COIN

Unique ID: WREX-7C0FB5

Object type certainty: Certain Workflow status: Published

A broken and worn medieval silver penny of Henry I (1100-1135), 'quatrefoil and piles' type (c.AD1111; BMC Type 7; North 863), moneyer: uncertain, mint: Oxford. Ref: North 1994: 197.

Obverse: bust of the king facing, crowned and diademed with the legend HENRI [REX]. The reverse: quatrefoil with piles type with four semi-circles and four piles alternating, each pile surmounted by an annulet. The reverse legend reads []N OXINEF. Moneyer is unknown.

Diameter: 19.28mm; Weight: 1.2g

Find of note status

This is a find of note and has been designated: County / local importance

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: MEDIEVAL Period from: MEDIEVAL Period to: MEDIEVAL

Date from: Exactly AD 1111
Date to: Exactly AD 1111

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1 Weight: 1.2 q

Diameter: 19.28 mm

Discovery dates

Date(s) of discovery: Friday 9th March 2018 - Friday 8th June 2018

Personal details

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Other reference numbers

Other reference: Wrexham Museum Entry form No. 1362

Materials and construction

Primary material: Silver Completeness: Incomplete

Spatial metadata

Region: North West (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: Cheshire West and Chester (Unitary Authority)

District: Cheshire West and Chester (Unitary Authority)

To be known as: Aldford

Spatial coordinates

Grid reference source: From finder

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 0.01 metre square.

Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector

Discovery circumstances: Found while metal detecting.

North, J.J., 1994 English Hammered Coinage: Volume I. Early Anglo-Saxon to Henry III, c. 600-1272

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