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\section*{Executive Summary}

This report sets out the results of a walkover survey and watching brief undertaken on the site of the Marwick water pipe replacement scheme which extends from HY24109 to HY24605 in Marwick, Mainland Orkney.

The walkover survey was carried out between the \(12^{\text {th }}\) and \(13^{\text {th }}\) June 2012, and identified several sites of potential archaeological interest and highlighted four areas on the proposed water pipe trench that would require monitoring.

The watching brief was undertaken between the \(10^{\text {th }}\) October and \(13^{\text {th }}\) November 2012. Of the four areas watched only area two on the north side of Langskaill Farm revealed features of archaeological interest: a cut which had contained a fire, a possible post hole and another cut.

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\subsection*{1.0 Introduction}

The report was commissioned by Scottish Water and forms the Data Structure Report for the results of a walkover survey and subsequent archaeological watching brief carried out on a pipe trench being excavated as part of the Marwick Water Pipe Replacement Scheme which extends from HY24109 to HY24605 in Marwick, Mainland Orkney (See Figure 1, hereafter referred to as 'the site').

The walkover survey followed the route of the proposed water pipe trench and was undertaken within a corridor of land 100 m wide beginning at Craiglands, running south-west along the edge of the road, following the track in an easterly direction from the corner by Steadaquoy. To the west of Langskaill Farm the walkover corridor passed around the north side of the farm, then ran in an easterly direction towards Crook farmstead, passing around the south side of its enclosure and finally eastwards where it ends at the B9056 public road.

The results of this survey enabled four areas of the proposed pipe trench to be targeted for archaeological monitoring.

\subsection*{2.0 Site Location, Topography and Geology}

The site is situated in fertile gently sloping fields at Marwick Bay, Birsay, on the West coast of the Orkney Mainland. It is bounded to the West by a rocky and sandy beach with cliffs to its North and South, and to the North, East and South by rounded hills that form a natural basin. The underlying solid geology consists of Devonian period Upper Stromness Flagstone Formation and to the east end of the site Sandwick Fishbeds and Lower Stromness Flagstone Formation (British Geological Survey). The solid geology is overlain with superficial deposits of Devensian Diamicton (British Geological Survey).

\subsection*{3.0 Archaeological Background}

\subsection*{3.1 Prehistoric Period}

Orkney is home to several internationally important prehistoric sites such as those within The Heart of Neolithic Orkney, a designated UNESCO World Heritage site (Historic Scotland 2008), and there is an abundance of evidence indicating the Island's focus for Mesolithic, Neolithic, Bronze and Iron Age activity.

Sites of a possible prehistoric origin are recorded in the Marwick area. The Knowe of Flaws (NMR: HY22SW 21) lies c500m to the south of the pipeline, Knowe of Netherskaill burnt mound (NMR: HY22SW.25), c500m to the south of the pipeline, and Leaquoy burnt mound (NMR: HY22NW 2), c300m to the north of the pipeline.

\subsection*{3.2 Norse, Medieval Period}

By the \(8^{\text {th }}\) century Orkney was culturally and politically part of the Pictish Kingdom, exemplified by several Pictish symbol stones and early Christian sculpture. By the \(9^{\text {th }}\) Century the culture in the islands had become Viking Norse. At Saverhowe, Birsay for example and on the Brough of Birsay Norse long houses of the \(9^{\text {th }}\) Century were built on top of earlier Pictish structures (Ritchie 1996, 111). From then until the mortgaging of Orkney by Denmark to Scotland in 1468 Orkney had been politically, culturally and linguistically part of Norway albeit to a lesser degree later in the period.

The majority of farm names in Marwick Bay are of Norse origin and the placenames Netherskaill and Langskaill may represent the site of a high status medieval farm. Tha placename Skaill means "hall" in Old Norse. The proposed pipeline trench passes directly around the north side of Langskaill (see Figure 1). A medieval chapel site (NMR: HY22SW 27) surrounded by the remains of rig and furrow is located c 700 m to the south of the pipeline.

\subsection*{3.3 Post-Medieval/ Modern Period}

Post medieval archaeological remains are frequent and can be seen throughout Orkney in the form of farmsteads, meal mills, lairds' houses and the remains of the turf tunship dykes that separated the cultivated infield
from the common hill land.

The remains of several sections of tunship dyke are extant in the Marwick area, a series of three parallel sections near to the coast on the north side of the bay and a section of dyke (Walkover Site 16) near the north end of the pipeline replacement. There are also the remains of several post medieval ruined farmsteads in the immediate vicinity of the pipeline, for example Crook Farmstead (Plate 1) (Walkover Site 12) and the site of Midhouse (Walkover Site 14).

Much of the old "infield-outfield" system of agriculture was effectively obliterated by agricultural reforms during the \(19^{\text {th }}\) and \(20^{\text {th }}\) centuries, when the old common land and infield were squared and divided (Thomson 2008).

The effects of both World Wars on the landscape of Orkney can be seen directly in the imposing coastal defences and airfields that still exist today. But the indirect effects of the Wars can also be seen in the agricultural landscape and building remains. Much of the wealth accrued from the sale of eggs and provision to the thousands of service personnel enabled the purchase of machinery (small grey petrol Fergusson tractors and hill ploughs for example) capable of breaking in and draining rough land that had remained untouched for centuries. The period immediately following the Second World War is still referred to as the green revolution.

