

ST GILES FARM BARN AND DAIRY, PATTERSONS LANE, BLENDWORTH, HAMPSHIRE, SO08 0AG

HISTORIC BUILDINGS RECORD



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SUMMARY

In February 2018 Archaeology South-East carried out a historic buildings record (Historic England Level 3) of the barn and former dairy building at St Giles Farm, Blendworth, Hampshire. The work was commissioned by Sutcliffe Consulting, prior to the conversion of the buildings for residential use. The current barn is mid-/late 19th century in date though there is evidence for an earlier building on the site, as shown by the historic mapping and the presence of earlier brickwork at the base its walls. The dairy is a later addition, built between 1880 and 1897 according to historic mapping.

Changing agricultural practice has largely rendered the buildings redundant: the farm no longer maintains a dairy herd and the barn is not a practical size for the storage of modern oversized machinery. However, the buildings fit well with the rural setting of Blendworth village and conversion to residential habitation will ensure the continued use of the buildings.

ASE returned to the site in March 2018 to archaeologically monitor groundworks associated with the conversion of the barn. No significant archaeological deposits, features or finds were encountered during the archaeological monitoring.

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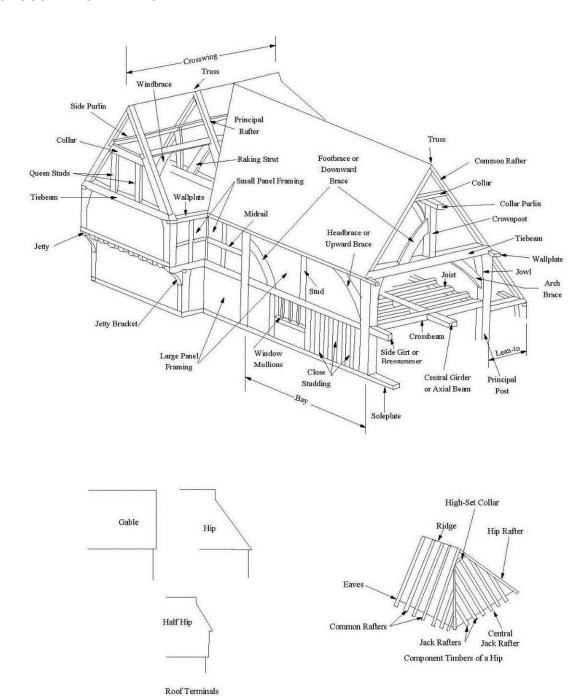
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GLOSSARY OF TERMS



1.0 INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 In February 2018 Archaeology South-East (a division of the Centre for Applied Archaeology, UCL) carried out a historic buildings record of the barn and former dairy building at St Giles Farm, Blendworth, Hampshire (NGR SU 7113 6850; Figure 1).
- 1.2 The work was commissioned by Sutcliffe Consulting and requested by East Hampshire District Council and South Downs National Park Authority, to be addressed as a condition placed on planning consent relating to the conversion of the buildings to residential use, together with associated access and landscaping (planning ref. SDNP/15/01897/FUL). Condition 13 of the planning consent states that:

No work shall start on site until the developer has secured the implementation of a programme of archaeological work in accordance with a written scheme of investigation and recording which has first been submitted to and approved in writing by the Planning Authority.

Reason: To ensure that the archaeological interest of the historic and site is properly safeguarded and recorded. It is considered necessary for this to be a precommencement condition because safeguarding the historical interest of the site and buildings goes to the heart of the planning permission.

2.0 SCOPE & METHODOLOGY

- 2.1 The recording involved the survey of the buildings to Level 3 as defined by Historic England (2016) and as set out in the written scheme of investigation (ASE 2017). A plan showing the structures surveyed is reproduced as Figure 5. There is also provision for a watching-brief during the alteration works should this be required. The results from such work would be presented as an update to this report.
- 2.2 The initial record was made by Susan Chandler and Hannah Samuels in February 2018. Subject to accessibility and survival, a photographic record was made of the exterior and interior of the barn and dairy and their immediate environs including general external and internal elevations, setting, surviving architectural detail, fixtures and fittings. An index of the digital photography, together with location plans are included as an appendix to this report.
- 2.3 The written description and photographic record is supplemented by a drawn record of the site, comprising of plans and elevations of both of the buildings, and cross-sections. These were produced by ASE, based in part on drawings provided by the client.
- ASE returned to the site in March 2018 to archaeologically monitor groundworks associated with the conversion of the barn. The results of this work are presented as Appendix 3.

3.0 SITE LOCATION

3.1 Blendworth is situated within the western end of the South Downs National Park in East Hampshire District. It is a small settlement of two parts: the newer part to the

west, which is focussed on the Church of Holy Trinity built in the mid-19th century, and what is now 'Old' Blendworth to the east, where the site is located. Although it is located just beyond the north-eastern outskirts of the town of Waterlooville, the area retains its rural setting in which agriculture remains the predominant industry. The site is located to the east of Rowlands Castle Road, at its junction with Pattersons Lane and Duckstile Lane to the north. The site comprises the barn and dairy building which are the subject of this report, together with a series of modern barns.

