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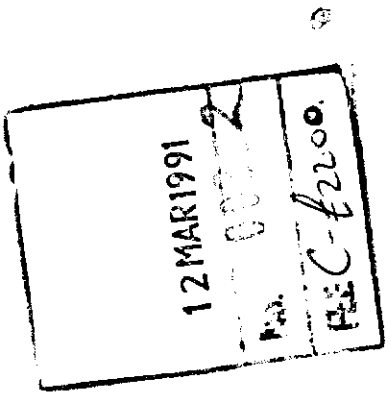
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Re: The Monument known as Craigiegower, farmstead and clearance cairns

in the Parish of New Luce and County of Wigtown

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to the
Secretary of State
for Scotland
New St Andrew's House
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The monument known as Craigiegower, farmstead and clearance cairns comprises a pre-improvement farmstead, and field clearance cairns of the late neolithic or Bronze Age. The farmstead consists of at least three rectangular buildings, a kiln, and associated field system. The main building measures 10m E-W by 5m and is attached to two small enclosures and other quarried scoops. All of the walls appear as turf-covered rubble banks up to 1.5m thick and 0.3m high. About 45m to the NE is a second rectangular building, measuring 7m E-W by 4.5m, attached to a small scooped enclosure to the NE and a field boundary bank to the S. Both buildings are inside a large irregular field (marked by a pecked line on the 1:10,000 map) containing a rig and furrow cultivation and short linear clearance heaps. About 18m S of the SW tip of this field is a kiln, and on top of Corbie Crags, to the SSE, is a third rectangular building measuring 9m NE -SW by 6m. To the NW of the large field is a group of at least eleven field clearance cairns each measuring up to 4m in diameter and 0.4m high. The area to be scheduled includes the large field, the kiln, the rectangular buildings, the field clearance cairns, and an area around them within which traces of activity associated with their use may be found. It measures a maximum of 250m NNW-SSE by a maximum of 230m. The monument, which lies in the Parish of New Luce and the County of Wigtown as shown outlined in red on the Plan annexed and executed as relative hereto and which form part of the subjects described [redacted] is hereby included in the Schedule of Monuments appearing to the Secretary of State for Scotland to be of national importance compiled and maintained by him under section 1(1) of the Ancient Monuments and Archaeological Areas Act 1979.

Given under the Seal of the Secretary of State for Scotland.

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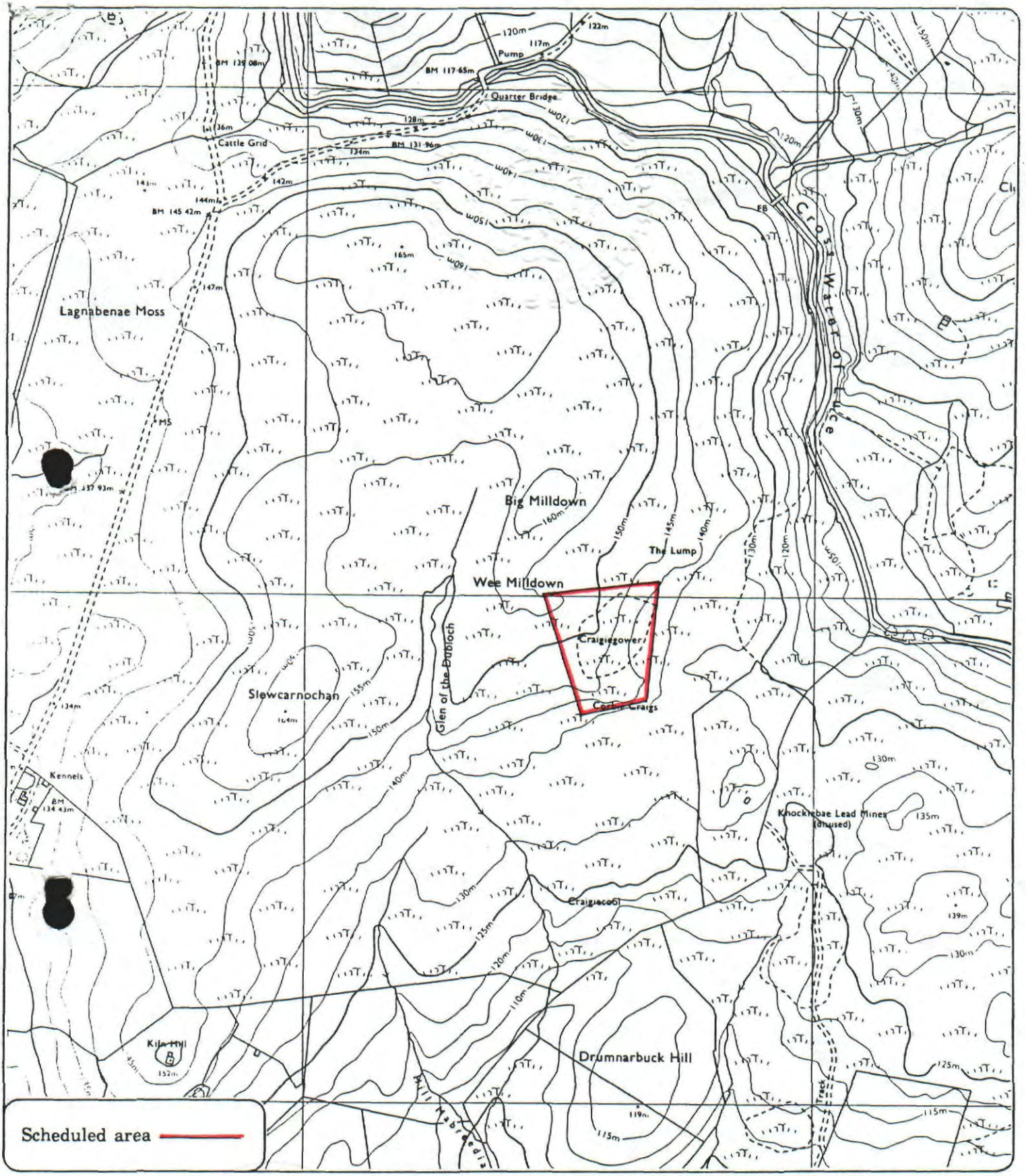
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