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SOUTHERN HIGH PLAINS, TEXAS

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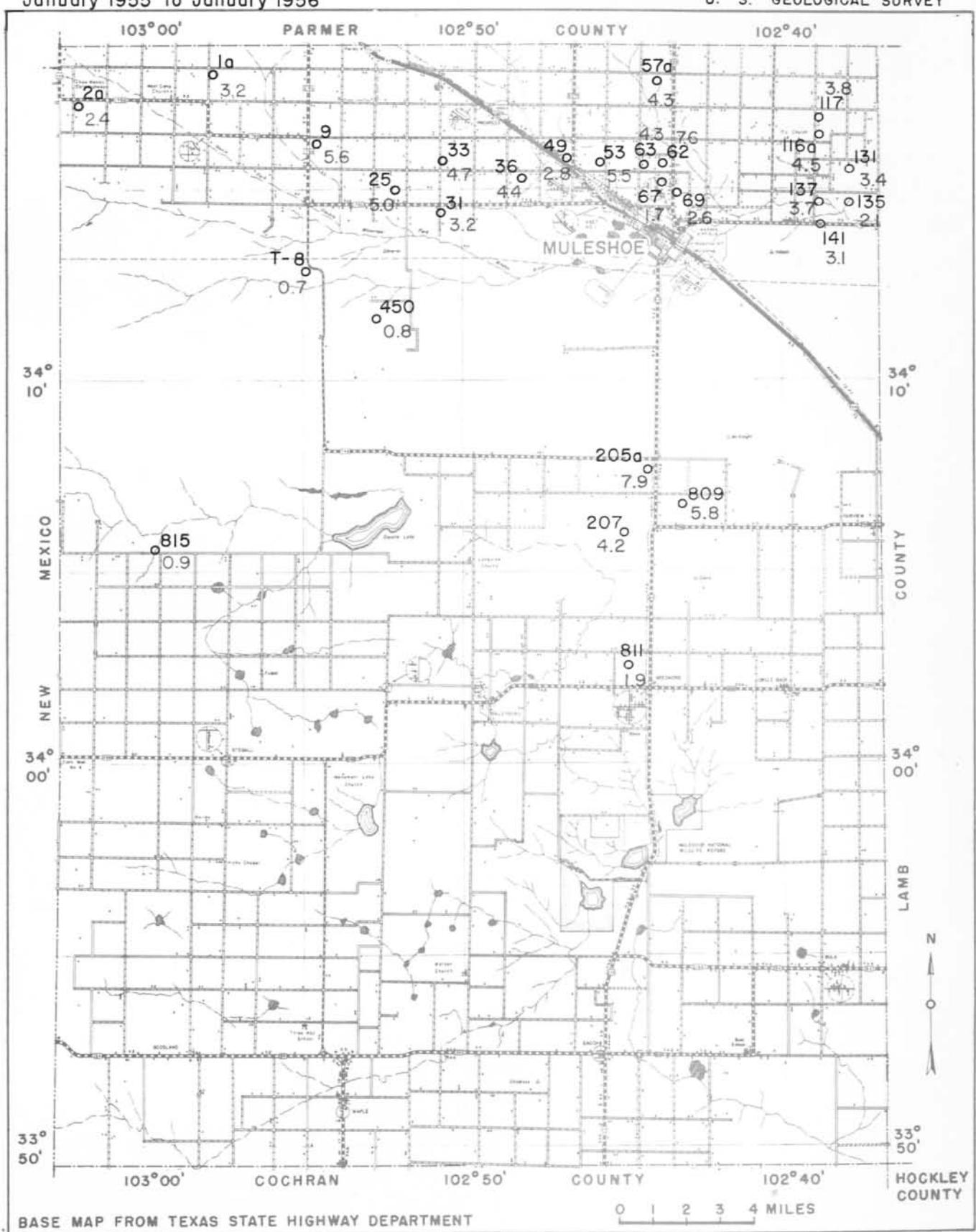
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The Texas Board of Water Engineers is charged with making independently, or in cooperation with other state and federal agencies, scientific investigations of the source, amount and quality of ground-water