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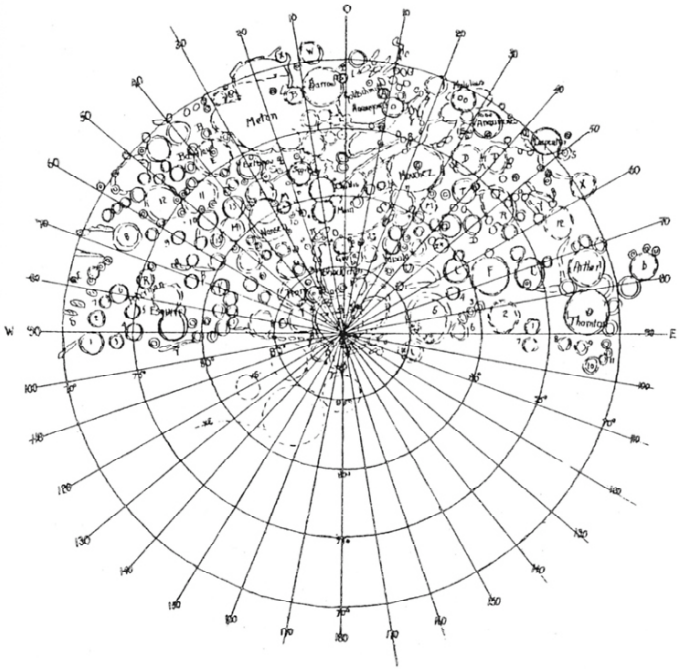
Projection of the Polar Regions from 70° Latitude to the Pole.



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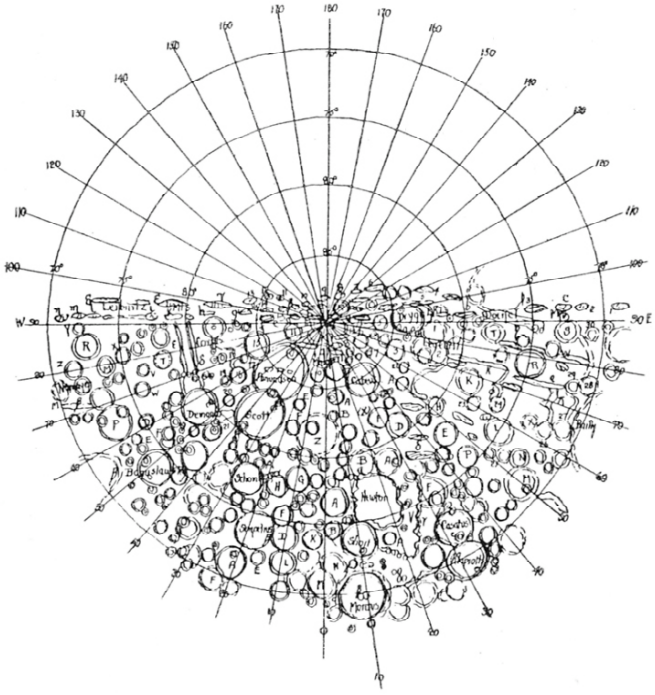

SOUTH POLAR.

Altitude:- Gioja J - 9000ft.
2 - 8000.
" 3&4 - 2500.
" 7 - 7000. (Long 174°47' Lat 86°44'N)
" Q - 9500.
" P - 9800.
" J - 8000.
Malapert Q - 25,500ft. (Long 5°E Lat 87°30'S)
" J - 26,000.
Lebnitz E - 30,000. (Long 57°W Lat 79°S)
" D - 26,000.
" Y - 27,100.

The Northern portion:-
Based on Observations by H.P.Wilkins & P.A.Moore.
The Southern portion:-
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Positions from measures by the Author.

South of Malapert, and close to the South Pole, is a great mountain (b), another further east beyond which is the ring H and, in extreme libration, the peaks 6-9 become visible but only their summits. The mountain 4, beyond Drygalski, is rarely to be seen.

