

PARK FARM, THORINGTON (TNG 014)

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PARK FARM, THORINGTON (TNG 014): SUMMARY

Grid reference TM 4230 7290

Over a one week period at the end of October 1991, part of a small Romano-British settlement site north east of Park Farm, Thorington, was examined prior to the destruction of the area through quarrying work. The site was excavated under watching brief conditions during top and sub-soil stripping on Phase 3B of the ARC Central, Park Farm Quarry. Full co-operation was given by the quarry manager, Mr P Bradshaw, and his colleagues during the period of the excavation within the constraints imposed by their own working practices.

Before work started on the Park Farm quarry it was known that the line of the old main east coast road ran on a south west to north east alignment through Thorington Park (TNG 011). The road is shown on a map of 1783 (Hodskinson) and can also be seen on aerial photographs of the area. It was moved eastwards to its present alignment in the late eighteenth/early nineteenth century when Thorington Park was created. The old main road is of interest in the context of this recently excavated settlement site because its alignment is likely to be Roman in origin (JP personal communication) running between major sites of this period at Hacheston (Wickham Market) to the south and Wenbaston to the north. No evidence was found for the road during the watching brief. The large mechanical scrapers used for the top and sub-soil stripping having removed up to one metre across the whole area as well as leaving a badly disturbed and compacted surface, the identification of shallow features was extremely difficult. It is quite likely that archaeological features were missed as the soil stripping continued and the lack of any evidence for the road may be explained in this way. The main means of identifying features was the location of dark feature fill and pottery scatters, therefore any archaeological context with "sub-soil coloured" fill, or few finds, was likely to be missed. It should be noted, however, that the road line (TNG 011), is visible in the field to the south of the quarry as a distinct band of small stones, these presumably representing a road surface disturbed by the plough.

The area of the Romano-British settlement examined lies just to the west of the old road line, adjacent to a small "dog leg" in its alignment. At this point the old road line drops into a small valley and the settlement site is on the 18m OD contour on a north/north east facing slope some 50 metres away from a small, eastward flowing stream which is now a simple field drain. The slope across the area is relatively gentle and the underlying drift geology is a sandy gravel which contains numerous yellow clay deposits.

The first feature to be located was a shallow depression with a very charcoal rich fill (0005). As this feature had been severely truncated by the scrapers its full interpretation remains difficult. However it did contain 3 baked clay "bricks" (0007, 0008 & 0010), as well as other baked clay fragments. The underlying sand and gravel had also been heavily burnt indicating a fire within a pit, the feature possibly operating as a hearth or oven with cooking vessels supported on the "bricks". The large quantity of charcoal in the fill supported such a theory. A moderately large quantity of pottery was recovered from this ?hearth/oven, much of it in the fill spread down the slope by the mechanical scrapers (0004). To the south west of this feature a pit with a considerable amount of burnt clay/daub in its fill, 0003, was also located. Some of the surrounding sand around this pit was also burnt, again indicating a possible hearth/oven use. Unfortunately this feature was only rapidly, and partially, excavated before its destruction.

The main area of the excavation was to the north west of the features initially discovered and consisted of a rectangular block, 525 square metres in extent. Work concentrated on this area after the scrapers disturbed two ditches which had pottery rich fills (0020 & 0022). Both of these ditches had an east-west alignment and they both continued westwards, outside the area stripped at this time. The two ditches were close together and parallel, the larger one (0020) butt ending within the area examined and the smaller one (0022), continuing eastwards towards the road line. The line of this latter ditch was lost at its eastern end due to the depth of sub-soil removed by the scrapers. To the north of these two ditches various features were located including a pit (0029), which contained sherds of flint gritted, hand-made pottery of ?Iron Age date. A later pit (0030), cut this ?Iron Age pit and is of interest as it contained a large quantity of baked clay fragments in its upper fill. The upper fill in the pit (0030) lying over a baked clay "pad" (0033) which again may indicate some form of oven. The baked clay "pad" was only burnt on its upper surface and it sat in the middle of the pit fill, with virtually no baked clay underneath, although the lower fill was relatively charcoal rich (0034). The remainder of the features in this area consisted of small pits and scoops.

The area to the south of the two ditches was examined rapidly as the mechanical scrapers had churned it up badly. One isolated pit (0037) was located as was a small scoop (0039). However very little else could be seen. Various scatters of pottery sherds and some lithic material was also recovered from the disturbed sub-soil after the scrapers had been over the area (0002, 0011, 0012, 0038), again indicating that features were missed. This material indicated that further Romano-British features as well as possibly some prehistoric contexts were destroyed. The whole area was also extensively

metal detected, however this only recovered one ?Roman coin (0040) from the field to the west of the excavation area and an iron object (0035) from one of the ditches (0022). The lack of metal finds tends to indicate an early and rather poor Romano-British settlement site.

Fieldwalking over the area to the west and south of the excavated site, revealed no other Romano-British pottery scatters, although it did locate six Medieval pottery scatters of ?13th/14th century date in close association with the old road line. One of the latter Medieval pottery scatters may be of particular interest as it appears to partially coincide with the known site of Thorington Old Hall, to the south east of Park Farm. The only known concentration of Romano-British material close to the excavated site, TNG 014, lies to the east and consists of a few abraded sherds found on the edge of a previous watching brief in the quarry area (TNG 013).

One point of special interest from this excavation is the evidence of pre-Roman activity on the site and the influence this may have had on the road alignment. Although rather thin, consisting as it does of one pit (0029), of ?Iron Age date and a few stray pottery sherds (? in 0011), the "dog leg" in the road alignment mentioned above, may have been due to the presence of an established settlement pre-dating the construction of this main east coast routeway. Hopefully more of this settlement site will be uncovered and recorded when Phase 4 of the quarry, to the west of the excavated area, is started.

J Newman
January 1992

TNG 014 BAKED CLAY - NOTES

Several different types of baked clay debris were recovered:

1. Thin well-fired pieces, mostly reduced, with numerous vegetable impressions on the outer surfaces. Up to 10mm thick, generally flat. This type of material is found in association with pottery kilns in contexts suggesting it is roofing material (often called "dome plates" cf B Brown).

Found in contexts 0001, 0004, 0005, 0006, 0027 (1 piece, in pottery).

2. Rectangular "bricks", a reduced coarse fabric, generally badly prepared, some pieces have chalk as well as sand inclusions. One complete example (0008) 155mm by 145mm by 70mm, other fragments between 125mm and 145mm wide and 65-70mm thick.

Found in contexts 0004 (fragments), 0005 (fragments of at least two), 0006 (fragments of two), 0007 (fragment of one), 0008 (one) - i.e. all relate to feature 0005.

3. Triangular ?loomweight, one fragment only. Fabric quite similar to the 'bricks', sandy reduced, coarse with brown oxidized surfaces. Single corner only survives, thickness 75mm, edges exceed 80mm, not pierced at this corner. Shape is Iron Age loomweight type but no indication of whether pierced. Found in context 0037.

4. Large oxidized fragments with straight stick impressions, fingermarks etc. Single baked surface, some straight edges. Stick impressions circa 15mm diameter and circa 28mm diameter with circa 25mm gaps. Structural - ?oven - debris. Found in contexts 0003 and 0030 (see this context for in situ description of the feature).

J Plouviez
March 1992

THORINGTON TNG 014 - GENERAL NOTES

There is evidence of Iron Age activity throughout the area examined. Flint gritted pottery was found in spread 0011 to the east, unstratified 0016 (main unexcavated area) and a large oval pit, 0029. More common were pieces of sand tempered hand made wares (some also with vegetable temper) of the late Iron Age, found in small pits 0014, 0018, 0023 (sometimes with Roman sherds as well) and associated with a baked clay structure in pit 0030. The oven(?) in 0030 was made with a framework of sticks in the clay; similar debris was found to the south in 0003.

Settlement is quite possibly continuous into the Roman period. The main features are the east-west ditches, of which 0020 is probably the earliest (may be first century), and both are probably backfilled before the end of the second century.

The evidence strongly suggests that 0005 was a pottery kiln (see baked clay notes). The pottery from this feature is not easily dated (grey ware jar forms) and "C2/C3" is the best guess for now. A kiln with portable "bricks" for pedestals might be earlyish. There is also one piece of "dome plate" material in ditch 0020 (0027) and the quantity of pottery in this ditch is suggestive, although it is definitely earlier than the 0005 material.

Imported material is very restricted - sherds of Samian and Colchester(?) rough cast beaker probably represent one vessel of each. There are also some highly micaceous grey fabrics which may come from the Wattisfield area industry.

Jude Plouviez March 1992

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Context records

OPNO	COMPof	IDENTIFIER	DESCRIPTION	contd.	Cut	Over	Ctby	Undr	PLAN	SECT	Fi	Sf	Sa	Photo	Potdate
0001	0001	unstratified	Gen unstratified finds from extraction Phase 3B	An informal but fairly intense metal detector search carried out over area of TNG 014 and adjacent areas, this only produced 1 coin (0040) and an iron object 0035. The area to W of Phase 3B to be Phase 4 was searched but produced nothing.							y	y		Rom, C2+	
0002	0001	unstratified	Finds from area of deeper subsoil, ?hill-wash, close to the base of the slope to the NE of main excavation area, no features visible.							Loc.	y			Med Rom	
0003	0003	pit hearth?	Pit, fill packed with fragments of burnt clay, daub, also sand natural around pit burnt, possible base of oven, partly dug into ground may have had clay superstructure, however no structure or pattern seen in burnt clay in pit.	Fill contained little charcoal & few finds other than burnt clay fragments. As this part of quarry being machined at time of excavation, feature was examined rapidly, removal of surrounding subsoil would have destroyed any associated smaller features.					S2	S2	y			Rom?	
0004	0001	unstratified	Smear of dark soil, charcoal fragments and pottery sherds to the N of 0005, probably material from 0005 spread by box scraper 20-30 metres down the slope.								y			Rom C2/C3?	
0005	0005	kilm	Possible oven remnant, badly damaged by mechanical removal of top & sub-soil, (see 0004), as excavated shallow scoop 2.70m x 1.55m x	Fill very charcoal rich, natural sand/gravel below the feature extensively burnt					S1	S1	y			CNM 2-5 Rom C2/C3	

OPNO	COMPof	IDENTIFIER	DESCRIPTION	contd.	Cut	Over	Ctby	Undr	PLAN	SECT	Fi	Sf	Sa	Photo	Potdate
			0.20m deep at NE end, 0.10m deep at SW end.	with numerous partially & very burnt flints indicating burning in situ in the base of the feature.											
0005			Four baked clay "bricks" It is poss 0005 (0007-0010), were located represents in the bottom of 0005 and stoke-hole with fragments of others were whatever was noted in the machine being disturbed surrounding burnt/cooked held sub-soil, over fire on structure of baked clay "bricks". Finds come from disturbed fill c.0.5-0.6m of top & subsoil had been removed when excav started.												
0006	0005	layer:kiln	Undisturbed fill of 0005 but finds crushed in situ by machines. N.B. The baked clay debris (see separate notes) strongly suggests that 0005/0006 is the remains of a pottery kiln, producing grey ware jars?		S1	S1	y	y							C2/C3?
0007	0005	object	Baked clay "brick" in 0005 (disturbed).	As recovered incomplete, one end only, 125mm wide 70mm thick, surviving 75mm long.		S1	S1								
0008	0005	object	Baked clay "brick" in 0005 (disturbed).	Complete, broken, 155 x 145 x 70mm.		S1	S1								
0009	0005	object	Fragment of baked clay in ?collected as 0005, (disturbed).			S1	S1								
0010	0005	object	Baked clay "brick" in 0005 (disturbed).	?collected as 0005.											
0011	0001	unstratifi ed	Finds scatter from subsoil 40/50 metres to E of 0005, found when subsoil was being stripped, already			Loc.		y							IA

OPNO	COMP	OF IDENTIFIER	DESCRIPTION	contd.	Cut	Over	Ctby	Undr	PLAN	SECT	Fi	Sf	Sa	Photo	Potdate
			0.40/0.50m below previous ground level when found, no features visible.												
0012	0001	unstratifi ed	Finds from area to W of 0005, no features visible.								Loc.	y		Rom	
0013	0001	unstratifi ed	Stray finds from NW corner of Phase 3B, to N of ditches 0020/0022, ?in hillwash.								200	y		IA?	
0014	0014	pit	Small pit.								1:50	3	y	LIA Rom	
0015	0001	unstratifi ed	Finds from area around 0020/0022.									y		Mid-1.C 2	
0016	0001	unstratifi ed	General finds scatter from NW corner of Phase 3B, around 0020/0022 and adjacent features (main area of excavation).									y		IA C2	
0017	0001	unstratifi ed	Finds from a limited area near 0020/0022.									y		mid C2	
0018	0018	pit	Small pit/scoop.								1:50	3	y	LIA ?Rom	
0019	0019	posthole?	Small scoop (?posthole remnant).								1:50	3	y		
0020	0020	ditch	Ditch E-W alignment, finds from upper 0-10m of fill under this number (see also finds under 0015 & 0017, general scatter around ditches 0020 & 0022). Section 0036 was across ditches 0020 & 0022, finds mixed.		0021						1:50	53	y	CKM 6,7	IC1/eC2
0021	0020	layer:ditch h	Lower fill of 0020.		0020	1:50	3						y		IC1/eC2
0022	0022	ditch	Small shallow ditch E-W alignment, parallel and just to N of 0020, also number for finds from cleaning over ditch and over 0025, section 0036 across ditches 0020 & 0022, finds mixed.			1:50	3						y	CKM 6,7	C1/C2?

