

HIGHLAND REGIONAL COUNCIL



FIELD MONUMENTS

ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITES AND MONUMENTS RECORD

1 SITE CODE									
H	N	D	3	4	S	W	0	3	8
2 NGR		3 QUAL							
N	D	3	3	2	2	4	2	9	5
6 SITE NAME									
O R M I E G I L L *									

4 DISTRICT CAITHNESS			5 PARISH WICK			10 GENERIC TYPE STONE, WORKED			
7 AREA STATUS		8 SITE STATUS		9 REGIONAL STATUS		14 PERIOD/DATE		15 DATING METHOD	
11 CONCORDANCE os ND 34 SW 38		12 FORM STANDING STRUCTURE		13 DIMENSIONS		16 RELATIONSHIP OF ELEMENTS		17 CONDITION INCOMPLETE	
20 LAND USE HEATH		21 GEOLOGY		22 SOILS		23 VEGETATION		18 SHAPE	
24 HYDROLOGY/DRAINAGE		25 RELIEF MODERATE HILLSLOPE		26 ASPECT ENE		27 ALTITUDE 70 = 80m OD		19 THREAT AND DATE	

28 EXCAVATION (EXCAVATOR: DATE: EXTENT: QUALITY)	
29 BIBLIOGRAPHY (AUTHOR: DATE: TITLE: JOURNAL OR PUBLISHER: VOLUME: DETAIL)	
1. ANDERSON, J: 1865-66: MEMOIRS OF THE LONDON ANTHROPOLOGICAL SOC: : Vol. 2: p245 2. BATEY, C: 1981: CAITHNESS COASTAL SURVEY: DURHAM U.P: No. 198	
30 GROUND PLAN NO.	31 GROUND PHOTO NO.
32 SLIDES NO.	33 HR. AP. NO.
34 NMR. AP. NO.	35 OTHER AP. NO.: SOURCE
36 ARCHIVE AND LOCATION	
37 GEOPHYSICAL SURVEY	38 SAMPLES
39 PALYNOLOGY	40 NUMERICAL DATES: RANGE: LAB NO.
41 SMALL FINDS	42 MUSEUM/LOCATION
43 OTHER	

44 NAME & ADDRESS OF OWNER		45 ATTITUDE OF OWNER	
46 NAME & ADDRESS OF TENANT		47 ATTITUDE OF TENANT	
48 ACCESS & RESTRICTIONS			
49 NAME & ADDRESS OF FINDER/RECORDER: DATE		50 RECORDER: DATE GS: 9.10.1985	51 CHECK: DATE Am: 29.10.1985

52 TEXT

"Near the Ormiegill cairn (HND 34 NW 002) there is a large block of stone, which has been very rudely cut across to a depth of nearly three inches (76.2mm), and along the side there is a row of wedge-holes of peculiar make. The cutting is evidently of old date." (1)

"(Anderson (1) seems to suggest that this could be a cross-slab in the making.)."
(OSFI:ES:10.2.1967)

"This stone was not located."
(OSFI:RL:25.4.1967)

"ND 3322 4295. A stone block, 3.17 by 0.3 to 1.0m, with an incision 7.5cm in depth across the long side and a row of wedge holes in the narrow side. Possibly a quarry waster." (2)

CATTHNESS FIELD CLUB
EXCURSIONS.

6. AKA. "THE MUMMY STONE" (JUNE 1906).