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UBSS LOG BOOK

NOVEMBER 8th 1963

TO

SEPTEMBER 27th 1964

LOG

BOOK.

1963/4

U.B.S.S. LOG. BOOK for MEN)IP.

8th Nov 1963

- 30th SEPT 1964

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N.B.

- 1) THIS LOG BOOK SHOULD BE WRITTEN UP AFTER EACH TRIP SO THAT THERE IS A RECORD OF IT
- 2) BEFORE THE LAST PERSON LEAVES THE HUT PLEASE
 - a) Put all Perishable Food away from the RATS - Fridge or Fire.
 - b) Put all waste Material in the Rubbish Trip.
 - c) Replace Fire wood
 - d) Lock all windows, shutters, Granchild, turn off GAS
- 3) Parties leaving for caving trips must leave a WRITTEN MESSAGE OF THE CAVE, No. of PERSONS and the EXPECTED TIME OF RETURN
- 4) THIS BOOK MUST NOT BE REMOVED FROM THIS HUT.

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Sat 8th November

Trip made to ladder dig in G.B. An hour digging was put in, doubling the size of the hole. It was decided that the 'railway' was completely unfunctional, and it was removed. Drawings.

Wed. 13 Nov Martin Rowat, Bob Craig (MNRCC) and Patrick Thomas to G.B. 'Sewer lock jammed. Presumably due to mud in it. We could not open it.

Reserve Cula gas in use.
PJT

Wed 13th

SC MHP G DK ~~S~~ RAP to Swildons
4. Out alive.

Sat Nov 16th

P.C. M.C. (Rod) Gerry Eff

Upper Swildon's very festooned a little
wet

Sat Nov 16th

G.N.G., M.S., & D.S.P. ~~S~~ dug G.B. ladder dig. Hole now c $1\frac{1}{2} \times 3' \times 1\frac{1}{2}$ deep. Members did dig below the water table at one stage when water did ooze in from the side.

PJT

Sat 16th Nov. Jane? C.W.B. M.H.P.G. M.K. DKS. Scintillating trip to Reids -
much water in bottom Boulder rubble. M.H.P.G.

Saturday 16th November

DPSH, JN to Eastwater to ask the new tenant about using
the cave for a rescue practice the next day. He says
that he does not lock the cave & we were welcome to
use it. * [This aforementioned tenant farmer has a sow that
farrowed 13 piglets, of which 12 have been reared to Bacon wt. IS THIS A RECORD?]

* Speleologically
relevant?

MHPG, MK, JN, Jan? CRVS, DPST to Goatchurch, after dark. Consequently
the cave took a long time to find, but having found it, a good
trip was had, out by Double Rightangle, which caused some alarm.

PST's Ford Anglia was found to be lying on its side
when we came out of the Plume at 11pm.

DT

Sunday 17th November

AFR, PST, ~~MHPG~~ MGN, MS, MRRR, PSE, FKH, DSP, CH, MG, MHPG, DPST to
Eastwater to attempt to haul MHPG from the bottom of
the 1st Vertical. A certain amount of Cerrysing Street drill
was done at the Hut before starting off. This proved invaluable
later on. The ascent of the 1st Vertical took only 7 minutes.
Difficulty was experienced in the S-bend (O.C.L. said 20 minutes) we
look at Lt Long. From there to the bottom of the sligh
was comparatively easy going. We definitely came up the
first bit of Canyon in the wrong place - we should have come
by M.O.T. sign. By this time, the subject, was very cold and
in poor shape, so we stopped 6 hrs after entering the cave.
On the way out, much water was pouring down so we got soaked.
Many thanks to all those who came, especially AFR, PST & MHPG

DT

Sunday 24 Nov 63

Sue Emerson, P.M.C. & F.H.N. & G.B. - transport trip. The plaster
removed from Tuller Dig. F.H.N.

Sat. 23 Nov 63

P.M.C., M.G., A.F.R., M.H.P.G. to Luthberts. V. interesting trip and
perseverance of two B.E.C. guides much appreciated. M.H.P.G.

Sat 30th November

After some deliberation it was decided that DKS, P.M.C., G.E.R., A.S.,
M.H.P.G. and H.J. should all attempt to bottom Eastwates. Entered
canon 4.0 p.m. ^{G.E.R. managed to fall from 35 ft. into D.C. without damaging himself.} Proceeded accidentally via 380 way to Rosten Pot. Near
pot narrow passage appeared to have snumped in recent heavy rain -
Guineis froth very near roof. Went back, across Traverse, up small
cañon, down Baker Chimney Bypass, down Cañon, through S.B. then
turning left to top of 1st Vertical. Vertical laddered incompetently by
the leader who went down first to see if his version of how ladders held. Took
75 mins to ladder & get to bottom. Way proceeded to 2nd Vertical which
was more impressive. 50 mins to ladder & get everybody down. H.J.
Kindly volunteered to stay at top to lifeline - double lifeline from ledge
30 ft down considered too difficult for safety. Fine went down
muddy on-bow to head of Rosten Pots. Certain members only did
13 pots but AS and M.H.P.G. bottomed, following stream way to final
chamber & also chokid rift. Return uneventful except for losing jet of lamp
which made it v.s., unsuccessful attempt to pull P.M.C. through a Karalines, A.S.
climbing 1/8 from Baker Chimney to Hallelujah ~~hole~~ ^{Hole}, and certain members
finding Traverse entertaining on return journey. Out of cars at 12.10 a.m. Sun.
Returned to hut at 1.30 a.m. Apologies & many thanks to M.S., K.H. and S.P.P.C.
who came out to see if we were o.k., since we were a few hours (4) overdue. A good
- 8 hrs 10 mins
even - enjoyed by all. M.H.P.G. * 1st Vert: 25 ft ladders; 2nd Vert 20 ft ladders.

30th. November 1963. Saturday.

DJP GNG I.TS DJW MS swept hut roof, cleared leaves out of gutters. The drains around the hut were also cleared.

The catchment area was cleared, swept. The central gutter received similar treatment and was flushed through.

Water chlorinated by J.J.P.C. on 1st Dec.

I.TS.

31st. Hut levy tax cleared - see back I.TS

30TH November 1963

D.P.S.H + 3 Vets, NG, G.C.B.R., I.N.H. to explore Goatchinck Cavern, ~~is~~ and introduce other vets to the marvels of caving. At least 30 other Gods down this cave.

DJ

DECEMBER
7TH November 1963

O.C.L, A.S.M, + Francis Marion + D.P.S.H. to Rod's Pot, Oliver's first trip since his illness - and felt that he had conquered the convalescent dumps. A.S.M had not caved for about 18 months and was very pleased to get down underground again. Very pleasant trip.

DJ

7th Dec Sat.

D.K.S. P.M.C. M.H.P.G. A.M.C. K.G. Prim^(D.K.S.) + 2 vet guests John, Roger + C.H. Lamb Leer. A lake stank rather dank some difficulty in finding the entrance. A generally slow trip enjoyed by all. Our guests first big ladder enjoyed it. Many members found the ladder tiring. The importance of life lining properly + a double life line for the last person, was shown to be essential. An excellent Stubbai Knab. was found and then left at the bottom of the ladder. With a frantic frenzy Miss Cony lifelined a Karabina crying "Don't climb so fast!" Voice from the cavern: "The Karabina wants a rest." ^{OKS}

Came out so late that the Castle of Comfort and Plumbe were closed. OH

OH

7th December 1963 (Saturday)

T.J.H., M.G., + D.J.P. did 1 1/2 hrs digging at end of ladder dig. Hole now 4' x 2' x 2' deep; very promising railway needed. Much soft dry mud ~~being~~ ^{being} shifted containing rocks + pebbles being shifted.

D.J.P.

Sunday Dec 8th.

CH, AFR, 5 SPC, MHPC, MG to Peabody Mine, Sanford Shaft
 descended for 50 ft. 1st + 2nd levels investigated for short distances
 lateral to shaft. Last 20 ft of 70 ft shaft blocked by rubble from surface,
 thus blocking 3rd level which may have been promising since
 strong draught felt through small opening in end of mt. Land (facing
 ladder) branch of 2nd level. Skeleton of dead sheep observed at bottom
 CH gallery. Remained to stay at surface to be fed. (MHPC)
 Entrance to shaft was breathing visibly in cold air at surface.

~~CH~~

Patrick Thomas for Waste to Suldors.
 Center for
 PST

Sunday Dec 8th

P.M.C. + 6 Explosives Club members Dave Rock, Doug Graft,
 Mary Potbury, John Bacher, John Davison, Gillian Doney, to G.B.
 rounds trip including wet way. All went well with photographs
 out in 2 1/4 hr. (inc ladder dig).

Fri 14th Dec

o.c. ch. m.t.l.e. in fine afternoon cutting
 wood. — o.c.

