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1. To be returned to Cadw,
Ancient Monuments Branch

Ref.: A-CAM 1/1/1978

2. To be retained

REVISED ENTRY TO THE SCHEDULE OF MONUMENTS COMPILED AND MAINTAINED BY THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY FOR WALES UNDER SECTION 1 OF THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979.

Name of Monument: MAEN HUAIL HISTORIC STONE

Ordnance Survey Map References

County/County Borough:	Denbighshire	1 inch/1:50,000 Sheet No:	116
Community:	Ruthin	6 inch/1:10,000 Sheet No:	SJ15NW
Number of Monument:	DE030(DEN)	25 inch/1:2,500 Sheet No:	SJ1258
Class:	Crosses & Inscribed Stones	N.G.Reference No:	SJ 122 581

REASON FOR REVISION.

To revise the scheduled area to reflect accurately the present position of the stone, which is set back from the pavement, on the east side of Barclays Bank, Castle Street.

The site of the monument is shown on the attached map.

Signed by authority of the Minister of Environment on behalf of the Welsh Assembly Government.



**R W KEVERN
A HIGHER EXECUTIVE OFFICER IN THE
WELSH ASSEMBLY GOVERNMENT**

11 March 2003



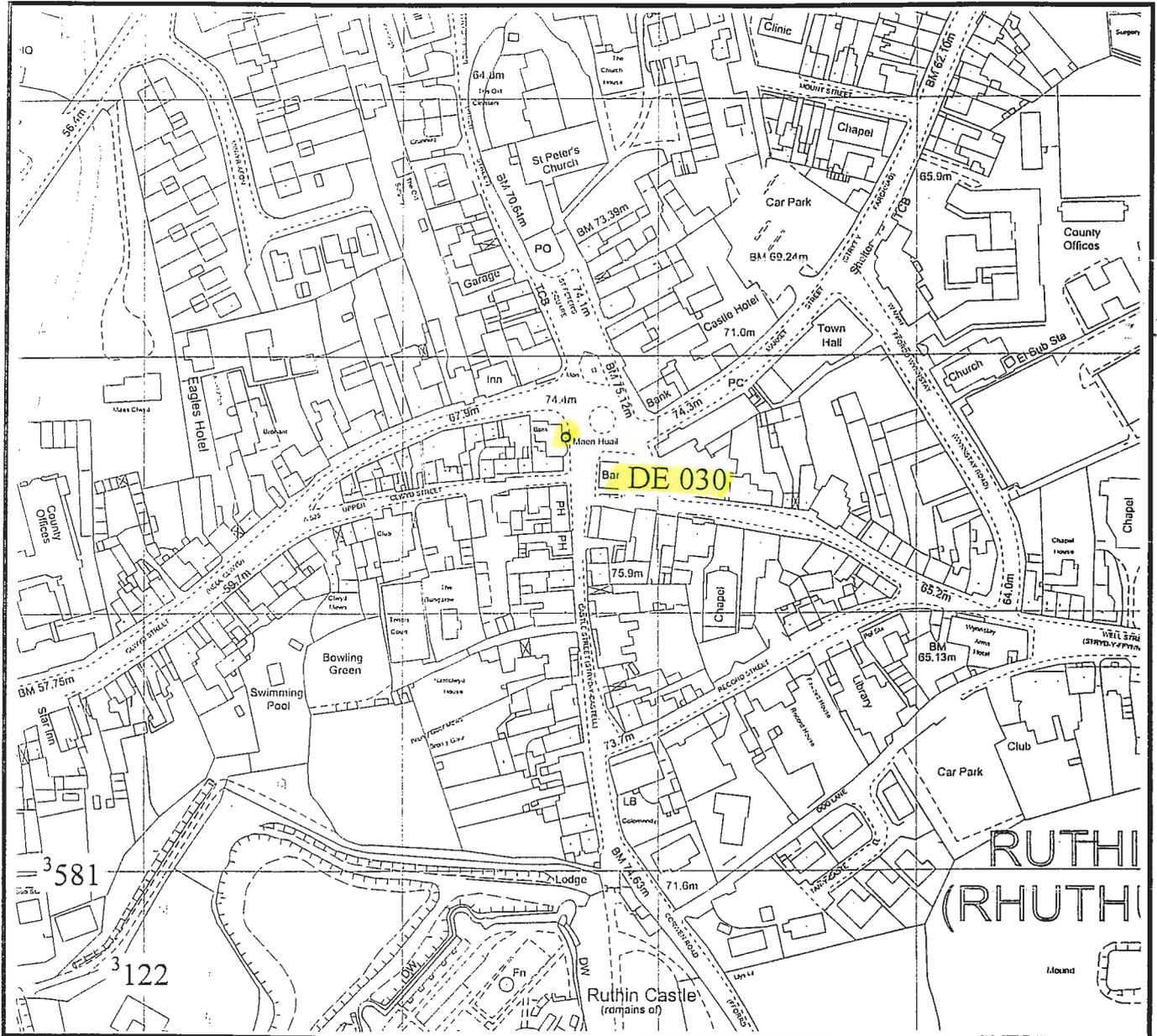


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WELSH HISTORIC MONUMENTS

Ancient Monuments and Archaeological Areas Act 1979

Maen Huail Historic Stone DE 030 (DEN)



This is the Plan referred to in the Scheduling entry dated

11 March 2003

Authorised by the National Assembly for Wales to sign
in that behalf

File No.

CAM 1/1/1978

Extract from OS Sheet No.

SJ 1258

Scale

1:2,500

**Full Management Report - Internal Use
SAM Information Section 1 (General Information)**

SAM No: DE030(DEN)	AI No: 1	File No: 1978	Schedule Ref: 9/1978/DE030(DEN)//R
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SAM Name: Maen Huail Historic Stone

	Traditional	Qualifier	NGR-X	NGR-Y	Scheduled:
NGR	SJ123582	0	312364	358268	Yes
	1:50, 000	1:10, 000	1:2, 500		
Primary	116	SJ15NW	SJ1258		

Additional

Unitary Authority(UA):
Denbighshire

Community:
Ruthin

Area(Ha): 0.01

Primary Class: Crosses and Inscribed Stones
Additional Class:

Summary:

**Full Management Report - Internal Use
SAM Information Section 1 (General Information)**

SAM No: DE030(DEN)	SAM Name: Maen Huail Historic Stone
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Archaeological History:

Events	Name	Date
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Sources:

Type	Collection	Author	Year
Descriptive text	AM107	Ackroyd Bell LM	1999
Title:		Other:	

Type	Collection	Author	Year
Descriptive text	AM107	Ackroyd Bell, L.M.	2006
Title:		Other:	

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Photograph	AM107	Ackroyd Bell, L.M.	2006
Title:		Other:	

Type	Collection	Author	Year
Descriptive text	AM7		
Title:		Other:	

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Photograph	AM107	Bell LM	1989
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Type	Collection	Author	Year
Plan: sketch	AM107	Bell LM	1989
Title:		Other:	

Type	Collection	Author	Year
Map	1:10,000 / 1:2,500		
Title:	Current Scheduled Area	Other:	

Type	Collection	Author	Year
Photograph			
Title:	Denbigh 30	Other:	

**Full Management Report - Internal Use
SAM Information Section 1 (General Information)**

SAM No: DE030(DEN)	SAM Name: Maen Huail Historic Stone
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Title:		Other:	

Type	Collection	Author	Year
Aerial photograph	Aerial Monitoring Programme	RCAHMW	2000
Title:		Other: 2000/5093-50	

**Full Management Report - Internal Use
Archaeological Item Information**

Section 1: General

AI No: DE030A		AI Name: Maen Huail Historic Stone		
Altitude(m): 70	Trust PRN:		Endex PRN: 93295	
Qualifier:	NGR-X:	NGR-Y:		
0	312360	358260		
0	312360	358260		
Sitetype (FMW): Stone				
Period	General: -			Date:
	Specific:			
Sitetype (Broad):			Sitetype (Narrow):	
Broad Class: Commemorative				
Components:				
Status: Scheduled Ancient Monument				
Form: Other structure			Condition: Good	
Proportion SCH: None			Survival within SCH. Area: Complete	
Summary:				

