

207/3-178/1

Trench.....Initials...*cm*.....Date...*24.4*... Page...
 Locus...*1*...Spit..... Locus.....Spit..... Feature/s.....

	No. of bags	Cont	Cont
Pottery	11		
Bone			
Charcoal	1(pos)		
Other (Tile)			
Photos bw			
Photos col.			

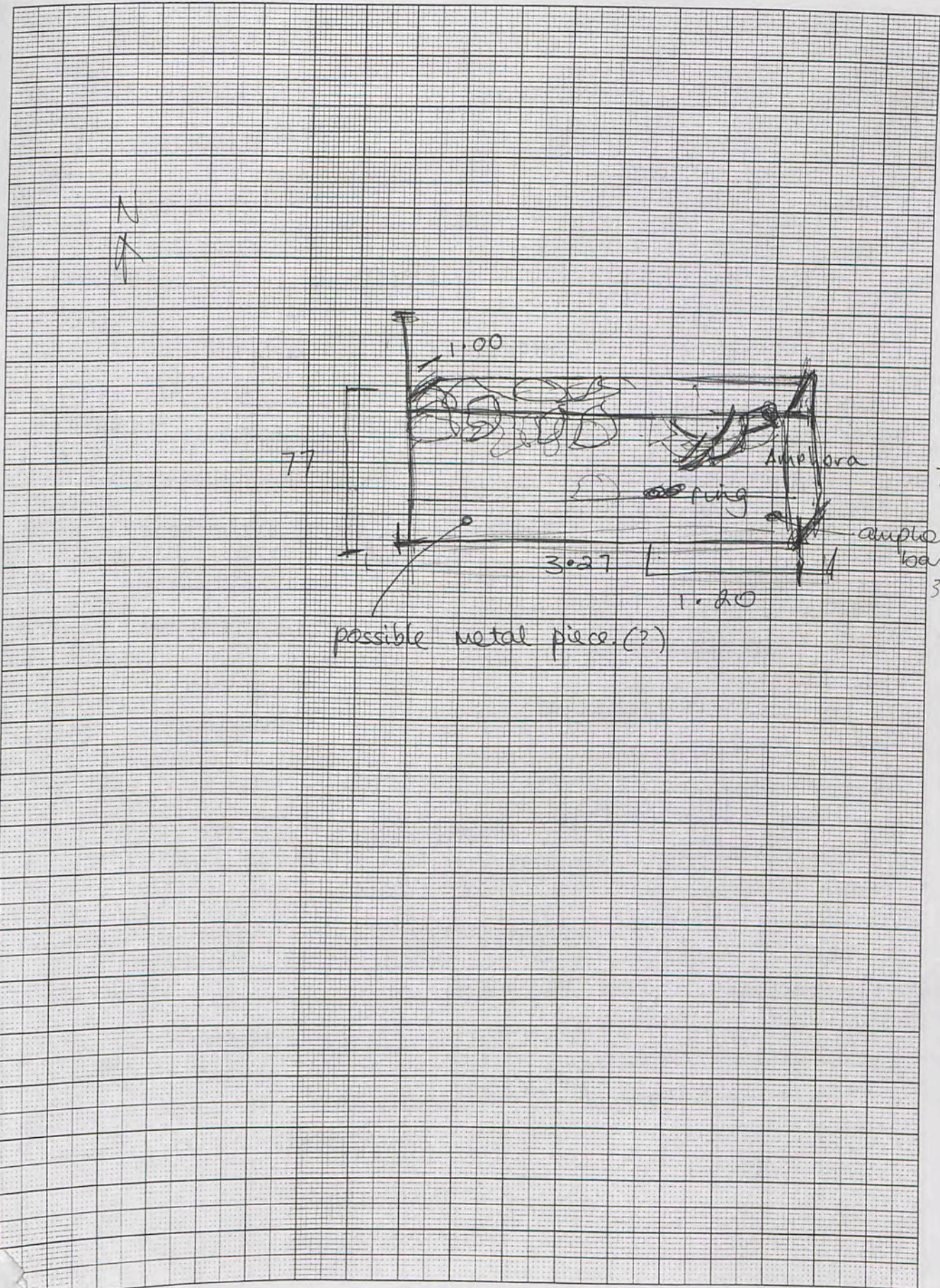
No.	Object	Cont	Cont
1	amphora pieces		
1	metal ring	00	00.013
1	amphora base		
1	metal (?) piece	00	014

Context Report

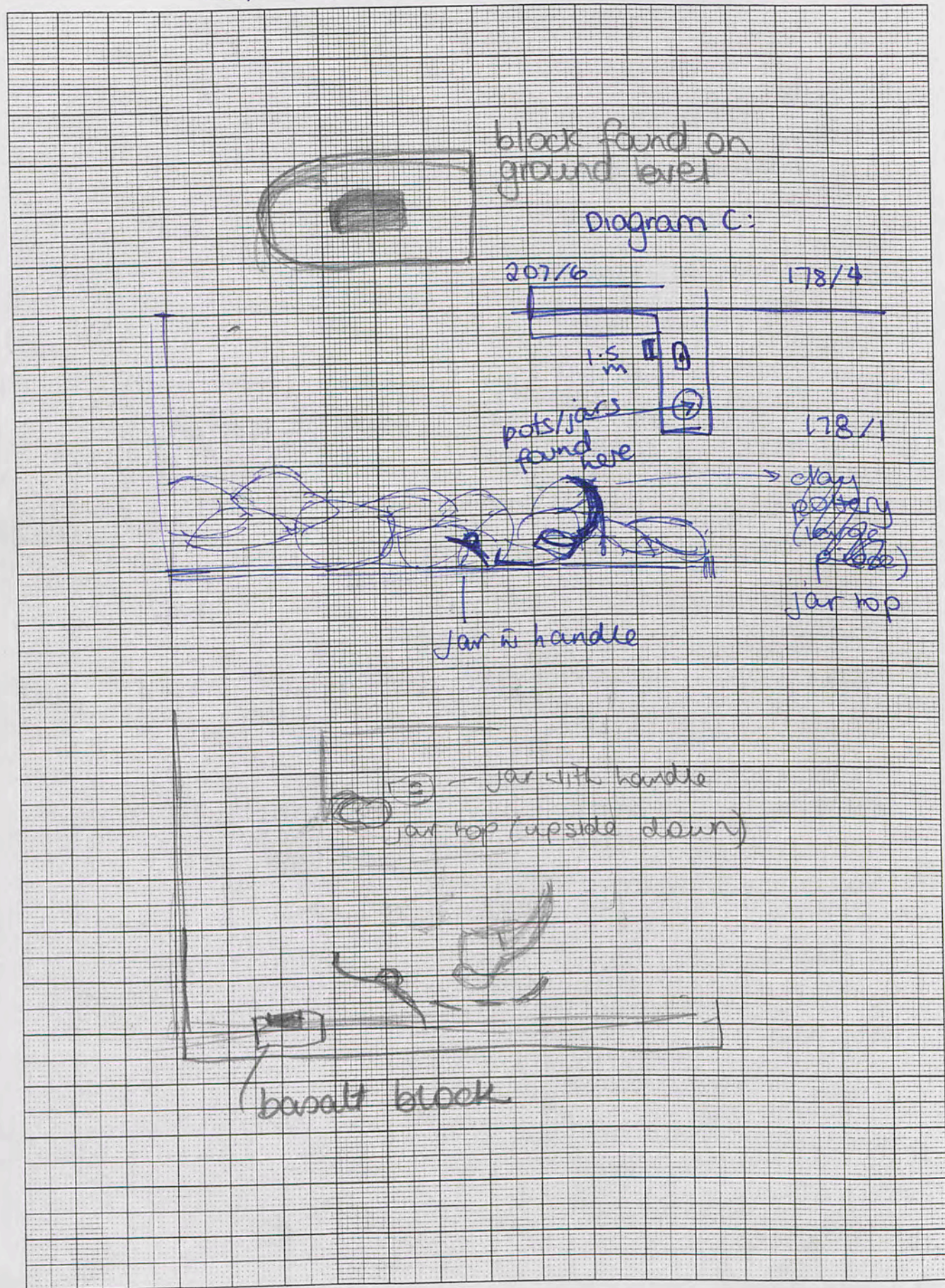
	Broken amphora ^(?) in strata 2 - photographed by Jamie. Small amount of pottery in same locus.
	PHOTO:
	Roll no: BW1; frames 3, 4 & 5
	metal ring found 54cm from ground - 1.20 from end of balk; under amphora.
	Small metal piece (?)
* Level 6	Near the bottom of the balk - two pieces found, both unknown. One is possibly charcoal - the but there is nothing else in the area to indicate this. The other piece is probably nothing, but it was polite to take it!!