supplies. This compilation is based on water-level data obtained as part of a state-wide observation well program which is financed cooperatively by the Texas Board of Water Engineers and the United States Geological Survey.

Compiled herein are water-level decline maps showing fluctuations in the water table in the Southern High Plains of Texas. The 17 county maps show changes in water levels between January 1955 and January 1956. The depth of water levels in the wells are permanently recorded in the offices of the Texas Board of Water Engineers and the Geological Survey and are published periodically in water-level reports. Pending their publication, they may be consulted in the open files of the above offices.

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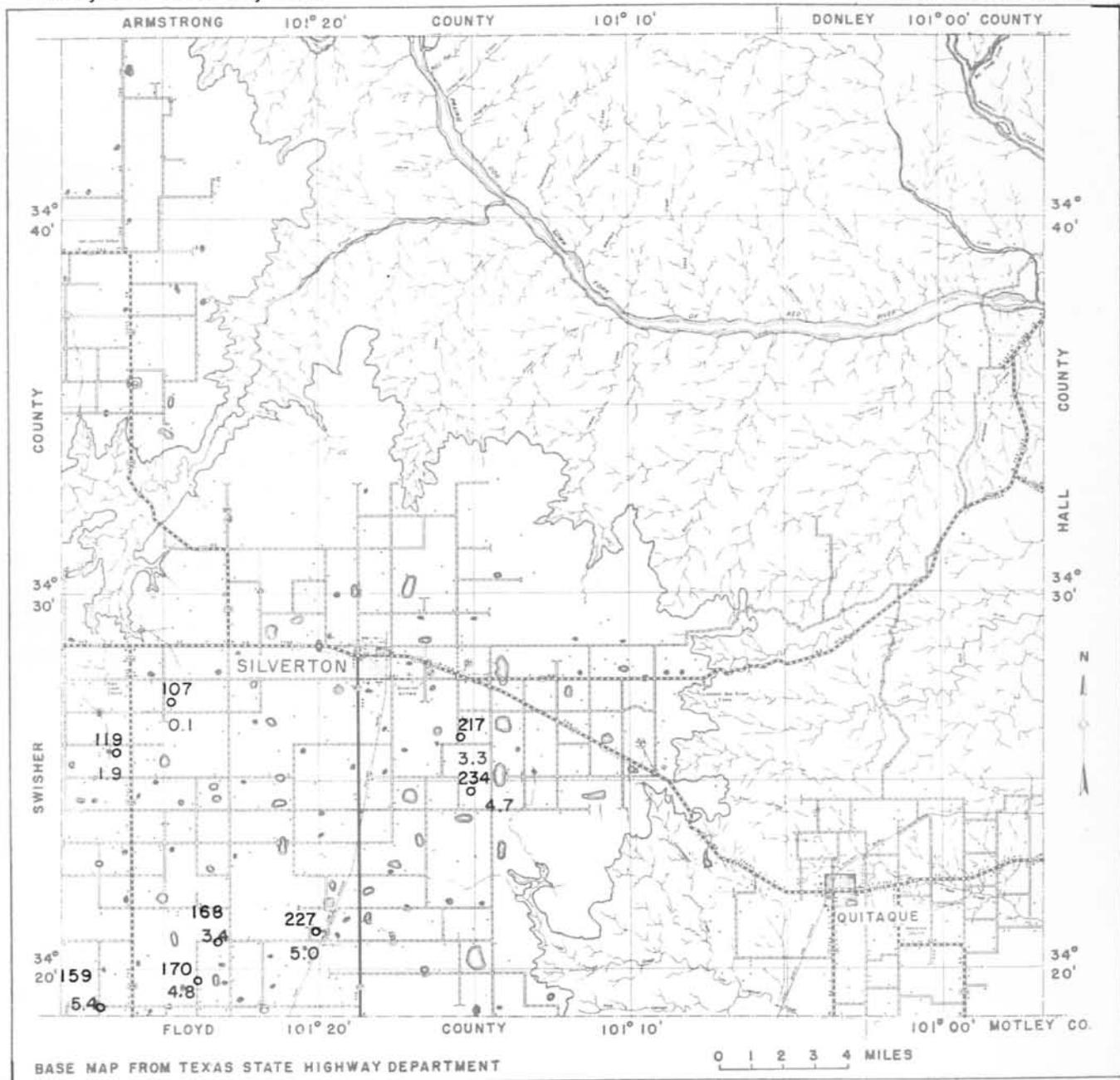


