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## CORNWALL

**Caradon**

3/1201 (E.15.M006)

SX 42216860

PL12 6TA

**COTEHOLE HOUSE STORM DRAIN CALSTOCK***Cotehole House Storm Drain, Calstock, Cornwall. Archaeological Watching Brief*

Thorpe, C Truro : Cornwall Archaeological Unit, 2003, 14pp, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall Archaeological Unit

The watching brief identified that the trench crossed an area of landscaped ground possibly a garden feature, or part of the hillside removed to improve the prospect from the house. [Au(abr)]

3/1202 (E.15.M021)

SX 38705330

PL11 3AZ

**TREGANTLE FORT, ANTONY***Archaeological Watching Brief During the Excavation of a Water Pipe Trench at Tregantle Fort, Antony, Cornwall*

Sage, A Exeter : Exeter Archaeology, 2003, 3pp, figs

*Work undertaken by:* Exeter Archaeology

No artefacts were recovered or archaeological features observed during the course of these works. [Au(abr)]

3/1203 (E.15.N012)

SU 25146457

SN8 3BG

**WEBB'S HOTEL, LISKEARD***Webb's Hotel, Liskeard, Cornwall*

De'Athe, R Salisbury : Wessex Archaeology, 2003, 6pp, figs

*Work undertaken by:* Wessex Archaeology

A watching brief in advance of a new development revealed no archaeological features. Residual medieval and post-medieval pottery was observed, and the eastern and southern areas of the site had been heavily basemented. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* MD, PM**Carrick**

3/1204 (E.15.M004)

SW 78803430

TR10 8AF

**ANCHOR WAREHOUSE, PENRYN***Anchor Warehouse, Penryn, Cornwall. Archaeological Watching Brief*

Sturgess, J Truro : Cornwall Archaeological Unit, 2003, 11pp, figs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall Archaeological Unit

Results from the watching brief have shown that the majority of the building (save a small area at the far northern end) is constructed on a layer of redeposited natural shillet. The brief record made of the existing test pits identified the presence of significant buried archaeological features. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM

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3/1205 (E.15.M002)

SW 82605630  
TR8 5LB**CARGOLL FARM, NEWLYN EAST*****Cargoll Farm, Newlyn East, Cornwall. Archaeological Watching Brief***

Cole, R Truro : Cornwall Archaeological Unit, 2003, 14pp, figs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall Archaeological Unit

The watching brief took place between 2nd and 7th January 2003. A range of unstratified pottery and other artefact finds were recovered dating between the 13-14th and 20th centuries, but no features of archaeological significance were recorded. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* MD, MO, PM

3/1206 (E.15.M018)

SW 82984464  
TR1 2TN**CITY WHARF, TRURO*****City Wharf, Truro, Cornwall. Historic Building Recording and Archaeological Watching Brief***

Cole, R, Mosson, M &amp; Sturgess, J Truro : Cornwall Archaeological Unit, 2003, 68pp, pls, colour pls, figs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall Archaeological Unit

A building survey recorded eight buildings, two chimneys and one lean-to spanning a development from early 19th century to the present day. Archaeological monitoring of ground works recorded platform supports for possible machinery, a wharf and wall, the original floor through the complex, a boiler house and foundations of the chimney. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM

3/1207 (E.15.M016)

SW 78563415  
TR10 8LX**ENCLOSURE WALL AT GLASNEY COLLEGE*****Enclosure Wall at Glasney College, Penryn. Archaeological Recording and Repair Work***

Cole, R Truro : Cornwall Archaeological Unit, 2003, 17pp, pls, figs

*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall Archaeological Unit

The overall conclusion from the recording work is that the obviously old and extremely well built wall probably follows the line of the medieval cemetery wall depicted by Georges, but is likely to be a post-medieval construction. The parapet of the wall, comprising a rough mix of stone, was found to have been rebuilt on many occasions. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM

3/1208 (E.15.M013)

SW 78984463  
TR1 3YA**HIGHER BESORE, THREEMILESTONE*****Higher Besore, Threemilestone, Cornwall. Archaeological Evaluation and Watching Brief***

Taylor, S Truro : Cornwall Archaeological Unit, 2003, 23pp, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall Archaeological Unit

Observations of the excavation of trial pits revealed no archaeological features: 30 trial pits were to have been recorded; to date twenty eight have been recorded. [Au(abr)]

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3/1209 (E.15.M011)

SW 82204480  
TR1 3BX**KENWYN STREET, TRURO*****Kenwyn Street, Truro. An Archaeological Watching Brief***

