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The remaining specimen exhibited five instances of retouch, thrice on the dorsal and twice on the ventral surfaces. The nature of this flake made the identification of the edge orientation impossible, and it may be a tool fragment.

Ground stone fragment: This sandstone pebble fragment displays one lateral edge which has been bifacially ground, one concave face, and a hammering facet on that face (see Figure 3,5).

<code>Flakes:</code> Sixty flakes (25% random sample) were measured and the lengths vary from 38.5 mm to 6 mm, the widths from 25.5 mm to 6 mm and the thicknesses from 10 mm to 1 mm. The average length is 17 mm, width 13.7 mm, and thickness 3.6 mm, while the striking platforms are simple in 50 specimens, crushed in 2, faceted in 3 and missing in 5.6 mm

The rest of the recovered sample was left unanalyzed.

Fire cracked rock was noted to be abundant.

The cultural affiliation of the site is identified as Historic Neutral, and the nature of the sample suggests that it represents a village site.

SMITH SITE (AHHA-6)

AhHa-6 is situated in Concession III, Lot 17 of Ancaster Township. It is located in the same field as the Hailey site, to the north-west of it, and as with AhHa-5, the deposit has been disturbed by ploughing.

The following were collected:

- 2 micro-sherds
- 3 retouched flakes
- 14 flakes
- 2 core fragments
- 3 faunal remains
- 1 glass bead

Retouched flakes: One specimen has been unifacially retouched along the distal edge on the dorsal surface. The second flake has been unifacially retouched both dorsally and ventrally along one lateral edge and dorsally along the distal edge. The surface exhibiting retouch could not be identified in the third specimen; however, one lateral edge is retouched unifacially, while the distal edge has been retouched both uni-and bifacially.

Glass bead: This is a seventeenth century trade item which corresponds with Kidd's (1970) Type 11bb2 (see Figure 4,1).

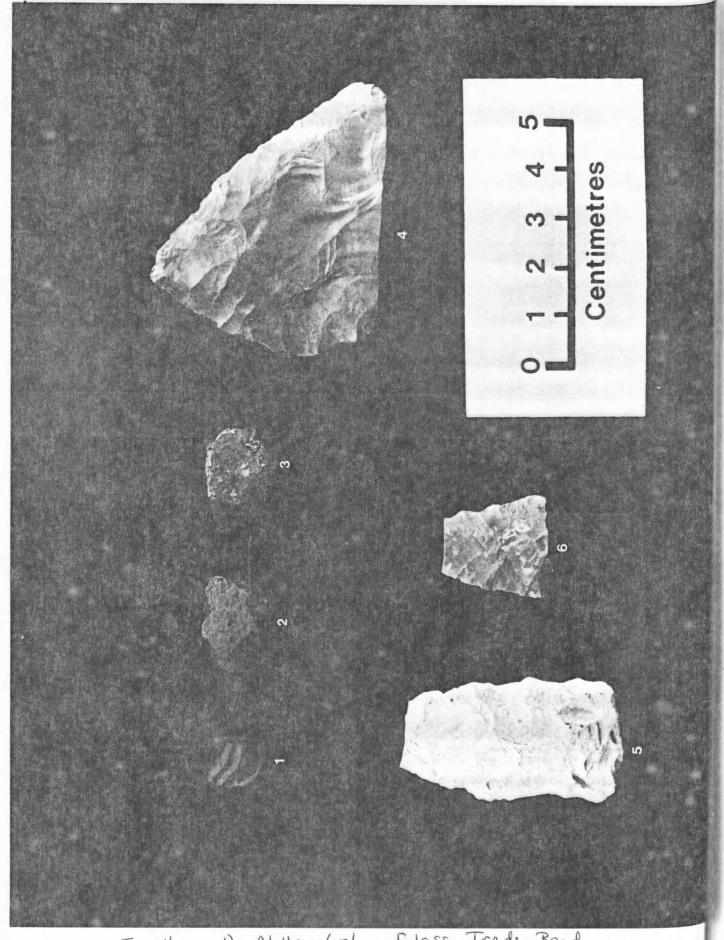


Fig. 4. 1) AhHa-6-1 Glass Trade Bead