1mm Squares

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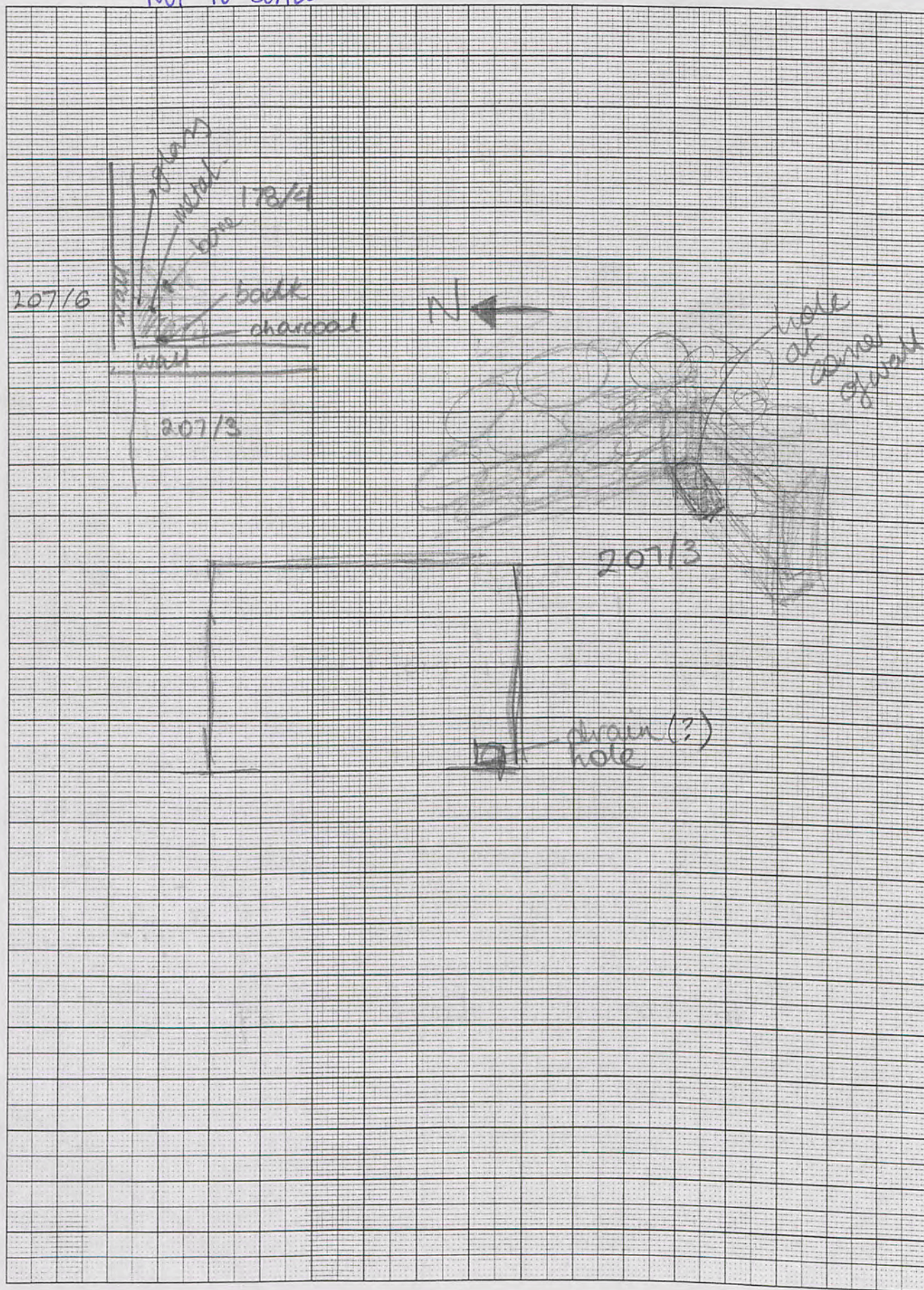
Trench 207/3-178/1 Initials CM Date 25.4 Page 2
 Locus.....Spit..... Locus.....Spit..... Feature/s.....

	No. of bags	Cont	Cont
Pottery	7		
Bone			
Charcoal			
Other (Tile)			
Photos bw			
Photos col.	BW1; frame	10	

No.	Object	Cont	Cont
1	ROCK flint stone	worked bone	00.039
1	ESA large shell fragment	.039	

Context	Report
	- Today: remove remainder of 207/3-178/1 and remove b) 207/6-207/3. Only one layer of rocks left on 207/3-178/6.
	- large piece of clay pottery found near bottom of bank 207/3-178/1. Was upside down, is neck + shoulder of a large storage jar.
	- Found another storage jar (amphora?) near a basalt corner. Jankie took photos: BW1 frame 10.
	- floor level: grey ash + pottery pieces indicate possible oven. flint and ESA piece in same area.
	- floor level: basalt block with indent in it. Found 1.5 m. from wall - see diagram c (LHS)

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Trench 2076-20713 Initials CM Date 27.4.8000 Page 4
 Locus Spit Locus Spit Feature/s

	No. of bags	Cont	Cont
Pottery			
Bone			
Charcoal			
Other (Tile)			
Photos bw			
Photos col.			