Lawson-Jones, A Truro : Cornwall Archaeological Unit, 2003, 26pp, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall Archaeological Unit

No features of archaeological significance were revealed during the watching brief, although evidence for reclamation along the central stretch of Kenwyn Street, the survival of orchard soils to its north and underlying evidence for geological riverine activity was found. Late post-medieval and more recent finds included pottery, glass, clay pipes and crucibles. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM

3/1210 (E.15.M015)

SW 82544469  
TR1 2NR**LEMON STREET MARKET, TRURO*****Lemon Street Market, Truro, Cornwall. Archaeological Watching Brief and Building Recording***

Mossop, M Truro : Cornwall Archaeological Unit, 2003, 33pp, pls, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall Archaeological Unit

On completion of the demolition of the upstanding structures the modern concrete was removed and the underlying surface graded back under archaeological supervision. Amongst the resultant loose a number of 19th and 20th century bottles and pottery came to light as well as a horse shoe. [Au(adp)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM

3/1211 (E.15.M005)

SW 83814044  
TR3 6AS**OYSTER COTTAGE, ROUNDWOOD*****Oyster Cottage, Roundwood, Cornwall. Archaeological Watching Brief during Excavation of landslip***

Gossip, J Truro : Cornwall Archaeological Unit, 2003, 10pp, figs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall Archaeological Unit

No archaeological deposits were recorded or artefacts recovered during the works. [Au(abr)]

3/1212 (E.15.M014)

SW 81303210  
TR11 4BE**TREMOUGH CUC CAMPUS*****Tremough CUC Campus, Cornwall. Monitoring of Erosion, Evaluation and Strategy for the Preservation of Archaeological Deposits***

Gossip, J Truro : Cornwall Archaeological Unit, 2003, 25pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall Archaeological Unit

During the work two ditches and a pit were identified which are likely to be associated with rectangular and 'D' shaped enclosures revealed by geophysical survey. The enclosures are probably Iron Age and Romano-British in date. The ditches had been truncated due to erosion by heavy plant. [Au(abr0)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* IA, NE, PM, RO, UD

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3/1213 (E.15.M009)

SW 69804720  
TR4 8AF**TYWARNHAYLE MINE*****Tywarnhayle Mine. Archaeological Watching Brief During Engine House Consolidation, Shaft Capping and Adit Works***Gossip, J Truro : Cornwall Archaeological Unit, 2003, 29pp, pls, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs  
*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall Archaeological Unit

The archaeological watching brief covered all shaft and adit treatment works as well as engine house consolidation. Changes to the existing fabric of the mine were recorded. [Au(adp)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM

**Isles of Scilly**

3/1214 (E.15.M022)

SV 88001490  
TR24 0QE**CHURCH OF ALL SAINTS, BRYHER*****Church of All Saints Bryher, Isles of Scilly. Archaeological Watching Brief***Sawyer, K St. Mary's : Katherine Sawyer, 2003, 18pp, colour pls, figs, refs  
*Work undertaken by:* Katherine Sawyer

Only one of the finds was earlier than 19th century in date and this was an earthenware rim sherd of post-medieval date, probably 17th century. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM

3/1215 (E.15.M023)

SV 91601610  
TR25 0QW**SITE ADJACENT TO APPLETREE COTTAGE, ST. MARTIN'S, ISLES OF SCILLY*****Site Adjacent to Appletree Cottage, St. Martin's, Isles of Scilly. Archaeological Watching Brief***Sawyer, K St. Mary's : Katherine Sawyer, 2003, 21pp, colour pls, figs, refs  
*Work undertaken by:* Katherine Sawyer

The area had been disturbed when a glasshouse was constructed in the late 19th or early 20th century and the finds appeared to be associated with this structure. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM

3/1216 (E.15.M020)

SV 89081518  
TR24 0QD**VANE HILL, TRESKO, ISLES OF SCILLY*****Vane Hill, Tresko, Isles of Scilly. Archaeological Watching Brief***Taylor, S Truro : Cornwall Archaeological Unit, 2004, 15pp, pls, figs, tabs, refs  
*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall Archaeological Unit

Some evidence for nineteenth century quarrying of natural granite clutter was recorded along with dumped building rubble assumed by associated dateable artefacts within it to have derived from a coastguard hut formerly on the site. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM

**Kerrier**

3/1217 (E.15.Q001)

SW 58172842  
TR20 9SJ**THE STABLE AND CART-SHED, PENGERSICK FARM, BREAGE***The Stable and Cart-shed, Pengersick Farm, Breage, Cornwall. An Archaeological Watching Brief*

