

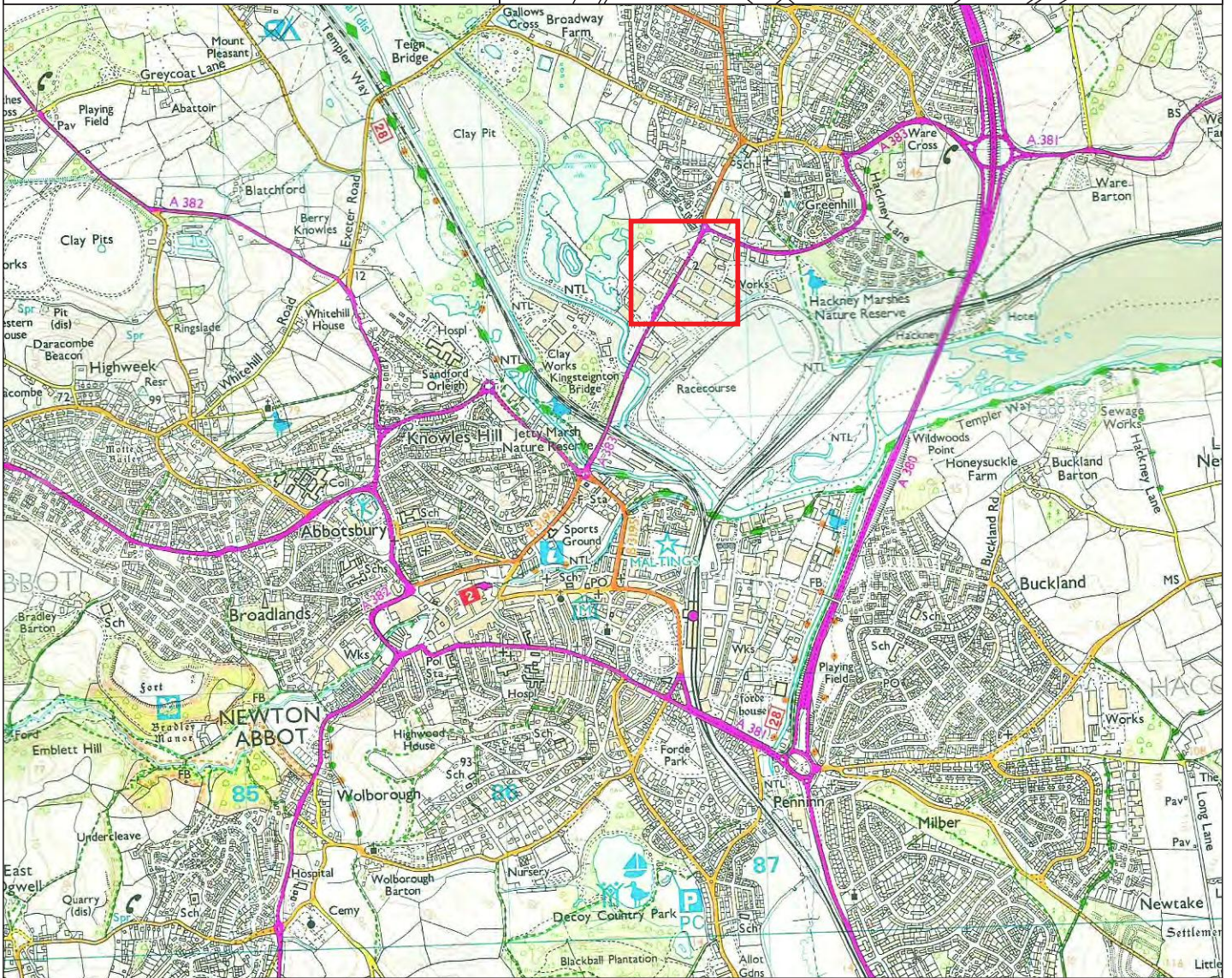
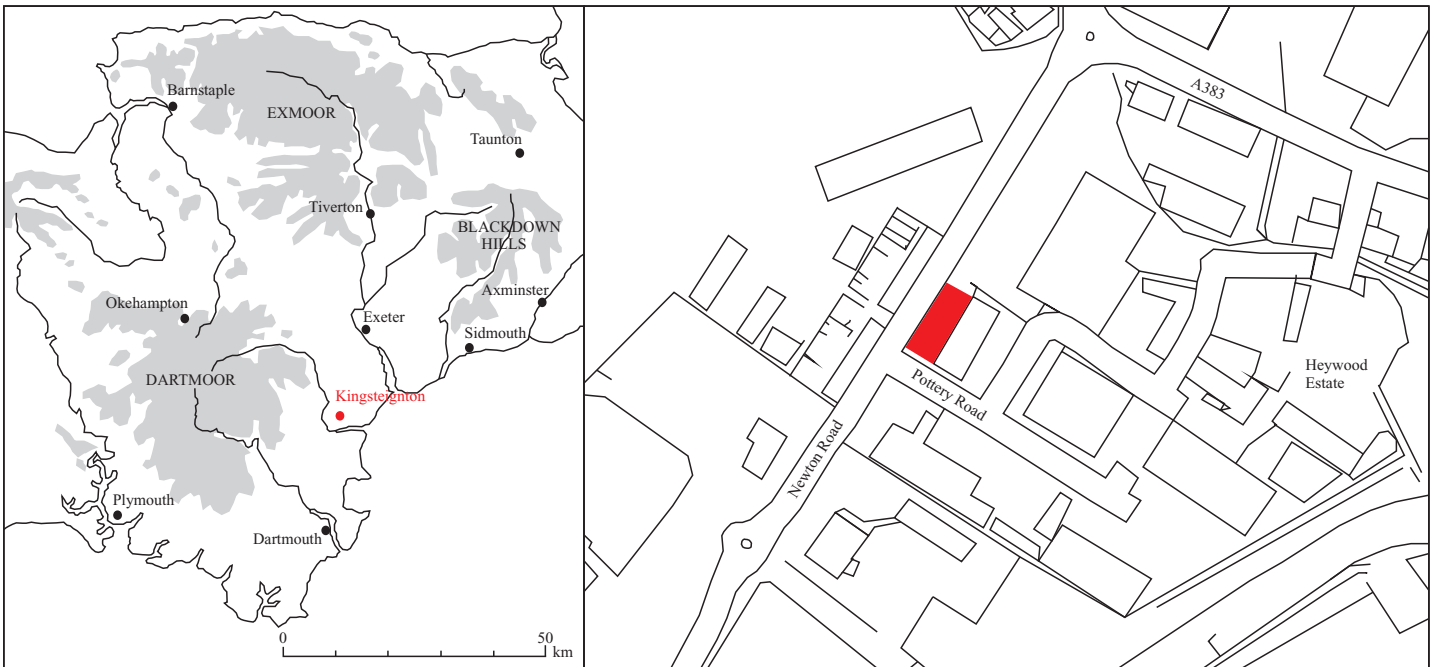
Devon County Council Historic Environment Record

