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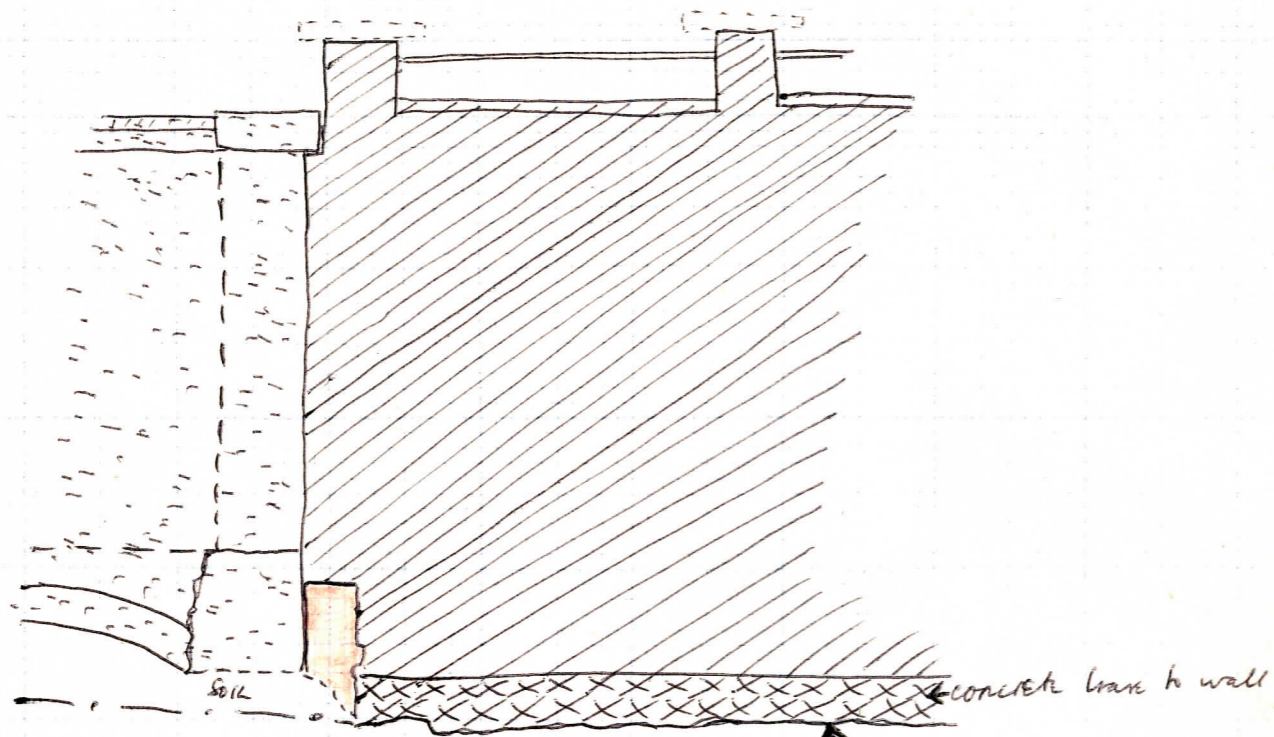


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VIEW LOOKING NORTH



concrete = top of N. section of Area S (N. side of trench lined up along this, which projects beyond wall 1.)

⋯ = churchyard boundary wall

//// = modern brick wall (1.)

■ = west wall of cellars (2.)

DITCH SECTIONS IN AREA S.
(CONT'D FROM BOOK 4)

N-S
Gully
IS (53) (76)

DITCH SECTION G-H

This is drawn on graph paper with the first main West section of Trench R, of which it is a continuation.

Description of Section.....

SECTION NUMBER

STRAT. NUMBER.

1. Modern brick wall forming boundary to Jee Stadium carpark; runs round part of the "Nottingham Castle" property.

The lower levels of this must be a brick facing only, as North of the wall there is concrete (see Trench R)

2. This would appear to be the West wall of the cellars continuing through from Trench R (? a corner here as the bricks facing Southwards do not appear broken) (look? broken Eastwards)
This projects slightly beyond 1.
See sketch opposite.

3. loam crumbly soil - ? excavated in area S
before the N. side of the trench was realigned
to coincide with the concrete projecting from wall 1.

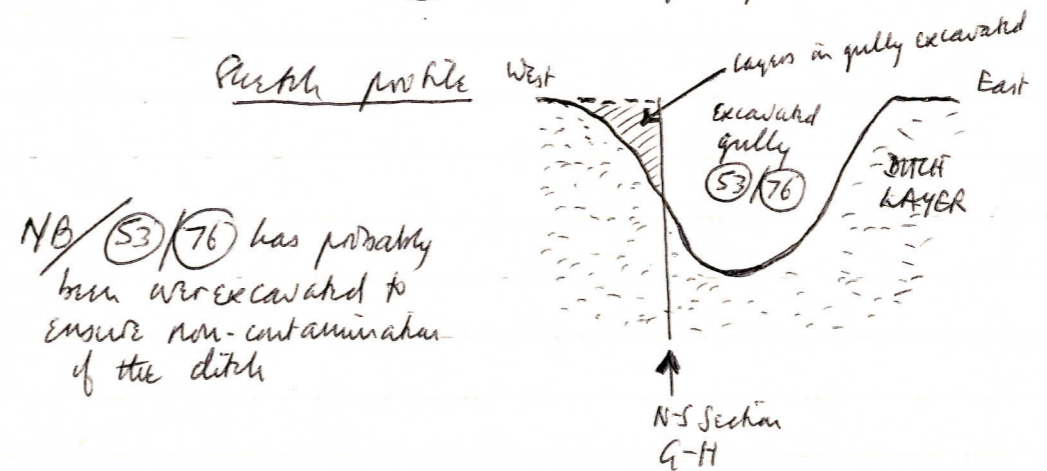
4. } Excavated down to this level in Area S,
5. } leaving only ditch layers to be sectioned

6. This was probably wall trench.

7. This, the top profile of this section, was
projected from the West onto this section
(projected from the W. side of the N-S
gully (53/76))

8. All this shaded area has been excavated
as gully (53/76), leaving only ditch
layers to draw.

Had a section been cut through this
area it would have showed a longitudinal
N-S section along the N-S gully (53/76).



DITCH FILLING

9. Brownish fawn sand with iron-brown flecks
(NB the natural at the S. side of the
ditch here has a lot of iron-brown speckles
and striations in it — iron-brown flecks in
layers could derive from this)
10. Fawn-brown sand with mid-grey nodules.
Iron-brown flecks and some greenish (cray?)
flecks.
11. Dark grey silty/sandy with a few flecks of
charcoal. Possibly very slightly lumpy.
- 12 } Probably same layer = darkish grey-fawn
13 } sand(y) with charcoal flecks and iron-brown
flecks.
- 14 Light fawn sand with sparse iron-brown
flecks. Overtones of grey and yellow sand.
- 15 } Probably same layer = grey-fawn sand(y)
16 } with charcoal flecks and iron-brown flecks.
Rather similar to 12/13 but paler colour
(slightly).

17. Mid-grey sand with a blobby content of whitish sand.
18. Dark grey silty/sandy with warts of whitish sand.
19. Mid-grey to dark grey silty/sandy with warts of whitish sand.
20. Very dark grey silty/sandy with one or two charcoal flecks. Slightly lumpy texture.
? water erosion channel filled with muck/veg.
21. Mid-grey sand/silt with milky white sand warts.
22. Very similar to 21 — possibly slightly paler.
23. Whitish-grey sand, a little lighter than 22.
24. Whitish sand with light grey warts. Possibly faintly bluish.
25. Lighter than 24 = whitish sand, very faintly grey.
26. Whitish sand, slightly grey, but lighter than 25.

27. Silty coarse yellow-orange sand with faint
white and grey overtones.
Wash from natural rock.



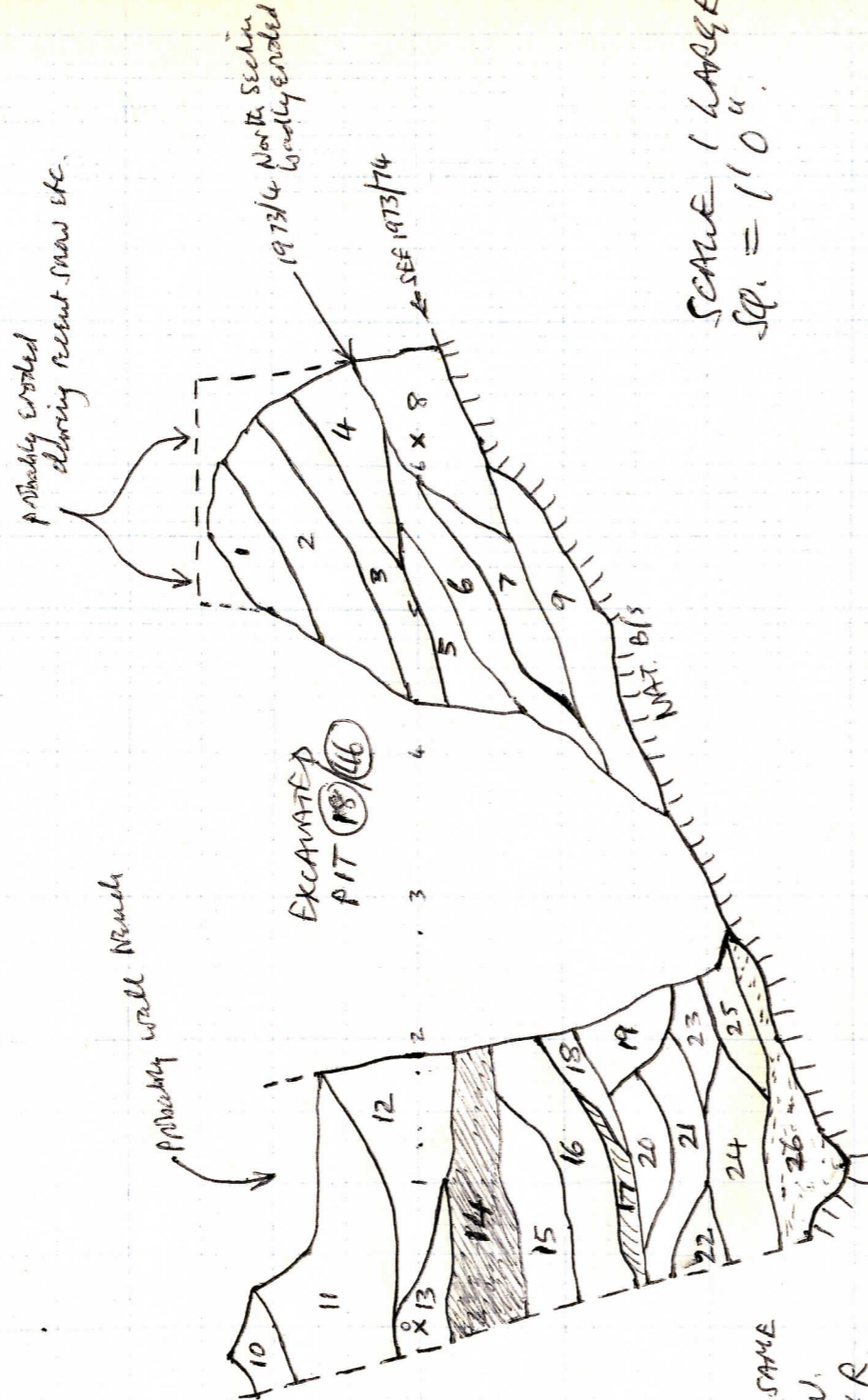
AREAS — MATCH SECTION C-D

NORTH

SOUTH

APPROX. LINE WHERE APPROX. E-W MAP FROM V OF (PROJECTED EAST)

