

# HIGHLAND REGIONAL COUNCIL

# FIELD MONUMENTS



## ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITES AND MONUMENTS RECORD

1 SITE CODE									
H	N	D	2	4	S	E	0	0	6
2 NGR									
N	D	2	6	3	4	2	4	3 QUAL	
6 SITE NAME									
E	A	S	A	N	B	U	R	N	CE
10 GENERIC TYPE									
SHIELINGS									
14 PERIOD/DATE					15 DATING METHOD				
MO					TYP				
18 SHAPE									
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19 THREAT AND DATE									

4 DISTRICT		5 PARISH	
CAITHNESS		LATHERON	
7 AREA STATUS	8 SITE STATUS	9 REGIONAL STATUS	
11 CONCORDANCE		12 FORM	
OS ND 24 SE 4+5		STANDING STRUCTURES	
16 RELATIONSHIP OF ELEMENTS		17 CONDITION	
		INCOMPLETE	
20 LAND USE		21 GEOLOGY	
HEATH			
22 SOILS		23 VEGETATION	
24 HYDROLOGY/DRAINAGE		25 RELIEF	
		BANK OF BURN	
		26 ASPECT	27 ALTITUDE
		NNW	120m = 140m OD

28 EXCAVATION (EXCAVATOR: DATE: EXTENT: QUALITY)	
29 BIBLIOGRAPHY (AUTHOR: DATE: TITLE: JOURNAL OR PUBLISHER: VOLUME: DETAIL)	
1. ORDNANCE SURVEY: 1959: 6" MAP (PROV)	
2. RCAHMS: 1911: CAITHNESS INVENTORY: HMSO: p84, No. 302 & p62, No. 226	
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	51 CHECK: DATE
		GS: 24.9.1985	GS: 15.10.1985.

52 TEXT

"ND 2628 4248. Cairn." (1)  
 "The indefinite remains of several constructions, probably shielings, situated on a green knoll. They appear to have been small oblong buildings with two or three chambers. One more indefinite than the rest measures interiorly 16ft (5.0m) by 7ft (2.13m)." (2)  
 "A grassy mound measuring 30.0m by 17.0m and 1.0m high, surmounted by vague traces of rectangular structures, and, as stated by the Commission, are probably shielings."  
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 (OS Concordance ND 24 SE 4)

"ND 2642 4234. Cairn." (1)  
 "The remains of a structure probably a shieling, lying on a green hillock. The lower courses of the walls remain, and they have been about 2ft thick with rounded corners. There /cont.over...

\*\*\*\*\* Record 2281 in SMR \*\*\*\*\*

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**MAP** ND24SE **SITE** 0006 A **LINEAR** \_\_\_\_\_  
**EASTINGS** 2642 **NORTHINGS** 4234 **QUALIFIER** \_\_\_\_\_

**NAME** CAMSTER SOUTH \_\_\_\_\_  
**OTHERNAME** \_\_\_\_\_  
**CLASS** SHIELING-HUT \_\_\_\_\_

**PARISH** LATHERON \_\_\_\_\_  
**DISTRICT** CAITHNESS \_\_\_\_\_  
**COUNTY** CAITHNESS \_\_\_\_\_

**DATE** \_\_\_\_\_ **METHOD** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ **FORM** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ **CONDITION** \_\_\_\_\_

**SPECIFIC** \_\_\_\_\_

**STATUS** \_\_\_\_\_ **NO** \_\_\_\_\_ **NMR SITE** 0005 \_\_\_\_\_

52. "appear to have been two apartments."

(2)

"The footings of a shieling placed on the summit of a probably natural mound measuring 18.0m NNE by 11.0m transversely. The building measures 4.4m by 2.0m within a dry wall, measuring 0.8m wide. It is twin compartmented."

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