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Decline of water levels, in feet, shown in red

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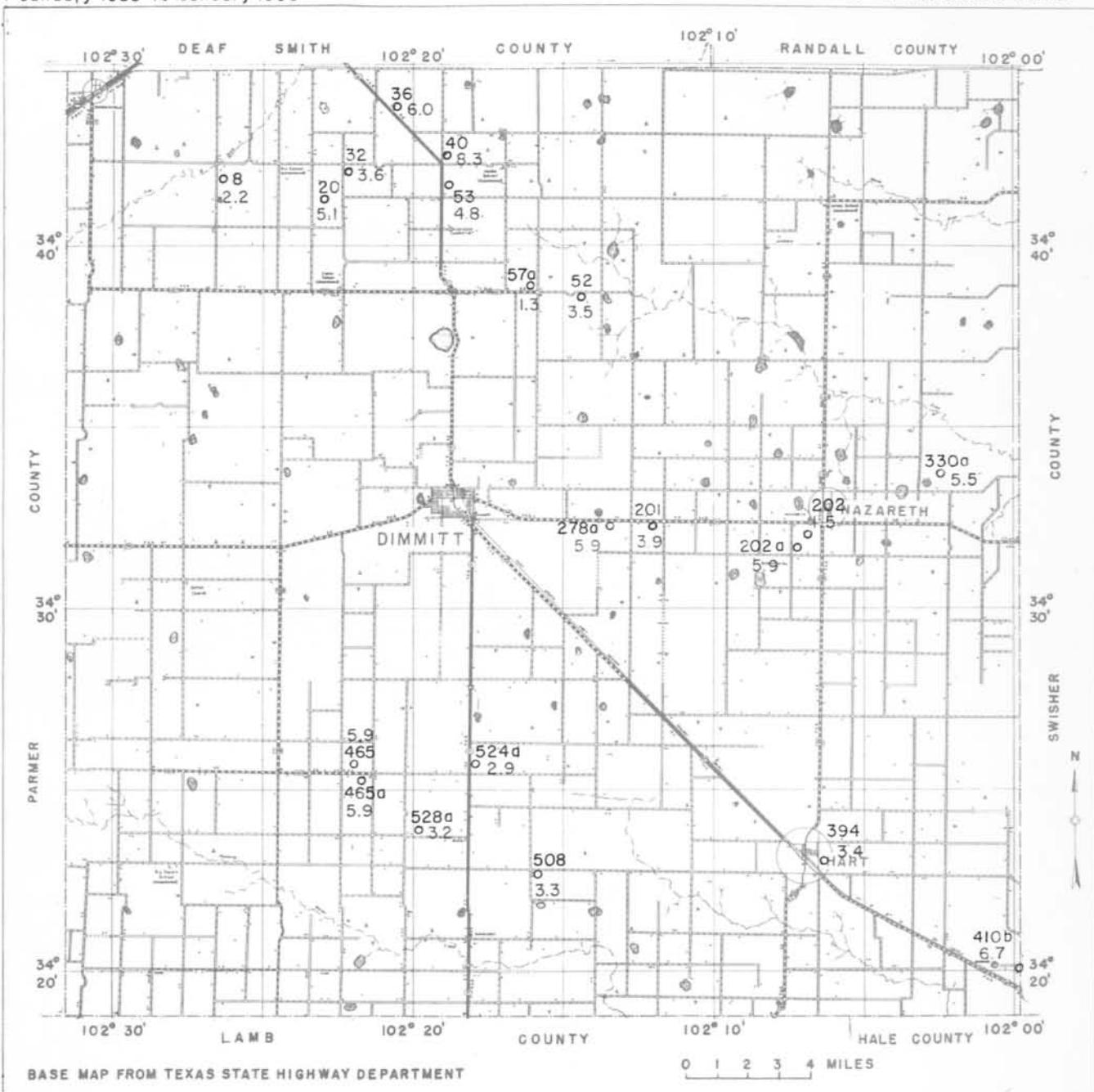
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CASTRO COUNTY, TEXAS
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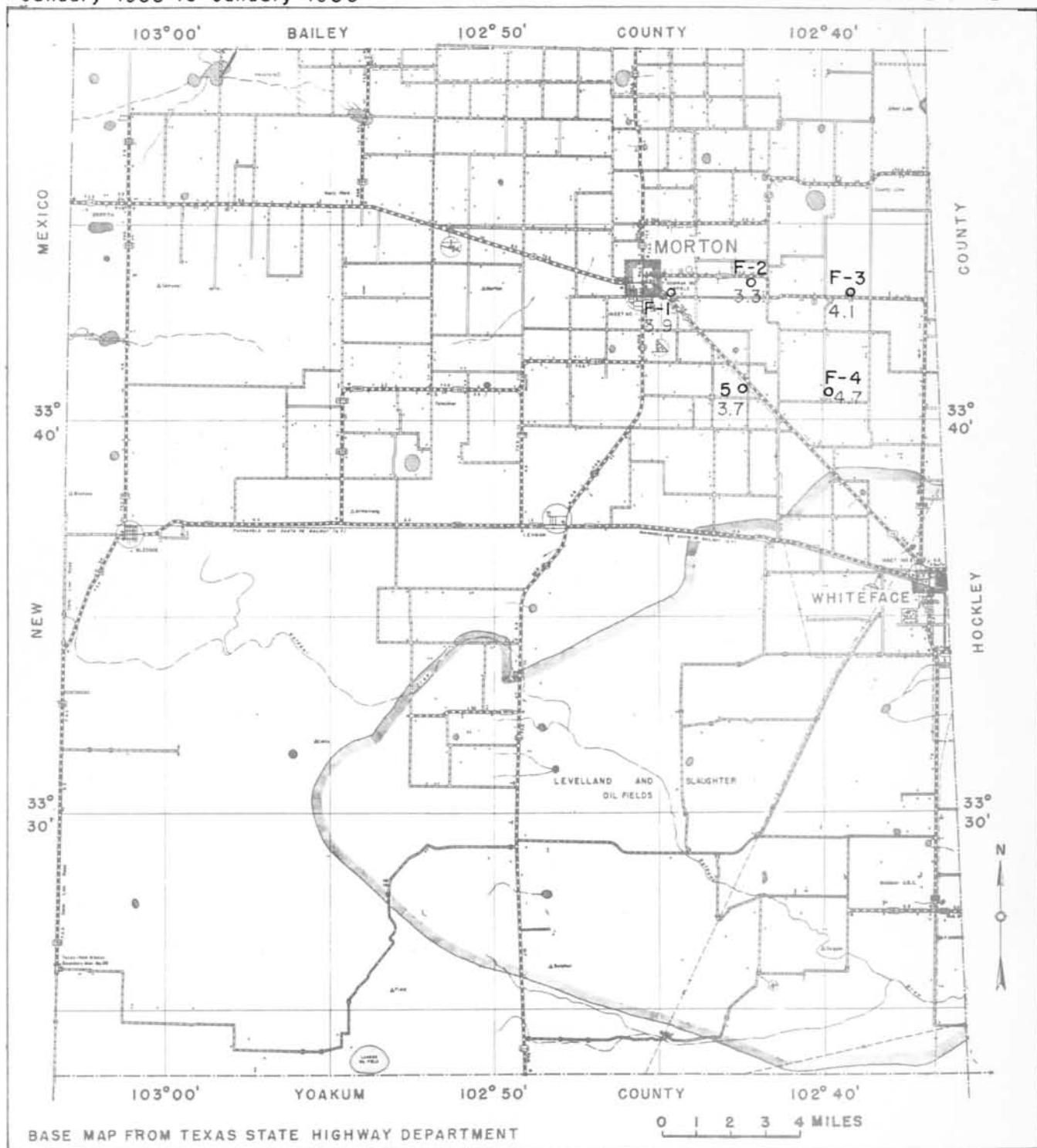
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COCHRAN COUNTY, TEXAS
