

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 29 August 66 19/2250Z	2. LOCATION Donnybrook, North Dakota (1 Witness)
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION UNIDENTIFIED <i>JH</i>
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 5 Minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Observer watched a white, silvery, aluminum colored object move across the valley, coming from the SE. At first bright flashes in the clouds were noticed then after observer got further down the road he observed the round disc with a dome top. Object moved across the valley, hovered over a reservoir, flattened out and then appeared to land in a small field. Object disappeared into the clouds very rapidly. No radar returns of the alleged object. No information available to place a known object in the area.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE N/A	
8. PHOTOS ☒ Yes (IN FILE) ☐ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

FORM

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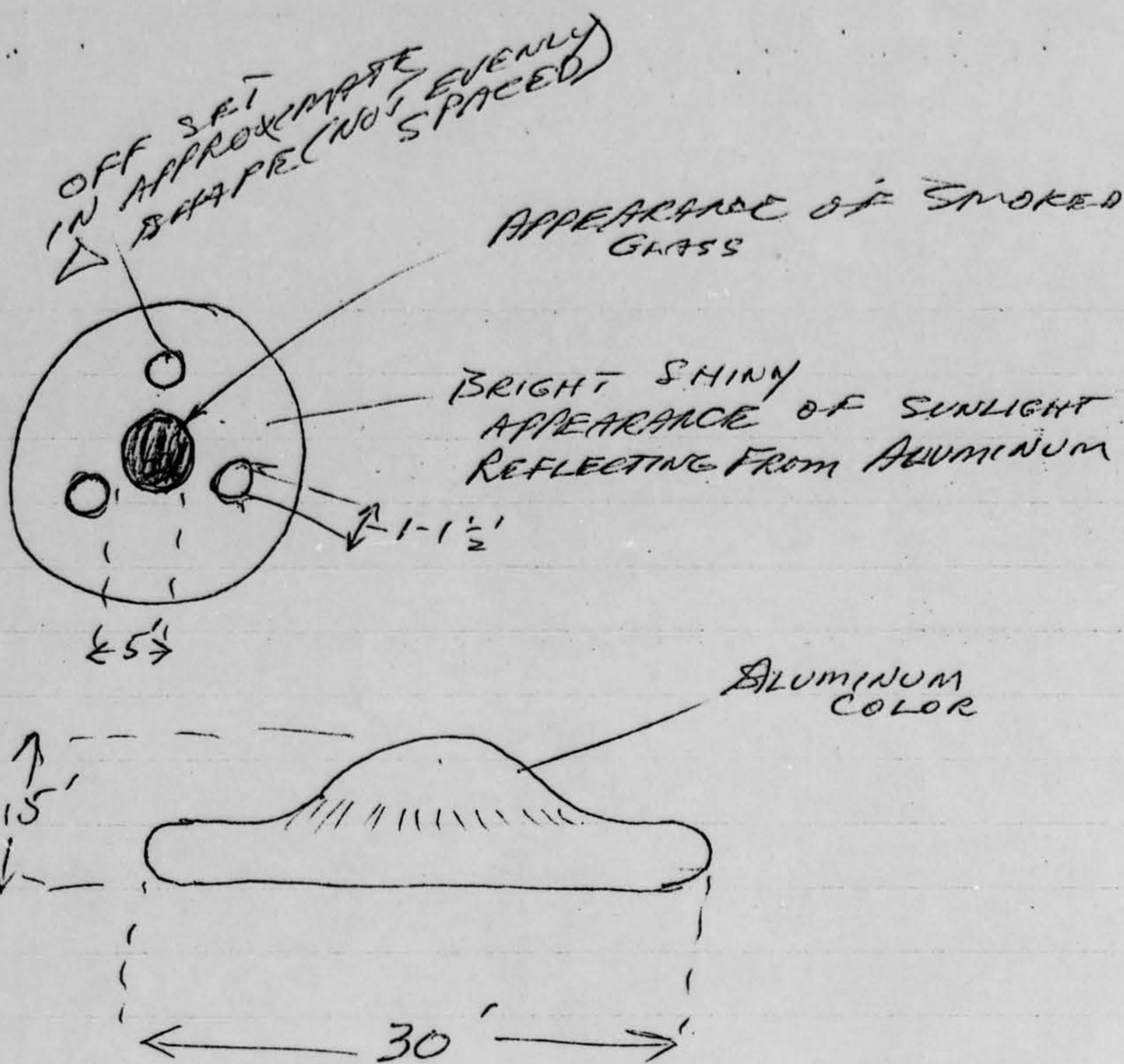
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Minot
GOC as National Guard
Border Patrol

Sugar bowl cover with little knob on top
- shown in air & magnifying
rev. 1000 X H-9

ATCH #3



~~REDACTED~~ made the above drawing
of the UFO he observed.

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ATCH #4

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Conversation with Major Shaw, Minot AFB, Ohio revealed that there were no radar returns from the alleged UFO.

No additional information has been obtained on the sighting. Major Shaw feels that the individual definitely saw something most unusual. Witness seems very stable.

Had taken 2 prisoners to
Canada.
First noticed flash - patch of
blue sky

but almost entirely
cloudy.

Stopped car - looked for witnesses
- couldn't find any - no other cars
- wrote note as it came down
- falling leaf - motor
- 50-60 ft above valley - started
toward highway. -

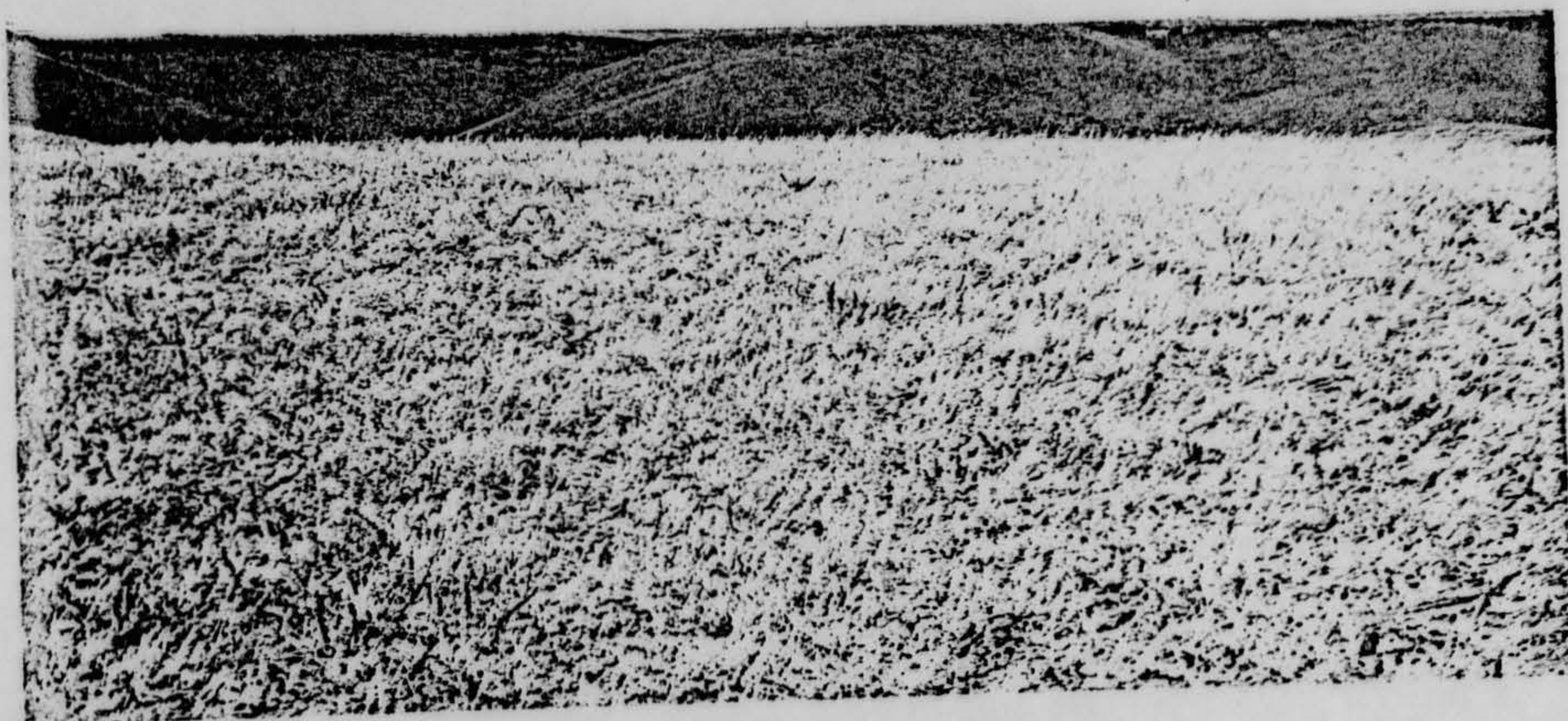
Came over trees & went to
reservoir -
When over reservoir - settled and
hovered 20-30 ft above water
- looked like it would land
- hovered 10 ft. above ground

