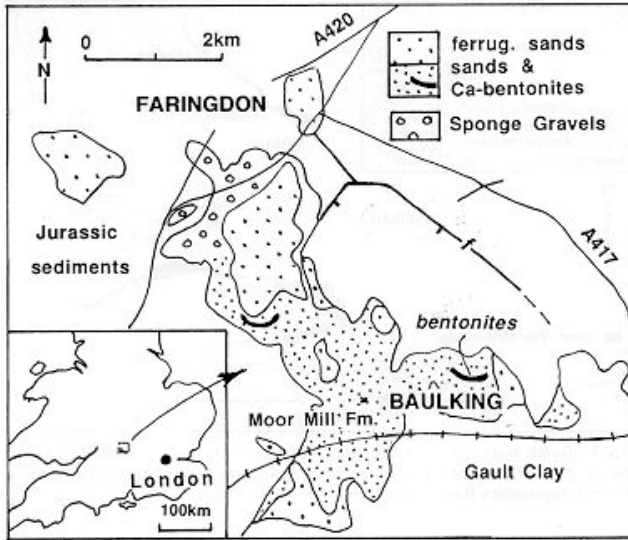


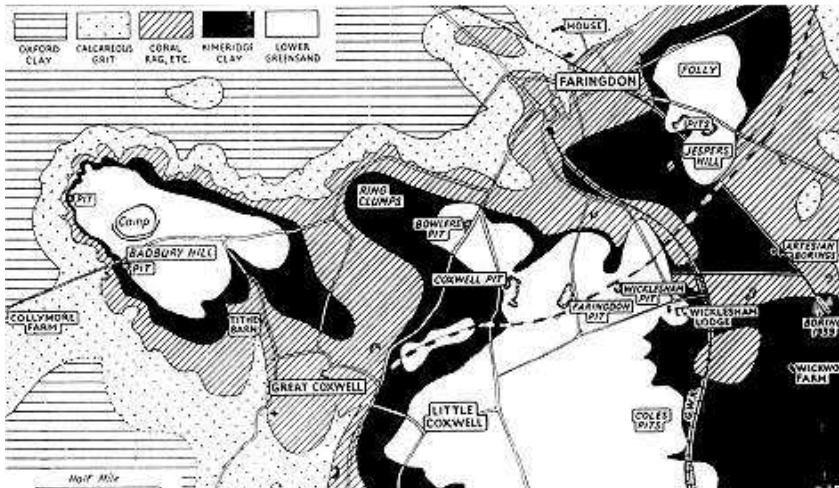
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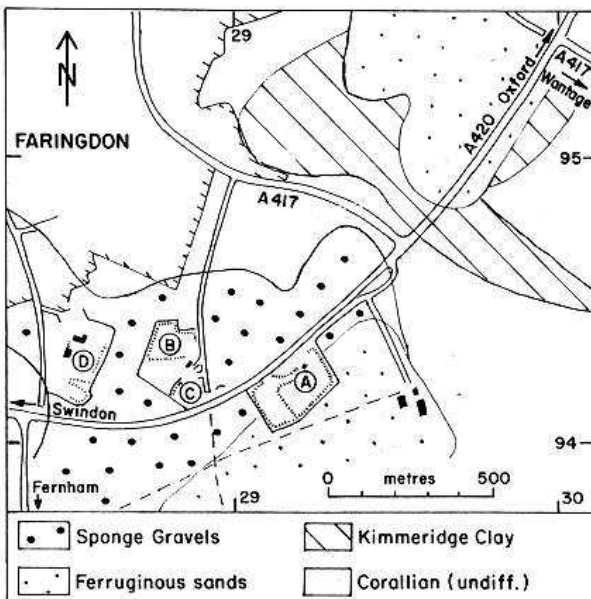


