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Field Record Book

LC

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Trenches	18, 19, 37
Dates	27/4/08 - 22/5/08

ADVICE to TRENCH SUPERVISORS

1. Take a **new page** for each day. (Each day may take several pages).
2. Draw a **scale plan** of the trench **each day** on the graph paper (essential), with North at the top (if this is not convenient, mark North direction clearly).
When starting a square, this plan may be nearly empty but draw it all the same and mark in emerging tumble. The graph paper can also be used for sketching objects etc.
3. Mark **depth** from surface at the beginning of each day, at designated points. Also record, each day, the depths taken on the sheet provided (kept in the back of your field record book)
4. Draw arrows on your plan to indicate **direction** in which you are excavating.
4. Every time you designate a new context, (on the occasion of a new spit, a new feature, a new soil colour) fill in the **Context Record Sheet** for that trench, as well as describing it in your report. Store the accumulated context record sheets in the plastic sleeve in your record book.
5. **Structures** . Measure carefully any structure (wall, doorway, threshold, ovens, pit, any large dressed stones or columns) and record exact location, height, width in your report as well as on the scale plan.
6. **Floors** - marked by very hard tough surface or layer of white crushed limestone. May be softer adjacent to wall. Record thickness of floor, if we decide to dig through it.
If your floor is particularly good, collect a few bags of surface material - there may be seeds.
7. **Objects**. e.g. glass, figurine or lamp fragments, metal, stucco, loomweights, spindle whorls, beads, graffito-ed sherds, coins, gold jewellery (some hope). Mark in the location and depth of any objects clearly and accurately. If necessary, draw another sketch plan as the day progresses. A quick sketch of the object in the report would be helpful, if it is too mysterious to name e.g. Mattie's metal blobs.
8. **Pottery**: label bags clearly in waterproof pen, with one label inside the bag and one outside. **Record daily the number of bags per context** . Be very careful to separate pottery from different contexts.
It is absolutely essential to double-bag the pottery. A broken bag of pottery without context is useless.
9. **Bone**: Collect all bone and label as for pottery. Record number of bags per context daily.
10. **Charcoal**: Collect all charcoal and label as for pottery. Record number of bags per context daily.
11. **Tile**: it is important to record the location and amount of tile.
12. **Very important**: at the completion of a trench,
 - i DRAW (TO SCALE) a section of the exposed baulk, with details of stratigraphy clearly marked.
 - ii DRAW (TO SCALE) a top plan of the completed trench, with contexts clearly marked.
 - iii WRITE a short summary with your interpretation of the trench.

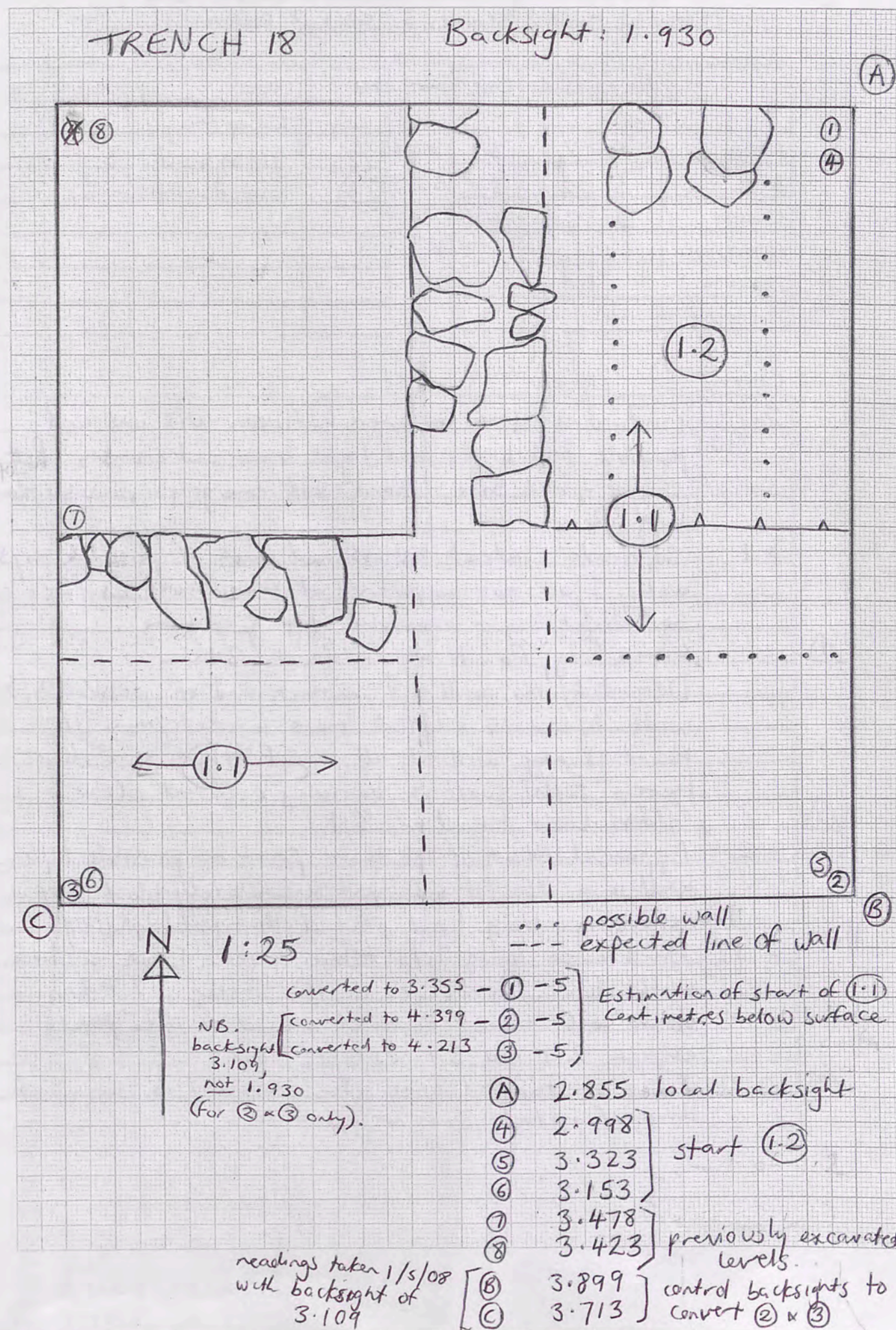
Trench 18 Initials LC Date 27/04/08 Page 1
 Locus Spit Locus Spit Feature/s

	No. of bags	Cont	Cont
Pottery	2	1.1	1.2
Bone	2	1.1	1.2
Charcoal			
Other (Tile)			
Photos bw			
Photos col.			

No.	Object	Cont	Cont

Context Report

Context	Report
1.1	Clearing all previously commenced surface to east and south of possible walls. Levels not possible as no dumpy, but surface already 5cm below point A in NE corner. Clearing taking down a further 5cm. Levels taken today will need to be converted when dumpy available, and level of point A established. Some bone, lots of pottery coming up. Soil slightly darker than surface, pale cocoa colour. Initial Impression is that N/S wall is only one course deep, but this is based on view from west, and may be different when locus 4 taken down further.
1.2	Levels taken with dumpy. Starting new spit directly under 1.1. Lots of rubble, pottery coming up. No change in soil colour. Backsight: 1.930 Restructuring 1.2 to NE corner. Going down 20cm to define east face of N/S wall and to see if there is another N/S wall extending to the east, which is an extension of that in the trench to the north. Southern boundary to stop in line with E/W wall already exposed in west of trench. Does this continue?



Trench...18.....Initials...LC...Date...29/04/08...Page...2
 Locus...2...Spit...1..... Locus...3...Spit...1,2...Feature/s.....

	No. of bags	Cont	Cont	No.	Object	Cont	Cont
Pottery	5	2.1	3.1	3.2, 3.3, 3.4	Lamp frag	3.1	
Bone	5	2.1	3.1	3.2, 3.3, 3.4	glass bead	3.1	
Charcoal	2	3.3	4.1		twisted metal wire	3.2	
Other (Tile)							
Photos bw							
Photos col.							

Context Report

Context	Report
2.1	Continuing down in area between N/S wall and possible N/S wall. Soil light brown and crumbly. Pottery coming up and bone. Hard soil emerging - possible floor. Will clear.
3.1	Separate context established east of possible N/S wall. Floor not apparent at same level as 2.1 - soil light brown crumbly. Pottery & bone.
①	Lamp frag found at bottom of 3.1. Definitely no wall at southern end of possible N/S wall. Need to expose more to determine if there is any wall at all, or if there is a door here. E/W wall is becoming nice and clear
②	Glass bead found in 3.1.
3.2	Apparent that if southern part of possible N/S wall is a door, it was not deliberately blocked up, remaining. Very loose packed dirt with pottery.
2.1	Hard area looks like floor level. Stops in line with door. Softer to south. After 3.2 taken down will extend context around to incorporate all of 2.1 and 3.1 except floor
③	3.2 Piece of twisted wire. Too encrusted to see what kind of metal. Does not appear to be iron.

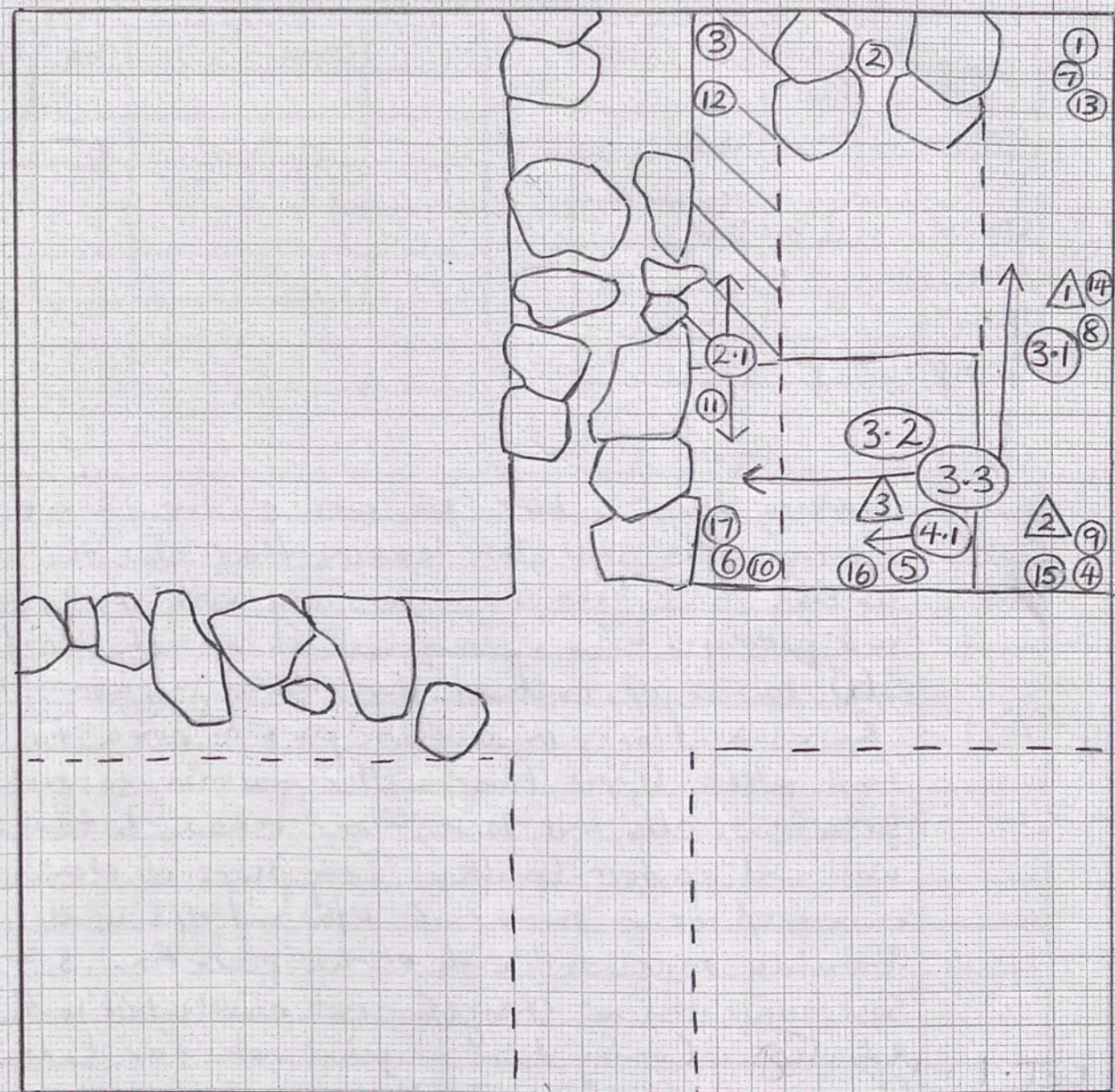
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1mm Squares

Trench 18

Backsight 1.730



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▨ hard packed soil
 --- expected line of wall N

① 3.078		⑬ 4.289	
② 2.835		⑭ 4.271	
③ 2.952	start	⑮ 4.273	end of ③.3, floor
④ 3.002	②.1/③.1	⑯ 4.387	
⑤ 2.924		⑰ 4.318	
⑥ 3.152			
⑦ 3.481	end ③.1		
⑧ 3.615	end ③.1, level of ①		
⑨ 3.591	end ③.1, level of ②		
⑩ 3.691			
⑪ 3.550	end of ②.1		
⑫ 3.422			

Sanoot - sieve
 bis / h'err - cat
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 chowie

Trench... 18 Initials... LC Date... 22/4/08 Page... 3
 Locus... 3 Spit... 3 Locus... Spit... Feature/s.....

Zahas - gold
 f'dal - silver

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1mm Squares

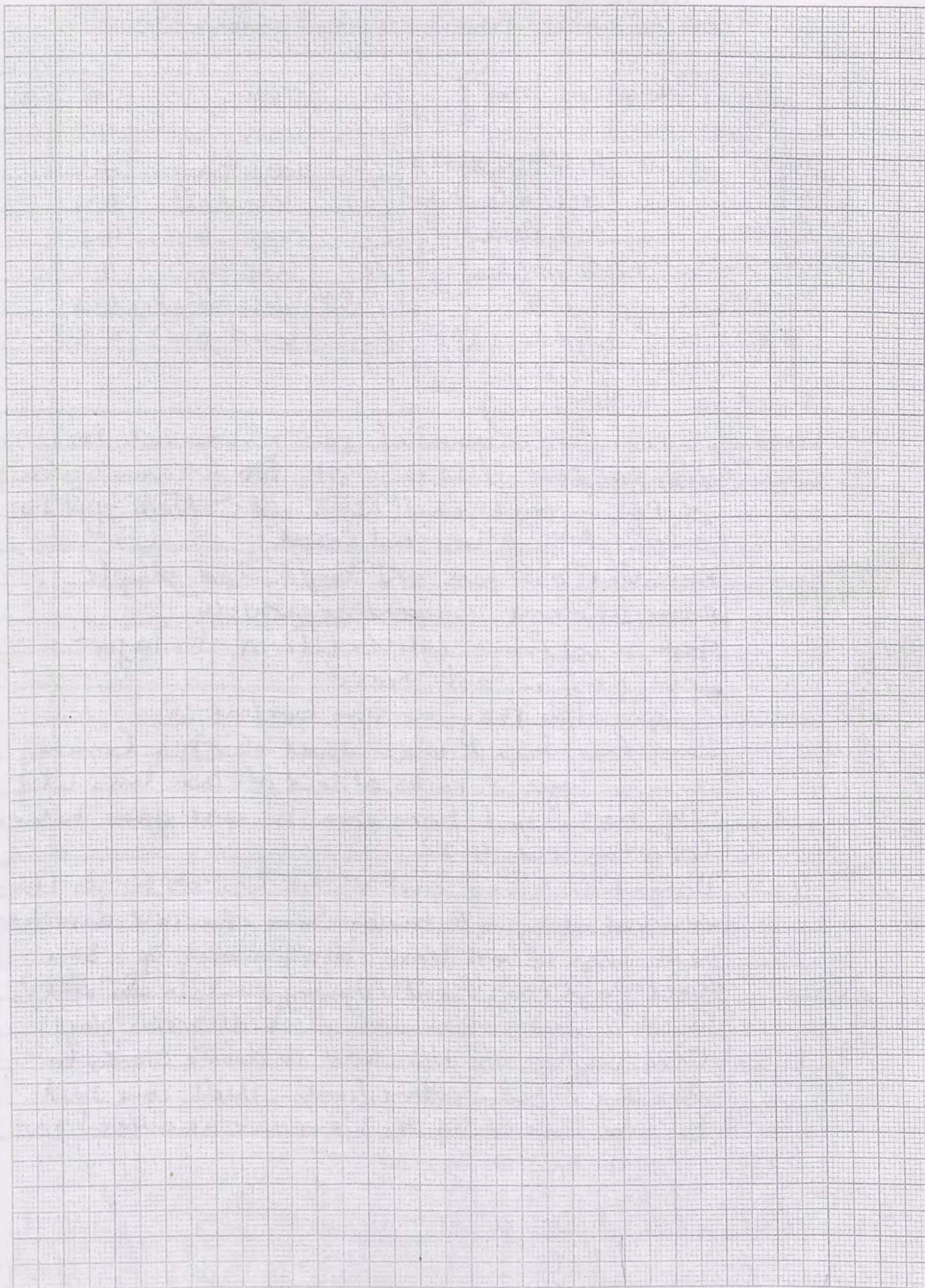
see p. 2	No. of bags	Cont	Cont
Pottery		13	
Bone			
Charcoal	13	13	
Other (Tile)			
Photos bw			
Photos col.			

No.	Object	Cont	Cont

Context Report

Context	Report
3.3	Taking down entire NE area of trench around eastern N/S wall, but leaving floor b/w the N/S walls. Soil light brown, crumbly with small rubble and pottery & bone. Tiny amount of charcoal in SW corner of context. Hard area emerging, apparent floor*
4.1	Removing floor in southern part of area to find jebel. Upper floor will remain in section between walls, and lower floor remains between wall and eastern baulk. Tiny piece of charcoal recovered near corner of E/W and N/S walls. Probably associated with earlier piece from 3.3. Soil colour has not changed - not associated with ash lens. Coming down on jebel not far below floor in SE corner. Jebel lower in west. Darker lens emerging against N/S wall. Will clear and remove as new spit. Greyish soil with very tiny charcoal inclusions.