Saturday 14.12.63

Concerning The Sinking of Two Immense Holes On The Flank of
Blackdown Hill, Somerset

(i) The first of these holes was sunk in the bottom of the bomb crater nearest the cheddar path. On the angle of the ^{first} change of slope. The depth of the bomb crater was about 8' on the down slope side and 12 feet ~~of~~ on the up slope side. The hole was sunk to a depth of three feet in the bottom of this, tunnelling all the way through a stratum of O.S. angular boulders and pebbles mixed with good quality soil. This deposit gave every sign of being water permeable. The depth of this deposit is still unknown but it seems possible that it might extend to the depth of the fairly level ground before the hut.

(ii) This was sunk in the very angle of its first change of slope at the very head of the bath stream. It was sunk to a depth of ~~three~~ ^{two} feet on the down slope side and ten feet on the up slope. The depth was limited by flooding. One could discern that if proper drainage channels were constructed the hole could be sunk to a depth of six feet, in the course of a days work.

The upper part on the upslope sides and ^{the} ~~the~~ ^{of} whole, its down slope sides deposit was good quality brown soil (see end of paper) but below this on the upslope side was the same deposit as was encountered in the other hole. From this ~~the~~ deposit

flowed a ~~copious~~ copious trickle of water of such volume that the hole could not be bailed fast enough. It would seem that although this boulder deposit is permeable and could well be the supplier of the bath stream, the water might still come from a spring in the O.R.S. and the flow through the boulder ~~rock~~ deposit. This possibility is in accordance with the observation that the whole of the relatively flat area before the hut is marshy only where a stream flows and not over the whole area. This work was done on a day when there had been no rain for a week, and the ground was frozen for the first inch below the surface.

We must give our thanks to Mr. N. J. Wallace for digging the holes with great speed and accuracy for a fee of 1/2p. Mr. C. J. Eaton contributed but little in the way of bodily effort to the venture.

Given under our hands this 15th day of December 1963

B.J.J. & B.B.P.

14/12/63 2 to Rods DS.

15/12/63 C.S.E. F.K.H. & N.J.W. Work on members of the Borthon group. Sleds, camp, and G.B. which was much appreciated. They were a good show and with cultivating relations with particularly as they were able to acquire much equipment for the C.E.C.B. for future use.

N.J.W.

Thurs. Dec. 19 1963

A ladder was left up the W.G. Pole, it is not there now. Wld. M.I.C.T.E. please check + see if it is store or gone missing.

Missing. *M.H.P.G.* * Removed + replaced by SSPC on Dec 26 (M.H.P.G.)

Put in 1 gall "bluecol" into heating system. Nothing seriously frozen yet. *M.H.P.G.*

Tues. Dec. 24 1963

Visited hut. Fitted up blower. Put in 2nd gall of bluecol + tested system. Nothing frozen in heating circuits as yet. Both cold taps frozen. Plastic pipe connecting water tanks found adrift because of ice. Blocked off main pipe + feed pipe separately in clothes shed. *M.H.P.G.*

Sat. Dec. 28 1963

Did some jobs at hut. Removed leaking tap + for new weathering, plugged pipe. *M.H.P.G.*

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Sat 28th Dec 1963

Arrived at Lut 5.30 pm everything satisfactory

Sun 29th Dec

O.C.L. & M.S. to Rod's Pot.

O.C.L.

~~Dec 31 1963 An informal gathering of~~

Dec 31 1963 An informal gathering of members and friends was held.

The above seems to require a certain amount of elaboration.

NEW YEAR'S PARTY 1963-64. Tues Dec

Following in the fashion set by D. Houston (1959-62) M.S. arrived early for the party in on Saturday evening 3 days before. F.H.N. & F.K.H. arrived Monday followed by J.J.P. & G.N.G. in the evening. The remaining people arrived during Tuesday A.H., D.S., A & N, M.H.P.G., D.K.S. + spouse, Jerry, J.J.P.C., Mr & Mrs 'Dingle', O.C.L. & the President in approximately that order.

Some members visited the Thorne & some of these consumed a quantity of alcohol generally considered to be sufficient to cause unsteady movement & considerable reduction in co-ordination.

The meal started at 10.30 p.m. & all 20 members were able to enjoy it (though later certain people found a certain discomfort in the reverse process). The President was still sober enough to light

fireworks at midnight, Anthems were sung of traditional flavour.

Shortly after midnight Oliver suggested a Goatchurch trip by candles. Immediately 2 rival parties were established. ^{Total} 6 Toasts were drunk at the bottom of the Drain pipe in a wide variety of liquids. On returning to the hut steady imbibing was resumed and many members passed into 'sleep', some more quietly than others. (B. 5.5 am.)

DS

31st

Wednesday Jan 1st 1964

F.K.H. & F.M.N. to G.B. with much equipment for temperature measurements & water sampling. For the 1st time in G.B. all apparatus worked, and acceptable results were obtained. Despite after effects of above mentioned party, both members just managed to complete this second case of the New Year.

F.H.V.

Saturday, 4th January, 1964

Oct, D.S. & ~~to~~ to Ludwell, Lorton caves and the Axbridge Ochre Hole.

Sat 11th Jan 1964

D.H.H., O.C.L., D.J.P. & D.S. to Swildons Sump 1.
D.H. lived the thing. DS.

Sun. 13th Jan

D.S. M.S. P.M.C. to G.B. dig. Some progress made but sledge hammer or banger needed to break up boulders.

M.S.

Sat 12 Jan. 3 to Swildons Shatter Passage at 3 pm
back @ 10 pm

FKH

Sat. 18th Jan.

G.E., DKS, + guest to Goatchurch for interest sentimental reasons. Tried to stick pole through reef without success. DKS.

18 Jan 63. OCH, FKH, NG, PJT to Swildons Shatter Passage. PJT could not get through squeeze, so slept for 40 minutes at bottom of pit. Others had scouter at bathole where there was less water than expected (Total time 5 hours)

P. J. Thomas

18 Jan: EXT, DS, TS, PDC, DJW + JH
 to G.B. Ladder dig where some digging
 and a bang were effected. It remains to
 be seen whether the latter was successful.

T/D

18th Jan

DGP, GJG to Shipham; object expl examination
 of shafts marked on 2 1/2" O.S. Only one group were found
~~444~~ (Sheet ST 45; 444 581). 3 in line all filled in
 with branches, and wire netting, old bed springs, etc.

DGP

19/1/64

6 to (1) Gough's Old Cave. Collected
 silt samples from U.B.S.S. shaft at back of
 entrance chamber. Material v. dry + crumbling
 (2) Gough's Extension Silt samples
 found^(a) far chamber bottom + from chamber
 just short of this. Material very dry +
 crumbling from (b)

In each case fine lamination was observed
 i.e. finest material generally at top + coarser
 material below

25th Jan 1964

D.J.P., G.N.G., M.S., J.E.S. ^{senior.} to G.B.

Showed J.E.S. round cave, inspected last week's bang, two boulders moved but need breaking up. Attempted to remove boulder with 1 stick of gel. Good time was had.

M.S.

25th

Coatchurch for 3rd time running. DKS, + 2 vets.
Suildons 25th January

* F.K.H., S.C., M.C., O.C.L. & D.S. to Black Hole. 3.45 p.m. → 9.15 p.m. A very fine trip.

* Scientific Note

Keith Hanna (Eng) remarked on reaching the far side of the ramp on the quantity of limestone fragments to be found there. A specimen was brought out for analysis and confirmed Hanna's suspicions.

D.S.

25-1-64.

It is essential for members embarking on "trips" to caves or elsewhere to SIGN UP where they are going with time of return.

This must at ALL TIMES be carried out. [see M.R.O.'s "Caving Code"]
J.J.P.C.

25th Jan 64 Eastwater trip.

A.M.C, G.E.R, P.M.C. M.G to Harris Passage
below twin verticles 4pm - 12.30am. Strenuous fascinating
trip. G.E.R.

29th Jan 64 Rod's Pot

M.H.P.G + C.N.W.B. To very bottom. Chinned
out two different ways.

30 Jan. 1964

Gerald Hiblerd called at my house to say
Tool shed door + clothes shed door left open.
Car had been seen there on 29/1/64; small
black car with hood.

Went up to hut + found

1. Tool shed door open.
2. Lid off carbide drum - as usual
3. Gas not turned off
4. Clothes shed door open.
5. Laving clothes lying all over floor of
hut.
6. Helmets + lamps strewn about hut.
7. Tin of carbide in hut.
8. Dirty eating utensils about.
9. Hut in shocking state of untidyness.

Conclusion. You all want Nennies to
look after you. M. Stratman

1st Feb. 1964.

Goatchurch for 4th time running
 P.M.C., DKS + guest. Sidcot. P.M.C. tried to
 make a cave. DKS.