The Kitchener Memorial which was erected in the early \(20^{\text {th }}\) century (NMR: HY22NW 66) is located c500m to the north of the pipeline (not depicted).

\subsection*{4.0 Walkover Survey}

Prior to fieldwork commencing, the 1882 and 1903 6" Ordinance Survey Maps were examined and a search of Orkney SMR and the NMRS conducted in order to identify known heritage assets along the route of the water pipe and in the surrounding area that may be both directly and indirectly affected by the proposed development. This information was also used to assess the potential for, as yet, unknown heritage assets that may be present within water pipe route.

The Walkover survey was undertaken on the \(12^{\text {th }}\) and \(13^{\text {th }}\) June 2012 in
transects of 50 m . Sites were recorded on a pro-forma form, their position recorded using a hand held GPS, and photographed.

\subsection*{4.1 Aims and Objectives}

The walkover survey was undertaken in order to:
- Identify known heritage assets
- Identify any previously unrecorded sites of archaeological interest
- Target areas that may require archaeological recording either in advance of, or during the excavation of the proposed water pipe trench.

\subsection*{4.2 Results}

All sites identified have been assigned an individual site number (ORCA No.) and are presented in Appendix 1 and their location shown in Figure 1. Several hitherto unrecorded sites were identified in the walkover survey some of which had the potential to be disturbed by the development. On the basis of the results of the walkover survey it was proposed that four areas should be monitored during the excavation of the water pipe trench:

\subsection*{4.2.1 Area 1}

A number of archaeological sites are present in the vicinity of the western section of the water pipe trench which runs NE-SW. To the NW of this section is a large low mound (Walkover Site 16) on the site of the now vanished farmstead of Midhouse was recorded on the walkover survey. The farm Midhouse appears on the 1882 Ordnance Survey 6inch Map. A number of other farmsteads and related structures are also present in the area (Walkover site 5, 7, 8, 14 and 15) together with a possible standing stone (Walkover No. 18). Given the presence of probable prehistoric archaeology and concentrated occupation of the landscape a watching brief was recommended in the area (Trench 1).

\subsection*{4.2.2 Area 2}

It is argued based on historical and archaeological evidence (Thomson, 2008: 15-17) that Skaill placenames in Orkney may have been applied around the \(12^{\text {th }}\) Century to high status halls. The place name Langskaill is of

Old Norse origin and literally means "Long Hall". It is probable that Langskaill farm dates back to at least the \(12^{\text {th }}\) Century.

On the North side of Langskaill Farm a large tabular flagstone and other horizontal flagstones (Site 19) were visible protruding from the grassy banks by the burn. A well (Site 13) was also located in this area on the 18826 " Ordinance Survey map. Given the proximity of the pipeline trench to these features and the potential age of Langskaill Farm a watching brief was recommended in this area (Trench 2).

\subsection*{4.2.3 Area 3}

Crook Farmstead and enclosures (Site 12) appear on the \(1^{\text {st }}\) edition 1882 OS map. Parts of the building range at the eastern end appear to predate the western part which is possibly late \(19^{\text {th }}\) century. Given the proximity of the proposed pipeline route to the farmstead it was recommended that the pipeline trench within the vicinity be the subject of a watching brief (Trench \(3)\).

\subsection*{4.2.4 Area 4}

A drystone dyke enclosure (Site 11), located at the eastern end of the pipeline route, by the public road, is possibly a \(19^{\text {th }}\) Century animal enclosure or holding pen as it is located at the intersection of a track and the road. It appears on the \(1^{\text {st }}\) edition 1882 OS map. It was recommended that the pipeline trench be watched in the vicinity of this enclosure (Trench 4).

\subsection*{5.0 Watching Brief}

A watching brief was undertaken during the excavation of the water pipe trench between \(10^{\text {th }}\) October and \(13^{\text {th }}\) November 2012. Four areas were monitored as per the recommendations of the walkover survey (see above).

\subsection*{5.1 Watching Brief Methodology}

All works were carried out in accordance with the ORCA Standard operating procedures as set out in the ORCA fieldwork Manual (in prep). All the ground works were excavated using a toothless backhoe excavator. Topsoil and turf layers were removed separately, before the excavation of reduced
levels. Where archaeological features were identified, these were hand cleaned and were sample excavated stratigraphically. Archaeological deposits, features and naturally derived deposits were recorded using ORCA's pro-forma recording system, under the ORCA Project code 356 (see Appendix 2). Archaeological deposits and features were drawn at appropriate scales on drawing film. A photographic record of the site was created using high resolution digital images including appropriate scales (see Appendix 3). A number of general site photographs were also taken to give an overview of the site and the progress of the works.

\subsection*{5.2 Results of the Watching Brief}

\subsection*{5.2.1 Trench 1}

Nothing of archaeological significance was found in the 5m length of trench at the east end of Area 1. The trench was 0.90 m wide and \(0.90 \mathrm{~m}-1 \mathrm{~m}\) deep. At the base of the trench was a 0.60 m thick layer 102 of natural yellow / orange clay with moderate medium sized flat flag stones. Above this natural clay was a 0.20 m thick layer 101 of light brown grey clayey silt, possibly undisturbed subsoil. Above the subsoil was a light brown grey clayey silt topsoil (100), 0.10 m thick, with moderate flecks of grit and very small sub-rounded stones, rootlets and turf.