Context records

OPNO	COMP of IDENTIFIER	DESCRIPTION	contd.	Cut	Over	Ctby	Undr	PLAN	SECT	Fi	Sf	Sa	Photo	Potdate
0023	0023	pit	Small scoop.	0024				1:50	3	y			LIA	
0024	0024	pit?	Small pit/scoop, possibly natural feature, no finds, fill a very light brown sand similar to surrounding natural.		0023			1:50	3					
0025	0022	ditch:sect ion	Section through 0022.					1:50	3	y			C1/C2	
0026	0020	ditch:sect ion	Section through ditch 0020, to E of section at 0020/21, close to butt end of ditch at its E end, (finds from 0.10m of upper fill under 0026).		0027			1:50	3	y		CKM 6,7	C1/eC2	
0027	0020	layer:ditch	Lower fill of ditch 0020, under 0026.		0026	1:50	3			y			C1/eC2	
0028	0020	object	Pot base found in fill 0026 of ditch 0020, inverted in upper ditch fill), crushed by weight of machinery, fill same as ditch fill.										Rom	
0029	0029	pit	Large pit, linear shape on a SW/NE alignment, (hand-made, flint gritted pottery sherds in fill, ?IA).		0030	1:50	4			y			IA	
0030	0030	pit hearth?	Pit with considerable quantity of baked clay fragments in upper fill (0030), with baked clay pad, 0033, in centre of its fill and charcoal rich sandy fill, 0034, below 0033.	The baked clay pad, 0033, sat in the middle of the pit & did not touch any of the sides, appeared baked in situ, possible this feature some form of domestic oven with 0033 as its base & the collapsed super-structure in 0030.	0029	0033		1:50	4	y	y	CKM 8-14	LIA	
0031	0022	ditch:sect ion	Section through 0022.		0032	1:50				y			C2?	
0032	0022	layer:ditch	Cleaning over 0031, h		0031					y			mid C2?	

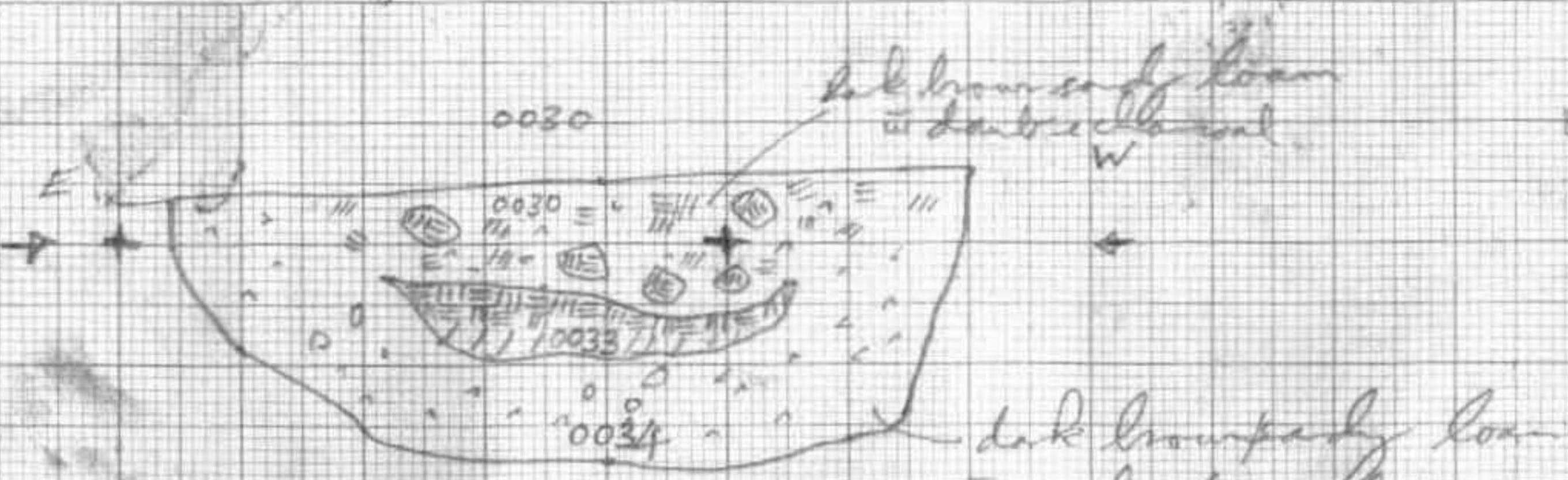
Context records

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NK014

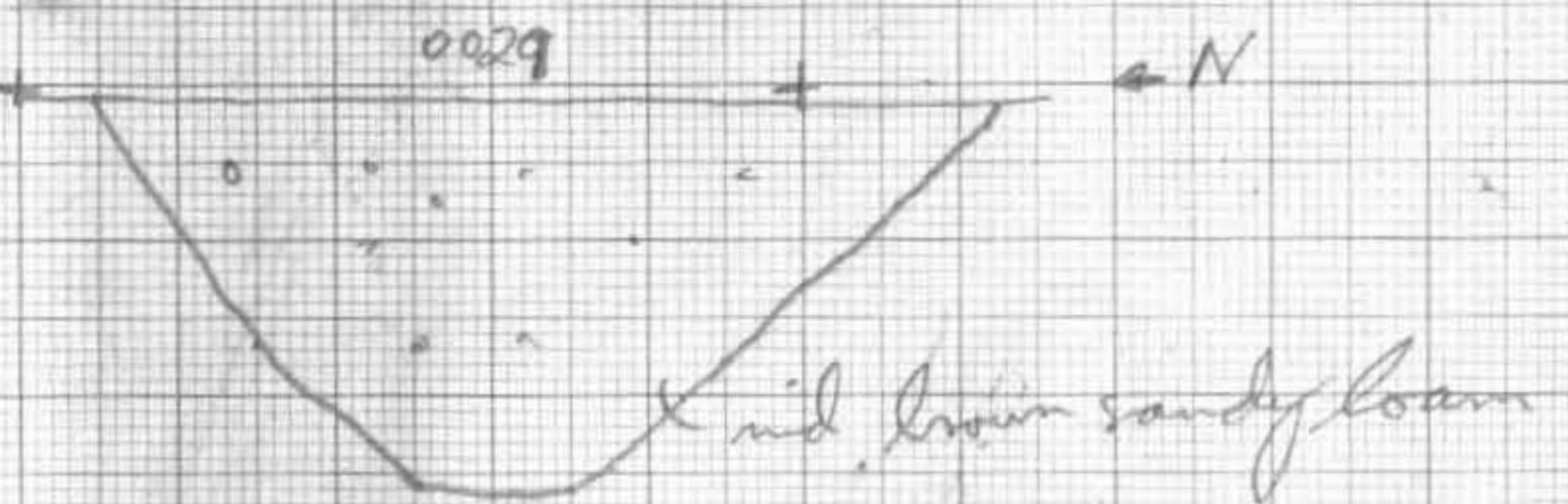
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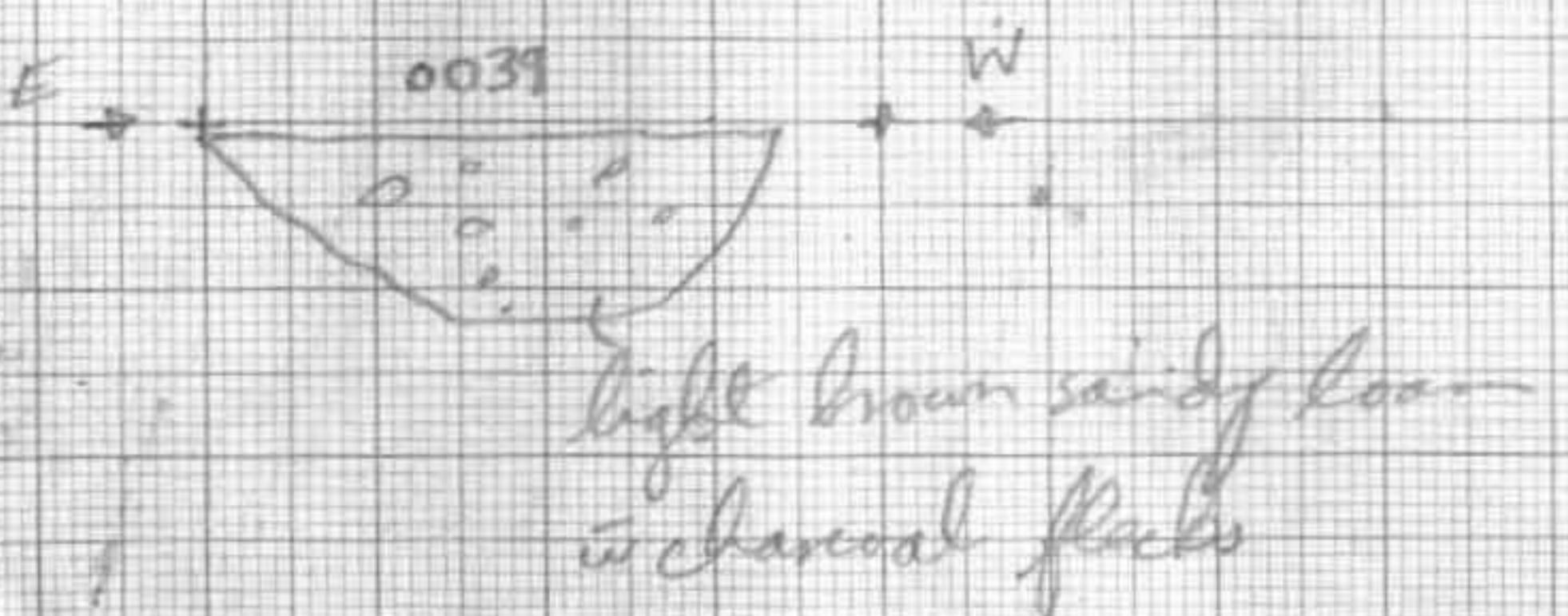


landed on grey brown loamy sand
one channel + went dry

0037

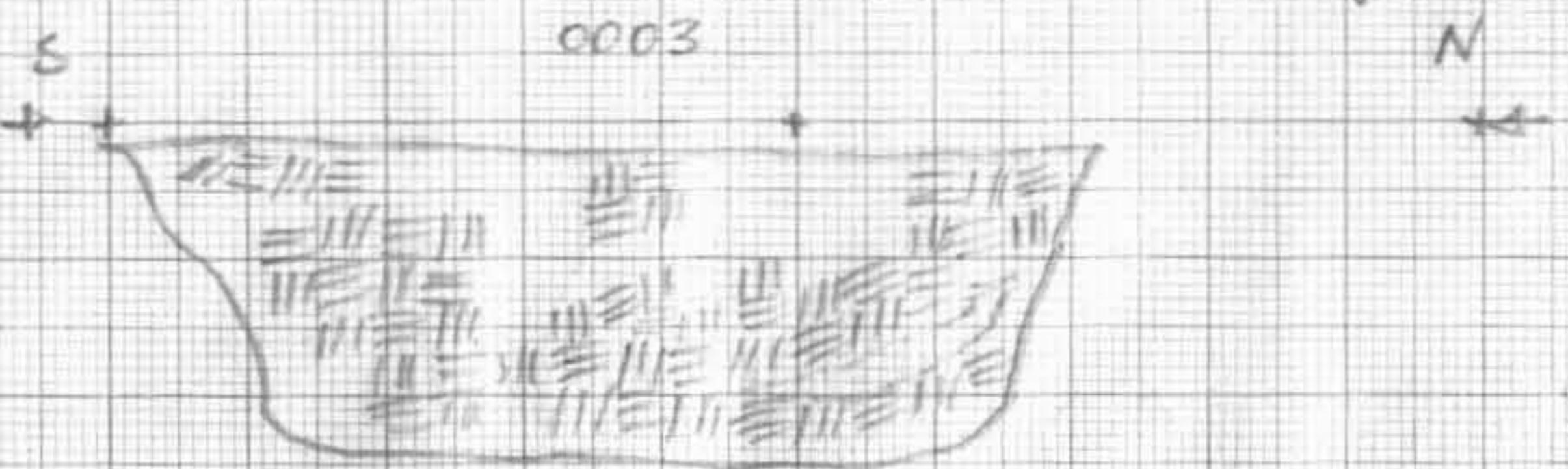


0036
(full topsoil
but ditch)