1st Feb. 1964

DS, J.P.C. + 1, F.K.H. to G.B. to photo Main Gorge
 with 15 gm of flash powder. A reasonable sized flash. Most of
 the stream was flowing down the END dig and depositing
 silt.

F.K.H.

1st Feb 1964

E.K.T., O.C.L., J.S.W., I.S.S. to Longwood for Black
 House building. As no materials or plans arrived O.C.L., I.S.S.
 + Mansfield, Ellis looked at O.C.L.'s dig, Rhino R.I.T.
 and the M.C.G. Dig at velvet bottom. ~~I.S.S.~~

17 Feb 1964.

G.B. - Ladder Dig Extension.
 Nigel, Mike, Mike + F.H.N. to G.B. Digging - fairly smooth.

17 Feb 1964.

F.H.N. left the plane ^{at 11.15 pm.} & arrived at the
 hut at 12.50 am. & he does not care
 what members say about the absurd
 length of time taken.

1st, 2nd Feb 1964

Various people started work on the central heating for ♀ hut. Reasonable progress made
M.H.

5th Feb

E.K.T. | E.R.L. | J.H. | C.M.W.B

Continued laying cement floor above. Also arrival of building materials. emwb

8th Feb 1964

Manor Farm investigated.

Small amount of water entering at base of pipe showing in reasonable state. No obvious movement or indication of flooding. No pool of water. All the flow seems to be flowing away among pebbles & boulders at the side of the working face. Too much spray for convenient working but could be attempted after further dry spell if the small stream of water ceased. The stream could be heard from the top of the pipe entrance.

M.H.

20th 15th/16th Trip to SWCCATQ Did off/d with O.C.L

2nd Feb

Will make it known did not go to Goatchurch.

8 Feb ATIC MHPG to ^{W.H.} Eastwale. Rift bl + Prin. Path. Bloody
old rich on motorbikes. 4Hrs. Saw Bats

9 Feb Visited Picken's Hole. Most of damage to
site is due to human agency. The badgers ^{have}
* not done much harm.

19th Feb → P.H.E. MHPG. ATIC. CMWB & Ver did
22nd Feb ISRV & local in Eastwale. 4Hrs. MHPG

CAW + Tod & Claudia Middlebrook (guests) & N.W.
to GB on a tourist trip. Dropped Nigel (+ geologist)
at ladder Dig & made our way out leisurely via
a very dry wet way 2 1/2 hrs in all.

CAW.

22nd Feb Sunday.

CPH + 2 friends down Reads - not
2 cities but tributaries of main chamber.
Many bats flying around. Hit fire out
side to burn lots of rubbish collected
at entrance.

Then went to Goatchurch down coal
sluice - through drain pipe to cave.
Met a "school party" from Millfield.
Four hours in all. Slept in tent out
side hut.

22 Feb 64 NOW MS FKH to GB to dig in backhoe dig
 extension. Made $\frac{3}{4}$ " hole with stem drill and bit off $\frac{3}{4}$ "
 of beam. Report substantial results.

22nd Feb. AMC, MAPG, DKS, Geoff to Rods. Laddered 50
 ft aven with 40ft ladder. Explored foot
 smelling mud dig at bottom. Free climbed
 back up // cel aven. FKH
MS.

22nd Feb

15.5. H.M.J. PJT MG, K.H.G. did a good sample
 trip to Swindon - H.S. traversed the pool & Barrow Loop
 without getting even feet wet.

23rd Feb

15.5. A.H. JS, MG to Manor farm, Longwood
 & then Priddy to see how much water sinking,
 called in at 11.30.

12.5.5 AM 29 Feb.

β and γ ~~at~~ secondary fought virtually
FKH

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29th Feb PRIMROSE POT.

D.S., D.K.S., M.G.W., J.W., M.H.P.G., M.S., T.J.H.

Advance party descended at 2 pm. and M.S., D.S. duly laddered pitches, after a certain amount of festering we had M.S. M.G.W. D.K.S. and D.S. on first ledge. Savage descended to bottom whilst I lifelined from second ledge. Relief party arrived whilst D.S. on bottom. M.G. got through squeeze and the five of us went to bottom in relay. P.D.C. got through squeeze but returned immediately. Tackle hauled out and members were all out at 9 pm. 7 hrs. to put 5 people on the bottom.

points to remember

- (i) 1st ledge can accommodate 3 or 4 people comfortably and is dry.
- (ii) short tethers required for second ladder
- (iii) Second ledge can hold 2-3 and is wet from heavy drips.
- (iv) No tethers required for last pitch.
- (v) pulley required for lifeline on last pitch.

M.S.
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29th Feb.

I.T.S. C.H. J.J.P.C. J.J.W. + 12 members of Chelsea
Spel. Soc to G.B. Most parts of the cave were explored,
including at least 2 unsuccessful attempts at the ooze.

J.J.W.

29 Feb.

DJP, ~~CH~~ CH, EKH to G.B. ladder dig
(Examined last weeks bang (6 sticks). No
damage to formations was done. The rubble was
cleared away and another charge was planned (6 sticks)
and detonated.

EKH

1st March

The wind generator was duly placed
in position. Servicing will not be necessary for
some little time.

30th Feb.

1st March G.B. faster with 3 of Explorers Club. Very
fine trip P.M.C.

7th March 1964

on ISS Bob Craig, Martin? (NEWRC) to
vicarage passage. - put a rawlbolt in the awn, absorted
down to landing leaving a rope in rita. - Had
the wonders of ex W.D). Karabiners demonstrated. out by
7.30.

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~~7th~~ 7th March '64 MS FKH to GB ladder dig to dig. last weeks change was very successful and resulted in shattering large boulder. The size of the chamber is now some 4' x 7" by 3 1/2' high.

FKH

7th March.

Sunday members supervised the W.C. and B.C. in constructing the foundations of the Longwood Brickhouse 8th March.

The foundations were completed at the build up with concrete blocks can commence. The broken hinge on the G.B. door was temporarily repaired.

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13th March

Grass water sampling in Swilston, 4 parties PDC, H.S., AMC, J.P. & Swilston 4. 12 samples were taken between the Swilston & Steamway and Bats Temple. A trip of 5 1/2 hours enjoyed by all.

13 March G.W.G., G.E.R., J.W., N.J.W. to G.B. ladder Dig Successful work party - removed a large proportion of the boulder banded by the party on 7th March and also a quantity of other spoil. The chamber is now further enlarged. Out by Oxlow and White way to show G.B.R. and J.W. who had not visited the cave before.

N.J.W.

14 March. Water Sampling - Blind Hole Party
 FKH, MS, & FHN. In Blind Hole series most of
 dip & small tanks were running well - i.e. the
 falling rain of the previous night seemed to be
 affecting this area. The water was mid height on
 entering the core, but at the downstream end of the
 float indicated a fall - water level of about 9"
 at this point, by the time we left the core @ 100' down.
 FHN.

14 March. Mr. George Soms-Hall was good enough to
 grace the hut with his (drunken) presence.
 FKH

14/3/64

I.S.S., DJP - eventually reached Priddy green
 with intention of sampling Swildons II - we were
 joined by CH, sampled Swildons I. I.S.S.
 The difference in water levels between exit time of entrance
 was due to the large number of samples taken
 from the streamway.

14/3/64 Swildons

M.S., M.N., P.J., D.H. & D.S. collected water samples
 in Double Trouble & completed the Round Trip. ~4 $\frac{3}{4}$ hrs.

D.S.

21 Mar G.M.G. D.S.P. D.S. CH F.K.H. N.S.W. G. G.B.
Ladder Dig. Found remains of boulder from last week and
made further digging progress. A bang was done at the end.
C.H. & F.K.H. did some surveys.

N.S.W.

21 Mar 64 G.E.R. A.M.C. C.F.G. to Eastwater, bottom
of two verticals. Much water in boulder ~~chamber~~ ruckle and
bottom of 2nd vertical but still a pleasant trip, (5 1/2 hrs)

A.M.C.

27-30th March. Creek at Hut F.A. to do so called F.A.
Hut left Kiddy. See note for Trout re Motor Cyclists
4/4/64

D.K.S. F.K.H. & D.S. did not feel that an entire
afternoon spent warming ~~these~~ backrides (apple or peach
types included) would be a worthwhile addition to the science
of Speleology. Therefore an expedition was planned
to a large dark cavern to the South East. Wooking
Hole was entered at 3:45 p.m.

D.K.S. F.K.H. D.S.

D.S.

4/4/64 To the Swan for a nominal evening.

D.S.

5.4.64 O.U. called & returned the tackle
borrowed for Easter. Short trip down Sindlam's
with Mike Hart to replace line to Vaccinige
Passage with a longer one.

O.U.