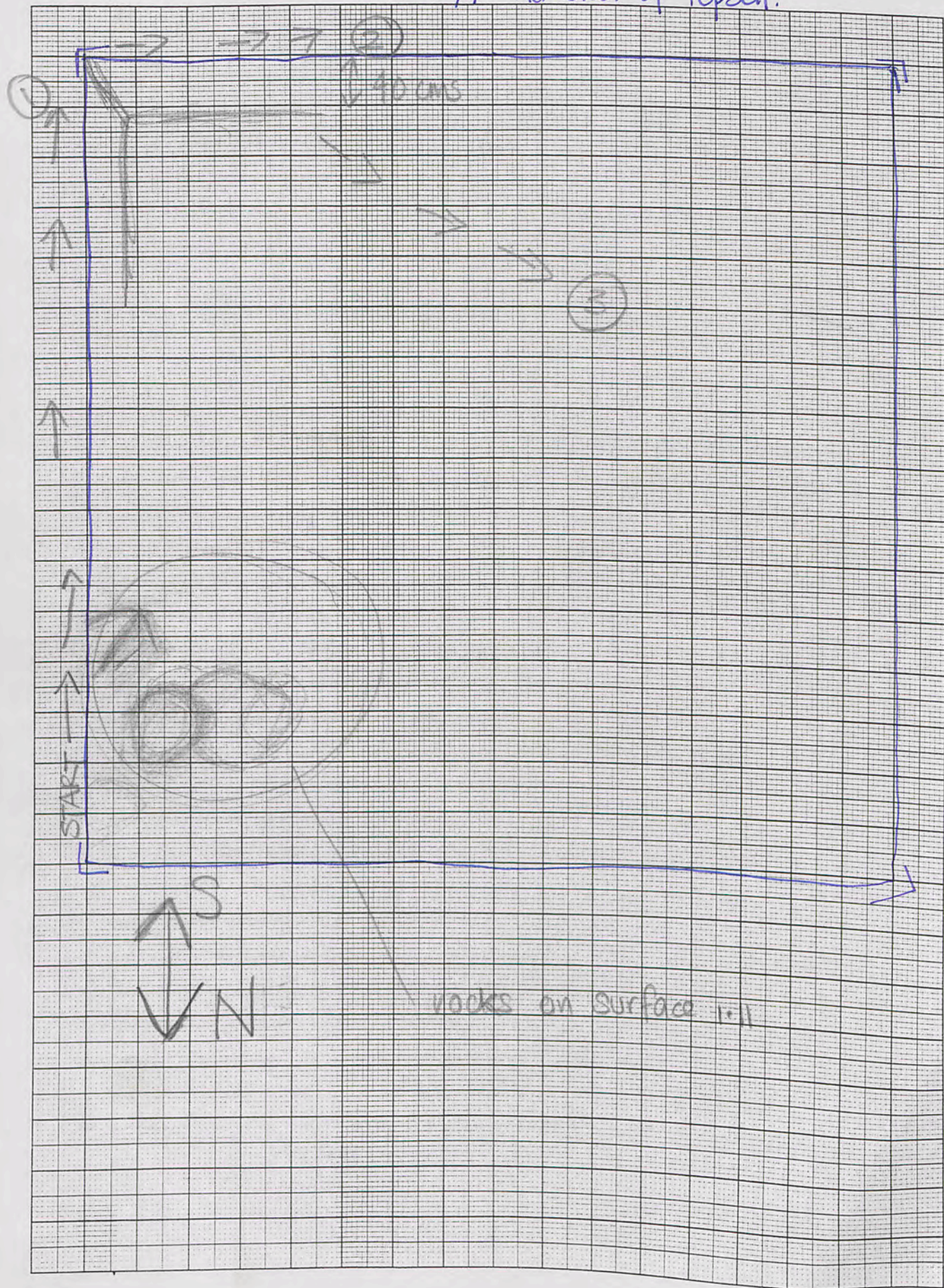
No.	Object	Cont	Cont
1	METAL PIECE (iron nail)		
2	GLASS PIECE		
3	LAMP FRAGMENT		
4	Glass piece		

00.075 + 00.076 = worked stone

Context Report

Started today by clearing remainder of bank 207/6 - 207/13. Some charcoal found at floor level in the corner formed by the two walls (see illustration).
 Metal piece found at floor level, just 60cm north of charcoal (?) pieces.
 Piece of glass found near metal (see illustration).
 Handful of bone at floor level.
 Lamp fragment found - exact location on floor unknown as it was found with other pottery.
 2nd Glass piece found on floor of bank.
 * Once bank was removed, the floor level of the whole room was removed one spit (10cm).
 In clearing up the entire room and removing the debris from the original floor we found a hole (drain?) in the S/E corner.
 Metal(?) found on floor - clearing.
 drain hole measures 20cm x 10cm (irregular shape)

150/7: Removal of topsoil.



Trench 150/7 Initials cm Date 29/4 Page 5
 Locus.....Spit..... Locus.....Spit..... Feature/s.....

	No. of bags	Cont	Cont
Pottery			
Bone	1		
Charcoal	1		
Other (Tile)			
Photos bw			
Photos col.			

106 (clamp)

No.	Object	Cont	Cont
1	metal / iron nail		

Context

Report

After finishing 207/6-207/8 We started a new trench: 150/7.
 Working from the N/E corner down to the S/E, removing the topsoil. Small amount of charcoal found in S/E corner.
 Topsoil uneven: N/E corner barely barely covered tumble, but S/E corner was 40cm deep.
 Piece of iron (nail?) found in topsoil (30cm) in S/W corner.

Trench 150/7 Initials cm Date 2/5/00 Page 6
 Locus 2 Spit 1+2+3 Locus Spit Feature/s

	No. of bags	Cont	Cont
Pottery			
Bone	1		
Charcoal	1		
Other (Tile)			
Photos bw			
Photos col.			

No.	Object	Cont	Cont
1	metal (iron)		
2	metal		
3	metal		
4	metal piece - pottery fragment 7/5		
5	Pottery .262 + .473		
.478	Figurine fragment		

All bronze; # .254, .255, .256 (Spatula blade?)