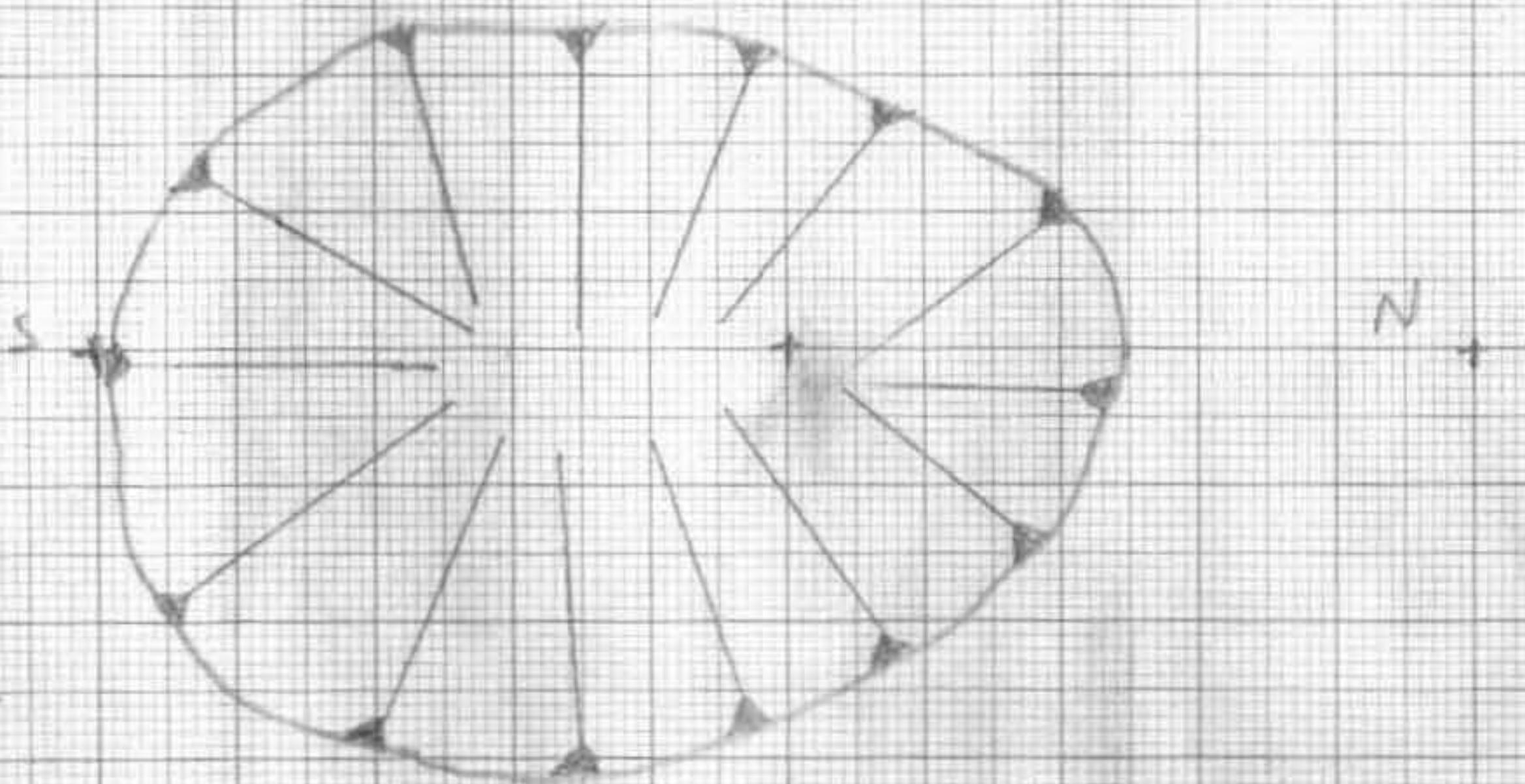


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pit/collapsed oven
filled with baked clay/daub,



0003



Section Sheet 1

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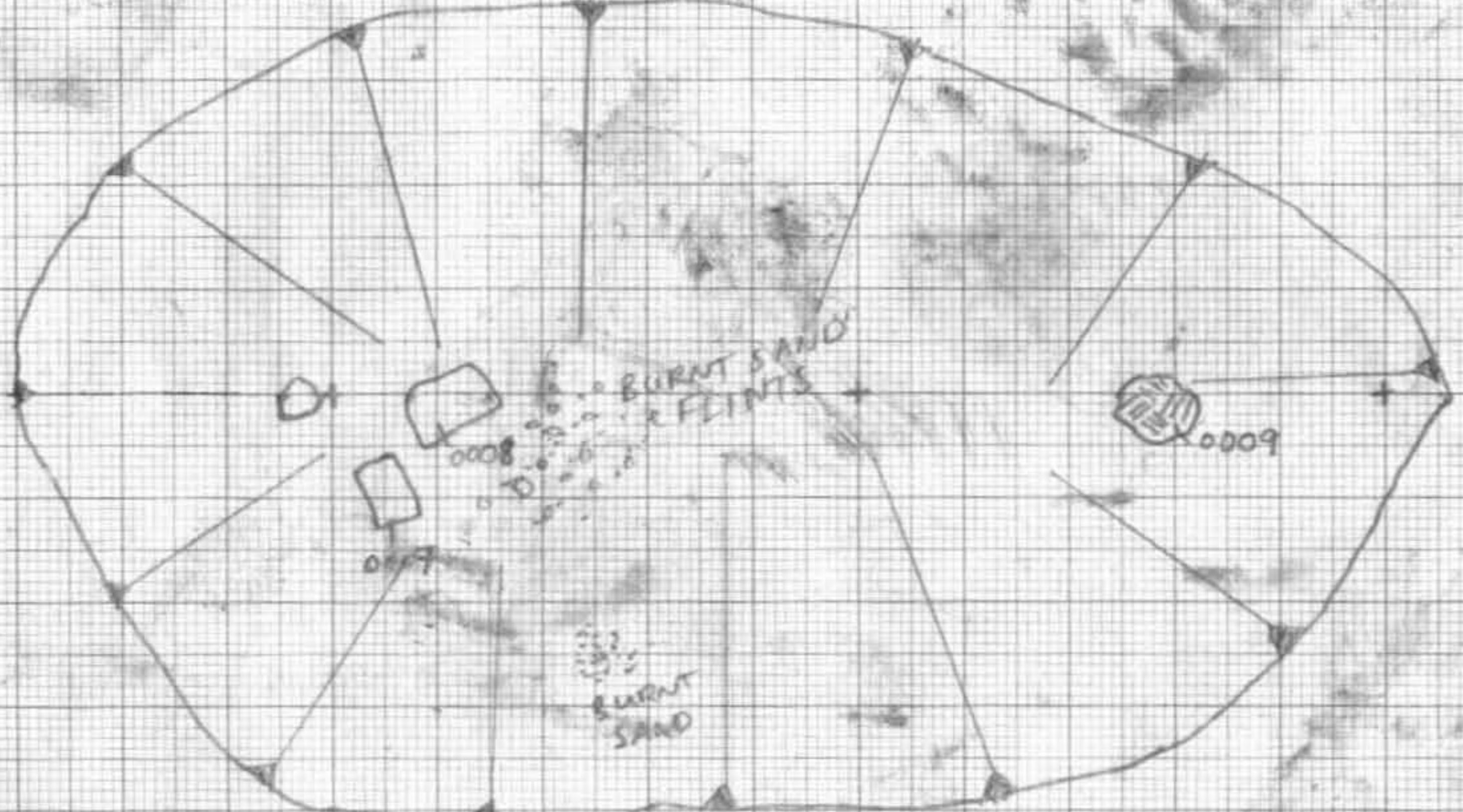
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0005/0006

