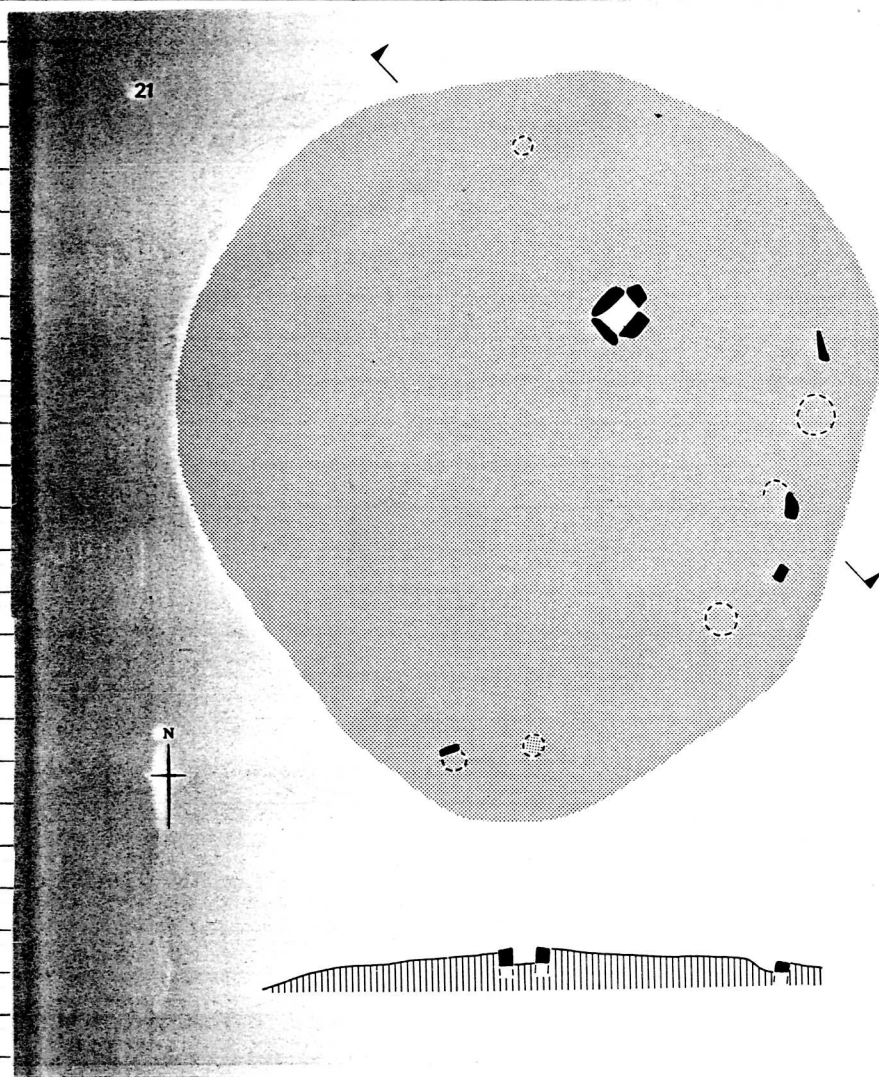


21. Garn Wen Mynydd Bach (fig. 11; surveyed 1976) SN 66 NW

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Lying close to the summit of Mynydd Bach, at 340 m OD. The cairn, which is much denuded, consists mainly of loose rubble. Due to disturbance the shape of the mound is irregular but its diameter was probably around 20 m. Material has been gathered up to build a sheep shelter or shooting box on the S. Four earthfast blocks lie close to the perimeter on the S and E. Elsewhere around the edge of the mound there are hollows which are presumably the sites of former orthostats. A number of boulders up to 1 m in diameter lie scattered over the mound. An open cist lies off-centre to the N. Less than 250 m to the NNE just below the crest of the hill, there is a ruined rectangular building which may account for some of the ruination of this cairn and its neighbour. The cairn was mentioned by Daryll Forde in 1936 when the cist yielded a food vessel. Plans to excavate the cairn at that time did not come to fruition.



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