4/5-4-64 b.j.f. & wife called in for one night
on way to field course. Noted trip to P. P. out 29th
of Feb. In my 2nd yr 1958-59, we got 4 people to
the bottom in 12 hrs, and this was the fastest trip
in UBSS records; Sic Transit gloria mundi.

b.j.f.

11/4/64 BALCH'S CAVE.

F.H.N. T.J.H. F.K.H. D.J.P. & D.S. to Balch's
Cave with a Cerberus leader. A very fine cave
well worth a few photography trips. F.H.N. did
sterling work comforting a ketching beginner who
thanked him for his services by threatening to
throw forth should Frank dare to light up.

D.S.

Also, Dec 1st 1957 - 13 hrs more to bottom (2nd ledge only)
Early 1960 - 6 hrs - 3 to bottom + 1 to 2nd ledge
1964 seems very fast.

15 April

7 to Manor Farm where modifications to
shoring and construction of bucket slute were
undertaken.

~~III~~

18.4 April 1964

OCC. & P.J.T. to Vicarage Pot with Bill Craig. We put three more steel bars up the other side so that it is now easily climbable.

OCC left

18/4/64

GMB ISS DJW to Priddy pool with Smece for a dip. DS had a splash & used the air K.T. DJW used another after 1.55 working. 1.55

25/4/64 G.M.G. M.S. D.J.P. N.J.W. to G.B. Ladder Dig 40 buckets out some stones from the end, and 25 buckets for the floor of the passage to facilitate work. This work continuing back into the chamber. M.S. then did a bang (6 sticks in the straggle at the end. He finds that when a speaker comes if one counts the terminals of the Ni Fe cells correctly when using 2.

N.J.W.

25/4/64 DKS FRK to Gortchuck. Enjoyable trip. FRK

CH, ISS, DIS, F.H.N., &

25/4/64 Testing V noted with in East Twin Brook. Flow ≈ 6000 gal/hr. Successful.

F.H.N.

26/4/64? 3 to Picken's Hole. Re-erected fencing in new position - 3 hrs. F.H.N.

26/4/64 ISS to Balders settlement, Fernhill with G.S.S. ISS.

2nd May

I.T.S. DJW P.H.S. D.S. OCC, E.K.T. CH. DIS to CIRG
Meeting at wells.

2nd May. M.H.P.G. + E.J.C. + Chris? to Rods where we all got stuck
at bottom of terminal rift! Reids main chamber + dissection room also. John's
first trip on Nendip, M.H.P.G.

9th May (Sat) 4 began '64 Charterhouse
Roman dig. Visited by other speleologists who lend
a brief (miscular) hand - Fenning, and de-turfing
rapidly accomplished in a strong wind! Grateful to a
speleologist who visited in a supervisory capacity.
Founder members: E.K.T., C.H.W.B., M.H.P.G. (incl
E.J.C. (medic)). Rapid progress. amazing

9th May: 4 to Harrow farm where discussion
water channel was completed we hope satisfactorily
Shoring can recommence next weekend.
JH

10th May (Sun) E.K.T. + C.H.W.B. to
Pickens Hole. Continued section drawing
JH

3.5.64 (Sunday) + D.S. Oct 1 took a party of Welsh Dragons
including Bill Little, Robin + Ann Williams, Eric Ineson
also Eric Hensler on the Swanton's Round Trip
Train to hrs 5 minutes. Comment by Welsh Dragons: "It
should be called 'Dyffwrdd'."

10-5-64.

DKS & JSPC looked @ some Burnington caves. Yerr Yerr!

W.H. Bishop cousin to J.A.W. and J.A.V. to G.B. for quite unashamed sight seeing tour. Bottoms, ladder dig, oxbow, loop, vertics plot etc etc. Must be getting old. Very pleasant trip. J.A.W.

15.5.64 Trout & Crick to Puckens Hole, measuring section, sketching & Photographing ditto J.H.C.

15.5.64 CPL + 3 others to G.B. We found it too hot above ground on what Saturday!

15. May: 4 to Manor farm where about 50 buckets were removed. Many small boulders have to be contended with.

16.5.64. Old, Chris to Kelt Inman took a party of Eddon Pothole Club on the Swindon's Round Trip!

12 on party, time 6 1/2 hours.

9 NOVICE SUMPERS!

17.5.64 W. NJW, AVW, I.S., GMB, J.A. to Manor farm where 10 buckets were removed. Much progress (5") was made.

18. May : D.S. & T.J.H. but some showing at Manor Farm.

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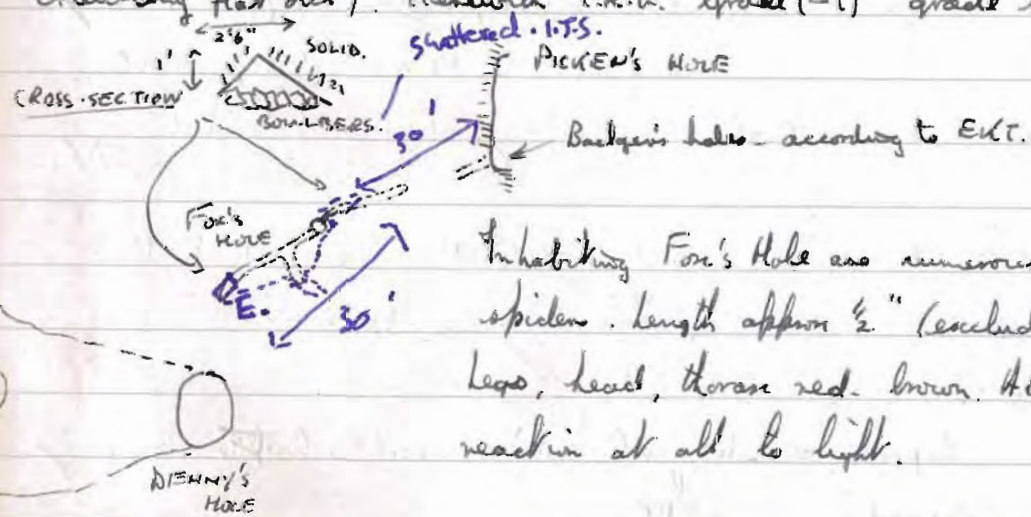
18/5/64

3 to Pickens Hole - section drawing + photography. Started clearing next square

4 at Charterhouse Dig. Found some pottery + a piece of a lead object *[Signature]*

17th May 64.

Trot + etc's to Pickens Hole, cleaning up faces + felling trees. C.I. crawled down Fox's Hole (memo. really must wear more than sandals + leather shorts when crawling flat out). Here with C.R.G. grade (-1) ²ⁿ⁺¹ grade survey:-



Inhabiting Fox's Hole are numerous large, fierce-looking spiders. Length approx 1/2" (excluding legs, usual number!) Legs, head, thorax red-brown. Abdomen white. No reaction at all to light. *CI*

N.B. on 18/5/64. I.T.S. descended Fox's Hole, hammered at eqrd. Sound heard at Pickens Hole ~~Badger hole~~ Badger hole v. faintly.

Estimated heights are superimposed on I.T.S.'s map. See later entry. *I.T.S.*

24/5/64.

NOT finished work on heating circuit for Shiffen and tidied up.

The test shows that the arrangement does work + Shiffen gets reasonably warm.

N.B. 1. The lamp when properly filled up will burn for about 15 hrs. when turned up high, i.e. just a little yellow showing at various points. ∴ proper attention must be paid to filling + burner.

2. If the lamp is either turned up too high or allowed to burn out the result is charring of wick + extensive deposition of greasy lamp black.

SH

25/5/64

final cementing done for ♀ gpt's - heating

SH

29/5/64

C.J.E. arrived for evening and noted remarkably high appearance of cul - congratulations!

30 + 31st May: Persons at Harrow Farm showing (sat) and dipping (to bucket) on Sunday. Good progress (3' to 4'). We are now 43' down.

SH

5th June 1964.

~~was~~ ~~initiated~~ ~~to~~ ~~the~~ ~~end~~ ~~of~~ ~~causing~~ ~~by~~ ~~men~~ ~~&~~ ~~DKS~~. A Willb Hall fresco party was initiated to the end of causing by men & DKS. The party totalled 8 and due to unavoidable fever on the 40' it took ages to get to the camp. For a bit of sport men & DKS dived the cave but then set back. The resistance of some members ~~was~~ to the camp and exercise did was not improved by the lack of light due to the clipped out carbide used. Only one fell in the double pots but this was from a great height & was quite spectacular. We regained the surface after 4 hours, the result being 1 convert and 4 rejects.

I accompanied the above said party and can certify that the account written above-said is the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth. Signed DKS.

men & DKS
RMBP, JRH, JCW,
J.L., CJH, J.H.