MAIN NORTH SECTION



SECTION CD —

THIS SECTION ON THE SAME LINE AS SECOND W. SECTION OF TRENCH R, BUT NEEDS TO BE REVERSED.

MATCH SECTION CD

This is on the same alignment as the second main West section of Trench R. However, as it was drawn as part of a bank CDGH, it was drawn looking East. It will have to be reversed before adding it to Trench R.

Section drawn opposite.

Descriptions of section

SECTION NOS.

NB. Nos 1 to 5 inclusive are badly dried out and it is practically impossible to see anything here

1. Grey-brown sandy
2. Grey-brown sandy (more brown than 1)
3. Grey-brown sandy fairly similar to 1, but more sand. Occasional ch. cl. pebbles.
4. Brown sandy with grey nodules. Pebbles of ch. cl. and iron-brown.

STRAT. NOS.

(85P)

(85P)

(85P)

(85D)

5. Smooth fawn sandy with grey nodules and sparse large ch.-d. pebbles.

85D

6. Fine brownish fawn sand with faint grey nodules. 1 or 2 ch.-d.

85D

7. Fine silty brownish fawn sand

85D

8. Yellowish-fawn sandy with a lot of iron-brown pebbles and some ch.-d. pebbles.

85D

9. Fine silty brownish fawn sand with yellow sand nodules.

85D

Can't relate 1 to 9 to layers N. of the pit, as this side is much more dried out.



10. Rich brown-fawn sandy with ch.-d. and iron-brown pebbles. Grey nodules.

85A

11. like 10 but lacking grey nodules.

85A

12. like 11 but richer colored and with faint yellow nodules.

85B

13. Fawn-grey sandy with grey lumpy pebbles + sparse large ch.-d.

85B

14. Shaly mid-gray to dark gray turky.
White + fawn sand Nuclei and large ch. cl.
Nuclei.
15. Fawn sand with gray turky admixture and
sparse large charcoal Nuclei.
16. Crusty mid-gray sand/silt with a few large
Nuclei of ch. cl., greenish (very?) speckles,
and iron-brown Nuclei.
17. Dark gray silty / sandy with iron-brown Nuclei
+ faint markings of fawn sand.
18. Fawn sandy with gray markings. Iron-brown
Nuclei + sparse ch. cl.
19. Fawn sand(y) with iron-brown Nuclei and
a few ch. cl. Nuclei.
20. "Muddy" dark gray silty with iron-brown Nuclei
+ faint fawn sand admixture.
21. Like 20 but sandier, and with some whitish
sand.
22. Gray-white sand with mid-gray sand blobs.

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85D

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23. Wispy-waspy whitish fawn sand with grey
arkoses.

(85D)

24. Dirty whitish sand/silt with faintly bluish,
grey arkoses.

(85E)

25. Dirty whitish sand with faintly mauve to
fawn arkoses, and slightly yellowish.

(85E)

26. Compacted coarse yellow/brown/orange
sand, washed from natural rock.

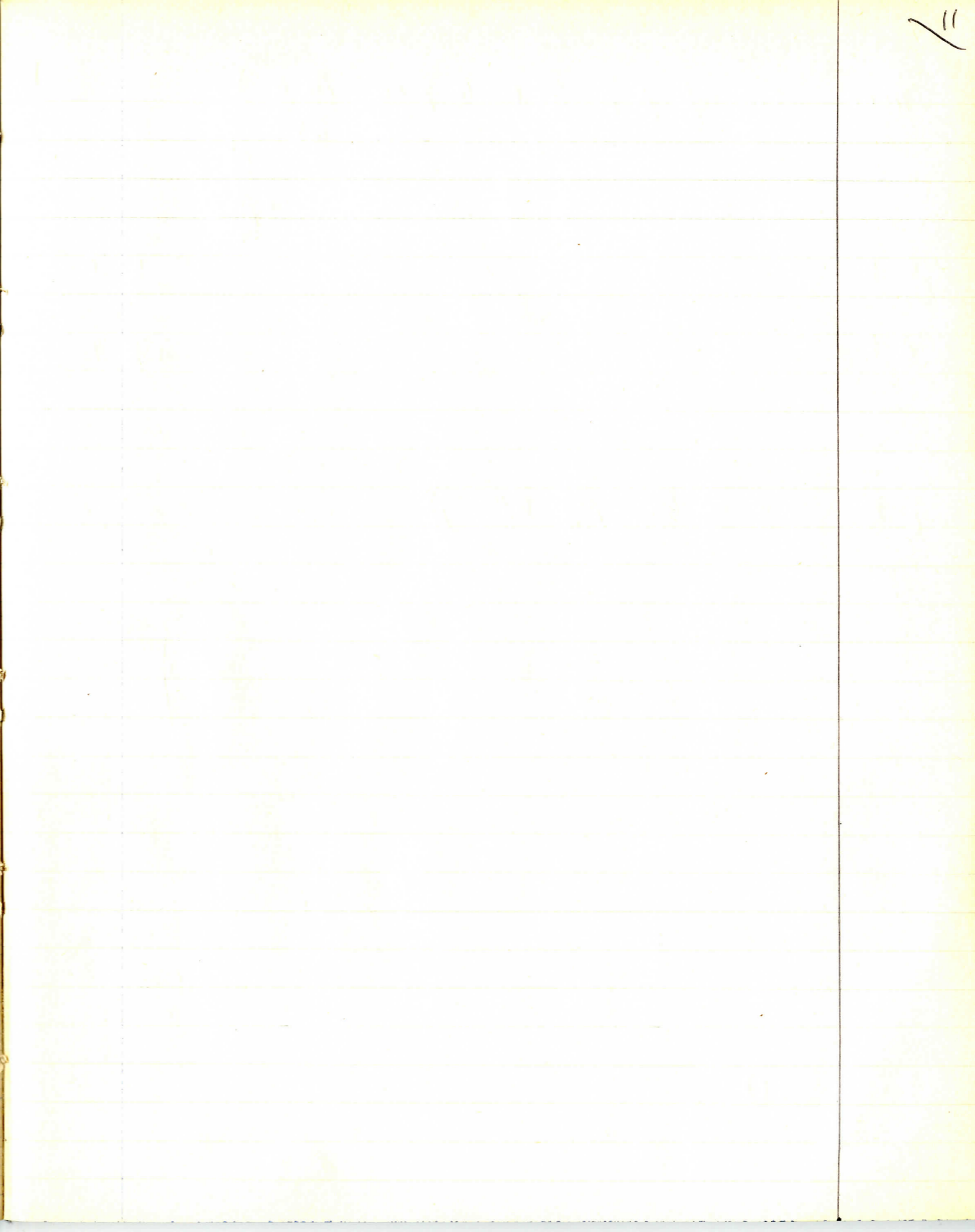
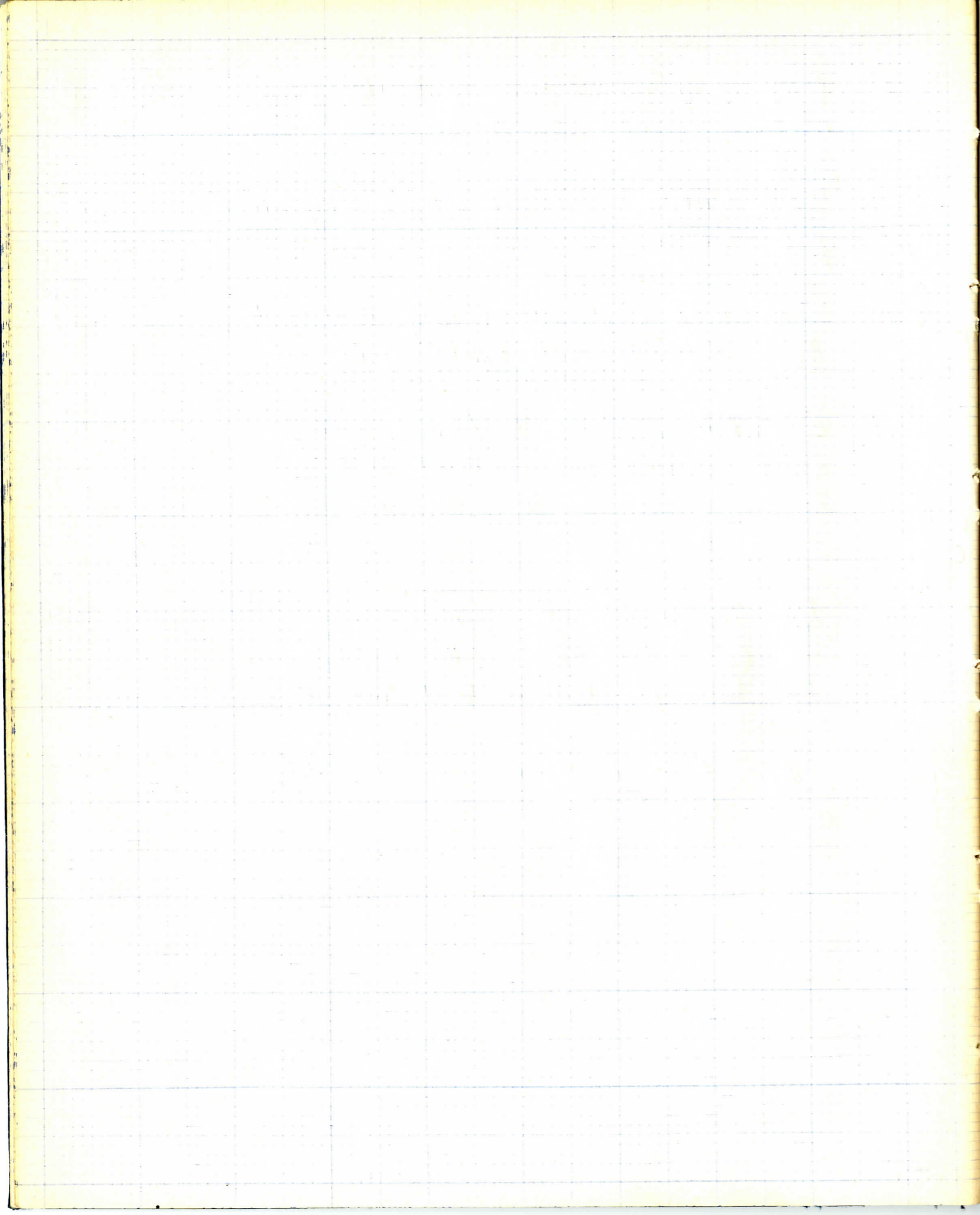
(85E)