3.2 The modern ground surface is levelled at *c.* 100m OD. The natural geology of the site comprises Tarrant Chalk Member – Sedimentary Bedrock formed approximately 72 to 84 million years ago in the Cretaceous Period, with superficial deposits of the Clay-with-flints Formation (Clay, Silt, Sand And Gravel) overlying the bedrock (GEA 2018).

4.0 STATUTORY DESIGNATIONS

Listed Buildings

4.1 Neither of the buildings on the site are statutorily listed.

Conservation Areas

4.2 The Blendworth Conservation area is focused on the newer, western part of Blendworth; St Giles Farm therefore lies outside the conservation area.

5.0 HISTORIC BACKGROUND AND CARTOGRAPHIC EVIDENCE

- The following is a brief historical background for the site using information from Hampshire Records Office in Winchester, the Design and Access Statement produced for the site by Giles Wheeler-Bennet chartered surveyors and land agents (Wheeler-Bennett 2015), a historic setting document available online from the Hampshire government website (Hants 1999) and the Blendworth Conservation Area study and character appraisal document, also available online (Hants 2007).
- Blendworth is situated in the parish of Horndeane, East Hampshire. The current 'main' Blendworth settlement is located to the west of St Giles Farm, centred on Holy Trinity Church and Old School House, which were built in the mid-19th century. St Giles farm is located in what is now considered 'Old' Blendworth, the original settlement which was first documented in 1170 as *Blednewithie* (Bleadna farmstead). Saxton's Map of Hampshire of 1575 (not reproduced) marks the site as Blendworthe. The Hampshire Records Office holds documents relating to residents of Old Blendworth from as far back as the early 17th century which show a larger population than that which exists today.
- 5.3 The Church of St Giles, from which St Giles Farm takes its name, is marked on Ordnance Survey mapping of 1880 as a 'mortuary chapel'. The first church of Old Blendworth dates to 1303, though it is not clear if this was the church of St Giles. St Giles Church was demolished in the 1960s having long been out of use. It was situated at the centre of the village and the graveyard remains as public gardens. St Giles Farm is located south-east of the churchyard, across Pattersons Lane.

- Two listed buildings are located near St Giles Farm. 'Peppercorn Cottage' a 17th century timber-framed cottage (National Heritage List no. 1179053) is approximately 70m north-east of the farm. 'Mouse Cottage' (National Heritage List no. 1351146) is also a 17th century timber framed building and is located 100m to the east.
- 5.5 The Blendworth tithe map of 1839 (Figure 2) shows a building in the location of the current barn, with an enclosure presumably a yard to the west. A dwelling (shaded red) is shown close-by to the north within its own defined plot. The two are identified on the map as Plot 144, which is listed as 'homestead' in the accompanying apportionment. This, together with the surrounding land (Plot 143) which is listed as 'homefield', was occupied by Richard Caplin, and owned by Sir Samuel Jervoise, the second Clarke-Jervoise baronet, who lived at the nearby Idsworth Park and was a major land owner in the area.
- 5.6 The Ordnance Survey map of 1880 (Figure 3) shows the site unchanged. The dairy building first appears on the Ordnance Survey map of 1897 (Figure 4), where it is shown as a long range attached to the western side of the barn, bordering the yard on its northern side. It is shown with an internal division approximately two-thirds of the way along from the west end, and another, effectively leaving only a narrow sliver, abutting the barn. The eastern third is shown as being open-fronted onto the yard. A small structure with a small yard in front probably a pigsty is shown adjoining the west end of the building. This map also shows a narrow structure adjoining the west wall of the barn towards its south end
- Three tenancy agreements for the farm are held at the Hampshire Records Office; the first covers the period 1932 to 1939, between Major Arthur Francis Clarke-Jervoise (the owner), 'spinsters' Vera Cox and Helena Crawford and 'gentleman' Commander Maurice Eyre Persse Studdart (document no. 43M75/E/B31). In 1939 they took out a year's extension to the lease; by this time Ms. Crawford and Commander Studdart had married; she signed the lease Helena Studdart (document no. 43M75/E/B71). From 1941 the farm was let to an Ernest Rigmead Clay, who renewed and extended his tenancy in 1953 (document no. 43M75/E/B85).
- 5.8 It is not clear when the farm became known as St Giles it is only identified as such on Ordnance Survey mapping from 1970 (map not reproduced).

6.0 DESCRIPTION OF THE BUILDINGS

The buildings are arranged in a L-shaped plan, bordering the northern and eastern sides of a roughly rectangular farmyard. The north, south and west sides of the yard are enclosed by a flint wall topped with brick coping courses; there is a gateway in each the south and west sides. The yard is now enclosed by a modern concrete barn, which partially obscures the earlier structures.

