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# **ARCHAEOLOGICAL REPORT**

St. Ina's Church South East of New Quay Ceredigion North West of Llanina House SN40412 59827

North West of the St. Ina's Church and Llanina House at the high tide mark; above boulder clay, two pieces of human bone were recorded by Karl-James Langford.

The location of the artefacts was due to erosion from the subsoil above the boulder clay eroding into the sea. Due to the unexpected discovery of the two artefacts, no relevant scale was available for measuring the artefacts.

#### **Detail of artefacts**

- 1. Right Tibia Medial Malleolus (fragment), the bone is that of someone in their late teenage years.
- 2. Left Femur without a fully developed Femoral head; or only to epiphyseal line (growth plate), and the part of the Femoral neck (fragment)

The lack of ossification at the Femoral head on the bone is due the immaturity of the owner, or degenerative bone disease at a young age. In conclusion the bone is that of an infant between 5 and 6 years old.

The human bones were not retained. But placed in spoil beyond the cliff erosion line.

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## FEMUR, St. Ina, Ceredigion



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