HOOKED TAG

Unique ID: KENT-97F211

Object type certainty: Certain Workflow status: Published

Large silver trefoil hooked tag. Triangular backplate with pinked outline, and three applied bosses, each decorated with applied filigree and knop decoration in circles. At the centre, attached by a dome headed pin with butterfly (or split-pin) attachment on the back, is a small flower-shaped corolla made from silver sheet. Front gilded. On the back, rectangular bar attachment (bent) and recurving pin.

16th Century.

Notes:

A large and rather crude version of a type commonly reported through the Act: compare Treasure Annual Report 2005-6, nos. 659, 663-4.

As such, due to its age and precious metal content, this object qualifies as Treasure under the stipulations of the Treasure Act 1996.

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Treasure details

Treasure case tracking number: 2008T661

Chronology

Broad period: POST MEDIEVAL Period from: POST MEDIEVAL Period to: POST MEDIEVAL Date from: Circa AD 1500

Date to: AD 1600

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Length: 24.8 mm Width: 21.4 mm Thickness: 8.1 mm

Weight: 6.3 g

Discovery dates

Date(s) of discovery: Sunday 26th October 2008

Personal details

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Other reference numbers

Treasure case number: 2008T661

Materials and construction

Primary material: Silver Completeness: Complete

Spatial metadata

Region: South East (European Region)
County or Unitary authority: Kent (County)

District: Ashford (District)

Parish or ward: Westwell (Civil Parish)

Spatial coordinates

4 Figure: TR0047

Four figure Latitude: 51.18722493 Four figure longitude: 0.86055892

1:25K map: TR0047 1:10K map: TR04NW

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 1000 metre square.

Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector General landuse: Cultivated land