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Neword

A new word is being pondered at the AOW, Academy of Words. Professor Clude Hura, is considering this new word not only for its legal complications but for common use and general understanding.

It all came about when a small tin box was recovered from



digging in the cellar at a local Kittery residence. The resident was contacted by our own Viva Kittery reporter who is doing a story on, "stuff you find digging in your cellar"!!

The box was recovered about 35 inches down and had a date inscribed, 1627, July a few years before the town was founded. Inside hoping to find something of value was a single piece of paper with these words written down: as follows, I could, I would, I should and then the words I dould. **DOULD** was a word either made up by this person in 1627 or it had been dropped in local vernacular. Dould. We know about did, didn't, do and don't, but Dould!

Professor Hurah explained how he thinks it emanated from a Germanic tribal language where English originated. The German word for this he explained is **Derfuklinauk**. Odd but true he explained. It's basically the defaulted truth in common terms, as he went on to say, its meaning to reveal that... neither did i, and in such i didn't and neither

do i and as such I don't. But in absence of either an action or a restrained action Dould was the common reference.

The professor believes that Dould has gone on to become such as, I dunno, dude (used in strained disbelief) as well as the common expression...no way man and he substantiates all his claims in the expression... No way dude. Far out!!! So anyway our Kittery reporter thought you would all want to know, if you could know and if you did or didn't hear of the word to begin with. We are accepting sentences drawn up by Kittery residents who want to celebrate their linguistic heritage by reclaiming this lost word. DOULD!

AS FOUND ON VOVAPEDOA

DOULD — A TRINARY
ALTERNATE STATE: TO NEITHER DID
NOR DIDN'T, AND NOT TO
BE CONFUSED WITH MIGHT OR MAYBE
AS THERE IS NO PROMISE, IMPLIED
OR OTHERWISE, OF ACTION NOR
INACTION.