## WC Cuttings 7 & 7x

## **Cutting 7**

29/07/61. Cutting 7 was laid out in the SW corner of Enclosure A to investigate the possibility of a building site. The cutting (see Fig. XXX Archive) exposed stones standing at the angle of the Enclosure, placed on edge and touching one another. No finds were made, nor any obvious building feature, so investigation stopped. Stones possibly clearance from surrounding areas. Could be corner of 'Celtic' field.

## **Cutting 7x**

21/08/63. Cutting 12' (EW) by 4' (NS), across bank & ditch outside (SW of) Enclosure A. Later extended 4' (EW) by 2' (NS) along line of ditch N. and 6' (EW) by 3' (NS) along line of ditch S (according to cutting plan). NW. corner of 7x is 40' from the large sarsen on the low mound at the SW corner of Enclosure A (see Fig. XXX Archive). One section plan shows ditch consisting of soil with small flints (layer 2) over soil with large flints (layer 3), over clay with flints subsoil. Maximum depth of ditch: *c.* 1'9" from ground level, *c.* 3'6" from datum (top of bank).

## **GF Numbers and Sequence**

**GF843**, 'IA(?) sherd'. Topsoil, c. 3".

**GF816**, 'Sherds'. Topsoil to c. 12".

**GF829**, 'Sherd'. From SW corner 6'2", 3'10". 1'3" in depth.

**GF832**, 'Sherd (IA?)'. 7x extension S. 9'3"-7", 9". Top of ditch silt. 16" in depth.

GF842, 'Med. sherd'. Bottom of topsoil??. 1'9"??