The Barn

Exterior

6.2 The barn is situated on the eastern side of the yard and is arranged north-north-east to south-south-west (hereafter simplified as north to south). It was constructed in the mid- to late 19th century, seemingly on the footings of an earlier building – presumably also a barn. It is constructed of brick laid in English bond with lime mortar; two brick types are used: a coarse dark orange-red brick for the main body

of the walls and a finer orange-red brick for the plinth and detailing such as a midheight plat band (Plate 1). There is a slate damp-proof course near the base of the walls, above which are a series of regularly-spaced iron ventilation blocks. The roof is slated and has gabled terminals.

- The principal elevation faces west into the yard, but is now largely obscured by the later barn (Plate 2). It contains a large central doorway leading onto the midstrey, either side of which a high-set window has been inserted above the plat band (Plate 3). Each window has a segmental arched arch and chamfered brick sill, which matches the style of the windows of the dairy, suggesting that they were inserted at the time of the dairy's construction. The windows of the barn are framed in wood and formerly had six panes, arranged 3x2. A projecting concrete wall has been added to the southern side of the midstrey opening.
- The gable ends are plain. The north gable is overgrown with vegetation at its upper level, although a timber barge-board remains visible (Plate 4). The south wall has some timber battening and a substantial area of the brickwork has been painted black (Plate 5). The design statement (Wheeler-Bennett, 2015) notes that this gable was clad in corrugated iron for a number of years because it faces into the prevailing weather. The yard walls meets the barn at the north-west and south-west corners but are not tied into the barn; it is probable that the yard wall predates the barn.
- The east elevation matches the principal elevation in form, including the inserted windows. An additional small opening has been inserted to the side of the high-set window on the south-east side. This small opening contained a cast iron framework and likely served as a housing for agricultural machinery of some kind. Below and slightly offset from the high-set window a third opening has been inserted with less skill than the ones at the upper level. It is simple and square in form, with a timber frame. Its use was not entirely clear being rather low to the ground for a window and short for a door, though it corresponded with an area of external brick paving (Plate 6).
- In several areas, particularly either side of the midstrey doorway on the east elevation, it appears the barn is constructed on earlier footings which are likely to be the remnants of an earlier barn. It is possible this could be the building depicted on the tithe map. Below the slate damp-proof course (which belong to the mid-/late 19th century construction) the brickwork is formed of smaller bricks of 50-60mm height, which are darker in colour and set in a more variable bonding pattern (Plate 7). This brickwork appears to be partially truncated at the door opening, which supports the notion that the brickwork remains *in situ* from an earlier structure rather than the bricks having just been reclaimed and reused within the later structure (Plate 8).

Interior

- The interior of the barn consists of seven bays as defined by the principal trusses, comprising the central midstrey with three storage bays to each side (Figure 5). The interior faces of the walls have been whitewashed, presumably in connection with is later use as livestock housing.
- The roof structure is constructed from machine-sawn timber. It is of common rafter type, supported by six king-post trusses which rest on wallplates set within the brickwork of the walls. Each truss comprises a straight tie-beam with bolted king post, from which a pair of raking struts extend to the principal rafters (Plate 9; Figure 6). A single purlin in each roof pitch is supported over the backs of the principal

rafters by means of nailed cleats (Plate 10). The common rafters met at a ridge-board at the apex. Additional blocks have been added below the struts on some but not all of the trusses (Figure 6).

- The various members of each principal truss are numbered with neatly-chiselled carpentry marks, using Roman numerals (Plates 11 & 12). These are all located on the north faces of the trusses and do not run in any particular order: from south to north the trusses are numbered II, III, I, VI, V and IIII. A single inscribed E was also noted on one of the rafters (Plates 13 and 14). No other marks were observed.
- 6.10 The width of the brickwork walls is reduced above the level of the wall-plates, although each is reinforced by a central full-width engaged pier which also provides support to the ridge board (Plate 15). Where the dairy roof meets that of the barn, the slates of the barn roof have been removed and replaced with boarding (Plate 16).
- 6.11 The inserted openings observed on the exterior are positioned centrally within the long walls of the barn to either side of the midstrey (i.e. Bays 2 and 6). A recess within the west wall corresponds with the opening observed within the east wall, and no doubt served as housing for agricultural machinery (Plate 17).
- 6.12 The floor of the southern three bays comprises a concrete screed. The floor within the remainder of the barn is of earth and is set at a lower level than the rest, affording a view of the slate damp-proof course and the earlier brickwork beneath (Plate 18). No evidence was observed for a threshing floor within the midstrey.

The Dairy

Exterior

- 6.13 According to Ordnance Survey mapping, the dairy was constructed between 1880 and 1897 (Figures 3 & 4). It borders the northern side of the yard and is orientated west-north-west to east-south-east (hereafter simplified as west to east). Its roof is hipped at the western end and clad with clay tiles (Plate 19). The eastern end abuts the barn. The small projecting structure at the western end shown on historic mapping is no longer extant.
- The principal elevation of the dairy faces to the south. It is of two distinct parts: the western two thirds is constructed in brickwork, whereas the eastern third is clad with vertical boarding, conforming with the arrangement depicted on the 1897 map (Figure 4; Plates 20-22). The brick section is constructed of orange-red bricks in a variation of English garden wall bond queen closer bricks at either end of the wall confirm its original extent. The boarded section must represent a later alteration, since the mapping indicates this part of the building was originally open. The boarding is fixed over a timber framework which has latterly been augmented with a breeze block and red brick wall behind. There is a series of timber windows included at the upper level.
- Towards the base of the brick wall there is a chamfered brick offset (Plate 23). The same chamfered bricks are used for the sills of the original windows sills, of which there are three. The windows have segmental arched heads and wooden frames. There are two doorways with timber lintels and timber half-doors.