* Seems to extend through entire area



min fowk - above
tahd - below

darr beeleh - dumpy

1mm Squares

Trench...18.....Initials...LC.....Date...29/4/08 Page...4
Locus...4.....Spit...1..... Locus...4.....Spit...2,3 Feature/s.....
1:3

	No. of bags	Cont	Cont		No.	Object	Cont	Cont
Pottery	5	4.2 ^{x2}	4.1 4.3 1.3		4	iron frag	4.2	
Bone	3	4.2	4.3 1.3		5	iron frag	4.2	
Charcoal	2	4.2	4.3		6	iron nail	4.2	
Other (File) Soil	4.2	1 bag			7	copper alloy frag	4.2	
Photos bw					8	lamp frag	4.2	
Photos col.					9	black glaze frag	4.3	
					12	bead (glaz?)	4.3	

Context Report

Context	Report
4.1	Finishing off removal of soil above ash lens in west and jebel in east. Clearing Clearing reveals is not in fact jebel, but rocks. New spit to start. Pottery collected here
4.2	Removing ash lens and keeping soil sample. Some charcoal collected separately. Few iron frags collected from ash layer. Iron nail in ash lens.
	Copper alloy frag at same level as 6
	Lamp frag found under level of 7. Coming down on layer of rocks at end of ash lens. Will stop here and bring area to east down to same level as end 4.2
4.3	Bringing down area east of ash lens as far as floor reserved along east bank. Some charcoal associated with edge of ash lens. Pottery coming up & bone.
	Black glaze frags found. Adjoining pieces ^{two others} found in association with piece of green glaze.
1.3	Clearing top of N/S wall to define stones for drawing. Some pottery, bone. Will come back to area covered by 4.3 & remove as different spit

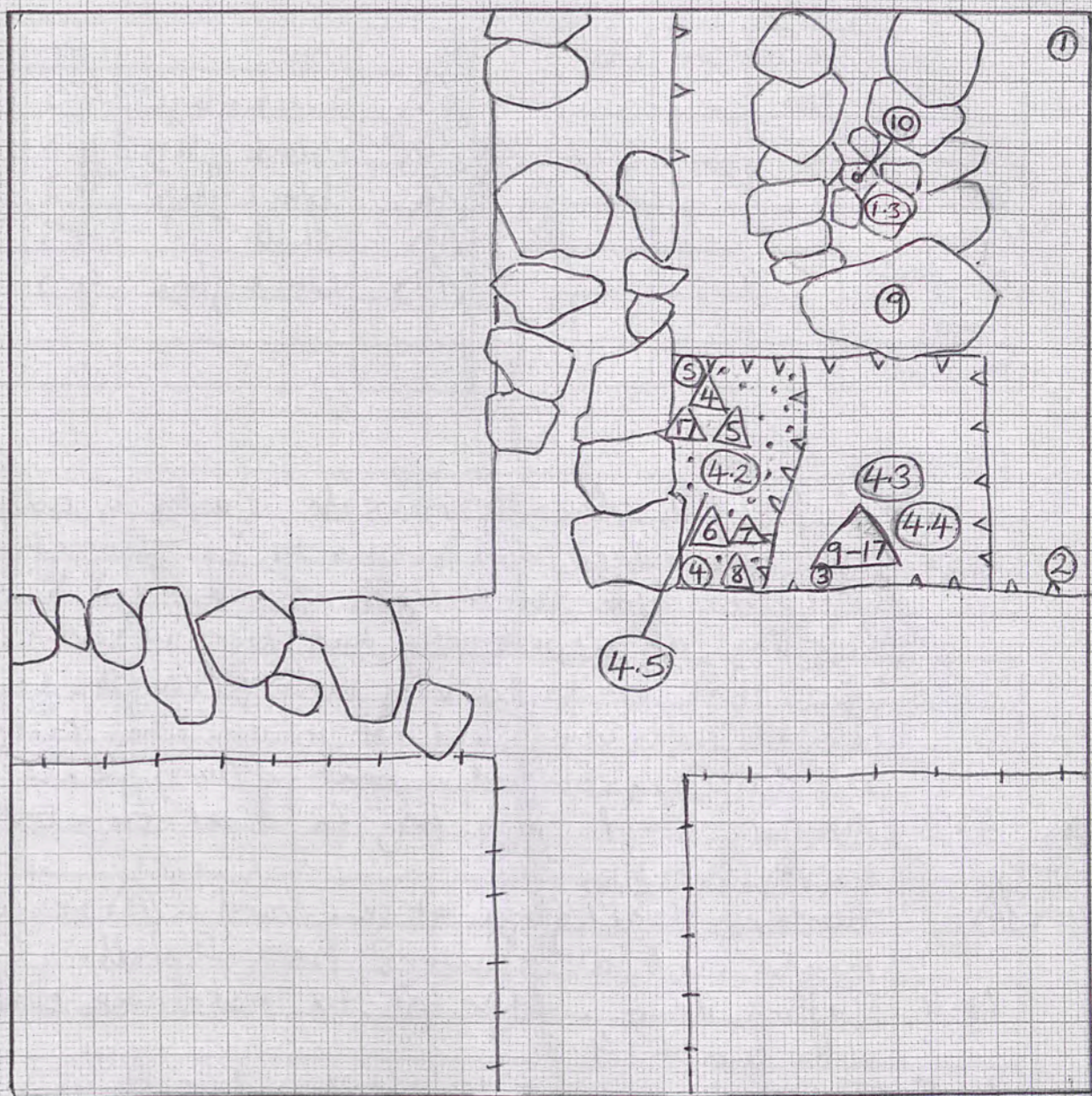
- 4
- 5
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- 10
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Trench 18

Backsight: 2.549



1:25
ash lens
N +++ expected line of wall

- Levels
- A 3.535
 - 1 4.149 end 3.3
 - 2 4.132 end 3.3
 - 3 4.389 end 4.1, start 4.3
 - 4 4.360 end 4.1, start 4.2
 - 5 4.379 level of 4 5
 - 6 4.552 level of 6 7
 - 7 4.689 level of 8, Rocky layer end 4.2
 - 8 4.550 objects 9 to 11 end 4.3
 - 9 3.871
 - 10 3.830 } top of wall - end 1.3 clearing

Trench.....18.....Initials.....LC.....Date 29/4/08 Page 5
 Locus.....4.....Spit.....3..... Locus.....Spit..... Feature/s.....

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

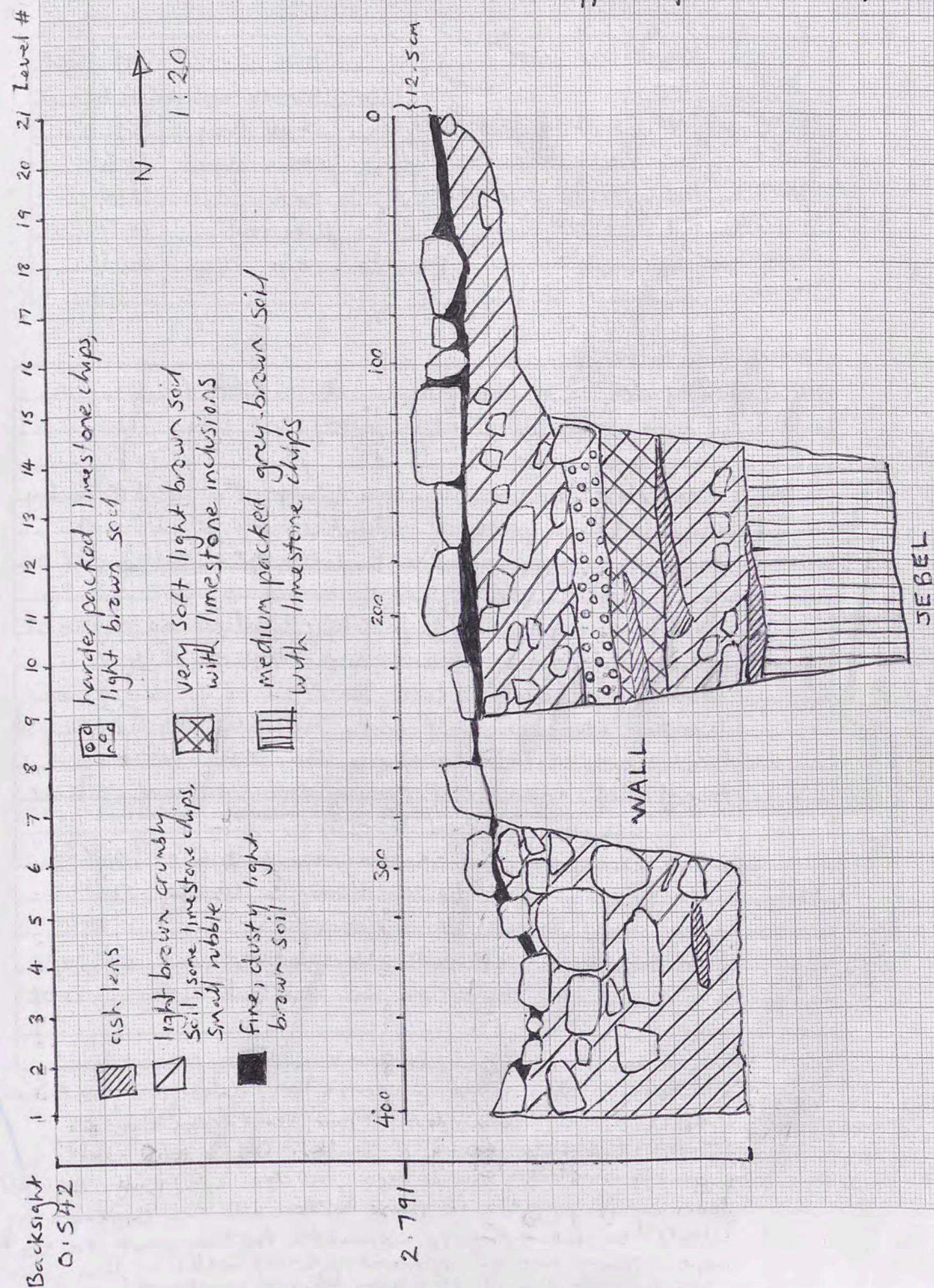
No.	Object	Cont	Cont
13	black glaze	4.3	
14	black glaze	4.3	
15	black glaze	4.3	
16	shell	4.3	
17	black glaze	4.3	

Context Report

Context	Report
	N/S wall cleaning reveals is only a couple of courses deep, and seems to be associated with the floor identified at end of 3.3. Puzgling, as apparently has door in southern part that leads to very close N/S wall. Could this be secondary, and not in use when central N/S wall constructed in cont tertiary phase?
13	4.3 Another black glaze frag found at same level as 9, 10 & 11.
14, 15, 16	Two more black glaze at same level. 15 rounded - maybe used as counter? Piece of shell.
4.4	Taking down another spit to make area even with end of 4.2
4.5	Taking down area in west under stones at bottom of 4.2. Appears to be even darker than 4.2 underneath. Will remove stones then commence new spit.
17	Another black glaze frag.



T18: NORTH/SOUTH WALL SECTION, EAST FACE
 (see opposite p. 7 for levels)



Trench.....18.....Initials.....LC.....Date 30/4/09 Page 6
 Locus.....4.....Spit.....5,6,7 Locus.....Spit..... Feature/s.....

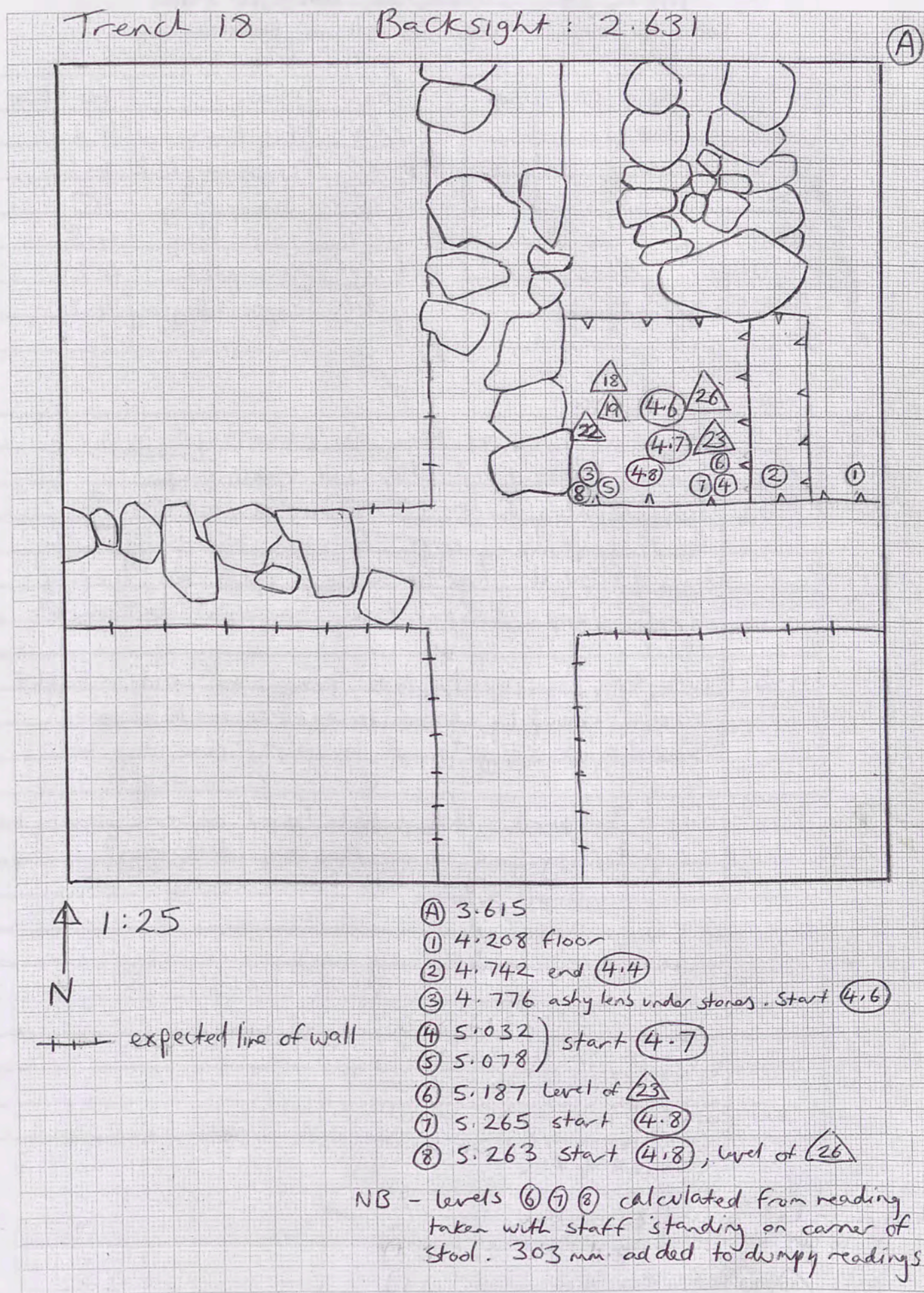
	No. of bags	Cont	Cont
Pottery	4	4.5	4.6
Bone	3	4.5	4.6
Charcoal	1	4.7	
Other (Tile)	1	4.5	
Photos bw			
Photos col.			

No.	Object	Cont	Cont
18	Cosmetic applicator?	4.6	
19	shell frag	4.6	
20	stone object	4.6	
21	coin	4.6	
22	stone tool	4.7	
23	coin	4.7	

Context Report

Context	Report
4.5	Clearing away remaining dirt left from yesterday. Very little pottery and bone. Two pieces of tile.
4.6	Removing soil sample from under stones. Actually seems to be part of same lens - stones not regular enough to suggest deliberate paving over a earlier one. Pottery & bone coming up
18	Cosmetic applicator(?) possibly lead as no apparent related corrosion, found near top of 4.6.
19	Shell frag found close to 18.
20	Worked stone object found. Abraded die? Re covered from sieve - exact location within 4.6 uncertain.
	Ashly lens ending and coming down on harder layer with lots of crushed limestone.
21	coin recovered from sieving near bottom of 4.6
4.7	Starting new spit to go through limy soil.
22	Stone tool found at top of spit.
23	Coin found. Level taken by placing stick on top of stool (303mm height) as new too low using current datum.

Two discrete ash lenses quite apparent in section. N/S wall in centre of trench only ~65cm deep and rests on clear floor level (same floor as preserved section along E. bank). Other N/S wall seems to rest on same floor, as does E/W wall. Apparent doorway is puzzling if these three walls are contemporary. Would be interesting to excavate further east to see more. There are no apparent primary walls in this section of trench 18. Was this a courtyard?

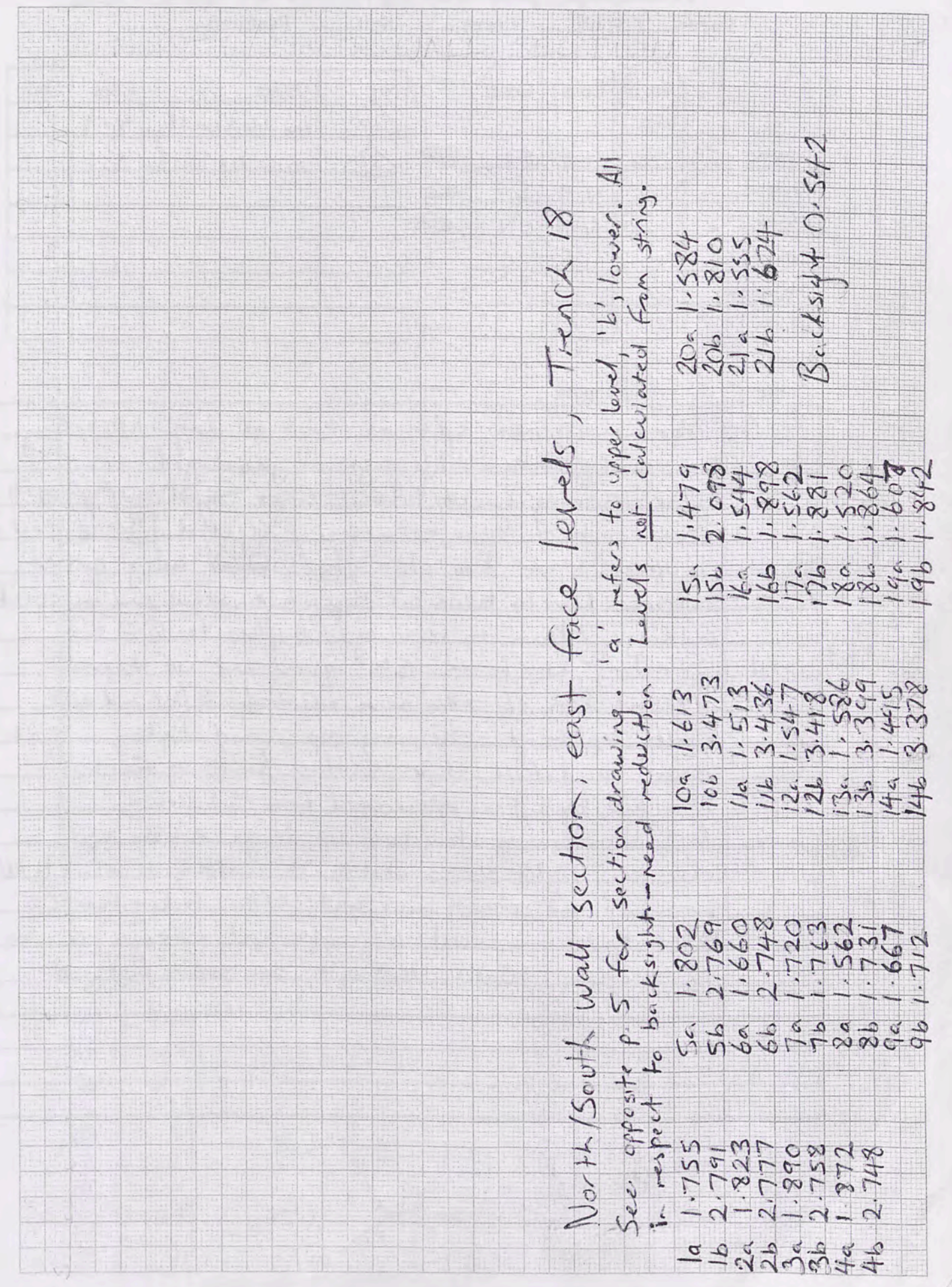
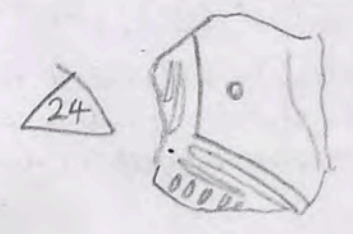


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 Locus.....4.....Spit.....7..... Locus.....Spit..... Feature/s.....