\subsection*{5.2.2 Trench 2}

Area 2 is located to the north-east side of Langskaill Farm. The trench runs east from the east side of the track (located to the north of Langskaill Farm) and over the burn which runs north-east to south-west.

To the east of the burn the trench turns sharply to the south-east and runs 50 m to the boundary corner west of Crook Farmstead. The trench was 0.40 m deep and up to 2.5 m wide. In the base of the trench was a layer of natural till 1110.05 m thick.

In part of the trench on the east side of the burn, 22 m from the south west end of the watched area, the natural clay was cut by a small oval (103) \(0.50 \mathrm{~m} \times 0.45 \mathrm{~m} \times 0.05 \mathrm{~m}\) deep (Plate 2). The sides and base of the cut were concave. The cut was filled with scorched mid red orange silt clay 104, and contained occasional medium sized sub angular stones, moderate small
angular stones and rare charcoal flecks. The fill was in situ as the till below was also scorched. It is possible that the cut and fill represent the lower part of a truncated scoop hearth.

Immediately to the south of cut 103, a second pit 105 was cut into the natural clay 111. Cut 105 appeared sub-oval, \(0.64 \mathrm{~m} \times 0.32 \mathrm{~m} \times 0.09 \mathrm{~m}\) deep and was partially under the section. Its sides were steep and concave, the top and base break of slopes were sharp, and the base was concave. This cut contained a single fill 106 of mid grey brown silt clay with occasional medium angular stones, moderate small angular stones and rare charcoal flecks.

One metre to the SE of cut 105 was a posthole 107, 0.16 m diameter x 0.10 m deep, with steep vertical sides. The sides were lined or packed with stone and contained a single fill 108 of mid brown grey silt clay with rare charcoal flecks. The cut fills (104, 106 and 108) were all sealed by a 0.20 m thick layer of mid grey brown silt clay subsoil 110. The subsoil was absent in places, for example over the slight mound on the SE side of the burn, due to plough truncation. The subsoil was overlain by dark grey brown silt clay and turf topsoil 109.

West of the burn the trench measured 0.6 m wide and extended up to 1.40 m in depth. Towards the burn a 15 m length of trench was opened out to an area measuring 3 m wide and up to 0.50 m deep.

A layer, over 0.80 m thick, of mid - light yellow orange natural clay till 111 was observed in the base of the trench. In the western part of the trench the till was sealed by a 0.20 m thick layer of subsoil 110 . The subsoil was sealed by topsoil 109 up to 0.25 m thick. Within the 15 m length of trench west of the burn till 111 and bedrock were sealed by a 0.15 m thick layer of topsoil 109 .

\subsection*{5.2.3 Trench 3}

Trench 3 was located to the west, south and east of Crook Farmstead. The 200m long trench length in Area 3 contained no features of archaeological note. The trench was 1 m deep and 0.60 m wide at the top narrowing to 0.30 m at the base. Degraded bedrock was observed in the base of the trench, at 0.80 m below ground level, on the south side of Crook farmstead. It
was overlain by natural yellow orange till 114 which was 0.30 m thick above the bedrock but otherwise 0.50 m thick at the base of the trench. The till was overlain by a 0.25 m thick layer of mid grey brown silty clay subsoil 113. The subsoil was sealed by a 0.30 m thick layer of dark grey brown silty clay topsoil and turf 112.

\subsection*{5.2.4 Trench 4}

Area four was located at the east end of the track where it meets the B9056. The trench was 0.65 m wide \(\times 1 \mathrm{~m}\) deep. There was nothing of archaeological interest noted in the 61 m length of trench that was watched. At the base of the trench was a 0.60 m thick layer of natural light orange brown glacial till 116 with medium - very large sub angular flagstones. The till was overlain by \(0.30 \mathrm{~m}-0.40 \mathrm{~m}\) thick mid-dark yellowish brown silty clay topsoil 115 .

\subsection*{5.3 Watching Brief discussion}

Natural Devensian Diamicton was recorded in the base of the pipe trench in each monitored area.

The only archaeologically significant remains were those on the east side of the burn north of Langskaill Farm (Area 2). Although there was no direct dating evidence for the post holes and fire scoop it is possible that they may be of prehistoric origin. Scoop hearths and postholes have been recorded in Orkney at sites dating to the early Neolithic, for example at Smerquoy, St Ola and Braes of Habreck (Colin Richards pers comm; Lee and Thomas 2012). There is also the possibility, considering the place name Langskaill that these features could relate to a medieval Norse structure.

\subsection*{6.0 Conclusions and Recommendations}

A walkover survey and watching brief undertaken were undertaken as part of the Marwick water pipe replacement scheme. The walkover survey identified several sites of potential archaeological interest and highlighted four areas of the water pipe trench that would require monitoring. Of the four areas monitored by the watching brief only area two. on the north side of Langskaill Farm, revealed features of archaeological interest: a cut which had contained a fire, a possible post hole and another cut which may be
prehistoric or Norse.