The Author's measures are given for the principal features as follows:- Latitudes Only:-

Meton. 73°9'N; A 72°22'N; B 71°16'N; Q 70°55'N; T 73°45'N; Eudemon 76°25'N; C 75°57'N; Scoresby 77°38'N; A 80°4'N; L 81°7'N; H 81°30'N; N 82°19'N; Challis 79°26'N; Main 81°7'N; Gioja 83°14'N; A 84°53'N; B 86°23'N; Anaxagoras 73°33'N: Drygalski 84°5; Malapert 86°5; Cebæus 84°30'S: Shackelton 85°15'N; A 87°32'N; nearest crater to N. Pole 89°; Peary 86°30'N: Nansen 80°N; B 86°N:

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300-inch MAP OF THE MOON.

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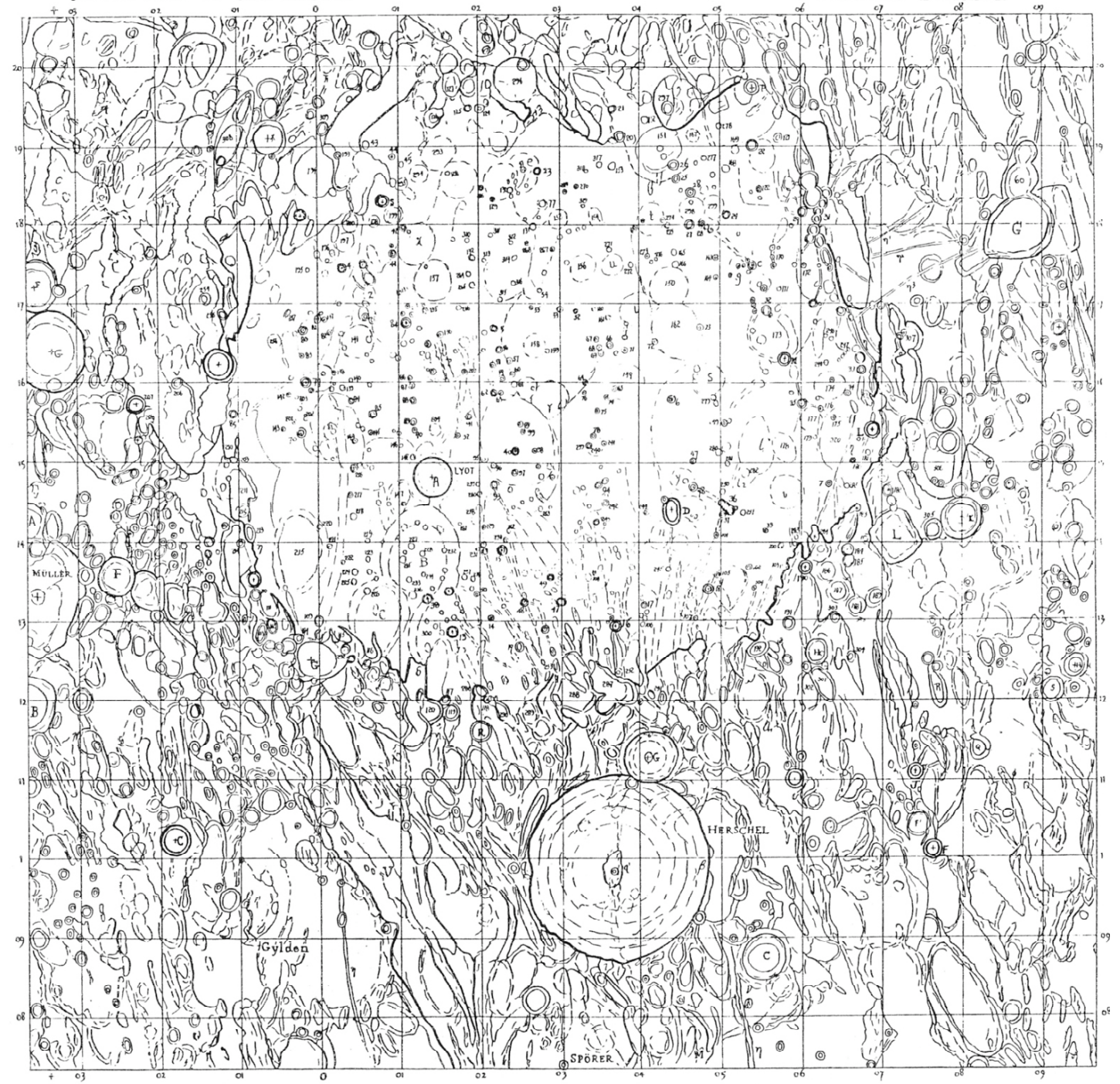