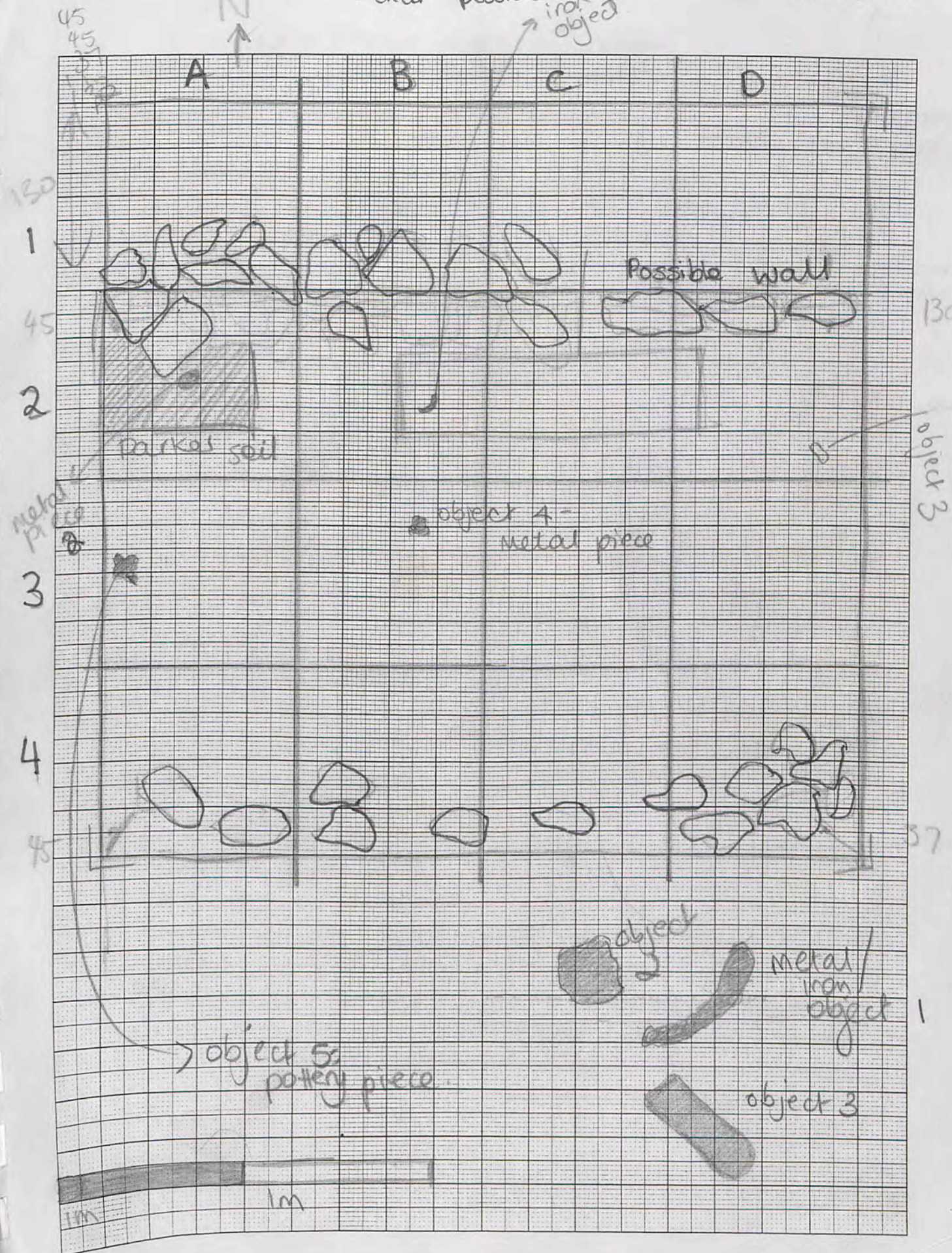
Context Report

	Measurements taken at start of day + recorded on illustration.
D2	Bone found 2.2 at around 75 cm from topsoil
B2	Charcoal piece found 2.2
	Workers felt they had found a floor in front of possible wall (see illustration) across A/B+C at the grid no 2. It was decided that it would be best to clear the A2 corner first to get a better idea about the wall + the trench's relationship with trench 149/1.
B2	Object 1: metal (iron?) piece found. See illustration
A2	Object 2: metal piece found in charcoal nearby in A2. Possible oven here due to darker soil/clay
D2	Object 3: metal piece like a flint/head
B3	Object 4: metal piece - flat + round
	Spit 4: darker soil
	Wall running N/S on RHS seems to be clearer
A3	Unusual pottery piece found under rock on RHS edge of trench. - lamp fragment

