

NAME Tangley  
PARISH Tangley  
HUNDRED Pastrow  
DISTRICT Test Valley  
NGR SU 334525  
GEOLOGY Upper chalk

**SITE CONTEXT** The two centres of the settlement are situated in similar positions, both on the top of S facing spurs at between 170-180m OD with steep sided valleys to the W and E, the central valley separating the two spurs and the settlements. The church is sited on the E spur and the main area of settlement is on the W spur.

**PLAN TYPE & DESCRIPTION** Polyfocal/Farmstead cluster

There are two centres: one at the church with a few cottages in a short irregular row with some unoccupied plots which suggest that there has been some encroachment onto the arable strips running along the line of the valley. The second centre to the W and across the valley consists of 2 farms, a public house and a few cottages in an irregular row.

#### AREAS OF ARCHAEOLOGICAL POTENTIAL

The area around the church lies within an AHAP as it is possible that there was a manor or magnate farmstead near it if not any major focus of settlement.

The AAP covers the area of the two C19 farms and the groups of cottages, some of which have disappeared but also extends alongside the road to the church. The C19 plan shows some cottages on what appear to be the ends of arable strips and the AAP allows for the possibility that the amount of encroachment was greater than is apparent from the Tithe map. The farms, Manor Farm and Home Farm may be the two C14 manors recorded for Tangley or alternatively one of the manors may have been near the church.

**CHURCH & CHURCHYARD** St Thomas. Norman window in E wall of chancel. Is it *in situ*? Apse of 1875 built on Norman foundations. Apse arch partly original. Rest of church 1875 except the W steeple of 1898.

A chapel was consecrated here 1305-16 as the parishoners complained of delay of a funeral at mother church of Faccombe. The graveyard was not consecrated then (VCH Vol IV p 326).

#### BUILDINGS

(Listed)

Hatherden House, Hatherden Late C18, early C19 and mid C20 II  
Hatherden Manor Fmhse Early C19 II  
Hatherden Cottage Late C18 extended C19 II  
School Late C18, 1860 early and late C20 II  
Church 1857 II

Michaelmas House Built as the vicarage 1860 II  
 Shepherds Croft C17 with late C18 cladding II  
 The Hamster PH Late C18 with C20 rear ext II  
 Hatherden Fmhse Early C19 II  
 Little Goddards Originally a 3-bay timber-frame of c. 1600 but only fragmentary remains. Early C19 cladding II  
 Goddards Farmhse Late C18 with C20 rear ext II  
 Pigeon House Farmhse C17, mainly late C18 with C20 addition II  
 Barn 30m N of Pigeon Fmhse C18 II  
 Benchmark Cottage, Little Hatherden Timber-framed origin re-clad c. 1800 II  
 The Cricketer's Arms, Tangley Early C19 II  
 Fairground Cottage Late C18 II  
 Lower Green Farmhouse Early C19 II  
 Church of St Thomas II\*  
 Elm Tree Cottage and Hedgerows, Wildhern Former terrace of 6 now 2 C17 with C18 cladding II  
 Leyswood Once 3 Originally a 3-bay timber-frame of c. 1600 II  
 The Covey Once 2 Late C18 II  
 Walnut Cottage Late C18 with C20 ext II  
 Starlings Mid C18 II  
 Wilton Late C18 with late C19 and C20 exts II  
 Old Plough Farmhouse Late C18 II  
 Charlton Down Fmhse C18 II

(Un-listed)

#### SMR DATA

3	33415245	Med church
4	33805234	Roman rd
8	32585232	Negative evidence

#### ADDITIONAL SITES/FEATURES

1	33445245	Site of cottage shown on Tithe map
2	33325263	Site of a large outbuilding built around three sides of a yard with a cottage to the SW shown on Tithe map
3	32435277	Site of cottage shown on Tithe map with the site of another cottage to the W. The first cottage was sited in what today appears to be a 'quarry'
4	37005277	Site of cottage shown on Tithe map
5	32975275	ditto with outbuildings to S
6	32715285	Site of outbuilding shown on Tithe map
7	32685281	Site of 2 detached cottages shown on Tithe map
8	32755255	Site of cottage shown on Tithe map
9	32715257	Site of outbuilding shown on Tithe map
10	32955258	Earthworks. 'Humps and bumps' E of Manor Fm buildings with a linear bank representing the boundary

shown on the OS map. Most of the earthworks are to  
the N of this boundary  
11 33005263 Slight traces of 2 lynchets

CARTOGRAPHIC SOURCES 1:2,500 SU 3252-3352; Tithe map 21M65/F7/230/2  
(1838).

AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHS

BIBLIOGRAPHY

PRIMARY HISTORIC SOURCES

**Domesday** Not mentioned - probably recorded under Faccombe.

**Subsidy Rolls**

1334	2. 1. 8/2f
1524	1. 17. 10 (20 taxpayers)

**Manorial Documents**

**Hearth Tax**

1665	45 hearths chargeable (25 houses) 12 hearths not chargeable (12 houses) Total 37 houses
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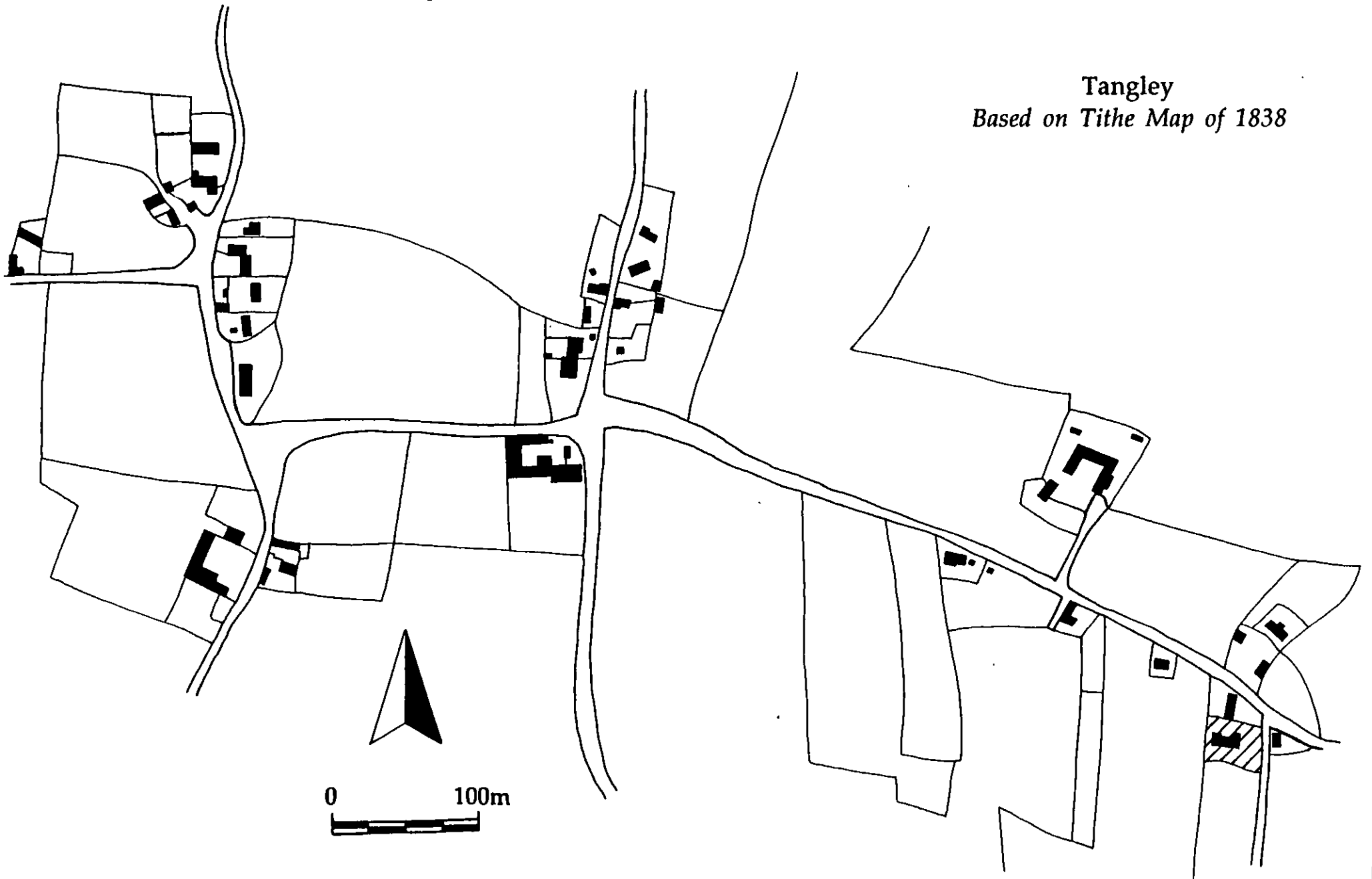
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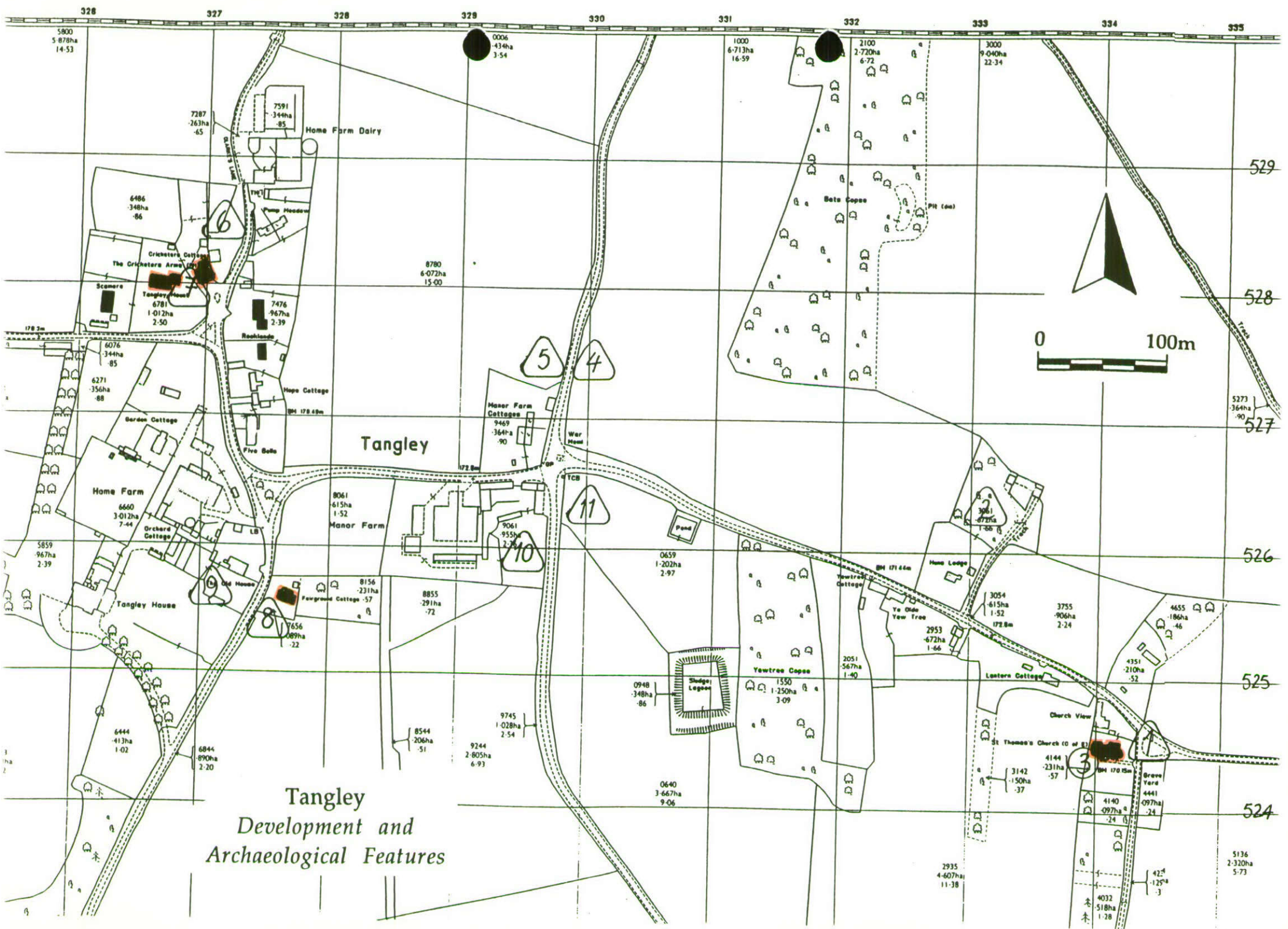
PHOTOGRAPHS

OTHER PROJECT ARCHIVE ELEMENTS

Originally part of Faccombe and probably recorded under that place in DB. 2  
manors by C14 (VCH Vol IV p 326).

Tangley  
Based on Tithe Map of 1838





Tangley  
Development and  
Archaeological Features