NPB. The main north section seems
to bulge a bit here, so the road wall
has been projected on to it from the
East.

Also check this section against ditch
plan when done.





Sketch plan of prep used to plan Area S
(+ See main plan)



C +

+ D

A +

+ B

(Drawn just to show peg lettering)

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SURVEY OF AREA S.

LEVELLING

The major section, which is a composite of the first West section of Trench R, and ditch section GH of Area S, has been related to a nail in the wall which was levelled to O.D. in 1971 and/or 1973/74. The level of this nail is indicated on the section drawing.

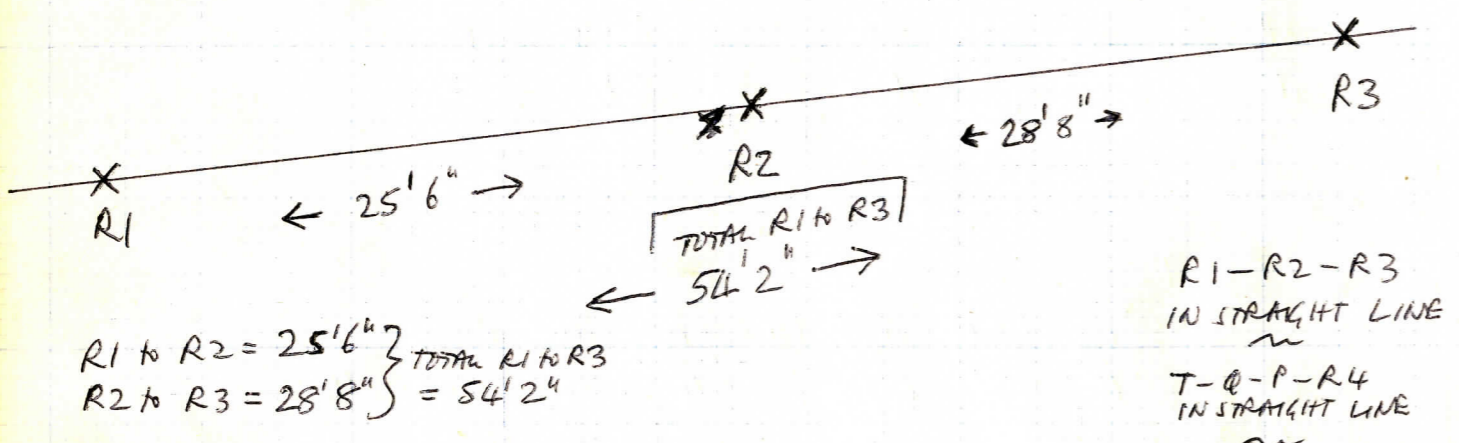
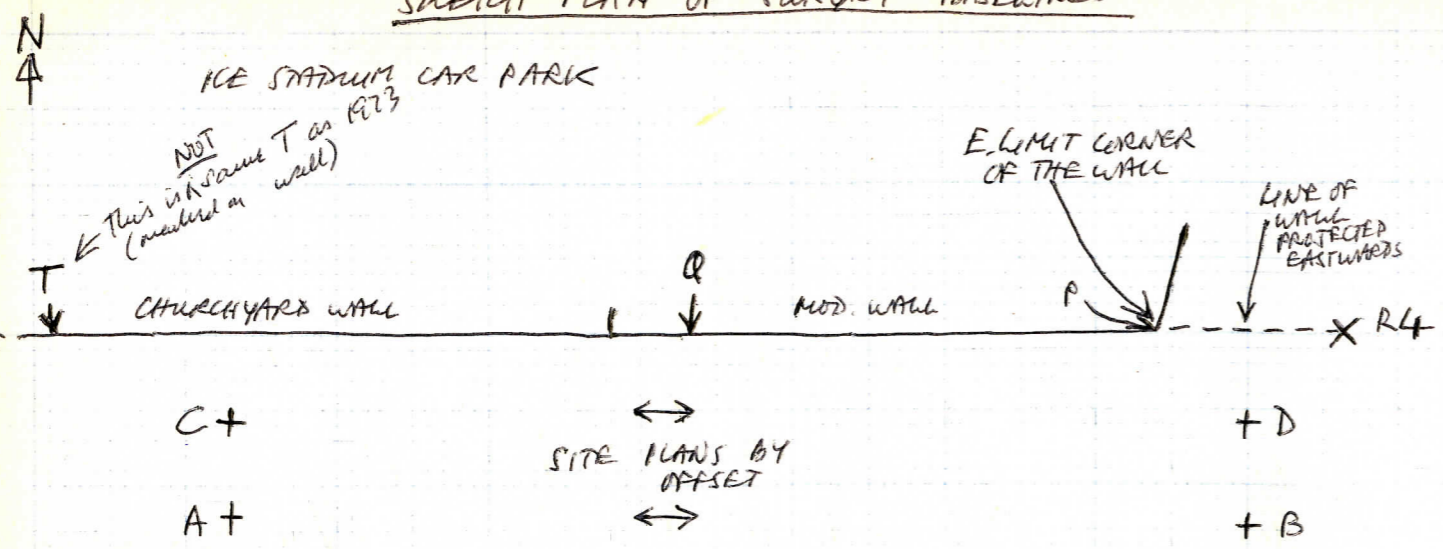
All the other sections can be inter-related with this one via the main North section when it is drawn, and thus to O.D.

SURVEY

As in 1971 and 1973/74, the modern brick wall / churchyard wall which forms the North boundary of the site (and is the South boundary of the car park) has been used as a baseline and treated as a straight line, any of the projecting pillars being ignored.

Because the planning pegs for Area S (pegs A/B/C/D) are too close to the wall to ∇ accurately from the wall, another temporary base-line was (R1/R2/R3) has been set up some

SKETCH PLAN OF SURVEY BASELINES



P = wall corner at E. limit

R4 = extension of wall line eastwards to Ranging Rod

P to R4 (in same straight line as the wall) = 11' 8"

R1 to R2 = 25' 6"

R2 to R3 = 28' 8" (R1 to R3 54' 2")

Q to P = 19' 1"

Q to R4 = 30' 9 1/2"

T to Q = 24' 0 1/2"

STRAIGHT LINE MEASURE - METERS OF BASE LINES

R1-R2-R3 = temporary baseline, triangulated in from the boundary wall (Points T-Q-P and extension to R4)

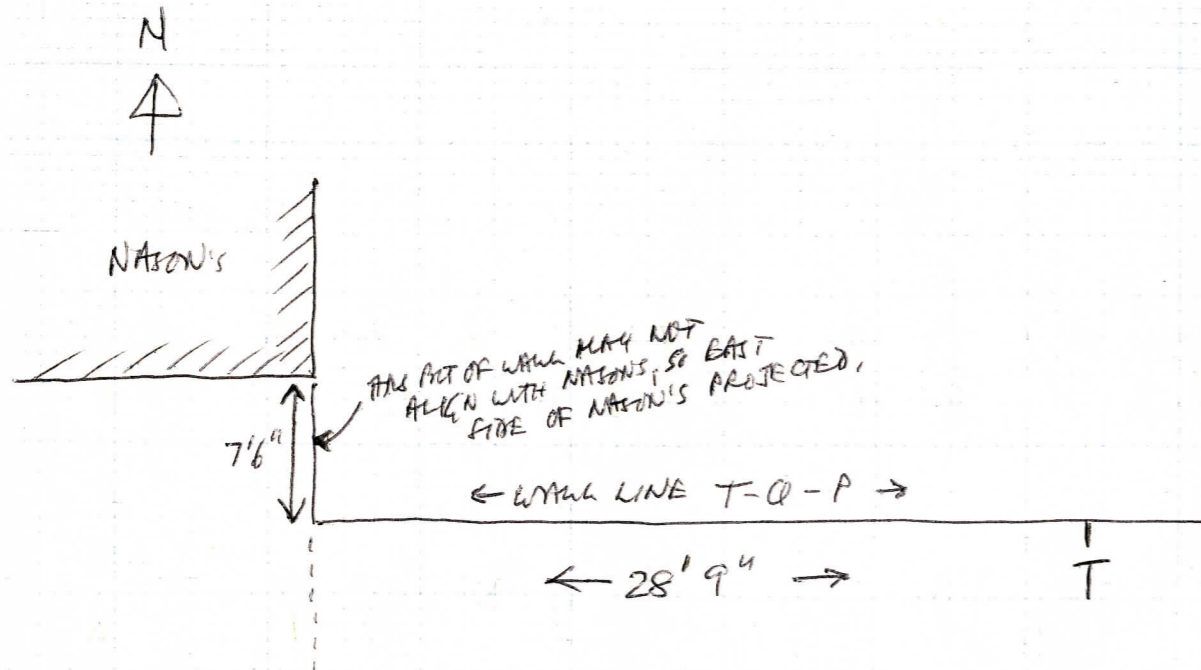
way south from the wall, and ∇ 'd in from the wall. The props have then been triangulated in from R1/R2/R3 — SEE SKETCH PLANS.