- 6.16 The west elevation is plain, barring a continuation of the offset and an inserted window (Plate 24). It abuts the original yard wall but is not toothed-in.
- 6.17 The north elevation utilises the original flint and brick yard wall which has been extended upwards in brickwork (Plate 25). A small window has been inserted into the brickwork towards the western end of the building (Plate 26).

Interior

- 6.18 The interior is arranged over ten bays as defined by the principal trusses, which are irregularly spaced to suit the layout of the building. The eastern boarded section is three bays long, while the brick section is of seven bays (Figure 5).
- 6.19 The roof is continuous over both sections of the building, confirming it is of one phase of construction. It is of a clasped-side-purlin type, each truss consisting of a slightly cambered tie-beam from which raking queen struts extend to support a purlin in each roof pitch (Plate 27). The common rafters ride over the back and meet at a thin ridge board at the apex. The timbers are generally nailed in place in preference to traditional jointing methods. All of the timber used in the roof construction is machine sawn, although some of the rafters are somewhat waney. The tiebeams generally have slightly cambered tops though in two instances the camber was so slight that the beams appeared square.
- V shaped metal brackets have been added to the tiebeams to carry pipelines for the milking equipment. The timbers of the tiebeams and raking struts have been whitewashed, to create a more hygienic finish suitable for a dairy.
- The raking struts have been removed from the second truss from the western end, which has been underbuilt to create a partition (Figure 7). It is not clear why the struts were removed though it is possible that the area above the portioned section of the building was used as a loft as celling has been inserted above the partitioned area (Plate 28). The easternmost truss is inset *c*. 190mm from the end, where the structure abuts the barn (Plate 29). The western end of the roof terminates in a simple hip (Plate 30).
- The interior is divided into four rooms: Rooms 1-3 occupy the brick-fronted part, while Room 4 comprises the formerly open-fronted part. Room 1 at the western end of the range is a milk storage room (Figure 5; Plate 31), while Room 2 is a narrow storage area (Plate 32). These two spaces have been contrived through the addition of later partitions, each comprising a single skin of bricks. The wall dividing the two rooms truncates the window inserted in the northern wall, suggesting that there was a progression of sub-division with first one and then the second partition having been inserted. Each partition wall has a wooden boarded and braced door which have fittings consistent with an early 20th century date (Plate 33). The door to Room 3 is set at a slightly awkward angle.
- Rooms 3 and 4 make up the main dairy area. Room 3 (Plate 34, which comprises the remainder of the brick portion of the range (Plate 34) is linked to Room 4 (Plate 35) by a wide opening that has been inserted into the original end wall of the brick portion (Plate 36). The floor comprises a concrete screed with drainage channels. Along the northern wall in both rooms, there is a low cast concrete feeding trough and metal dividers portioning the space into stalls in which the cattle would be milked (Plate 37). All of the walls are whitewashed and have a thick concrete render three quarters of the way up.

- Viewed from the front, the positioning of the two doors and three windows within the brick range suggest the internal space was originally divided into two areas. Internally there is little evidence for this other than a small brick buttress which projects from the south wall. There is however no evidence of a matching pier on the opposing wall. Its original function was probably that of an enclosed cattle shed.
- The boarded eastern section, was originally open-fronted: original square posts located in line with the trusses to either side of the present doorway appear to survive from the initial construction (Plate 38). The building would have served as a cattle shelter with access onto the yard. The various alterations to the building, including the infilling of its open front, were presumably carried out upon its conversion to a dairy.

7.0 DISCUSSION

- 7.1 The buildings at St Giles Farm were both built in the 19th century: the barn in the mid-/late 19th century, seemingly in the same position and reusing the foundations of an earlier barn, whereas the dairy, which was originally built as cattle housing was constructed between 1880 and 1897. The barn represents a late example of a traditional threshing barn, which would have been used for the storage and processing of cereal crops. The central midstrey bay with its full-height wagon doorways would have allowed a wagon laden with crops to enter the barn, and would have been equipped with a threshing floor usually of heavy-duty boards, but sometimes of stone where the crop would have been threshed. Later alterations to the barn, principally the insertion of high-level windows, seem to coincide with the construction of the cattle shelter, and perhaps indicate that the barn was converted for use as a cattle shed at around this time. Its relatively short-lived stint as a threshing barn is perhaps unsurprising given the widespread adoption of mechanised threshing in the late 19th century.
- 7.2 The general arrangement of cattle shelters arranged around a yard is typical of the period. Over-wintering cattle in yards facilitated the production of manure, which was then turned out onto the fields to increase crop yields. The adaptation of the cattle shed for use as a dairy probably took place in the first half of the 20th century and reflects a shift of focus towards milk production. Ultimately however, the introduction of large tractors and other machinery, coupled with changing landscape use from pastoral to arable, has led to the obsolescence of the buildings.

