

TOKEN

Unique ID: OXON-8E0436

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A worn copper alloy trade token of Henry Whitell of Reading, dated (AD) 1656. The obverse of the token depicts a dairymaid holding a plunger shaft in a churn, possibly churning butter (Norweb volume I type 3.1.25). HENRY WHITEELL / [IN] READING 1656. Norweb (Berkshire) no.189. This is the first trade token of Henry Whitell recorded on this database.

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: POST MEDIEVAL

Period from: POST MEDIEVAL

Period to: POST MEDIEVAL

Date from: Exactly AD 1656

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Thickness: 0.5 mm

Weight: 0.6 g

Diameter: 15 mm

Personal details

Found by: This information is restricted for your login.

Recorded by: Miss Anni Byard

Identified by: Miss Anni Byard

Other reference numbers

Other reference: 2019.054

Materials and construction

Primary material: Copper alloy

Manufacture method: Struck or hammered

Completeness: Complete

Spatial metadata

Region: [South East](#) (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: [West Berkshire](#) (Unitary Authority)

District: [West Berkshire](#) (Unitary Authority)

Parish or ward: [Great Shefford](#) (Civil Parish)

Spatial coordinates

4 Figure: SU3975

Four figure Latitude: 51.4726262

Four figure longitude: -1.43988537

1:25K map: SU3975

1:10K map: SU37NE

Grid reference source: Centred on field

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 10 metre square.

Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector

General landuse: Cultivated land