U. sound -
rebooskey air sound -

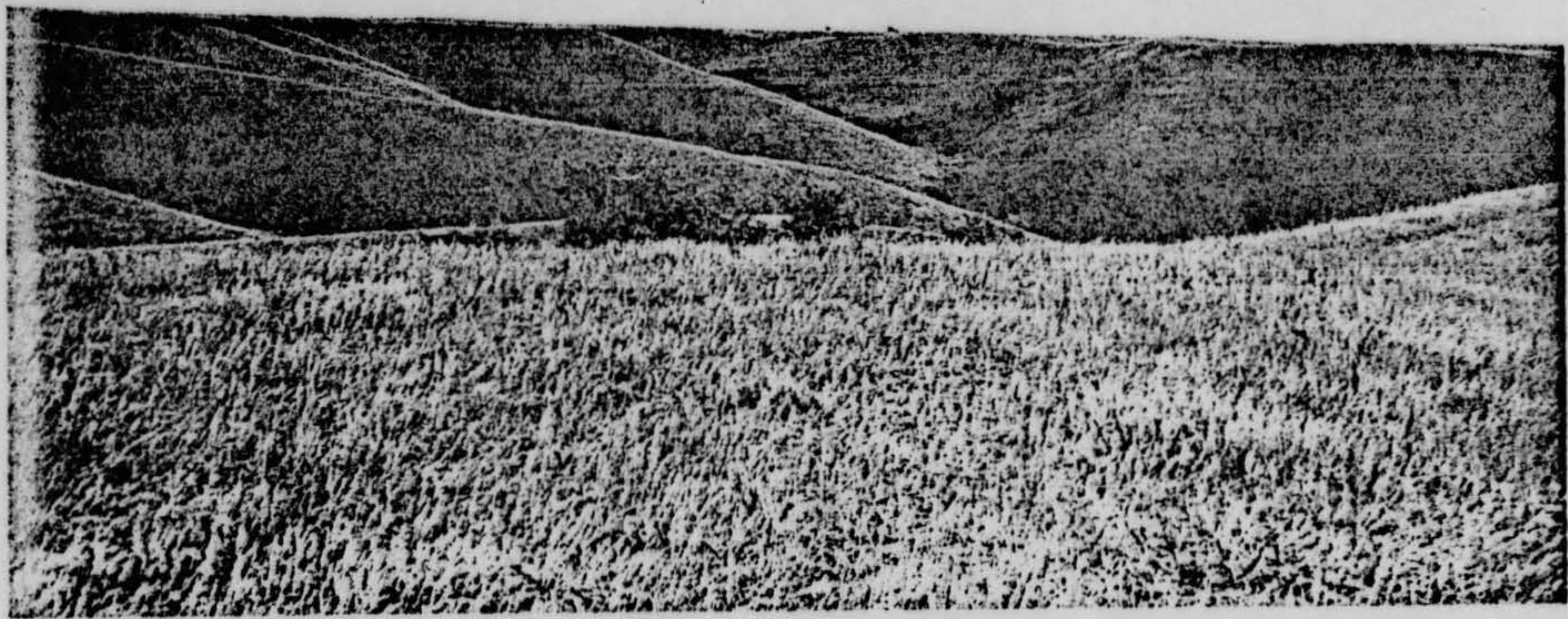
Pods trapped on
loner patrol radio.

Radio blanked out
completely.

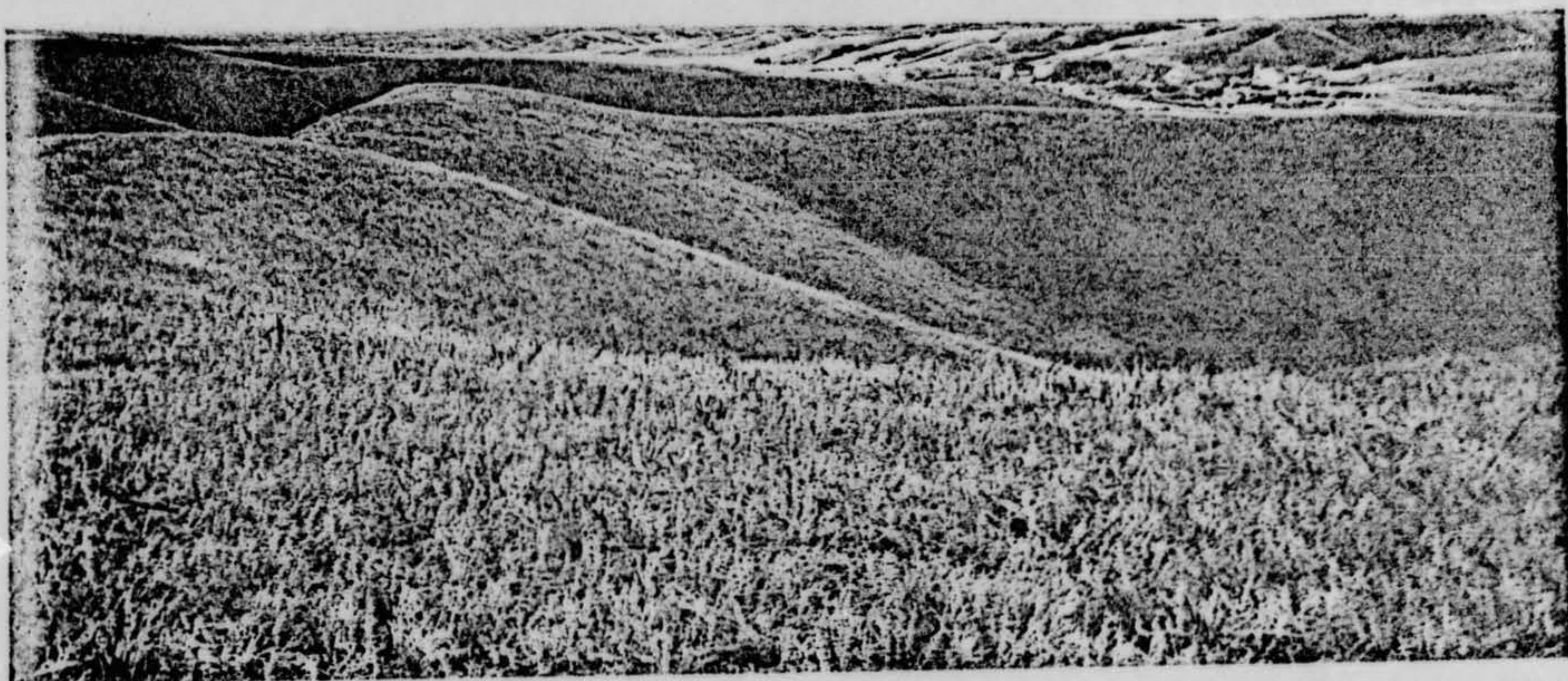
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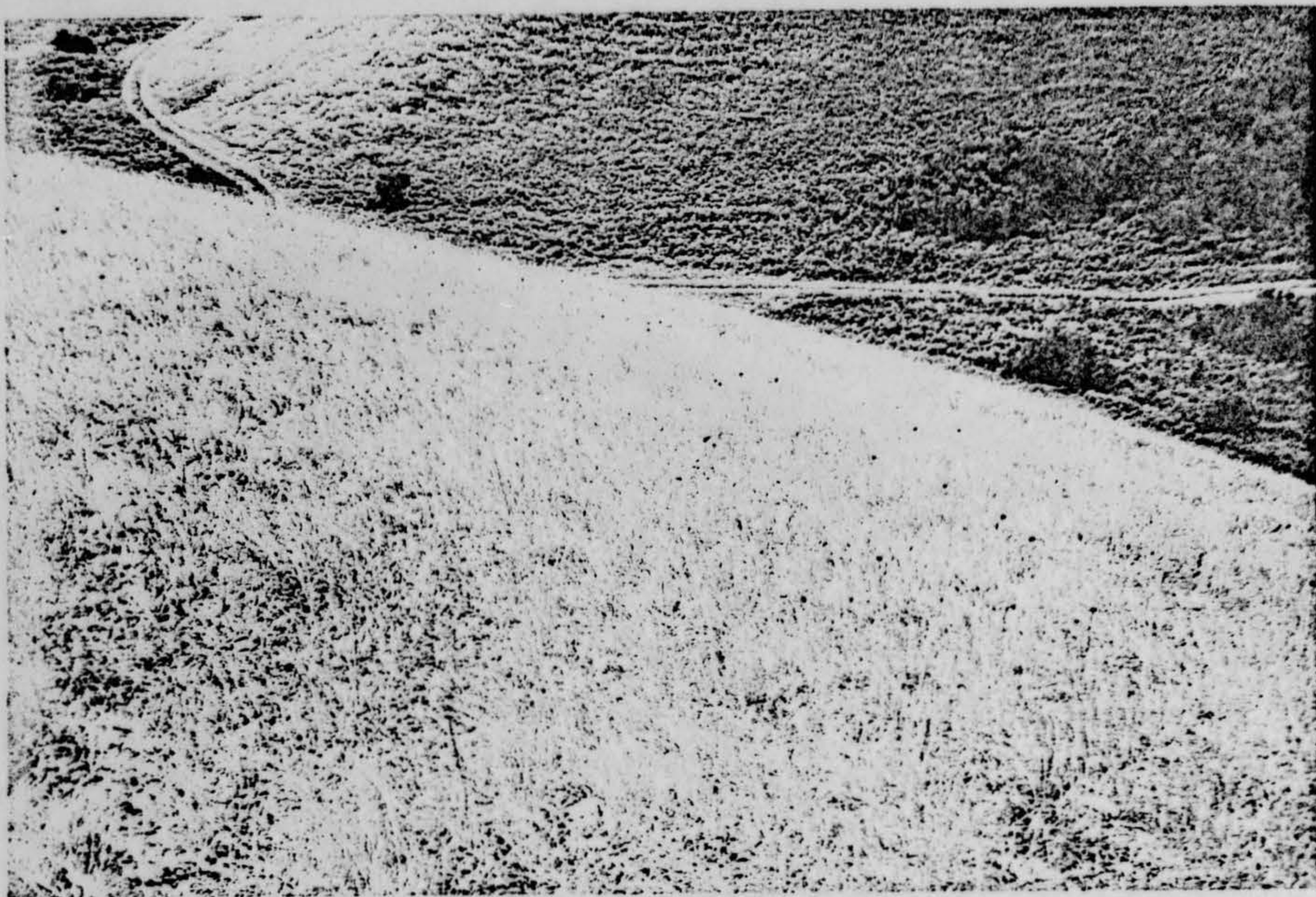