Triangulation of baselines R1-R2-R3 from the points along the wall T-Q-P and R4.....

| | | | | | | |
|-----------|--------|------------|---|----|------------|------------|
| | Q | R4 | | T | Q | |
| ∇ | | | | | | |
| R3 | 33' 5" | 14' 9" | } | R1 | 26' 4" | 35' 0" |
| R2 | 21' 0" | 35' 5" | | R2 | 33' 9" | 21' 0" |
| ∇ | | | | R3 | { 56' 4" } | { 33' 5" } |
| DON'T USE | R1 | { 35' 0" } | | | | |
| | | { 59' 9" } | | | | |

RECHECK

DON'T USE



N.B.

For this measurement the East side of Nason's has been projected southwards till it meets the E-W line of the boundary wall.

This projection is 7'6" south from Nason's.

PLANNING PEGS A-B/C-D ON MAIN PLAN, TRIANGULATED
IN FROM TEMPORARY BASE LINE R1/R2/R3

▽

| | R3 | R2 | R1 | |
|-----------------|---------|--------|------------|------------|
| ON PLAN } PEG B | 12' 10" | 24' 1" | { 48' 3" } | ← DONITURE |
| PEG D | 15' 1" | 26' 1" | { 49' 8" } | ← DONITURE |

| | R1 | R2 | R3 | |
|-----------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| ON PLAN } PEG A | 22' 2 1/2" | 22' 1" | { 45' 0" } | ← DONITURE |
| PEG C | 25' 0" | 24' 2 1/2" | { 45' 7" } | ← DONITURE |

EXTRA MEASUREMENT TO ENSURE CORRELATION
WITH PREVIOUS SURVEYS

SEE NOTE
 POINT T ON THE WALL FROM THE
 SOUTH EAST CORNER OF NASON'S WAREHOUSE
 IS 28'9"

~~Note on survey 10/12/82~~

~~This was when surveyed in, from the 1971 line of the wall, as the 1:96 survey (1971, incl. 1973 areas).~~

~~This could mean errors because~~

- ~~① 1971 numbers were surveyed to their wall line (unless a baseline was set up related to Namis?)~~
- ~~② 1973 areas were put in from Namis, which creates a different car park wall line~~

~~At least the '75 area will be consistent re. 71 numbers. But some doubt re. 1973 areas.~~

THE FINAL SECTIONS

After completing excavation of the ditch all three surviving sections of Area S, the west + north + east, were drawn.

THE MAIN WEST SECTION

(Also SECTION FE ON PLAN)

SECTION NUMBER

STRAT. NUMBER

- 1. Bits of whitish mortar with some admixture of black soil.
- 2. Humic black soil with rather compressed sticky texture.



Late pit - ? garden feature

- 3. Humic black soil - this has some large lumps of other material, i.e. 4 and 5....
- 4. Black soil with lumps of red clay to red-brown clayey soil.
- 5. Lumps of red clay, small bits of Bulwell stone, bits of white mortar; all in black soil.

- 17
6. Humic black soil with an admixture of brown soil.
 7. Humic black soil with an admixture of brown soil, like 6.

Relatively modern pipe-trench

8. Fairly homogeneous filling of black soil with an admixture of brown soil, with bits of brick and mortar etc.
9. Cast iron pipe, possibly old gas supply (this runs E-W all along the excavated area, following the course of White Cow Yard etc., and pokes out of the rock face exposed on the E. side of Barker Gate)

Lakish pit, probably at least post-med. or later (16 is black)

NB. Stratigraphically there is the possibility that this is part of a robbing trench for the wall, but I suspect it's an isolated feature.....

10. Very sandy dark grey soil with brownish

overhills.

- 11. Greyish very sandy soil with brown overhills.
- 12. Grey-brown very sandy soil - some red clay streaks at the bottom.
- 13. Greyish silty/sandy soil.
- 14. Reddish-brown sandy soil, probably a re-deposit of something like 17.
- 15. Grey-brown very sandy soil with some slurry bags.
- 16. Compressed lentic black soil, tending towards grey.

~~Probably later than 17~~



- 17. Red-brown to red-grey slightly clayey soil with flecks of white mortar and small tile frags (this occurred over much of the 1973/74 excavated area). Probably late medieval or Elizabethan +, depending on date of the B/S wall. Here it contains

and admixture of blackish soil, probably as
a result of worms.



Wall Trench

This looks to me more like a
back-filled filling trench, with possibly only
19/20/21/22 still in situ. So, unless it
was only like this in the close vicinity of
this section, one wonders what G.Y. planned?

- 18. Red-brown clayey soil containing lumps of
~~dark~~ red clay, small bits of sherry, small
bits of limeste sandstone, white mortar
(All the debris as drawn)
- 19. Large block of b/s - ? in situ (could be
displaced as it appears rather rounded.)
- 20. Grey to brown very silty/sandy with a few
lumps of red clay. Possibly C.T. packing
(or pre-wall silting in trench) derived
from surround.
- 21. Like 20, but contains some *khaki-brown clay
as well as red clay. Tramples in C.T.?
Pre-wall silting in C.T.?
- 22. Compacted darkish grey-brown silty/sandy.

* possibly derived
from removing pit
(45) surround to
build the wall? >

This feature seems to have
derived most of its fill from
the ditch, from which it is
hardly distinguishable. Mainly
it's all slightly more silty!

Will not appear
in site record.

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Trample or silting in C.T.?

N.B. There is no clay bedding layer
for the wall, as planned by G.F., evident in
this section.

Feature

Despite the profile I suspect this
is an isolated feature, e.g. small pit or
large FH. Latish medieval? Certainly
pre-wall to? pre-Elizabethan (if wall is
Elizabethan). Upper layers in it could
possibly be preserved in subsidence.

This feature was not noticed in
excavation until digging the ditch. When
noted* then it was thought to be a
variation in ditch fill.

Most of it as evident in the ditch
should have been removed as an "A" deposit
possibly with some as a "B" deposit.

23. Reddish clayey

24. Grayish silty/sandy with brown carbonate.

25. Reddish clayey like 23.

- 26. Grey sand(y) with faint yellow arduous. A few
 Pieces of red clay. Yellowish like 27.
- 27. Grey-brown sandy with faint yellow arduous. A few
 streaks of ch. cl. / red clay / stony.
- 28. Khaki-brown clay with an admixture of
 grey sandy.
- 29. Brown-grey sandy with a few pieces of ch. cl.
- 30. Like 28 = khaki-brown clay with an admixture
 of grey sandy.
- 31. Brownish-tawn sand
- 32. Grey-brown sand(y) with sparse streaks of ch. cl.
 and a few pieces of khaki clay.
- 33. Brownish-tawn sand like 31
- 34. Brownish-tawn sand like 33, with a few streaks
 of ch. cl. + one streak of red clay.
- 35. Like 32 = grey-brown sand(y) with sparse
 streaks of ch. cl. - one streak of red clay.

- 36. Grey - fawn sand
- 37. Brownish - fawn sand like 33
- 38. Brownish - fawn sand like 37
- 39. Greyish - fawn sand
- 40. Greyish - fawn sand with brown overtones.

Nos. 41 to 46 inclusive are very like layers found North of the wall in 1973 area H.

- 41. Very sandy rich mid-brown soil. Gritty texture.
- 42. Reddish clayey.
- 43. Brown very sandy soil with tile frags.
- 44. Med. tiles + white mortar frags. in grey-brown sandy soil.
- 45. Hard "surface" (evident in plan at this level; cleaned up when drawing section) of hard whitish mortar with small tile frags. Continues in fragmentary form over 47 as indicated.

This side of the section,
from 47^{down} to 71, may all
suggest successive E-W
roads here, as found in
1973 area H.
Also c.f. evidence for roads
in W-sections of Trunk R.

23
46. Grayish darkish gray silty/sandy soil.

47. Gritty brown-gray coarse sand containing a lot of
small pebbles (sparsely packed, however)

? 47 ~~indicates~~ indicative of a road on
surface at this level. Similar very tiny pebbles
found N. of the wall in 1973 Area H.

48. Brown sandy with grayish nodules. A few fine
frag + ch. cl. pebbles.

49. Hard gray sandy, bedded with brown sand.

50. Brown-gray sandy with a few beds of ch. cl.
and red clay. Faintly stained green from cress,
particularly to North.

51. Dark gray sandy, bedded with brown sand.
like 49.

52. Large lenses of red clay in mid-gray sandy.

53. Brown-gray sandy with a few small pieces of
red clay.

54. Paved road surface — closely packed pebbles (size up to c. 1/4"), up to two pebbles thick.

55. Khaki-brown clayey with orangey nodules.

56. Dark grey sandy with cassy green nodules. One or two dr. cl. pebbles, faint nodules of brown sand.

57. Crusty buff-brown sand with yellowish nodules and faint greenish cassy nodules.



Feature

Martin Ellis says there were indications of this continuing Eastwards to ditch section AB. It was however nearly impossible to follow, so would have been dug as an "A" deposit of the ditch.

- ? Roadside gully (wrong profile)
- ? Horizontal beam slot.

58. Dark grey sand with faint nodules. A few traces of brown + red clay.

59. Dark grey sand with sparse dr. cl. pebbles + brown sand nodules.

NB. I didn't see it when drawing section A-B.



- 60. Gray - brown sand with a few pebbles of ch. cl.
- 61. Gray - brown sand with brown sand admixture and a few small pebbles of ch. cl.
- 62. Dark grey sand with brown sand admixture.
- 63. Dark grey sand with faint admixture of brown sand. A few pebbles of ch. cl.



Parts of road sequence —

- 64. Dark grey sand(y) with brown sand admixture. A few pebbles of ch. cl.

Nos. 65 to 71 inclusive show greenish clay etc. and are possibly a rut or drainage gully by a road (could be naturally formed because of slope from W. to E.)

- 65. Hard brownish-green clay pan.
- 66. Faintly greenish, dark grey sand.

- 67. Crusty mid-grey sand with greenish clay streaks.
- 68. Hard brownish green clay part with admixture of mid-grey sand
- 69. ~~Dark grey~~ Whitish sand with grey sand admixture.
- 70. Crusty mid-grey sand.
- 71. Whitish sand with grey sand admixture.