→ Found to be pottery fragment; 7/5/2000

- Floor cleared
- clear possible wall iron object

1mm Squares



Trench 150/7 Initials CM Date 4.5.00 Page 3

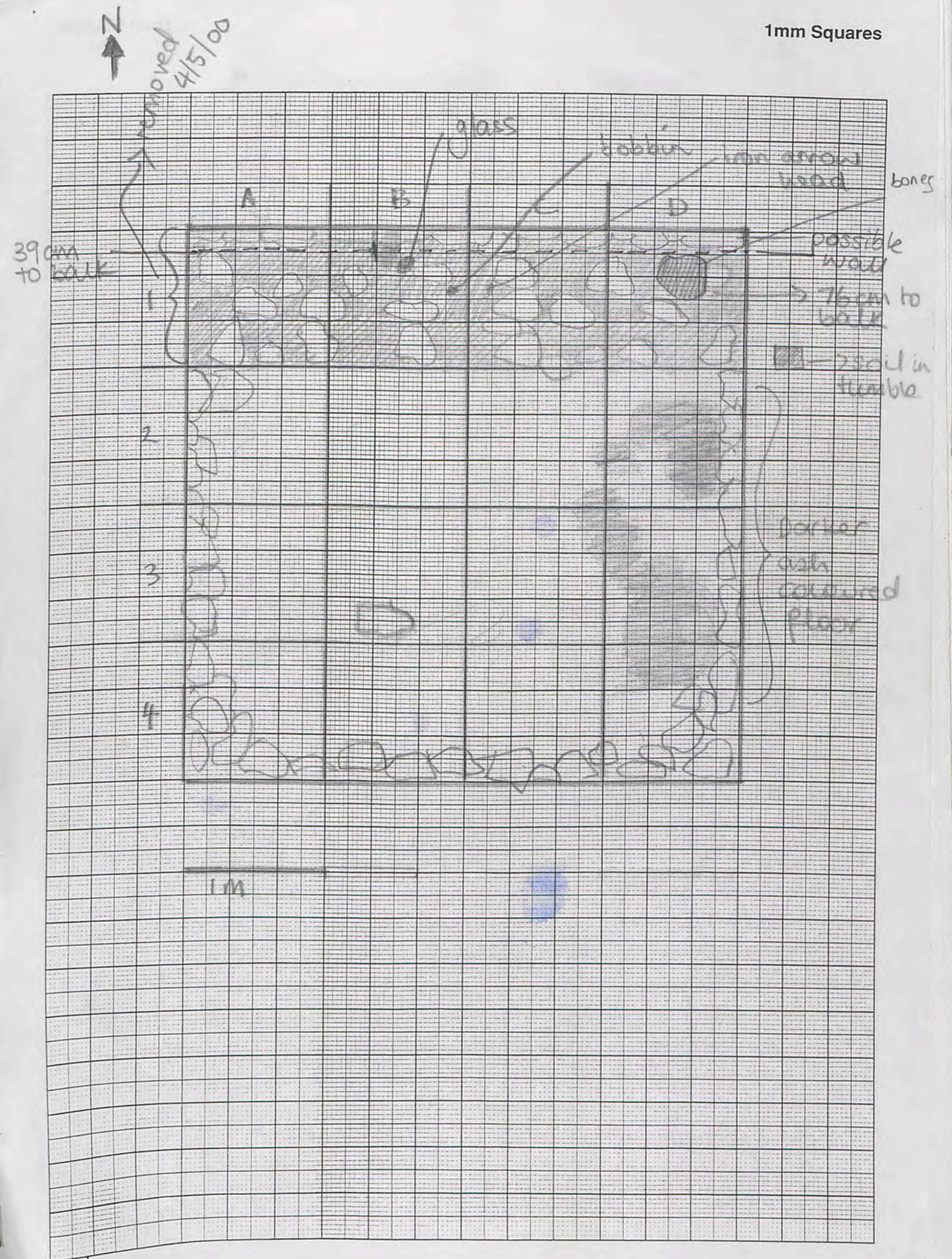
Locus 2 Spit 1-3 Locus Spit Feature/s

	No. of bags	Cont	Cont	No.	Object	Cont	Cont
Pottery	2			.315 1	Glass	-	
Bone	11			.317 2	Glass		
Charcoal				.318 3	Glass		
Other (Tile)				.328 4	Stone (?) bobbin (?) (lead)		
Photos bw				.327 5	Iron arrowhead		
Photos col.				.316 6	Iron piece BRONZE		

Context Report

depth	We are still removing the baulk that contains (now almost certainly) a wall. At the start of the day it was 39cm to the baulk at the N/W corner and 76cms at the N/E corner.
B1	bone found at 58 cm in B1
Floor	Darker ash coloured soil found on floor. Patchy see illustration
Glass	found on B1 baulk, at floor level. Possible doorway within B1 + C1; piece of worked stone on floor in B1 to support this. See next page.
object	A stone (?) bobbin (?) was found on the floor level near glass
object	A iron arrowhead found on floor near stone
D1	On floor level, there was a collection of bones and object 6; a small iron piece.

1mm Squares



Trench 150/7 - eastern baulk
 Initials cm Date 7/5 Page 12
 Locus 2 Spit 3 Locus.....Spit..... Feature/s.....

	No. of bags	Cont	Cont
Pottery	2		
Bone			
Charcoal			
Other (Tile)			
Photos bw			
Photos col.			

No.	Object	Cont	Cont
1	glass		
2	Plaster colour?		
3	bronze (?)		

Context Report

This morning we continued to clear the baulk from the wall in the eastern side of the fence. We are doing this to clarify the floor level, and hopefully, further floor levels. Measurements of the baulk this morning were N/E corner: 67cm S/E corner: 30cm in depth. The baulk is approx. 115cm wide (variable). So far, the baulk has remained consistent in terms of soil colour and texture. Most finds are pottery and a fair amount of bone. grey crumbly.

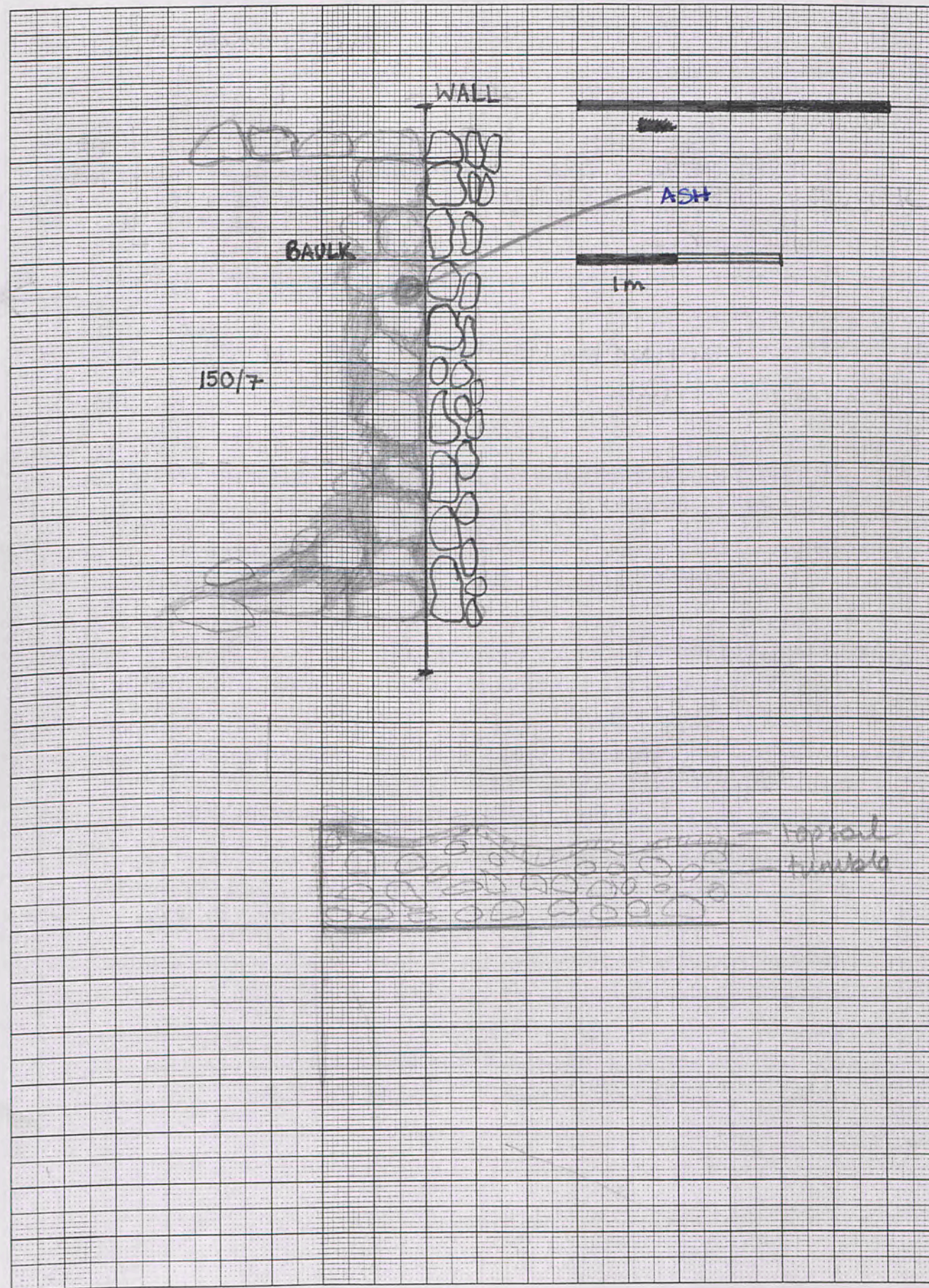
3 Pieces of glass found in N/E section of baulk
 Ash found 75cm from top of tumbled, 135cm from N/E wall. Fine, mid-grey soil. Smallest size = 30cm diameter.

