARLES STREET, SUNDERLAND***Charles Street, Sunderland*

Frain, T Newcastle-upon-Tyne : Tyne & Wear Museums Archaeology Department, 2003, 16pp, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Tyne & Wear Museums Archaeology Department

No evidence of archaeologically sensitive deposits were recorded during this evaluation. Ballast tipping deposits continued beneath the base of the excavation. [Au(abr)]

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2/526 (C.05.P001)

NZ 41155285
SR2 0PF**HIGH AND SOUTH FARM STEADINGS, RYHOPE, SUNDERLAND*****High and South Farm Steadings, Ryhope, Sunderland, Archaeological Evaluation***

Still, D Durham : University of Durham, Archaeological Services, 2003, 17pp, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: University of Durham, Archaeological Services

Four trial trenches were excavated within the proposed development site. Various structural remains and services associated with the post-medieval farm were recorded, as well as a recent pits including a pet burial. A large circular pit, surrounded by a wattle and daub fence line was excavated, dating from the medieval period. Macrofossil analysis on plant remains from layers within this pit, highlighted the importance of arable farming in Ryhope during the medieval period. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: MD, MO, PM

2/527 (C.05.M012)

NZ 35795880
SR5 3QR**HYLTON CASTLE, SUNDERLAND*****Hylton Castle, Sunderland. Archaeological Evaluation***

McKelvey, J Newcastle-upon-Tyne : Tyne & Wear Museums Archaeology Department, 2003, 14pp, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Tyne & Wear Museums Archaeology Department

No structural evidence or garden features were located in the evaluation trenches, it became apparent that the bank occupying the area of the proposed development was the result of considerable landscaping and ground disturbance in the post-medieval period. [Au(abr)]