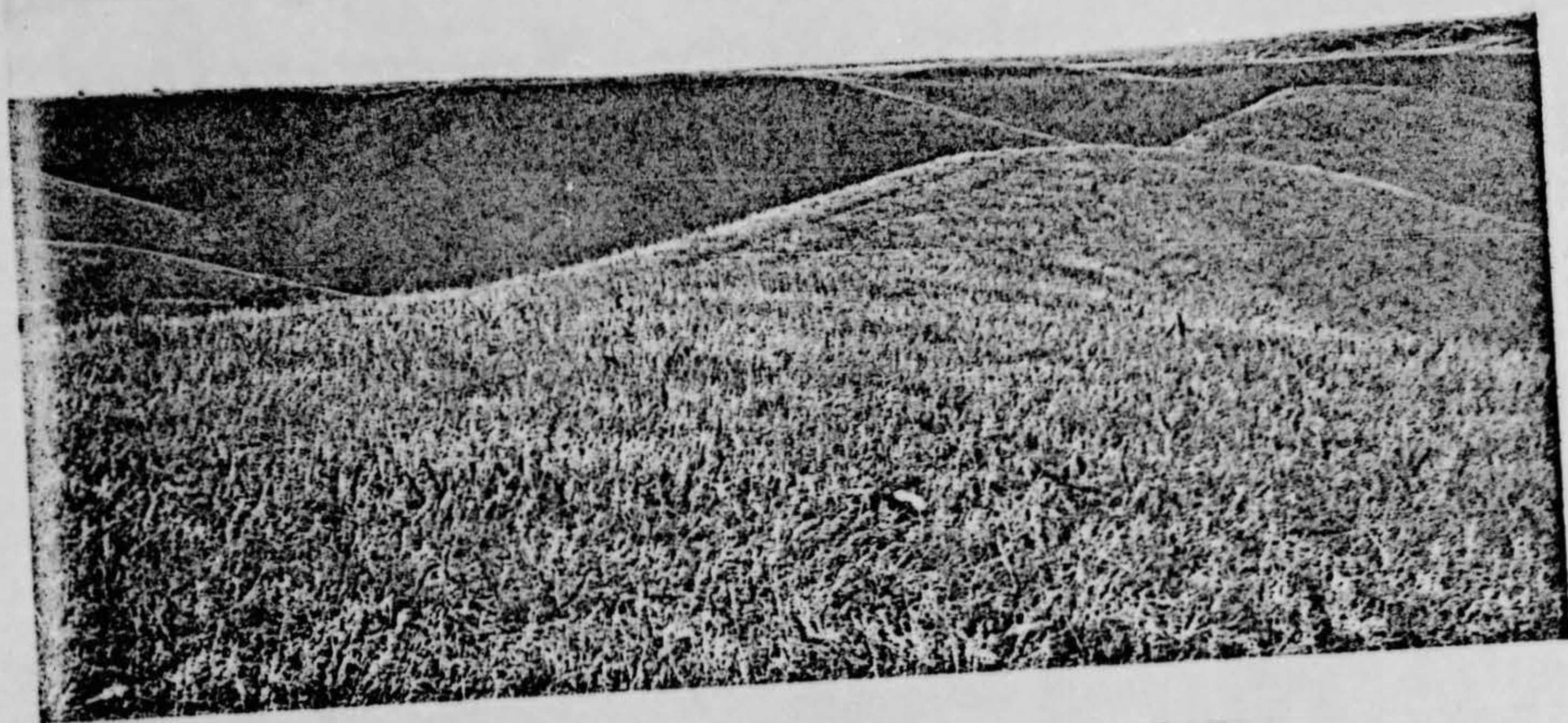




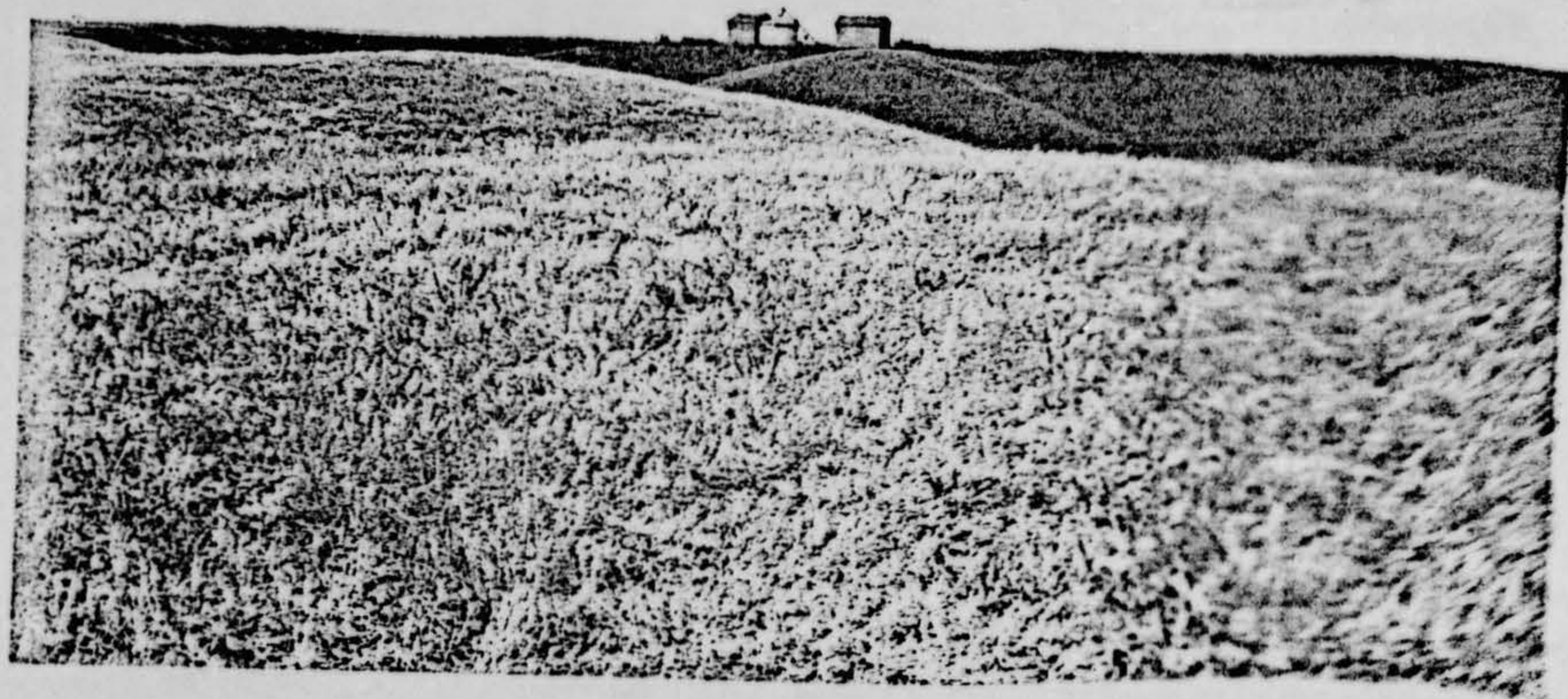


This case includes twenty three (23)
5" X 7" pictures.







