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GREAT TURTLE

SOUTH
COURT

Position of these mounds only approximate.

about 300 yards distant in this direction is a group of small mounds arranged in a square.

H. Price del.

R. Lewis scul.

WATER COURSES

WATER HOLE

RECORDING SOCIETY
(1883)

50'
100'
200'
300'
400'

500'

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Scale 100 Feet to 1 Inch

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