Section 2: Internal use only - A.I. Monitoring

Date	Name	Office	Purpose	Condition
26/07/1989	Bell L M	FMW	Routine	
Land Class On: Other - Monument; Other - Thoroughfare				
Land Class Around: Other - Thoroughfare; Other - Other				
26/07/1989	Bell LM	FMW		Stable
Land Class On: Other - Monument; Other - Thoroughfare				
Land Class Around: Other - Building; Other - Thoroughfare				
31/07/1995	Bell L M	FMW	Routine	Stable
Land Class On: Other - Monument; Other - Thoroughfare				
Land Class Around: Other - Thoroughfare; Other - Other				
21/04/1999	Bell L M	FMW	Routine	Stable
Land Class On: Other - Monument; Other - Thoroughfare				
Land Class Around: Other - Thoroughfare; Other - Building				

Full Management Report - Internal Use
SAM Visit Description Text

SAM No: DE030(DEN)

SAM Name: Maen Huail Historic Stone

Visit Date: 26/07/1989

Visited By: Bell L M

Description Text: Source: Clwyd Archaeological Record. / Maen Huail-Stone with legendry associations. Maen Huail is the name given to a rough block of lime stone situated on the west side of the market square, at the corner of Exmewe Hall. It is traditionally associated with Arthurian legend. Edward Lluyd, in 1699, referred to it as " a flat stone in the middle of the street. "
Source: Clwyd Archaeological record. / A.M.'s. Eng. & Wales. / 1961 / 124 / M.O.W. / F.H. / 13.3.62 / : Scheduled and listed under Burial Mounds and Megalithic Monuments.
Source: Clwyd Archaeological Record. / White, J.H. / F.I. / 8.5.63 / : A tablet reads: " Maen Huail - on which tradition states, King Arthur beheaded Huail brother of Gildas the historian. "

Source: AM107 / Bell, L.M. / F.M.W. / 26.7.1989 / : The stone is situated on the east side of Barclay's Bank. It is set back from the pavement, and mounted on a block of concrete. The stone is surrounded by a rail. A plaque mounted above the stone on the wall of the bank is inscribed: " Maen Huail on which tradition states King Arthur beheaded Huail, brother of Gildas the historian. " The stone measures 0.8.3 M. in height, and 1.1.3 M. by 0.6.7 M. across the upper surface of the stone. It is of a rugged composition with an uneven upper surface. The pavement to the north of the stone provides public access to the main entrance of the bank. The pavement lying to the east of the stone is used by stall holders on market day.

Visit Date: 31/07/1995

Visited By: Bell L M

Description Text: The stone is undisturbed and as described on previous F.M.W. visit.