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

No.	Object	Cont	Cont
24	fig frag	4.7	
25	copper alloy hook	4.7	
26	lamp frag	4.7	
27	glass frag	4.8	
28	glass pebble	4.8	
29	copper alloy frag	4.8	

Context	Report
24	4.7 fig frag recovered from 4.7 sieving. Small amount of charcoal coming up.
25	copper alloy hook found in sieve. 4.7 continuing down further than originally hoped. Will start a new spit as getting quite deep. Lamp frag found at bottom of 4.7
26	4.8 Starting new spit. No change in soil, light brown, crumbly, some limestone inclusions
27	Small glass frag found in sieve near top of 4.8
28	Flat bottomed glass pebble found in same sieving as 27
29	Copper alloy frag found. Possibly blade frag?



North/South wall section, east face levels, Trench 18

See opposite p. 5 for section drawing. 'a' refers to upper level, 'b' lower. All in respect to backsight - head reduction. Levels not calculated from string.

1a	1.755	5a	1.802	10a	1.613	15a	1.479	20a	1.584
1b	2.791	5b	2.769	10b	3.473	15b	2.098	20b	1.810
2a	1.823	6a	1.660	11a	1.513	16a	1.544	21a	1.555
2b	2.777	6b	2.748	11b	3.436	16b	1.898	21b	1.624
3a	1.890	7a	1.720	12a	1.547	17a	1.562		
3b	2.758	7b	1.763	12b	3.418	17b	1.881		
4a	1.872	8a	1.562	13a	1.586	18a	1.520		
4b	2.748	8b	1.731	13b	3.399	18b	1.864		
		9a	1.667	14a	1.415	19a	1.608		
		9b	1.712	14b	3.378	19b	1.842		

Backsight 0.542

Trench.....18.....Initials.....LC.....Date.....1/5/08 Page.2
 Locus.....4.....Spit.9..... Locus.....Spit..... Feature/s.....

	No. of bags	Cont	Cont	No.	Object	Cont	Cont
Pottery	2	4.9	5.1	30	moulded bowl frags	4.9	
Bone	2	4.9	5.1	31	moulded bowl frag	5.1	
Charcoal	2	4.9	5.1				
Other (Tile)							
Photos bw							
Photos col.							

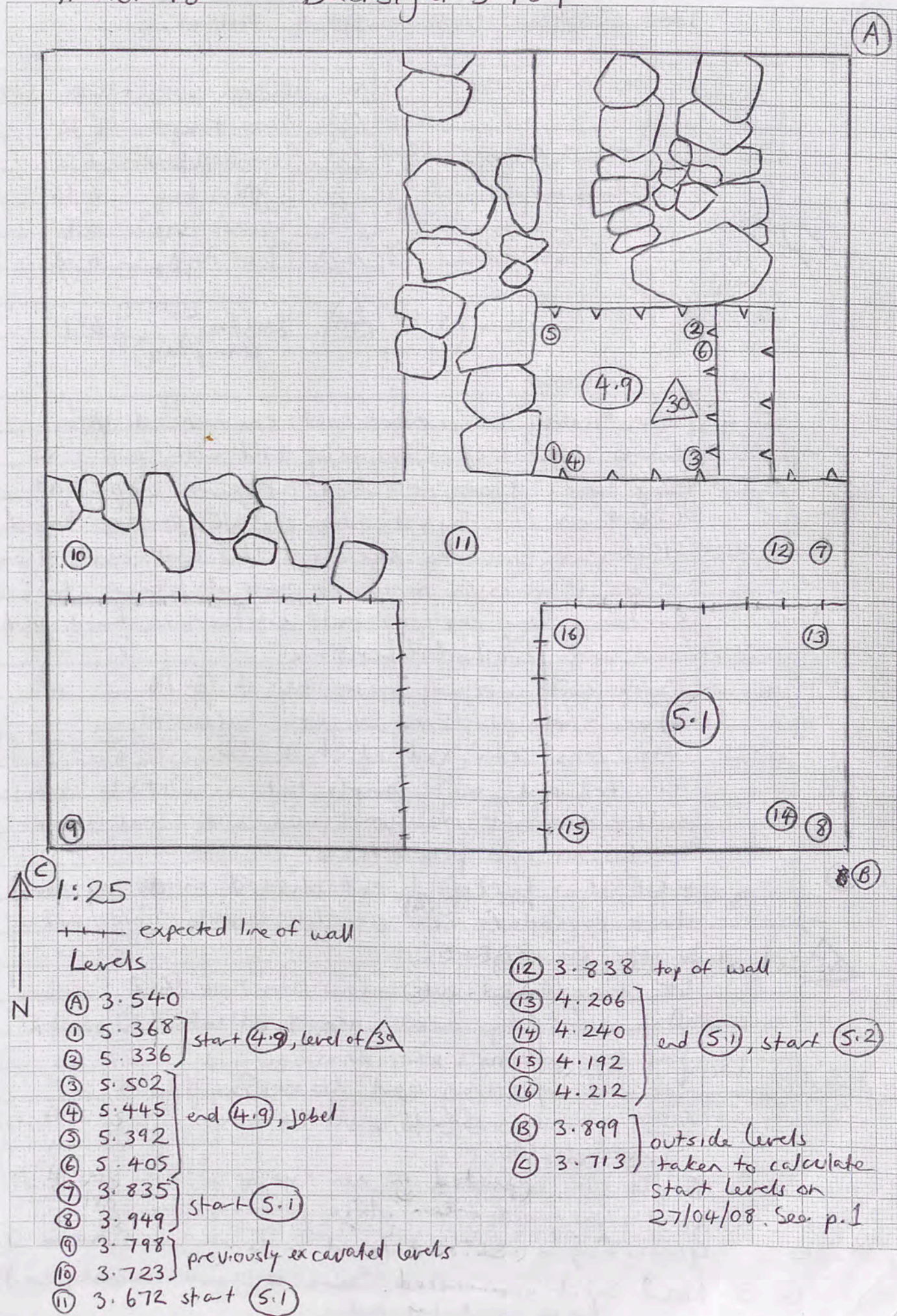
Context

Report

Context	Report
4.9	Commencing new spit as start of day. No change in soil texture. No sign of jebel yet!
30	Two adjoining moulded bowl frags found top of 4.9. Same pottery, bone, charcoal collected. Jebel reached!!
	Dumpy stuff too short for stake readings using current datum. Levels taken on top of a stool and narrow couch, adding 730mm to readings. Applies to 5 4 5 6.
5.1	Starting work in SE quadrant of trench. Topsoil has already been cleared. E/W and N/S walls apparent. Cleaning tops and taking a spit down to define their southern/eastern faces.
31	Moulded bowl frag recovered from 5.1 sieving.
	5.1 continuing to turn up large rubble and crumbly light brown soil with pottery & bone. Will even out and start new spit after taking levels.
5.2	New spit commenced. No apparent change in colour or texture. Walls starting to be nicely defined



Trench 18 Backsight 3-109



1th hab - go

eilah - to

kee-kava - chocolate
maaz - goat
garan - sheep

bil/fi - in

Trench 18 Initials LC Date 3/5/08 Page 9
Locus 5 Spit 2 Locus Spit Feature/s

	No. of bags	Cont	Cont
Pottery	4	5.2	6.1
Bone	1	5.2	6.1
Charcoal			
Other (Tile)		soil 6.1	tile 6.2
Photos bw			
Photos col.			

No.	Object	Cont	Cont
32	Iron frag	6.2	
33	moulded bowl frag	6.2	
34	glass frag	6.2	
35	glass frag?	6.2	
36	Iron nail	6.2	
46	RMB frag (from pottery)	6.1	

Context Report

5.2 Continuing to remove spit commenced 1/5/08. Same light brown crumbly soil with pottery and some bone. Floor reached at same apparent level as 'courtyard' floor in NE part of trench.

6.1 Removing floor to see if N/S wall rests upon it as it does in northern part of trench. Reserving section along eastern bank. Floor is hard packed soil with crushed limestone. Dark soil emerging near top of (6.1) in SE corner. Sample taken. Slightly below floor.

6.2 Ash lens emerged at bottom of (6.1) in NW corner of area. New spit started and soil sample taken. Outside ash lens soil is soft medium brown with small stone inclusions and pottery/bone. *NB New backsight established as dumpy moved to accommodate new trench. Levels (1-12) taken with Backsight (1).

32 Iron frag found just below start of (6.2)

Ash extending across almost all of (6.2), but is patchy and not very dense.

33 34 Moulded bowl frag and glass frag found in (6.2) sieving. Small piece of green glaze included in pottery.

Single tile collected in non-ashy section of (6.2)

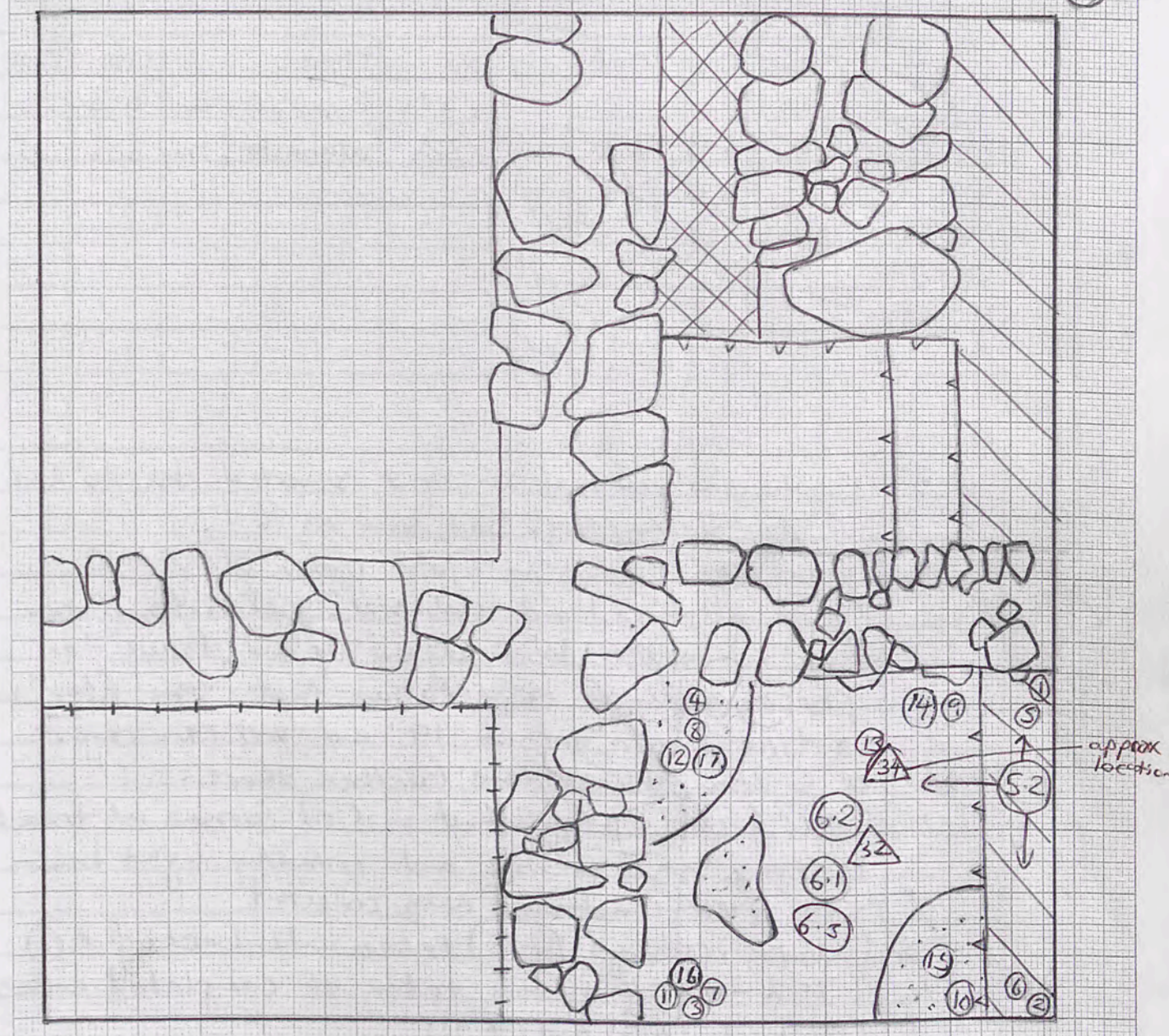
Another 2 pieces of green glaze put in pottery bag.

Glass? frag & iron nail found in sieving at bottom of (6.2)

6.3 New spit commenced. Same brown crumbly soil with patchy ash.

1mm Squares
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Trench 18 Backsight (1) 2.532
Backsight (2) 1.790



- Legend:
- [Cross-hatched] - lower floor. Crushed limestone and hard-packed dirt
 - [Dotted] - dark, ashy soil
 - [Cross-hatched] - upper floor. Crushed limestone and hard-packed dirt
 - expected line of wall
- Levels
- (A) 3.510 (1 Backsight) 2.764 (2 Backsight)
 - (1) 4.176
 - (2) 4.193 continuation (5.2)
 - (3) 4.252
 - (4) 4.233
 - (5) 4.258
 - (6) 4.350 start (6.1), floor
 - (7) 4.303
 - (8) 4.290
 - (9) 4.518
 - (10) 4.521 end (6.1) start 6.2
 - (11) 4.432
 - (12) 4.535 ash lens, end (6.1) start (6.2)
 - (13) 3.868 level of tile
 - (14) 3.922
 - (15) 3.925 start 6.3
 - (16) 3.958
 - (17) 3.906
- Backsight (1) 2.532
Backsight (2) 1.790

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 Locus...6...Spit...3..... Locus...7.....Spit...1-2 Feature/s.....

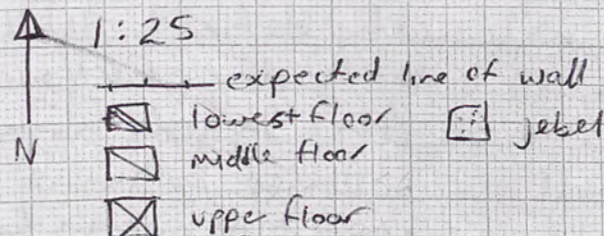
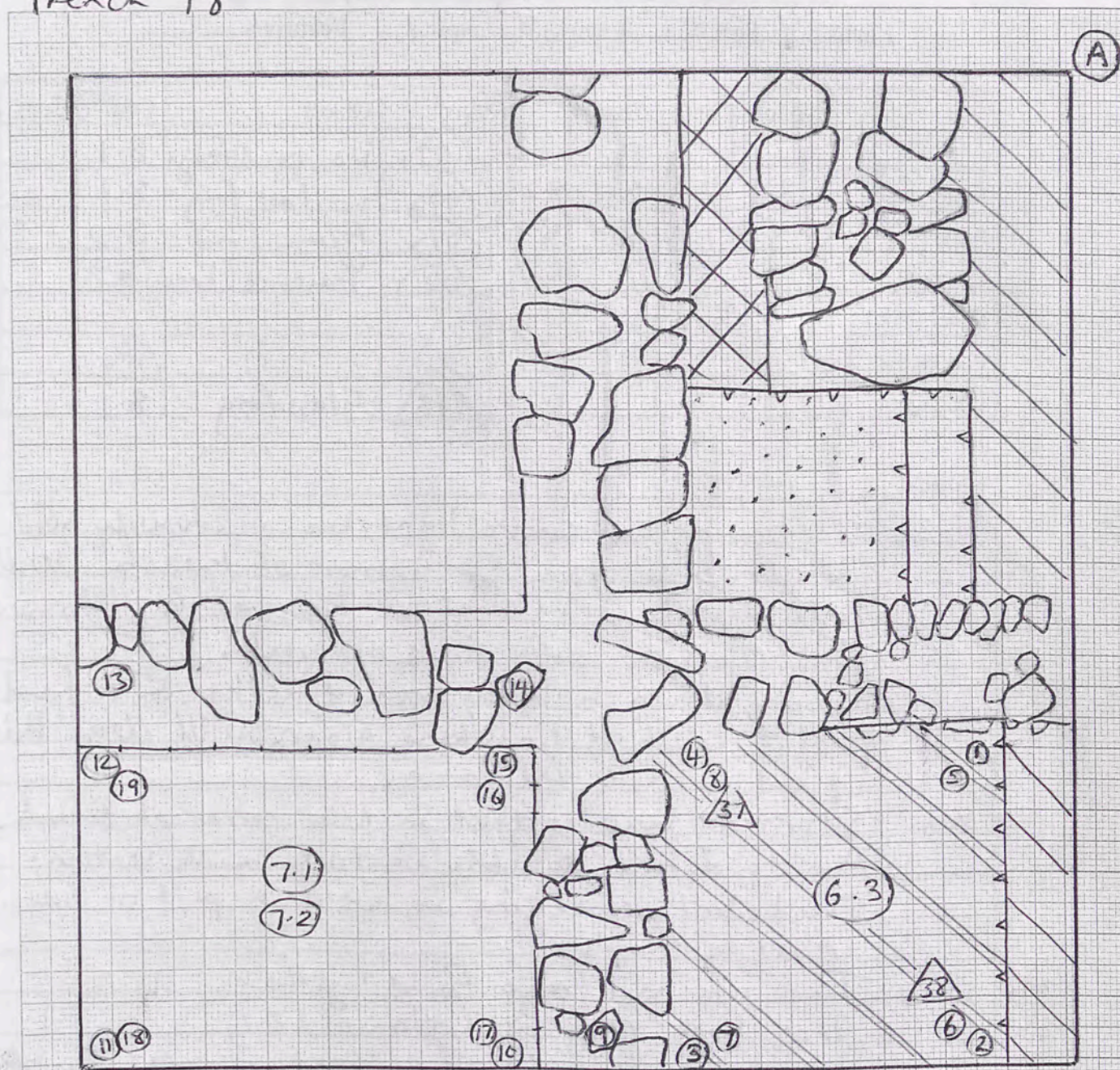
	No. of bags	Cont	Cont
Pottery	2	6.3	7.1
Bone	1	6.3	X
Charcoal			
Other (Tile)			
Photos bw			
Photos col.			