No. 72 may also be associated with roads.

- 72. Dark grey sand(y) with whitish sand admixture
Some small streaks of ch. cl. and red clay.



Ditch fill and layers over the ditch which have subsided into it.....

It is difficult to know at which point to draw the distinction between the two! However, recording will indicate (section profiles), from what level it was excavated as ditch deposits A/B/C/D/E → I would expect this to be over 80/71/78 approx, but check!

73. Mid-grey-brown sandy with yellowish streaks.
One streak of red clay.

74. Mid-grey sandy.

75. Light grey to mid-grey sandy.

{ 76. Grey-fawn sandy with a few streaks of ch. cl. -
faint yellow streaks.

{ 77. Grey-fawn sandy with a few streaks of ch. cl.
and red clay. Faint yellow streaks.

78. Grey-fawn sandy a bit darker than 76

{ 79. Grey-fawn sandy with a few streaks of ch. cl.
More fawn and more sand than 78.

{ 80. Grey-fawn sandy like 79. Possibly more fawn
sand than 79.

81. Fawn sand with grey sand (y) admixture.
Sparse streaks of ch. cl. + iron-brown streaks
Cleaner than 80.

82. Fawn-brown sand with faint grey streaks. Small
streaks of ch. cl., + iron-brown streaks.

LOOK FOR A
DISTINCTION
HERE



83. Silty brown-tan sand with faint grey overtones. Lacks the pebbles of 82.

84. lighter than 83 = silty grey-tan sand with brownish and yellowish overtones.

85. Slightly murky (mid-grey) with strong admixture of tan sand. Sparse large streaks of ch. cl.

86. Brownish-tan sand with faint grey sand admixture. A few streaks of ch. cl.

87. like 85 = slightly murky (mid-grey) with strong admixture of tan sand. Sparse large streaks of ch. cl.

88. Brownish-tan sand, only faintly grey, with a few streaks of ch. cl. More tan than 86.

{ 89. Silty brown-tan sand with a few streaks of ch. cl. — slight grey overtones.

{ 90. like 89 + probably same layer.

91. Brownish-tan sand with slight mid-grey (?? murky) admixture, sparse large streaks of ch. cl.

92. Silty brownish-tan sand with a few large streaks of ch. cl. — faint yellow overtones.

93. Very like 92 but slightly paler + browner with more nodules of yellow sand.

94. Equal admixture of fawn sand and grey turky (mid-grey) with sparse large streaks of ch. cl. (Not really part of dark grey turk band)

95. ^{TURFY} Dark grey turky with slight admixture of fawn sand. Sparse large ch. cl. nodules.

96. ^{TURFY} like 95 but with slightly more sand admixture.

97. ^{TURFY} like 96 but with slightly more sand admixture.

98. ?? part of turky band = silty fawn sand with slight mid-grey turky admixture. A few streaks of ch. cl.

99. ^{?TURFY} like 97 but richer and with greater admixture of fawn sand.

100. Creamish fawn sand with grey nodules and a few small nodules of ch. cl.

Much of this stratification would indicate W. to E. drainage still functioning over or in the ditch (see the N. side layers).



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Below 93/98/99/100 there is a marked change in the ditch filling — it all becomes much cleaner and yellower and sandier.

101. Cleanish fine sand. Fairly grey. A few small pebbles of ch. d.
102. Similar to 101 but with pale yellow-green speckles.
103. Cleanish grey-fine sand.
104. Clean fine sand with grey streaks. Some pebbles of ch. d. and iron-brown pebbles.
105. Clean fine sand with yellow sand admixture. A few ch. d. and iron-brown pebbles.
106. Cleanish silty brownish-fine sand. Fairly grey.
107. Like 106 but less grey.
108. Cleanish brown fine sand a bit darker than 106.

109. like 108 but slightly more greyish.

110. Clean brownish fawn sand with yellow sand admixture.

111. Blobby admixture of yellow sand and clean pale fawn sand.

112. Brownish-fawn sand with yellow warts.

113. Yellowish sand with some pale fawn sand admixture.

114. Silty mid-grey sand with fawn warts.

115. Fairly greyish, fawn sand.

116. like 114.

117. light grey to mid grey silty sand. whitish warts.

118. Pale brownish-fawn sand. yellow warts.

119. Mixed yellow + fawn sand with iron-brown
veils.

120. Dirty white sand with milky grey overtones.

121. Milky white sand with fawn sand
admixture.

122. Milky white sand less fawn than 121.

123. light grey sand with bluish overtones and
slight admixture of fawn sand.

124. Mixed fawn and light grey sand.

125. Yellow sand rock-wash with slight fawn
sand content.

126. Crusty yellow sand from b/s

127. light grey sand with bluish overtones.

128. Crusty yellow sand from b/s

129 Crusty yellow sand from 6/8 mixed with pale grey sand with bluish arbores.

130 Pale grey sand with bluish arbores.

131 Crusty admixture of yellow sand from 6/8 / white sand / pale grey sand with bluish arbores.



END OF W. SECTION.

C.Y. DREW LINES ON SECTION
+ DISCUSSED IT WITH S.N.M.

S.N. MASTORIS DESCRIBED IT AND
TRANSCRIBED IT TO PAPER.

THE MAIN EAST SECTION.

~~SECTION NUMBER~~

This section showed a series of pits dug into a thick bunter sandstone wall (clay-banded) ~~and~~ which ~~was~~ ran north to south ~~and can be seen protruding from the cliff overlooking the gate~~. The wall turned to the west at a right angle just ~~above~~ in the ~~NE~~ N.E. corner of the trench.

SECTION NUMBER

LARGE TRENCH MADE BY ELECTRICITY BOARDS

DUG BY EMEB TO CHECK FOR LIVE CABLE PREPARATORY TO 1973 EXCAVATION.

1. Black soil with large amount of brick rubble ~~and~~ and rubbish.

TURF AND SOIL LAYER.

2. Black soil ^{top soil} supporting turf; some fragments of brick.

~~XXXXXXXXXX~~

~~M. ... trench cut by flying ...~~
? POSSIBLY THE TRENCH CUT BY "FLYING SQUADS." YES.

CHECK WITH 73/74 PLANS. ACTUALLY DUG BY F/S IN '71.

- 3. Black humic soil; quite compact.
- 4. Black humic soil with ~~large~~ ^{considerable} admixture of sand and fragments of yellow Bunter Sandstone. Some fragments of brick also present. - ^{MOTTLED} light grey overall appearance.
- 5. Light ~~yellow~~ ^{to yellowy} sands with some black humic soil admixture; some fragments of Bunter sandstone.
- 6. Black humic soil with some light ~~yellow~~ ^{yellowy} sands admixture.
- 7. Very similar to 5.
- 8. Mid-red clay with admixture of sand and fragments of Bunter sandstone.

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Alternately, this could
be backfilled E end
of 1971? in 1971
the E. end of C was
filled with
a. Electricity cable, which

It is much looser than
below.

PROBABLE
MEASURABLE TRENCH FOR IRON PIPE.

- 8. ~~Black humic soil with~~ compact
- 9. Compact black humic soil with large amount of pebbles* admixture (these were too small to show on the section drawing.) and some brick and concrete fragments.
- 10. Very hard and compact material. - possibly ~~hardened~~ ^{corroded} metal ~~lining~~ ^{of} the iron pipe with an admixture of soil.
- 11. Brown ^{rust-colored} soil with heavy admixture of tile, charcoal, red clay flecks, very small pebbles and ~~quartz~~ sandstone fragments. - below due to ~~rust~~ corrosion of metal pipe above.

*Very tiny pebbles

SMALL PIT

- 12. Soil mottled black and brown with some sandy admixture. Flecks of charcoal and fragments of ^{brick and} sandstone ~~present~~.
- 13. Rubble mixture of ~~red~~ brick, mortar and sandstone fragments. Some charcoal flecks.

14. Mixture of ~~dark grey~~ ~~humic soil~~ ~~and~~ ~~light red clay~~ ~~with~~ ~~fragments of charcoal~~ ~~and~~ ~~sandstone~~

14. Mixture of dark grey humic soil and light red clay, with fragments of charcoal and sandstone.

LARGE PIT.

15. Light brown sandy soil with patches of black humic soil and flecks of sandstone and clay.

16. ~~Very~~ ~~coarse~~ ~~sand~~ Dirty yellow sand with large quantities of sandstone ~~and~~ rubble admixed. Some patches of brown sandy soil.

17. Compact black ^{-GREY} humic soil with fragments of ^{brunter} sandstone.

18. Grey-brown soil with ^{considerable} ~~large~~ sand admixture; - a sandier version of 17.

19. Very similar to 17.; some fragments of tile and a bone. Large blocks of B/S.

- 20. Mid-red clay with sandy admixture; some ~~fragments~~ ^{bricks} fragments of sandstone.
- 21. Bottled grey-brown soil with strong sand admixture. Some fragments of charcoal, ^{bricks} sandstone and tile.
- 22. Fairly compacted black humic soil with flecks of brown and red clay, charcoal and ^{bricks} sandstone. Some bone.
- ~~22~~
- 23. Similar to 22 only with greater admixture of sand so giving a grayer ~~red~~ appearance and less compactness.
- 24. ~~Mid-red clay with~~ ~~bricks~~ sand with red clay admixture and much fragments of ~~bricks~~ sandstone.
- 25. Similar to 23. but less sandy.
- 26. Red-brown humic soil with many flecks of charcoal. Smooth texture, with fragments of ^a red sandstone ^(NOT l/s).
- 27. Very similar to 20. Some fragments of brick.

LARGE PIT

- 28. Mid-red clay with strong sand admixture. Large fragments of Hunter Sandstone, ~~and~~ some sherry and tile. Some flecks of charcoal.
- 29. Similar to 28., but with a greater sand admixture.
- 30. Loose dirty yellow sand, with some black soil admixture along with a large quantity of Hunter sandstone rubble.
- 31. ~~MM~~ Sticky textured red clay.
- 32. Light grey-brown sand with silty admixture. Very soft texture.
- 33. Grey-brown sandy soil with much ~~large~~ charcoal admixture and some fragments of sandstone.

PIT.

- 34. Black humic ~~and~~ soil with brown clayey sections. Flecks of red clay, ~~and~~ fragments of charcoal and sandstone.

