

NAME Appleshaw
PARISH Appleshaw
HUNDRED Andover
DISTRICT Test Valley
NGR SU 303490
GEOLOGY River gravels

SITE CONTEXT The street through the village follows the valley bottom at slightly under 100m OD. Alongside the road runs a small stream flowing SE. The valley sides rise to 50m OD to the W and, more sharply to 60m OD to the E.

PLAN TYPE & DESCRIPTION Irregular row with green.

The W side of the street has an irregular row that stretched the length of the settlement. The church is sited at the N end of the village to the E of the street and although of C19 build, is probably on the site of an earlier chapel. The two properties to the S of the church appear to be encroachment upon the edge of the green but there are some slight earthworks along the E edge of the green and may indicate that occupation continued between the church and the main area of the settlement at the S end of the green. This area fronts onto the green at its N end then steps forward to the road at the end of the green. Most of the plots are of irregular size and shape and some appear to either be division at the back of a larger plot with access up the side of the earlier property, or are plots added onto the back of the toft facing the green. The manor house is to the N of the church and is effectively the last building at the N of the village.

AREAS OF ARCHAEOLOGICAL POTENTIAL

The AAP includes all land either side of the road and green from just S of the church to the tightly grouped area of houses at the S end of the green. The area of the church and the group of plots at the S end of the green are AHAPs. The church is likely to have been rebuilt on the site of the medieval chapel which may have formed a focus for occupation. The tight cluster of properties at the S end of the green also stands out as being different from the rest of the plan and also may represent an early focus with later infill along the roadside between the two centres.

CHURCH & CHURCHYARD 1830-1. Formerly a chapel attached to Amport. Separated 1866 (VCH Vol IV p 358). The churchyard is a small rectangle.

BUILDINGS

(Listed)

Manor House Early C19 II
Manor House Lodge Early C19 II
Church of St Peter 1830 on an old site II
Churchyard wall and gate Early C19 II
Rosehill Late C18 and C20 additions II
Granary 10m E and stables 30m E of Rosehill Early C19 II
Iron Pear Tree Cottages Once 1 C17 with late C18 cladding II
Long Cottage Former range of cottages, now 1 Late C18 with mid C19 alts II
Jasmine Cottage C17 with late C18 cladding II
Purton Cottage Late C18 II
Redthorn Cottage Late C18 with C20 alterations II
Pear Tree Cottage Late C18 II
The Old Vicarage Mid C18 and early C19 II*

Stables 10m N of the Old Vicarage Mid C19 II (GV)
 Walnut Tree Cottage Late C18 II
 Apple Cottage Late C18 II
 Walnut Tree Inn Of late med origin as a hostelry with some C17 framing but mainly
 C19 II
 Forge Cottage Late C18 II
 Hammers Once 2 Late C18 II
 No 1 Rowan Cottages C18 II
 The Thatch Late C18 II
 Hill House Early C18 with early C19 wing II*
 Appleshaw House Late C18 with C20 ext II
 Mead House Early C19 with early C19 alterations II*

SMR DATA

2	30174760	Roman villa
48	30324908	Roman coin find
51	31404890	Neo flint tool Polished axe
53	30504850	BA palstave
82	30304930	BA cairn
83	30304930	Roman ritual site
100	30804965	Linear feature date unknown
108	30154745	Linear feature date unknown AP

ADDITIONAL SITES/FEATURES

1	30304909	Site of farmyard and outbuildings shown on Tithe map
2	30364869	Site of 2 cottages shown on Tithe map
3	30384859	Site of cottage shown on Tithe map
4	30554828	ditto
5	30434863	Slight earthworks to the N of Iron Pear Tree Cottage. Alongside the road to the NE towards Redenham is a slight hollow feature that runs parallel to the road approx. 3-4m from the verge
6	30294902	Slight earthworks and 'humps and bumps', especially near the two house S of the church.
7	30764939	Site of cottage shown on Tithe map near Manor Fm
8	30674941	ditto
9	30714937	ditto

CARTOGRAPHIC SOURCES 1:2,500 SU 3048-3148, 3049-3149; Tithe map 21M65/F7/7/2 (1838).

AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHS

BIBLIOGRAPHY

PRIMARY HISTORIC SOURCES

Domesday Not mentioned. Probably included in Cholderton.