No.	Object	Cont	Cont
(37)	copper alloy coil	6.3	
(38)	alabaster? frag	6.3	

Context Report

Context	Report
6.3	Continuing removal of spit started close to end of day yesterday. Soil same as (6.2). Have come down on floor under (6.3).
(37) (38)	Copper alloy coil and alabaster? pieces found on floor surface. Will clean up and leave for photography in expectation that some floor will continue into trench 19 and we can remove a section to explore further there.
7.1	New locus established in SW corner of trench. Removing large visible and crumbly light brown soil. Pottery and bone only collected.
	* Dumpy readings (1-15) taken with backsight (1) 1798-1804 photos taken of completed areas (contexts (6.3) and (4.9))
7.2	New spit started under (7.1). Same rocky soil with some pottery. * Further readings able to be taken using same backsight as dumpy relocated and cross-checked against (A).

Trench 18 Backsight (1) : 1.775



Levels - backsight (1)

(A) 2.756	(9) 2.982	(16) 3.422
(1) 3.928	(10) 3.018	(17) 3.461
(2) 3.978 continuing	(11) 3.001	(18) 3.441
(3) 3.960 (6.3)	(12) 2.993 start	(19) 3.432 (7.2)
(4) 3.968	(13) 2.920 (7.1)	
(5) 3.974	(14) 2.899	
(6) 4.049 end (6.3) floor	(15) 3.041	
(7) 4.012		
(8) 4.020		

a/ae - few

Trench...18.....Initials...LC.....Date...5/5/08 Page...11
 Locus...7.....Spit...3..... Locus...8.....Spit...1..... Feature/s.....

	No. of bags	Cont	Cont
Pottery	3	7.3	8.1
Bone	3	7.3	8.1
Charcoal			
Other (Tile)		50.1	8.1
Photos bw			
Photos col.			

No.	Object	Cont	Cont
39	iron nail frags	8.1	
40	iron hook frag	8.1	
41	glass frag	8.2	
42	fauces? bead	8.2	
48	glass frag	8.1	

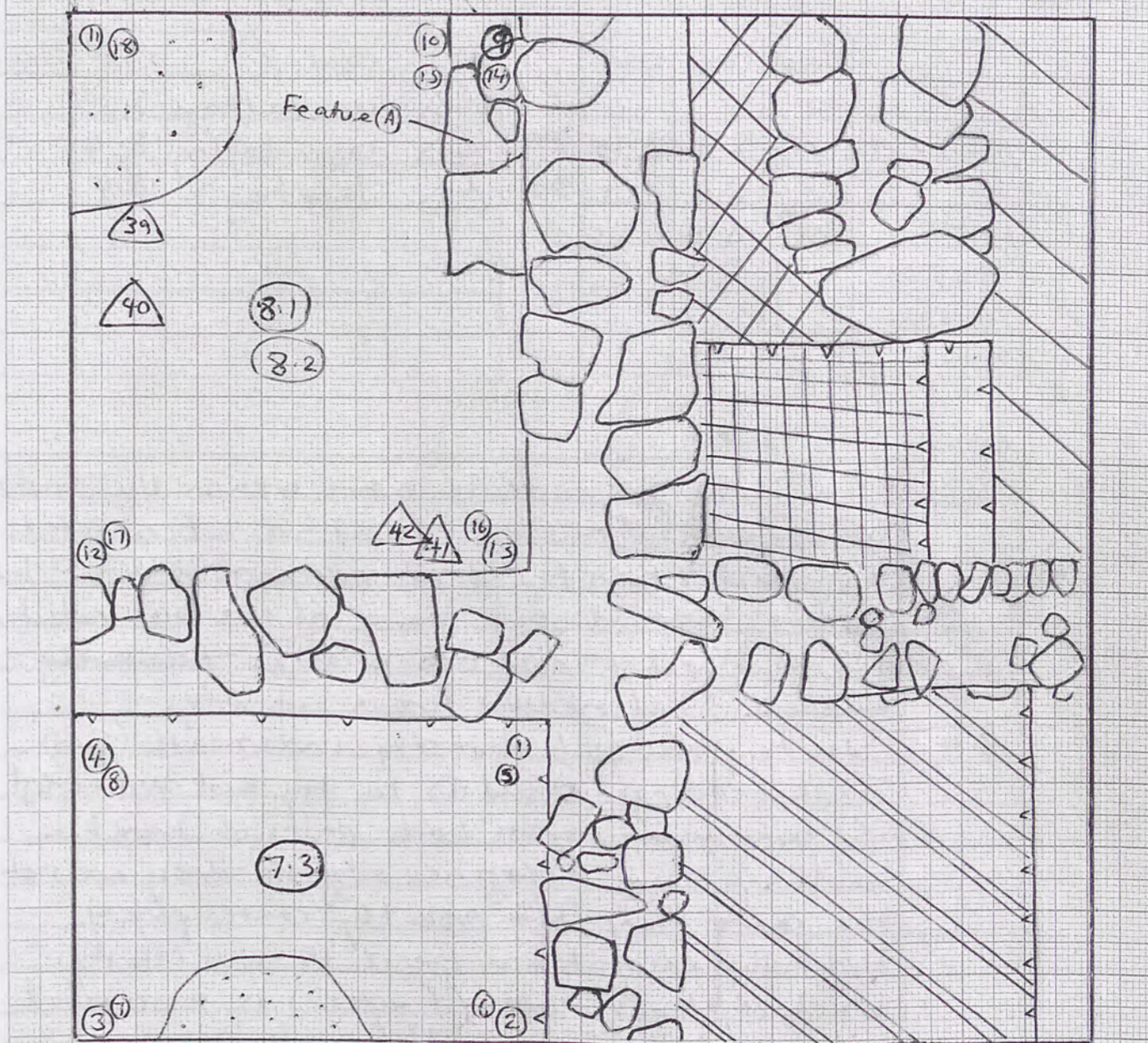
Context Report

Context	Report
7.3	Continuing to remove light brown crumbly soil and rubble from SW corner of trench. Will take down to same level as floor at (6.3) to see if occurs on both sides of wall. Coming down on ashy area directly on a hard packed crushed limestone floor. Will clean this up and finish in this area.
8.1	Starting new context in NW corner of trench. Aim to define possible feature in NE section. Dark soil emerging in western part of locus. Collecting sample. Two iron nail frags found together Iron hook frag at bottom of (8.1)
8.2	Starting new spit across entire area. Top of stone feature now nicely defined. Will be interesting to see if goes down further. At the moment appears to be three largish aligned stones. Could be a wall as is under bottom of N/S wall and would not be up against it, as appears from top plan. Glass frag & fauces (?) bead found at bottom of 8.2

2aa'ch - bird

1mm Squares

Trench 18 Backsight ①: 1.746 ③: 1.832
 ②: 1.930 1.807



1:25 upper floor lowest floor jebel
 middle floor ashy area

N

Levels

(A) 2.732 (backsight ①), 2.793 (backsight ②), 2.818 (backsight ③)	
backsight ①	① 3.550
	② 3.615
	③ 3.516
	④ 3.548
backsight ②	⑤ 3.747
	⑥ 3.768
	⑦ 3.858
	⑧ 3.868
backsight ③	⑨ 3.199
	⑩ 3.280
	⑪ 3.300
	⑫ 3.359
	⑬ 3.402
	⑭ 3.248 exposed top of Feature (A)
	⑮ 3.429
	⑯ 3.473
	⑰ 3.471
	⑱ 3.426

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 Locus 8 Spits 3-5 Locus Spits Feature/s

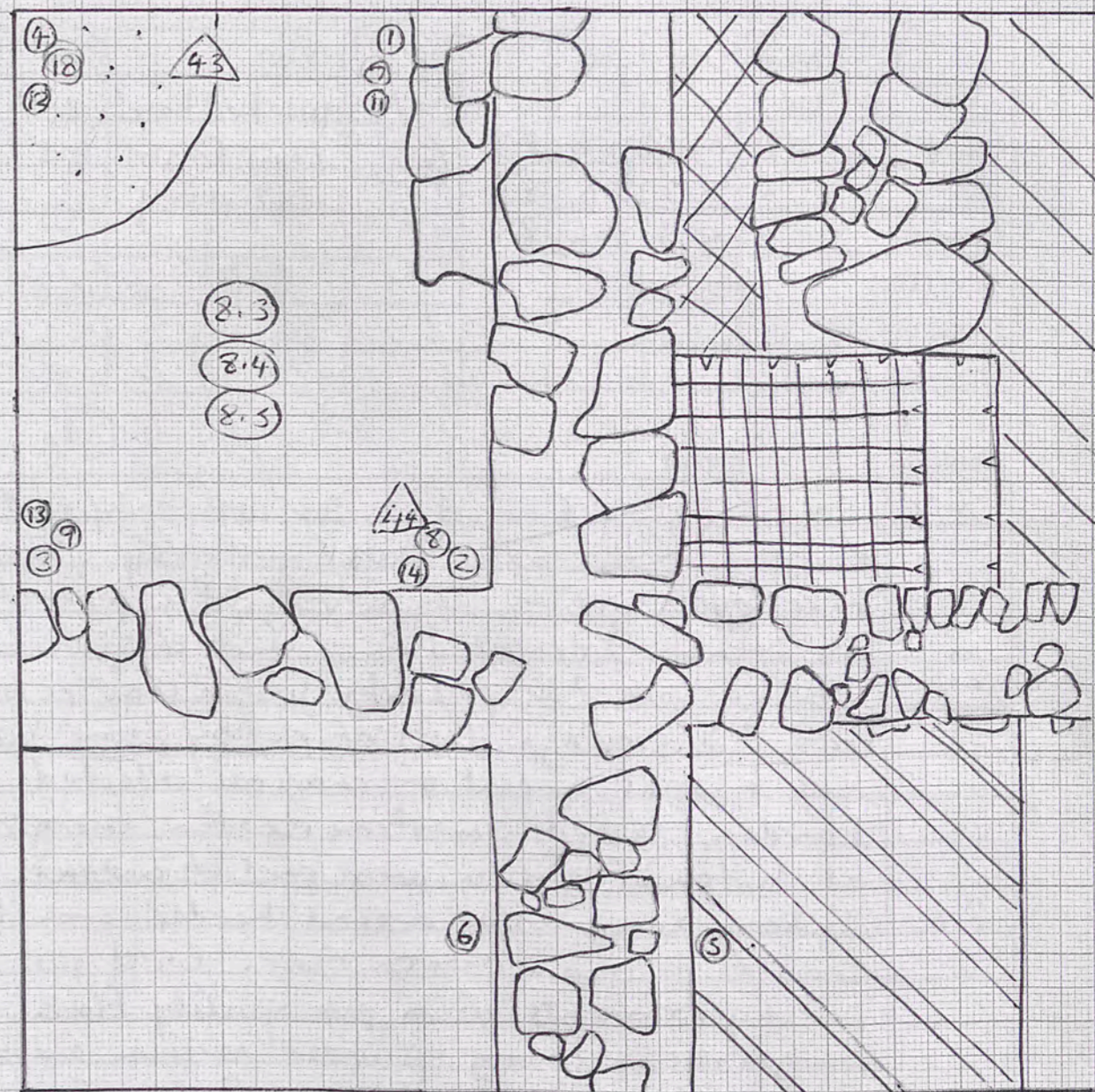
	No. of bags	Cont	Cont
Pottery	2	8.3	8.4
Bone	2	8.3	8.4
Charcoal	1	8.3	
Other (Tile)		shell 8.5	
Photos bw			
Photos col.			

No.	Object	Cont	Cont
43	iron nail frags	8.3	
44	copper alloy frag	8.4	
45	lamp frag	8.4	

Context Report

Context	Report
8.3	Continuing to excavate entire area in NW section of trench. Stone tool found but not collected. Iron nail frags found at northern end of locus. Pottery, bone and small amount of charcoal collected. No trace now of ash lens in (8.2). - Relatively shallow. Soil medium brown, crumbly.
43	
8.4	Starting new spit directly underneath (8.3). Took readings (5) and (6) to try and establish if same floor across both parts of trench in south. ~20cm difference suggests they are not the same floor, but probably contemporary. Hopefully excavation in trench 19 will clarify which of these floors (if either) is associated with the bottom of the N-S wall.
44	
45	Copper alloy frag found c. 10 cm below surface of (8.4). Lamp frag found in sieve. Another ash lens emerging under area of (8.2) lens. Rest of spit is medium brown crumbly soil with pottery and bone.
8.5	New spit started at top of ash lens and extending over entire area. Will collect soil tomorrow. No change in soil consistency from (8.4) in rest of spit. One piece of shell collected. Ash is most concentrated in NW corner, but is present in varying density throughout context.

Trench 18 Backsight (1): 2.725 (all today's readings from same backsight) (A)



Levels	Legend	Scale
(A) 3.709	[] jebel [X] upper floor [] middle floor [] lowest floor	1:25
(1) 4.428		
(2) 4.472	start	(11) 4.668
(3) 4.441	(8.3)	(12) 4.640
(4) 4.328	bottom ash lens	(13) 4.681
(5) 4.947	floor at end of (6.3)	(14) 4.671
(6) 4.738	floor at end of (7.3)	[] area of highest ash concentration
(7) 4.553		
(8) 4.580	start	
(9) 4.559	(8.4)	
(10) 4.560		

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 Locus...8.....Spit...5..... Locus.....Spit..... Feature/s.....

	No. of bags	Cont	Cont
Pottery	4	8.5x2	8.6 8.7
Bone	3	8.5	8.6 8.7
Charcoal	3	8.5	8.6 8.7
Other (Tile)			
Photos bw			
Photos col.			

No.	Object	Cont	Cont
(47)	worked bone?	8.5	
(63)	Lamp frag from pottery	8.5	

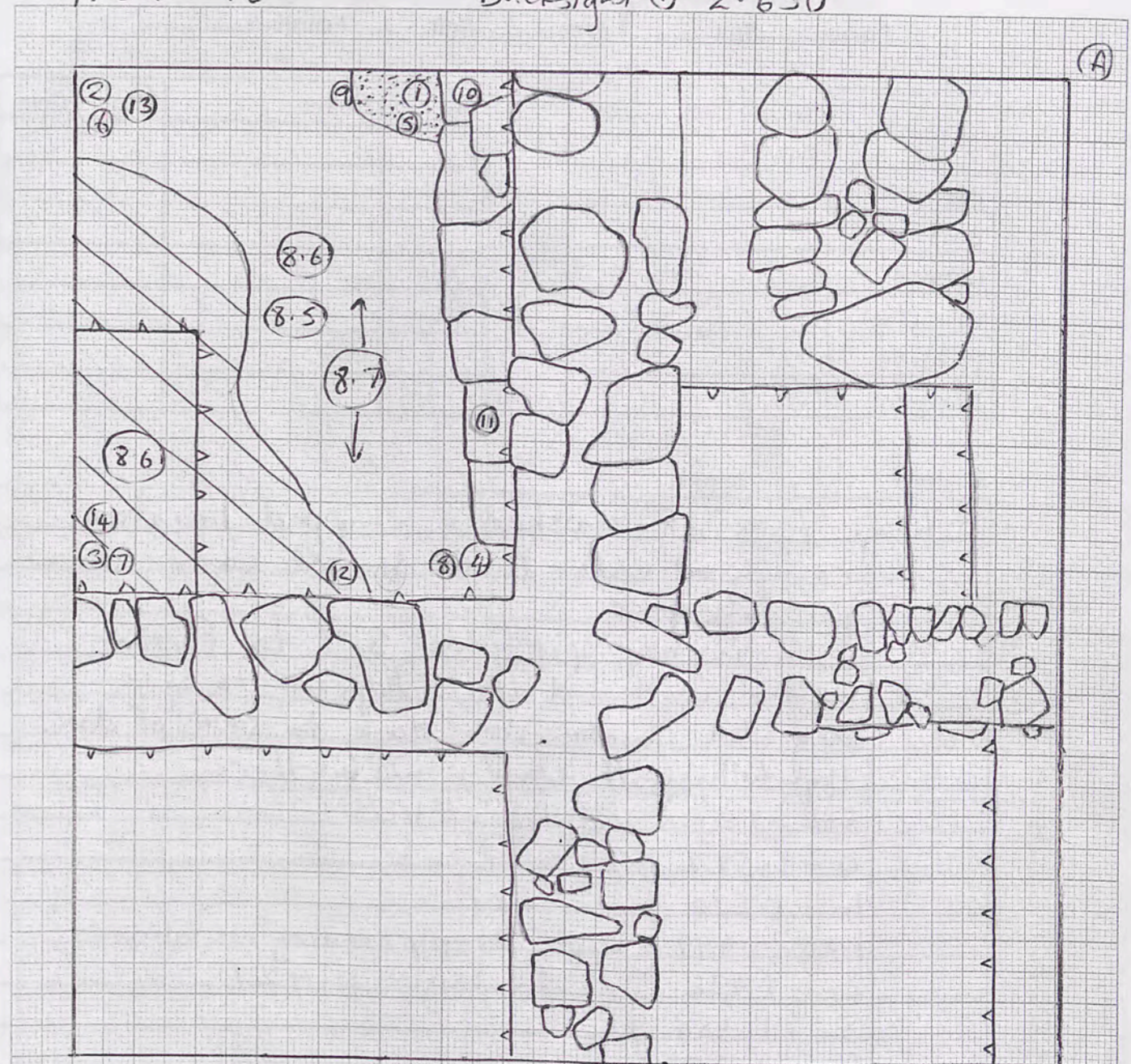
Context Report

8.5	Continuing work on (8.5). As was only just started at the end of work yesterday will not take levels yet - only a very little part of the trench excavated since start of spit.
(47)	Worked bone? or possibly just a claw recovered from 8.5 sieving. Lots of pottery, some bone and a small amount of charcoal collected. Harder crushed limestone section emerging at bottom of spit in west part of context.
8.6	Taking down area around harder area to see if it is an uneven floor. Could just be patchy remnants of a poor quality floor. Large rocks coming up under northern end of context (8.6). Mud brick near feature (A) which is now clearly recognisable as a wall as it continues across entire area, but much lower in southern part. Possibly a door cut out of the wall? 8
8.7	Reserving a 1m x 50cm section of the floor, which seems generally pretty patchy. New spit going down to see where new N/S wall starts outside of reserved section. Mud brick collected. Associated with large tumbled.

* HJ advises over pieces amongst pottery of (8.5).