Civil Parish & District: Kingsteignton, Teignbridge	National Grid Reference: SX 8677 7256	Number:
Subject: Archaeological evaluation on land adjacent to Pottery Road, Kingsteignton, Devon.		Photo attached: Y
Planning Application no: 14/02568/FUL	Recipient museum: n/a	
OASIS ID: oakforda1-206458	Museum Accession no: n/a	
Contractor's reference number/code: OA1223	Dates fieldwork undertaken: 02/02-04/02/2015	
<p>Background: An archaeological evaluation was undertaken by Oakford Archaeology in March 2015 on land adjacent to Pottery Road, Kingsteignton, Devon (SX 8677 7256). The site (Fig. 1) lies in the western part of the Newton Abbot Pottery site which dates to the late 19th or early 20th century. The work was therefore required by Teignbridge District Council (TDC), as advised by the Devon County Historic Environment Team (DCHET).</p> <p>Description of works: An archaeological evaluation was carried out prior to the start of groundworks. Three trenches, measuring 20m in total and 1.6m wide, were excavated (Fig. 2) to formation level (0.45m below current ground level). The sequence in the trenches were:</p> <p>Trench 1: 100 0-0.2m+ mid to dark brown silty clay (topsoil) 101 0.2-0.45m+ mixed dark brownish black silty clay (modern made ground)</p> <p>Trench 2: 200 0-0.2m+ mid to dark brown silty clay (topsoil) 201 0.2-0.45m+ mixed dark brownish black silty clay (modern made ground)</p> <p>Trench 3: 400 0-0.2m+ mid to dark brown silty clay (topsoil) 401 0.2-0.45m+ mixed dark brownish black silty clay (modern made ground)</p> <p>Results: Evidence from the evaluation would suggest that the ground was made up with modern imported material after the demolition of the pottery works. No structural elements of the buildings first shown on the 2nd edition 1905 Ordnance Survey map (Fig. 3) or of any earlier occupation were found. The lack of pottery from the site, despite examination of spoil heaps, was surprising considering the close proximity to the Newton Abbot Potteries. As a result, it was agreed with the DCHET that no further archaeological site work was necessary. This is the only report on these works.</p> <p>Project archive and OASIS entry Due to the limited nature of the findings a project archive will not be produced. A summary of the investigations has been submitted to the on-line archaeological database OASIS (Online Access to the Index of archaeological InterventionS).</p>		

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Fig. 1 Location of site.