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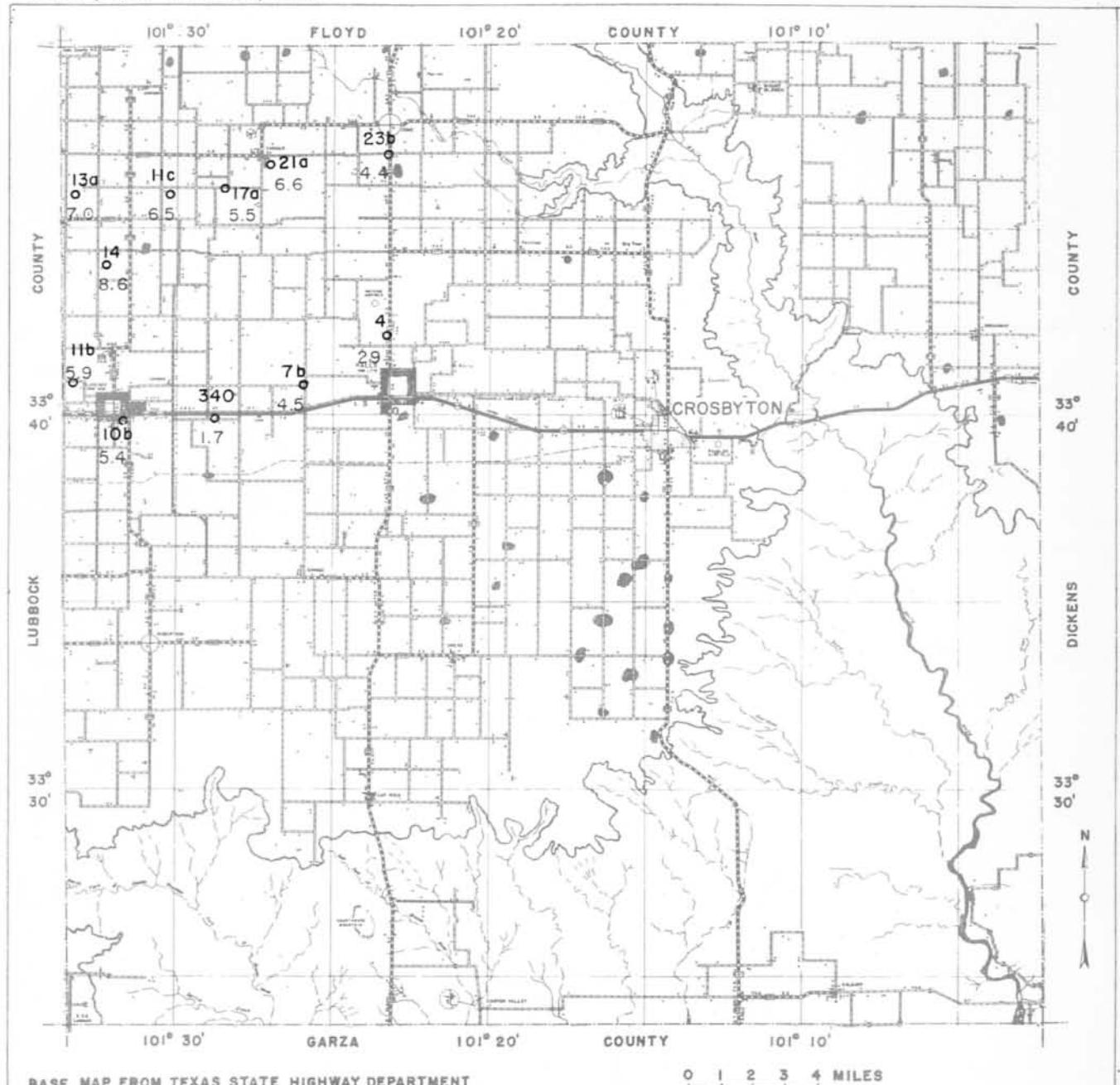
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CROSSBY COUNTY, TEXAS
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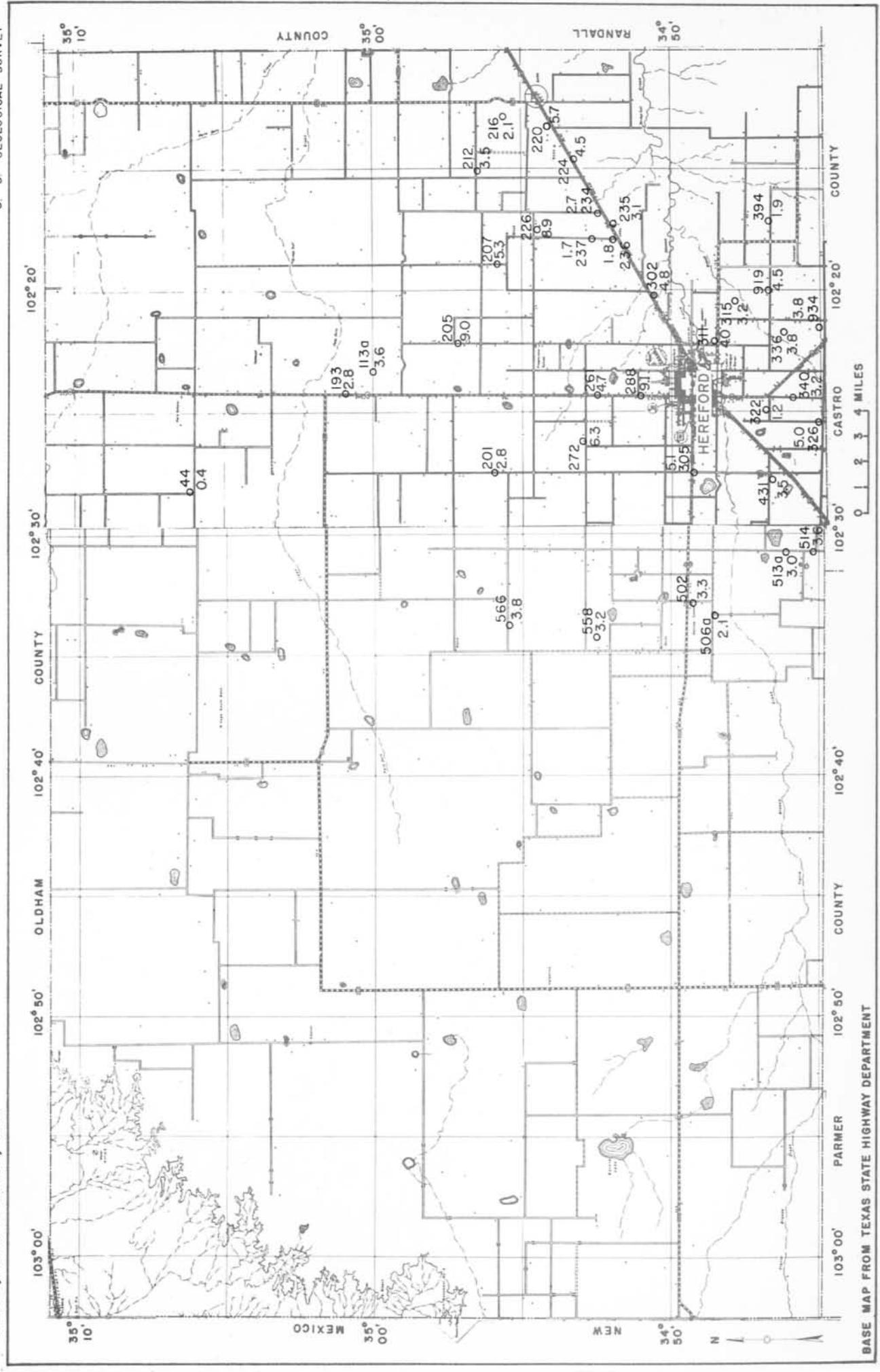
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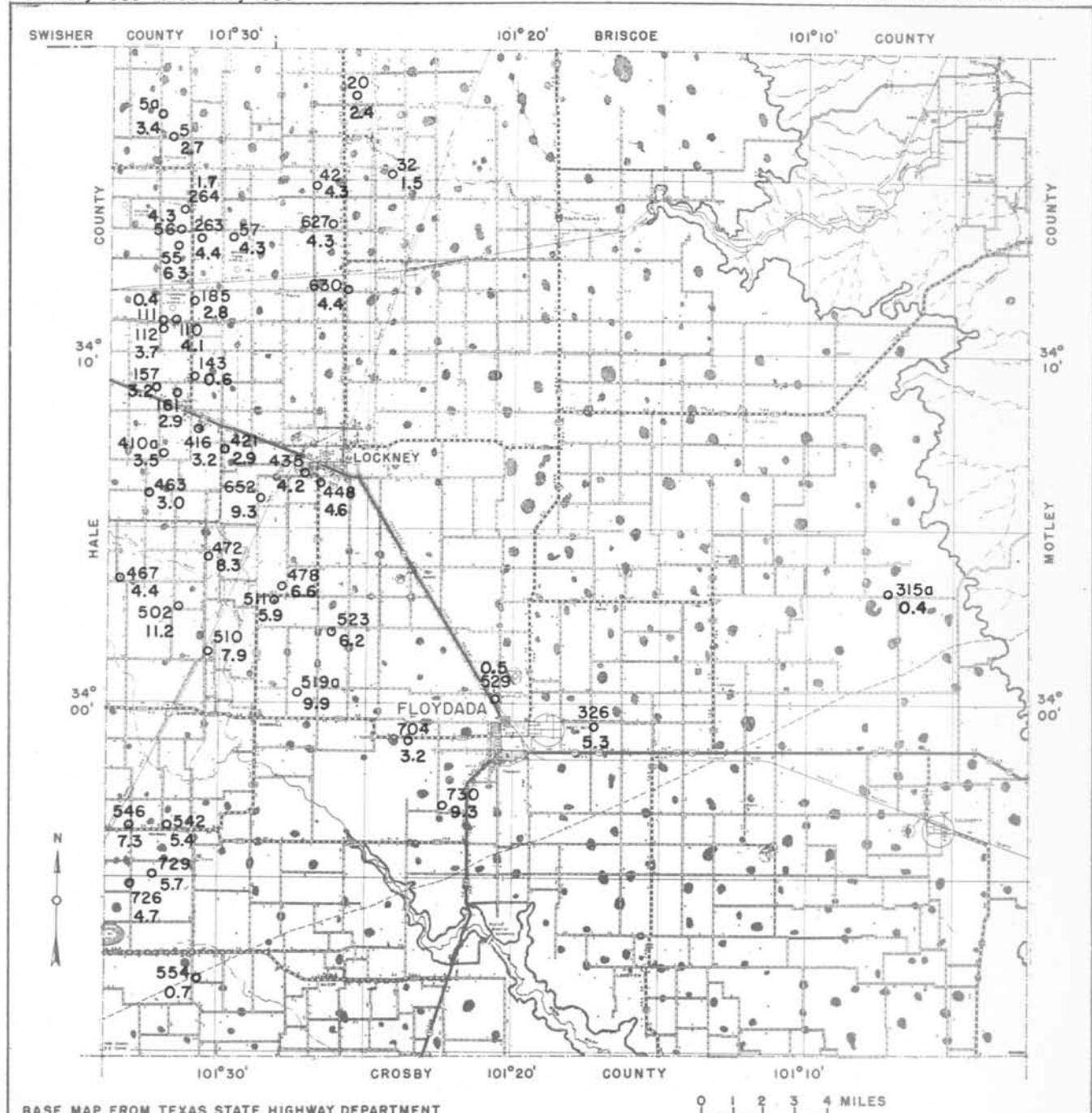
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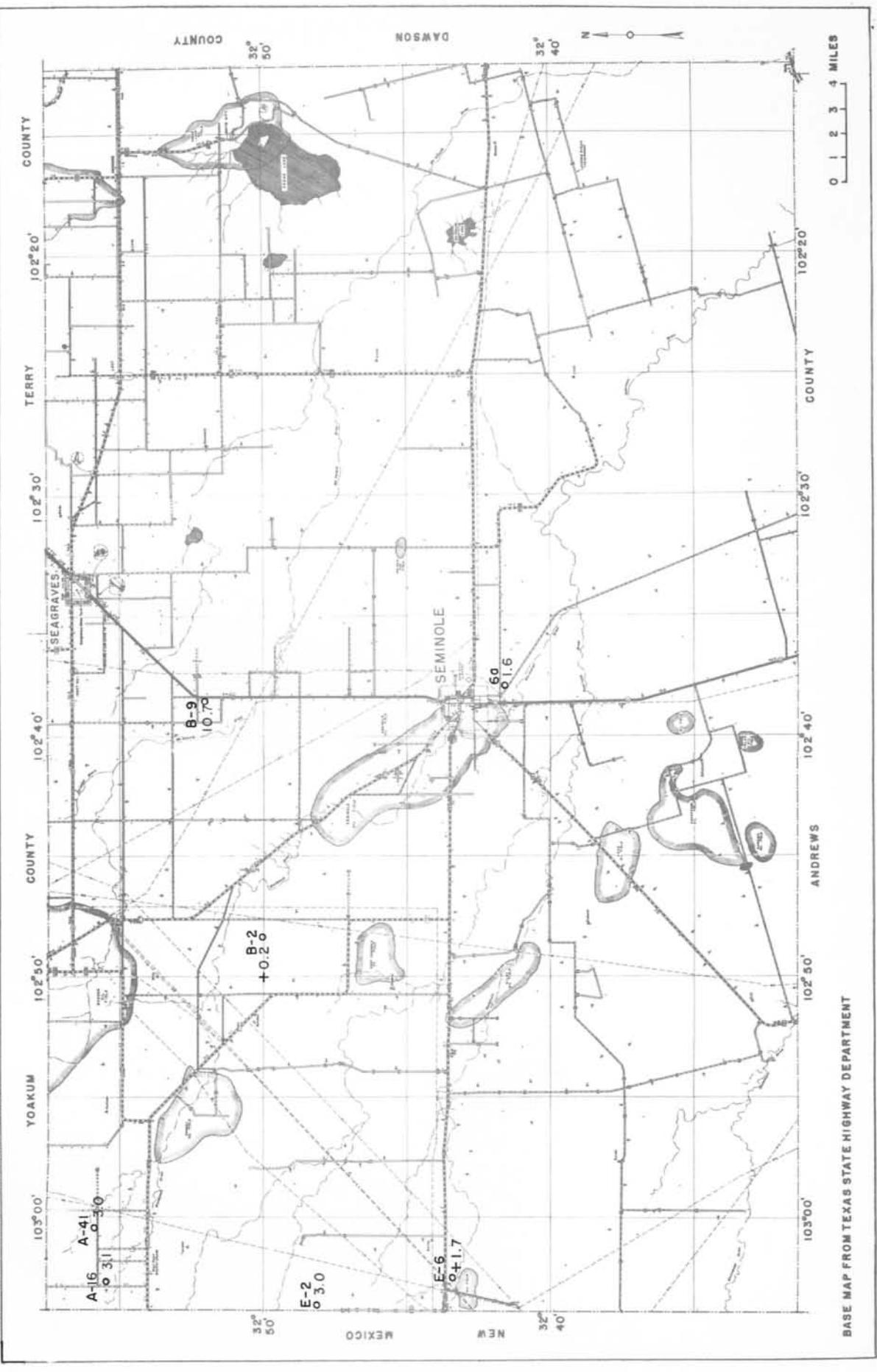