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0005/0006

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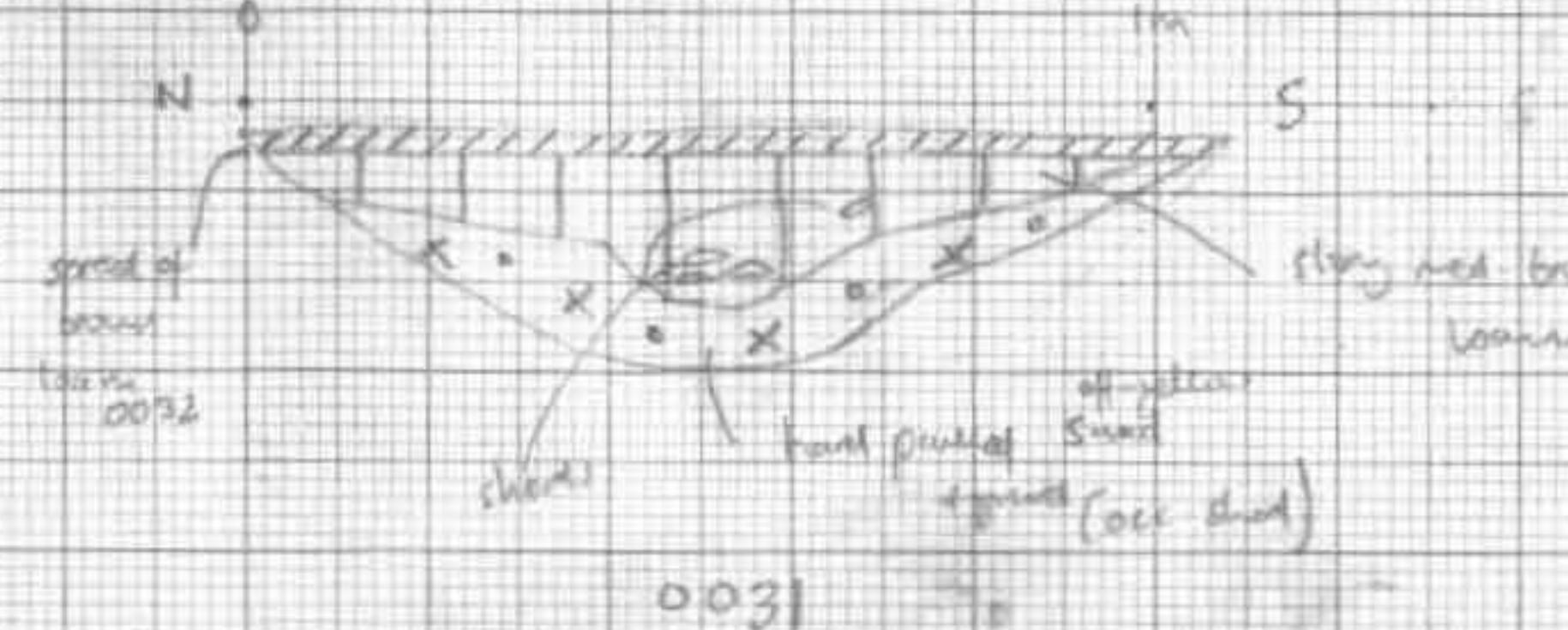
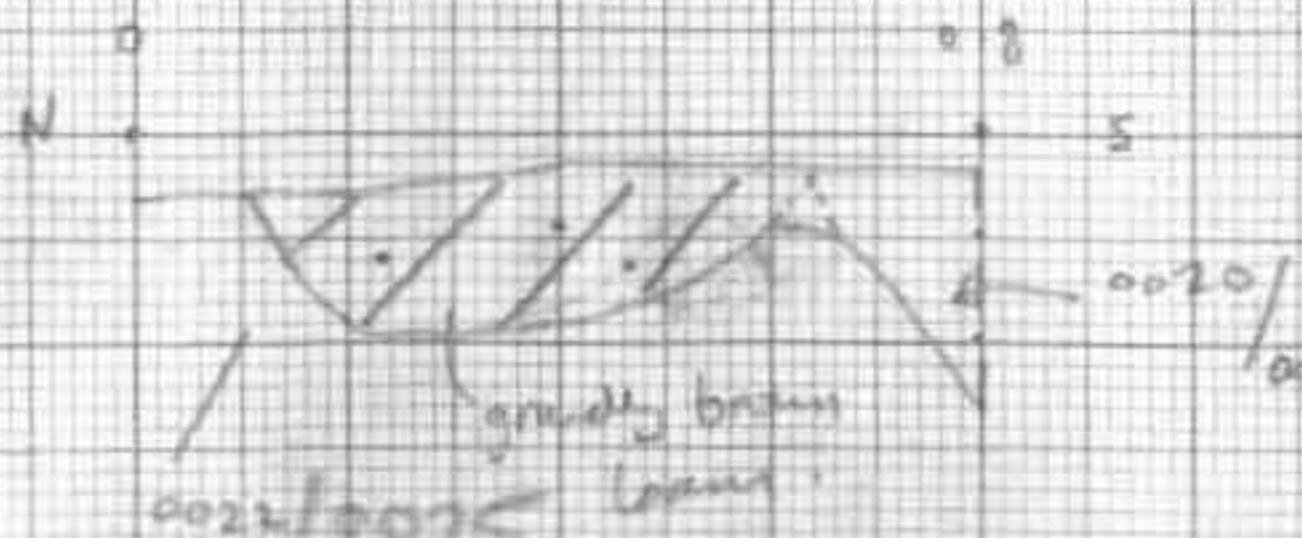
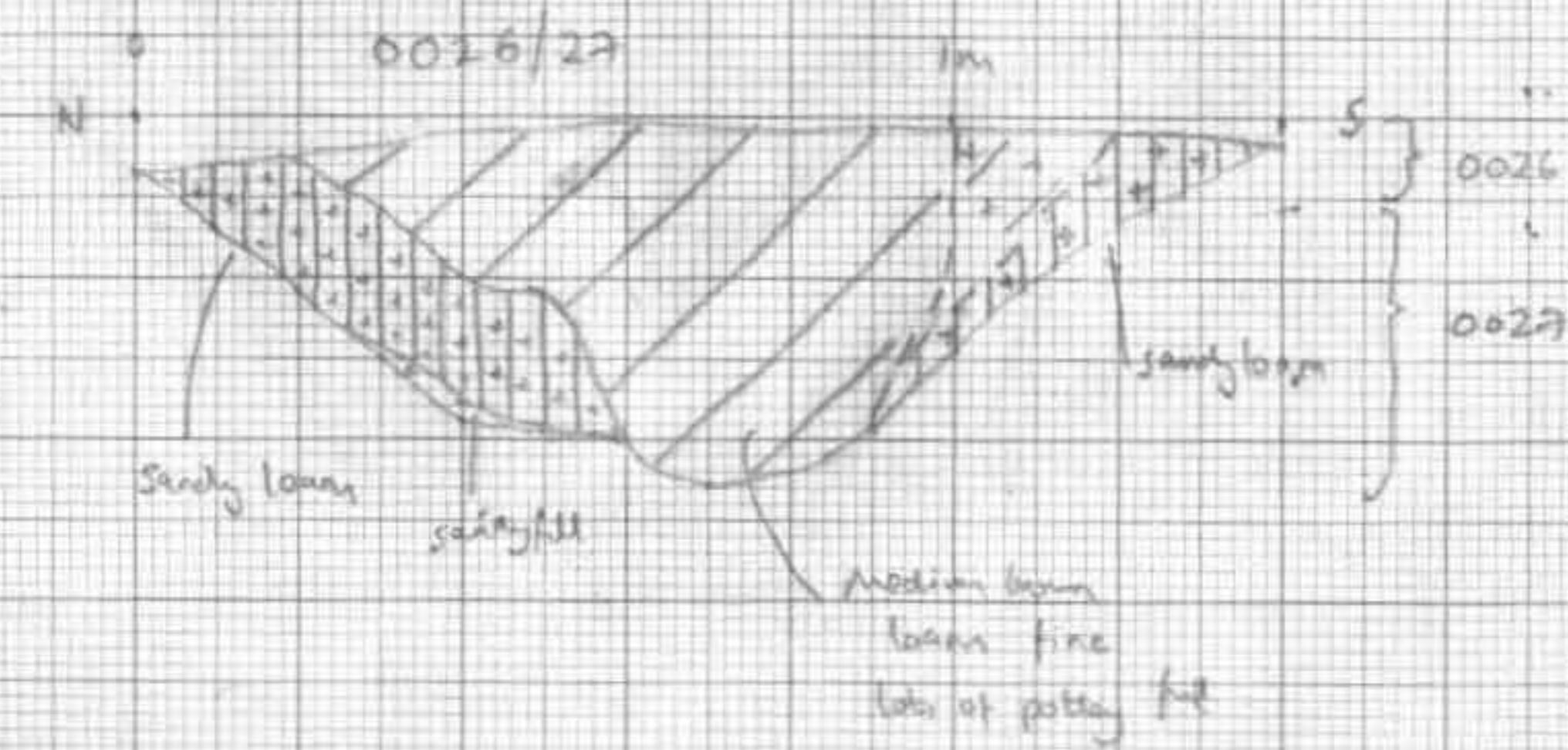
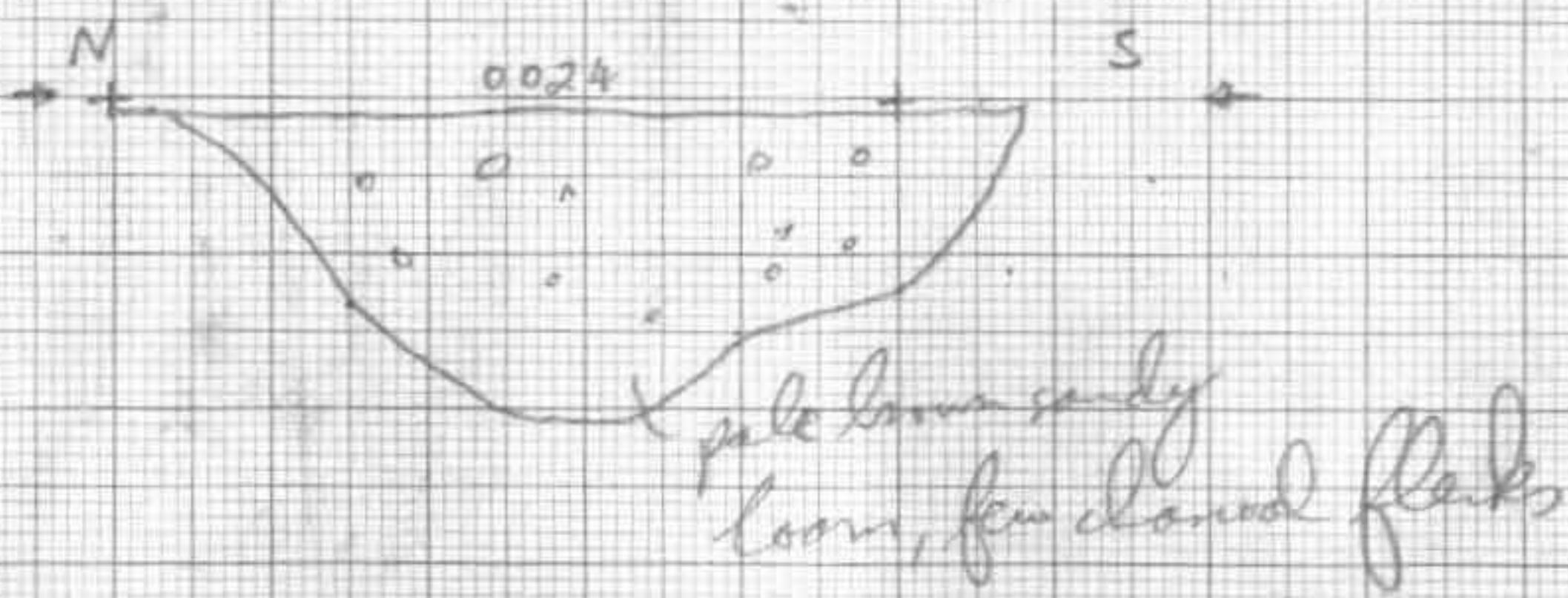
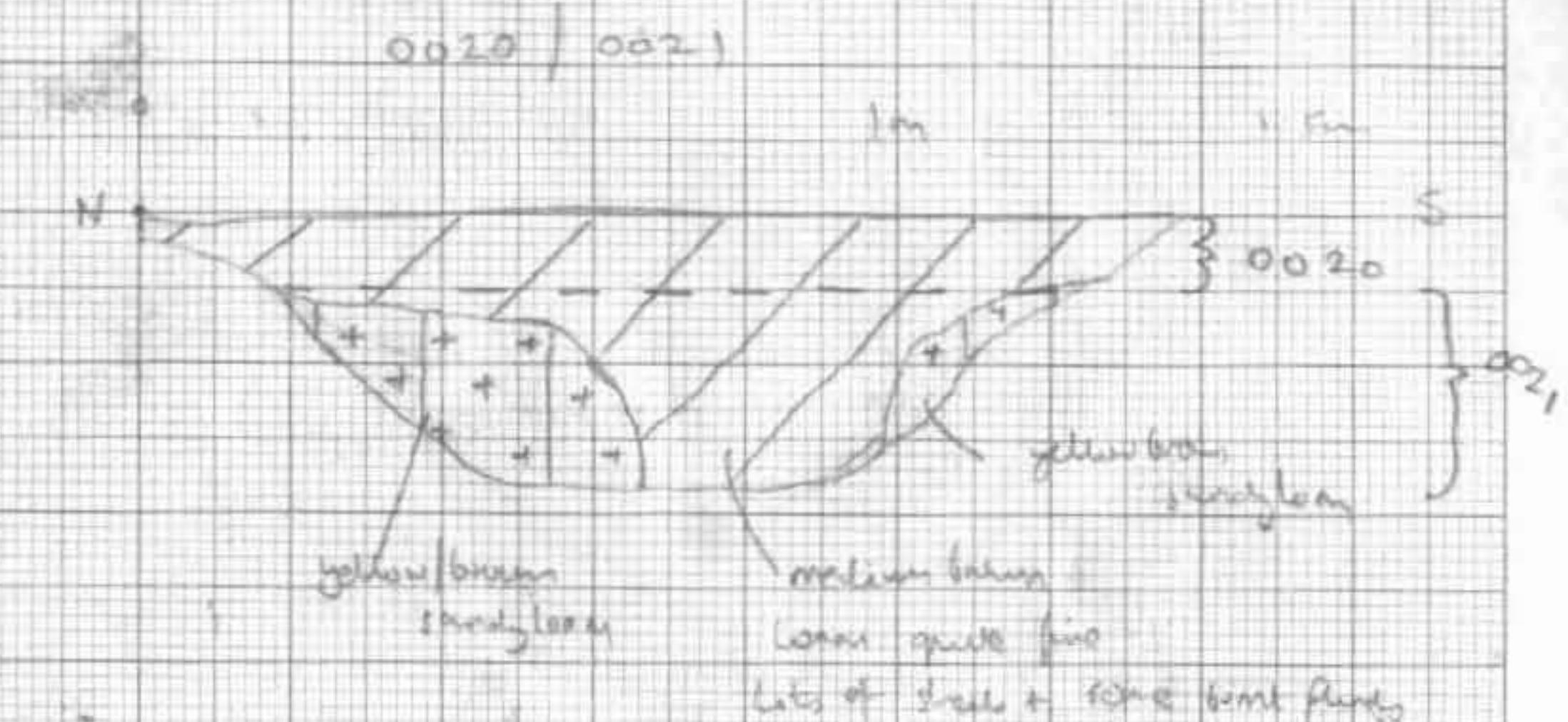
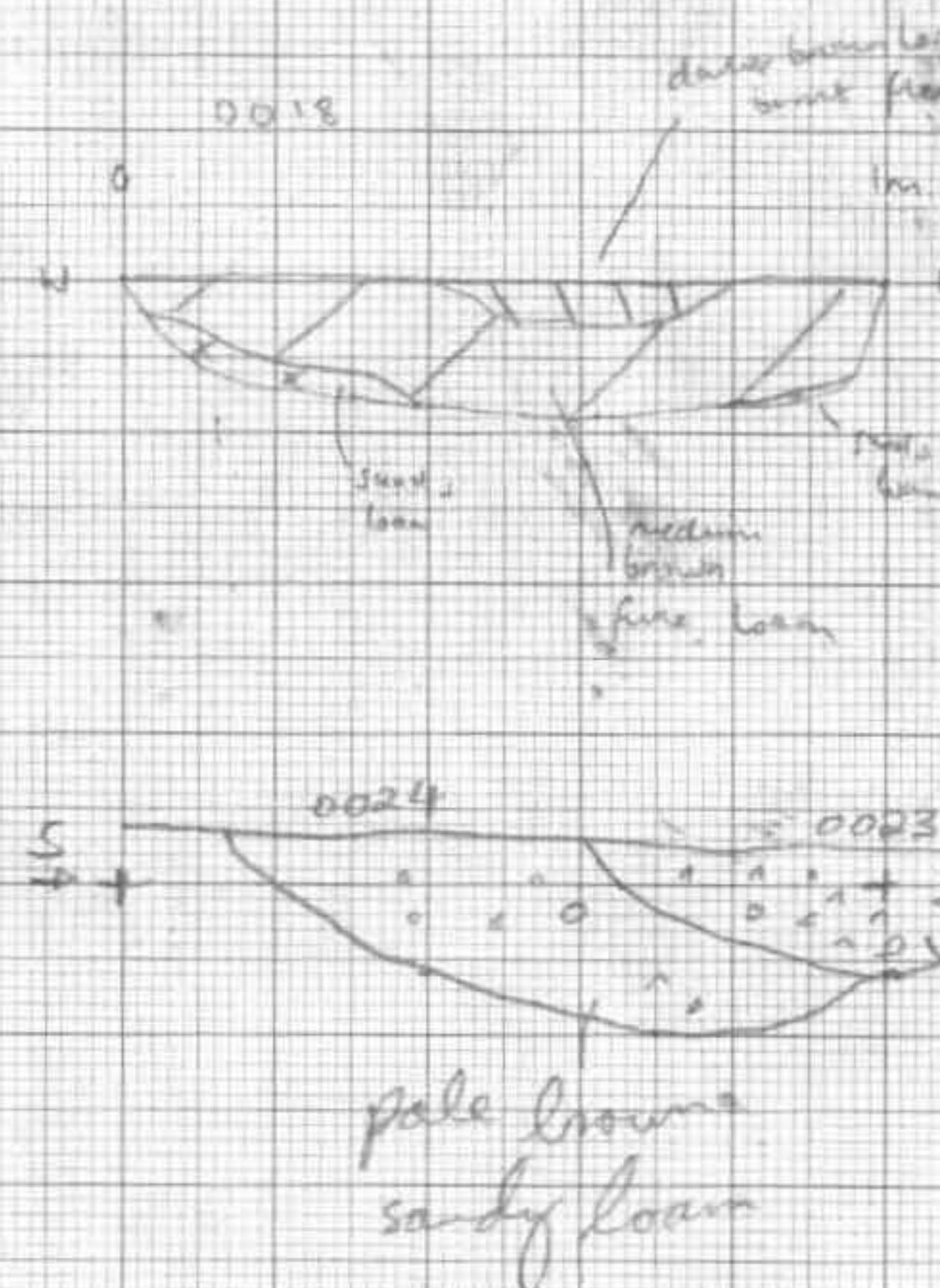
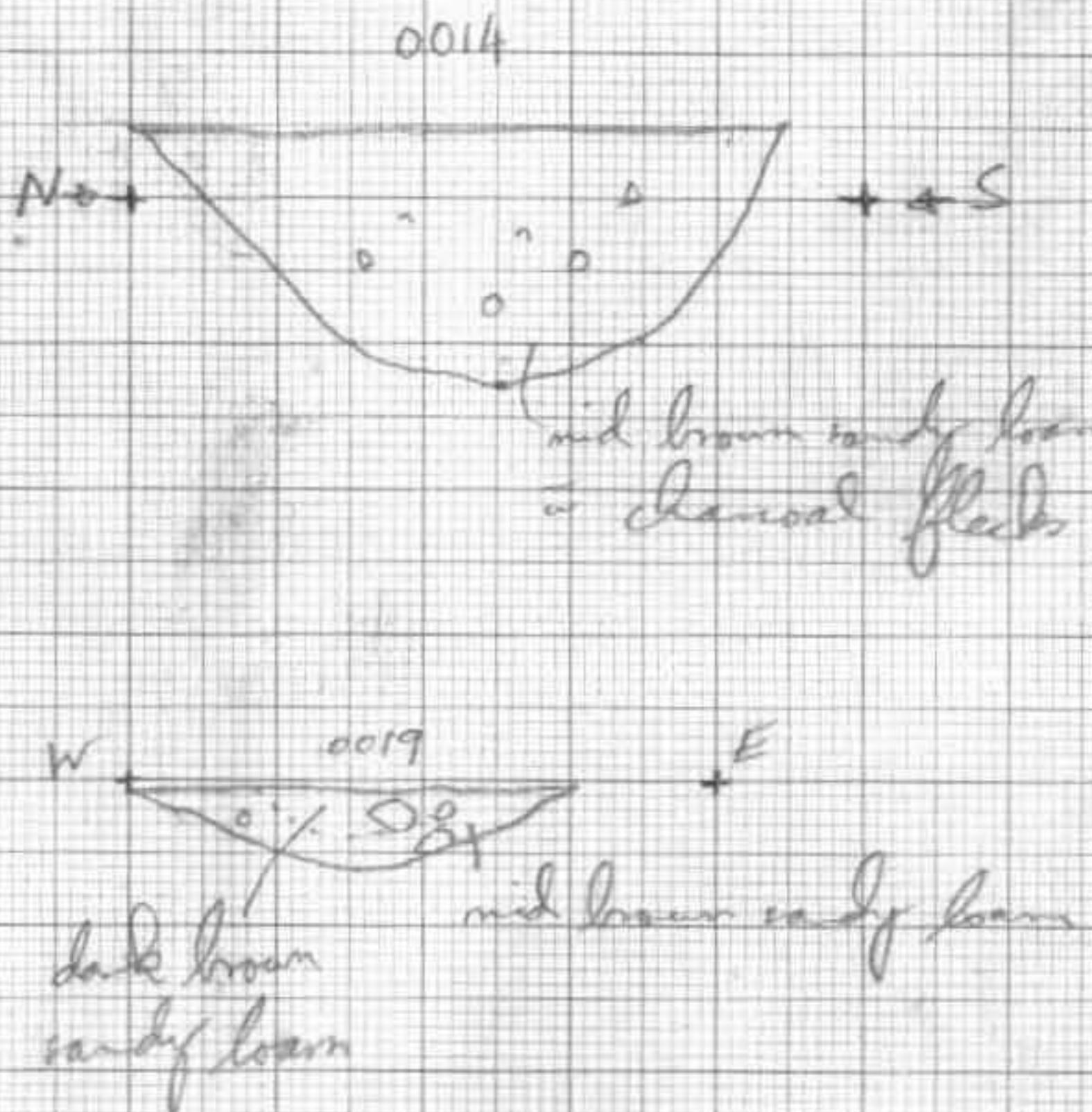


