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MuckingAdditional textile fragmentsGrave 553Underneath Pleather replacement 715071

Replaced area, 0.8 X 2.5 cm, Fine textile, Z,Z, very even spinning, twill, count 10/10 on 5 mm, i.e. 20/20; in two places one thread passes over three threads of the other system, but it seems most probable this is a heddlng mistake (see fig. .a and b). The piece perhaps comes from a broken diamond, and as its appearance suggests flax and the thread count is near, it may be a fragment of the linen diamond twill from the bucket in this grave (715262, fig.4, p.6 in 1972 report).

Grave 582715098. Iron pin

On head, scrap of replaced string, fibres probably S spun, and two S threads; on shaft, scrap replaced textile, c.1.0 X 0.8 cm, Z,Z, twill, deteriorated.

715099. Iron buckle

Fragments replaced textile, the best area c.1.0 X 0.6 cm, Z,Z, plain weave, count 4/4 on 5 mm.

Grave 584715102. Iron knife

Scrap replaced textile, c.0.9 X 1.0 cm, Z,Z, plain weave, count 5/5 on 5 mm.

715103. Iron buckle

Replaced textile all over underside, area 5.0 X 4.0 cm in folds, another area c.1.8 X 1.0 cm on loop of buckle; Z,Z, fine twill, very regular spinning and weaving, count 12/12 per cm, simple 2/2 diagonal.

715104. Iron pin fragments

Scraps replaced textile, best 0.8 X 1.1 cm, Z,Z, plain weave, count 5/4 on 5 mm, similar to that on 715102.

Grave 579715097. Iron buckle

Scrap replaced textile on ring of buckle c.1.3 X 1.2 cm, Z,Z, twill, count c.5/5 on 5 mm.

Grave 616715122. Iron buckle

Deteriorated replaced textile on ring of buckle, some Z threads.

Grave 631. Iron ring with bronze

Around the iron, remains of fairly coarse replaced textile, weave clear in one place, Z,Z, probably plain weave, count 3/6 threads on 5 mm.

Grave 643. Iron ring fragments

Replaced coarse S threads.

Grave 814727090. Small button brooch

(a) Fragments of replaced fine textile, the largest 0.8 X 0.9 cm, Z,Z, plain weave, count 11/6 on 5 mm, lying in a fold.
 (b) on back of folded fragment, three S twists, Z thread, from fine tablet weave. (c) Fragment 0.5 X 0.4 cm, possibly from pattern centre of braid of which (b) is border, Z spun S twists, with in four places a thick Sply or paired thread passing across the twists, possibly a needle-brocaded pattern; cf. a fragment of tablet-braid with brocading found at Bekebourne, Kent.

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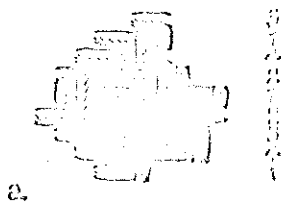
Grave 843

726966. Iron purse fitting (?) with bronze plates

On iron, patch deteriorated threads, ?Z and S.

On bronze, mass deteriorated textile, Z,S, and very fragile replaced fragments: (a) in folds or layers, clear area 1.4 X 0.5 cm, Z,S, twill, count 12(Z)/14(S)(taken as 7 on 5 mm). (b) area 0.5 X 0.4 cm, against metal, four twists probably from edge of tablet-weave, Z spun, twists 1S,3Z, very regular, 6 wefts per 5 mm.

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a. Iron plate (from Gr. 553) b. Iron plate (from Gr. 553)

c. Iron plate (from Gr. 553)

d. Iron plate (from Gr. 553)