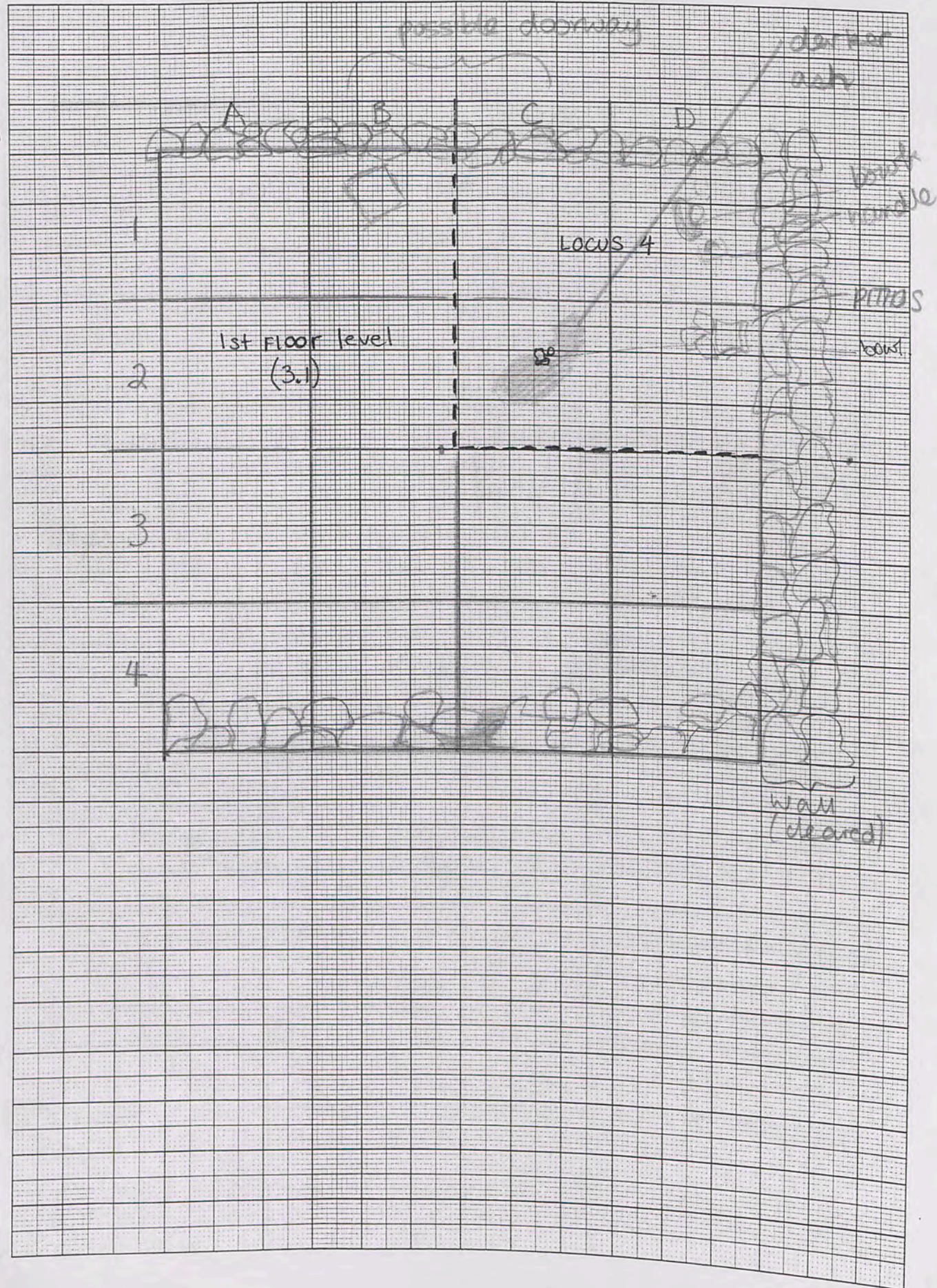
N/E section of baulk: plaster + bronze piece found

corner

1mm Squares

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Trench 150/7 Initials CM Date 8/5 Page 13
 Locus 3 Spit 2 Locus 4 Spit 4 Feature/s

	No. of bags	Cont	Cont
Pottery	7		
Bone	2		
Charcoal			
Other (Tile)			
Photos bw			
Photos col.			

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No.	Object	Cont	Cont
	IRON		

CS3 15-18

Context Report

~~But~~ ~~is~~ ~~the~~ ~~first~~ ~~layer~~ ~~under~~ ~~the~~ ~~floor~~.

This morning, as the bank was cleared, we have sectioned off a quarter of the trench with the NE corner to go below the floor. This should clarify the NE corner and the doorway.

Change of locus: this quarter of the trench is locus 4

4.3 Darker ash-coloured soil found at 4.1 (see illustration)

4.3 Pithos jar. Other pottery scattered nearby - finer texture + fabric. Some charcoal pieces. Upside-down bowl - full profile - ~~got~~ ~~had~~ handle also found in that area.

Jamie took photos: CS3 15-18.

ESA: red bowl profile and 1x shard found in ~~at~~ ^{ashy} area.