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GAINES COUNTY, TEXAS
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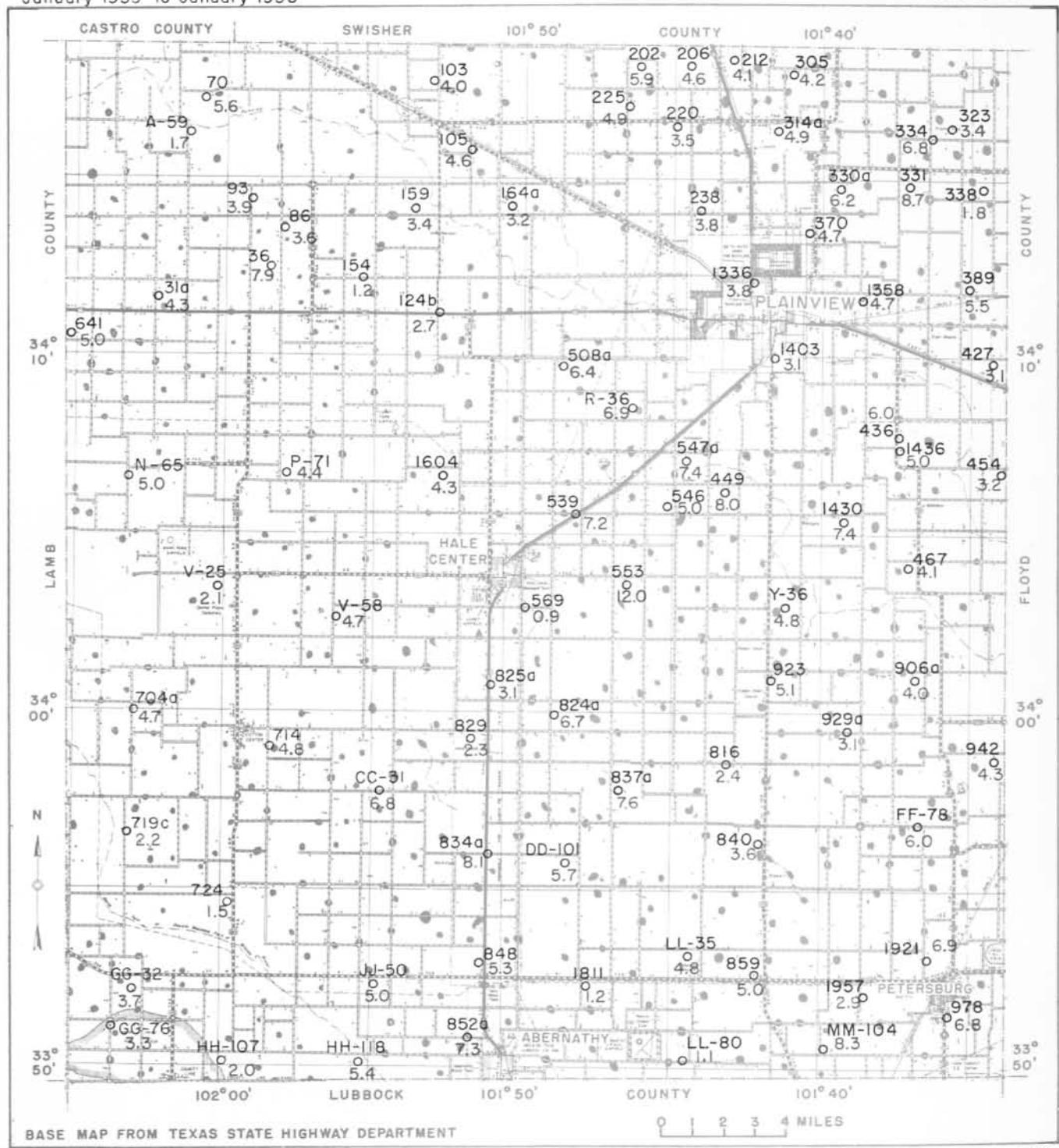


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- Rise of water levels, in feet, show in blue

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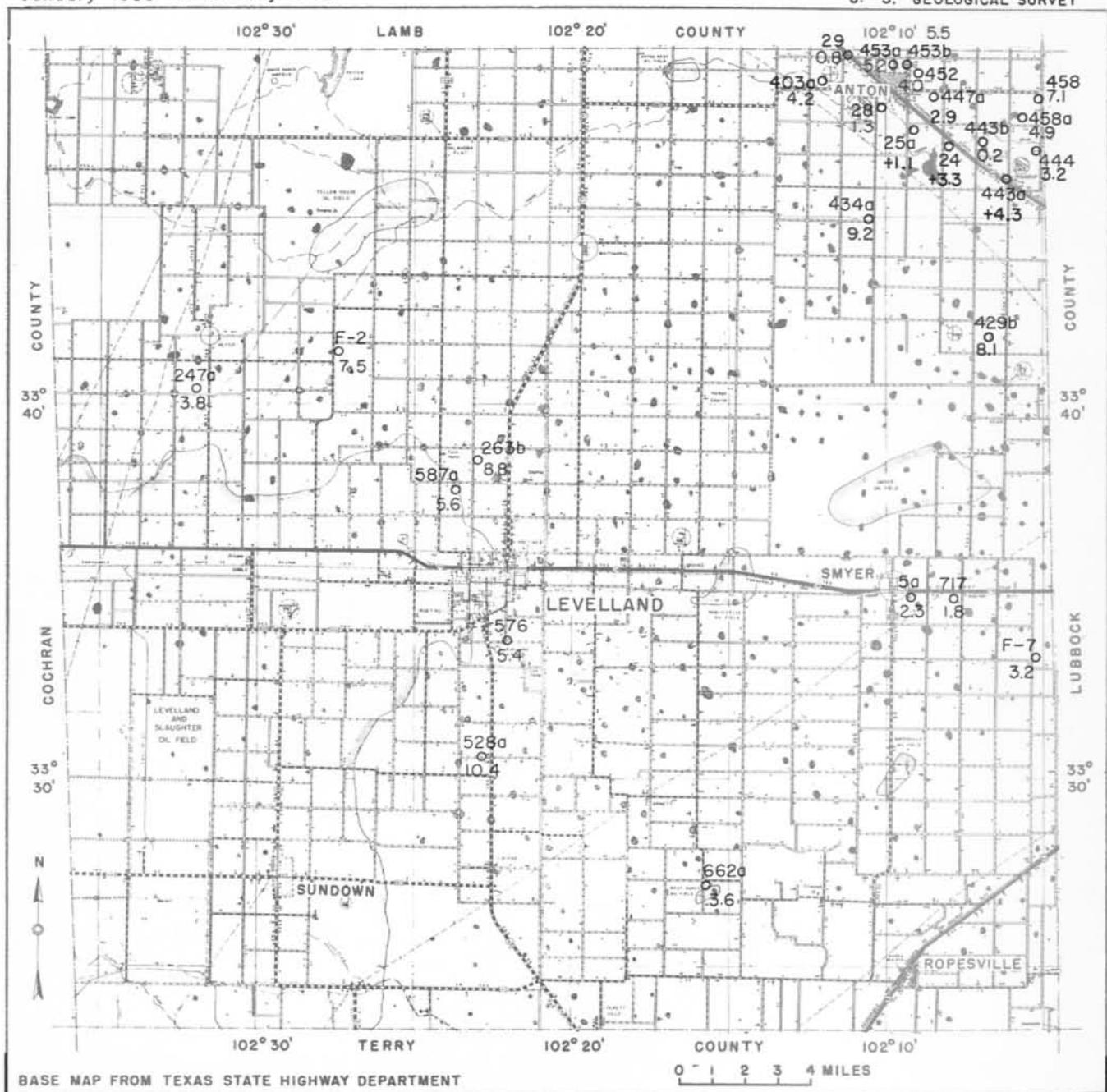


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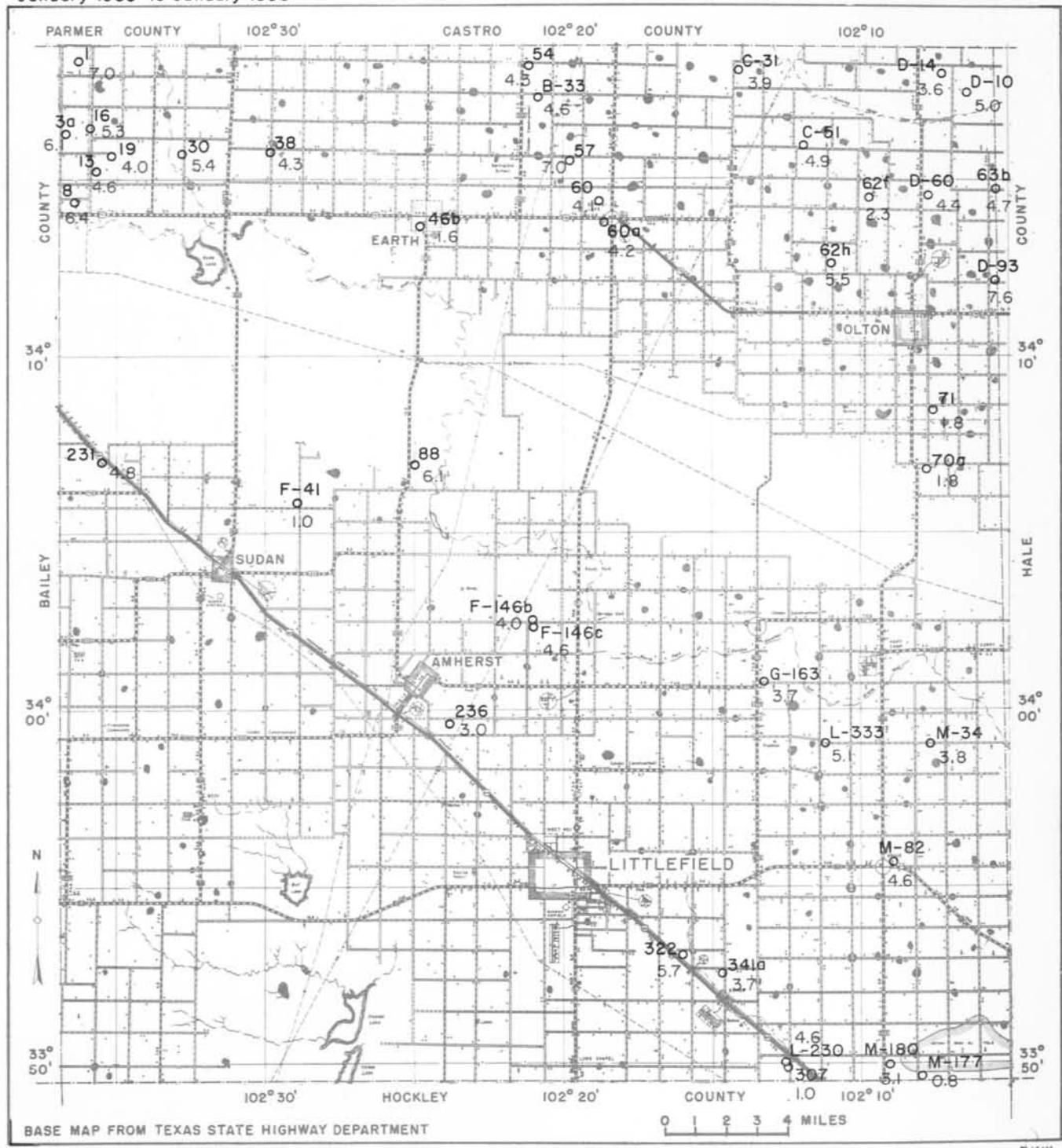