8.0 DEPOSITION OF THE ARCHIVE

8.1 The project archive will be deposited with Winchester Museum under the site code GIL18. The archive will comprise all survey material collected and produced in undertaking the project.

9.0 ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

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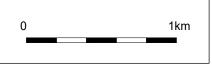


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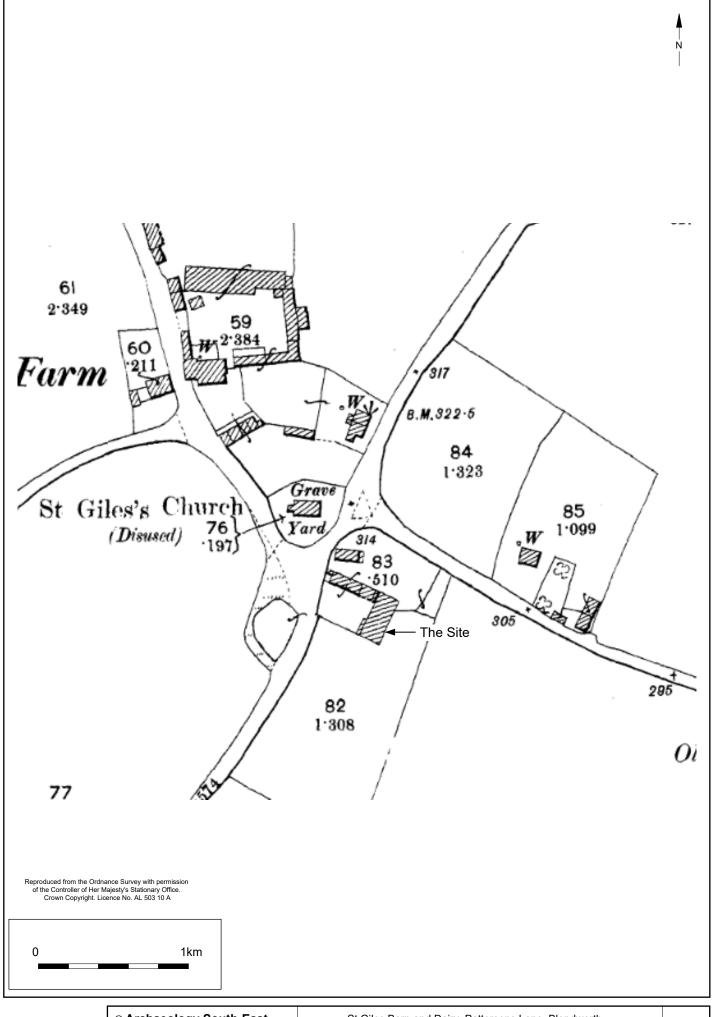