Visit Date: 21/04/1999

Visited By: Bell L M

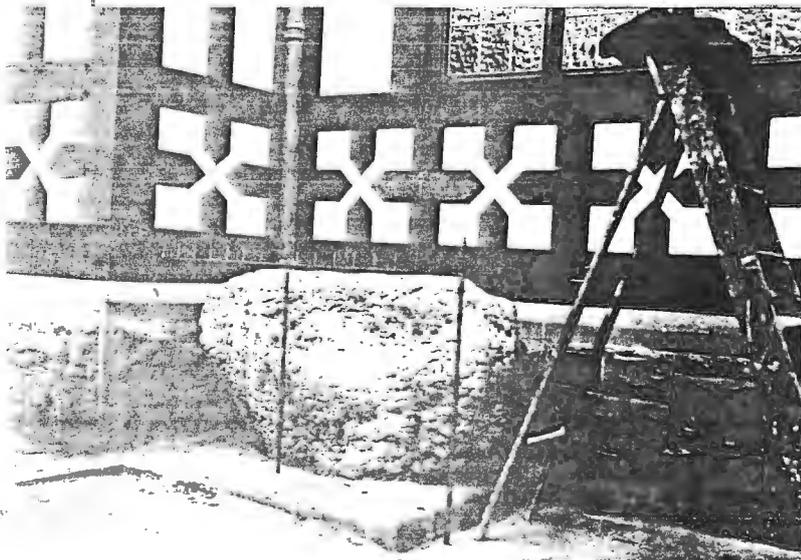
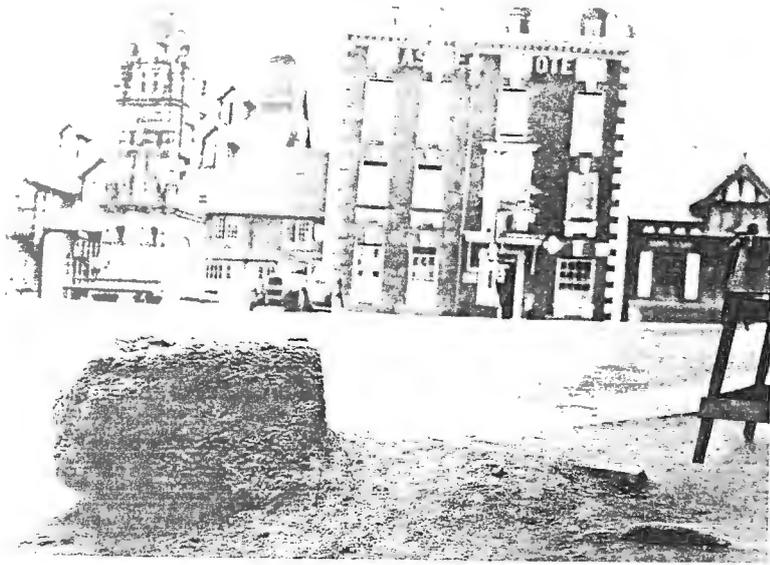
Description Text: The south end of the upper surface of the stone is retaining some rain water. The crevices in the stone are marked by moss.
The remains of the wrought iron railings have been removed from in front of the eastern face of the stone. Maen Huail is supported on a concrete plinth. The pavement surrounding the stone is composed of contemporary patterned brick. A plaque raised on the wall of the bank, above the stone is easily discernible and reads: " Maen Huail " on which tradition states, King Arthur beheaded Huail, brother of Gildas the historian. The plaque is securely fastened to the timber fabric of the building.

Visit Date: 12/09/2006

Visited By: Bell L M

Description Text: The stone is undisturbed and lies on a concrete plinth, set against the wall of Barclays Bank. The upper surface of the stone is supporting some moss.

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Ancient Monuments Record Form

01 Site number	02 Cross reference	03 G.R. number	
04 County Clwyd.	05 County number De 30.	06 Local Authority Glyndwr.	
07 Community Ruthin.	08 NGR SJ 1236 5826	09 Height OD 70	10 File number ANC/1978

11 Site Name
Maen Huail Historic Stone.

12 Description

Maen Huail-Stone with legendary associations. Maen Huail is the name given to a rough block of lime stone situated on the west side of the market square, at the corner of Exmewe Hall. It is traditionally associated with Arthurian legend. Edward Llyud, in 1699, referred to it as " a flat stone in the middle of the street. " <1.>

Scheduled and listed under Burial Mounds and Megalithic Monuments. <2.>

The stone, which is 1.2 m. by 0.6 m., is at SJ 1236 5826.

Tablet reads: " Maen Huail - on which tradition states, King Arthur beheaded Huail brother of Gildas the historian. " <3.>

The stone is situated on the east side of Barclay's Bank. It is set back from the pavement, and mounted on a block of concrete. The stone is surrounded by a rail. A plaque mounted above the stone on the wall of the bank is inscribed: " Maen Huail on which tradition states King Arthur beheaded huail, brother of Gildas the historian. " The stone measures 0.8.3 m. in height, and 1.1.3 m. by 0.6.7 m. across the upper surface of the stone. It is of a rugged composition with an uneven upper surface. The pavement to the north of the stone provides public access to the main entrance of the bank. The pavement lying to the east of the stone is used by stall holders on market day. <4.>

13 Site type/Period – general/Period – specific/Form

Stone / Undated / Structure /

14 Proportion of Site Scheduled/Survival within Scheduled Area/Condition

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15 Area

16 Land Class, on site

/ 8 Monument / 11 Thoroughfare
Pavement. /

17 Land class, around site

/ 11 Thoroughfare. Pavement. Road. /
/ 15 Other. Bank. /

18 Site Status

S.A.M.