Mossop, M Truro : Cornwall Historic Environment Service, 2004, 27pp, figs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall Historic Environment Service

A watching brief and recording of two post-medieval buildings revealed evidence of build up and resurfacing of the western courtyard. The buildings were constructed in 1890 and revealed evidence of 20th century superstitions. This included the placement of a horse-shoe on the wall plate over the stable door and the nailing of a bible to one of the tie-beams in the stable roof. [Au(adp)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM**North Cornwall**

3/1218 (E.15.M001)

SX 37507132  
PL17 8HR**FOLLY ON KIT HILL***Folly on Kit Hill. Report of Erosion Repair*

Preston-Jones, A Truro : Cornwall Archaeological Unit, 2003, 9pp, pls, figs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall Archaeological Unit

Where some digging was necessary to insert stones for the steps, the bank was seen to consist of a mixture of black earth and stones. Two bits of broken concrete paving slab were the only finds! [Au(adp)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM

3/1219 (E.15.M010)

SW 99327291  
PL27 6DS**GONVENA BARROW, WADEBRIDGE***Gonvena Barrow, Wadebridge, Scheduled Monument, Cornwall No 310. Archaeological Watching Brief*

Mossop, M Truro : Cornwall Archaeological Unit, 2003, 18pp, pls, figs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall Archaeological Unit

The digging for a new conservatory and an extension for the existing lounge was observed. No evidence of human activity prior to the 1979 construction work was recorded in this area and the natural shillet was found to rise considerably towards the present mound to the west. Much of the ground had been disturbed in recent years with the construction of High Beech and associated garden landscaping, the construction of the previous conservatory and the laying out of a gravel path in this location. [Au(abr)]

3/1220 (E.15.M019)

SS 21151124  
EX23 9JW**RETAINING WALL AT STOWE BARTON***Retaining Wall at Stowe Barton, Cornwall. Archaeological Watching Brief*

Cole, R Truro : Cornwall Archaeological Unit, 2004, 10pp, figs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall Archaeological Unit

The archaeological watching brief did not uncover any significant archaeological features. [Au(adp)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM

3/1221 (E.15.N001)

SX 05198899  
PL34 0DQ**TINTAGEL VISITOR FACILITIES*****Tintagel Visitor Facilities, Cornwall. Archaeological Watching Brief***

Dudley, P Truro : Cornwall Archaeological Unit, 2004, 26pp, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall County Council

A watching brief was carried out during an extension to the visitor facilities at Tintagel Castle. Roman and early medieval pottery, modern finds and 17 metal objects were recovered. The site seemed to have been created in the 19th century as an area for dressing slate before shipment. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* EM, PM, RO

3/1222 (E.15.M017)

SX 13127501  
PL30 4NN**TRIPPET STONES*****The Trippet Stones, Blisland, Cornwall. Erosion Repair***

Preston-Jones, A &amp; Attwell, D Truro : Cornwall Archaeological Unit, 2003, 15pp, pls, figs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall Archaeological Unit

In April 2003, two further stone holes were repaired by infilling with stones and turfing over. Prior to the filling, the holes were examined for archaeological features. In one, an unstratified fire-crazed [sic] flint engraver was found. In the other, a few small stones were noted, which might have represented the packing of the original stone-socket, but intrusion was kept to a minimum to maintain the stability of the upright stones. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PR**Penwith**

3/1223 (E.15.Q006)

SW 47503550  
TR20 8LP**CHYSAUSTER, DISABLED ACCESS IMPROVEMENT, CORNWALL*****Chysauster, Disabled Access Improvement, Cornwall. Archaeological Watching Brief***

Thorpe, C Truro : Cornwall Archaeological Unit, 2004, 27pp, pls, figs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall Archaeological Unit

A watching brief was carried out during groundworks to improve disabled access along the footpath to Chysauster Settlement, a Romano-British courtyard house settlement. Three sites were observed, Site B produced a possible prehistoric decorated stone which, if accepted as such, would be a rare example of rock art in Cornwall. Site C produced post holes, an old land surface and a Roman spoon of the Cochlear type. [Au(adp)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PR, RO, UD

3/1224 (E.15.M007)

SW 58394219  
TR27 5ED**GODREVY CAFE*****Godrevy Cafe, an Archaeological Watching Brief***

Lawson-Jones, A Truro : Cornwall Archaeological Unit, 2003, 7pp, figs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall Archaeological Unit