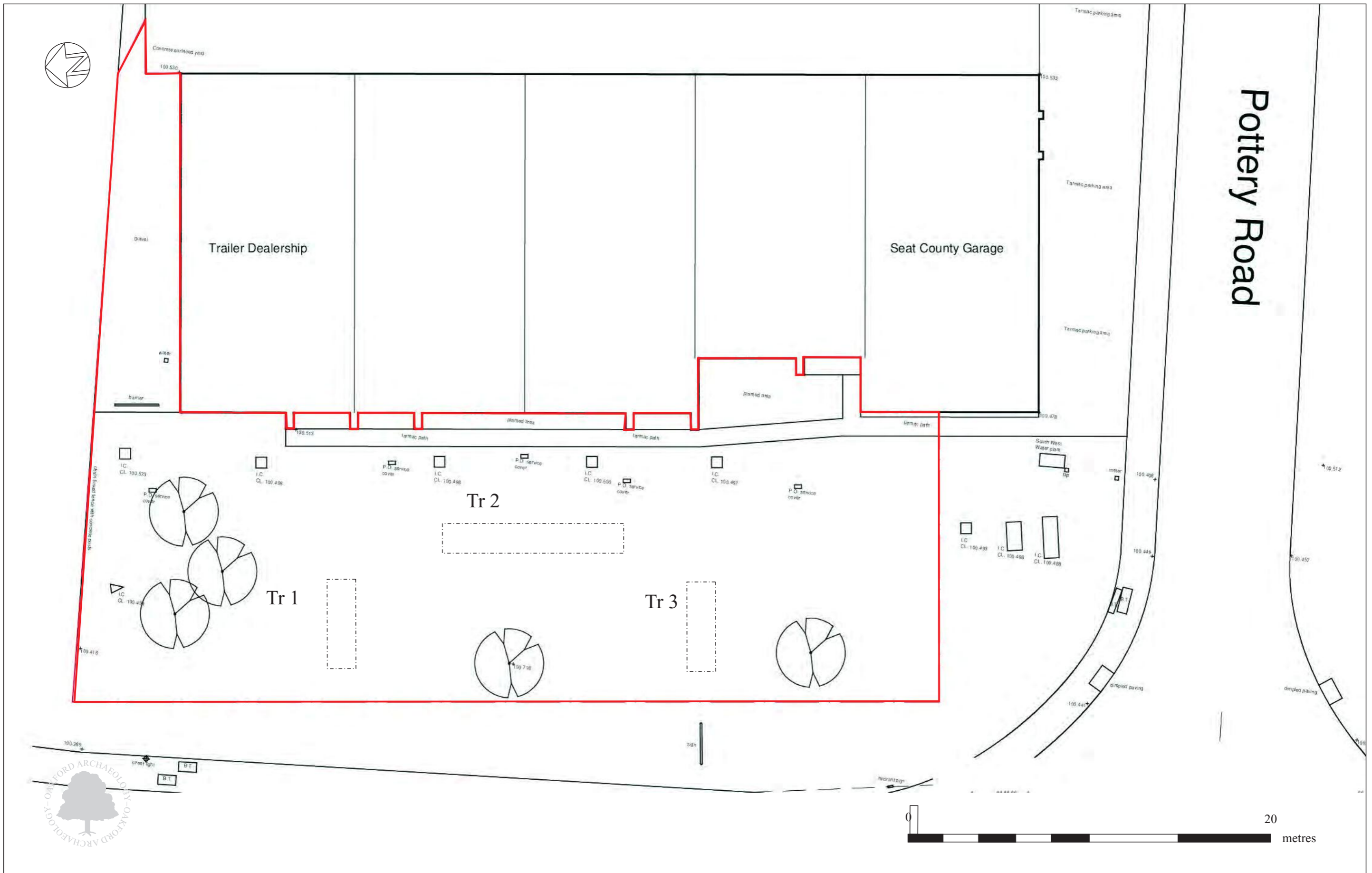


Fig. 2 Plan showing location of trenches.