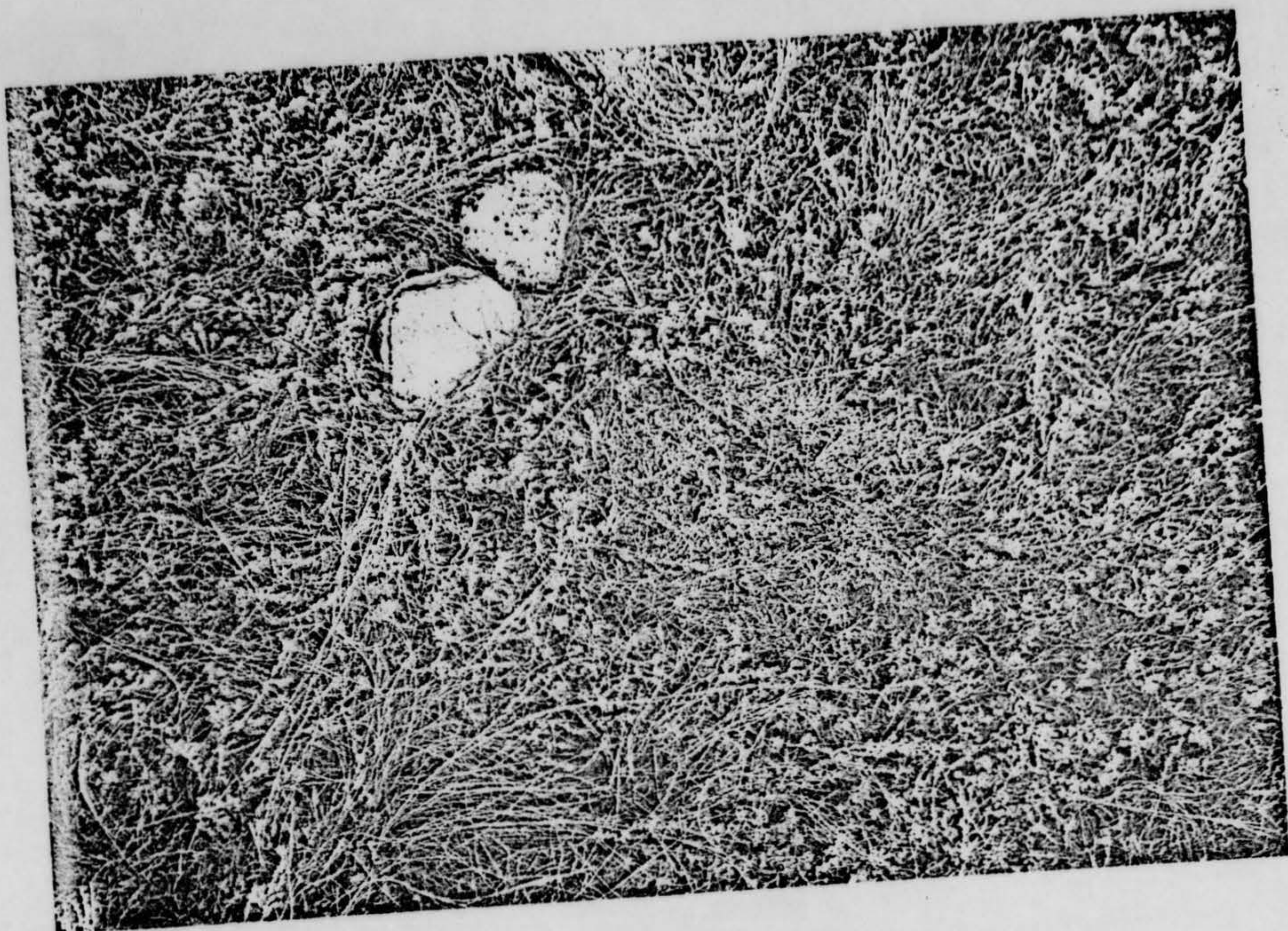


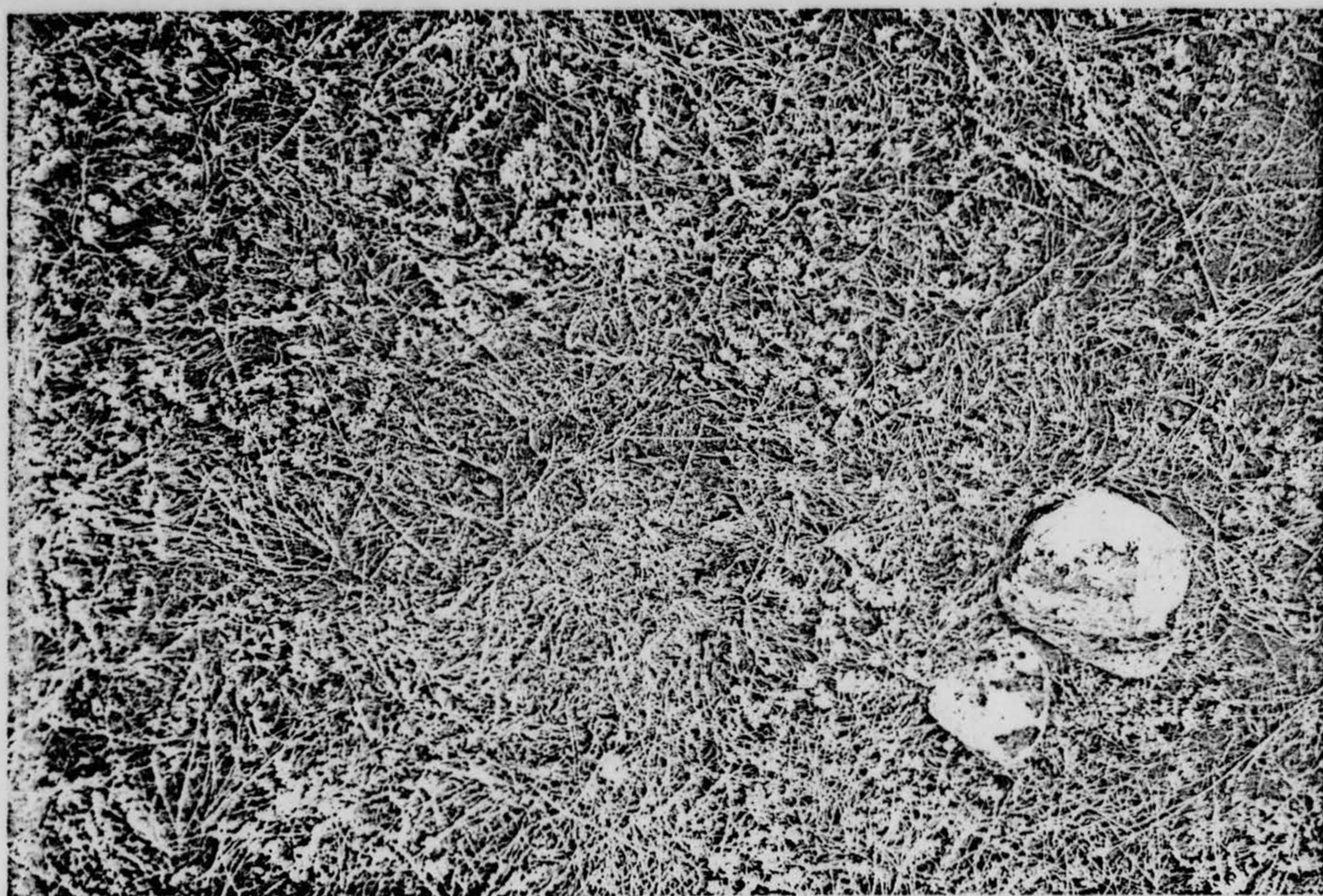












Proj: 5992D - STAR TREK

TIME: 0000Z

SOUNDING #34

LOCATION: Donnybrook, North Dakota

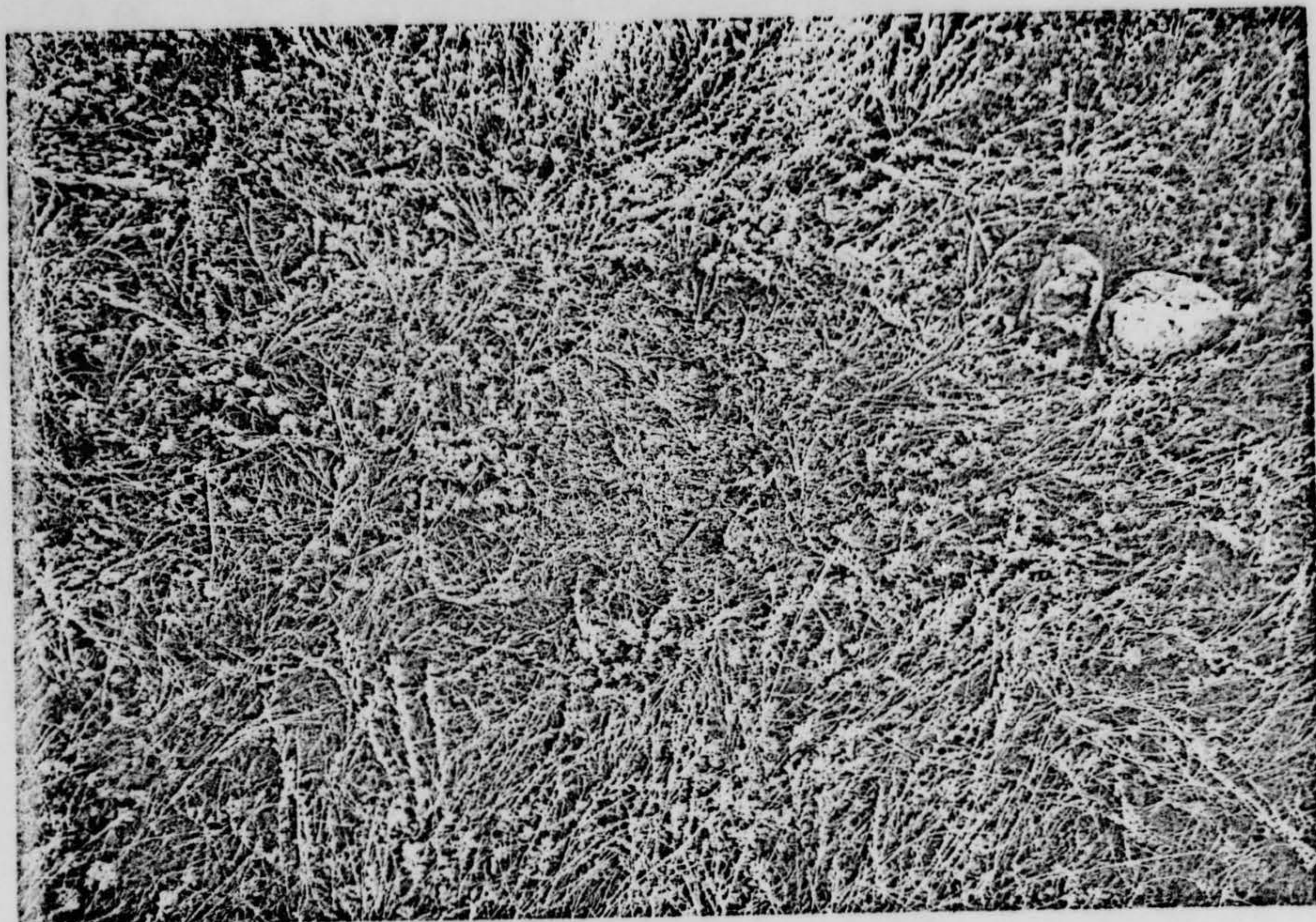
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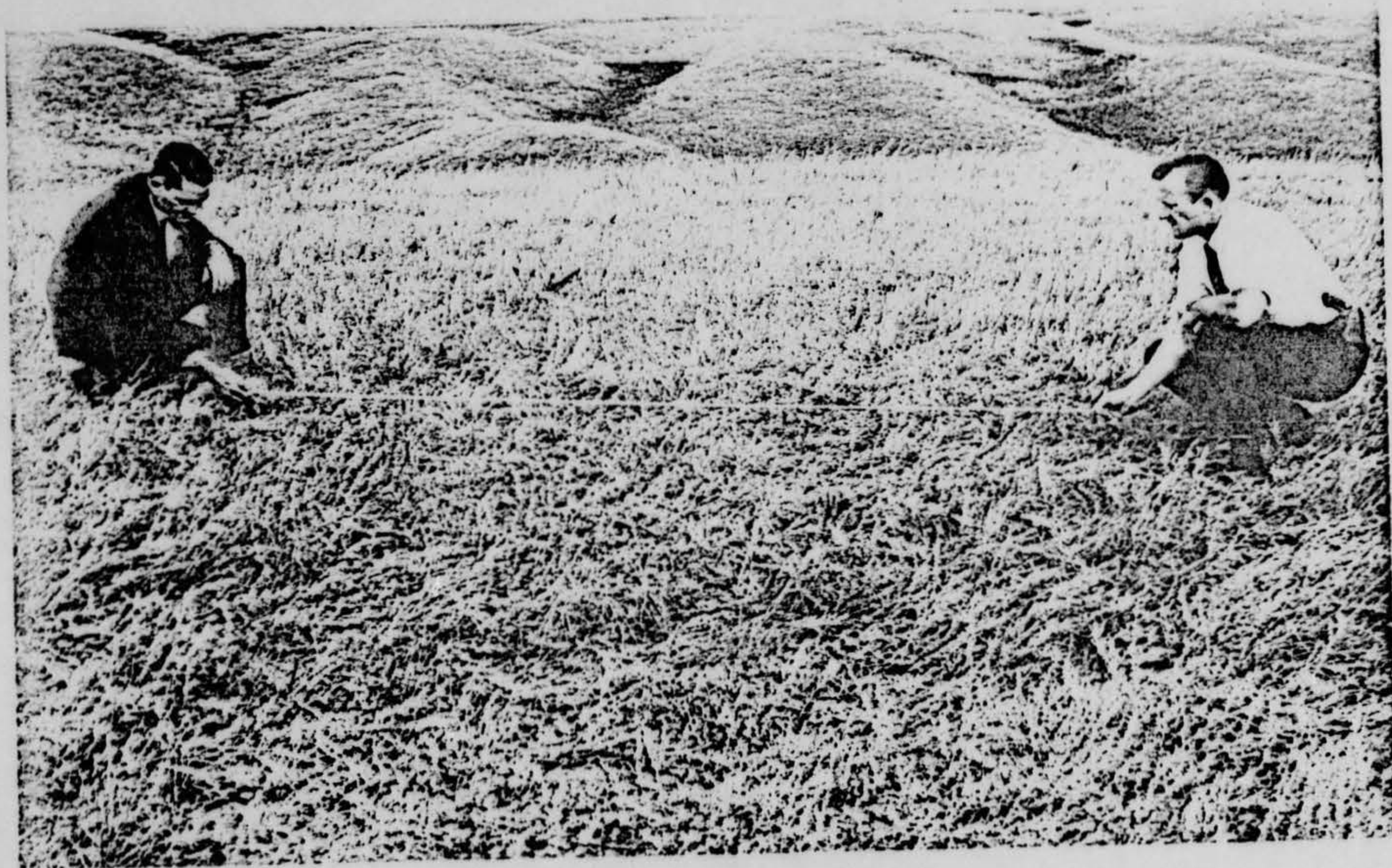
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1536	850	10	71	130	10
2037	800	6	88	140	10