Those archaeological remains uncovered will not be disturbed further during these works and the records made as part of the archaeological watching brief are deemed to be sufficient mitigation. Given the limited nature of the archaeological remains observed in Area 2, a short report to Discovery and Excavation Scotland, as generated by the OASIS form will suffice.

\subsection*{7.0 Publication and Archiving}

Archive preparation and deposition will be undertaken with reference to the appropriate repository guidelines and standards, and, where necessary, the Museums and Galleries Commission (MGC) and the United Kingdom Institute for Conservation (UKIC) standards and guidelines. The project archive containing the original site records will be submitted to the Orkney SMR.

No materials were recovered from the investigation.

Findings have been submitted to the national record via the OASIS system, and a short report for Discovery and Excavation Scotland will be generated.

Information on the results of the report will be made public in digital form so as to be included in any further research into the archaeology, history and development of Orkney.

\subsection*{8.0 Acknowledgements}

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\subsection*{10.0 NMRS OASIS Forms}

\subsection*{10.1 Walkover Survey}

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Monument type
Significant Finds

Survey techniques

\section*{Marwick Water Pipe Replacement}

A walkover survey undertaken on the site of the Marwick water pipe replacement.

Start: 12-06-2012 End: 13-06-2012
No / Yes

Environmental assessment
None
Cultivated Land 2 - Operations to a depth less than 0.25 m

FARMSTEAD Post Medieval
NONE None

Cultural Heritage Survey

\section*{Project location}

Country
Site location
Study area
Site coordinates
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Monument type & SETTLEMENT Prehistoric \\
Significant Finds & NONE None \\
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Plate 1. Crook Farmstead (walkover survey site 12)