Trench 18

Backsight (1) 2.650



- ↑ 1:25
- Levels
- (A) 3.658
 - (1) 4.723
 - (2) 4.715
 - (3) 4.760
 - (4) 4.749
 - (5) 4.842
 - (6) 4.667
 - (7) 4.730
 - (8) 4.762
- and (8.5) start (8.6) end (8.6) start (8.7) level of mudbrick.
- (A) area of mudbrick (8.7).
 - approximate extension of floor
 - (9) 4.924 start (8.8)
 - (10) 4.110 top of wall
 - (11) 4.708 top of lower part of wall
 - (12) 4.911
 - (13) 4.924
 - (14) 4.922 end (8.6) after further clearing

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 Locus.....Spit..... Locus.....Spit..... Feature/s.....

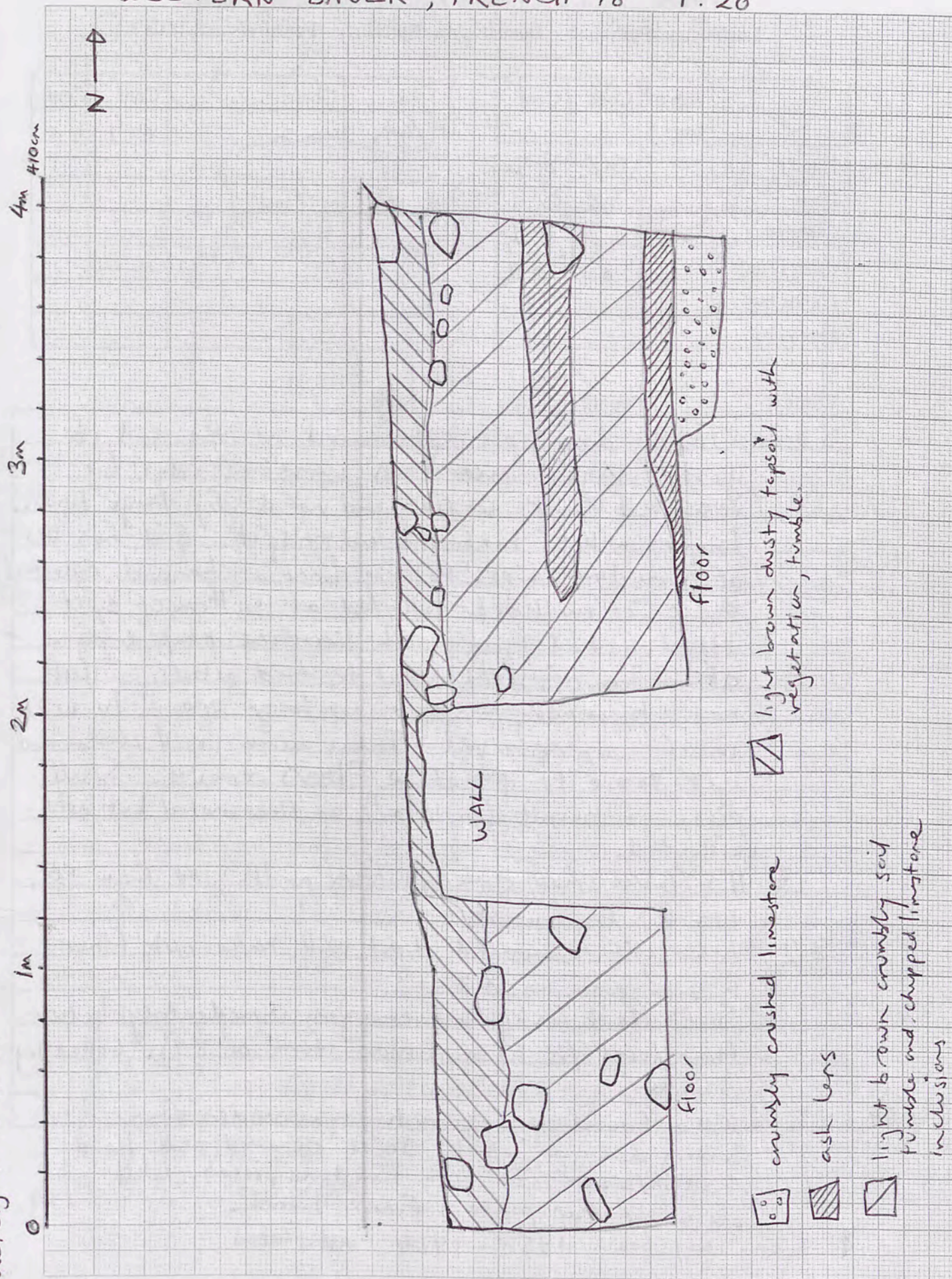
	No. of bags	Cont	Cont
Pottery			
Bone			
Charcoal			
Other (Tile)			
Photos bw			
Photos col.			

No.	Object	Cont	Cont

Context Report

8.7 cont.	Lots of crushed & chipped limestone coming up under floor in SE corner, near possible door.
8.8	Starting new spit under 8.7 to further define wall and door. Appears to be in degraded limestone door store to south of door. Hopefully will clarify this further.
WESTERN BAULK LEVELS	
0 - 1.597	} upper dumpy reading at intervals backsight 0.427
1m - 1.520	
1.20 - 1.499	
2m - 1.422	
3m - 1.388	
4m - 1.298	} lower dumpy reading
3.9 - 2.692	
3.25 - 2.653	
3.10 - 2.493	
2.15 - 2.513	
1.25 - 2.474	}
0.30 - 2.476	

WESTERN BAULK, TRENCH 18 1:20



Kobb - pot
beloork - glass

1mm Squares

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Locus.....Spit..... Locus.....Spit..... Feature/s.....

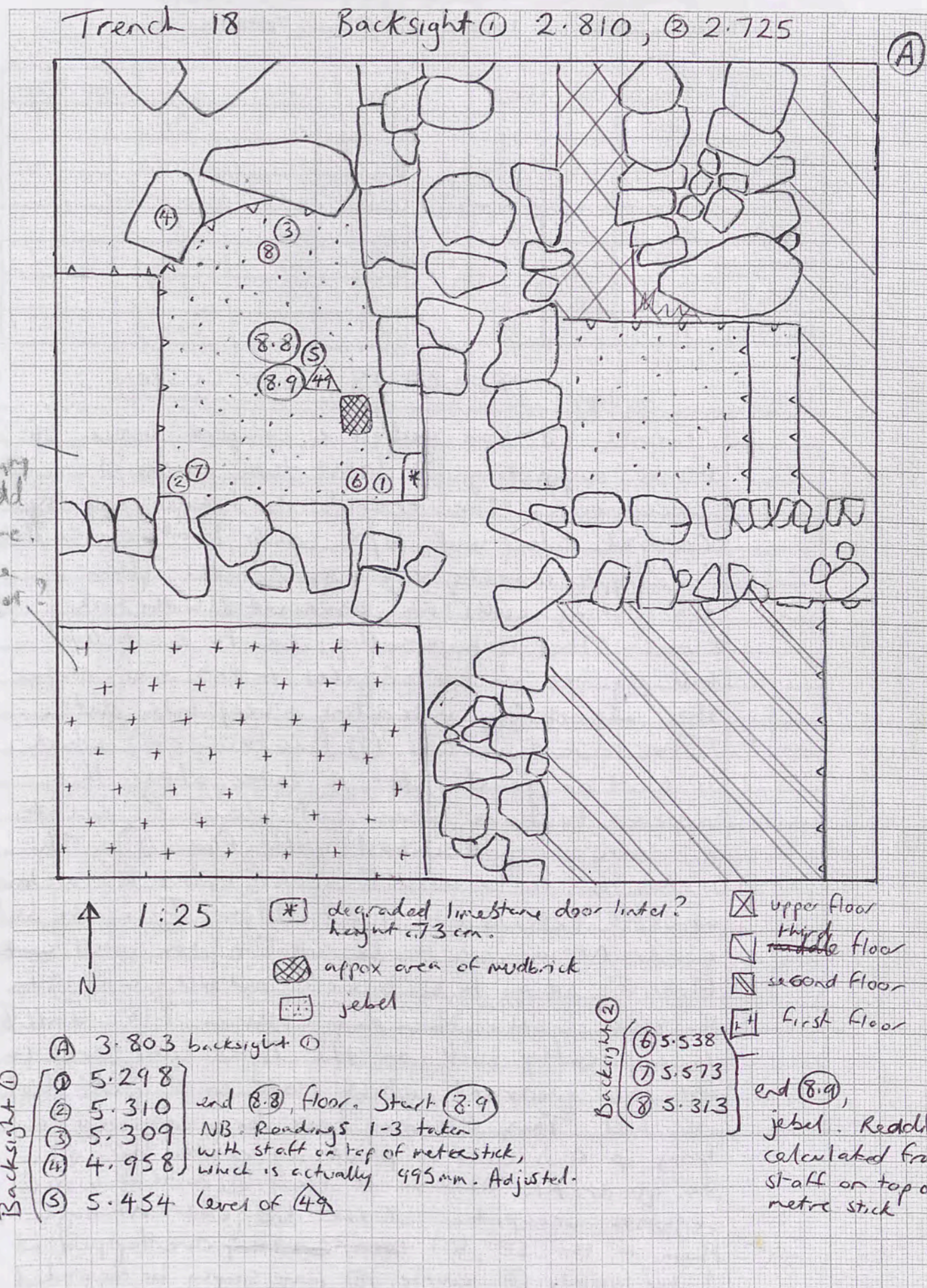
	No. of bags	Cont	Cont
Pottery		8.8	8.9 x 2
Bone		8.8	8.9
Charcoal		8.8	8.9
Other (Tile)		mid brick 8.8	sc. 1 8.9
Photos bw			
Photos col.			

No.	Object	Cont	Cont
49	coin	8.9	

Context Report

8.8 cont.	Taking down spit commenced at the end of yesterday. Limited on western edge by reserved floor section and north by large timber. Levels will be taken at end of spit. Soil has lots of limestone chips. Pottery, bone & charcoal collected. Pieces of mudbrick collected at bottom of spit. Hard packed floor with limestone chips emerging at bottom of spit. Need to find jebel, so will need to remove - space not large enough to work in if any reserved. Take away - will clean and get brace to ϕ before floor's removed. Small piece of basalt (c. 15cm ²) on floor noted but not collected.
ϕ 113	(Brace small camera) from north, 114 from SE, 115-117 from west.
8.9	New spit commenced that will take out floor in same area as 8.8. Soft dark/ashy soil emerging immediately below floor level (c. 10cm below start of 8.9). Collecting sample
49	Coin found under ashy lens under floor. Coming down on jebel. Jebel covered with hard reddish/brown soil with limestone pieces. Will clean up for photo & finish trench.

ϕ taken 10/5/08: 1958-1964 Final photos



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 Locus.....Spit..... Locus.....Spit..... Feature/s.....

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

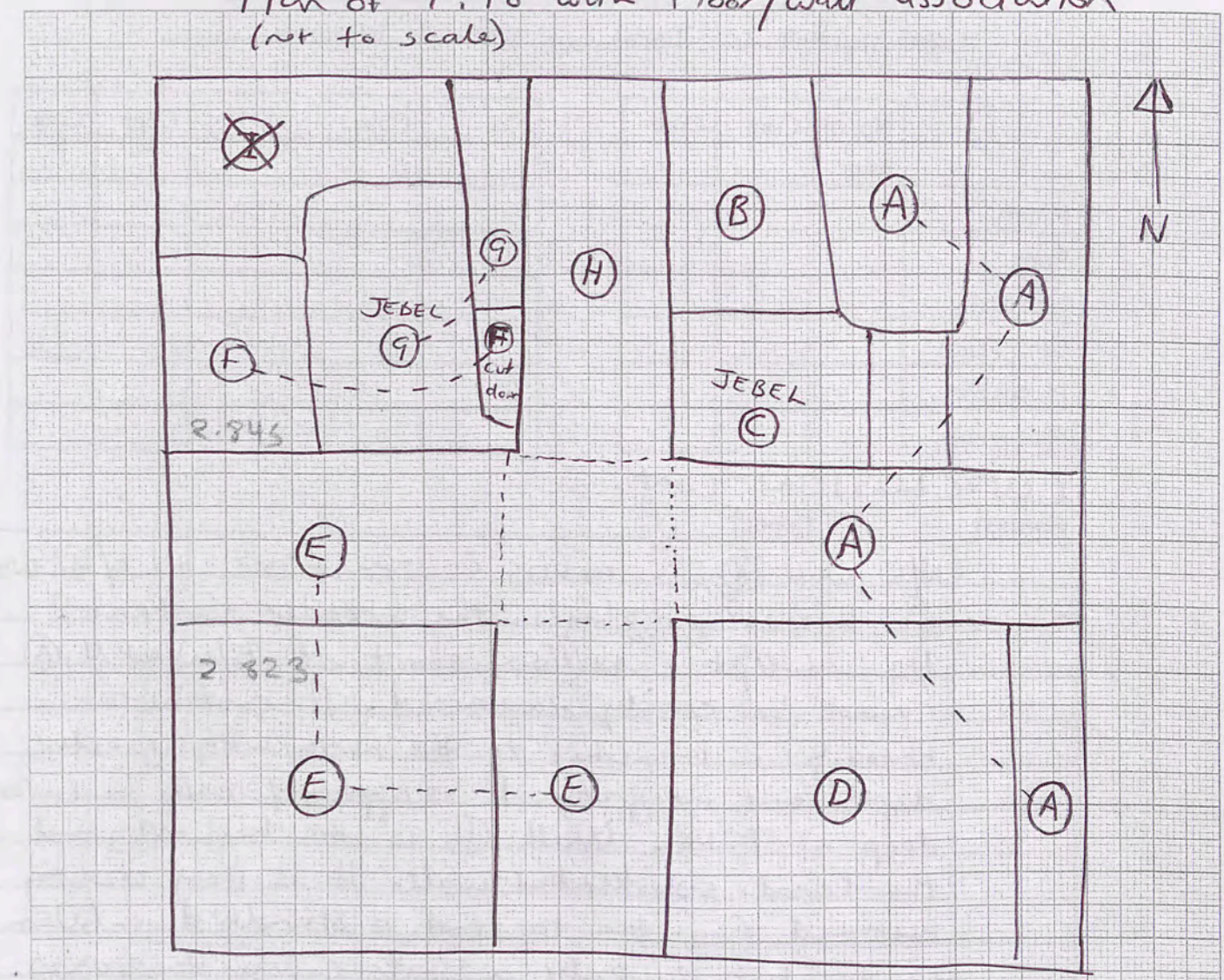
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TRENCH 18 CONCLUSION

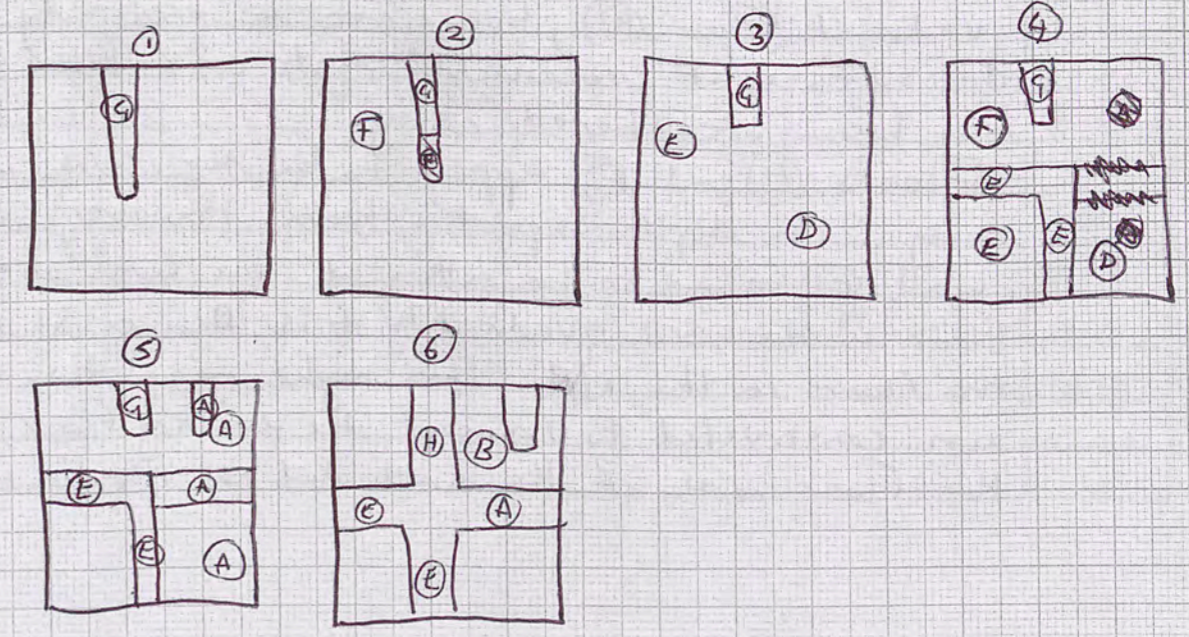
Context Report

Trench 18 has yielded a complex series of floors, suggesting at least two phases of occupation. The trench is transected by central E/W and N/S walls that divide it into approximately equal quadrants. These transecting walls are associated with high floors. This is apparently due to substantial fill required on top of jebel in this area, rather than necessarily indicating a very late date. The lowest wall is (9) (see facing plan), which is built on jebel. At a later stage this appears to have been cut down to create a doorway associated with floor (F). This is too low to be associated with wall (E), but (E) is lower where it extends into T. 27. Floor (E) in the SW quadrant appears to be associated with the wall. Floor (D) seems to be associated with activity in T. 19 to the south rather than any walls in T. 18. Wall (A) is apparently built on the lower floor level in the NE quadrant, which rests on a great deal of fill. This fill may have been required to bring up floor level to previously existing floor (A) in SE quadrant. Absence of floor (D) north of wall (A) suggests occupation of the NE quadrant began later than in the SE, but ~~was~~ overlapped at a later point. Of course, (D) may simply be degraded in this area, as there is ~~not~~ no apparent wall or feature under wall (A) that suggests separation.

Plan of T. 18 with floor/wall association (not to scale)



POSSIBLE DEVELOPMENT:



Trench.....Initials.....Date..... Page.17
 Locus.....Spit..... Locus.....Spit..... Feature/s.....

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

No.	Object	Cont	Cont

CONCLUSION cont.