Fill of my ready box
too much damaged

Section sheet 3 TNG 014

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'Guildhall' Ref GP1510



Park Farm Pt, ARC Thorington,
(Original site sheets)

SITE/TRENCH TWGO 14

OP	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION	CUTS	CUT BY	PHOTO	PLAN	SECTION	SIEVED	FLOT SAMPLE
0001		General U/S finds, Phase 3B soil stripping, (c.30m topsoil & 70/80cm subsoil being removed by box scrapers),							
0002		? Ditch, c.120m wide, SW-NE alignment, & another ditch running off to SE. → ? Med sheds in top fill, → finds in hillwash near base of slope,						SITE LOCATION PLAN.	
0003		? Pt, or brick dants, probably dry lined oven collapsed on itself, full of burnt clay / dault, sand underneath also burnt, (20m SW of 0005).					✓S2	✓S2	
0004		Smear of dark soil, charcoal finds, (pot, baked clay), probably from 0005, spread by box scrapers over strip 20/30m to north,					-		
0005		? Oven/burnt, badly disturbed by scrapers, much charcoal in fill, ? dry lined (thinly fired) + burnt flint ground, also some heavily baked clay in "brick" like forms - ? structural support for oven, c. 0.30/0.60m topsoil removed by scrapers, (105m east of corner of wood, 65m S of Nedge of Phase 3B area),	CKM 2-5				✓SI	✓SI	✓

OP	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION	CUTS	CUT BY	PHOTO	PLAN	SECTION	SIEVED	FLOT SAMPLE
0006		Sieved finds from 0005, report of over 1 kilo, much burnt clay, some "brick" like forms, very disturbed & crushed by machine,				✓SI	✓SI	✓	
0007		Baked "brick" like object in 0005, disturbed,				✓SI	✓SI		
0008		" "				✓SI	✓SI		
0009		Frog of baked clay at S end of 0005				✓SI	✓SI		
0010		Baked ("brick" like) object in 0005, disturbed (0007, 0008 & 0010 all towards slope, SNE end of 0005),				-	-		
0011		Pre-historic sherd, doubt frog & flake found 40/50m to east of 0005 when sub-soil was being stripped, already quite deep (~0.40/0.50m), no features visible.						SITE LOCATION PLAN	
0012		Flakes & stray sherds from area to west of 0005, no features visible,						SITE LOCATION PLAN	
0013		Stray sherds from NW corner of Phase 3B, around 0020, 0022 adjacent features,							
0014		* Small pit in NW corner of Phase 3B,				✓	✓3		
0015		WBM (south of 0014), finds from around 0020/0022				-	-		

OP	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION	CUTS	CUT BY	PHOTO	PLAN	SECTION	SIEVED	FLOT SAMPLE
0016		General scatter, US finds from NW corner of phase 3B, after soil stripping, and 0020, 0022 adjacent features,				-			
0017		As 0016, all from one small area? disturbed from a nearby feature, (close to 0020/0022)				-			
0018		Small pit / scoop				✓	✓3		
0019		Shallow scoop, (remnant of posthole)				✓	✓3		
0020		Ditch, E-W alignment, top 10cm of fill / finds 0015 + 0017 also from area of ditch), Ditch 0020, lower fill,	CKM 6-7	✓		✓	✓3		
0021						✓	✓3		
0022		Small ditch, E-W alignment, parallel + just to N of 0020, finds from cleaning out, (fill 0025), Small scoop,	CKM 6-7	✓		✓	✓3		
0023			0024			✓	✓3		
0024		Pit, ? natural, no finds, light brown sandy fill,	0023			✓	✓3		
0025		Fill of ditch / gully 0022				✓	✓3		
0026		Section through E-W ditch, 0020, (to E of 0020), upper fill, (photo 9) near butt end at eastern end	PP			✓	✓3		