Full Scale, 7·2 miles to 1 inch. *Based on Mount Wilson, 1919, and Pic du Midi, 1945, photographs; and personal observations*

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From - Dr H. P. Wilkins
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W. J. G. Grant Jr
November 1958

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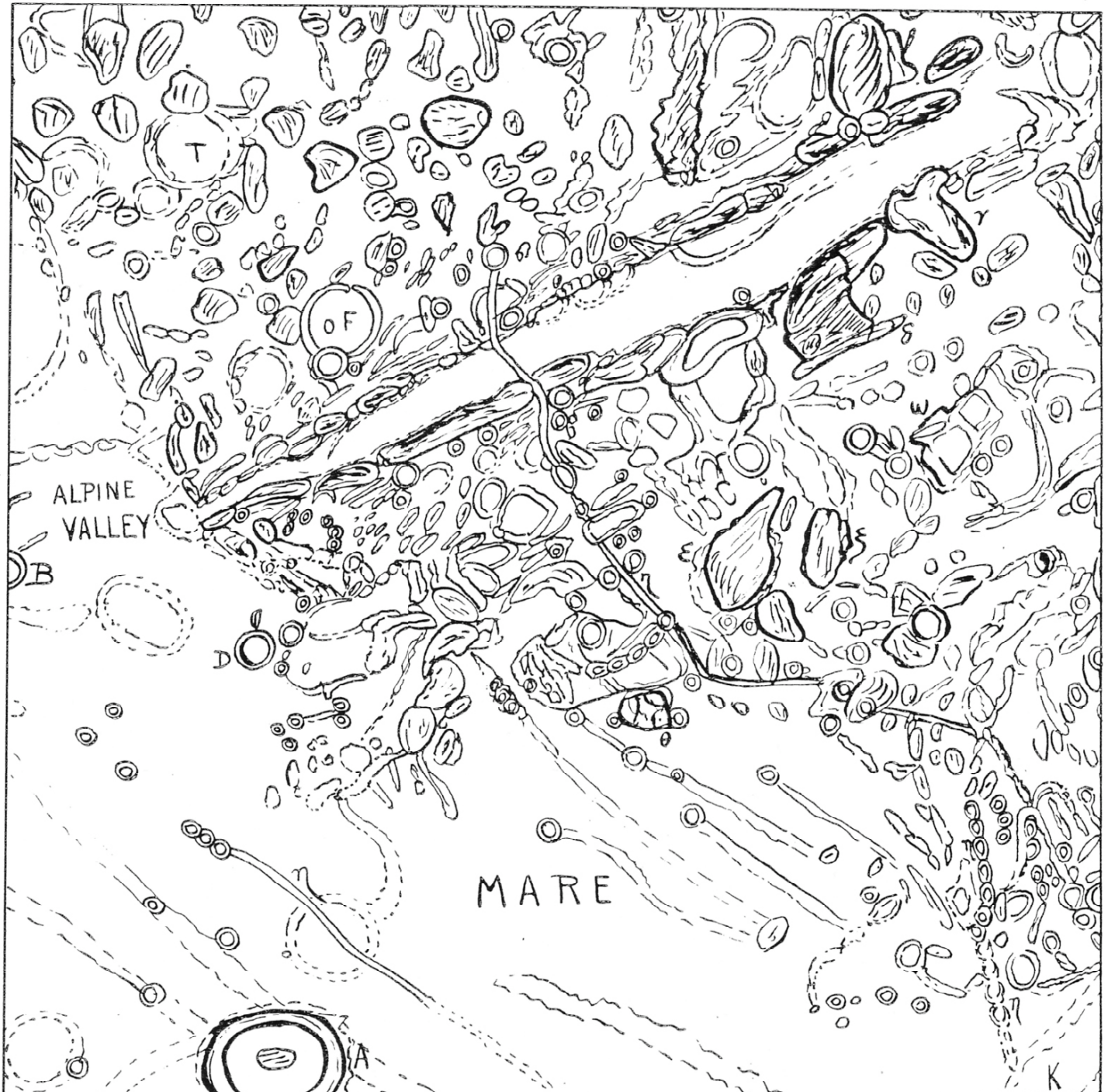