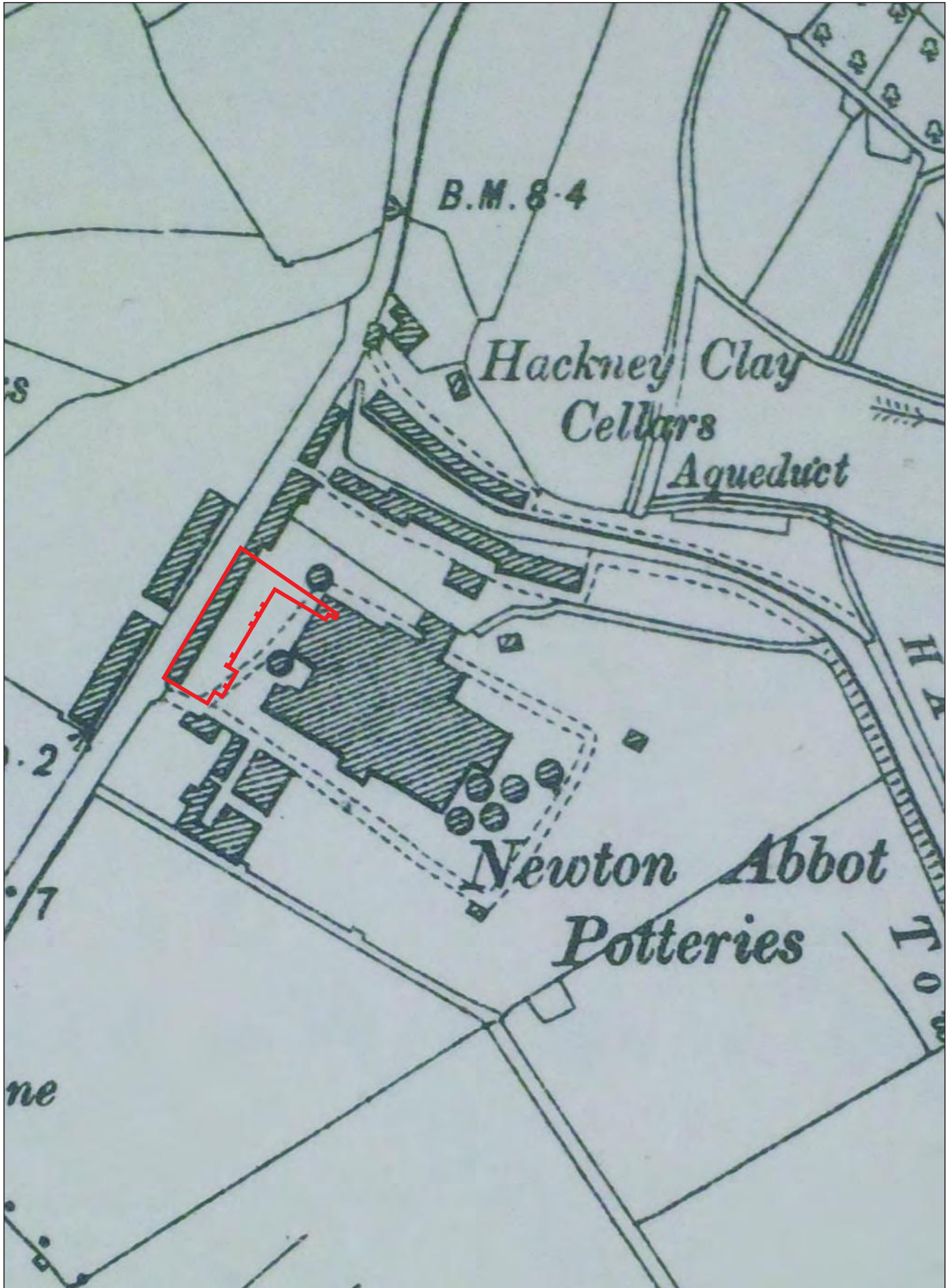


Fig. 3 Detail from the 2nd edition 1905 Ordnance Survey map Devonshire Sheet 109 S.E.



Pl. 1 General view of trenches 2-3. Looking northwest.



Pl. 2 General view of trenches 1-3. Looking north.



Pl. 3 General view of trench 1. 1m scale. Looking west.



Pl. 4 Sample section trench 1 showing depth of deposits. 0.5m scale. Looking north.



Pl. 5 General view of trench 2. 1m scale. Looking north.



Pl. 6 Sample section trench 2 showing depth of deposits. 0.5m scale. Looking west.



Pl. 7 General view of trench 3. 1m scale. Looking west.



Pl. 8 Sample section trench 3. 0.5m scale. Looking north.