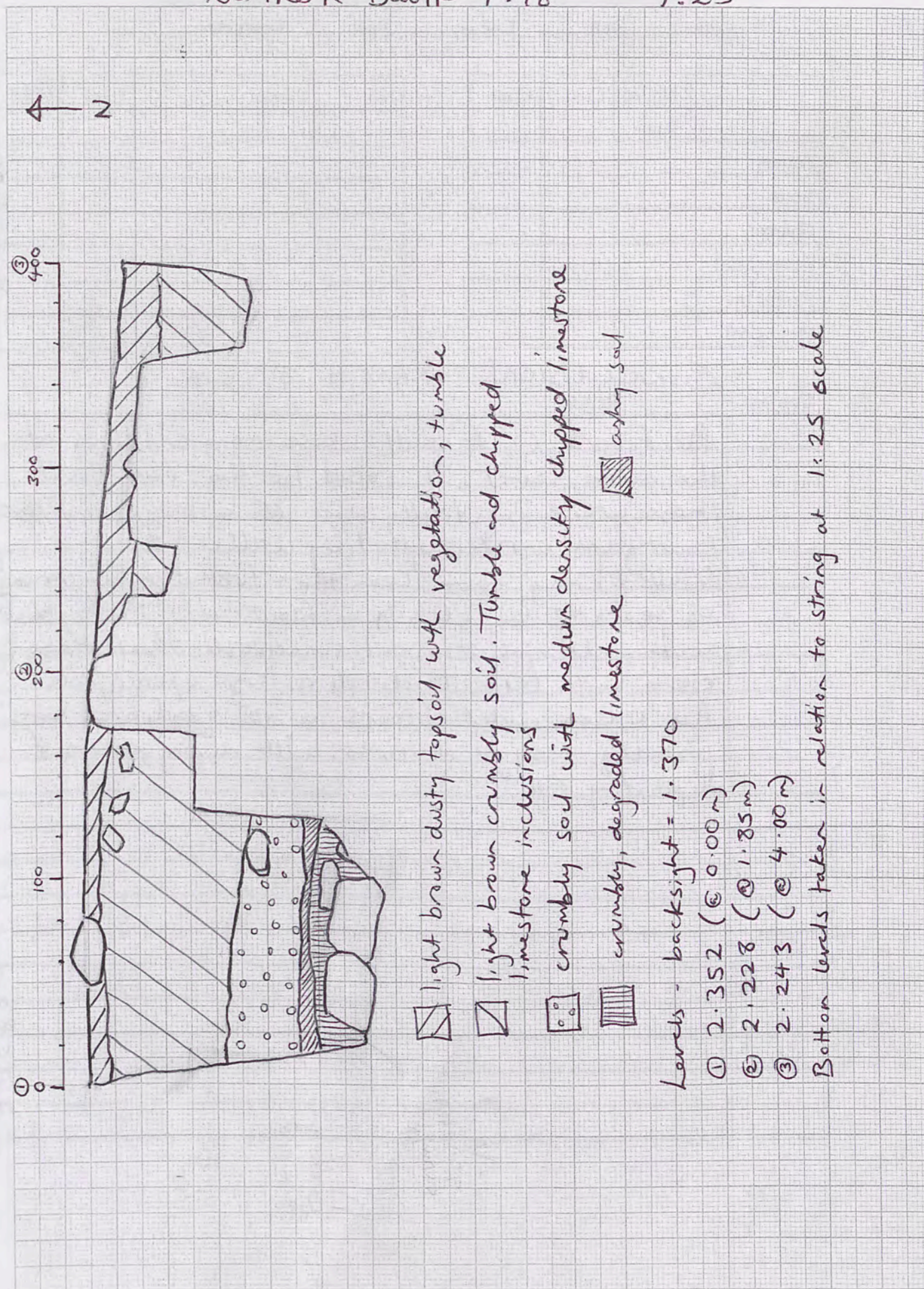
Context

Report

N/S wall (A) is associated same floor as E/W wall (A), but is puzzling in the broader context. Its abrupt cessation short of E/W wall (A) cannot be easily explained. It continues through 2 trenches to the north with greater depth and integrity. It is apparently only 2 courses deep in T.18. Wall (H) is the highest, and the least substantial wall. It is very clearly defined from the top, and a standard c. 60cm wide, but is only a single course of stones. It is higher than the upper floor in the NE quadrant (Floor (B)), but given its proximity to the surface, it conceivably rests on a floor that has been weathered away. Floors (E) and (F) appear to be the same, with only 2cm depth separating them. However, where wall (E) seems to be sitting at the level of the floor in the SW quadrant, it is 10cm or so above the floor in the NE. This might mean the wall was constructed to transect the existing floor, and the floor north of the wall did not remain in use.

Northern Baulk T.18

1:25



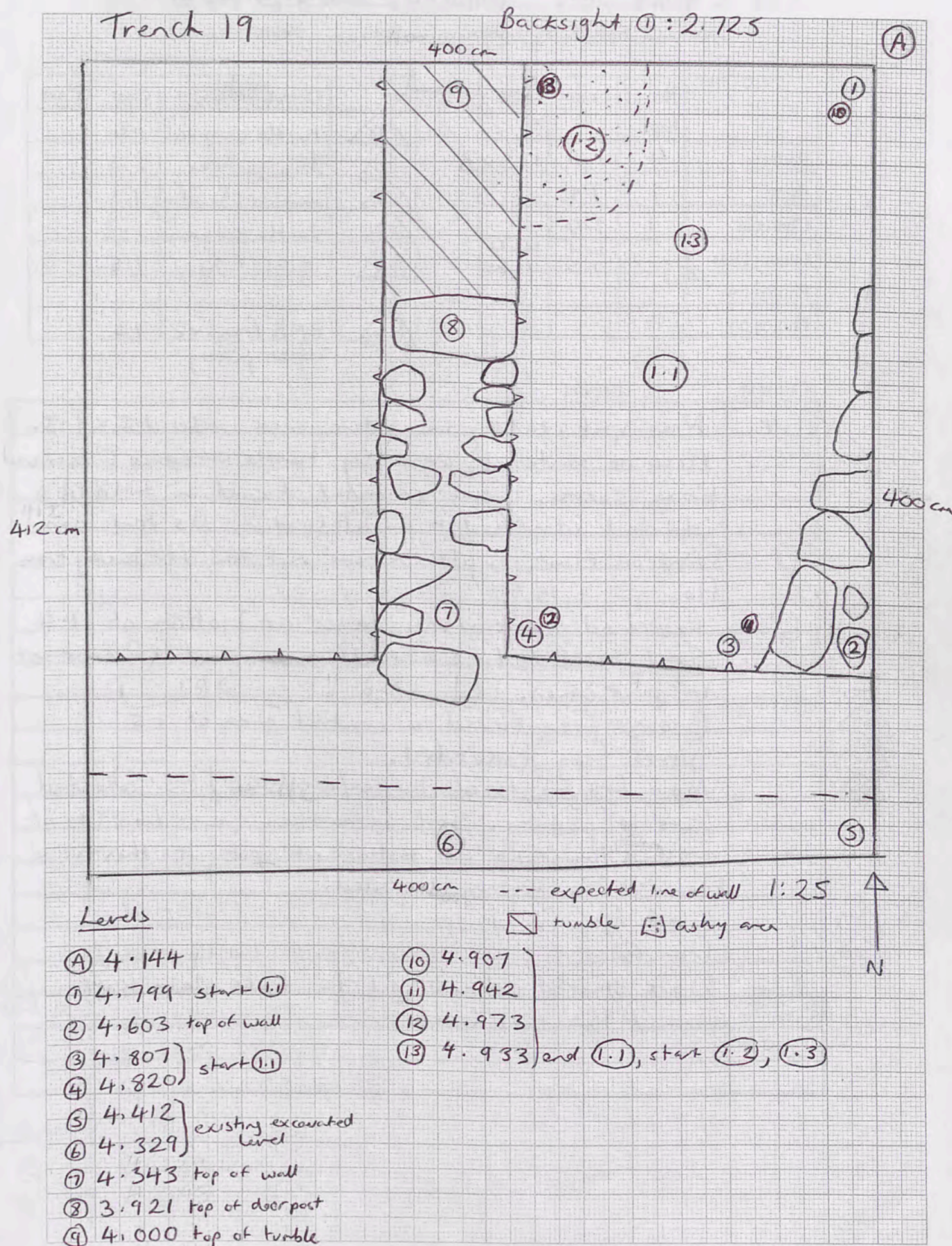
Trench.....19.....Initials.....LC.....Date 10/5/87 Page 20
 Locus.....1.....Spit.....3 Locus.....Spit..... Feature/s.....

	No. of bags	Cont	Cont
Pottery	3	1.1, 1.2, 1.3	
Bone	3	1.1, 1.2, 1.3	
Charcoal			
Other (Tile)		Soil x 4 1.2	
Photos bw			
Photos col.			

No.	Object	Cont	Cont
64	lamp frag found in pottery	1.3	

Context Report

Context	Report
1.1	Starting by clearing topsoil in NE sector. Trench previously partially excavated, so not pristine topsoil, but tumble and wash of past 2 years. Wall runs N-S with clear door in Northern part. Tumble has been reserved in the doorway, but this is clearly not deliberately blocked. Will remove at a later stage. Another wall runs E-W. Northern face is clearly defined, but top not clear. Top of a lower wall, running apex NNE-SSW has been exposed. Trench is not quite square. Will fix this up when move south of E-W wall. Tiny amount of base soil is light brown, crumbly. Very little pottery coming up. Ashy area emerging in NW corner of context. Will start new spit and remove a soil sample.
1.2	Removing ashy soil as new spit. Does not appear to be an oven - not really contained. Some pottery collected, little bone.
1.3	Removing rest of area to bring down to same level as bottom of 1.2.



Trench 19 Initials LC Date 11/5/08 Page 21
 Locus 1 Spit 4-6 Locus Spit Feature/s

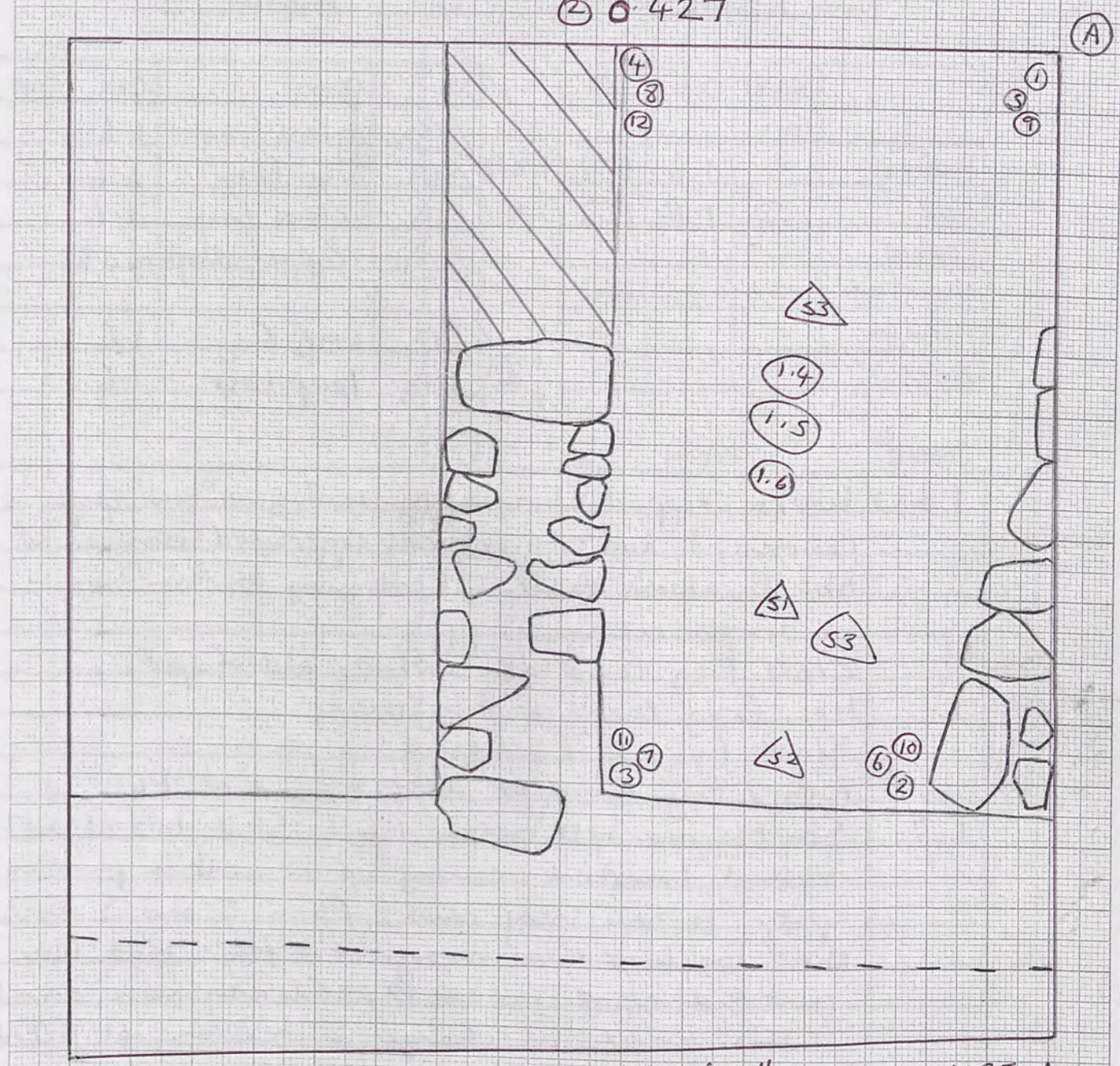
	No. of bags	Cont	Cont
Pottery	4	1.4	1.5 x 3
Bone	1	1.4	
Charcoal	1	1.4	
Other (Tile)		soil 1.5	shell 1.6
Photos bw			
Photos col.			

No.	Object	Cont	Cont
S0	turtle carapace?	1.4	
S1	bronze frag	1.5	
S2	moulded bowl frag	1.5	
S3	turtle carapace?	1.5	
S4	glass frag	1.5	
S5	RMB frags x2 from pottery	1.5	

Context Report

Context	Report
1.4	New spit taking in entire area under 1.2 & 1.3. Piece of material, possibly turtle carapace?? recovered from sieve. Some material found in t. 18 (6.3), where I identified it as ^{possibly} alabaster. As this was found on floor, expect we are not too far away from floor in t. 19.
1.5	Reached dark ashy layer at bottom of 1.4. Soil collected. Extends over most of context in patches.
S1	Bronze frag found in central area of 1.5
S2	Glass frag collected.
S3	More fragments of turtle/egg/shell/??? collected
	Lots of pottery. Soil in northern part has lots of crushed limestone at bottom of spit. If this is a floor it is highly degraded.
S4	Glass frag found
S5	Iron frag
1.6	Work started on new spit to take down soft crushed limestone level.

Trench 19 Backsight ① 2.825 ③ 2.832
 ② 0.427



▨ tumble to be removed. --- expected line of wall. 1:25 ↑ N

	(A) 4.248 (1.5) 1.857 (2.5) 4.266	(C) 5.315	end (1.5)
backsight ①	① 5.090	⑩ 5.324	start (1.6)
	② 5.148	⑪ 5.320	level of crushed limestone
	③ 5.187	⑫ 5.307	at northern part.
	④ 5.092		
backsight ②	⑤ 2.801		
	⑥ 2.840		end (1.4), ashy layer. Start
	⑦ 2.848		(1.5)
	⑧ 2.783		

Trench 19 Initials LC Date 2/5/08 Page 22
 Locus 1 Spit 6-8 Locus Spit Feature/s

	No. of bags	Cont	Cont	No.	Object	Cont	Cont
Pottery	4	1.6	1.7	55	glass frag	1.6	
Bone	3	1.6	1.7	56	iron frag	1.6	
Charcoal				57	glass frag	1.6	
Other (Tile)				58	Copper alloy frag	1.6	
Photos bw				66	RMB frag	1.6	
Photos col.				67	lamp base	1.6	

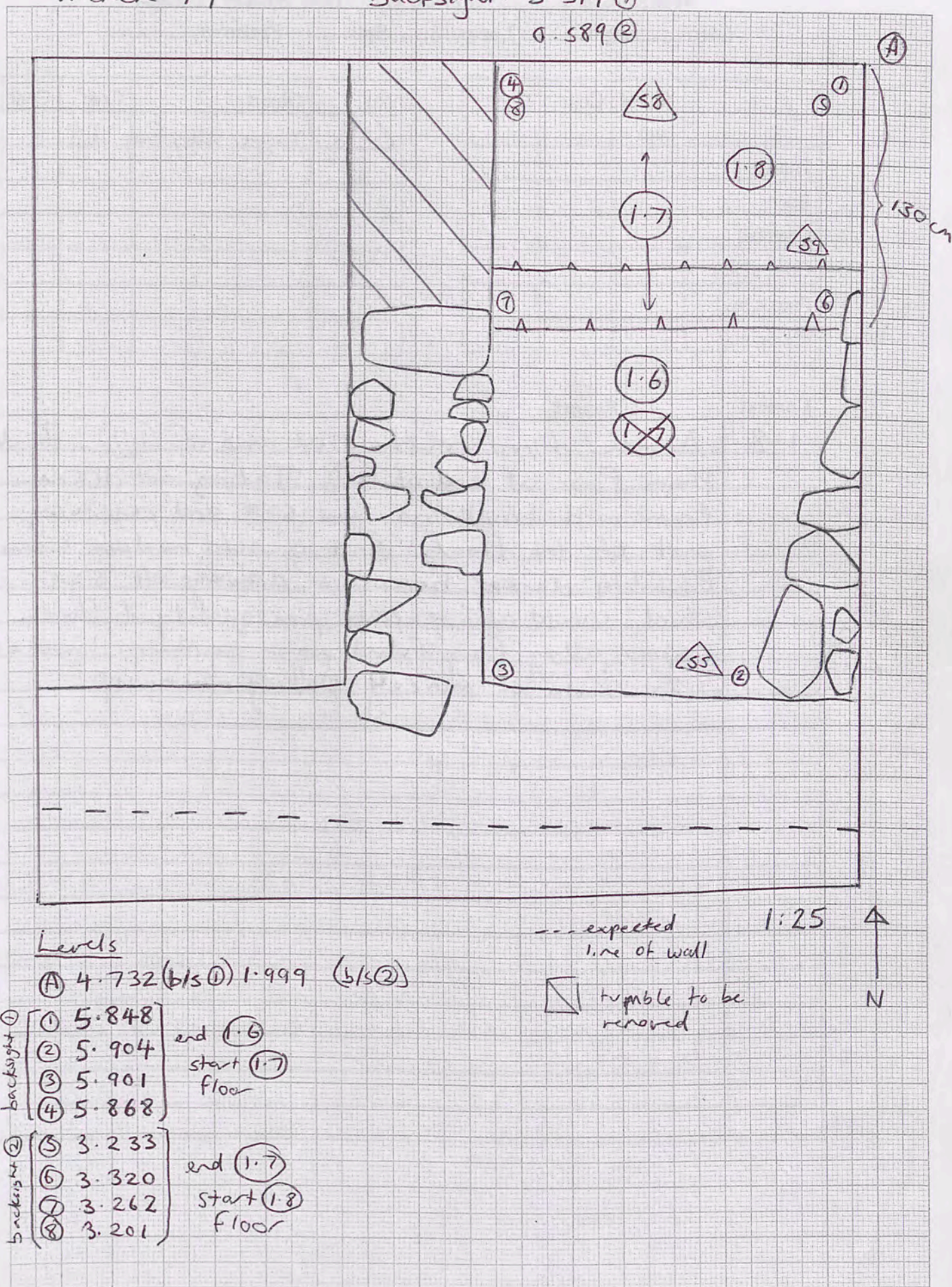
Context Report

Context	Report
1.6 cont	Work stopped abruptly yesterday as new spit commenced due to grossly exaggerated rumours of Abu Ibrahim's death. Continuing on from here - no levels necessary.
55	Glass frag found at southern end of spit.
56	Iron frag found in 1.6 sieving
57	Glass frag in 1.6 sieving
58	Bronze frag found at northern end of 1.6
1.7	Starting new spit below 1.6. Still lots of soft crushed limestone coming up in northern part of spit. Is now very clear from E and S sections that we have gone through the floor that was identified at 6.3 in t. 18. Clearly more degraded in this trench as change in texture not picked up. 1.7 is a second floor - clearly discernible in section, but highly degraded and coming up as soft white crushed limestone. Will only take down half area as 1.7. Clear from bulks that E/W wall and NNE/SSW walls are associated with upper floor. Will see if there are further floors underneath second one, or if bottoms out to jebel.