Ash: Locus 5

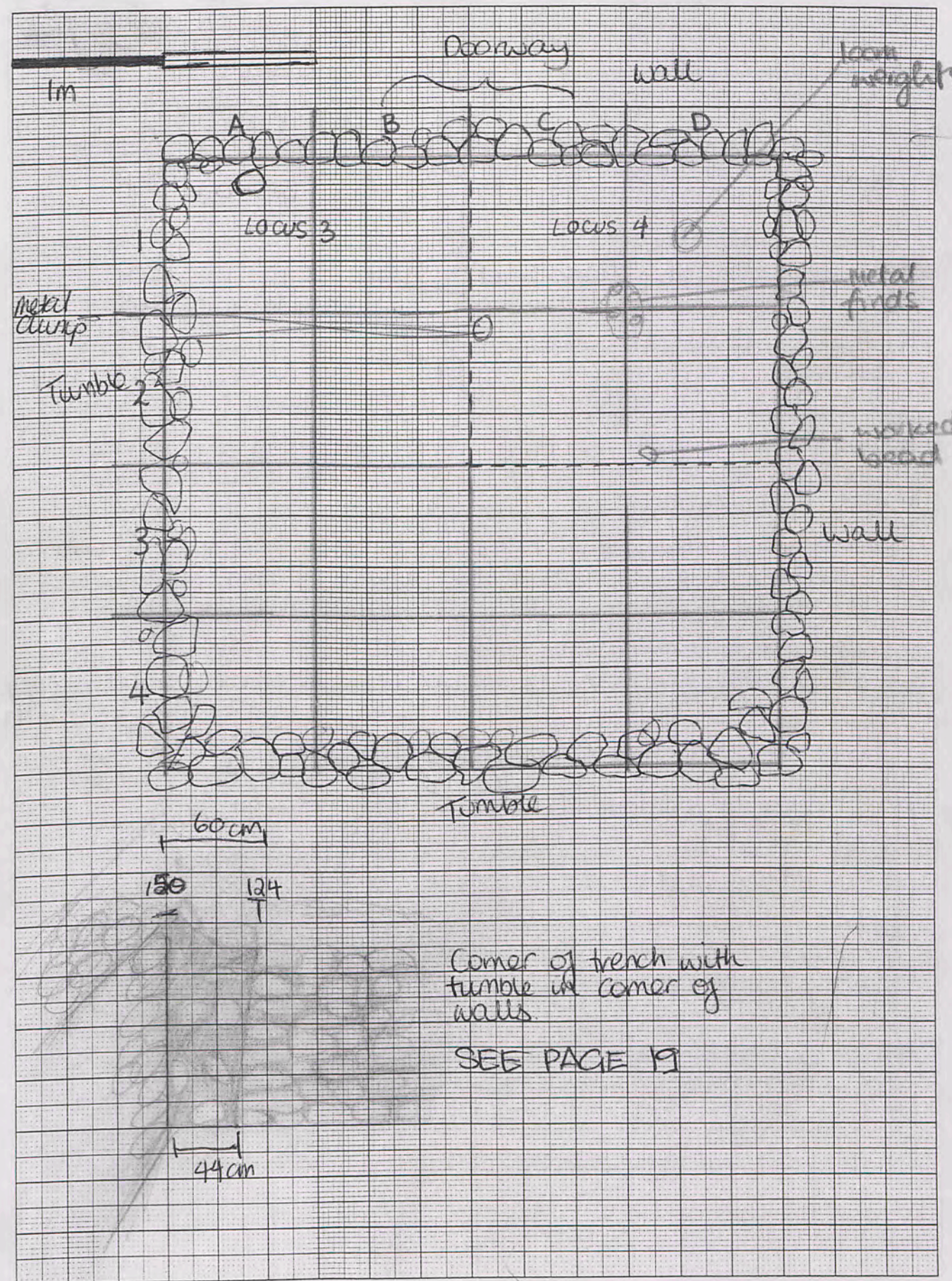
Trench 150/7 Initials CM Date 9/5/00 Page 14
 Locus 4 Spit 3 Locus 5 Spit 3 Feature/s

	No. of bags	Cont	Cont	No.	Object	Cont	Cont
Pottery	11		.446	1	moulded bowl sherd.		
Bone	11		.449+	2	TOOTH worked stone (spindle whorl)		
Charcoal	1		.450	3	worked stone		
Other (Tile)			.433	4	worked stone (spindle whorl)		
Photos bw			.447	5	metal iron (?) clump		
Photos col.			.448				

Context

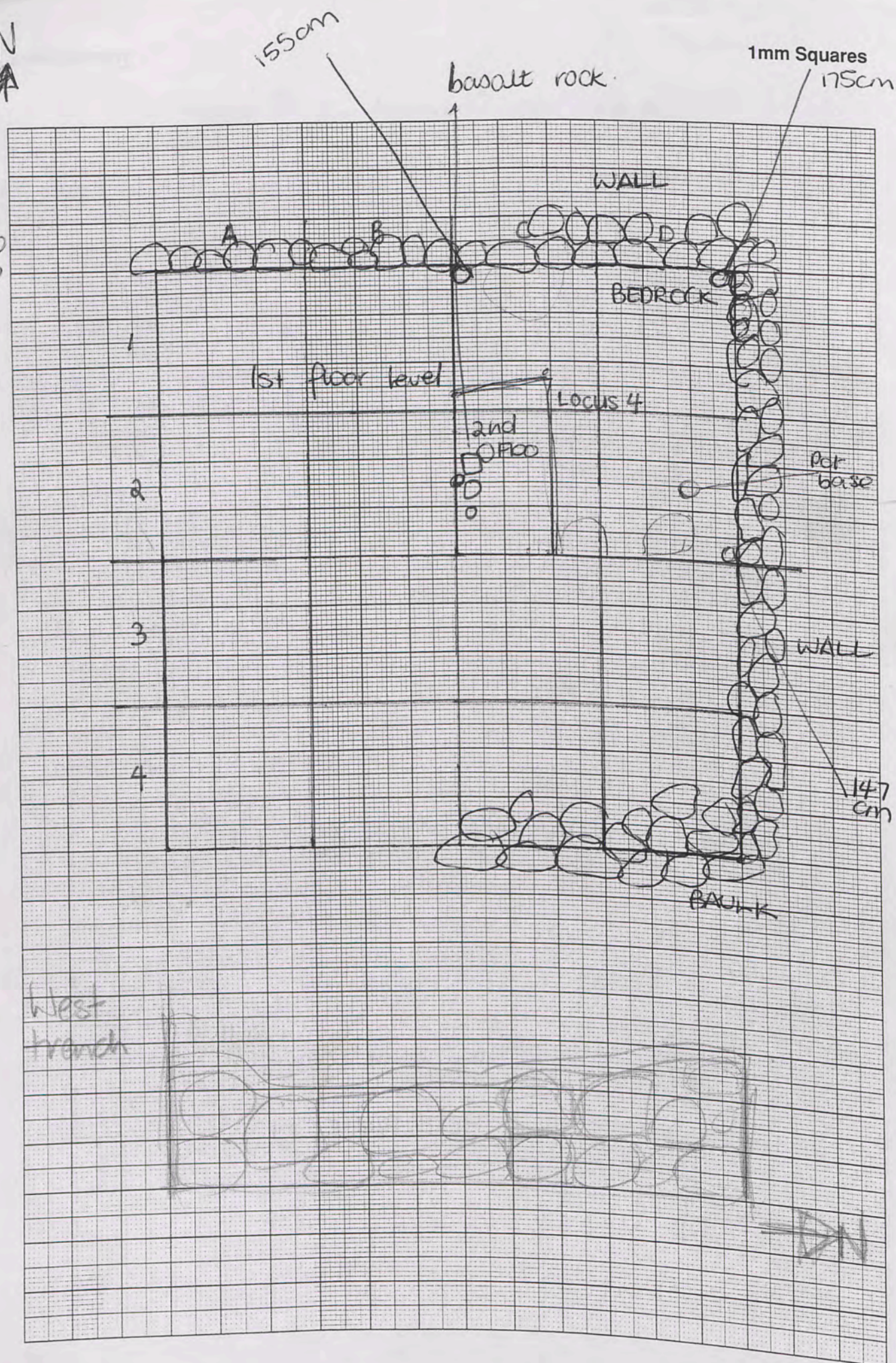
Report

	This morning we are continuing to excavate under the floor in locus 4. We are finding more pottery pieces that fit together or are the same fabric as yesterday's finds. These are being bagged separately for possible reconstruction.
	Although there was pottery immediately under the floor level, it did not appear to be on a floor.
4.4	Metal finds in centre of trench (see illustration). Ash colour has gone: soil a red/brown colour (of the grey crumbly previously).
N/E corner:	appears to be a doorway with a wall running through it (see illustration).
	Found quite a bit of pottery including a moulded bowl sherd. Pottery bagged separately if relation to 8/5/00 finds.
objects:	loomweights at 4.3 moulded bowl sherd + something that may be polished shell or stone at 4.4
D2	Worked stone; looks like a bead
C2	A clump of what appears to be iron at 4.5
4.5	Darker grey/brown + crumbly.