Elongate pebble tools known as bevelled pebbles were found in association with the raised beach and two undiagnostic flint pieces were found in close proximity to the southern side of the cafe. No in situ archaeological deposits were disturbed. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PR

3/1225 (E.15.N009)

SW 40592534  
TR19 6ET**PENDREA CROSS, ST. BURYAN*****Pendrea Cross, St. Buryan, Cornwall***

Preston-Jones, A & Langdon, A Truro : Cornwall Archaeological Unit, 2004, 19pp, pls, figs, refs  
*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall Archaeological Unit

Monitoring was undertaken during conservation works on the Pendrea Cross, a typical Cornish wayside cross. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM

3/1226 (E.15.N010)

SW 51402983  
TR17 0HT**ST. MICHAEL'S MOUNT*****St. Michael's Mount, Cornwall. Repairs to base of Cross-Shaft on Western Summit***

Preston-Jones, A Truro : Cornwall Archaeological Unit, 2004, 21pp, pls, figs, refs  
*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall Archaeological Unit

A watching brief was maintained during repairs to the base of an octagonal cross-shaft at the site. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM

**Restormel**

3/1227 (E.15.M008)

SW 97104161  
PL26 6LX**CAERHAYES CASTLE TOILETS, ST. MICHAEL CAERHAYES*****Caerhayes Castle Toilets, St. Michael Caerhayes, Cornwall. Archaeological Watching Brief***

Dudley, P Truro : Cornwall Archaeological Unit, 2003, 18pp, figs, refs  
*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall Archaeological Unit

33 artefacts were recovered from three contexts within the castle complex including 20 animal bones (mostly sheep and the occasional bird), 7 sherds of 19th and 20th century pottery, 2 sherds of 19th century pottery, 1 clay pipe stem fragment, 1 clay pipe bowl, and 1 small iron object. Outside of the castle two phases of landscaping were evidenced by two main layers of built ground. Two stone drains were revealed; one of which was contemporary with the earlier phase of landscaping works and possibly early post-medieval in date. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM

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3/1228 (E.15.N005)

SW 99505550  
PL26 8XX**GREENSPLAT PIT EXTENSION*****Greensplat Pit Extension, Cornwall***

Taylor, S R Truro : Cornwall Archaeological Unit, 2003, 62pp, pls, figs, tabs, refs  
*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall Archaeological Unit

This programme of archaeological works was carried out after a previous assessment identified a number of features in the area of a proposed pit extension and new road. A building survey at Greensplat Methodist Chapel recorded five main structural phases. A survey and building recording exercise at Carrancarrow Settlement was followed by the opening of trenches that revealed at least two phases in the construction of a small hedged enclosure adjoining the farmhouse. A wall was revealed running to the north east, and the farmhouse showed evidence of levelling and two pits containing dark burnt fills and post-medieval pottery. The removal of the floor in another building revealed a blocked up well. No archaeological remains were recorded in the watching brief at the China Clay Works during the construction of the new road. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* MD, PM

3/1229 (E.15.M003)

SX 99905530  
PL26 8XX**GREENSPLAT PIT EXTENSION*****Carrancarrow and Greensplat Pit Extension, Cornwall. Archaeological Survey and Watching Brief***

Taylor, S Truro : Cornwall Archaeological Unit, 2003, 63pp, pls, figs, tabs, refs  
*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall Archaeological Unit

The recording took the form of historical research of the farm and chapel, a measured survey of the buildings within the survey area and the removal of the internal features of the farmhouse that revealed that the floor had been levelled prior to its construction, and the only earlier features found were under the fireplace. Here two small circular pits containing dark burnt fills were discovered, one of which contained local eighteenth century pot sherds. To the southwest of the farmhouse a group of outbuildings was uncovered. The removal of the cement floor in one of the structures led to the discovery of a blocked up well and no other earlier features survived. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM

3/1230 (E.15.M012)

SX 03705170  
PL25 3NT**HARBOUR MOTORS, CHARLESTOWN*****Harbour Motors, Charlestown, Cornwall. Archaeological Watching Brief***

Taylor, S Truro : Cornwall Archaeological Unit, 2003, 13pp, figs, tabs, refs  
*Work undertaken by:* Cornwall Archaeological Unit

It became apparent during the watching brief that large scale disturbance of the site had occurred during the occupancy of the site by the garage with the remains of vehicle inspections pits. These had removed much of the physical remains of previous features. However enough evidence was gathered to confirm the presence of ore processing on the site (of iron rather than the recorded copper) and the partial survival of a floor associated with a china clay cellar. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM