BOTTLE

Unique ID: MAS-D100207

Object type certainty: Certain Workflow status: Published

Long necked glass bottle in clear or aqua marine glass. Overall height of 210 mm from base to finish, the height of body from base to shoulder being 120 mm. The finish being of the applied style, bearing a ring of glass approximately 15 mm wide over a further ring extending a further 5-10 mm down the neck. The base of the vessels exhibits a slightly concave punt <10 mm deep. In profile the body appears to be of a flattened hexagon shape, approximately 70 mm wide. the largest pane of the hexagonal shape being 45 mm across. The contraction from body to neck is severe, narrowing to 30 mm in only 10 mm of height, the contraction being convex in shape. The exterior of the neck is 30 mm wide at its base, tapering to 20 mm where it meets the finish. the finish being approximately 25 - 30 mm across. The body bears the inscription of C & B embosed near the base of the largest pane of the hexagon. The intended use of the vessel is unclear, being of a fairly unique design, and may relate to medicinal products or possibly the bottling of gin. No exact details of the company or product to which the logo C & B relates can be ascertained at this time. As it was found with mid to late 19th century finds, it implies a probable date of this period. The verall condition is good as the vessel is complete, though there is soe evidence of encrustation along one side of the body.

Notes:

This item was found with a tobacco pipe (MAS-D100205) and four stonewear bottles (MAS-D100206). These items were recovered from an undesignated wreck known locally as the Mindoro, though no records are available online relating to such a wreck.

Subsequent actions

Current location of find: With finder

Wreck details

Droit number: 240/18

Chronology

Broad period: POST MEDIEVAL

Period from: NINETEENTH CENTURY

Period to: MODERN

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1 Height: 210 mm Width: 70 mm

Discovery dates

Date(s) of discovery: Tuesday 28th August 2018

Personal details

Found by: This information is restricted for your login.

Recorded by: PT

Other reference numbers

NRHE monument number: N/A

Droit ID: 240/18

Materials and construction

Primary material: Glass Completeness: Complete

Spatial metadata

County or Unitary authority: Kent (County)

Spatial coordinates

4 Figure: TR3535

Four figure Latitude: 51.0662013 Four figure longitude: 1.35272976

1:25K map: TR3535 1:10K map: TR33NE

Display four figure position on What3Words

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 1 metre square.

Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Diving

Discovery circumstances: Mindoro (Unknown Wreck), 5 miles off Dover

Current location: With finder