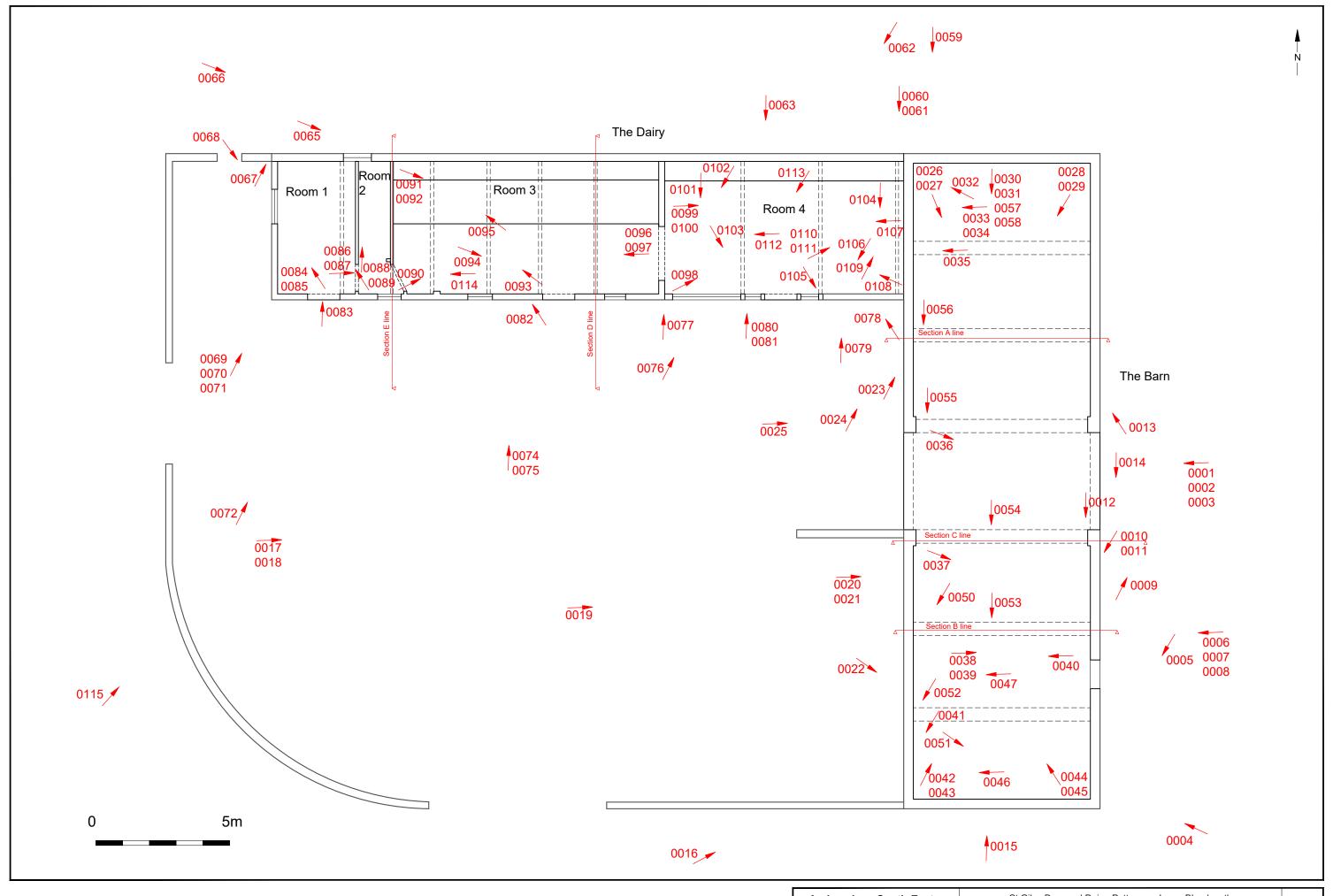
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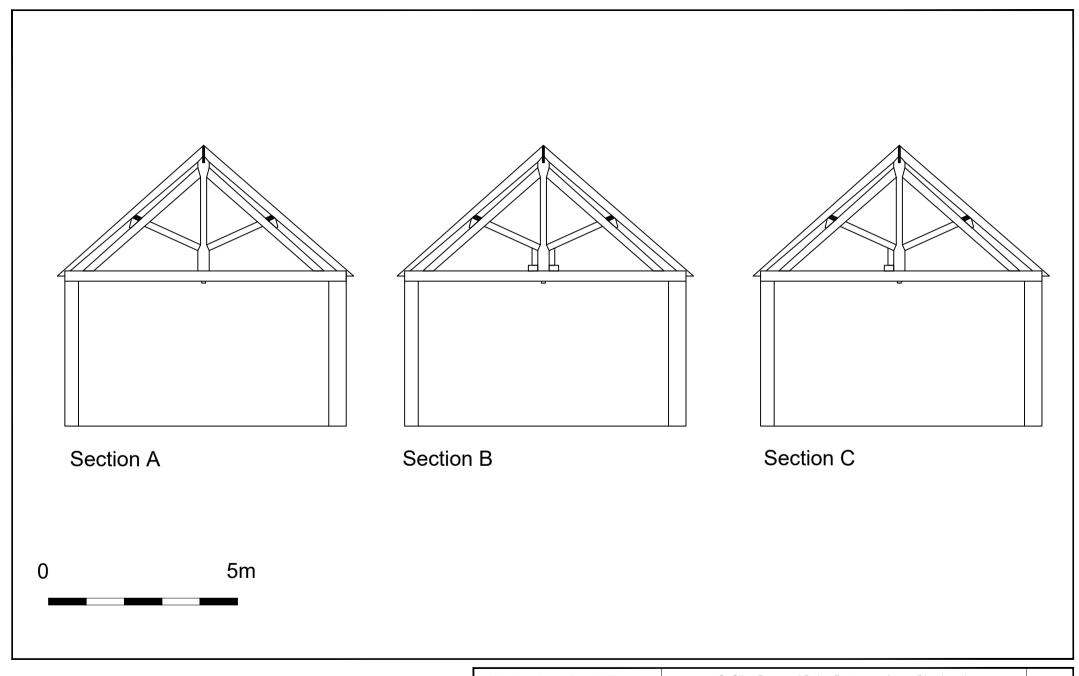
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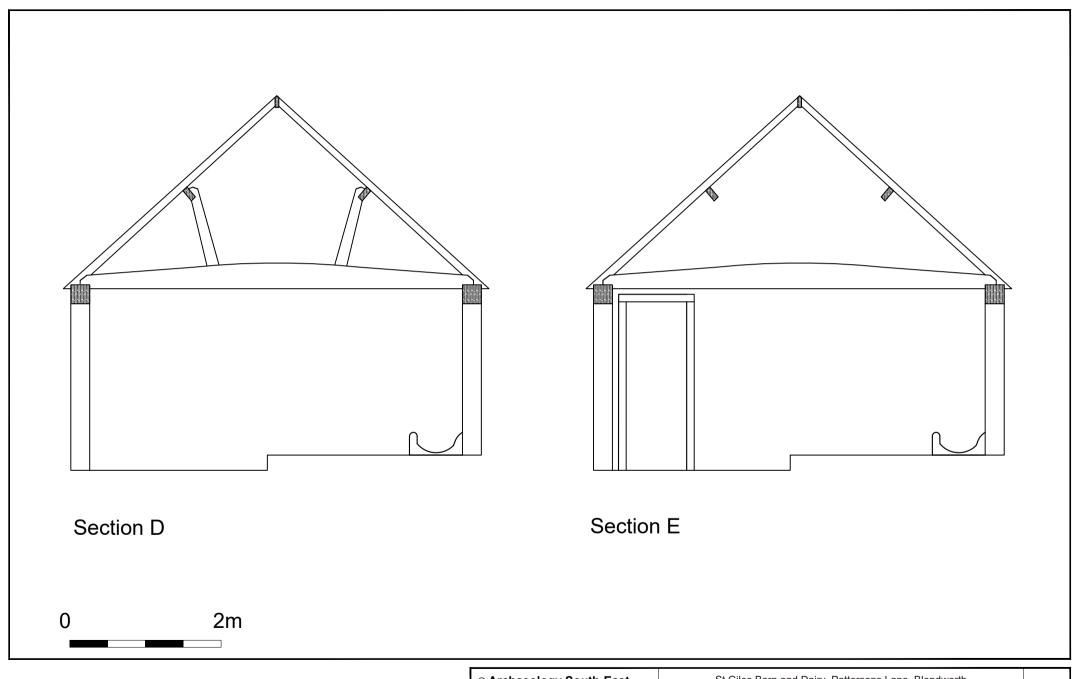
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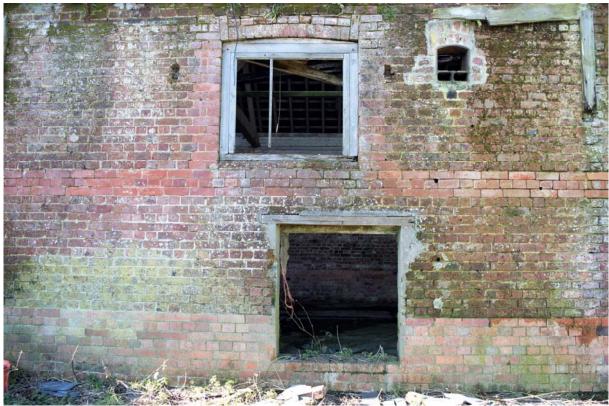