Subsidy Rolls

1334	not recorded
1524	2. 0. 6 (15 taxpayers)

Manorial Documents

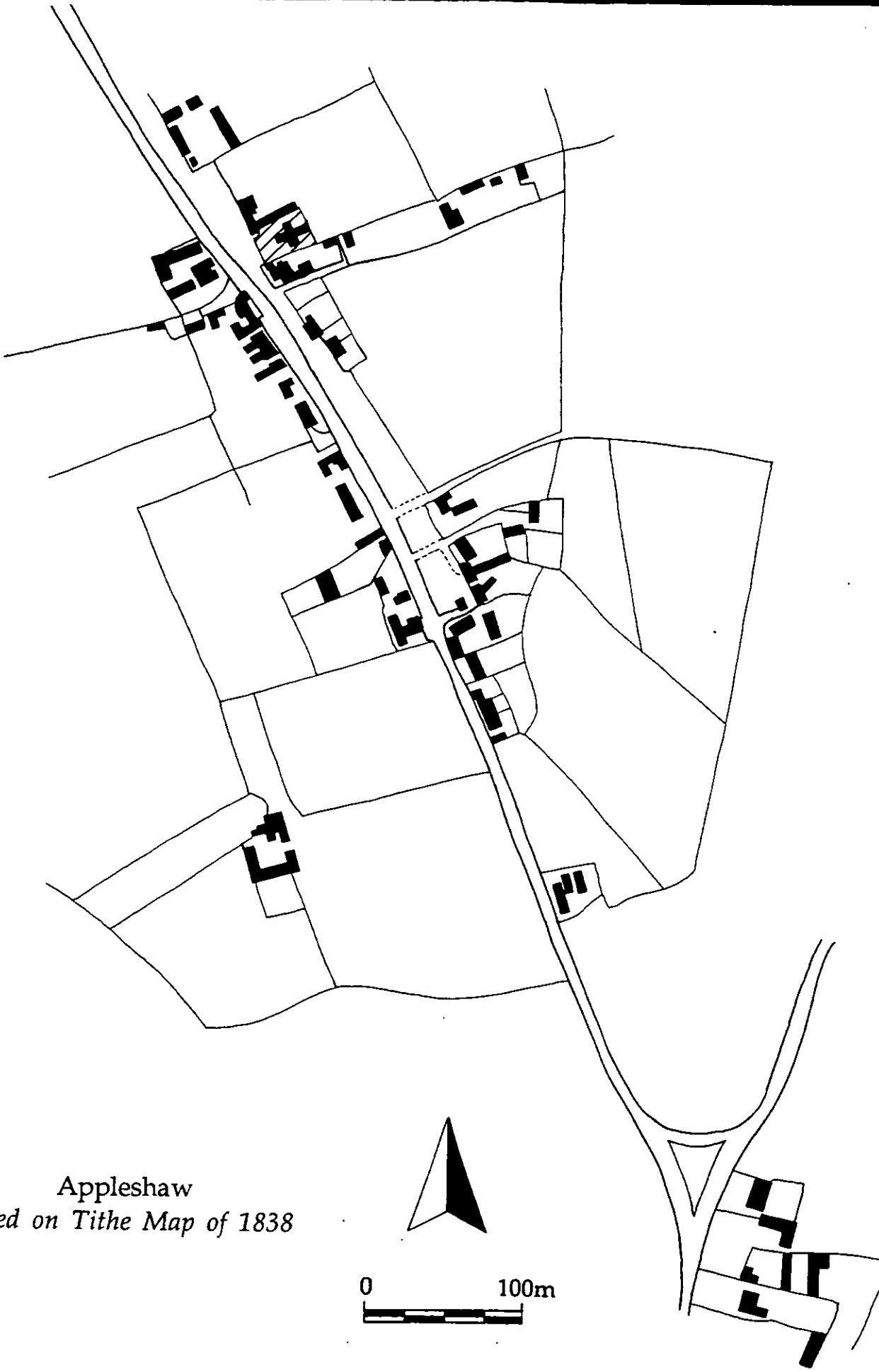
Hearth Tax

1665 23 hearths chargeable (16 houses)
 37 hearths not chargeable (34 houses) Total 50 houses

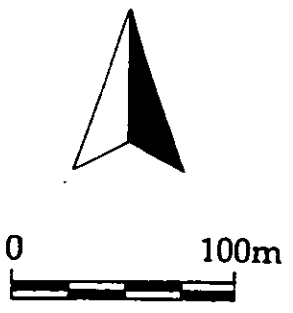
PLACE NAME 1200 *Appelsag*, c. 1250 *Appelschage* OE/ME *Æppelsceaga* 'apple wood or strip of woodland'. Probably referring to crab apples rather than a managed orchard as element uncommon in S.

