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AJ34

Focus 1 9774	Dor 1992	Fld 16	Sq AJ34	Loc. type WALL - Fieldstone
Open Date 20/07/92	High at 16.38	Low at 16.38	Seals: _____	
Close Date 20/07/92	High at 15.85	Low at 15.70	Sealed by: _____	
Floor: type	Width	Vol	Locl 9121?	
Length 0.6	Remove	Drawn? JRZ	above	
Photo #(1) 87119	Photo #(2)		Locl	
Written by: S.F.B	Checked by:		below	

Unit	Phase	Stage	Stratum	PoM
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Summary

Opened: BAULK LEFT BY PREVIOUS EXCAVATION WAS CLEANED REVEALING A WALL/FOUNDATION BENEATH ASHLAR IN N.E. CORNER OF SQ. AJ34. NAMED L9774

Limits (N) L9121/L9124 N. OF TOP ASHLAR. NOT EXCAVATED BELOW THAT

(S) W9085

(E) L9205 EXCAVATED IN 1987

(W) L9121/L9124: W. OF TOP ASHLAR DOWN TO 16.15 ELEV. UNEXCAVATED BELOW THAT

Closed: NOT CLOSED. WEST SIDE OF LOWER PORTION OF W9774

Matrix: SANDSTONE ASHLAR SET ON FOUNDATION(?) OR EARLIER WALL(?) OF ROUGH FIELD STONES. AS THERE IS NO CEMENT FROM W9085 ON EITHER ASHLAR OR FIELD STONES, LOWER STONES ARE ALMOST SURELY A FOUNDATION.

Relations: ABOVE: ? BELOW: W9774 OVERLIES UNEXCAVATED MATERIAL WHICH CONTINUES MATRIX OF L9750 AND POSSIBLY L9205.

NORTH: W9774 CUTS UNEXCAVATED MATERIAL WHICH POSSIBLY CONTINUES MATRIX OF L9205. WEST: UNEXCAVATED; RELATIONS UNKNOWN. SOUTH: W9774 REACHES W9085. EAST: W9774 EITHER

IS REACHED BY OR CUTS L9205. IF THERE IS AN E-W ROBBER TRENCH RUNNING ALONG W9085 AS SUGGESTED BY CARD L9205,

L9205 REACHES W9774.

SIMPLEST SCENARIO SEEMS TO BE THAT LOWER PORTION OF FIELD STONES IS A FOUNDATION FOR ASHLAR WHICH WAS PART OF WALL, PAVEMENT, OR OTHER INSTALLATION ASSOCIATED WITH W9085

Note: If the field stones are a foundation they may well cut 9205 + 9750. ON MORE CAREFUL EXAMINATION, I AM SURE THEY DO. - SB

Note 2: Elevations of W9774 (ashlar) on cards for L9121 + L9124 do not match well with elevations taken in 92 or elevations on separations. Note 3: Top ashlar probably = W9125, W9774 should be field stones

Additional Observations/Value: SEEMS OF LITTLE VALUE UNLESS MORE EVIDENCE IS FOUND TO THE NORTH.