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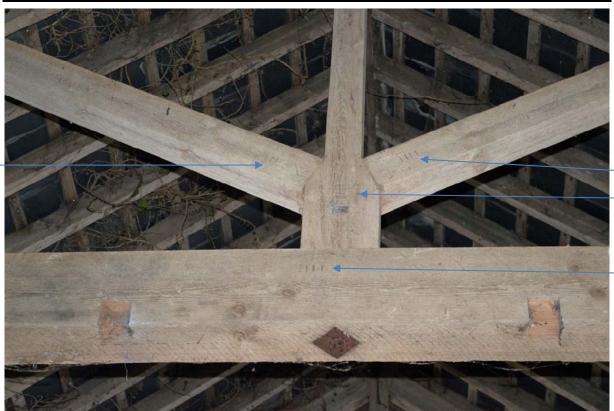


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Appendix 1: Oasis Form

OASIS ID: archaeol6-310006

Project details

Project name St Giles Farm Barn and Dairy, Pattersons Lane, Blendworth, Hampshire

project

Short description of the In February 2018 Archaeology South-East carried out a historic buildings record (Historic England Level 3) of the barn and former dairy building at St Giles Farm, Blendworth, Hampshire. The work was commissioned by Sutcliffe Consulting, prior to the conversion of the buildings for residential use. The current barn is mid-/late 19th century in date though there is evidence for an earlier building on the site, as shown by the historic mapping and the presence of earlier brickwork at the base its walls. The dairy is a later addition, built between 1880 and 1897 according to historic mapping. Changing agricultural practice has largely rendered the buildings redundant: the farm no longer maintains a dairy herd and the barn is not a practical size for the storage of modern oversized machinery. However, the buildings fit well with the rural setting of Blendworth village and conversion to residential habitation will ensure the continued use of the buildings. ASE returned to the site in March 2018 to archaeologically monitor groundworks associated with the conversion of the barn. No significant archaeological deposits, features or finds were encountered during the archaeological monitoring.

Start: 16-02-2018 End: 06-04-2018 Project dates

Previous/future work No / Yes

Any associated project

reference codes

GIL18 - Sitecode

Any associated project

reference codes

SDNP/15/01897/FUL - Planning Application No.