Plate 2. Scoop hearth (103), half sectioned and cut (105), post excavation, looking north-west
11.0 Appendix 1 Walkover Survey Results
\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline Site No. & NMRS No. & \[
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& \text { SMR } \\
& \text { No. }
\end{aligned}
\] & Site Name \&
Type & Description & SAM No.l Listed Building No. & NGR Easting & NGR Northing & Coord type \\
\hline 1 & HY22SW.27.- & 1709 & Marwick, chapel & \begin{tabular}{l}
The remains of a chapel, excavated by J. Storer Clouston, stand about 2 ft high. The walls are of rubble, apparently bonded with clay mortar, and the doorway is in the SW wall. No date can be allotted to the \\
structure. A very low, grass-covered mound, no doubt marking the limits of the burial-ground, surrounds the chapel from SW to NE and continues for a short distance on the NE as a line of laid stones. No other traces can be seen. \\
RCAHMS \\
1946. \\
The building measures c. 5.2 m . by c. 3.8 m . internally, the walls being c.1.2 m . average width. Source: Pastmap
\end{tabular} & \(\underline{2934}\) & 323020 & 1024100 & Point \\
\hline 2 & HY22SW.21.- & 1703 & \begin{tabular}{lr} 
Knowe & of \\
Flaws, & burnt \\
mound
\end{tabular} & The Knowe of Flaws, a large severely mutilated turfcovered mound of stones, is probably a cairn rather than a burnt mound as, although a few small apparently burnt stones lie scattered on the mound, a large quantity of heavy stone is exposed on the top of the mound, where it has the appear- ance at one point of tumbled walling. Two earth-fast stone slabs, each c. 1.5 m . by 0.6 m ., lie face down about 3.0 m . apart on the surface of the mound on its east side. The mound measures c .27 .0 m . in diameter by c .1 .7 m . maximum height. Source: Pastmap & 1296 & 323130 & 1024240 & Point \\
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\end{tabular}
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\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline 3 & HY22SW.25.- & 1707 & Knowe of
Netherskaill,
burnt mound & A small knoll a quarter of a mile \(S\) of Nether Skaill and fully a quarter of a mile SE of Flaws and is said to have been an ancient burial mound but no remains have been discovered in it though a considerable portion of it has lately been removed for use in repairing roads. Source: Pastmap & \(\underline{1305}\) & 323410 & 1024240 & Point \\
\hline 4 & HY22SW. \(28 .-\) & 1710 & Braes of
Kastal, mound & \begin{tabular}{l}
A mound called 'The Castle' is situated between the houses of Langskaill (HY 2356 2465) and Netherskaill (HY 2344 2453). Dr H.Marwick suggests that, in view of its proximity to two farms bearing '-skaill' names, it may represent the remains of a fort of the Norse period. RCAHMS \\
Mr Gaudie (Farmer, Netherskaill, Marwick) indicated the site known locally as 'The Castle' at HY 2349 2457, on the bank of a stream. There are no visible remains of a mound or of any defensive structure. Source: Pastmap
\end{tabular} & & 323490 & 1024570 & Point \\
\hline 5 & HY22SW.31.- & & Steadaquoy, farmstead & A farmstead comprising one unroofed building, two roofed buildings, one of which is L-shaped, and one enclosure is depicted on the 1882 OS 6 -inch map (Orkney and Shetland (Orkney) 1882, sheet Ixxxviii). Source: Pastmap & & 322940 & 1024730 & Point \\
\hline 6 & HY22NW.66.- & 2980 & Kitchener Memorial, memorial & For (associated) wreck of HMS Hampshire. Source Pastmap & Category C; number 6182 & 322659 & 1025170 & Point \\
\hline 7 & HY22NW.41.- & & Cumlaquoy, farmstead & & & 323380 & 1025120 & Point \\
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\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline 8 & HY22NW.69.- & & Cumlaquoy, farmstead & A farmstead comprising one unroofed building, one roofed building with three wings, one unroofed structure and one enclosure is depicted on the 1st edition of the OS 6-inch map (Orkney and Shetland (Orkney) 1882, sheet Ixxxviii). Source: Pastmap & 323370 & 1025020 & Point \\
\hline 9 & HY22NW.2.- & 1339 & Leequoy, burnt mound & \begin{tabular}{l}
A mound of burnt stones lies about 200 yds NW of Leequoy farmhouse (HY 241 249). RCAHMS 1946. \\
A slightly crescentic-shaped turf-covered mound, with a scatter of burnt stones on its NW side, close by a stream at HY 2396 2502. Source: Pastmap
\end{tabular} & 323970 & 1025020 & Point \\
\hline 10 & HY22SW.1.- & 1698 & Rubreck, mounds & \begin{tabular}{l}
The remains of four small mounds said to be ancient \(\begin{array}{llr}\text { places } & \text { of } & \text { interment. } \\ \text { Name } & \text { Book } & 1880 .\end{array}\) \\
The Commission says of these mounds that they were levelled some years before 1930 to provide topdressing for poor land. Source: Pastmap
\end{tabular} & 324450 & 1024830 & Point \\
\hline 11 & & & Cooperhouse, enclosure & A tear shaped enclosure, \(10 \mathrm{~m} \times 8 \mathrm{~m} \times 0.8 \mathrm{~m}\) high, of drystone dyke. E end is open but may have been pulled down or collapsed as there is a pile of stone at this end. A 19th century animal enclosure or planticrub. Shown on the 1882 and 1902 OS maps. The N wall of the enclosure runs out onto the N side of the fence. Source: Walkover & 324104 & 1024599 & Point \\
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\end{tabular}
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\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline 12 & & & Crook, farmstead, enclosure & Drystone farmstead and drystone walled enclosures, buildings standing to roof hight. Mainly unroofed but some remains of flagstone roofing. Multi period. The dwelling towards the \(W\) end of the range appears to be late 19th century. The \(E\) end of the range may have been earlier dwellings converted into outbuildings when the late 19th century W part was added. E end may date to the mid or early 19th century, possibly older. Farmstead "Crook" and enclosures shown on the 1882 and 1902 OS maps. Source: Walkover & 323756 & 1024661 & Line start \\
\hline 12 & & & & & 323782 & 1024656 & Line end \\
\hline 13 & & & Langskaill, well & A well on the 1882 and 1902 OS maps. No evidence of the well on the ground. Source: Walkover & 323584 & 1024740 & Point \\
\hline 14 & & & Midhouse, farmstead, enclosure, mound & On the \(W\) side of the road at the corner. A possible mound, 60 m NW-SE \(\times 46 \mathrm{~m}\) NE-SW and 0.6 m high, may be natural but may be a farm mound. In location of buildings and enclosure marked on the 1882 and 1902 OS maps. Appears as undulating with plateau on N side and possible "scoop" on its S side. The mound is orientated NE-SW with an edge on its N side where it meets the slope of the field. At the E edge of the field there is a poorly preserved line of drystone dyke >7 courses of tabular stone. This wall runs for 15 m before ending. Angular stones have been piled up against this dyke, and extending further up this field to the N probable clearance. May be associated with old farm remains being cleared. Source: Walkover & 323010 & 1024830 & Point \\
\hline 14 & & & & & 322992 & 1024799 & Point \\
\hline 14 & & & & & 323032 & 1024790 & Point \\
\hline 14 & & & & & 323041 & 1024819 & Point \\
\hline
\end{tabular}
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\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline 15 & Midhouse, dyke & Marked on the 1882 and 1902 OS maps.Now a vegetation mark running NE-SW through pasture field with a slight break of slope and depression c1m wide x 80m. Possibly a former dyke which has been removed. Source: Walkover & 323058 & 1024787 & Line start \\
\hline 15 & & & 322984 & 1024734 & Line end \\
\hline 16 & Quaquoy, dyke & Earthwork: Sinuous, turf covered dyke, 3 m wide and 0.4 m high, running E-W before turning towards the SE. Clearly visible for at least 100 m . The dyke is visible as a low earthwork in the drystone dyke enclosed field on the NW side of Quaquoy. It is shown on the 1882 and 1902 OS maps. Source: Walkover & 323532 & 1025392 & Point \\
\hline 16 & & & 323497 & 1025304 & Point \\
\hline 17 & Flaws, enclosure & Rectangular drystone enclosure, \(15 \mathrm{~m} \mathrm{N-S} \times 10 \mathrm{~m}\) E-W and 11-12 courses high, 1.25 m . Built from tabular angulara dn sub-angular sandstone. Ragstone cap, open at the \(S\) end, \(N\) end has been altered with concrete. Can see the former footing at the N end continuing E-W beyond the concrete stump. Collapse evident at the N end of the W wall, enclosure slightly wider at the N end. Walls are c 0.6 m wide at base tapering to 0.4 m at top. The enclosure is shown on the 1902 OS map. Source: Walkover & 323264 & 1024717 & Point \\
\hline 17 & & & 323260 & 1024703 & Point \\
\hline 18 & Mid Comloquoy, stone & Possible standing stone, 1.2 m high \(\times 0.4 \mathrm{~m} \times 0.15 \mathrm{~m}\), in SE corner of field adjecent to road. 1m away from fenceline. May be an old boundary marker or strainer, although no obvoius sign of wire marks. Source: Walkover & 323361 & 1025188 & Point \\
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\end{tabular}