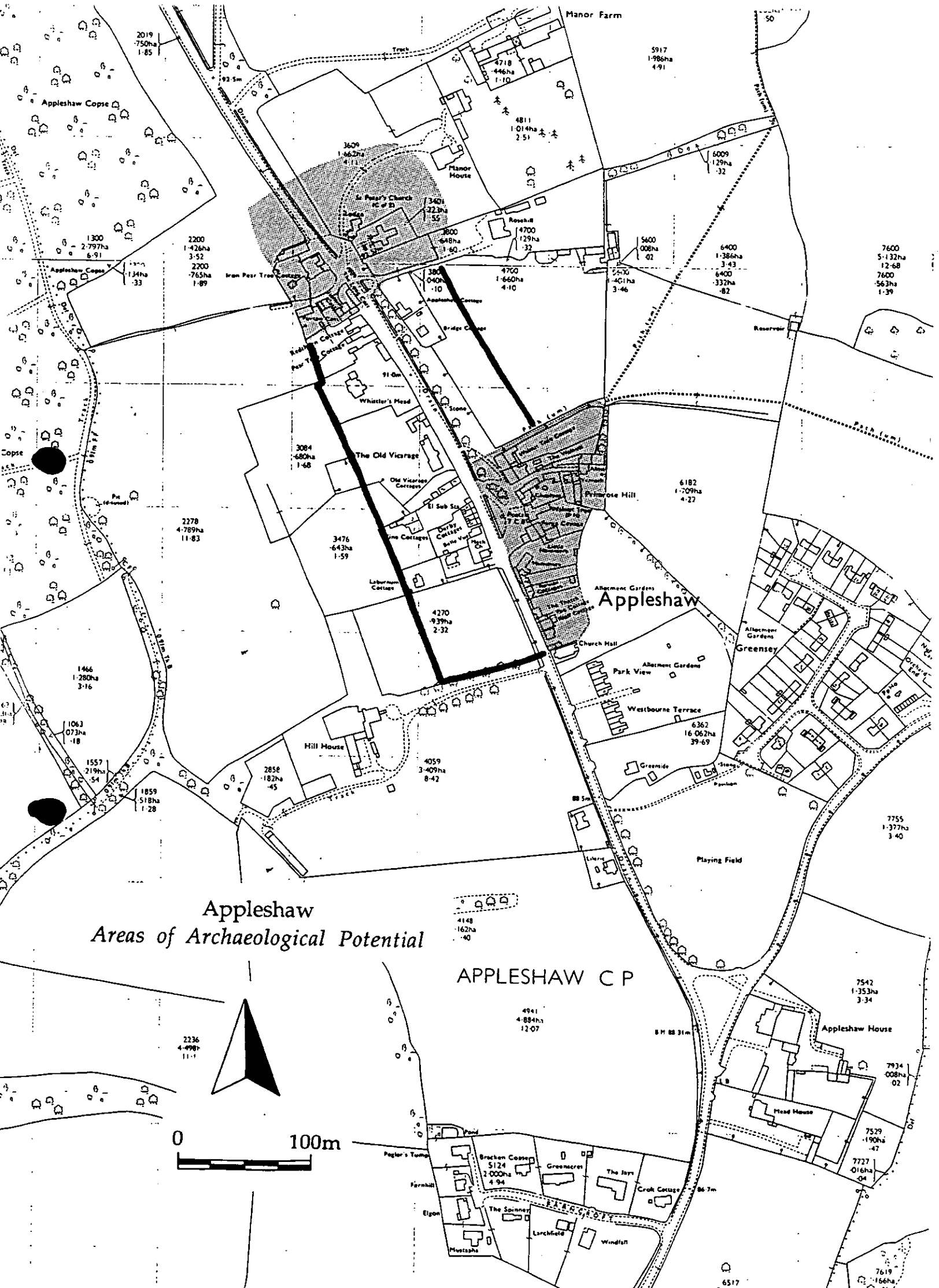
PHOTOGRAPHS

OTHER PROJECT ARCHIVE ELEMENTS



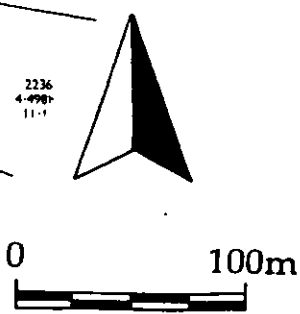
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Based on Tithe Map of 1838





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