- 40
35. Very similar to 34. but with few ~~slay~~ brown clayey overtones (less brown clayey than 34)
36. Very similar to 35 but with large quantity of ~~to~~ larger sandstone fragments.
37. Very similar to 35.
38. Similar to 37, but with ~~less~~ brown overtones and sandier composition.

TRENCH FOR DRAIN PIPE. (CERAMIC DRAIN)

39. Compact clay soil with strong sandy admixture. Fragments of ^{Bunker} charcoal, sandstone and brick. Overall appearance is golden brown as a result of staining from corroded iron pipe above.
40. Mottled brown-grey soil with strong ~~sandy~~ sandy admixture, fragments of Bunker sandstone, charcoal and red clay.
41. Light, mottled brown sandy soil with red clay admixture. Fragments of sandstone and charcoal.

~~41~~ Similar to 40 but ~~with~~ without the red clay admixture

42. Similar to 40 but lighter and sandier. ~~see~~ ^{many} charcoal fragments.

43. Light grey sandy soil with many fluks of charcoal and red clay.

PATCH OF CLAY BONDING

44. Red-brown clay with strong sand admixture. Fragments of sandstone and charcoal and a pebble. (Possibly the residue of water ~~run~~ seeping of the wall.)

BUNTER SANDSTONE WALL.

45. Mainly bunter sandstone ~~with~~ (some dressed) but with some sherry and red-brown broken sandstone blocks. (- see ~~at~~ section drawing for location of them in wall). ~~There are also~~ A few fragments of gypsum mortar ~~also~~

present. The wall is bonded with two types of clay:

(A) Dark red with some sandy admixture, often with ~~fragments~~ fragments of Bunter sandstone.

(B) Mid brown clay with high sand admixture ~~and~~ yet with reddish ~~to~~ overtones. Some small pebbles + flecks of charcoal.

[See section drawing for portions of (A) + (B).]

NOTE :- In the section drawing the wall is seen to end fairly abruptly in the south, but this is ~~not~~ the case. The wall is built in a "boat-shaped" trenches and the way in which the excavation trench cuts into the wall trench makes it appear as if the wall ended in the way shown in the section drawing.

SURVIVING DEPOSITS FROM CORN ~~DRIER~~ ^{DRIER}

Both of these deposits (i.e. 46. and 47.) are from the ~~the~~ bottom ^{layer} ~~of~~ in the fill of ^{the} ~~the~~ lower dryer which was built over by the wall. (see Book ... P.P. ...)

46. Mid grey sandy soil with humic content.

47. Very humic similar to 46., but with ? carbonized grain / flecks of charcoal.

SURVIVING DITCH LAYERS

- A thin layer of primary silt of ditch surviving under wall.

48. Very light grey-brown sand with bluish overtones.

OTHER FEATURES.

49. Brick wall of car park.

50. Concrete footings for car park wall.

51. Outline of southern side of ditch; possibly some flattening out in area "X" when wall was built. Top S. edge ^{marked} _{by corner}

52. Outline of bon dryer in the natural.

END OF MAIN EAST SECTION.

C.Y. DREW LINES ON THE
SECTION. (+ DISCUSSED WITH M.E.)

MARTIN ELLIS TRANSCRIBED IT
TO PAPER AND DESCRIBED IT.

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THE MAIN NORTH SECTION.

SECTION
NUMBER

1. Dark grey-brown soil, blackish in places, flecks of clay, charcoal, mortar, frags of sandstone. Some discoloration due to corroded ~~the~~ metal (iron gaspipe). C.f. Section no. 11 in Main ~~East~~ Section.
2. Mixed layer of red-brown clay + light yellow sand. Some staining from corroded metal as above. Frags of brick, charcoal + ^{bricks} sandstone. C.f. Section no. 39 in Main East Section.
3. Mixed layer of brown sand and red clay. Many frags of tuffaceous sandstone, frags charcoal. Some admixture of dark humic soil. C.f. Section no. 41 in Main East Section.
4. Mixed layer of dirty yellow sands + mid-grey humic soil. Many frags $\frac{1}{2}$ s. charcoal flecks, tile. C.f. ~~layer~~ ^{section} no. 42 in Main East Section.
5. Brown-grey humic soil, with sand admixture. Many charcoal flecks. Some frags tile, $\frac{1}{2}$ s + ^{red} clay. C.f. Section no. 43 in Main East Section.

45
6. Mid red clay with fairly heavy light brown sand admixture. ~~Some~~ frags of tile, brick, t/s + some charcoal + mortar.

7. Red-brown clay with some sand admixture, some frags mortar, charcoal + brick.

WALL

8. Wall constructed mainly of t/s blocks with some skewies. Bonded with red clay + also mid brown clay with heavy sand admixture. See description of Section no. 45 in Main East Section.

Layers over + associated with road surfaces.

9. Medial tiles + mortar frags in grey-brown sandy soil. ~~Probable continuation of layer, section no. 44, in Main West Section.~~
Probable continuation of layer, section no. 44, in Main West Section.

10. Mixed layer of light grey-brown sandy soil with frags. of mortar, tile and charcoal.

11. Gritty brown grey coarse sand, some soil admixture containing a lot of small pebbles. Continuation of layer, section no. 47 in Main West Section. See description + note p. 23.

- 46
12. Hard grey sandy flecked with brown sand. Continuation of Layer, section no. 49, in Main West Section.
 13. Continuation of Layer, section no. 50 in Main West Section. Brown-grey sandy, with some pebble. Faintly stained green from cess.
 14. Mid-brown sandy with faintly reddish overtones. Some frags tile, flecks charcoal + red clay.
 15. Layer of red clay with some admixture of brown sand. In the West this layer has a patchy surface, stained green from cess.
 16. Continuation of no. 15. after interruption by concrete + bricks. This layer very thin in places with the concrete behind protruding.
 17. Dark grey sandy flecked with brown sand. Some pebble. Continuation of Layer, section no. 51 in Main West Section.
 18. Mid-grey sandy with some pebble. Continuation of Layer, section no. 52 in Main West Section.

19. Pebbled road surface - closely packed pebbles (size up to c 1 1/2" ~~width~~) 2 to 3 pebbles thick. Continuation of layer, section no. 54 in main West Section.
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FEATURE

This was partially excavated as feature ⑪. However nos 20 to 23 inclusive remain as partly excavated layers.

Small pit or post hole? Compare with feature, nos. 28/29/30 in this section.

20. Yellow-brown sandy, slightly clayey texture, with flecks of red clay.
21. Light brown sandy, some flecks clay + some pebble.
22. Similar to 21. but slightly darker
23. Grey-brown sandy. Flecks charcoal + mortar.
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24. Mid-brown sand, some soil admixture flecks charcoal, red clay + some flecks b/s.
25. Mottled dark brown-grey sandy. Flecks charcoal clay, b/s + mortar.

26 Similar to 24., w slightly redder overtones.

27 Mixed Layer, similar to 25, but browner.

feature

Possible Post Hole. - stone lined?
2 sherris at western edge probably in situ.

28. Mid-brown sandy soil with reddish overtones,
Some flecks charcoal, clay + mortar.

29. Mixed Layer, green brown sandy. Large quantities
of sherry, few lenses clay, particularly towards
East.

30. V. Similar to 28, but with less charcoal + clay.

clayon

31 Rich golden brown, with orangey overtones.
Continuation of Layer, section no. 55, in Main
West Section.

32. Dark grey sandy w. cassy green overtones.
Charcoal flecks.
Continuation of Layer, section no. 56, in Main
West Section.

- 33. U. Similar to 32 ~~no. 32~~
- 34. U. Similar to 32, with similar cassy orestones.
~~base~~ ^{larger flecks} / charcoal. Probably continuation of ~~the~~ no. 33
 after interruption ^{by} feature (11) etc.
- 35. Continuation of 34 after interruption by bricks + concrete.
- 36. Crusty buff-fawn sand w. yellowish orestones and faint greenish cassy orestones. Continuation of layer, section no. 57, in Main West Section.
- 37. Mixed layer w. crusty buff-fawn sand + grey sands, both with cassy-greenish orestones. Fragr red clay + charcoal. Possible continuation of layer, no. 36 after interruption by feature (11).
- 38. Silvery grey sand, some admixture of brown sand and fairly extensive hard yellow-green cassy-pan. 38 appears to be the longitudinal section of a rut cross with the road surfaces, and therefore appears as one mixed layer. The transverse section of the rut in the Main West Section reveals a series of layers (Nos. 65-71 inclusive) which are not really distinguishable in the longitudinal section. section no:
 38 is therefore a continuation of layers _{in} 65-71 in Main West section.

39. Light brown sand, with clay + charcoal admixture.
40. Grey brown sooty sand with some greenish clay overtones. Flecks charcoal + red clay.
41. Very similar to 39. ~~P~~ Probably a continuation of 39, interrupted by feature (11).
42. Similar to 40. but browner + more sandy, flecks charcoal, ^{red} clay + mortar.
43. Continuation of 42 after interruption by skerry.
44. Continuation of 43 after interruption by skerry.
45. Mixed layer consisting of red clay with orangey red clayey sand + mid grey sooty ^{sand} admixture. Fragments of charcoal, b/s, mortar + some small pebbles.
46. Very similar to 45, possibly a continuation of it.
47. Dark brown-grey sand, with patches of reddish orange clayey sands. Mottled overall appearance, flecks charcoal, mortar + b/s. Possible continuation of 45 + 46?

48. Similar to 47 but greyer and more sooty.

49. Mixed layer, dark grey-brown sandy. Admixture of lighter and reddish sand, charcoal flecks, + some mortar.

Nos 50, 51, 52 = Layers in construction
French of Skerry wall \odot , which runs obliquely
to ^{the main North} Section. *But the level is difficult to see from which level it is
at, but 49 is over it, + 60 + 61 under it.*

50. Grey-brown sandy with frags of skerry.

51. Grey-brown sandy, with admixture of red-brown sand, frags of skerry + charcoal flecks.

52. Grey-brown sandy w. fairly heavy admixture of red clay. Flecks of charcoal.

~~53~~
53. Grey-brown sandy with flecks of charcoal, red clay and mortar.