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\begin{tabular}{|l|l|l|l|l|l|l|l|l|}
\hline 19 & & & \begin{tabular}{l} 
Langskaill, \\
stone
\end{tabular} & \begin{tabular}{l} 
Large tabular flagstone, 2m \(\times 1.5 m \times 0.15 m\), and other \\
flagstone edges protruding horizontally from the grassy \\
banks of the stream. Has the appearance of a stone \\
cap and walling but is almost certainly natural outcrop \\
as more obvious bedrock outcrop appears further up \\
the stream at the same level. Source: Walkover
\end{tabular} & 323598 \\
\hline
\end{tabular}

\subsection*{12.0 Appendix 2 Context Register}
\begin{tabular}{|l|l|l|l|}
\hline Context & \begin{tabular}{l} 
Site \\
Subdivision
\end{tabular} & Type & Description \\
\hline \(\mathbf{1 0 0}\) & 1 & Layer & Topsoil \\
\hline 101 & 1 & Layer & Subsoil \\
\hline \(\mathbf{1 0 2}\) & 1 & Layer & Natural till \\
\hline 103 & 2 & Cut & Cut of scoop \\
\hline 104 & 2 & Fill & Fill of [103] (burnt) \\
\hline 105 & 2 & Cut & Cut of pit \\
\hline 106 & 2 & Fill & Fill of [105] \\
\hline 107 & 2 & Cut & Cut of posthole \\
\hline 108 & 2 & Fill & Fill of [107] \\
\hline 109 & 2 & Layer & Topsoil \(=(100)\) \\
\hline \(\mathbf{1 1 0}\) & 2 & Layer & Subsoil \(=(101)\) \\
\hline \(\mathbf{1 1 1}\) & 2 & Layer & Till \(/\) bedrock \(=(102)\) \\
\hline \(\mathbf{1 1 2}\) & 3 & Layer & Topsoil \(=(100)\) \\
\hline \(\mathbf{1 1 3}\) & 3 & Layer & Subsoil \(=(101)\) \\
\hline \(\mathbf{1 1 4}\) & 3 & Layer & Till \(/\) bedrock \(=(102)\) \\
\hline \(\mathbf{1 1 5}\) & 4 & Layer & Topsoil \\
\hline \(\mathbf{1 1 6}\) & 4 & Layer & Till \\
\hline
\end{tabular}

\subsection*{13.0 Appendix 3 Photographic Register}

Batch 1
\begin{tabular}{|l|l|l|l|l|}
\hline Frame & DCS_No. & Area & Description & \begin{tabular}{l} 
Direction \\
of shot
\end{tabular} \\
\hline 1 & \(356 \_\)B1_1.JPG & 1 & General shot of digging & S \\
\hline 2 & \(356 \_\)B1_2.JPG & 1 & General shot of digging & S \\
\hline 3 & \(356 \_\)B1_3.JPG & 1 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
Trench (100) (101) (102) pre- \\
excavation of (102)
\end{tabular} & NE \\
\hline 4 & \(356 \_\)B1_4.JPG & 1 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
Trench (100) (101) (102) pre- \\
excavation of (102)
\end{tabular} & NE \\
\hline 5 & \(356 \_B 1 \_5 . J P G\) & 1 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
Trench (100) (101) (102) pre- \\
excavation of (102)
\end{tabular} & NE \\
\hline 6 & \(356 \_B 1 \_6 . J P G\) & 1 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
Shot of area that was not \\
watched
\end{tabular} & N \\
\hline 7 & \(356 \_B 1 \_7 . J P G\) & 1 & General shot & S \\
\hline 8 & \(356 \_B 1 \_8 . J P G\) & 1 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
Trench (100) (101) (102) pre- \\
excavation of (102)
\end{tabular} & NE \\
\hline 9 & \(356 \_B 1 \_9 . J P G\) & 1 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
Trench (100) (101) (102) pre- \\
excavation of (102)
\end{tabular} & NE \\
\hline 10 & \begin{tabular}{l}
\(356 \_B 1 \_10 . J P ~\) \\
G
\end{tabular} & 1 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
Trench (100) (101) (102) pre- \\
excavation of (102)
\end{tabular} & NE \\
\hline
\end{tabular}