2560	750	4	72	140	10
3123	700	3	68	310	2
3720	650	2	22	300	18
4365	600	-2	28	240	8
5040	550	-7	40	140	6
5787	500	-12	59	250	24
6570	450	-17	62	270	34
7460	400	-23	46	270	50
8427	350	-30	45	260	50
9508	300	-38	42	250	68
10735	250	-49		260	70
12187	200	-52		260	68
13054	175	-50		270	68
14054	150	-53		260	54
15219	125	-56		260	46
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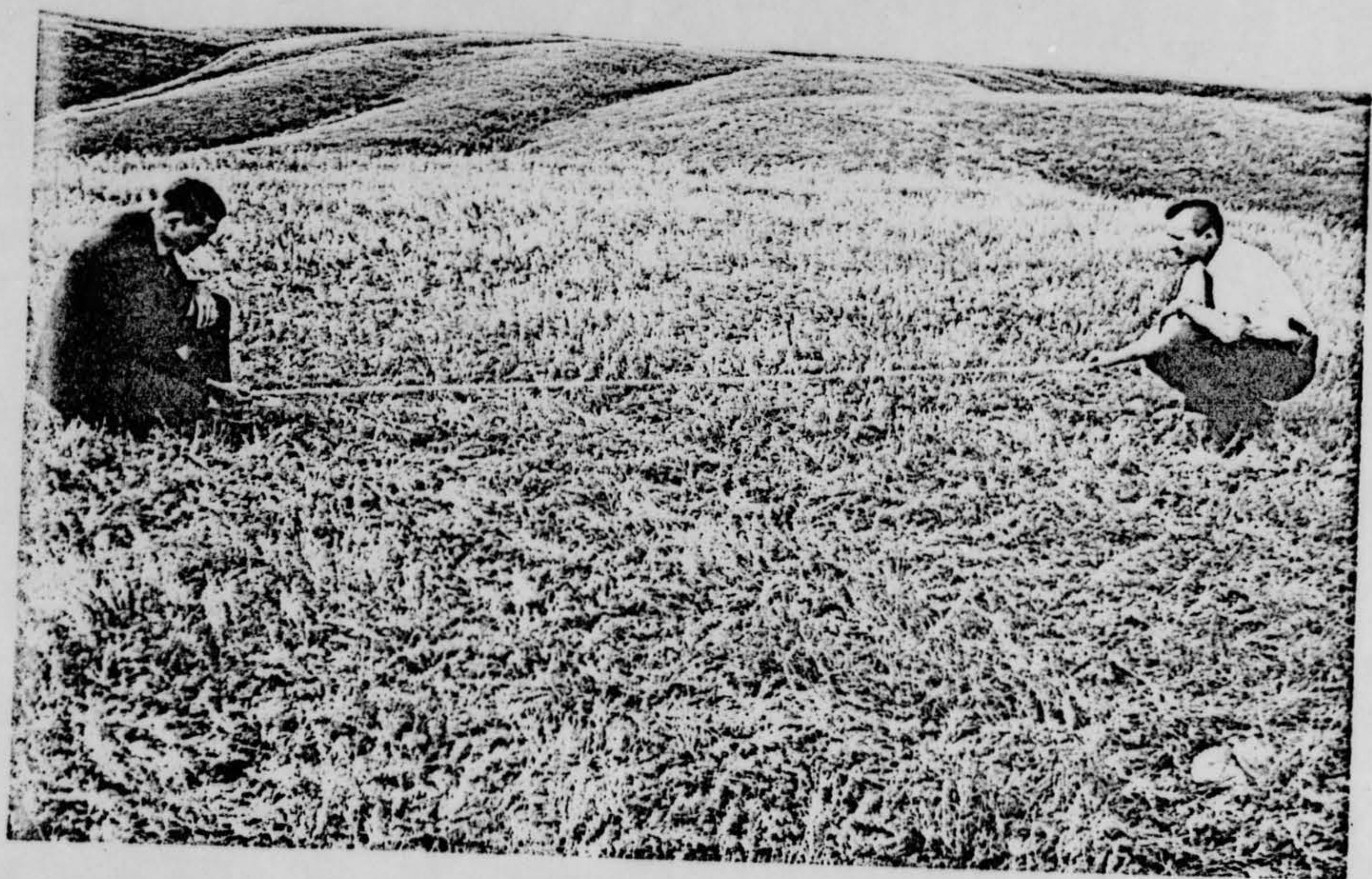
REMARKS:

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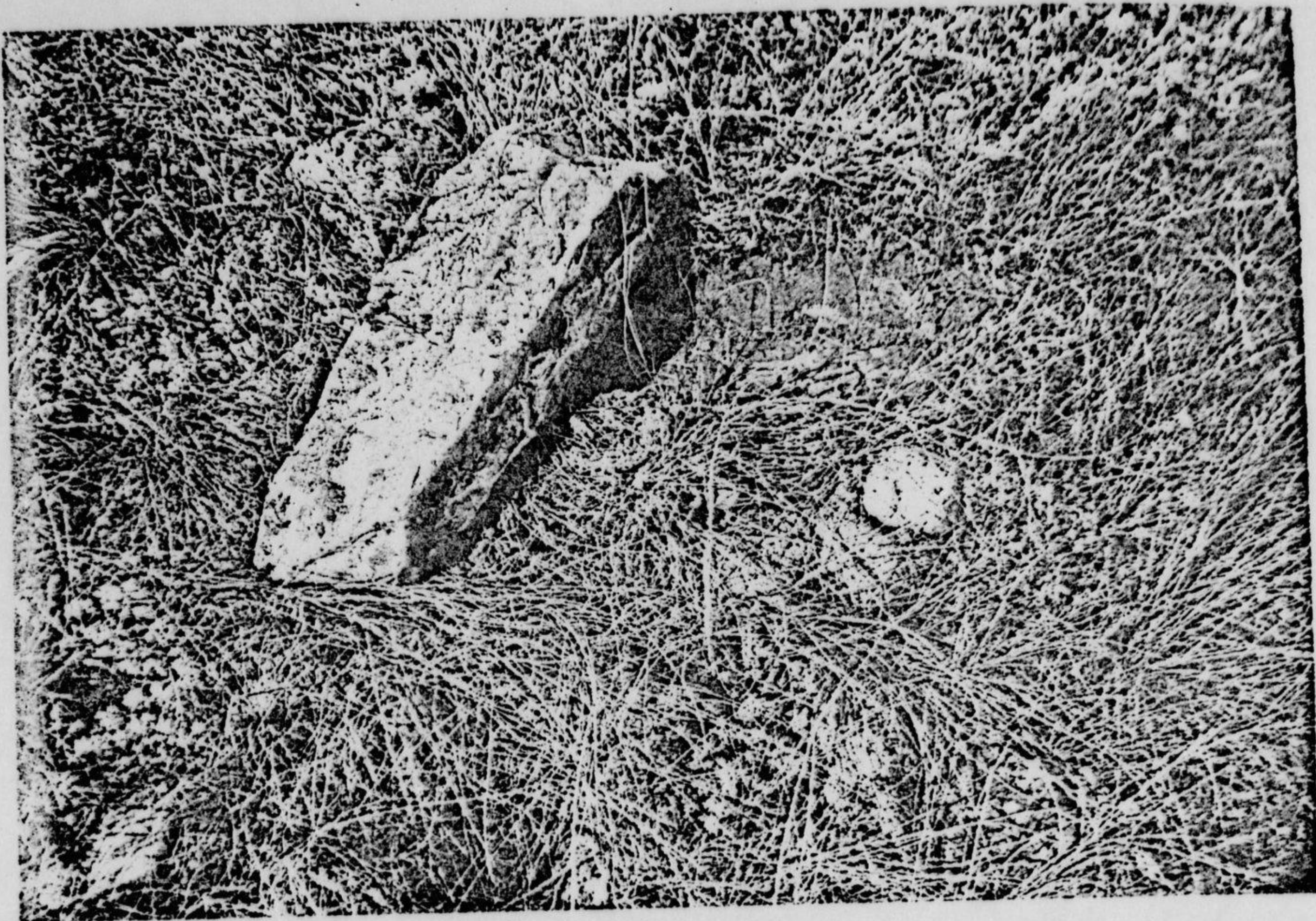
ANALYST: TSgt Dunham