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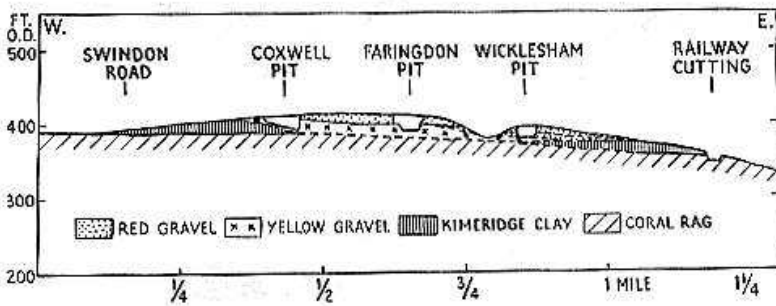
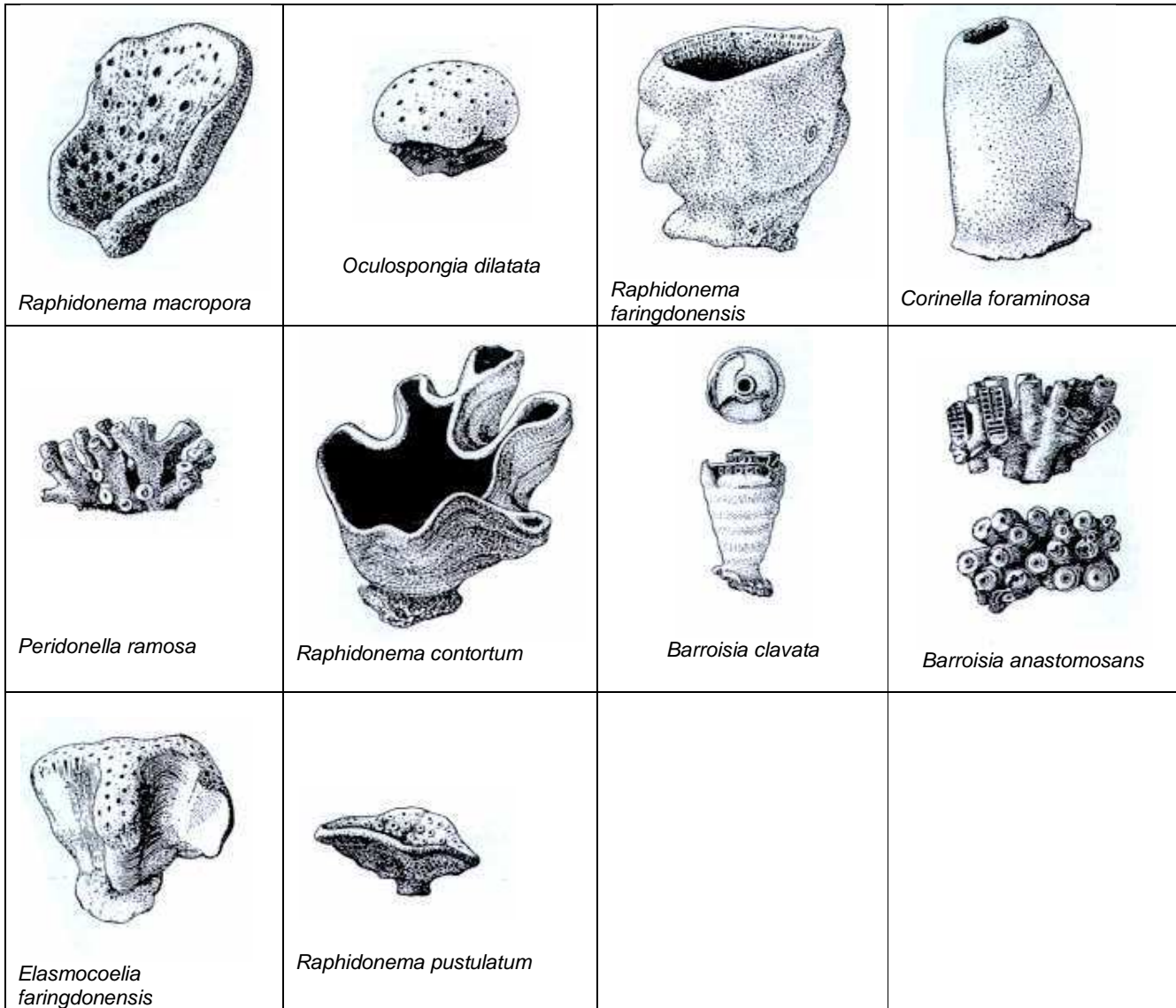


Geological sketch map of the Faringdon-Baulking district.

The lower greensand occupies a shallow trough-like tongue of sediment resting uncomfortably on Upper Jurassic sands, clays and limestones



The famous pits with the sponge gravels are all at the north end of the main outcrop of the Lower Greensand of Faringdon, between Faringdon and Little Coxwell



Section through the cotswolds and chilterns with the clay vale between
Broken line shows the former extension of chalk