TOKEN

Unique ID: SOM-D96DC2

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

Post Medieval copper alloy token farthing issued by John Sprake in Taunton, Somerset, 1648-1672 AD; Williamson (1891:991), Somerset 282.

Notes:

Obverse description: A pair of hanging scales

Obverse inscription: *[IOHN] . S[PR]AK[E . IN . TANTON] Reverse description: Initials arranged in a triangle .S.//I.G

Reverse inscription: * IN . SOMERSET . [SHIER]

Die axis measurement: 6 o'clock

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

${\bf Chronology}$

Broad period: POST MEDIEVAL Period from: POST MEDIEVAL Date from: Exactly AD 1648 Date to: Exactly AD 1672

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Thickness: 0.8 mm Weight: 0.98 g Diameter: 15.7 mm

Personal details

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Other reference numbers

Other reference: SCC receipt 22364

Materials and construction

Primary material: Copper alloy

Manufacture method: Struck or hammered

Completeness: Complete

Spatial metadata

Region: South West (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: Somerset (County)

District: <u>Sedgemoor</u> (District)
To be known as: Chedzoy

Spatial coordinates

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 0.01 metre square.

Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector General landuse: Cultivated land

Boyne, W., 1889 Trade Tokens Issued in the Seventeenth Century in England, Wales and Ireland

London: Rare Books Club 991, 282