

PLATE III.



KIST AND CIRCLE, DENDLE'S WASTE.

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View looking S., 71° E.

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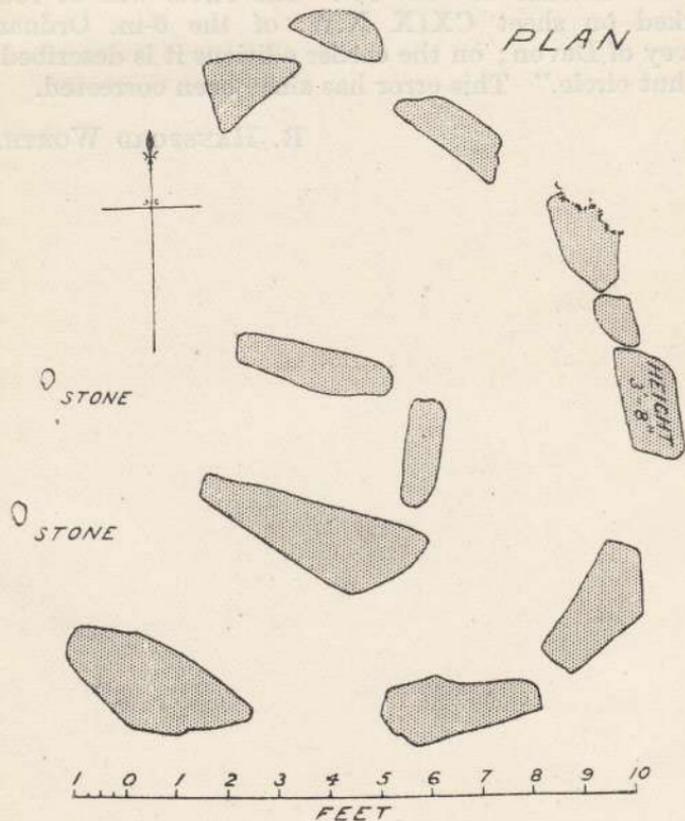
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DENDLES WASTE, CORNWOOD.

IN Dendles Waste, hard by the enclosure wall which parts this from High House Waste, there stands a circle, enclosing the ruins of a kistvaen, of which one end-stone and the cover-stone are missing.



The circle is incomplete; there are now nine stones, and the pits from which two others have been removed are traceable by the small "trigging" stones yet remaining. The internal diameter of the circle is eleven feet and one or two inches. The tallest stone stands 3 ft. 8 in. above the ground, the stoutest stone measures 3 ft. by 1 ft. 9 in. on plan. The whole character is that of a retaining circle around a barrow, but the mound has wholly disappeared.

The kistvaen measures internally 2 ft. 2 in. in width, and was probably 3 ft. 6 in. in length. One side stone has a length of 4 ft. 7 in., and the present depth of the kist is 2 ft. 4 in. It has at some time been opened and pillaged.

The direction of length of the kistvaen is N. 75° W., and thus falls in the usual quadrant.

The plan and view printed as illustrating this Report need no explanation. The location is, longitude $3^{\circ} 57' 2''$, and latitude $50^{\circ} 26' 53''$. The circle will be found marked on sheet CXIX N.W. of the 6-in. Ordnance Survey of Devon; on the earlier editions it is described as a "hut circle." This error has since been corrected.

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