Crook peales see entry for 18/5/64.

on 18/5/64 Fox Hole was descended, measured, directionally orientated. The paced distance from entrance of Fox Hole to Pickens Jac = 60'. Fox hole can be penetrated for 30' towards the Pickens Face. via cawley passage. Roof shows pendants, rotational features for 25' but the last 5' are shattered. Similarly passage ends in ^{block of} small angular fragments presumably frost shattered. Hammering at this point was heard faintly at Pickens. Ineson plan (18/5/64) is difficult to understand but distances ^{mysteriously} (L.T.S)

June 6th : Manos Farm: members descended to view the effects of the heavy rain which while revealing a promising state of affairs but also a tricky one due to unsupported fill which frequently falls down on persons digging. There is no build up of water at the bottom.

[Signature]

Jun 7th 3:15 AM ERT came to meet to ascertain that there had been a serious accident in Swildens Hole. 10 Members eventually got there by 4: → 4:30 AM. After an exploring party of people had ascertained the nature of the accident, and a couple of parties had gone down to tackle the 40' pit, the USSR party of 5 members MS, JPC, M G, JSS & FKH went down and helped in the rescue, which resulted in the youth being taken out, semi conscious, at 9:15 AM. In general the rescue went off very smoothly and efficiently.

FKH

The above is roughly the case. M.S. went to head of 40' with two others at approx 6am. to help casualty to top. The remaining 4 + two entered cave at 7am to the old grotto, assisted the arrival of casualty, then aided his removal to the entrance. DSW, GNB and 12. otherwise at Maizes Barn, all were back at hut by 10am. The services of OLL were called upon yet again - at 6pm for a Flood stand by at Swildens.

Tues 9th CH. Graeme Draper to Goatchurch
CH

Monday 8th Jan Union Work MS MGN MG GNG

CH & FKH dug out a recent collapse at Manor Farm. After about 110 buckets we were back to our former depth. It was apparent that a very substantial amount of shoring would be necessary if the 'dig' were to survive. Previous attempts at shoring had relied upon stressing wooden members against the sides, and placing corrugated iron behind them. Where the sides were solid rock this was quite satisfactory; but then no shoring was necessary in the first place. It was therefore decided that all future shoring must be very much more solid, and further - more it must be independent of the mud walls of the dig to hold it together.

FKH

M.S. MGN DSP PAFKH.

Tuesday 9th Jan With the above in mind a "dummy frame" was constructed from mud, string and sticks, in the dig, and accurate measurements were taken from this. A frame was then constructed on the surface, to these measurements, using bolts and coach screws to hold it together.

FKH

Tuesday & Wednesday 9/10th June 1964
 Charterhouse from Cows using the square
 as their IRA Memorial again, Few interesting
 finds. Cleared the ditch EKB

Wednesday 10 June. The above mentioned frame was
 completed and then disassembled and ~~rest~~ reconstructed
 in the dig. If the shoring is satisfactorily put in
 position it should prove very efficient in keeping the
 dig open through the winter.

EKB

N.B. The efficiency of this ^{construction} ~~shoring~~ is intrinsically "a wonder to behold." P.M.

Thursday 11th June.

MVP + CMT + RHJ + JRB + IRB pattered about in

Roachchuck for a couple of hours. The fast slide is on the right!

Friday, 12th June, 1964

Note for M.I.C.T.E.

Dear Mike,

Could you note that the nylon line cut at the rescue last
 Sunday belongs to M.R.O. & cut to U.B.S.S. It is now, I
 believe, supported by 3 fifteen foot lengths, which you have
 marked with orange wire at each end. I have put 2 of them
 in a bag of mine with the old carrying sheet (now mended),
 a 15 ft. length of scaffold rope and a clean handkerchief. This
 is ready to go down on a rescue & is under the Hon.

Secretary's bank. The first lot I left there on
 Sunday I have removed. The third lot is in
 the M.L.O. box. Oliver.

12 Jun 64 Manor Farm Dig. A second
 section of shoring was placed in position and
 corrugated iron was manoeuvred into position behind
 it. The dig is now very much safer.

FKH

13 June 64

Manor Farm Dig. Large boulder
 at bottom of dig was star drilled and
 banged with one stick. The air seemed to
 be clear after about 1/2 hr, but no one descended
 to see the damage.

M.S.

14 June 64 FHN & FKH to Manor Farm. FHN
 examined the boulder which was banged and
 reported that it was fairly well shattered.

14 June 64

FKH

FKT F.H.N. F.A.H. E.R.L. D.P.
 C.H.W.B. P.S.T. at Charterhouse. Active
 filling in by covers while Trat. dug holes
 looking for old square (F3). Retrieved new
 square and erected fence.

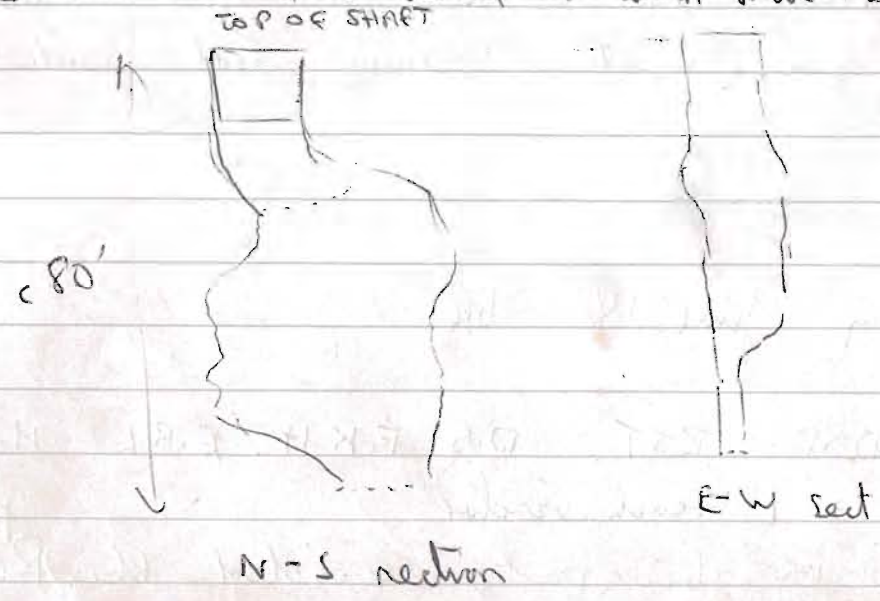
C.H.W.B.

15/6/64 1" OS, Sect 165 633 515

Rushing

CMWB, ERL, GFSH, HMAC, D.J.P. visited ~~Rushling~~

farm with a view to descending a 'hole' reported to exist on former Weave's land. The farmer proved very helpful and showed above party the above hole. The entrance was artificial and was a hole about 4 ft square surrounded by timber and covered with corrugated iron sheets. 40 ft ladder was lowered and D.J.P. descended, the ladder proved insufficient so a further 20' was fixed on and D.J.P. again ~~descended~~ ~~and still~~ ~~without~~ without reaching bottom. The first 10 ft was an artificial shaft dug through very red & clay; this suddenly developed into a ~~natural~~ natural rift approx 30-40 ft ~~wide~~ by c 10 ft at its widest, ~~→~~ running approx N-S. Just below end of 60' of ladder was a sloping platform and over the lip of this the rift ~~appears~~ ~~over~~ appeared to continue. It was estimated that the 'hole' was ~~over~~ over 80' deep. It was decided to revisit it with more tackle.



16 June - 64 - Charterhouse

(Kit)

C.M.W.B., H.M.A.C., E.R.L., R.J. (2 two birds) had a late start owing to ^{Mrs} President's alarm clock which apparently failed to work. Members being up at 9.30 or what ready and waiting. Much lead ore ^{was} removed in the morning and a visit to a local castle was much appreciated by all during lunch break.

Frenzied activity resumed when Mr. President was seen approaching. (He left soon before ^{members} got too tired) A short tea break and members returned to the hut and a serious evening's drinking by 5.30 pm.

H.M.A.C.

Damn lousy crew. (Director of Occasions)

June 17th:

An honourable visit for the fatherland of speleology was introduced to the delight of Plumbing, Tratto Residence, Rock of Ages, etc. Hut.

Shiloff

Thursday June 18th 64.

D.S.P. P.S.T. D.S. F.K.H. E.R.L. H.M.A.C. P.H.R.G.
C.M.W.B. + 1 French visitor.

The above party revisited the ^{Rustling} Rusland Farm

hole with 140 feet of ladder, 300 ft of life line and full of hope. The farmer willing gave permission to go down and later came over for a report. D.J.P. having been down the first 60' before went down first again. 100 feet of ladder had been lowered and he reached the bottom after about a 70-75 foot pitch. The bottom was immediately reported to smell foul. It consisted of dead stock which had festered and the air was putrid. Five members reached the bottom and examined the cave.

