

Stratum 9 is the dense, grey clayey ash layer containing mid-19th century materials, charcoal, burned wood, in the southwestern part of the block. It appears to extend 4-5" below the pz, and pz is comprised of same material. This may be some kind of dump or thick sheet midden, but I believe instead that it is capping or filling a subsurface feature such as a cellar or borrow pit.

Stratum 10 This designation was used for a heavy, tan sandy clay loam soil underlying stratum 9. As a profile across this area of the sites is not yet available, Stratum 10 may eventually be merged with other layers. The composition of Stratum 10 appears to be similar to that of stratum 9 except the latter contains ash and charcoal and is more dense, perhaps from having been partly baked.

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