ABSTRACT

Phase I and II archaeological testing on the Lisbon Tract of Dover Air Force Base identified two archaeological sites. Area A was the location of a farmstead dating to nineteenth and twentieth centuries. Archaeological remains at the site included several concrete outbuilding foundations. No features were located, and there was no evidence of a dwelling associated with the outbuilding foundations. Artifact densities were very low. Based on the historical and archaeological records for Lisbon, the site is not considered eligible for listing on the National Register, and no further work is recommended. Area B was the location of a prehistoric procurement site or micro-band base camp. Its position close to the Carey Farm Site (7K-D-3), the St. Jones River Site (7K-D-1), and 7K-D-26 suggest that Area B could be associated with these Woodland period sites. Artifacts recovered included Dames Quarter ceramics, two Woodland I projectile points, flakes, flake tools, and ground stone tools. Based on the archaeological testing, and the site's proximity to other large habitation sites, additional testing is recommended for Area B of the Lisbon Tract.

COVER ILLUSTRATION: Aerial view of Lisbon Tract. View is from the south looking north.