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12/5/81 - the excavation of a meter -
square test pit

People participating -

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DAMAS KIRK
CHARLES M. ABBOTT

departure time from Bear Point/Melaine
Key Boat launch area - 7:29 AM

Roll # Kodachrome 64 36 exp. color
slide film.
exp. #32-36 Shots taken of the trip
up Outer Addison Bay - a cold early
morning excursion.

Roll # Chetachrome 400 36 exp. color
slide film.

exp. #1 and 2 - Boat west toward (Macco Island) Bear Point Bridge receding into the distance during our progression up Outer Addison Bay. Buot's 24 foot mulllet skiff is being towed. Dumas Kirk's 34 ft. fishing boat in which we are riding is named the "Miss Kappy", after his mother.

Buot's 24 footer is a Seahawk brand skiff. Charlie Albro's boat is a 13 ft. Boston Whaler.

We carefully thread our way through the shallows and oyster bars at the upper reaches of Outer Addison Bay. The mud flats begin at approximately where a point of mangroves ascending the high Bear Point Bridge. The narrow passage from Outer to Inner Addison Bay must be carefully negotiated.

Inner Addison Bay is even shallower. Much of the bay bottom is exposed at low tide, or else only inches deep.

In the late 1940's to mid 1950's shell from the Addison Key mudlows

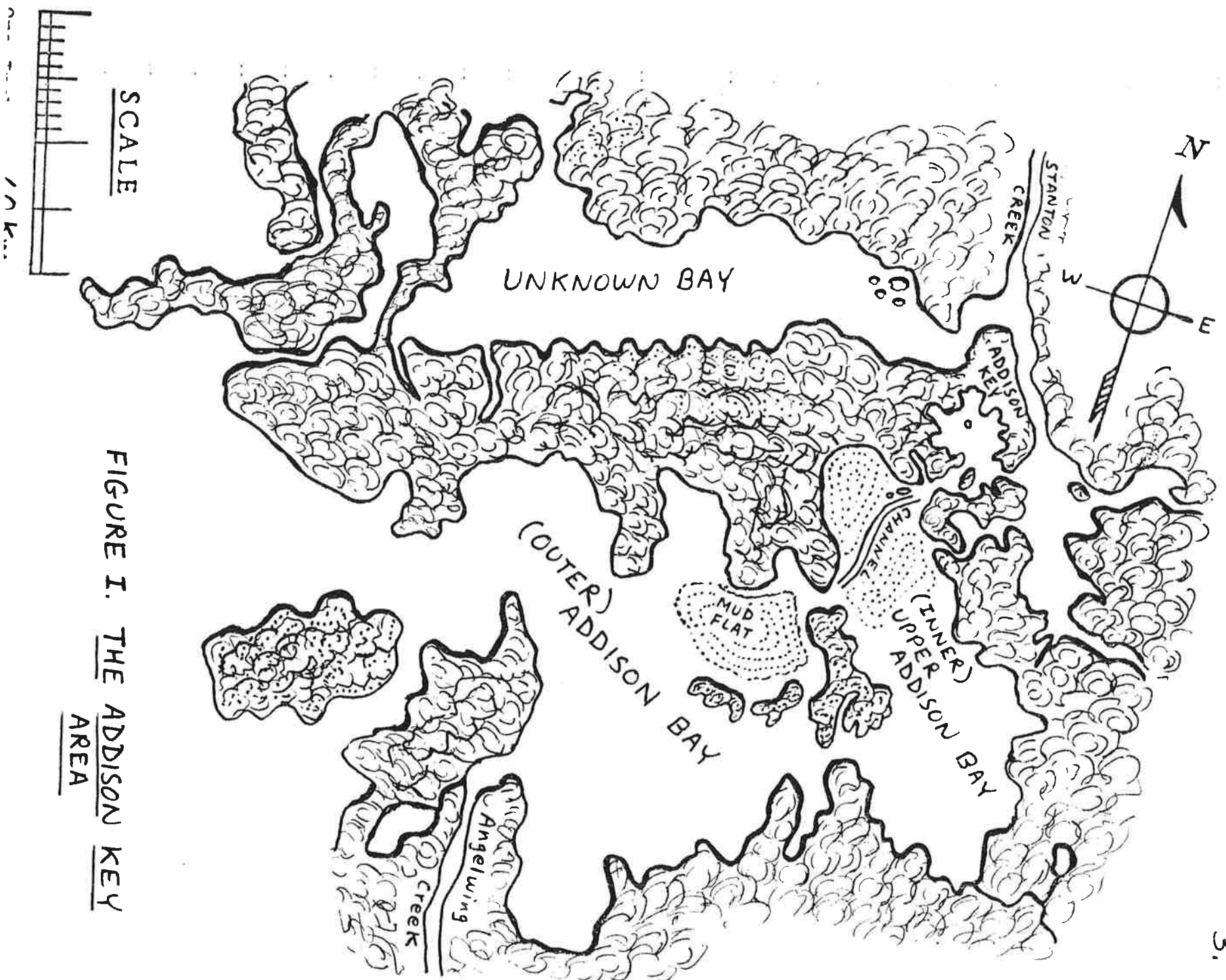


FIGURE I. THE ADDISON KEY
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