

HIGHLAND REGIONAL COUNCIL



FIELD MONUMENTS

ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITES AND MONUMENTS RECORD

4 DISTRICT GAIRLOCH		5 PARISH GAIRLOCH		1 SITE CODE HNG87NE011	
7 AREA STATUS		8 SITE STATUS		2 NGR NG85927885	
11 CONCORDANCE OS NMR		12 FORM STANDING STRUCTURE		3 QUAL CE	
16 RELATIONSHIP OF ELEMENTS		17 CONDITION		6 SITE NAME * * FHUARA IN *	
20 LAND USE		21 GEOLOGY		10 GENERIC TYPE MOUND	
22 SOILS		23 VEGETATION		14 PERIOD/DATE	
24 HYDROLOGY/DRAINAGE		25 RELIEF		15 DATING METHOD	
28 EXCAVATION (EXCAVATOR: DATE: EXTENT: QUALITY)		26 ASPECT		18 SHAPE	
29 BIBLIOGRAPHY (AUTHOR: DATE: TITLE: JOURNAL OR PUBLISHER: VOLUME: DETAIL)		27 ALTITUDE		19 THREAT AND DATE	
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		38 SAMPLES			
37 GEOPHYSICAL SURVEY		40 NUMERICAL DATES: RANGE: LAB NO.			
39 PALYNOLOGY		41 SMALL FINDS		42 MUSEUM/LOCATION	
43 OTHER ASS. DOCS.					
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 E. LLOYD, 72 BELGRAVE RD, EDINBURGH EH12 6NQ		50 RECORDER: DATE		51 CHECK: DATE	

52 TEXT

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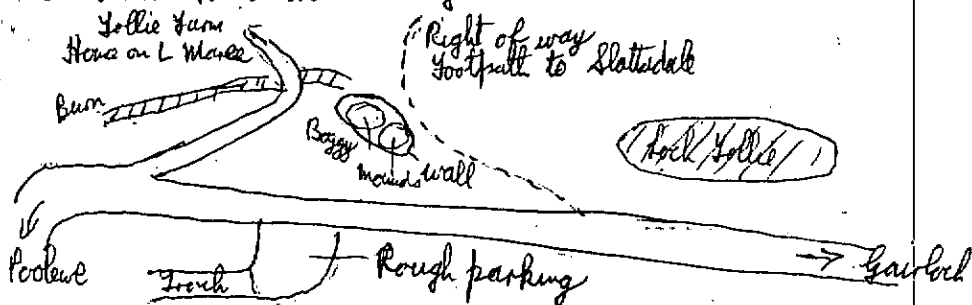
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11/7/91

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Yours sincerely
S. H. Lloyd.

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Evan Lloyd

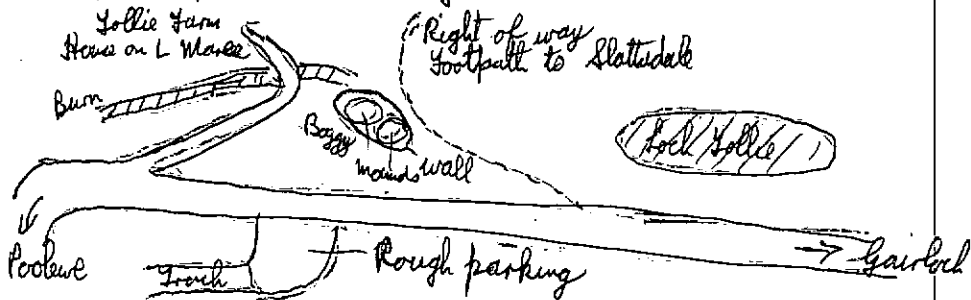
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Dear Mr Lloyd

Many thanks for your letter. What you describe sounds very interesting, and I find that after a search of my records, we have no previous notice of this site.

While the area I cover is so large that I find a long time can elapse before I am back in a particular area, I will try to get across to Loch Maree and take a look at your discovery as soon as I can. Many thanks for bringing it to my attention, and I will write to you again once I have been able to get across. Please do not think I have forgotten if you don't hear from me quickly - it could take six months before I get back to that particular area!

I attach a copy of the 1:10 000 Ordnance Survey for the area. Could you perhaps pinpoint the site on this and return it to me?

With thanks

Yours sincerely

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