This was a natural rift with collapse for the top. It runs approximately East/West for about 250' - 300'. The West side descended a thick, foul, mud slope for 40 feet and ends in a further drop of about 15' - 20' after a narrow impassable squeeze. The depth of the cave was about 100' all told. The East end, under the barley field, proceeds for about 100' with a large rift and then a further narrow passage continues ending in a mud choke.

The central rift was not devoid of formation. On the South face mud ripples abounded. Also present was a sulphide flow, a few stalactites (9" max),

and contains the biggest of about a depth of one foot. The east side floor is of fallen roof boulders and sizes about 15 feet. When standing at the highest point it was noticed that members just on the ladder at the top could see the lower light. There is an open continuation of the rift at this higher level. The ceiling seems fairly solid since for one large boulder.

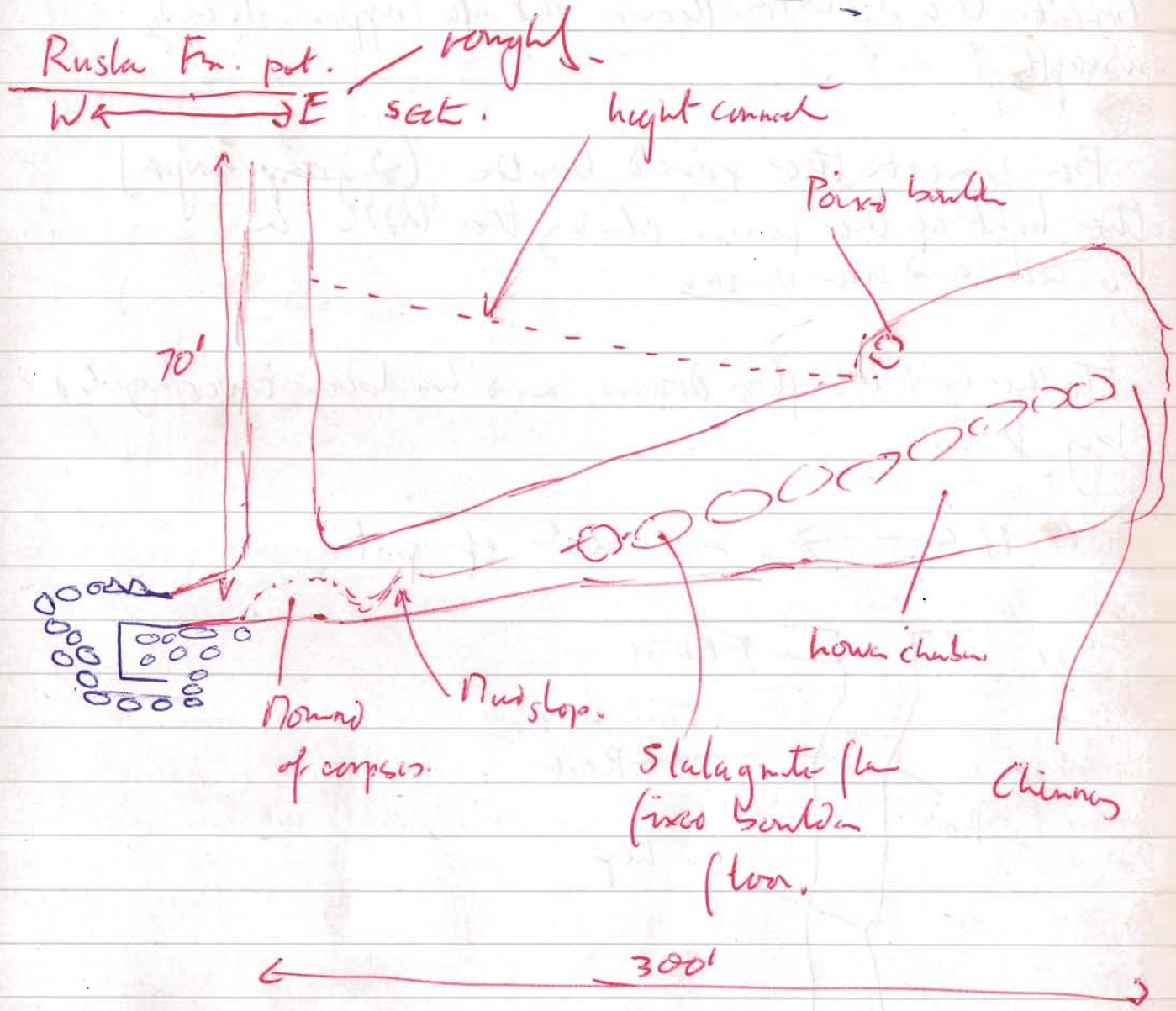
Charterhouse 19. 6. 64.

F.H.N. E.R.L. G.M.A.C. C.M.W.J.S. (12 in late afternoon)

After Frank had welded his picks and on an apparent natural layer it was found to be a false, packed, foundation layer with a further layer of an earlier occupation. ~~and~~ This was as found in the 1961-62 excavations. It is now thought that as much as 27 feet of this long 'room' between crudely laid walls has been plotted that it is a long corridor with a clay-cement floor. The building is probably up the hill as shown by two trial trenches run of S and N sides of square F-2. Today. The North and uphill trench yielded much pottery of importance (esp. Samian) while the South

nothing. Future excavations will be up the hill.

Brew



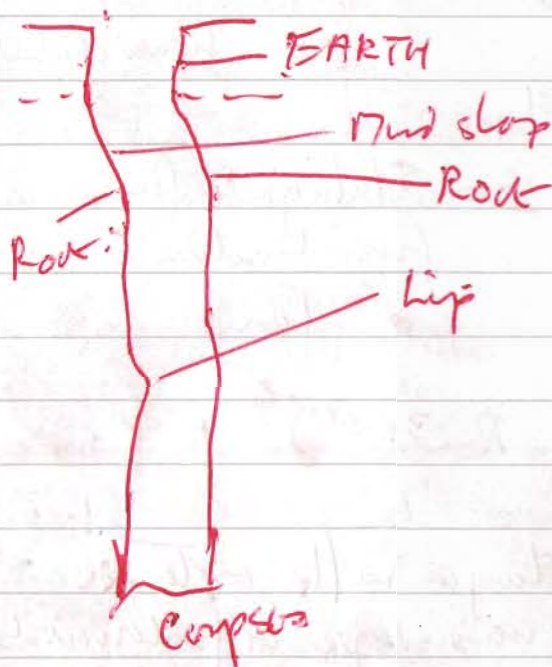
For the both of the pot a large rift extends approximately east. A steep mud slope is followed by a steep rise (rise floor of boulders fixed into stalagmite

One can get beneath the floor by descending a 12 foot chimney between the far east end of the apt and the boulders. There is a small ^{like} chamber beneath the boulder floor. The apt. appear to end abruptly.

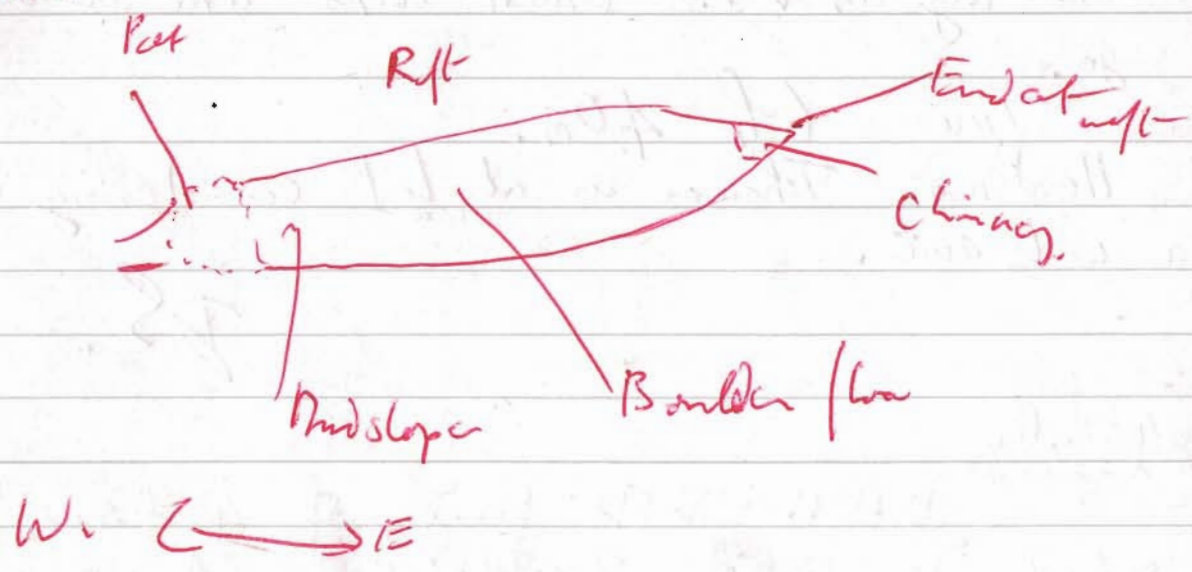
From beneath the piled boulders (~~digging~~ digging) the light of the person climbing the ladder can be seen and vice versa.