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Rise of water levels, in feet, shown in blue

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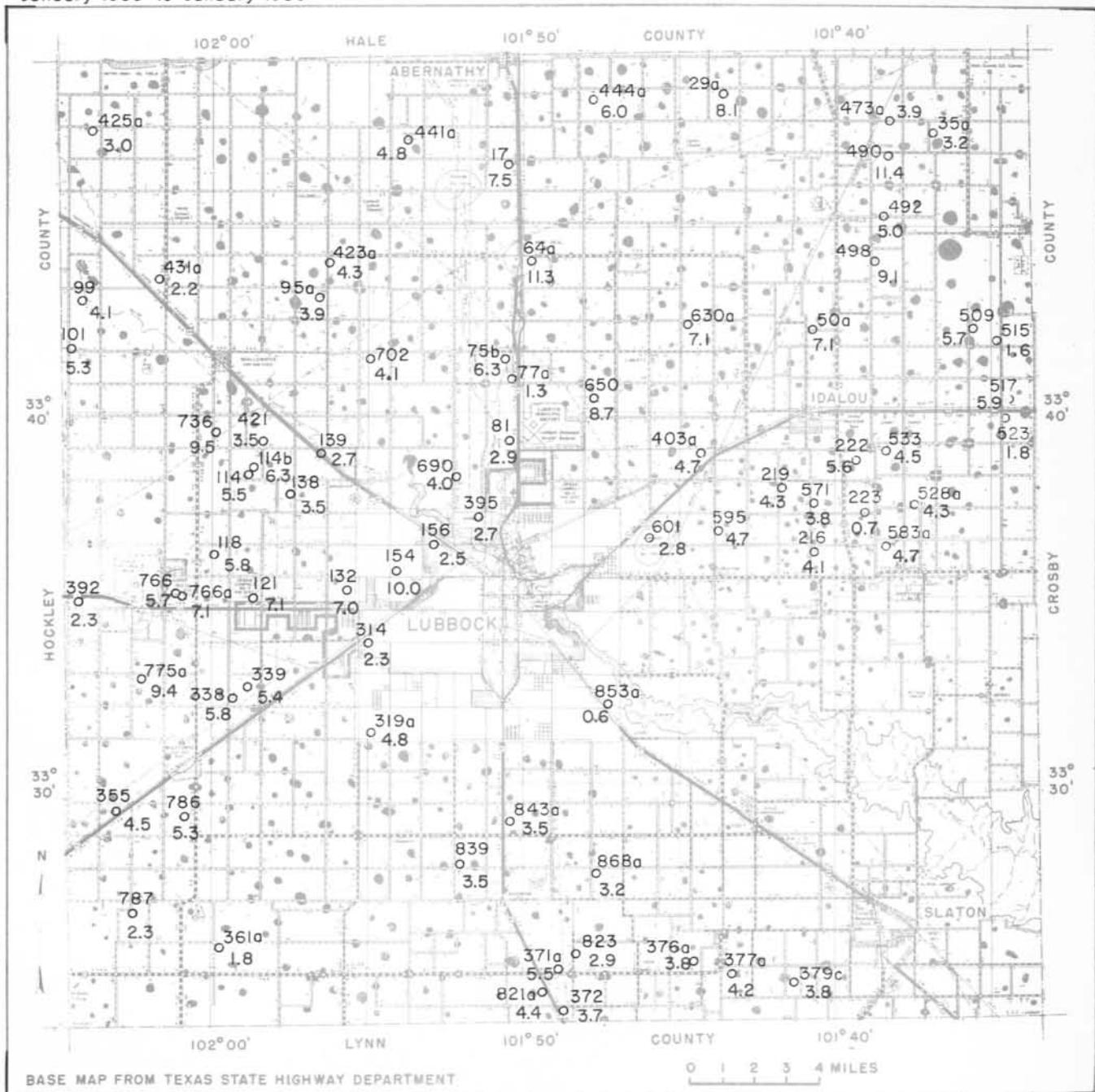
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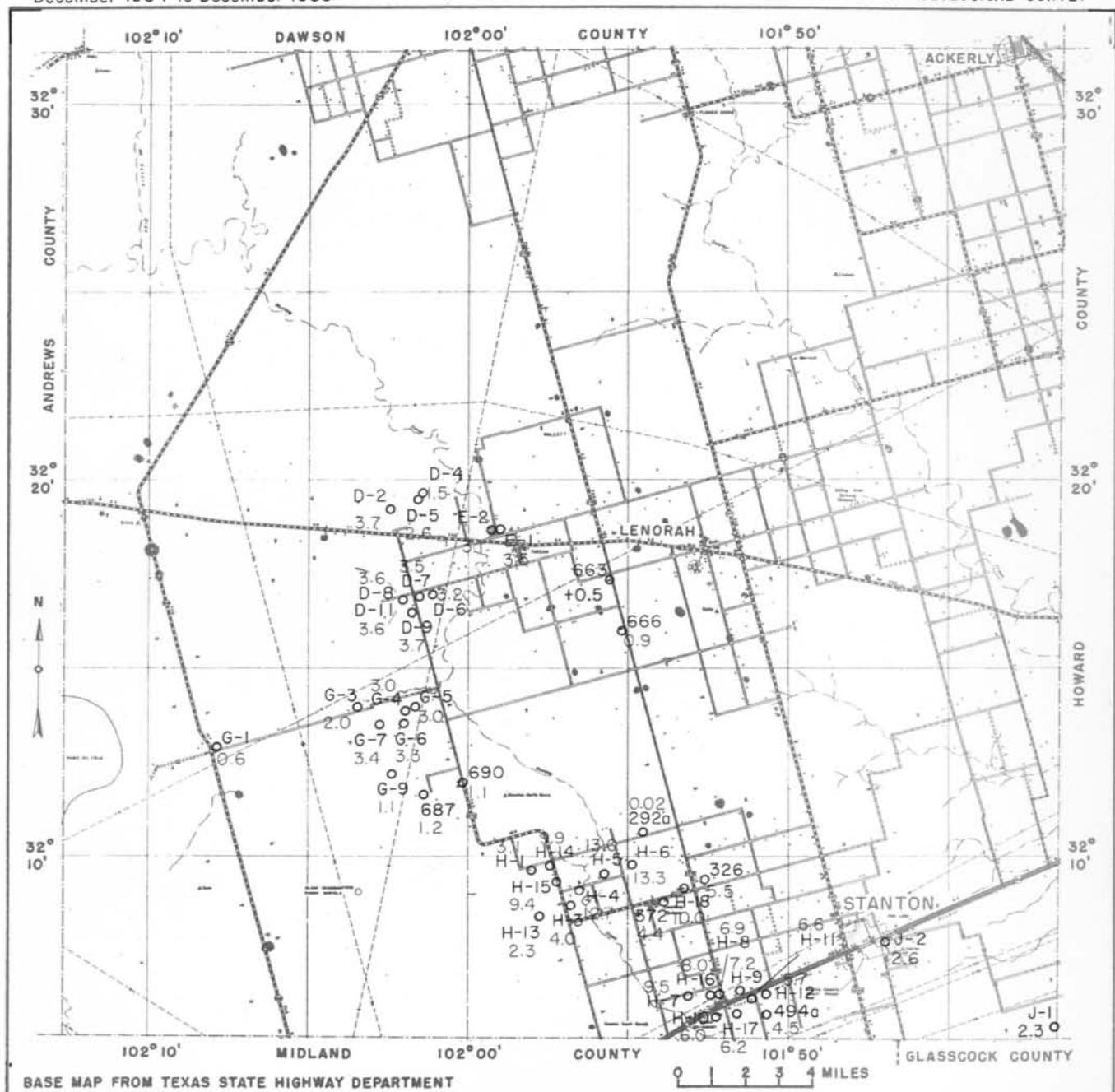
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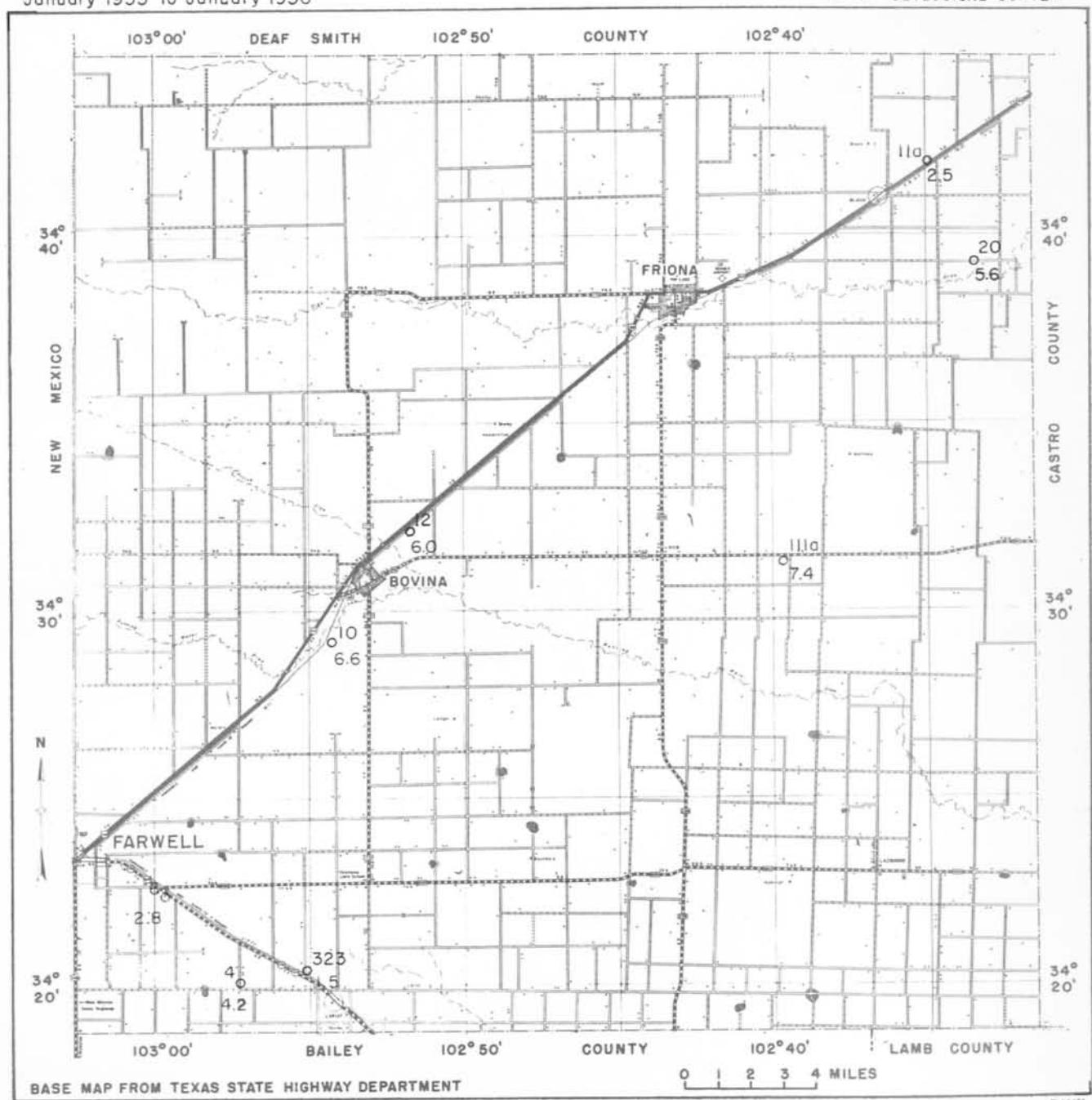