Batch 2
\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline Frame & DCS_No. & Area & Description & Direction of shot \\
\hline 1 & \[
\begin{aligned}
& 356 \text { Batch } \\
& \text { 2_1.JPG }
\end{aligned}
\] & 2 & Working shot - SE of trench & SE \\
\hline 2 & \[
\begin{aligned}
& 357 \text { Batch } \\
& \text { 2_2.JPG } \\
& \hline
\end{aligned}
\] & 2 & Working shot - SE of trench & SE \\
\hline 3 & \[
\begin{aligned}
& 358 \text { Batch } \\
& \text { 2_3.JPG }
\end{aligned}
\] & 2 & Working shot - SE of trench & SE \\
\hline 4 & \[
\begin{aligned}
& 359 \text { Batch } \\
& 2 \_4 . J P G \\
& \hline
\end{aligned}
\] & 2 & Sample section (1.3m deep) & NE \\
\hline 5 & \[
\begin{aligned}
& 360 \text { Batch } \\
& \text { 2_5.JPG }
\end{aligned}
\] & 2 & Working shot of trench and burn & SE \\
\hline 6 & 361 Batch
2_6.JPG & 2 & Burn area pre-excavation (very boggy) & SE \\
\hline 7 & \[
\begin{aligned}
& 362 \text { Batch } \\
& 2 \text { _7.JPG } \\
& \hline
\end{aligned}
\] & 2 & Section SE of burn, features[103]
[105] [107] & NW \\
\hline 8 & \[
\begin{aligned}
& 363 \text { Batch } \\
& \text { 2_8.JPG } \\
& \hline
\end{aligned}
\] & 2 & Section SE of burn, features[103]
[105] [107] & NW \\
\hline 9 & \[
\begin{aligned}
& \text { 364 Batch } \\
& 2 \_9 . J P G
\end{aligned}
\] & 2 & Section SE of burn, features[103] [105] pre-excavation & SW \\
\hline 10 & \[
\begin{aligned}
& \text { 365 Batch } \\
& \text { 2_10.JPG }
\end{aligned}
\] & 2 & Section SE of burn, features[103] [105] pre-excavation & SE \\
\hline 11 & \[
\begin{aligned}
& 366 \text { Batch } \\
& \text { 2_11.JPG }
\end{aligned}
\] & 2 & Section SE of burn, feature[103] pre-excavation & SE \\
\hline
\end{tabular}
\begin{tabular}{|l|l|l|l|l|}
\hline 12 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
367 Batch \\
2_12.JPG
\end{tabular} & 2 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
General shot towards burn \\
crossing
\end{tabular} & NW \\
\hline 13 & \begin{tabular}{l}
368 Batch \\
\(2 \_13 . J P G\)
\end{tabular} & 2 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
General shot towards burn \\
crossing
\end{tabular} & NW \\
\hline 14 & \begin{tabular}{l}
369 Batch \\
2_14.JPG
\end{tabular} & 2 & Burnt scoop [103] section & SW \\
\hline 15 & \begin{tabular}{l}
370 Batch \\
2_15.JPG
\end{tabular} & 2 & Pit [105] section (bank) & SW \\
\hline 16 & \begin{tabular}{l}
371 Batch \\
\(2 \_16 . J P G ~\)
\end{tabular} & 2 & Pit [105] section (bank) & SW \\
\hline 17 & \begin{tabular}{l}
372 Batch \\
\(2 \_17 . J P G\)
\end{tabular} & 2 & Post hole [107] section & NW \\
\hline 18 & \begin{tabular}{l}
373 Batch \\
\(2 \_18 . J P G ~\)
\end{tabular} & 2 & Post hole [107] section & NW \\
\hline 19 & \begin{tabular}{l}
374 Batch \\
\(2 \_19 . J P G ~\)
\end{tabular} & 2 & Pit [107] post-excavation & NW \\
\hline 20 & \begin{tabular}{l}
375 Batch \\
\(2 \_20 . J P G ~\)
\end{tabular} & 2 & Monitored section end & NW \\
\hline 21 & \begin{tabular}{l}
375 Batch \\
\(2 \_21 . J P G ~\)
\end{tabular} & 2 & Post hole [107], post-excavation & NW \\
\hline
\end{tabular}

Batch 3
\begin{tabular}{|l|l|l|l|l|}
\hline Frame & DCS_No. & Area & Description & \begin{tabular}{l} 
Direction \\
of shot
\end{tabular} \\
\hline 1 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
356_Batch3_0 \\
01.JPG
\end{tabular} & 3 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
General shot of trench to the W \\
of Crook
\end{tabular} & E \\
\hline 2 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
356_Batch3_0 \\
02.JPG
\end{tabular} & 3 & Stone "dish" on S dyke at Crook & S \\
\hline 3 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
356_Batch3_0 \\
03.JPG
\end{tabular} & 3 & Stone "dish" on S dyke at Crook & SW \\
\hline 4 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
356_Batch3_0 \\
04.JPG
\end{tabular} & 3 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
"Anvil stone" with four pecked \\
hollows on E dyke at Crook
\end{tabular} & W \\
\hline 5 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
356_Batch3_0 \\
05.JPG
\end{tabular} & 3 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
"Anvil stone" with four pecked \\
hollows on E dyke at Crook
\end{tabular} & W \\
\hline 7 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
356_Batch3_0 \\
06.JPG
\end{tabular} & 3 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
"Anvil stone" with four pecked \\
hollows on E dyke at Crook
\end{tabular} & W \\
\hline 8 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
356_Batch3_0 \\
356_Batch3_0
\end{tabular} & 3 & 3 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
Trench to S of Crook \\
08.JPG
\end{tabular}
\end{tabular}
\begin{tabular}{|l|l|l|l|l|}
\hline 13 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
356_Batch3_0 \\
13.JPG
\end{tabular} & 4 & Enclosure and trench & NW \\
\hline 14 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
356_Batch3_0 \\
14.JPG
\end{tabular} & 4 & View of trench & NW \\
\hline 15 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
356_Batch3_0 \\
15.JPG
\end{tabular} & 4 & SW facing section, topsoil strip & NE \\
\hline 16 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
356_Batch3_0 \\
16.JPG
\end{tabular} & 4 & SW facing section, reduced dig & NE \\
\hline 17 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
356_Batch3_0 \\
17.JPG
\end{tabular} & 4 & View of trench & SE \\
\hline 18 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
356_Batch3_0 \\
18.JPG
\end{tabular} & 4 & Works and stone enclosure & NW \\
\hline 19 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
356_Batch3_0 \\
19.JPG
\end{tabular} & 4 & Works and stone enclosure & NW \\
\hline 20 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
356_Batch3_0 \\
20.JPG
\end{tabular} & 4 & Works and stone enclosure & NW \\
\hline 21 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
356_Batch3_0 \\
21.JPG
\end{tabular} & 4 & SW facing section & NE \\
\hline 22 & \begin{tabular}{l} 
356_Batch3_0 \\
22.JPG
\end{tabular} & 4 & View of SE end of trench & SE \\
\hline
\end{tabular}