54. Very similar to 53, probably a continuation of it, after interruption by possible post hole.

55. Grey brown sandy. Brownier than 53.

- 56. Grey-brown sandy, greyer than 55 + 54 with reddish orestones. Flecks of red clay, charcoal and mortar.
- 57. Grey sandy with brownish orestones. Greasy appearance. Flecks of charcoal + ^{smaller} sandstone.
- 58. Brown-grey sandy with golden-brown orestones. Flecks charcoal clay + mortar. Possible continuation of 55.
- 59. Grey-brown sandy, browner and sandier than 53. Flecks charcoal, t/s, and ^{red} clay.
- 60. Grey sandy, slight brown sand admixture. Flecks of charcoal.
- 61. Grey sandy with heavy admixture of golden-brown sand.
- 62. Grey brown sand with very large amounts of charcoal giving overall black ~~ish~~ appearance. Slightly sticky texture. Some flecks red clay.
- 63. Very similar to 62, but becoming slightly more sandy and less black towards east. Probable continuation of 62.

64. Continuation of 63 after interruption by ^{lenses} (possible part hole).

65 }
66 } Small lenses of grey-brown sand and charcoal,
67 } continuing 63/64.
68 }
69 }

70. Brown grey sandy with greenish brown overtones. Flecks charcoal + red clay.

71. Grey sandy with slight brown overtones. Flecks of charcoal.

72. Grey sandy, possible continuation of 72.

73. Bluish-grey sandy occasional patches brown sand. Flecks charcoal.

74. Grey sandy with fairly strong golden brown sand admixture.

FEATURE Nos 75 to 102 inclusive are layers in gully (53/76).

75. Grey-brown sand with patches of bluish grey sand.

- 76. Brown grey sandy, some flecks charcoal, clay and d/s.
- 77. Light grey-brown sand with flecks charcoal mortar
- 78. Similar to 76, but slightly greyer.
- 79. V. Similar to 77, slightly greyer, and with some iron brown flecks.
- 80. Similar to 77, with slight admixture of light brown sand.
- 81. Mid brown grey sand with strong 'bluish' overtones. Slightly cassy greenish staining.
- 82. Similar to 81 but browner.
- 83. Similar to 82, but browner, with considerable amount of yellowy-green cassy staining.
- 84. Brown grey sand w. 'bluish' overtones and a considerable amount of ~~green~~ yellowy-green cassy staining.
- 85. Grey brown sand with faint 'bluish' overtones and some cassy staining.

86. Mid to dark grey sand with some light brown sand admixture. Some charcoal flecks.

87. Similar to 85, but slightly browner and with charcoal flecks.

88. Mottled appearance. Mixture of lightish grey and brown sands, with some yellowish-green cery staining and patches very dark grey sand.

89. Lightish brown sand with some grey sand admixture, Green cery staining - some charcoal.

90. Similar to 89, but with lighter brown sands.

91. Similar to 80, but with slightly more light grey sand admixture.

92. Mid-grey sand with slight light brown sand admixture. Feathered texture.

93. Similar to 92 but browner.

94. Similar to 92 and 93, but not as brown as ~~92~~ 93, and browner than 92.

95. Mid to light grey sand, but with strong, light brown overtones.

- 96. Mixture of light brown and light yellow sand. Fairly gritty texture.
- 97. Mixed light brown and grey sands with 'pinkish' overtones.
- 98. Mid to light brown sand, buff sand admixture.
- 99. Mixed brown and grey sand with light ~~buff~~ buff sand admixture.
- 100. ^{light} Grey sand with pinkish overtones. patches of charcoal/humus. Scratchy texture.
- 101. Very similar ^{to 100.}, but slightly lighter.
- 102. Mid brown sand with admixture of grey sand.
- 103. Grey-fawn sandy. Flecks of charcoal. Continuation of layer, section no. 80, in Main West Section.
- 104. V. similar to 103 with some flecks b/s. Probably continuation of 103 after interruption by lens 11.
- 105. Grey fawn sand. Flecks lighter sand + some charcoal.

- 106. V. Similar to 105, but more flecks lighter sand charcoal + red clay. Light mottled appearance.
- 107. Mottled layer of buffy-brown sand with patches of grey-tan sand. Continuation of layer, section no. 81, in Main West Section. A few iron-brown flecks.
- 108. Similar to 107 but slightly more fawny sand. More iron-brown flecks.
- 109. V. Similar to 108, probably continuation of 108 after interruption by feature (11).
- 110. Mottled layer with grey-brown and light brown sands. Some iron-brown flecks, charcoal + occasional green cessy-like overtones.
- 111. V. Similar to 110. Probably continuation after interruption by p.u. p.H.
- 112. Mid-grey sandy with strong admixture of brown sands. Slightly 'twisty' in patches. Iron-brown flecks + charcoal.
- ~~112A~~
- 113. V. Similar to 112, but with admixture of reddish-brown sands, patches of light buffy sand, more 'twisty' texture + flecks of cessy green sand, charcoal + flecks clay. Prob. continuation of 112.

114. Similar to 112 but greyer + more sandy. with more flecks charcoal. Slightly less 'turfy'

115. V. Similar to 113, but greyer, less patchy and more sandy. Probable continuation of 114.

116. Nos 116 - 124. inclusive - Layer in main dark turf band.

116. Dark grey turf with slight admixture of fawn sand. Sparse large charcoal flecks. Continuation of Layer, section no 95, in Main West Section.

N.B. At this stage in the 'turfy' Layer there was no apparent distinction within it. However, with the appearance of lenses of light ~~grey~~ grey ~~turf~~ sand with whitish orestones in the middle of the Layer (nos 119 - 122) a division became obvious. Therefore the turf layer divides into two - nos 117 + 118, and nos 123 and 124.

117. Dark grey turf w. slight admixture of fawn sand.

118. Continuation of 117 after interruption by gully. Becoming slightly more sandy than 117.

119. Light grey sand with whitish orestones, mixed w. grey turf.

120. Same as 119.

121 V. Similar to 119 + 120, but becoming more sandy + more ~~scratched~~ scratchy - textured.

122 Same as 121.

123. TURF4 Dark grey tuff, slight admixture of fawn and reddish-brown sands.

124. TURF4 Dark grey tuff, slightly more sandy than 123, w. some admixture of light-grey sands. Probable continuation of 123 after interruption by gully.

125 Cleanish fawn sand with grey orestone and a few small flecks of charcoal. Continuation of layer, section no. 100 in Main West Section.

126 V. Similar to 125.

127 V. Similar to 125/126.

Below this level, ditch layers becoming much cleaner and sandier. Chiefly secondary and primary silts.

- 128 Fairly clean pearly-white sand with patches of grey and brown sand. Faint patches green cassy staining.
- 129. Light grey-fawn sand with greenish cassy orestone and iron-brown flecks.
- 130. Mixed layer of white brown and grey sands, flecks charcoal, iron-brown flecks + one or two greenish cassy flecks.
- 131. Very similar to 130, but less mixed + with more brown sand and charcoal flecks.
- 132. Mid-brown sand with light grey sand admixture and slightly green cassy orestones. Slightly 'fuzzy' texture. Possible continuation of 131.
- ~~133~~ Light buff sand with grey sand admixture. Some iron-brown flecks. Slight greenish orestone.
- 133 ~~133a~~. Lightish green buff layer. Some admixture of light grey sand.
- 134. Light whitish sand with some patches of brownish-grey sands.

- 135. Light to mid-brown sand with scratchy texture.
- 136. Hard scratchy mid grey-brown sand, with some patches of white sand and lots of iron-brown flecks.
- 137. Light brown sand with slightly scratchy texture with some grey-sand admixture.
- 138. Light buff sand with grey sand admixture. Some iron-brown flecks. Probably a continuation of 137.
- 139. Fairly clean fawn sand with some flecks charcoal and a few iron-brown flecks.
- 140. Similar to 139 but cleaner and slightly lighter with less charcoal. Continuation of Layer, Section no. 101 in Main West Section.
- 141. Mixed layer of light brown, brownish-grey and grey sands some with slightly reddish or ^{GREENISH (C.T.)} iron-brown flecks and ~~clay~~ ^{clay} inclusions.
- 142. Cleanish grey-fawn sand. Continuation of Layer, Section no. 103 in Main West Section.

- 143. Cleanish grey-fawn sand with flecks of charcoal, ~~and~~ clay and ^{? GREENISH (L.Y.)} greenish staining.
- 144. Continuation of 143 after gully.
- 145. Light grey-fawn sand with pockets of light green - whitish sand. Some charcoal flecks.
- 146. Similar to 145 but less pockets of light sand & a scratchy texture. Probably continuation of 145 after gully.
- 147. SST, fairly clean grey-fawn sand. Occasional flecks of charcoal.
- 148. Continuation of 147.
- 149. Very similar to 143.
- 150. Similar to 149, but no pockets light sand.
- 151. Similar to 150, but darker - slightly greyer. Slightly crumby texture.
- 152. Light grey to mid grey silty sand with whitish overtones. Continuation of layer, section no. 117 in Main West Section.

- 63
- 153 Light grey - brown sand
- 154 Hard, scratchy textured grey - fawn sand.
- 155 V. Similar to 154, but with greenish overtones and some ~~light~~ sand admixture.
156. Light grey silty sand with whitish overtones + iron brown flecks.

Nos 157 to 163 inclusive = primary silts.

157. Fairly clean blue - grey silty sand. Softest texture. Some iron - brown flecks.
158. Very light grey silty - sand. with pinkish overtones and some yellowish - green staining.
159. Milky - white sand with slightly pinkish overtones. Continuation of layer, section no. 122 in Main West Section.
160. Pale grey sand with bluish overtones. Continuation of layer, section no 130, in Main West Section.
- 161 Crusty admixture of yellow sand from d/s / white sand / pale grey sand with bluish overtones. Continuation of layer, section no. 131, in Main West Section.

162. Very similar to 161.

163. Very light grey-brown sand with bluish overtones. Continuation of Layer, ~~168~~ Section no. 48 in Main East Section.

Nos ~~164~~⁸ - 17~~4~~⁵ inclusive / Have been projected N to S 0. 1'0" to aid correlation of Main North Section with N/S Sections across ditch etc. They refer to modern features, or are associated with them.

164 }
165 } Patches of concrete protruding through layers
166 } above the ditch.

167 Concrete looking for modern car-park wall appearing in section (ie. not projected).

168. Concrete looking for carpark wall.

169. Modern Car-park wall.

170. (19th) Cellar wall.

171. Undisturbed layers lying underneath graveyard wall. Tile + mortar frags in grey-brown soil. Appears to be continuation of no. 9.

172. Graveyard wall.

173. Modern pipe-trench.

174. } Dark grey-brown garden soil underneath
175. } arches of graveyard wall.

