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CONTEXT F 3511.....

CUTTING A7 & A6 CO-ORDINATES: East 9.5 North 9.5

DATE EXPOSED 31.7.89 DATE COMPLETED

DESCRIPTION V. large horizontal slabs at bottom of rampart rear slope. These do not seem to be bedrock, and they merge up-slope with similar horizontal slabs which are certainly not bedrock

MAX. WIDTH AND DIRECTION c. 1m ~~NW SE~~ NE-SW

MAX. LENGTH AND DIRECTION c. 2m NW-SE

MAX. DEPTH/HEIGHT THICKNESS

OVERLIES 3521

OVERLAIN BY ①

CUTS

CUT BY

ABUTS OR CONTIGUOUS WITH 3538, 3543

PLANS No. AA7 Plan 3, SP4, SP7 SECTIONS No.

PHOTO: B/W COL. NEG. NOS.

SAMPLE Type: SNAIL Nos.
SOP75 (DARK SOIL TWIX LARGE SLABS) SOP101 + SOP102 (UNDER LARGE SLABS)

EXCAVATOR

RECORDER

ASSOCIATED FEATURES 3513, 3538, 3543

ASSOCIATED FINDS

COMMENT It is possible that these slabs formed some kind of a walled rim to the hollow 3474. If so, they might be I.A. or Dark Age. Their relationship with the slightly higher tiers of slabs 3513 is unclear.

These slabs are laid upon a possibly dumped layer of small PHASING Stones - 3522. The slabs may even have formed the wide base for a curving wall, similar to that found at rear of rampart in 1970, but bigger.

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On excavation, the removal of the top course of these slabs revealed a lower second course (as I did also in the 3513 part of 3511). At this level the slabs looked laid.

A N-W to SE join-line of slabs became evident.