19 Area Status

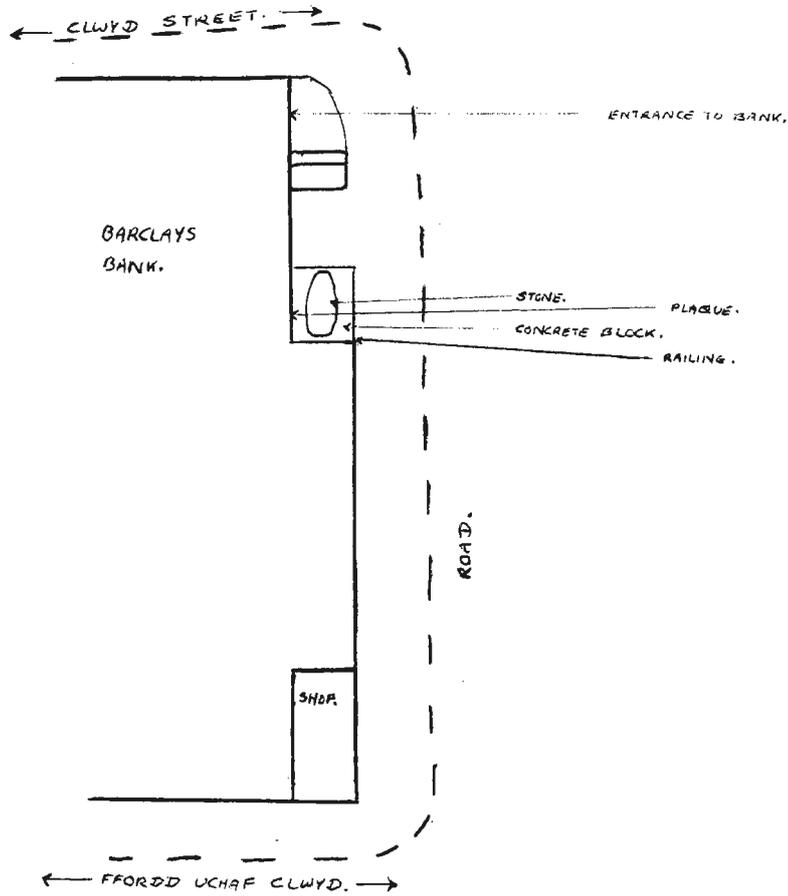
20 Owner(s)

The Manager,
Barclays Bank,
Market Square,
Ruthin,
Clwyd.

21 Occupier(s)

22 Legal Action – See AM107C

23 Works File



Site No: De 30, Site Name: Maen Huail Historic Stone.

25 Assessment of Importance of Monument

26 Scheduling Procedure

Date	/	/19	/Recommended/IAM,
	/	/19	/(Approved (Not Approved/PIAM,
	/	/19	/(Recommended (Not Approved/Ancient Monuments Board
	/	/19	/Notices Sent
	/	/19	/Monument included in Schedule

27 Monument not scheduled, de-scheduled because:

28 Archaeological History: Event/Name/Date

29 Visits: Name/Date

F.H. / 13.3.62 /
 White, J.H. / F.I. / 8.5.63 /
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30 Sources: Source Type/Collection/Author/Date/Title/Other

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04 County Clwyd	05 County number De 30	06 Local Authority Glyndŵr	
07 Parish Ruthin	08 NGR SJ 1236 5826	09 Height OD 70	10 File number ANC/1978

11 Site Name Maen Huail Historic Stone.

12 Description The stone is undisturbed & as described on previous F.M.W. visit. <6.>

13 Site type/Period - general/Period - specific/Form

Stone / Undated / Structure /

14 Proportion of Site Scheduled/Survival within Scheduled Area/Condition

(Sched. area does not correspond with site.) 7 / 1 / B

15 Area

16 Land Class, on site 8 Monument / 11 Thoroughfare. Pavement /

17 Land class, around site 11 Thoroughfare. Pavement; Road. / 15 Other. Bank /

18 Site Status S.A.M.

19 Area Status

25 Assessment of Importance of Monument

26 Scheduling Procedure

Date /	/19	/Recommended/IAM,
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/	/19	/Review by Head of Territorial Branch
/	/19	/(Recommended (Not Approved/Ancient Monuments Board
/	/19	/Notices Sent
/	/19	/Monument included in Schedule

Other Comments:

27 Monument not scheduled, de-scheduled because:

28 Archaeological History: Event/Name/Date

29 Visits: Name/Date

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