To the west the floor descends and has been investigated by D.S.

N \longleftrightarrow S side of pit



Plan



PJT

20 June 1964 & 19th June & 18th June

Suevets might tap G.C.B. to relieve "monotony" of archaeology. also to Great Oonis & Sun Hole (later was done complete mud series, sun series & maypole series) F.W. (Archaeologist = F.A.L. & C)

25 June

Party leaves for E in Traktomobil

and CHG van + F.W. piston stopper. RICH

27/6/64

P.J.T, O.C.L, Bob Craig, John Reed DS. to Vicarage Passage.
 O.C.L & P.J.T star drilled a hole to accommodate a spike to hold a line to facilitate crawling up the slippery tube just beyond the dig that went in 63. The remainder removed about 40 buckets of 'slur dsh' from the present

end dig in V.P. which looks like it oughta' go.

Time 6h 40m.

Hard man Thomas is at last considering making a wet suit.

DS.

4 July

D.H.H. Took party of 4 from his school to Upper Swildon's. A good trip; very dry.

12 July. 1.30am

CJE, JAW & Bill Bish to Coatchurch just for the sake of getting underground. Someone has urinated in the chamber at the end of the drainpipe. That sort of thing did not happen in our day.

Grandpa.

14th July

ITS + Richard + Jay + 13 Somerset Youth Club types. Patriotic trip to G.B. Parliament. Trip ev. much enjoyed by visitors. ITS

18/7/64 Sat

I.T.S. DJW, J.J.P.C. ^{eventually} / to / G.B. after
 I.T.S. had gone back to Bristol to get keys.
 Ruled water / mud from a small passage on
 the left before the Bridge. I didn't really
 prove much except that further progress
 means attacking the roof of stal, boulders.
 Probably what the last people who dug here
 thought. I.T.S.

19/7/64 I.T.S. DJW J.J.P.C. collected 3+ pounds
 of bilberries - very good taste.

25/7/64

P. J. & Polley T.W. Joseph P. S. and J.C. Barnitt.
 Swildon's Hole. Very crowded, but dry. St Paul
 series. Returned by Dry ways got lost for 3/4 hour
 T.W.J.

26/7/64

P. J. & P. T.W.J. P.S. J.C.B.

St. Cuthbert's Swallet. New Entrance Way, Stream
 Passage, Francess Chambers + Everest Passage. Very
 Dry.
 T.W.J.

27th July 1964

E.K.T. & D.J.P. returned from cave in DYA 241 at about 5:0pm.
 Automobile was unloaded and tackle put back. G.M.B. had returned earlier
 and offloaded tackle but no sign of said person when we arrived.

D.J.P.

28.7.64.

P.J.P.
 T.W.J. ~~J.C.P.~~ P.G.S. ~~T.W.J.~~ J.C.B.

Went to Cow Hole, but locked. Went to Hunter's Hole.
 Had not time to get right to bottom

A. T.W. II

29.7.1964

T.W.J. P.G.S. J.C.B. P.J.P.

Went down Rod's Pot, investigated upper network, & continued
 through main chamber to sandy bottom.

31.7.1964.

J.A.W. N.J.W. C.J.E. arrived to find
 4 of Tok "White Slaves" escaped. and a
 very welcome cup of tea. Evening at
 the Plume and Penrose.

1.8.64

With a cleaning of aged boxes and a flatter
 of Old Age Pension Cards JAW. N.W. JHW & W.E.
 went to a very dry Swildon and proceeded very
 carefully towards IV. Blue Percol seems
 drier than it was but IV Parit. changed
 after 4 years so the next trip will probably
 be deferred until 1965. The cave was very
 empty "Where have all the cavers gone?"

2.8.64 O.C. & John Garrid & Bob Cronin
 to Bat Hole in Swildon's. 30 buckets of mud.
 7 hour trip. Dig going strong. Cave very dry.
 O.C.

3/8/64 PJT CJE to Swildon's. Through
 samples to test how wet soil.

Someone other than Mr. Price took our shillings.
 He should not have. It is recommended that money
 be given to Mr. Price in person. The other man looks very
 suspicious.

PJT

Sat Aug 1st Manor Farm

Star drilled a hole or two in a couple of boulders at the bottom prior to banging. DS

Sunday Aug 2nd Manor Farm

N.J.W. JAW J.G. C.J.E. DS. removed a quantity of boulders to the surface and banged two large ones at the bottom.

Monday Aug 3rd

N.J.W. JAW J.G. C.J.E. DS. removed much rock from the bottom (bang successful) JAW & N.J.W. demolished a further large lump. Progress satisfactory further work will proceed handsomely DS,

Even 1st Aug to 22/23 August Pickens Hole, (Compton Bishop
 Members present included E.K.T. (till he skived off to Czechoslovakia)
 J.H.C., A.M.A. & P.A.A. Occasional ^{helpers} visitors included O.C.L.,
 Don Thomson, T.J.H., J.S. (the world famous non-eating geologist)
 & two bearded members, one a chemist () & the other
 a geologist (). General nonmember assistants included
 G. Bort, D. Ash, B. Christmas, T. Pettigrew, R. Somthingrother & G. Syre
 Chief results were to show that layers previously thought thick
 & bone bearing were the reverse & layers believed thinish &
 sterile contained an inconvenient amount of tiny bones.
 Finally we drew sections & left Trout with a

splendid breccia, cemented, with ^{man size} airspaces, through which he must dig to find the promised land. Two of the caves were entered - also they are filled up with deposit to within badges height of roof.

Visits were also paid to Woodspring & Brombeck raised beaches, the Bleadon 275' beach bar (in which a marine shell was found) & Bream Down, where ~~bits~~ of a ^{flint} peccary was found in the M.B.A. layer (6B), and a horses hoof & some mammoth rib in the Bone Bed (11A). The usual social calls were also made. A.M.A.

TILLEY LAMP: AMA. procured mantles & 1 spare & new glass for U.B.S.S. Tilley which now functions perfectly & should continue to do so if members take the trouble to preheat with meths & NEVER paraffin & if the more cretinous members can refrain from hurling the lamp to the ground in spells of drunken fury (Experiment shows that this will break the mantle & bend the tilley)

PAA bought (from our hut levy) a fine new milk churn for the Society - 2 not for members private use This should not be used for other fluids. The jig which is estimated to be 25 yrs old is now pensioned off & might now be put in a museum or some other junk store. A.

22/8 Key found on the Tynings farm path, left with A.M.A.
Key for hut left with A.M.A. J.H.C.
Calorgas jar outside GC empty. also empty is the jar

marked reserve (that ~~was~~ furthest from the door). The third jar is probably $\frac{2}{3}$ full JHE - 10 we Kitty #1. JHE

August 8th - 9th

T.J.H. At Manor Farm again. Banged a large boulder at the bottom.

August 15th

T.J.H. At Manor Farm. Removed some of the debris from last week's bang and then decided that it would be a damn good idea to cease working adjacent to the loose fill face (large lumps peeling away). Consequently we are now working adjacent to the rock face. The trouble with this side is that there are exceedingly large boulders to be removed before appreciable progress can be made, but then again there now appears to be the beginnings of a steeply sloping passage, going under the rock face. This idea is supported by the discovery of large amounts of black shitty stuff of highly manural consistency which may be poked (with the extended forelimb) for about 2' 6" in the hypothesized direction of this supposed passage.

J.H.

- 4th Sept. W.D. + C.M.D. arrived having missed E.K.T. by 10 min.
- 5th Sept. Repaired outside bench + used it until sun disappeared. Regained "caving legs" after 3 yrs with a 2hr scramble in Rado. ~~W.D.~~ Heavy rain in night
- 6th Sept. Rado. ~~W.D.~~

12th Sept Sat N.J.W. + Brian and Marian Mills to Eastwater Primrose Path. Got lost once or twice but quite a pleasant trip. New fence is quite general.

N.J.W.

Note. P.J.W. visited Hut and Plum for the first time in her life (Age 10 weeks)

13th Sept Sun A.V.W. + Brian and Marian to Goatchurch. Cave was full of small boys.

N.J.W.

12, 13th Sept E.K.T., D.S., F.K.H. various jobs about hut. Generally tidying up. ~~W.D.~~

18, 19th Sept W.D., T.J.H., D.S. + J.P.C. put in foundations for shower bath. ~~W.D.~~

19/9/64

~~W.D.~~ to Picken's Hole. some tidying up + started on layer ⑤ see special log. ~~W.D.~~

Sat. 26th Sept. D.S. J.G. T.H. E.G.B. where
 photographs were taken in Sunday places. Very dry.
 We enjoyed seeing the cave illuminated by the waxen
 lighted by some Weever lhd.