OP	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION	CUTS	CUT BY	PHOTO	PLAN	SECTION	SIEVED	FLOT SAMPLE
0027		As 0026, lower fill,				✓	✓3		
0028		Pot base in situ, (erected in ditch fill), in 0026, (crushed by machine)				-	-		
0029		Pit, W-E aligned, (w IA pot),	0030		✓	✓4			
0030		Pit oven base, w much debris, (photos 5e6), collapsed top part of oven, over base 0033, Small E-N ditch, parallel to S of 0026, ? same as 0022,	0029	P5e6 CKM8-14	✓	✓4			SOIL SAMPLE
0031				photo 9	✓	-			
0032		Cleaning over 0031.				cJL6,7	-	-	
0033		? Clay pedestal in centre of 0030, much of the debris / burnt clay had collapsed above this ? pedestal, top of clay lump heavily burnt, fill around charcoal rich (photos 7e8 jutting out from section), hard to oven, collapsed material above debris w wattle impressions ? upper part of oven, on southern side come up to close to edge,	+ (P7e8 CKM10-11 yellow burnt sooty CKM12-14 P10,11,12 in section, Shallow section of quadrant (from E),	✓	✓4			
0034		Sandy loam layer below 0033 in ? over 0030, charcoal rich,		CKM12-14 cJL6,7	✓	✓4			soil sample
0035		Fe obj, (? hinge) in 0022			✓	-			

SITE / TRENCH TNG014

ARC Park Farm Quarry, Thorington, Amalgamated site sheets,
 (Salvage excavation, October 1991)

SITE / TRENCH TNG 014

IDR Context	LOCATION OF	DESCRIPTION	CUTS	CUT BY	PHOTO	PLAN	SECTION	SIEVED	FLOT SAMPLE
0001	0001	<p>General unstratified finds from area of Phase 3B soil stripping, 0-30m of topsoil and c 0.70/0.80m of sub-soil was removed by large box scrapers, the identification of small features was, therefore, very difficult and any evidence for timber structures was probably destroyed as the soil stripping progressed. An informal but fairly intense metal detector search was carried out over the area of TNG 014 and adjacent areas, however this only produced one probable Roman copper alloy coin and an iron object.</p> <p>0035. The area (to the west of Phase 3B), to be Phase 4, was also searched but produced nothing of any age.</p>							
Comp. at	0002	<p>Finds from area of deeper sub-soil, ?illaryash, close to the base of the slope to the north east of the main excavation area, no features visible.</p>							
	0004	<p>Smear of dark soil, charcoal fragments and pottery shards to the north of 0005, probably material from 0005 spread by box scrapers 20/30 metres down the slope.</p>							

BP Context	LOCATION OP	DESCRIPTION	CUTS	CUT BY	PHOTO	PLAN	SECTION	SIEVED	FLOT SAMPLE
0001	0011 ✓	Finds scatty from sub-soil 40/50 metres to the east of 0005, found when sub-soil was being stripped, already 0.40/0.50m below previous ground level when found, no features visible.				SITE LOCATION PLAN			
0001	0012 ✓	Finds from area to west of 0005, no features visible.				SITE LOCATION PLAN			
0001	0013 ✓	Stray finds from north west corner of Phase 3B, to north of ditches 0020/0022, ? in hillwash				SITE LOCATION PLAN			
0001	0015 ✓	Finds from area around 0020/0022.				- -			
0001	0016 ✓	General finds scatter from north west corner of Phase 3B, around 0020/0022 and adjacent features, (main area of excavation).				- -			
0001	0017 ✓	Finds from area around 0020/0022.				?) ?			
0001	0038 ✓	Finds from area around 0037, machine well into sub-soil, no other features visible in heavily disturbed sub-soil.				(✓) -			
0002		See 0001							

0001 0040 ✓ An alloy coin, detector find from undisturbed area to west of area excavated,

Context	Description	DESCRIPTION	CUTS	CUT BY	PHOTO	PLAN	SECTION	SIEVED	FLOT SAMPLE
0003	OP								
0003	0003	Pit, fill packed with fragments of burnt clay, sandy, also sand/natural around pit, burnt, possibly the base of an oven partly dug into the ground that may have had a clay superstructure, however no structure or pattern could be seen in the burnt clay in the pit and the fill contained relatively little charcoal, (very few flints older than the burnt clay fragments). As this part of the quarry was being mashed at the time of excavation this feature was examined very rapidly, removal of surrounding sub-soil would also have destroyed any associated smaller features.				✓S2	✓S2	-	
0004	-	(Size 1.45m x 1.10m ± 0.45m deep (as excavated).) See 0001)							
0005	0005	Possible oven remnant, badly damaged by mechanical removal of topsoil - soil, (see 0004), as excavated shallow scoop 2.70m x 1.55m ± 0.20m deep at north eastern end, 0.10m deep at south western end. Fill very charcoal rich, natural sand/gravel below the feature extensively burnt with numerous partially and very burnt flints indicating burning in situ in the base of the feature.				✓SLIDES CKM 2-5	✓S1 ✓S1	✓	

OP	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION	CUTS	CUT BY	PHOTO	PLAN	SECTION	SIEVED	FLOT SAMPLE
0005	0005	Four baked clay "bricks" (0007-0010), were located in the bottom of 0005, and fragments of others were noted in the machine disturbed surrounding sub-soil; it is possible that the feature 0005, represents a slope-hole with whatever was being burnt/cooked being held over the fire on a structure made up of baked clay "bricks" possibly the remnant of a domestic oven. Finds under 0005 come from disturbed fill of the feature, c 0.50/0.60m of top-sub-soil had been mechanically removed when excavation started.							
Comp of 0005	✓								
0005	0006	Undisturbed fill of 0005, but finds crushed in situ by machines	✓	SI	✓	SI	✓	✓	SOIL SAMPLE
0005	0007	Baked clay "brick" in 0005, (disturbed)	✓	SI	✓	SI			
0005	0008	" "	✓	SI	✓	SI			
0005	0009	Fragment of baked clay in 0005,	✓	SI	✓	SI			
0005	0010	Baked clay "brick" in 0005	✓	-	-	-			
0006		See 0005							
0007		" "							

TOP	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION	CUTS	CUT BY	PHOTO	PLAN	SECTION	SIEVED	FLOT SAMPLE
	OP								
0008		See 0005							
0009		" "							
0010		" "							
0011		See 0001							
0012		" "							
0013		" "							
0014 ✓	0014	Small pit					✓	✓3	-
0015		See 0001							
0016		" "							
0017		" "							
0018 ✓	0018	Small pit/scoop					✓	✓3	-
0019 ✓	0019	Small scoop (? posthole remnant)					✓	✓3	-
0020 ✓	0020	Ditch, east-west alignment, finds from upper 0-10m of fill under this number, (see also finds under 0015 and 0017, general scatter around ditches 0020 and 0022), Section 0036	over 0021	CKM6,7	✓	✓3	-		
comp. dt ✓		was across ditches 0020 and 0022, finds mixed.							
0020 ✓	0021	Lower fill of 0020	0020		✓	✓3	-		
0020	0026	Section through ditch 0020 to east of	0027						

OP	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION	CUTS	CUT BY	PHOTO	PLAN	SECTION	SIEVED	FLOT SAMPLE
comp of 0020	0026	section at 0020/0021, close to butt, - end of ditch at its eastern end, (finds from 0-10 m of upper fill under 0026),		CKM 6,7 ✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
0020 ✓	0027	Lower fill of ditch 0020, under 0026,				✓	✓	✓	-
0020 ✓	0028	Pot base, found in fill 0026 of ditch 0020, inverted in upper ditch fill, crushed by weight of machinery, fill same as ditch fill.				-	-	-	
0021		See 0020							
0022 ✓	0022	Small, shallow ditch, east-west alignment, parallel, and just to north of 0020, also number for finds from cleaning over ditch and over 0025, section 0036 across ditches 0020 and 0022, finds mixed.		CKM 6,7	✓	✓	✓	-	
0022 ✓	0025	Section through 0022				✓	✓	✓	-
0022 ✓	0031	Section through 0022.				✓	-	-	
0022 ✓	0032	Cleaning over 0031				-	-	-	
0022 ✓	0035	Iron object from fill of 0022 (detector find)				✓	-	-	

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OP	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION	CUTS	CUT BY	PHOTO	PLAN	SECTION	SIEVED	FLOT SAMPLE
0023	0023	Small scoop	0024			✓	✓ 3	-	
0024	/ 0021	Small pit/scoop, possible natural feature, no finds, fill a very light brown sand similar to surrounding material.	0023			✓	✓ 3	-	
0025		See 0022							
0026		" 0020							
0027		" "							
0028		" "							
0029	10029	Large pit, lingular shape on a south-west path end alignment, hand made, flint-gritted pottery shards in fill, (? Iron Age).	0030			✓	✓ 4	-	
0030	0030	Pit with considerable quantity of baked clay fragments in its upper fill, (numbered 0030), with a baked clay pad, 0033, in the centre of its fill and a chipporial rich sandy fill, 0034, below 0033. The baked clay pad, 0033, sat in the middle of the pit and did not touch any of the sides, it appeared to have been broken in situ, it is possible this feature could be some form of domestic oven with 0033 as its base and the collapsed super- structure in 0030. However it is difficult	0029			✓	✓ 4	✓	SOIL SAMPLE

OP	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION	CUTS	CUT BY	PHOTO	PLAN	SECTION	SIEVED	FLOT SAMPLE
0030	✓	To see how such a feature could have been fired, unless it was done internally with wood or charcoal. An alternative is that the material in 0030 represents debris from a nearby oven/burnt structure. Some of the baked clay fragments in 0030 appeared to have wattle impressions.							
0030	0033	Baked clay pod/base in centre of fill in 0030, upper surface heavily burnt, lower half unbaked yellow clay (probably from a local source as this sand/gravel material has various clayey deposits present), fill around 0033 charcoal rich.	0034	✓ C3L 46.7 CKM 10-14	✓	✓	✓	-	
0030	0034	Fill below 0033 in 0030, charcoal rich.	0033	C3L 6.7 CKM 12-14	✓	✓	✓	✓	SOIL SAMPLE
0031		See 0022							
0032	" "								
0033	" 0030								
0034	" "								
0035	" 0022								
0036	0036	Section across ditches 0020 and 0022, near western edge of the area examined, finds mixed					✓	✓	-
0037	0037	Small pit located 16 m to south of main area examined (see also 0038)					✓	✓	-
0038		See 0001					✓	✓	-
0039	0039	Shallow scoop, located ~ to south of main							
~ 40	~ 40	~ 40 m to area examined,							

