Biggs Ford

R-F P = refuse-filled pit

Fea	funct. descript	size	shards	pits Contents	bones
1	small refuse-filled pit	70 X 75 X 10			
2	E burial, 1 adult	150 X 80			
3	small R-F P	45 X 10			
4	elongated R-F P	incl shell ~~140 X 30~~ 480 X 140 X 30			
5	rodent or tree				
6	R-F P	85 X 20			
7	E burial, 2 infants	110 X 70			
7A	small R-F P				
8	E burial, 2 infants	90 X 70 X 20			
9	small R-F P	70 X 30			
10	R-F P	100 X 5			
11	elongated R-F P	380 X 130 X 35			
12	large R-F P	a lens late prehist 230 X 5			
13	rodent				

14 ~~R-F-P~~ ~~R-F-P~~ rodent

15 ~~R-F-P~~ rodent

16 ~~R-F-P~~ rodent

17 ~~R-F-P~~ rodent

18 ~~R-F-P~~ rodent

19 burial, infant 95 X 75 X 35

20 R-F P 80 X 90 X 20

21 S burial ~~R-F-P~~, child pit 100 X 60 X 40

21A

22 S burial, infant 90 X 80 X 25

23 R-F P 155 X 80 X 60

24 elongated ~~large~~ R-F P

25 R-F P shallow lens

26 large R-F P 280 X 90

27 large R-F P 145 X 40

28 small R-F P - Early Woodland 85 X 90 X 30

29

30 R-F P 90 X 20

31 R-F P ?

32 No burial, infant

33

34 5 burial, infant

35 ~~R-F P~~ rodent

36

37 R-F P 100 X 20

38 ~~R-F P~~ fire place in pa. 11

39 rodent

40 elongated R-F R&N burial adult, intrusive 5 80 X 70

41 small R-F P intrusive in 40

42 elongated R-F P not dug

43 R-F P

44 R-F P

45 R-F P child ~~juvenile~~, intrusive in 40 90 X 80

Briggs Ford Burials

Feat #	sex	orient of head	artifact
adults			
2	M	E	beta
40	F	N	—
4		skull frags in pit	
infants			
7 (2)	—	E	beads
8 (2)	—	E	—
32	—	N	
34	—	S	
19	—	S	
22	—	S	
children			
21	—	S	pot
45	—	E	—

E – 6

S – 4

N – 2

10 graves, 12 skeletons, + skull parts

Features.

1 small pit near stake 50, completely dug by Geasey
dark fill

2 large pit NW of stake 80; ½ dug by D. Woodward
medium dark fill, but many pieces of shale, outline not clear in cross section.

3 small pit between stake 60 and 70 – not dug

4 – long pit NW of stake 90 started by ½ dug as of 15 Nov 69
Geasey and Bastian and continued by many, fill varies from dark at W end to light in mid of center and E end.

5 – small pit dug by Bottom of fill very light Clark, very light, nearly sterile fill

6 – pit along S edge of trench SW of stake 70; ½
dug by Weaver, Crowley & Geasey on . Dark fill

7 medium size pit W of fea. 2, ~~not dug~~ light fill

7A – small pit 35 x 40 cm in SW ¼ of main fea.; is 12 cm deep below trench floor
moderately dark fill

8 – medium size pit between 40 & 50 stakes; started by Geasey
appears to be about 2 3 cm deep.
only top 15 cm of S half dug

9 – small pit, light fill, in edge SSW of stake 100

10 – shallow pit W of stake 100

8 tabular ls, 7 chunks ls, 55, 15 fire-cracked cobbles

11 – long pit, started 18 Nov – SW edge light, NE edge dark
partly dug in fall when wet, not carefully screened
appears to be 32 cm. deep at N end

12 – shallow pit of large diameter south of stake 90

Fea. 13 - small hole near stake 90

14 - small hole NE of stake 90 - rodent, bottom not determined, but over 30 cm. Dia. ca. 25-30 cm.

15 - " " " " Fea. 14 - rodent hole (ground hog)
depth not determined over 45 cm.
dia. 18-20 cm.

16 - " " " S of stake 90

17 - NW of stake 100

18 - SW " " 100 - rodent hole -
dia. ca. 18 cm depth not determined; over 40 cm

19 - pit 5 E stake 100, contained burial

20 - ESE of stake 70 - rock on top, dug

21 SW of stake 80

22 " " " "

23 near stake 110 - the N-most pit, ~~approx stake~~

24 large pit W of fea. 4

25 NE of stake 60

	SS	quartzite	lg quartz cobbles
NE ½	35	4	2
SW ½	6	1	1

26 main pit is 60 cm deep, 120 cm dia - roughly NW of stake 60, appears to be ca 22 cm deep in portion of S end dug.

27 large pit in wall SE of stake ~~27~~ 100 7 fire-rocks

28 between stake 90 and fea. 12, small pit containing 22 fire-cracked rocks, 2 W pts and EW sherd.

29 at W end of trench

30 - ~~S~~ 1M SW of stake 90

31 pit with thick sherds in house 2 extension ~~long pit in S wall changed to fea. 42~~

32 burial in fea. 11 - bottom of bones lay 40 cm below trench floor

33 pit SW of fea. 12

34 - burial under fea. 32 - top of skull was 48 cm below trench floor
scattered charred corn, hornsle found under vertebrae of burial 30 Apr 70

35 - rodent hole 50 cm NE of stake 70

36 - faint pit 3 M NE of stake 70

37 " " 4 M " " " "

38 fire place in bottom of fea. 11

39 rodent hole N. of fea. 37

40 long pit in S wall 70-80 unit

41 — pit in Tea. 90
75 cm dia on profile, 15 cm deep

42 pit in S. wall of 80-90 section

43 pit in wall ~~south~~ of stake 70

44 pit south of trench on house 2 line

45 ~~pit~~ pit at NE end of ~~pit~~ 40

Plow zone is ~~[illegible] 32 cm deep~~, usually 27-32 cm thick.
at one place on west edge of House 2 it is
only 24 cm. thick.