Batch 4
\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline Frame & DCS_No. & Site num ber & Description & Direction of shot \\
\hline 1 & DSC_0001.JPG & 17 & Drystone enclosure & SW \\
\hline 2 & DSC_0002.JPG & 17 & Drystone enclosure & SW \\
\hline 3 & DSC_0003.JPG & 17 & Drystone enclosure & SW \\
\hline 4 & DSC_0004.JPG & 17 & Drystone enclosure & NW \\
\hline 5 & DSC_0005.JPG & 17 & Drystone enclosure & NW \\
\hline 6 & DSC_0006.JPG & 15 & Crop mark / depression & W \\
\hline 7 & DSC_0007.JPG & 15 & Crop mark / depression & W \\
\hline 8 & DSC_0008.JPG & 15 & Crop mark / depression & E \\
\hline 9 & DSC_0009.JPG & 15 & Crop mark / depression & E \\
\hline 10 & DSC_0010.JPG & 14 & Mound & SE \\
\hline 11 & DSC_0011.JPG & 14 & Mound & SE \\
\hline 12 & DSC_0012.JPG & 14 & Mound & ENE \\
\hline 13 & DSC_0013.JPG & 14 & Mound & ENE \\
\hline 14 & DSC_0014.JPG & 14 & Mound & W \\
\hline 15 & DSC_0015.JPG & 14 & Mound & W \\
\hline 16 & DSC_0016.JPG & 14 & Dyke and clearance stone by mound & N \\
\hline 17 & DSC_0017.JPG & 14 & Dyke and clearance stone by mound & N \\
\hline 18 & DSC_0018.JPG & 8 & Farm buildings & SE \\
\hline 19 & DSC_0019.JPG & 8 & Farm buildings & SE \\
\hline 20 & DSC_0020.JPG & 18 & Standing stone & NNE \\
\hline 21 & DSC_0021.JPG & 18 & Standing stone & NNE \\
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\end{tabular}
\begin{tabular}{|l|l|l|l|l|}
\hline 22 & DSC_0022.JPG & 16 & Hill-dyke & NE \\
\hline 23 & DSC_0023.JPG & 16 & Hill-dyke & NE \\
\hline 24 & DSC_0024.JPG & 16 & Hill-dyke & WSW \\
\hline 25 & DSC_0025.JPG & 16 & Hill-dyke & SW \\
\hline 26 & DSC_0026.JPG & 16 & Hill-dyke in SW field & S \\
\hline 27 & DSC_0027.JPG & 16 & Hill-dyke in SW field & S \\
\hline 28 & DSC_0028.JPG & 16 & Hill-dyke in SW field & E \\
\hline 29 & DSC_0029.JPG & 16 & Hill-dyke in SW field & E \\
\hline 30 & DSC_0030.JPG & 19 & Poss natural bedrock outcrop & NW \\
\hline 31 & DSC_0031.JPG & 19 & Poss natural bedrock outcrop & W \\
\hline 32 & DSC_0032.JPG & 19 & Poss natural bedrock outcrop & NW \\
\hline 33 & DSC_0033.JPG & 12 & Ruined farmstead & N \\
\hline 34 & DSC_0034.JPG & 12 & Ruined farmstead & NE \\
\hline 35 & DSC_0035.JPG & 12 & Ruined farmstead & NW \\
\hline 36 & DSC_0036.JPG & 12 & Ruined farmstead & NW \\
\hline 37 & DSC_0037.JPG & 12 & Ruined farmstead & W \\
\hline 38 & DSC_0038.JPG & 12 & Ruined farmstead & SW \\
\hline 39 & DSC_0039.JPG & 11 & Enclosure & SW \\
\hline 40 & DSC_0040.JPG & 11 & Enclosure & W \\
\hline 41 & DSC_0041.JPG & 11 & Enclosure & SSE \\
\hline 42 & DSC_0042.JPG & 11 & Enclosure & E \\
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