Thorington TNG 014 Finds

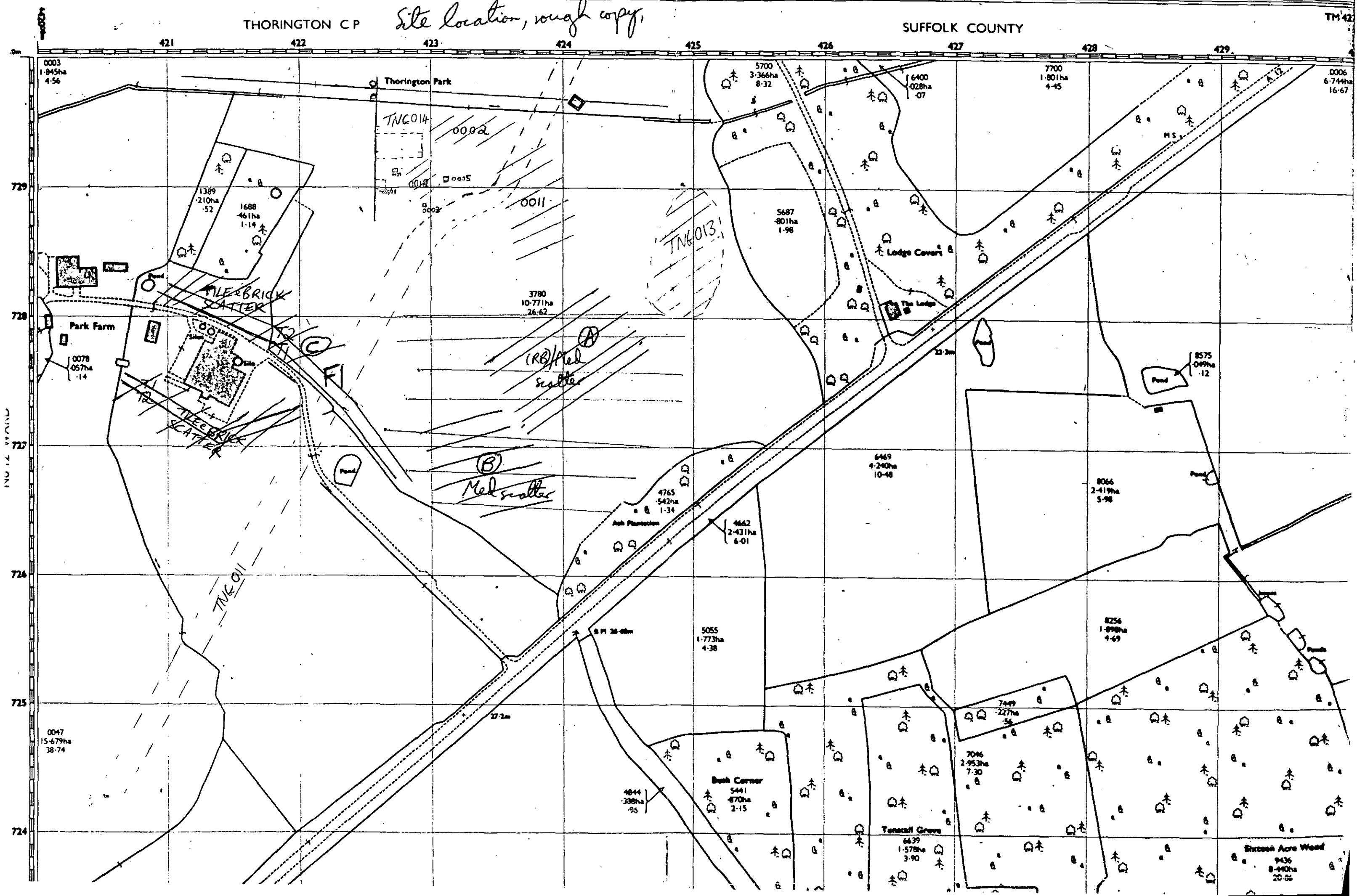
OPNO	POTNOS	POTKGMS	FLINTNOS	CLAYKGMS	TILENOS	TILEKGMS	MISC
0001	46	0.210	0	0.050	0	0.000	
0002	4	0.050	1	0.000	0	0.000	
0003	1	0.010	0	3.230	0	0.000	
0004	88	1.010	0	1.450	0	0.000	
0005	61	0.400	0	2.850	0	0.000	Burnt flint 250g (sample only)
0006	87	1.000	0	6.250	0	0.000	
0007	0	0.000	0	1.000	0	0.000	
0008	0	0.000	0	2.300	0	0.000	
0011	6	0.050	14	0.000	0	0.000	
0012	2	0.020	3	0.000	0	0.000	
0013	2	0.010	0	0.000	0	0.000	
0014	11	0.065	0	0.000	0	0.000	
0015	45	0.200	0	0.000	0	0.000	
0016	57	0.325	3	0.000	2	0.050	Cu alloy stud; Pb weight, small pierced cone.
0017	18	0.100	0	0.000	0	0.000	
0018	12	0.060	0	0.025	0	0.000	
0019	1	0.005	0	0.000	0	0.000	
0020	27	0.200	0	0.000	0	0.000	
0021	108	1.200	1	0.000	0	0.000	
0022	14	0.050	0	0.000	0	0.000	
0023	4	0.025	0	0.000	0	0.000	
0025	12	0.025	0	0.000	0	0.000	
0026	102	1.125	0	0.000	0	0.000	
0027	293	2.500	0	0.000	0	0.000	
0028	5	0.450	0	0.000	0	0.000	
0029	36	0.240	0	0.000	0	0.000	
0030	40	0.225	0	9.800	0	0.000	Animal bone sheep/goat 90g
0031	249	3.500	2	0.000	0	0.000	
0032	34	0.200	0	0.000	0	0.000	Fe slag 50g; Lava quern 750g
0034	3	0.025	0	0.000	0	0.000	
0035	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0.000	Fe ? hinge
0036	46	0.500	1	0.000	0	0.000	
0037	8	0.025	0	0.625	0	0.000	
0038	18	0.050	0	0.000	2	0.150	
0039	25	0.100	0	0.000	0	0.000	
0040	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0.000	Cu alloy coin
<u>TOTAL</u>	1465	13.955	25	27.580	4	0.200	

Site location, rough copy

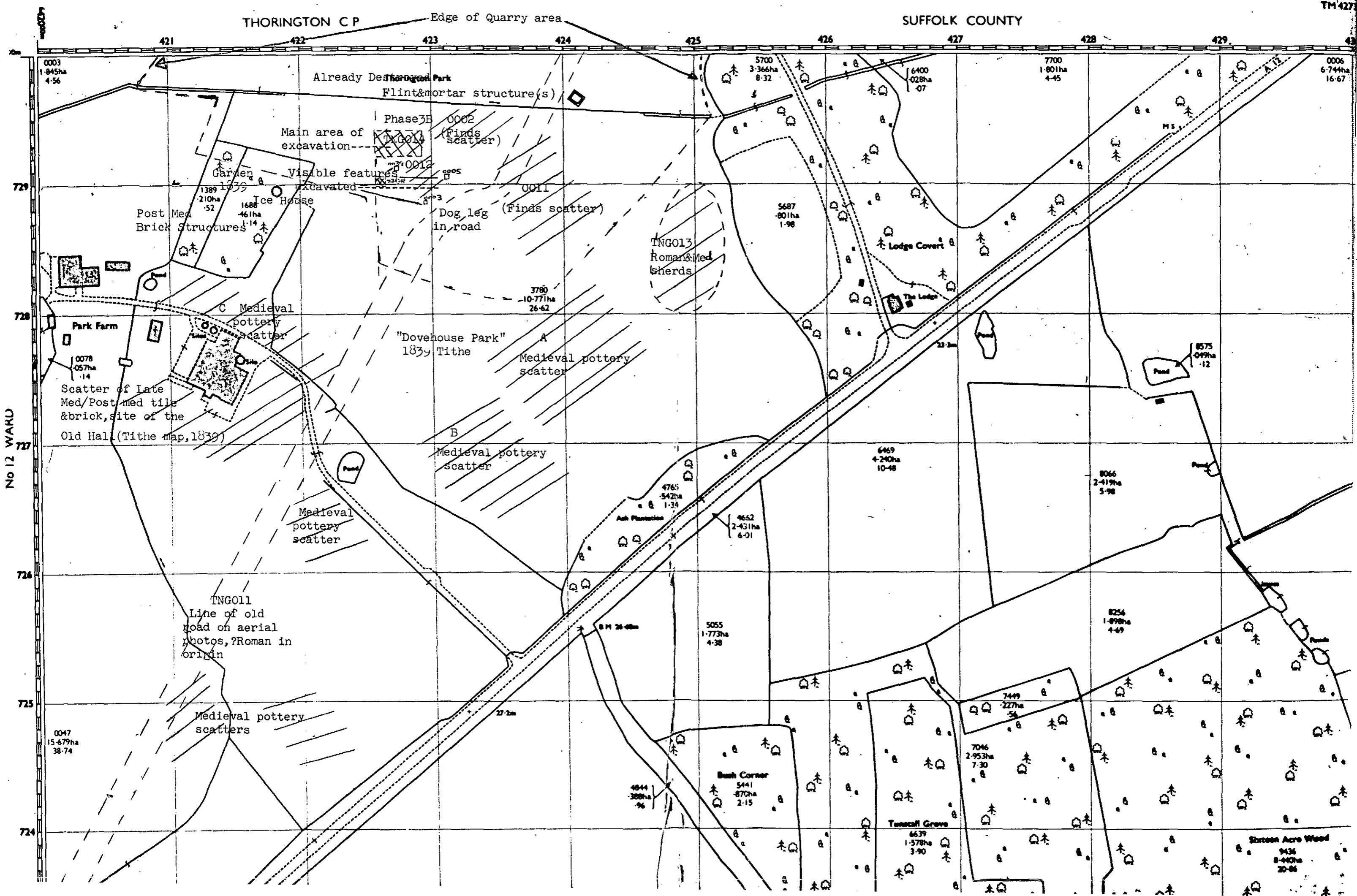
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nos 014

FINDS INVENTORY

SITE: Park Farm, Thorington (By T. Carter)

BUILDING MATERIAL

OBJECT
SAMPLE

Pottery

OP. NO	CONTEXT	DESCRIPTION	NO.	KGM.	DRAWN	KEPT /or X
0001						
✓ 0002		4 shards	50g	4	0.05	
✓ 0003		" "	10g	1	0.01	
✓ 0004		48 shards, no fine wares	300g	48	0.30	
✓ 0005		61 " " " "	400g	61	0.40	
✓ 0006		87 " " " "	1,000g	87	1.00	
+ 0007		—				
+ 0008		—				
+ 0009		—				
+ 0010		—				
✓ 0011		6 shards, handmade, 7 pre-historic	50g	6	0.05	
		(inc 1 rim shard)				
✓ 0012		2 shards, no fine wares	20g	2	0.02	
✓ 0013		2 " " " "	10g	2	0.01	
✓ 0014		11 " " " "	65g	11	0.065	
✓ 0015		45 " , inc 2 colour coat,	200g	45	0.20	
✓ 0016		57 " inc 1 colour coat, 2? handmade & 2 fine reddish fabric	325g	57	0.325	
✓ 0017		18 shards, no fine wares,	100g	18	0.10	
✓ 0018		12 " " " "	60g	12	0.06	
✓ 0019		1 ? shard	5g	1	0.005	
✓ 0020		27 shards	200g	27	0.12	
✓ 0021		108 " no fine wares	1,200g	108	1.20	
✓ 0022		14 " " " "	50g	14	0.05	
✓ 0023		4 " " " "	25g	4	0.025	
X 0024		—				

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FINDS INVENTORY

SITE:

**OBJECT
SAMPLE
BUILDING MATERIAL**

Pottery

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FINDS INVENTORY

SITE: Park Farm, Thorington (By T. Carter)

WORKED FLINT

OBJECT SAMPLE

Flint

BUILDING MATERIAL

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FINDS INVENTORY

SITE: Park Farm, Thorington (By T. Carter) BUILDING MATERIAL

OBJECT SAMPLE
Daub/Baked Clay

OP. NO	CONTEXT	DESCRIPTION	CONSERVED	KGM	DRAWN	KEPT ✓ or X
0004		400g, mainly "brick" fragments		0.40		
0006		4,000g " "		4.00		
0007		1,000g Fragments of one baked clay "brick"		1.00		
0008		2,300g " " " "		"	2.30	
0009		—				
0010		—				
0011		—				
0012		—				
0013		—				
0014		—				
0015		—				
0016		—				
0017		—				
0018		25g		.025	X	
0019		—				
0020		—				
0021		—				
0022		—				
0023		—				
0024		—				
0025		—				
0026		—				
0027		—				
0028		—				
0029		—				
0030		9,800g, numerous fragments with wattle impressions,		9.80		
0031		—				
0032		—				

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FINDS INVENTORY

SITE:

OBJECT
SAMPLE
BUILDING MATERIAL

Daub/Baked
Clay

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FINDS INVENTORY

SITE: Park Farm, Thorington

TILE

OBJECT SAMPLE

BUILDING MATERIAL

Mise

OP. NO	CONTEXT	DESCRIPTION	CONSERVED	X-RAY	DRAWN	KEPT /or X
		Metal				
✓ 0016		Cu alloy stud/rivet, diam 9mm. ?date				
✓ 0040		" " coin, very				
✓ 0016		Pb weight, small pierced cone,				
✓ 0035		Fe? hinge,				
✓ 0032		Slag				
✓ 0032		Fe slag fragment 50g				
✓ 0032		Lava quem				
✓ 0032		small fragment 750g				
✓ 0016		Tile/brick				
✓ 0016		2 small tile/brick frags 50g	2	0.05		
✓ 0038		2 tile fragments 150g	2	0.15		
✓ 0030		Animal bone				
✓ 0030		? sheep/goat	90g			
		Soil samples - from 0005, 0006, 0030 & 0037 (see sample sheets), also natural clay sample.				