Continued blading of ~~Shannon House~~ ^{II}

Sun 27 Sept Harrow Mountaineering Club (6)
 J.S. + F.K.H. down G.B. for c. 3 hr. An easy
 trip, for the guides. F.K.H.

Sun. 27 Sept.

~~S.H.~~ D.S. + G.S.H. to Packer's Hole.

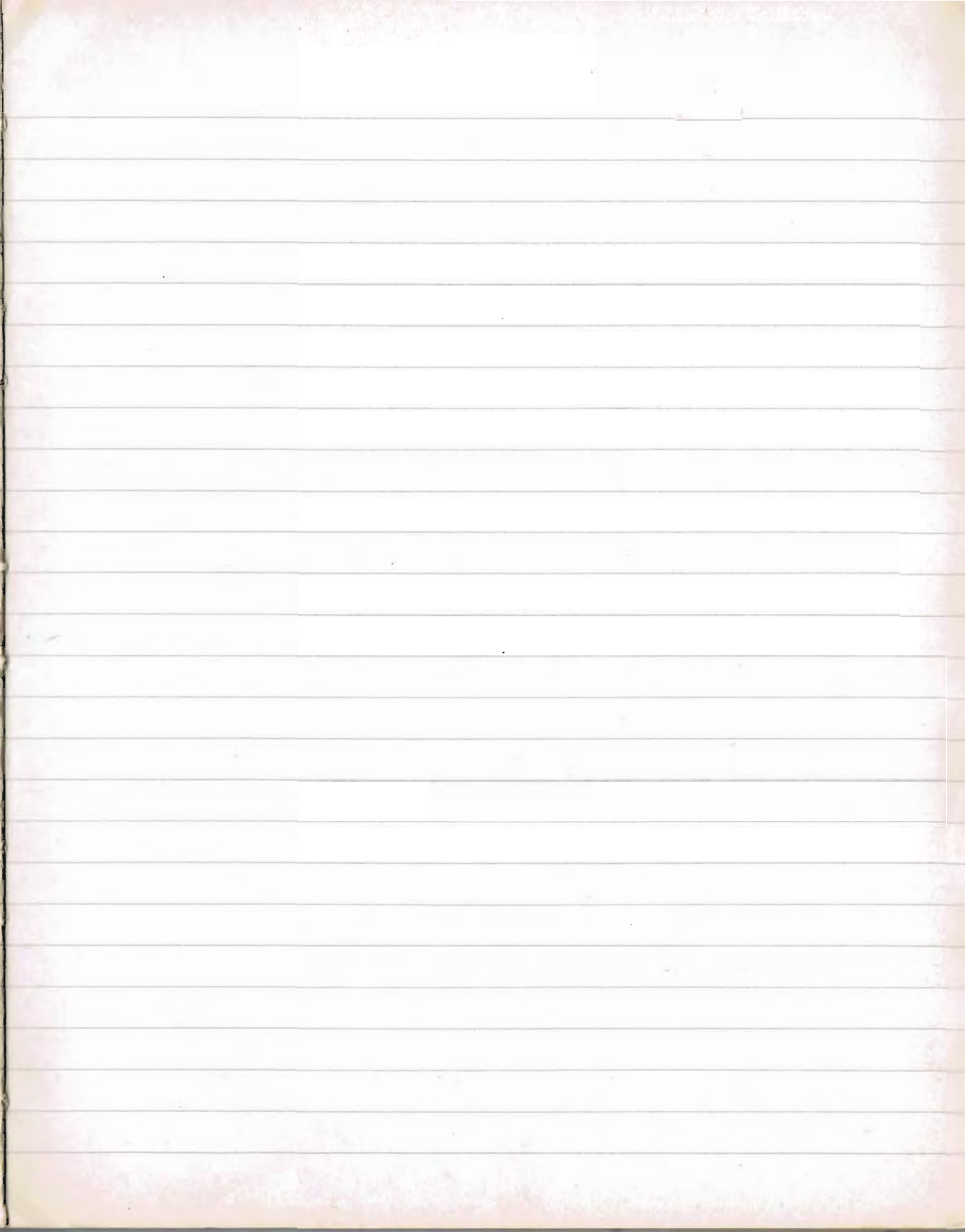
Did some levelling & tidying ready for section
 drawing of bank at N. end, W. side of E.E.

Sat 26th

W.J., C.J.I. & C.J.E. to Swildon I to
 look at the camp

Sunday 27th

P.J.T., B.B.P. & C.J.E. to Faulk
 Clamber to inspect old battle field and
 Roman's boulders. Out via Sump I.



Aged members of Lusky repulse

INITIAL	NAME	
C.J.J.	Cyril Johnson	
C.J.E.	Kit Eaton	
W.S.	Wendy Johnson (Née Bell)	
D.S.	Dave Savage (not proven.)	
B.B.P.	Barry Perratt	
P.N.P.	Pamela Perratt (Née Lewis)	
A.V.W.	Anne Wallace (Née Mills)	} — shoveller. Now + travel operator = D.J.W. (Diana)
N.J.W.	Ngel Wallace	
F.H.N.	Frank Nicholson	Cambridge !!
T.J.H.	Tim Hill	
G.M.B.	Geff Bond	The goat, Muekafa Fay
E.G.	Eric Gilbert	Giffbertiles. (Elephants !!)
D.M.H.	David Houston	
J.A.W.	John Worley	
M.W.	Mike Watson	Lusky if not aged.
C.T.	Kit Ineson	} The Kit-Kat.
K.I.	Kath Ineson	
J.H.C.	"Crick" Cickmay.	
A = AMA	Arthur Apsiman	An Anglo-Weber Irishman of doubtful provenance.
PAA	Pat. Apsiman	Bone washer in chief.
Sprog	Trevor Apsiman	The only silent member of the Trilogy
WAD (W)	William Dowden	
CMD	Catherine Dowden	

INITIAL

NAME

INITIALS	NAME	REMARKS ?
P.M.G.	P. Mc Gurke	Scared stiff of work.
S.C.	Seb. Cole	Who chops wood
M.W.B.	Chris Bartlett	Found <i>uridua</i> ^{coprophile?} copolyth. has sense of direction of a dung beetle
G.P.S.H.	George Somers-Hall (1)	Fat Arse
J.W.	John Wood	
C.P.L.	Christopher Lee	Who apparently owns the place. bighead I do! CR
G.E.R.	Gervy Ray	Eastwater maniacs. Does
A.C.	Andy Chatter	Eastwater without lights.
G.B.W.	Geoff Wood	Who is this fellow? See G.N.G
E.J.C.	John Collins	
P.J.T.	Dr Patrick Thomas	HARD MAN
E.R.L.	Eugene Lewis	"MUSCLE'S" (don't let her speak) Cruel at washing up.
H.M.A.C.	Hamish Crosby	Sweaty Socks
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E.K.T.	Dr. Tratman.	Deamed President. Afraid of Poltergeists.
M.H.	Molly Hall	
BAC	Bertie Crook	Micholias Unanimous
OCL	Oliver Lloyd. D.M.D.	^{NOT} O.C.L. MUST GO TO MANURE FARM. RATTY [signed J.J.R.E.]
I.J.S.	Standing.	← Withey shall we follow? J-Sect. 1st ofy.
D.J.W.	Diane Withey	Gradually being civilised.
J.P.C.	Jahan Clokie.	(5) Ex The 3 wheeled WONDER (to be cc) serving time as Secretary
D.S.	D. Savage	FILCHER. You old granny ← SALARY (good loticalules)
C.H.	Colin High.	... and walked. & complained about the food.
D.J.P.	David Patmore	C Dinglemeter. Is he really a career? THE HAT TRICK!
D.P.S.H. D.I.	David Hobbs.	
F.K.H.	Keith Hanna	(4) Bo-Peep. plankton. J-SEC.
M.G.N.	Mike Norton	"FLASH!" Hairy.
T.S.H.	Tim Hill	Damn Beeching Miss Josephine WJ
F.H.N.	Frank Nicholson.	What has 2 wheel(s) and seizes up? What has 2 pints and seizes up?
M.S.	Mike Statham	Fester. Use did it!! Stalagmites for sale
M.G.	Mike Garrett	ALCOHOLIC ANONYMOUS
M.H.D.G.	{ Malcolm Green Pat Comy. }	Ad Nauseam
P.M.L.		Who cannot (prepare tea). Is he really a career?
O.I.S.	Dingle Smith.	Up with the hut!
A.F.R.	Lofty Rye.	Mrs. H. H. H. Miss SIMMONS
O.K.S.	Debbie Simmons.	NORA THE NAUGHTY!! Dom Sci.
G.N.G.	Gwyneth Green	