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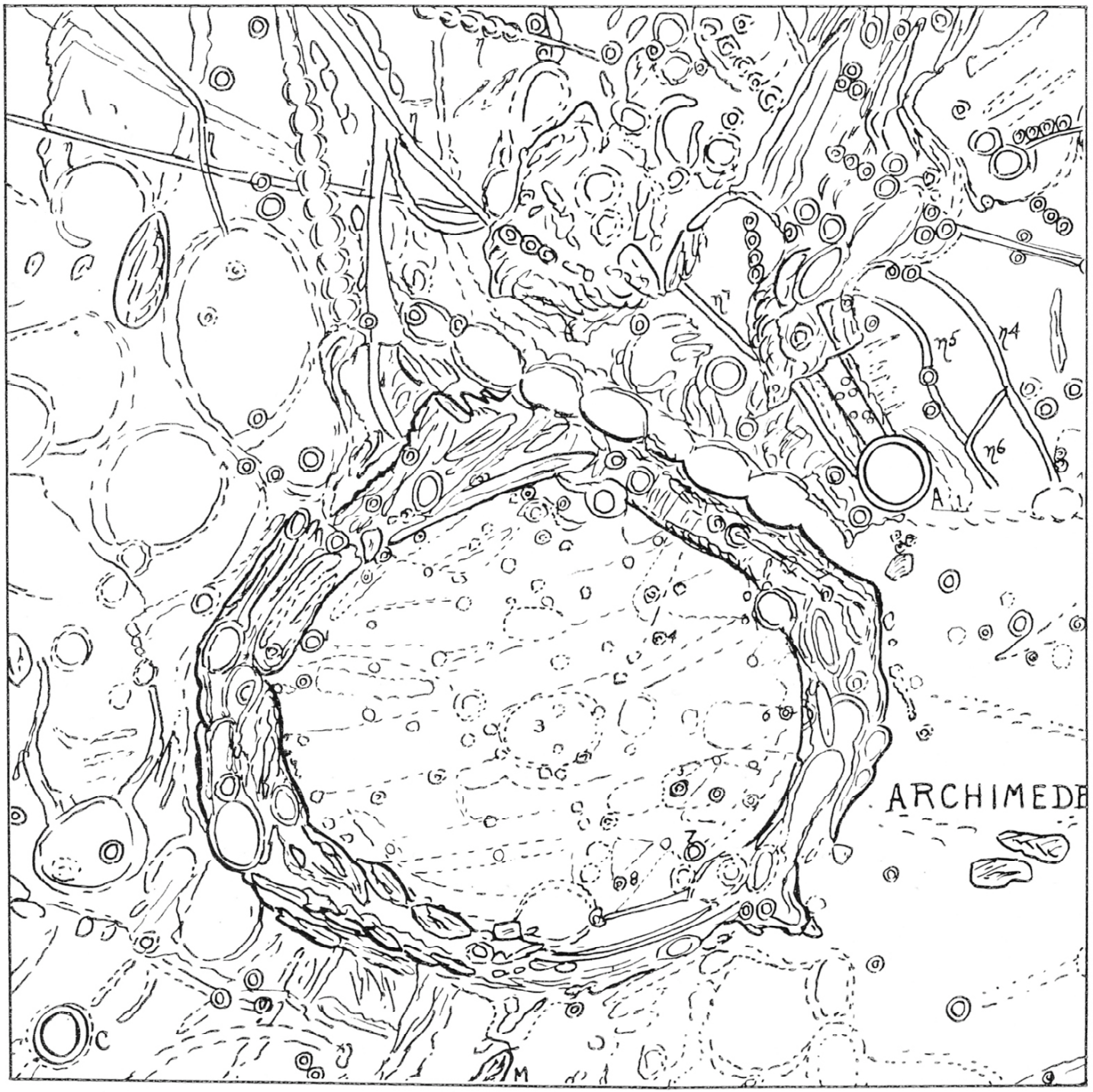