What about N/S wall? On Floor 1?

Trench 19

Backsight: 3.314 (1)
 0.589 (2)



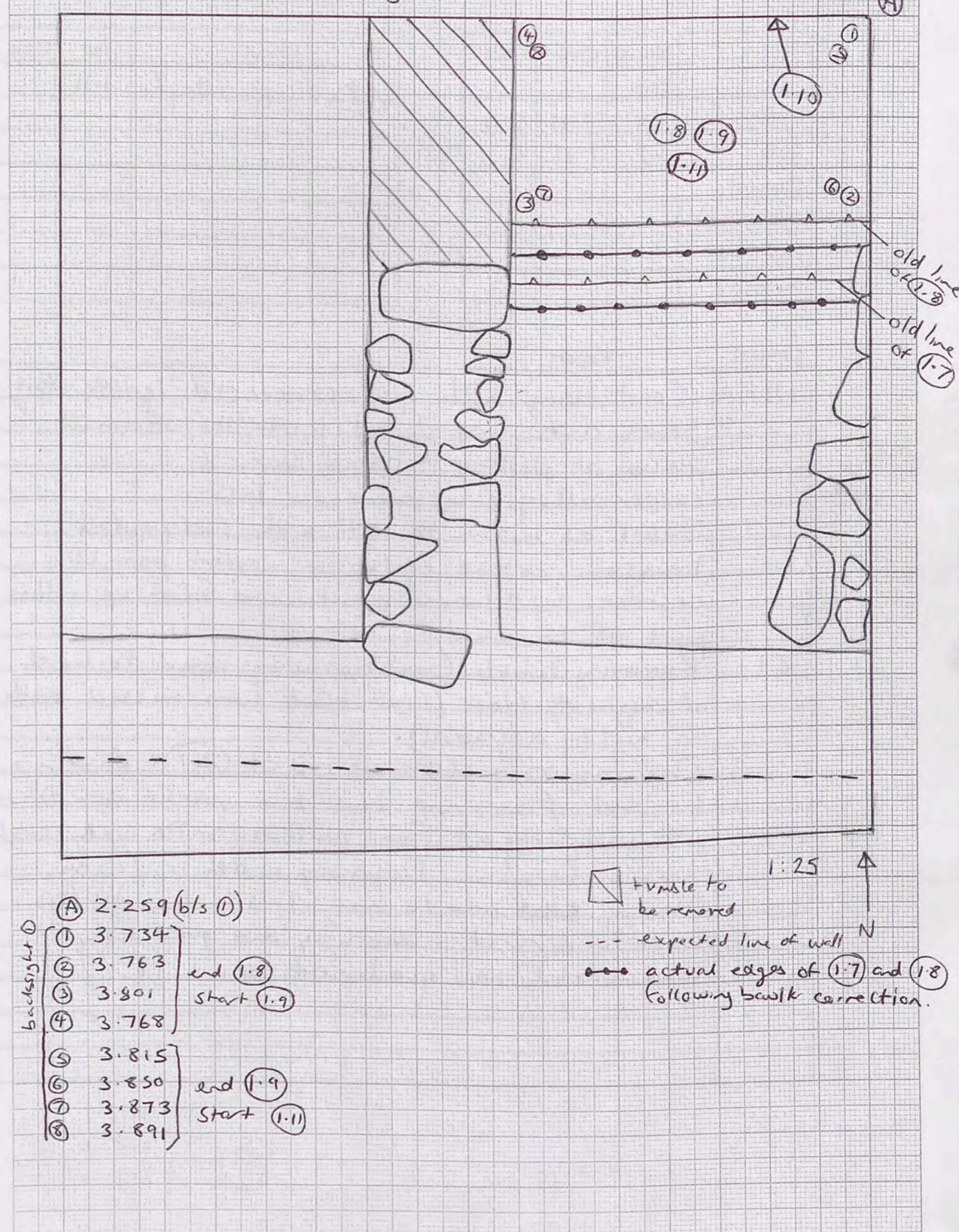
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 Locus.....Spit..... Locus.....Spit..... Feature/s.....

	No. of bags	Cont	Cont	No.	Object	Cont	Cont
Pottery		1-8	1-9	110	60 bronze hinge	1-10	
Bone		1-8	1-9	110	61 Iron nail	1-10	
Charcoal		1-8	1-9	1-10			
Other (Tile)							
Photos bw							
Photos col.							

Context Report

1-8	Continuing spit commenced yesterday. Taking down a few centimetres only to even out before starting new spit. Very small amounts of pottery, bone & charcoal collected.
1-9	New spit. Continuing same medium brown soil.
1-10	Have noticed neither bank not straight - digging gradually angling inwards. Clearing extends area of 1-9 from 100cm in east to 112cm. Plan will need adjustment as 1-8 had been measured from the bottom. Collecting pottery and bone, but vertical stratigraphy cannot be established. Only edges of 1-8 & 1-9 need shifting - everything else measured from top.
60	Copper alloy hinge recovered approx from level of 1-8 floor
61	Iron nail recovered from approx same area as 60
1-11	New spit started under 1-9 following bank correction. No change to rich brown soil with pottery/bone

Trench 19 Backsight ① 0.842



Backsight ①	Reading	Notes
①	2.259 (b/s ①)	
②	3.734	
③	3.763	end 1-8
④	3.801	start 1-9
⑤	3.768	
⑥	3.815	
⑦	3.850	end 1-9
⑧	3.873	start 1-11
⑧	3.891	



1:25 ↑ N
 ▢ waste to be removed
 --- expected line of wall
 ●●● actual edges of 1-7 and 1-8 following bank correction.

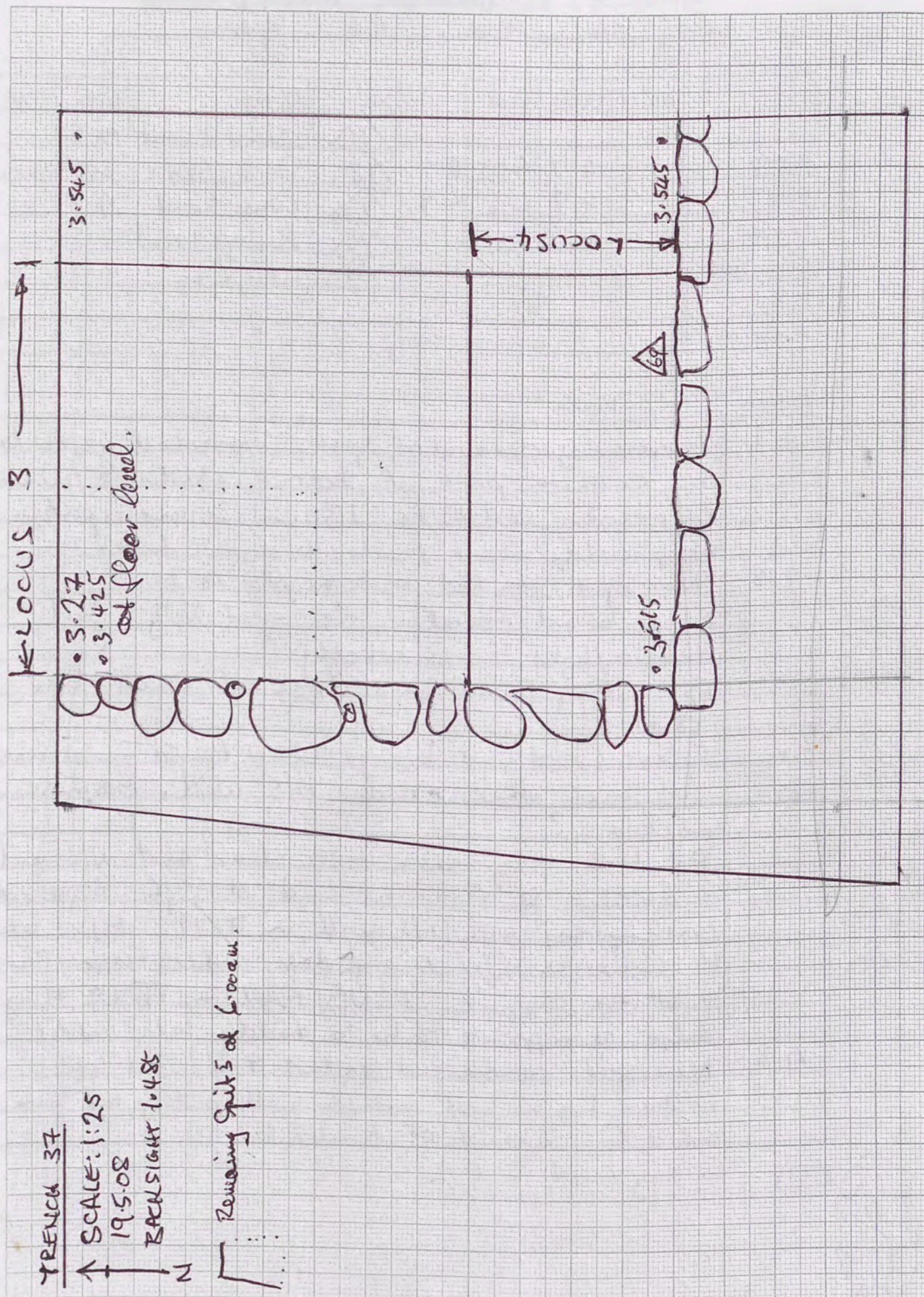
Trench 37 Initials BA Date 19/5/08 Page 29
 Locus 2 Spit 5 Locus Spit Feature/s

	No. of bags	Cont	Cont
Pottery	2	3.6	
Bone	1	3.6	
Charcoal	1	3.6	
Other (Tile)			
Photos bw			
Photos col.	BA	249 - 254	

No.	Object	Cont	Cont
69	loom weight (clay)	3.6	
70	4-spindle wheel wood surface		

Context Report

2.5	finishing the NW corner of Spit 5 down to floor level. Soil light brown/grey coarse to fine few rocks & sherds. Clearing way for photos.
3.6	at 2 mtrs E from W N-S wall a new locus 3 ▲ Clay loom weight 
	Soil grey to light brown finish to coarse few rocks. Sherds, bone & charcoal though.
70	another loom weight? made of timber  with marked lines round the top & hole through
	This trench is too big for the time left & expedient result! will split again to determine EW wall foundation at intersection of N-S, W wall.
47	Began new L4*7 in cut of 3*6.

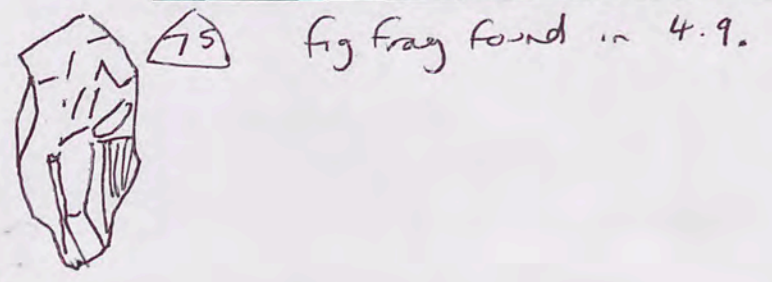


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 Locus.....Spit..... Locus.....Spit..... Feature/s.....

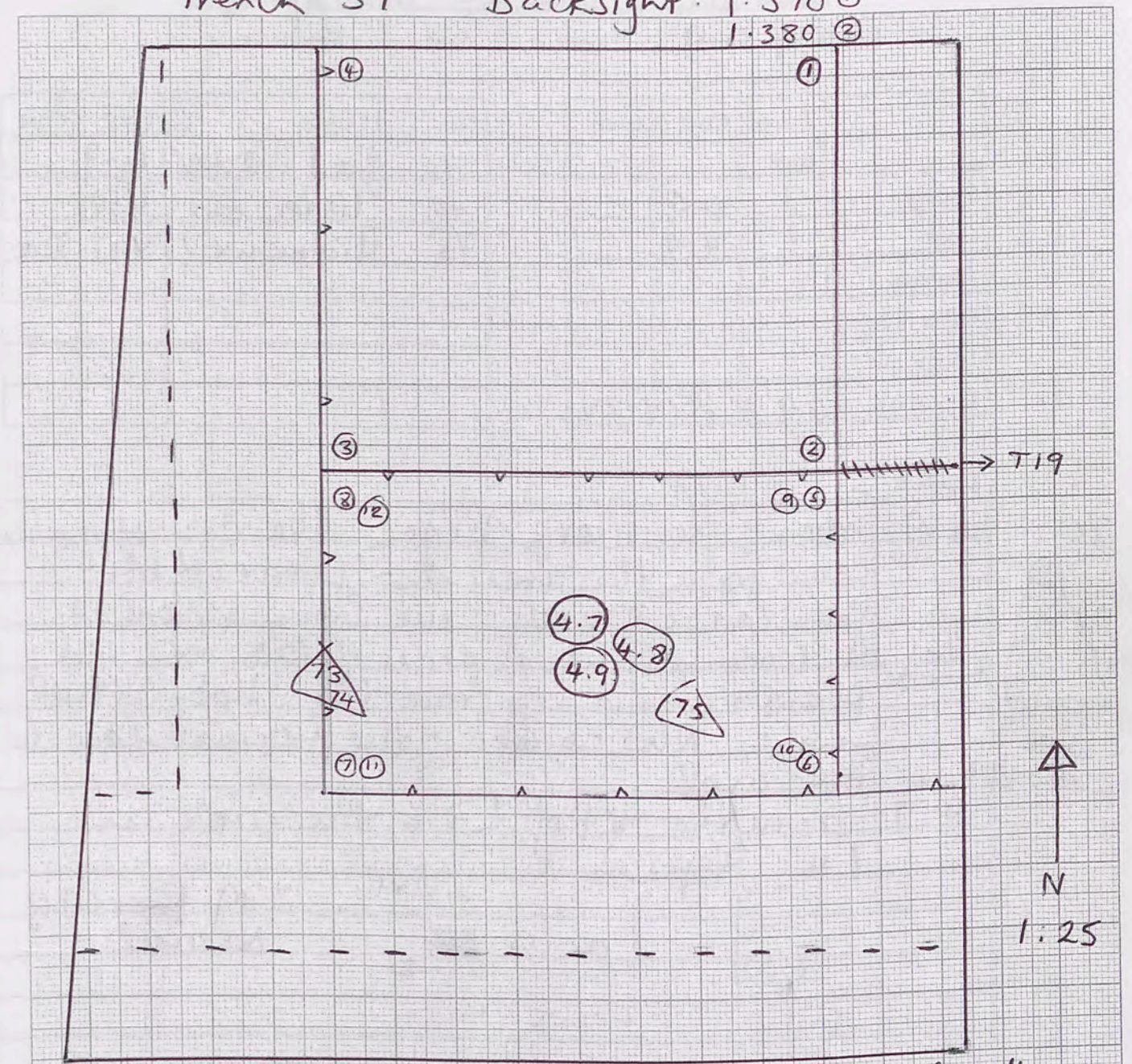
	No. of bags	Cont	Cont
Pottery		4.7	4.8 4.9
Bone		4.7	4.8 4.9
Charcoal		4.7	
Other (Tile)			
Photos bw			
Photos col.			

No.	Object	Cont	Cont
71	Shell bead	4.8	
72	Glass frag	surface find	
73	Glass bead	4.8	
74	Bronze bead	4.8	
75	Fig frag	4.9	

Context	Report
4.7	Continuing removal of spit commenced yesterday in southern part of trench abutting E/W wall. Increasing width to 130cm in anticipation of possible need to divide again later on.
4.8	New spit started underneath 4.7
71	Shell bead found in sieving of 4.7. Soil medium/light brown, crumbly
72	Glass frag found on surface of baulk b/w T18 & 19
73 74	Glass bead and bronze bead found in association with each other under N/S wall. From same necklace?
	As 4.8 progresses it is clear that N/S wall is assoc floor at end of 3.6. Apparently contemporary with N/S wall in T. 19. E/W wall is earlier as is continuing down under floor. This is not the case E of N/S wall in T. 19 though where it appears to be a shoddy later addition
4.9	New spit commenced under 4.8. Soil still medium brown and crumbly with pottery and bone and a fair amount of tumble.



Trench 37 Backsight: 1.370 ①
 1.380 ②



Levels	
① 3.422	} end ③.6 under floor
② 3.568	
③ 3.515	
④ 3.432	
⑤ 3.746	} end ④.8 start ④.9
⑥ 3.770	
⑦ 3.713	
⑧ 3.740	

backsight ①

for 154 ②

Trench 37 Initials BA/LC Date 2/6/88 Page 31
 Locus 4 Spit 9 Locus Spit Feature/s

	No. of bags	Cont	Cont
Pottery	1	4.9	
Bone	1	4.9	
Charcoal			
Other (Tile)			
Photos bw			
Photos col.	4.9	→ 2509-2512	

No.	Object	Cont	Cont
76	Red Plaster	4.9	
77	Metal obj	4.9	
78	Pigment?	4.9	BLUE?

Context Report

Red
white under RED

4.9 Soon after work began the cry of gnomes came from the trench - 'floor' in the SW corner may have been reached.

76 A reasonably large piece of RED painted plaster came up from the 'floor' level in the NW corner of the locus close to the well.