END OF MAIN NORTH SECTION.

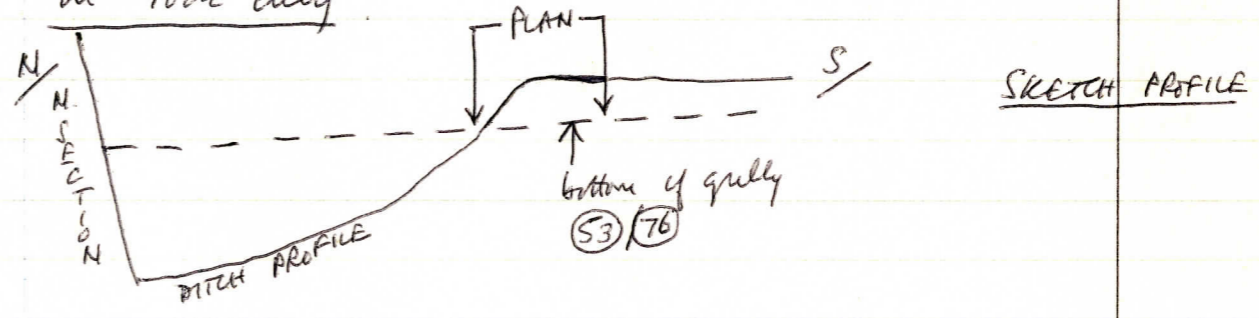
SOME NOTES ON PLAN 3

(DITCH CONTOURS IN NAT. B/S, PLUS FEATURES STILL SHOWING AT THAT LEVEL)

"SQUARE" NOS. ON PLAN

- 1 Large pit excavated in 1971 trench C and in 1973-74. Planned at surviving level but much rock has been lost here during backfilling 1974 and excavation of area S in 1978 (say c. 18" lost at a guess)

- 2 Bottom of N-S gully (53/76) as it survives in rock only



- 3 Ditch edge indicated - . - . - .

Note this is not the true ditch edge but the south limit of the ditch as it is preserved in area S. The true ditch edge was located during 1971/73/74 and should appear on those plans. This edge has been "lost" as a result of 1974 backfilling

and leveling, and 1978 cleaning/erosion etc.

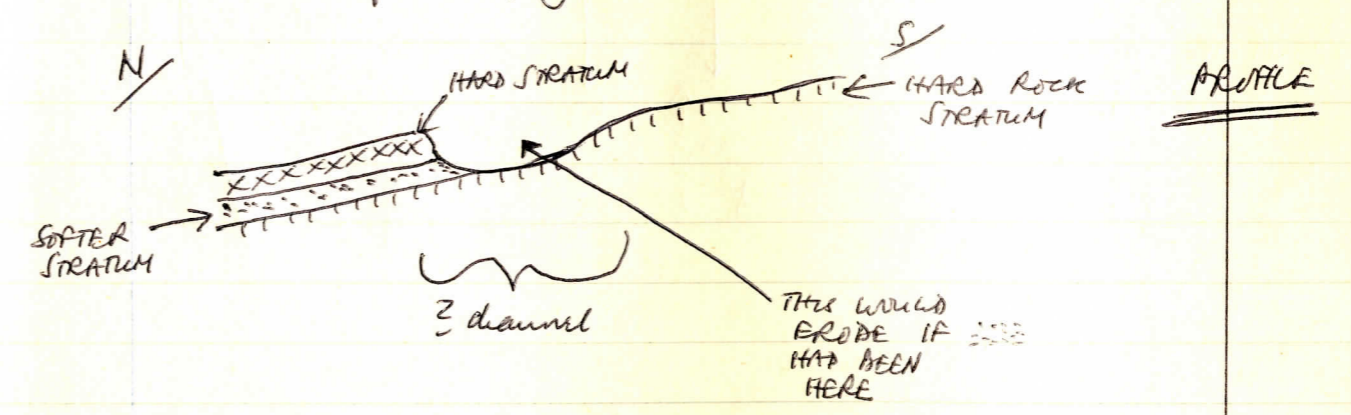
[4] Drawn because of the profile in the BG 72 ditch.

There is some suggestion of a deeper narrow channel here, which is nowhere clearly defined. It could be.....

A. Cut deliberately originally, but now badly eroded along its South edge (witness hachures where this S. edge disappears)

B. Not cut originally but due to East/West erosion by water when the ditch was open.

There is some evidence of a softer rock stratum here which would erode as it has a lot of white/greenish sand in it.

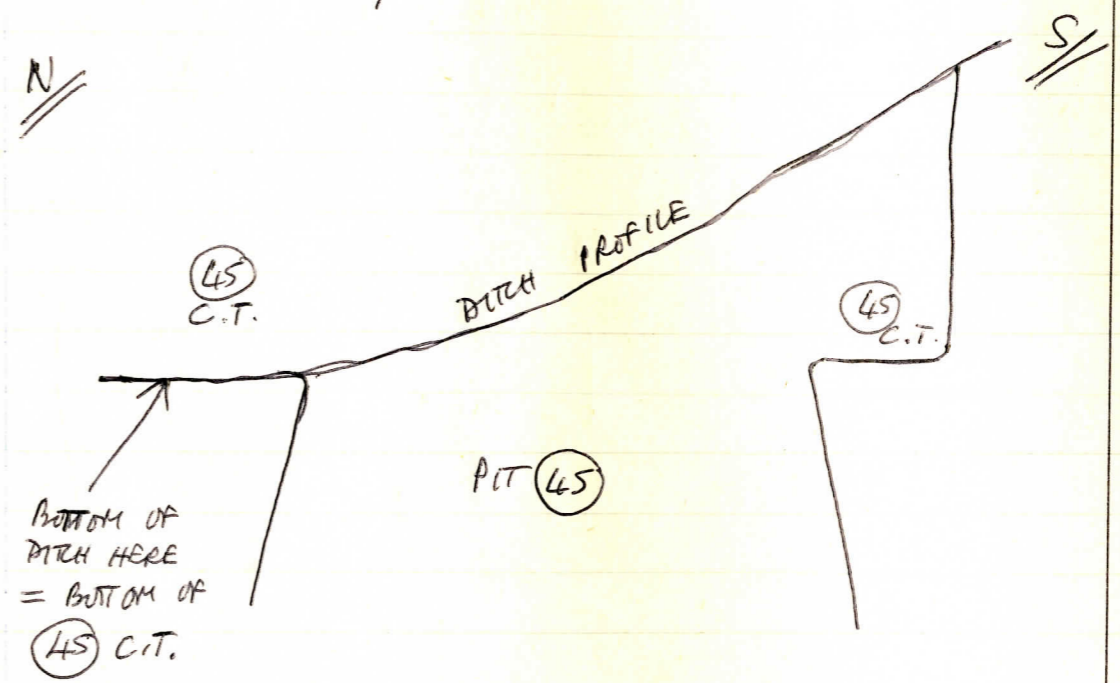


C. only the N. edge is fairly clearly defined but again could be erosion.

Note it is not straight E-W.


[5] Rock here shaded ||||| is fairly level N-S but dips overall from W to E as does the ditch (see main N-section for slope from W. to E)

[6] Edge of pit (45) not visible N. of this point as this C.T. only goes as deep as the bottom of the ditch (i.e. it cuts into ditch slope only)



[7] Area shaded with cross-hatching = bottom of (45) C.T. and is all on one level. North of pit (45) it coincides with ditch bottom as explained above under [6]

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[8] The area stippled  was taken up by the N-S bunker sandstone wall. The bottom of the C.T. for this wall, however, allows the ditch contour as evident in the main E. section. No rock has been removed for the wall here (indeed traces of ditch filling survive under the wall, especially in the N.E. corner of Area S.)

[9] All this area with white hadrons and stippling has had to be reconstructed using the main E. section ditch contour as a guide, because rock level here was lowered by us for access to pit (45) during excavation.

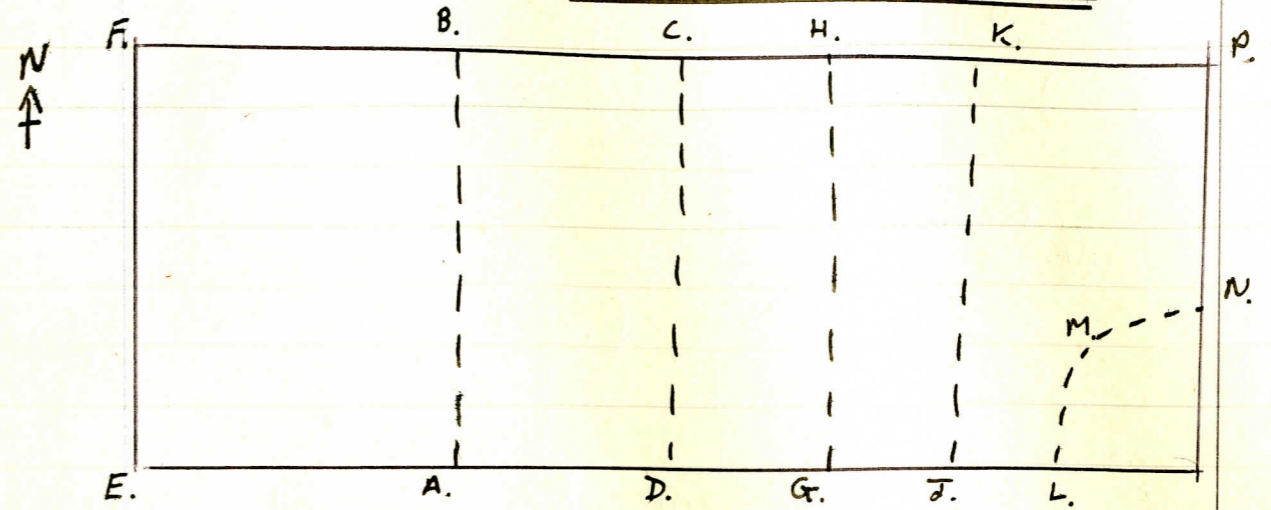
[10] This dotted edge of pit (45) has been reconstructed here as this level was also lowered by us for digging (45) (see note [9]).
CAN BE PUT IN ACCURATELY FROM
PLAN and SECTIONS OF (45)

[11] Ditch edge shown in main E. section here but may not survive to its highest original level as it is interrupted by a con-drier.
See main E. section.

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