Type of project **Building Recording**

Site status National Park

BARN Post Medieval Monument type Monument type **DAIRY Post Medieval**

""Measured Survey"",""Photographic Survey"" Methods & techniques

Prompt Planning condition

Project location

Country **England**

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Study area 0 Square metres

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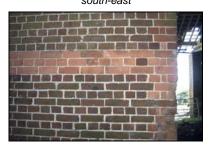
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Appendix 3: Archaeological monitoring during conversion works to the barn

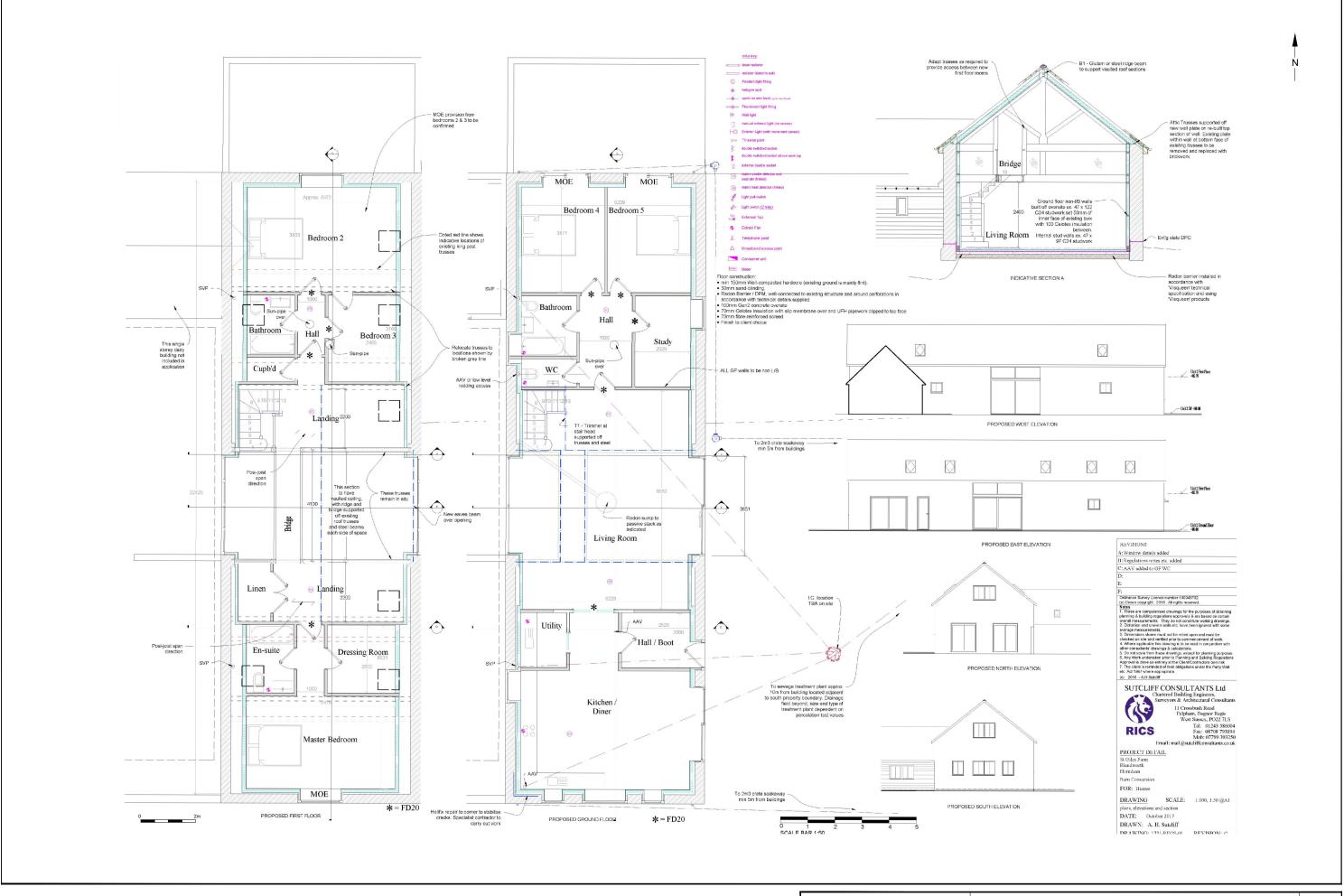
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A visit was made to the site on 29th March 2018 to observe the mechanical excavation of service trenches within and adjacent to St. Giles Farm Barn, Blendworth, Hampshire (Appendix 3.1).

Within the structure trenches measuring 450mm in width and a maximum of 400mm in depth were excavated. The only deposit encountered was an orangey brown silty clay made ground, context [001], which contained a high concentration of angular flints, interpreted as the *hoggin* base for a recently removed concrete floor.

Outside of the barn, the trench remained 450mm in width, but deepened to a maximum of 900mm. Two deposits were recorded - a 750mm thick, mid-greyish brown to mid-brown silty clay made ground, context [002], which contained brick rubble, timber, plastic and metalwork, all of recent origin. This directly overlay the 'natural' brownish orange clay, context [003].

No significant archaeological deposits, features or finds were encountered during the archaeological monitoring.



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