TNG 014 Pottery spot dating notes (JP 1992)

OP no	Fabric	Form	Comment	Date
0001	GX		fragmentary, jar rims	C2 +
	GPK	2		
0002	GX	3	at least 2 are med	med
	GPK	1		Rom
0003	GX	1	base, mixed sand & grog temper	Rom
0004	GPK	8	body sherd, some burnished	
	GX		fabrics fairly sandy, some sandwiched,	C2 +
		8.1	nest non-diag	
			(2 bits 'dome plate')	
		4 rim	7.1	
			dec lattice band 1 (on form 4)	C2?
0005	GX		white inclusions characteristic.	E1 1/C2
	(4)		1 rim 'slight overter'? (ext)	
			1 rim wavy shape (-)	
			also ext 1 bs with sooted surf.	
			some incised condens.	
			+ 4 frags 'dome plate'	
0006	GX		As 0005, some joining, prob limited no. vessels, jar forms rounded to slightly squat-ended - 1 ext.	C2 +
			+ 5 dome plate frags.	
0011	PR		1 collared rim, first gritted b-clay	IA
0012	GX		(some mica) 6 undiag.	Rom
0013	GX	1	poss handmade, sand & some veg temper thick frag -	?/A
0014	GX	4	Abraded b-s.	
	PR	5	single vessl, basal, sand & veg temper	LIA?
	PR	2	joining, bead rim, sand temper	LIA
0015	RC	2	DR cc., rough cast	mid C2 A
	RX	4	poss flagons, pale OR fabric	?
	GM, GX		gen fragmentary, turned bases, combined wavy like dec, looks earlier than 0005 etc.	C1 +

OP	Fabric	Form	Comment	Date
0016	PR 3		coarse flint grit	1A?
	SA 1	?Dr. 33	v. abraded	C2
	RC 1	sp.	prob songl cast breaker frag.	C2
	WX 6		yellow-brown ?plagan	
	GX	4.	mostly rims 7+8, one w/ l. seat/lip noted prev.	
	GX		Square rim, black fab no snfs	med
0017	GX	6.18 1	Some mica in fabric. dec. ^{bumped} wavy line, incised orn	C2+
0018	PR	3	sand + veg shreds, as 0014	LIA?
	PR	1 rim	, misc b.s. sandy fabric	" "
	GX	1 bs	v. sandy ?intrusive!	Rom or Med
0019			frag., no snfs, soft ?baked clay	?
0020	GX	6.1	Flat rim + 2 grooves, vert. side	LCI/C2
	GM	5	(= WSF type micaceousness) ?? of 5-4	
	GX		misc, dec inc. wavy line	
	RX		v. thick buff/orange	
0021	GX #	6. ①	straight side carinated bowl + small flat rim, b. lattice ext:	? C2
	GX		several shreds of lg. jar with alternating 'feather/leaf' & crosshatched triangle in band.	
			misc jars forms 7, 8	nil post C2
	GM 1			
0022	RX 4		buff snfs, thick ^{OR} fabric	Rom
	GX		poss 5-4 shreds, undiag:	? C2?
0023	PR P		sandy fabric	PLIA
	?		oxidized, sand + veg temper	? HA
	GX		2 frags.	?
0025	GX	b: ?	flat rim	{ C1/C2
		5. 4?	(rim frag only)	

OP	Fabric	Form	Comment	Dark
0026	gx	6.?	c9 flanged hemisph. bowl; broad flange w frill end. Some mica. single vessel, draw able	PTO
		6.21 1	4.2-2 2 cordon + dot impson shoulder	C1/ccl2
	gm	7	brownish fabric	"
0027	gx (+ some gm)	5.2-1 (burnt lattice band)		C1/ccl2
		4-6		
	some dark / sandwich fab.	6.18 (frag)		
		2-1	large sherdS, sev. draw able 1 piece "dome plate" Possibility of onsite manufacture? some fabrics not dissimilar	
0028	+ gx	single base (typ1), sandy brownish fabric. ? burnt		
0029	+ PR	(prob single vessel). Flint temper b-sheds	IA	
0030	PR	mainly sand tempered fabrics	LIA	
		several (rimS, base). 1 frag? incised dec (draw able)		
0031	SA 3	Drag. 31 prob same vessel		C2?
	RX	base & body of lg. jar		
	gx (+ occas gm)	Some lg. pieces		
	(more grey fab's than 0027)	5.2-1 (burnt vert. line band)		C1/ccl2
		3-11 (low shoulder, ? undec) torned bases typ2		
0032	gx gm	6.18 4 single vessel, profile. 4 in 1 burnt clay		C2
	gx	m.3c		
	? RC	1 frag, surf. lost, (r. cast type?)		C2?
0034	PR	sand temper Dark fabrics		LIA

0036	GX	jar rims, mostly undercut, fragmentary + baked clay frag	CZ #
0037	GX	1 rim (2 pieces) extremely burnt + other burnt sherd burnt clay?	
0038	PR 9 GX 8	prob single base, sand temper fragmentary, some poss early	LIA Rom
0039	GX	6.18.3 misc frags, some? early. 1.6. clay	CZ

NB. Fabric codes and form numbers as used in Pakenham PKM 005 pottery analysis.

Mr P Bradshaw
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Park Farm
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Suffolk

JN/KS 30.1
John Newman
20 December 1991

Dear Mr Bradshaw,

Park Farm, Thorington - Archaeological Excavation

The archaeological finds from the excavation carried out in the Phase 3B of the quarry have now received a preliminary examination and an interim report can therefore be given on the work carried out to date. The area examined is shown on the enclosed map.

The site examined appears to have been a small rural farmstead which had its origins in the Iron Age (c 2000 years ago), and continued in use into the Romano-British period in the first and second centuries AD. As the mechanical grades had removed a fair amount of the top and sub-soil it is likely that any evidence for timber buildings had already been removed before excavation began. However two probable domestic ovens, with large amounts of baked clay debris, two ditches and a few small pits were located and examined. The two ditches in particular produced large quantities of Romano-British pottery sherds, the quality of this pottery indicating that the site was a fairly poor one in the first and second century period. A rubbish or storage pit of Iron Age date was also excavated.

It is of particular interest that this site is adjacent to the old route of the main east coast road which is likely to be originally of Roman date. This stretch of the road lying between major Roman sites at Wickham Market and Wenham. The line of the old road can clearly be seen on aerial photographs and it is interesting to note that there is a slight "dog-leg" in the area of the settlement site that was examined. This indicates that the small settlement was already in existence when the road line was laid out in the first century AD. A metal detector search was carried out over the area as Roman sites are usually quite productive, however this site only produced one bronze coin.

Field survey in the area to the south of the quarry did not locate any significant Roman sites. However, a series of Medieval pottery scatters were located and these probably represent cottage/farm sites of the thirteenth and fourteenth century period. This being a time of high rural population in Suffolk and all of these settlement sites must be directly related to the old road line. The Medieval sites are also shown on the enclosed map.

From the enclosed map it can also be seen that the Romano-British site must go into your Phase 4 area in the north west corner of the present quarry area. We would therefore be grateful if you could give us good warning of when the topsoil stripping is to start in this area. It is likely that we will want to spend a few days examining any archaeological features that are uncovered in the Phase 4 area and I would hope that any such work can be conveniently fitted into your own work programme, as we did on Phase 3B.

Finally I would like to thank you and all your quarry staff for the co-operation which enabled us to salvage a lot of valuable archaeological information about this Romano-British site.

Yours sincerely,

for County Planning Officer

SOIL SAMPLE RECORD SHEET

SAMPLE FOR BULK SIEVING.

SITE:	<i>Park Farm, Thorngton</i>	SITE CODE:	TNG 014
CONTEXT NUMBER:	0005	BULK SAMPLE NO.	BS

SIZE OF SAMPLE (NO. OF BUCKETS): *bags* 1 (small)

SOIL WATER STATE: DRY MOIST WET WATERLOGGED

ORGANIC CONTENT: HIGH MEDIUM LOW NONE

EVIDENCE OF MODERN BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY: ROOTS EARTHWORMS INSECTS

DEGREE OF CONTAMINATION WITH OTHER CONTEXTS: SEVERE LITTLE NONE

GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF CONTEXT:

*Scoop with charcoal rich fill, 0005,
Probable pottery kiln*

REASON CONTEXT SELECTED FOR SAMPLING:

Carbonised material

SAMPLED BY:

JAN

BULK SIEVING BY:

DATE:

Oct, 1991

USE THE BACK OF THIS FORM TO RECORD OTHER PERTINENT INFORMATION.

LABELLING: USE PLASTIC LABELS (2) WITH WATERPROOF MARKERS. FROM EACH SAMPLE TWO FRACTIONS WILL BE OBTAINED: FLOT AND RESIDUE. THESE SHOULD BE LABELLED BS/F/1 etc. AND BS/R/1 etc. RESPECTIVELY.

SOIL SAMPLE RECORD SHEET

SAMPLE FOR BULK SIEVING.

SITE:	<i>Park Farm, Thorington</i>	SITE CODE:	<i>TNG 014</i>
CONTEXT NUMBER:	<i>0006</i>	BULK SAMPLE NO.	BS
SIZE OF SAMPLE (NO. OF BUCKETS): <i>1 (small)</i>			
SOIL WATER STATE:		DRY	MOIST
ORGANIC CONTENT:		HIGH	LOW
EVIDENCE OF MODERN BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY:		ROOTS	EARTHWORMS
DEGREE OF CONTAMINATION WITH OTHER CONTEXTS:		SEVERE	LITTLE

GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF CONTEXT:

*Scoop, 0005, lower fill, charcoal rich,
Probable pottery kiln*

REASON CONTEXT SELECTED FOR SAMPLING:

Carbonised material

SAMPLED BY:

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SOIL SAMPLE RECORD SHEET

SAMPLE FOR BULK SIEVING.

SITE:	Park Farm, Thorngreen	SITE CODE:	TNG 014
CONTEXT NUMBER:	0030	BULK SAMPLE NO.	BS
SIZE OF SAMPLE (NO. OF BUCKETS): <i>1 bag</i>			
SOIL WATER STATE:		DRY	MOIST
		WET	WATERLOGGED
ORGANIC CONTENT:		HIGH	MEDIUM
		LOW	NONE
EVIDENCE OF MODERN BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY:		ROOTS	EARTHWORMS
		INSECTS	
DEGREE OF CONTAMINATION WITH OTHER CONTEXTS:		SEVERE	LITTLE
		NONE	

GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF CONTEXT:

Late Iron Age Pit with much burnt material and charcoal rich fill,

REASON CONTEXT SELECTED FOR SAMPLING:

Carbonised material,

SAMPLED BY:

JAN

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SOIL SAMPLE RECORD SHEET

SAMPLE FOR BULK SIEVING.

SITE:

Park Farm, Thorington,

SITE CODE:

TNG 014

CONTEXT NUMBER:

0037

BULK SAMPLE NO.

BS

SIZE OF SAMPLE (NO. OF BUCKETS): 2 bags

DRY	MOIST	WET	WATERLOGGED
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SOIL WATER STATE:

DRY MOIST WET WATERLOGGED

ORGANIC CONTENT:

HIGH MEDIUM LOW NONE

EVIDENCE OF MODERN BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY:

ROOTS EARTHWORMS INSECTS

DEGREE OF CONTAMINATION WITH OTHER CONTEXTS:

SEVERE LITTLE NONE

GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF CONTEXT:

Small pit with charcoal rich fill,

REASON CONTEXT SELECTED FOR SAMPLING:

Carbonised material,

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