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120
110



Trench...150/17.....Initials...cm.....Date...10.5.00 Page...15
Locus...4.....Spit...5..... Locus.....Spit..... Feature/s.....

	No. of bags	Cont	Cont
Pottery	11		.476
Bone	1		.475
Charcoal			.452
Other (Tile)			.458
Photos bw			
Photos col.	CS3	35 -	36

No.	Object	Cont	Cont
1	Shell		
2	metal blob (iron)		
3	lamp profile		
4	Copper/bronze iron fragments		

Context Report SEE PAGE 19

Today we are continuing to excavate under the first floor. We have found three stones in a row at C2 - not sure yet what this indicates - The stones are basalt which we seem to have gone through most of (1). Have left a corner (see illustration) thus the second floor is on straight bedrock, at 50cm from 1st floor. On bedrock we found pithos jar parts, some bone and a shell

4.5 Metal blob found under floor (object 2)

Locus 4 N/E corner : 175 cm
N/W corner : 155 cm } FROM BEDROCK TO TOP OF TUMBLE
S/E corner : 147 cm }

Pot base found on bedrock - too wet to move immediately - object 3 (lamp profile) found nearby, with copper/bronze blob (object 4)

Locus 4:5 = on bedrock; under 2nd floor.

Photographed by Jamie. CS3 - 35 + 36

We then decided to remove the westerly baulk to clarify the walls of the next trench. (149/1) which has some unusual walls.

Western tumble : grey crumbly soil.

Trench 150/7-149/1 Initials CM Date 10.5 Page 16
 Locus 2 Spit 2 Locus.....Spit..... Feature/s.....

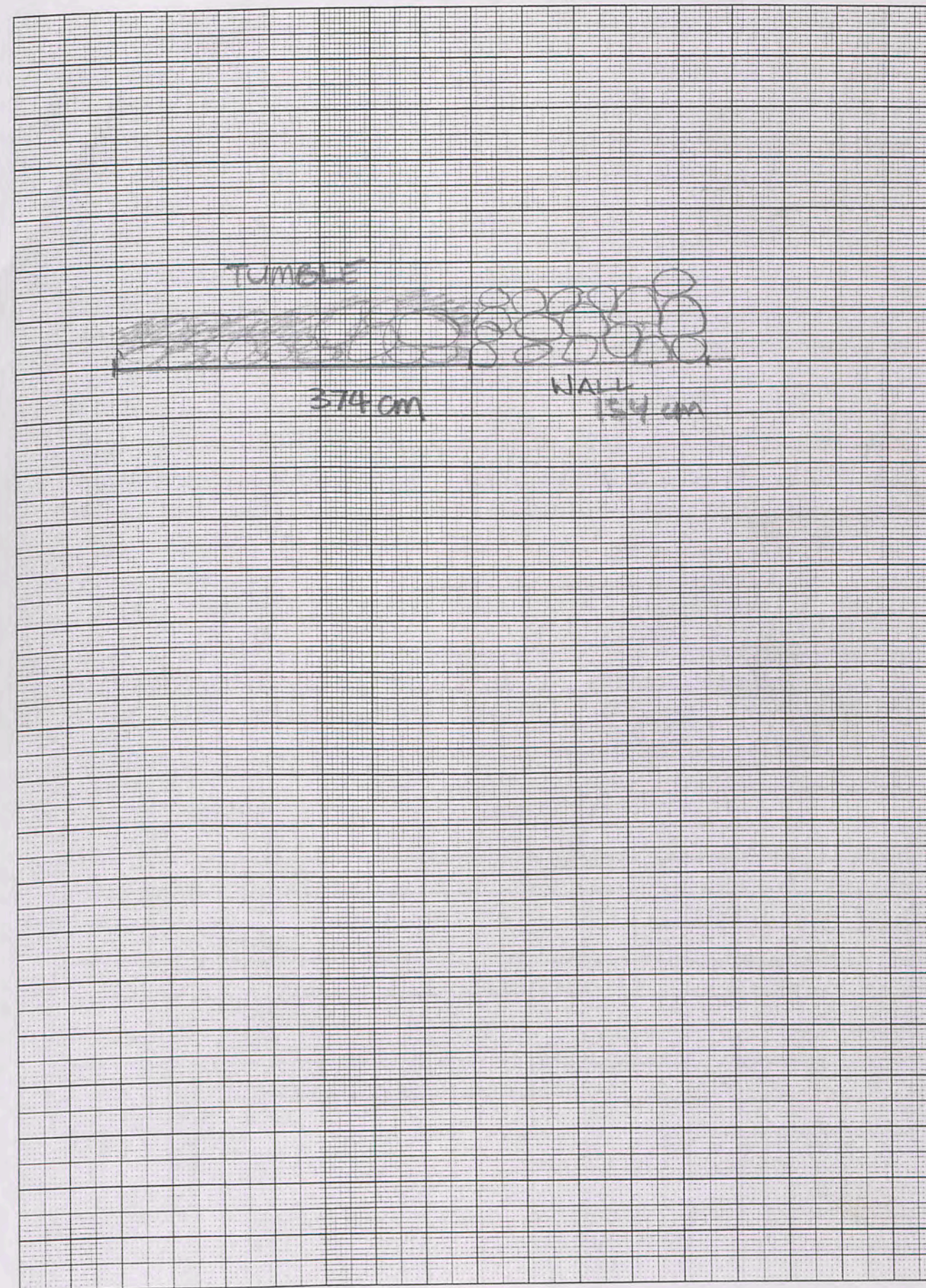
	No. of bags	Cont	Cont
Pottery			
Bone			
Charcoal			
Other (Tile)			
Photos bw			
Photos col.			

No.	Object	Cont	Cont

Context

Report

We are excavating the bank between 150/1 and 149/1. There appears to be a wall from the North for about half the length. The remaining length is either a doorway or a collapsed wall. This section is the part we are removing today to get a better idea of the wall and the relationship between the two trenches. 154cm



1mm Squares