4.9 From the top of L3.6 the well in L4 steps in:

77 Metal obj - slag? worked?

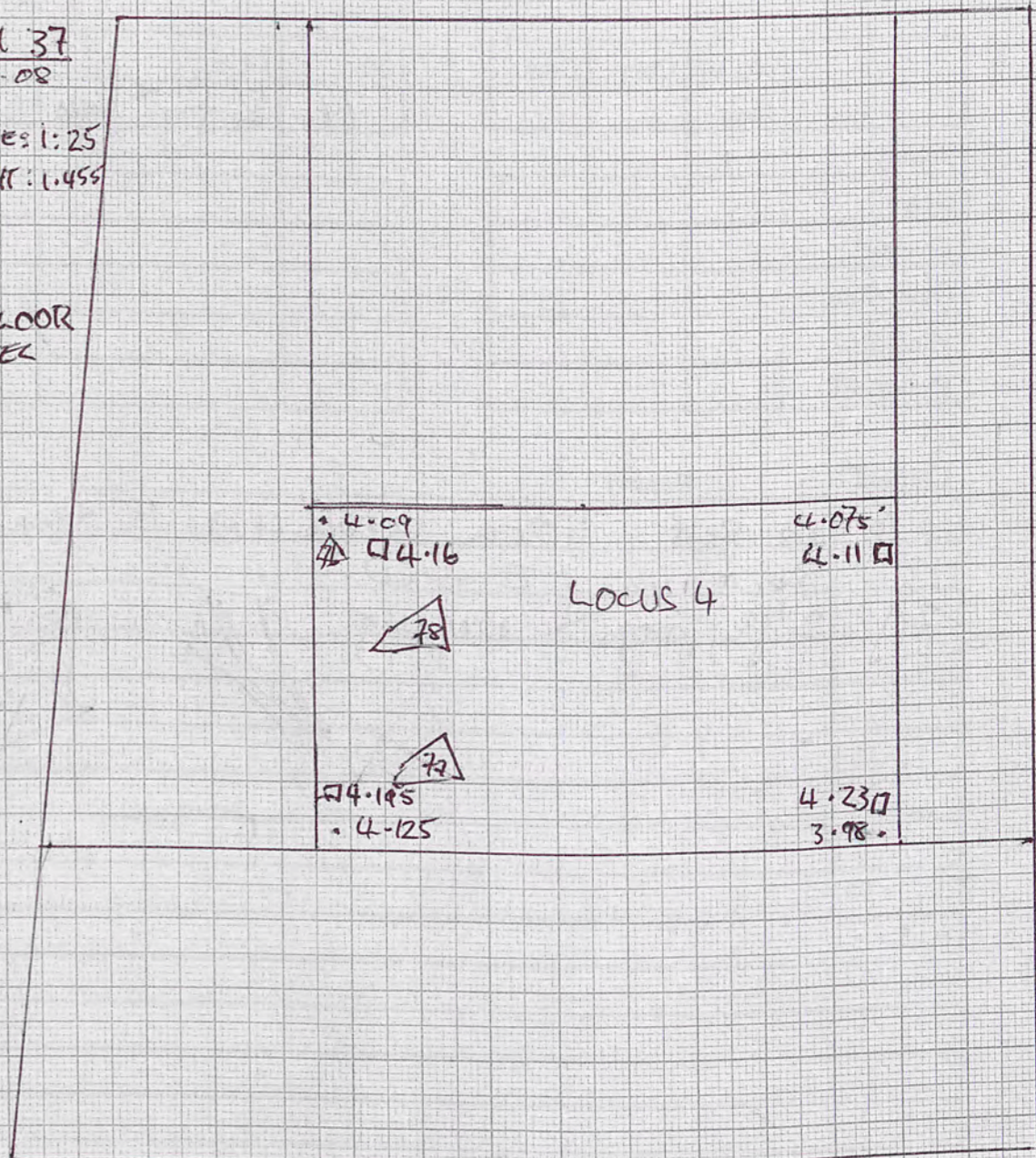
78 pigment? piece of something blue & cleaned to floor at 4.9 for photo.

TRENCH 37

21.5.08

SCALE: 1:25
 BSIGHT: 1.455
 N

□ AT FLOOR LEVEL



Trench.....Initials.....Date..... Page 34
 Locus.....Spit..... Locus.....Spit..... Feature/s.....

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

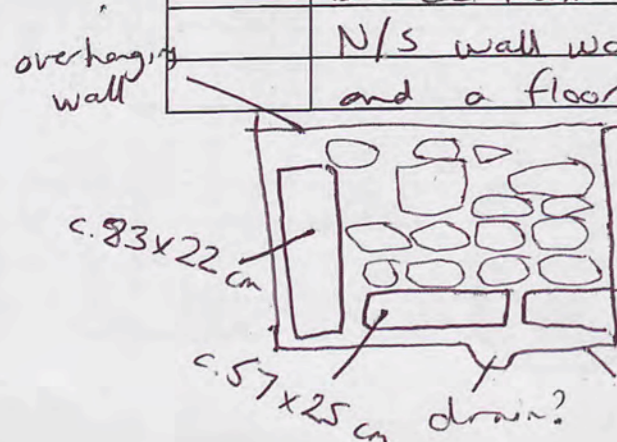
No.	Object	Cont	Cont

Context Report

Exposed N/S wall at primary level appears to have a door (blocked neatly). One vertical lintel, and at least two horizontal lintels are visible. Extension of excavation further north may expose more - impossible to determine full extent at this stage.

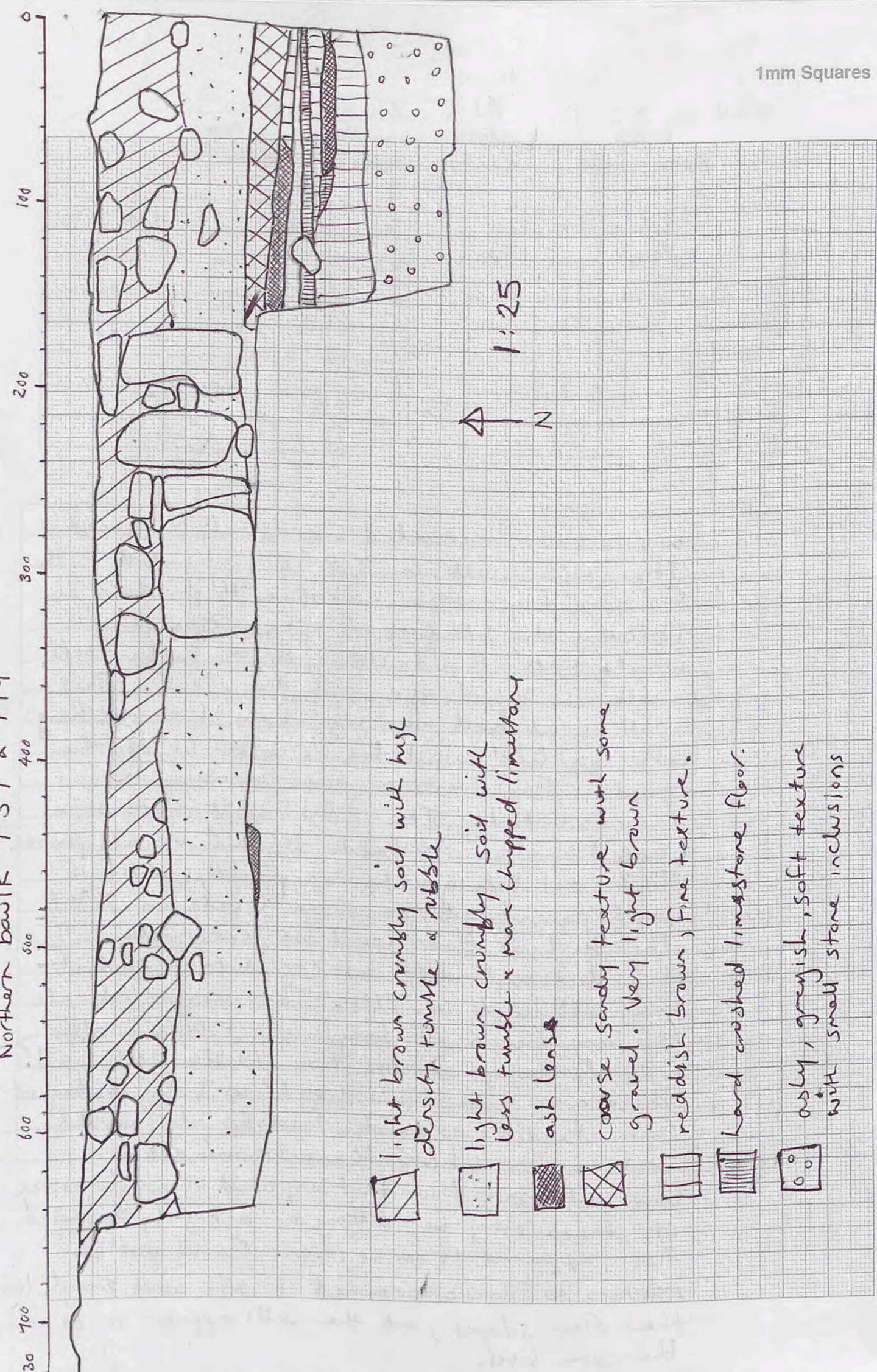
CONCLUSIONS T19 & T37.

Further excavation required in order to determine proper sequence of events, but some preliminary conclusions can be drawn from work completed this season. T37 and T19 have exposed part of a large room that has two apparent phases of occupation. The earliest phase is apparent in the SW corner of T37, where the wall with the door intersects with the E/W wall. Level not yet reached, so cannot be certain this is primary. Later, it appears N/S wall was cut back and the doorway blocked and a floor placed over, which presumably



Western face of N/S wall at intersection of E/W wall. Not to scale.

Northern bank T37 & T19



Eastern bank T19 1:25 = ROAD

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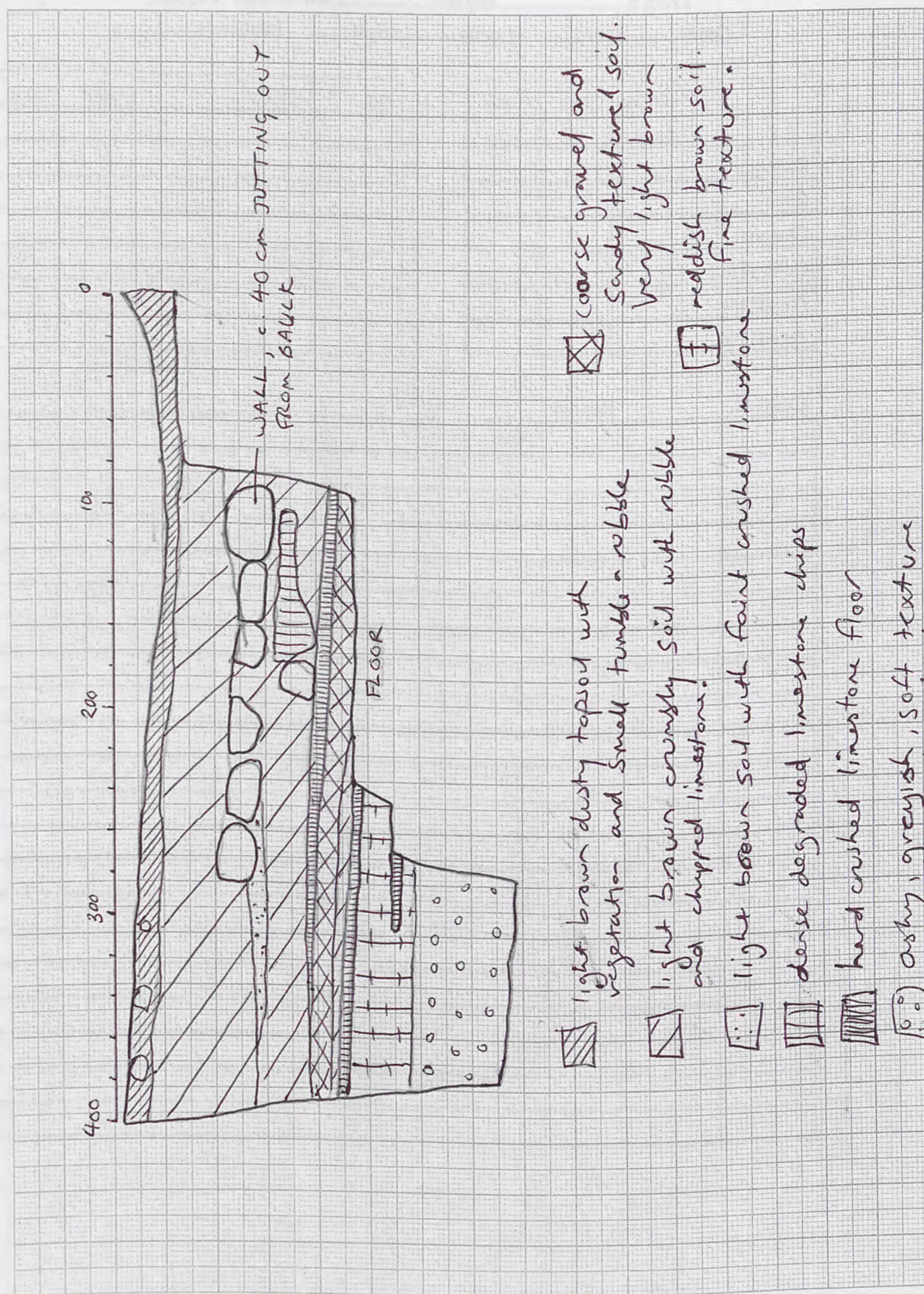
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Context Report

would have extended into trench to west. The N/S wall in T19 is associated in this floor, and provides access with a door following the blocking of access from the west, with the building of a higher N/S wall on top of the cut down one. This wall is aligned the same way, but overhangs the earlier wall by 10cm or so to the east. The western face remains unexcavated. The E/W wall appears to have been a constant throughout all phases. T19 exhibits greater complexity, which is not apparent at the same levels in T.37. The highest floor level was extremely degraded and difficult to detect east of the N/S wall in T19. This might indicate the area was not ~~longer~~ used as an indoor area following construction of the N/S wall? There are two floor levels ~~to~~ below the highest floor. Further excavation eastwards would be good to see where these terminate.

Unusual NNE/SSW tertiary wall of single course of stones may be sitting on a highly degraded floor, apparent from section. Could just be repairs to floor associated in N/S wall though, as that floor slopes, and the walls appear to be on the same levels.



Trench Context Record
 Trench.....37.....Initials...L.C.....Date started...14/5/08.....Date finished...22/5/08 (incomplete)

Context	Location (below, beside, on)	Structure (tumble, fill, floor, wall, pit, oven)	Soil colour	Soil texture	Depth	Thick	Pages
1.1	Topsoil	Tumble	LB	Crumbly			26-7
2.2	E of N/S wall, N of E/W wall	tumble	"	"			27-27a
2.3	Under 2.2	"	"	"			27a
2.4	Under 2.3	"	"	"			28
2.5	Under 2.4	F/S	Grey	"			28
3.6	Under 2.5, 100cm from N/S wall	F/W	Grey/LB	"			29
4.7	Under 3.6, 180cm from E/W wall	F/W	MB	"			29-30
4.8	Under 4.7	F, U	"	"			30
4.9	Under 4.8	"	"	"			30-1
5.10	Under 4.9, 160cm from N/S wall	Floor	"	"			32-3
6.1	Cleaning top of ^{E/W} wall to blk access t37 + 19	"	LB	Crumbly			33

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Trench Context Record
 Trench.....18.....Initials...L.C.....Date started...2/4/08.....Date finished...2/5/08.

Context	Location (below, beside, on)	Structure (tumble, fill, floor, wall, pit, oven)	Soil colour	Soil texture	Depth	Thick	Pages
1.1	Surface of previously excav. area, all except NW corner		LB	Crumbly			1
1.2	Under 1.1 in NE corner	Tumble	LB	Crumbly			1
2.1	Under 1.2 between N-S walls	Floor	"	"			2
3.1	Under 1.2 east of N-S walls	Tumble	"	"			2
3.2	Under 3.1, south of end of N/S wall	Tumble	"	"			2
3.3	Under 3.1/3.2 part of 1.2	On top of floor	"	"			3
4.1	Under 3.3 from SE cor of blk wall to other N/S wall, Fill		"	"			3-4
4.2	Under 4.1	Ash lens	Ashy	soft			4
4.3	Beside 4.2	Ash lens edge	"	"			4-5
1.3	Top of N/S wall clearing	Tumble	LB	Crumbly			4
4.4	Under 4.3	Tumble	"	"			5
4.5	Under 4.2	Under layer of stones	Dark brown	Crumbly			5-6
4.6	Under 4.5	"	Ashy/limy	"			6
4.7	Under 4.6	Under limy layer end 4.6	Limy	"			6-7
4.8	Under 4.7	Fill	LB	"			7
4.9	Under 4.8	Fill on top of jobel	"	"			8
5.1	SE quadrant of trench	Under previously cleared topsoil	LB	"			8
5.2	Under 5.1 ^{bounded by N/S}	-E/W walls Tumble on floor	"	"			8-9
6.1	Under w. part of 5-2	Under floor	Dark	Crumbly			9
6.2	Under 6.1	Ash lens, pat chry	Dark	Crumbly			9

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Trench Context Record
 Trench.....19.....Initials...LC.....Date started...10/5/08.....Date finished...14/5/08

Context	Location (below, beside, on)	Structure (tumble, fill, floor, wall, pit, oven)	Soil colour	Soil texture	Depth	Thick	Page/s
1.1	NE quadrant of trench	Tumble on top of prev. excavation	LB	Crumbly			20
1.2	Under 1.1 in NW corner	Ash lens	Dark	"			20
1.3	Under 1.1 in rest of quadrant	Tumble	LB	Crumbly			20
1.4	Under 1.2 x 1.3	On floor	LB	Crumbly			21
1.5	Under 1.4	Ashy layer on degraded floor in patches.	Dark	"			21
1.6	Under 1.5	Under floor	LB	Cashed/stone			21-22
1.7	Under 1.6 north part	On floor	"	"			22
1.8	Under 1.7 north part	Under floor, reserving 100cms MB	MB	Crumbly			23-24
1.9	Under 1.8	Fill	MB	Crumbly			24
1.10	Baulk straightening	No stratigraphy pers.	All	All			24
1.11	Under 1.9	Fill	Rich brown	Soft			24-25
2.1	Above floor in doorway	Tumble	LB	Crumbly			25

Trench Context Record
 Trench.....18.....Initials...LC.....Date started...27/4/08.....Date finished...8/5/08

Context	Location (below, beside, on)	Structure (tumble, fill, floor, wall, pit, oven)	Soil colour	Soil texture	Depth	Thick	Page/s
6.3	Under 6.2	Under 6.1 floor, ^{on top of new} floor	Brown	Crumbly			9-10
7.1	SW quadrant of trench	Previously excav. surface	LB	Crumbly			10
7.2	Under 7.1	Tumble	"	"			10
7.3	Under 7.2	Tumble Tumble on floor	"	"			11
8.1	NW quadrant of trench	Previously excav. surface	Dark, ashy	Soft			11
8.2	Under 8.1	Tumble	"	"			11
8.3	Under 8.2	"	Med. brown	Crumbly			12
8.4	Under 8.3	Tumble, ash lens	"	"			12
8.5	Under 8.4	Tumble on top of patchy floor	Med. dark	"			12-13
8.6	Under 8.5	Floor	"	"			13
8.7	Under 8.6, except reserved section of floor.	Fill	LB	Limestone chips			13-14
8.8	Under 8.7	On top of floor	"	"			14-15
8.9	Under 8.8	Under floor. Fill on jobs	Dark	ashy			15