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FLUCTUATION OF WATER LEVELS
December 1954 to December 1955

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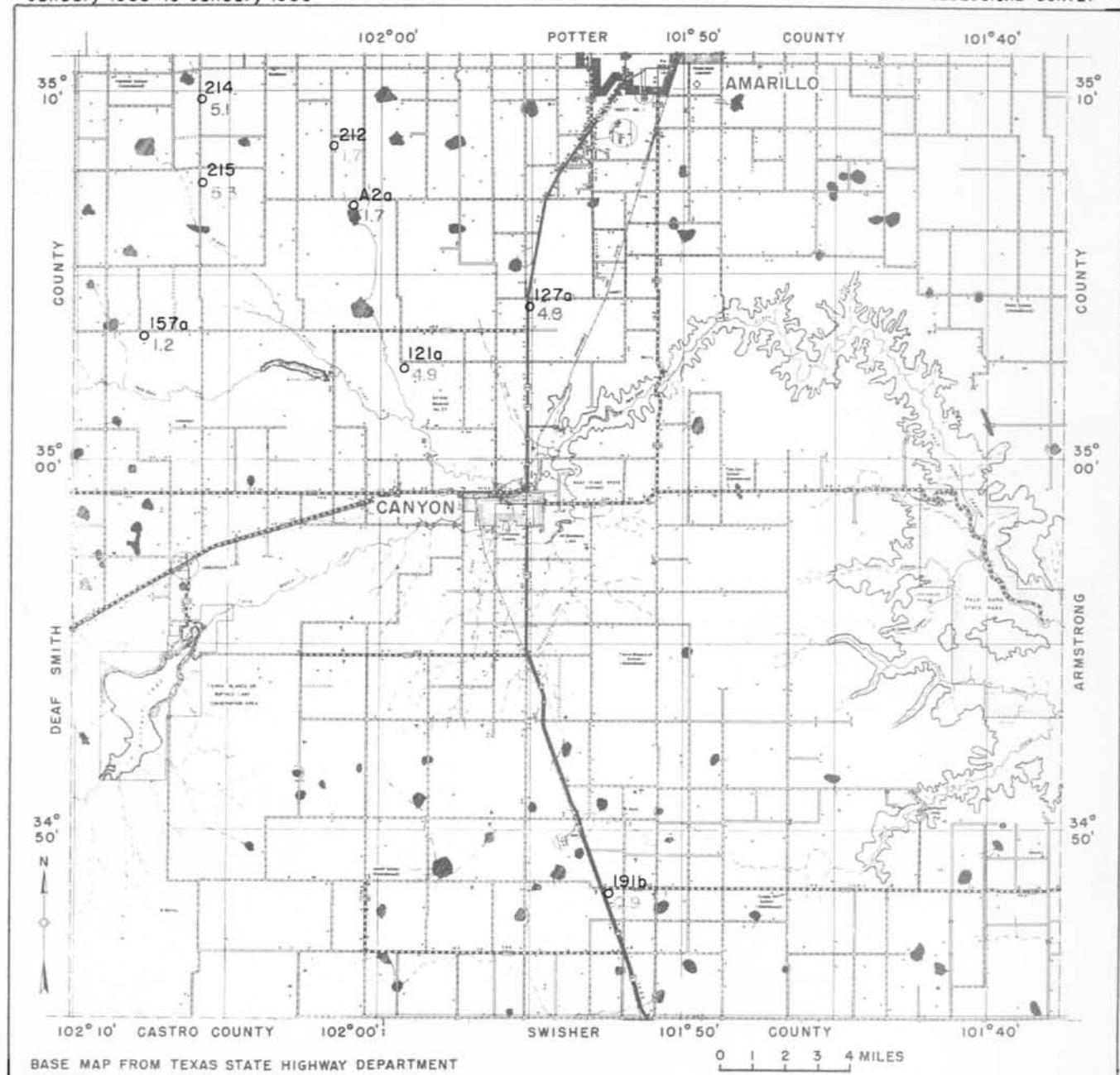


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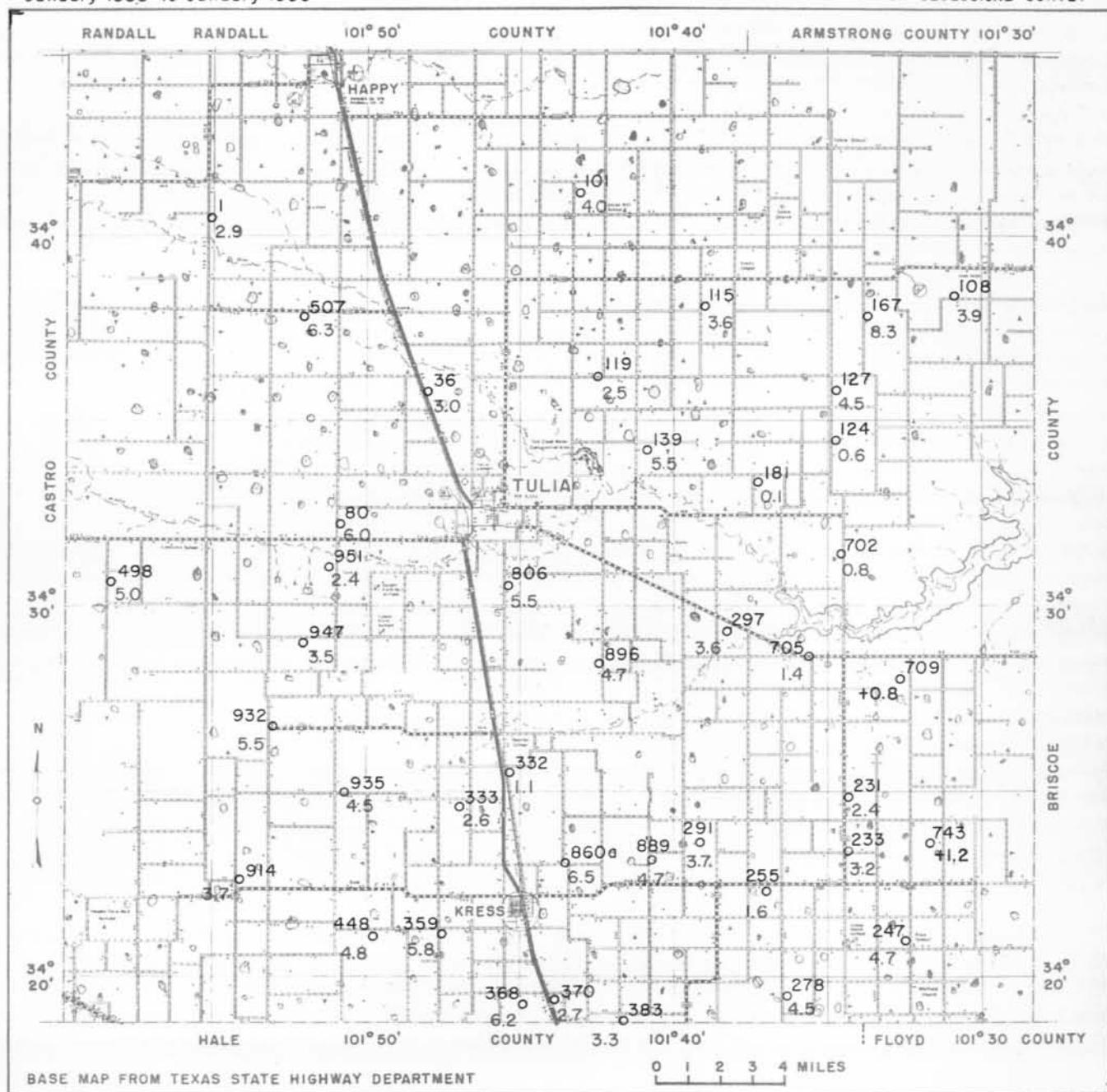
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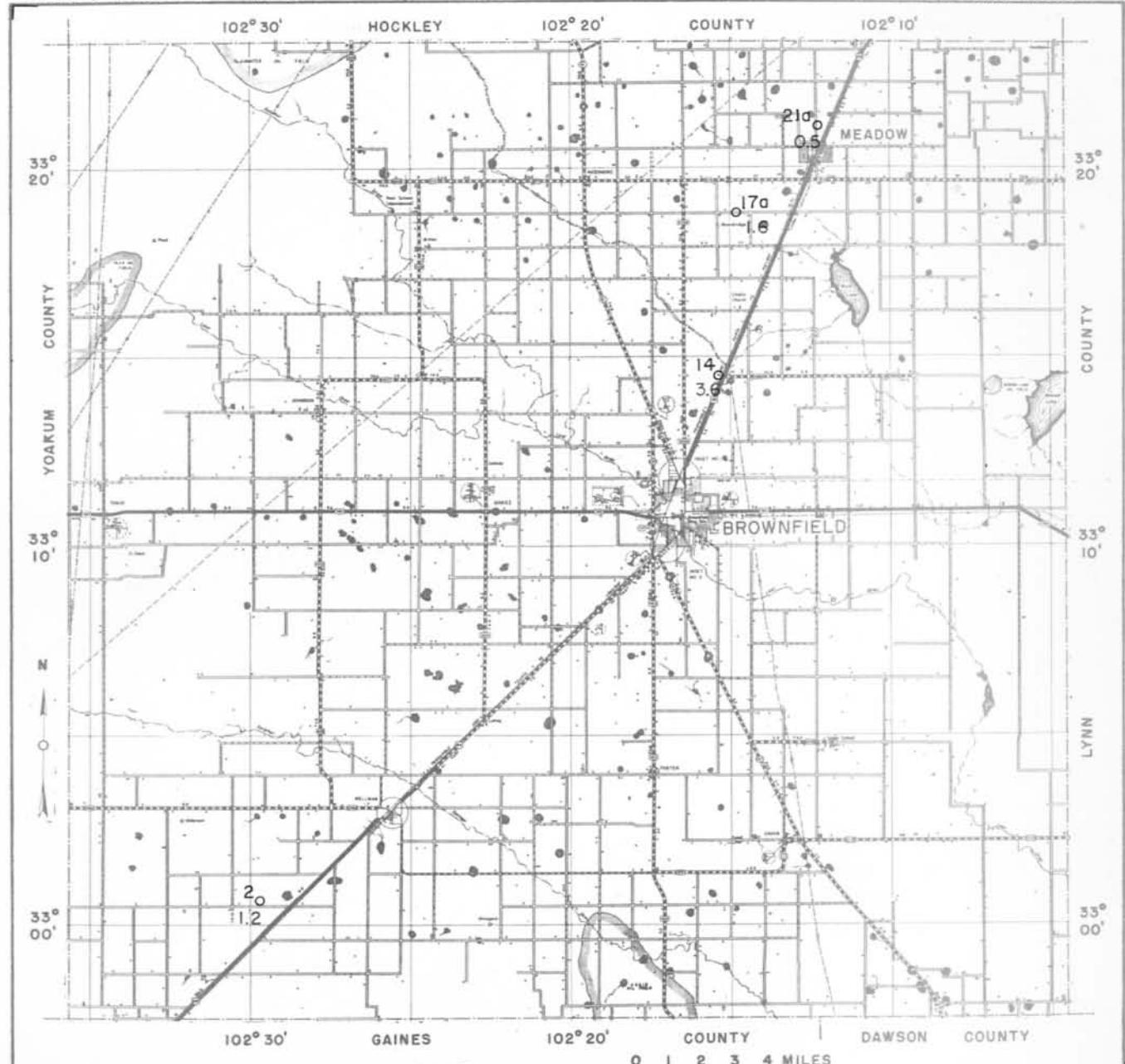
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