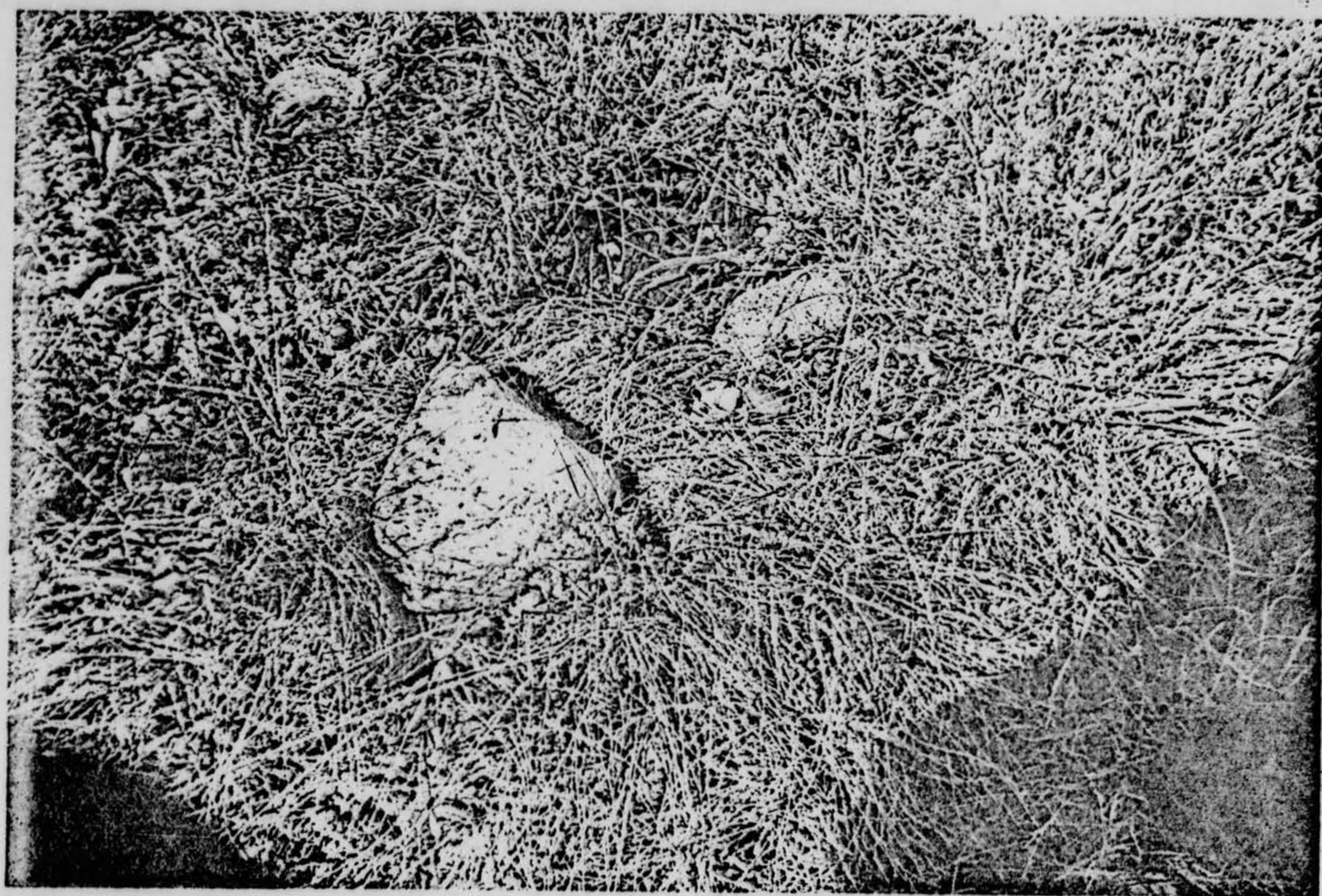


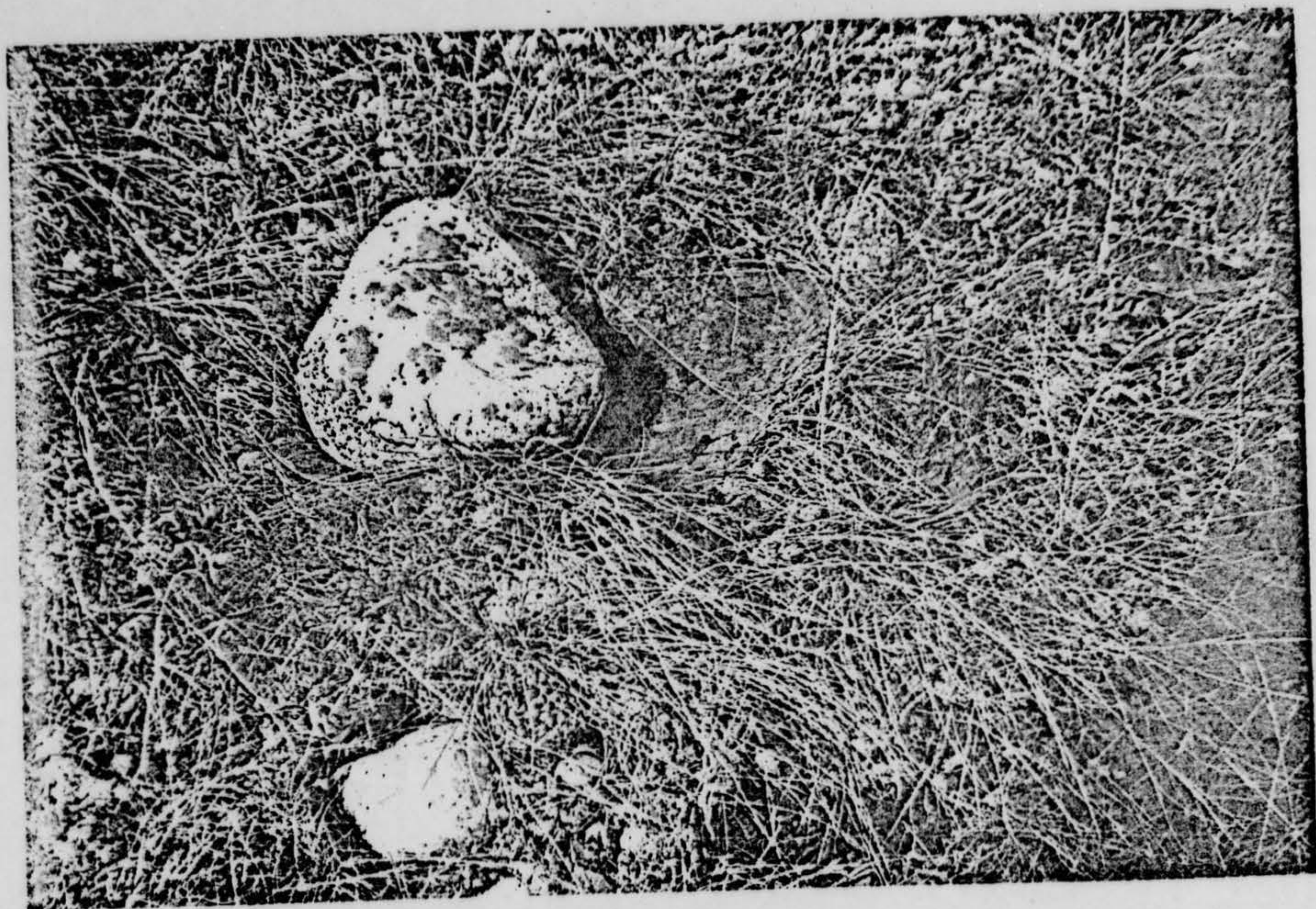












SURFACE OBSERVATIONS DATA SHEET

19 Aug 66
Donnybrook, N. D.

Amarillo AFB, Texas - March 6, 1968

0400L *3505 7402* 10205 ***** 52***
0500L *3305 7402* 10505 ***** 52***
0600L 83306 74012 10905 20977 53303
0700L *3304 7402* 12902 ***** 53***
0900L *0204 7402* 13005 ***** 52219

Winona, Minnesota - April 3, 1968

1800L 91321 08515 95211 9***** 10629 70030
1900L 61413 5645* 92510 ***** 09***
2200L 81610 5845* 91708 ***** 08***

Salisbury, N.C. - February 3, 1966

0430Z 03002 74000 14300 00900 55***

Houston, Texas - February 4, 1966

1200Z 00204 74000 32101 00900 52***

Surfside, Texas - March 20, 1966

0735Z 72112 74022 20819 754** 16302

Truth or Consequences, N.M. - April 3, 1966

0100Z 22915 74031 03326 00901 00***

Lycoming, New York - April 5, 1966

0800Z 82710 58858 99600 883** 51***

Bloomington, Indiana - July 4, 1966

0130Z 22405 6603* 14432 214** 28***

✓ Donnybrook, North Dakota - August 19, 1966

2250Z 61208 6403* 18421 6087* 07***

Pecos, Texas - August 27, 1966

0300Z 21605 7402* 13124 214** 13***

Rome, Georgia - August 27, 1966

0251Z 33005 7402* 19323 3086* 18***

East Dennis, Mass. - October 3, 1966

2350Z 81808 48585 14512 872** 12***

ETAC Surface History Files

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DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS 862ND COMBAT SUPPORT GROUP (SAC)
MINOT AIR FORCE BASE, NORTH DAKOTA 58701



REPLY TO
ATTN OF: BDO

26 Aug 1966

SUBJECT: UFO Report

TO: AFSC (FTD)
Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433

In accordance with AFR 200-2 as changed, the following information is submitted:

a. Description of object:

- (1) Shape: Round disc (with dome top).
- (2) Size: Approximately 30 ft in diameter and 15 ft high.
(See attached drawing) Atch 5.
- (3) Color: White, silvery, aluminum color.
- (4) Number: One (1).
- (5) Formation: N/A.
- (6) Object was tilted on its side and a large dark spot noticed in the center with 3 smaller spots around the larger one forming a triangle.
- (7) None.
- (8) When object departed there was a rushing air sound. Mr Flickinger was in radio contact with his office when the sightings occurred, as the object came close to his position, static blocked out his radio. As it departed static dissappeared.
- (9) None.

b. Description of course of object(s):

- (1) Noticed bright flashes in the clouds and started looking in that direction.
- (2) About 10° angle, in a valley, below the horizon of the hills beyond.
- (3) About a 45° angle into the clouds.

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(4) Flight path and maneuvers of object: See Atch 4.

(5) Rapidly at a 45° angle into the clouds.

(6) Five (5) Minutes.

c. Manner of observation:

(1) Ground Visual.

(2) None.

(3) N/A.

d. Time and date of sighting:

(1) 19/2250Z Aug 1966.

(2) Day.

5 p.m. local

e. One (1) mile north of Donnybrook, NDak, on U.S. Highway 52.

f. Identifying information on observer(s):

area code 701

(1) [REDACTED] N.W., Minot, NDak.,
[REDACTED], works for the U.S. Border Patrol (Work Phone
[REDACTED]).

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(2) N/A.

g. Weather and Winds:

(1) Cloudy and windy with small areas of blue sky showing.

(2) Weather from forecaster: The following weather information is needed for a report of an Unidentified flying Object (UFO) sighted: Donnybrook, NDak., on 19 Aug 1966 at 1650CST.

a. WIND

DIRECTION/VELOCITY

Surface	100/10 & 13 knots
6000 ft	130/10
10000 ft	270/10
16000 ft	290/20
20000 ft	270/30
30000 ft	250/60
50000 ft	270/40
80000 ft	090/18

b. Ceiling: 50 ϕ/θ .

c. Visibility: 15+ miles.

d. Amount of cloud cover: 10/10.

e. Thunderstorms in area and quadrant in which located:

None.

f. Vertical temperature gradient: $-3^{\circ}/1000$ ft.

h. Any other unusual activity or condition: None.

i. Interception or identification action taken: None.

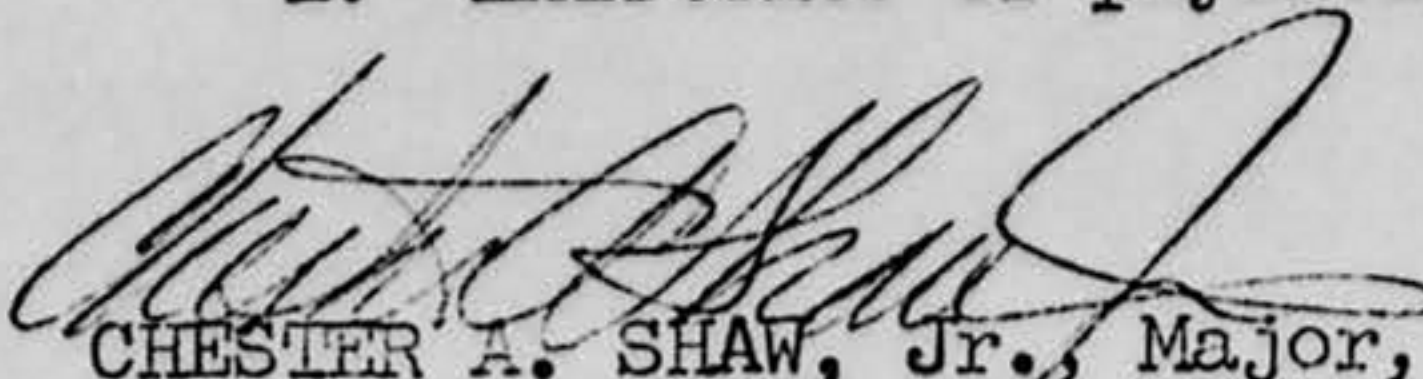
j. Location, approximate altitude, and general direction of:

(Air traffic or balloon releases): None.

k. Position title and comments of the preparing officer:

CHESTER A. SHAW, Jr., Major, USAF, Base Director of Operations. Comments: On 23 Aug 1966, [REDACTED] was interviewed and the area where the UFO was sighted was observed. [REDACTED] appeared to be a down to earth and practical individual not inclined to be excitable or the type to relate wild stories. He was not seeking publicity as he stated that if his sighting was publicized, he would deny any knowledge of the occurrence. In observing the area nothing definite could be established beyond the fact that there were two (2) sets of three (3) each depressions in the shape of a triangle. Spacing between depressions in each set varied, from approximately $9\frac{1}{2}$ to $12\frac{1}{2}$ feet. In a swath down the hillside from these depressions approximately ten (10) rocks had been displaced from their resting place (rocks varied in size from approximately 12 inches and weighing ten (10) pounds). Personnel who have observed the pictures of the area and are familiar with wild game indicated that grouse (common in this area) make similar depressions in their nesting. It is also thought that coyote and badgers over turn rocks in the manner observed. Observations of [REDACTED] cannot be discounted however, it is felt that the physical evidence observed (i.e., depressions and over turned rocks) are probably due to animal wild life.

1. Existence of physical evidence: See Atch 3.


CHESTER A. SHAW, Jr., Major, USAF
Base Director of Operations

When first sighted, object was on its edge floating down side of hill wobbling from side to side about 10 feet from the ground. When it reached the valley floor it climbed to about 100 feet, still tilted on its edge, and moved across the valley to a small reservoir. Over the reservoir it flattened out and I noticed the dome on top. It hovered over the water for about 1 minute and then moved to a small field. At this point it settled toward the ground and appeared to be landing. It did not touch the ground but hovered about 10 feet above and about 250 feet from where I stood beside my car. It slowly tilted back on edge and disappeared rapidly into the clouds.

Minot, NDak

1000 ft. - 1500 ft. clouds
Brent cloudy

5 sec

started out real fast

grass
was
1 ft. tall

12 ft. apart

triangular

grass was
flat

14" diam

3 round spots

very flat.

Bowls pulled
out and toward

over. - top of hill

Did not tell anyone -

A flying machine of some kind

Would have given anything to
have had a camera

Sat. here for 5 minutes
collecting his thoughts - to pass
someone would come along
- definitely had a robot
appearance.

at about - about 200 feet

First instructed me to pull revolver
empty it out - but fear
of unknown

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ATCH #1

IDENTIFICATION OF UFO SIGHTING PICTURES

- 1-13 Area surrounding hilltop where UFO was alleged to have landed.
- 14-16 Round spots in three different places forming a triangular pattern alleged to be where the UFO landed.
- 17 Border Patrol measuring distance between two spots. The distance is 9 feet 5 inches.
- 18 Border Patrol measuring distance between two spots. The distance is 12 feet 5 inches.
- 19 Border Patrol measuring distance between two spots. The distance is 10 feet 10 inches.
- 20 Highway from which UFO was alleged to have been seen.
- 21-23 Overturned rocks below top of hill where UFO was alleged to have landed.

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ATCH 2