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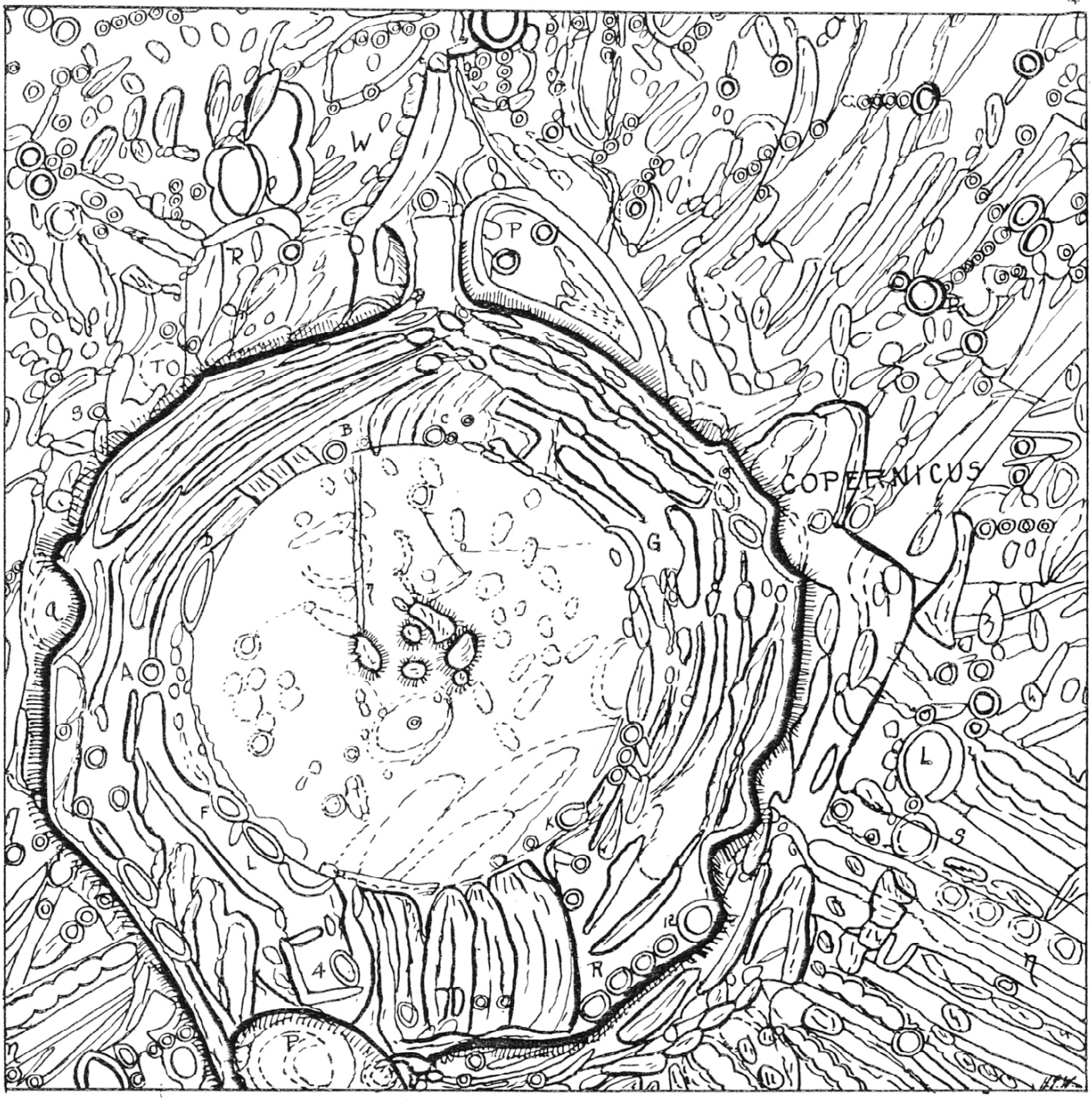
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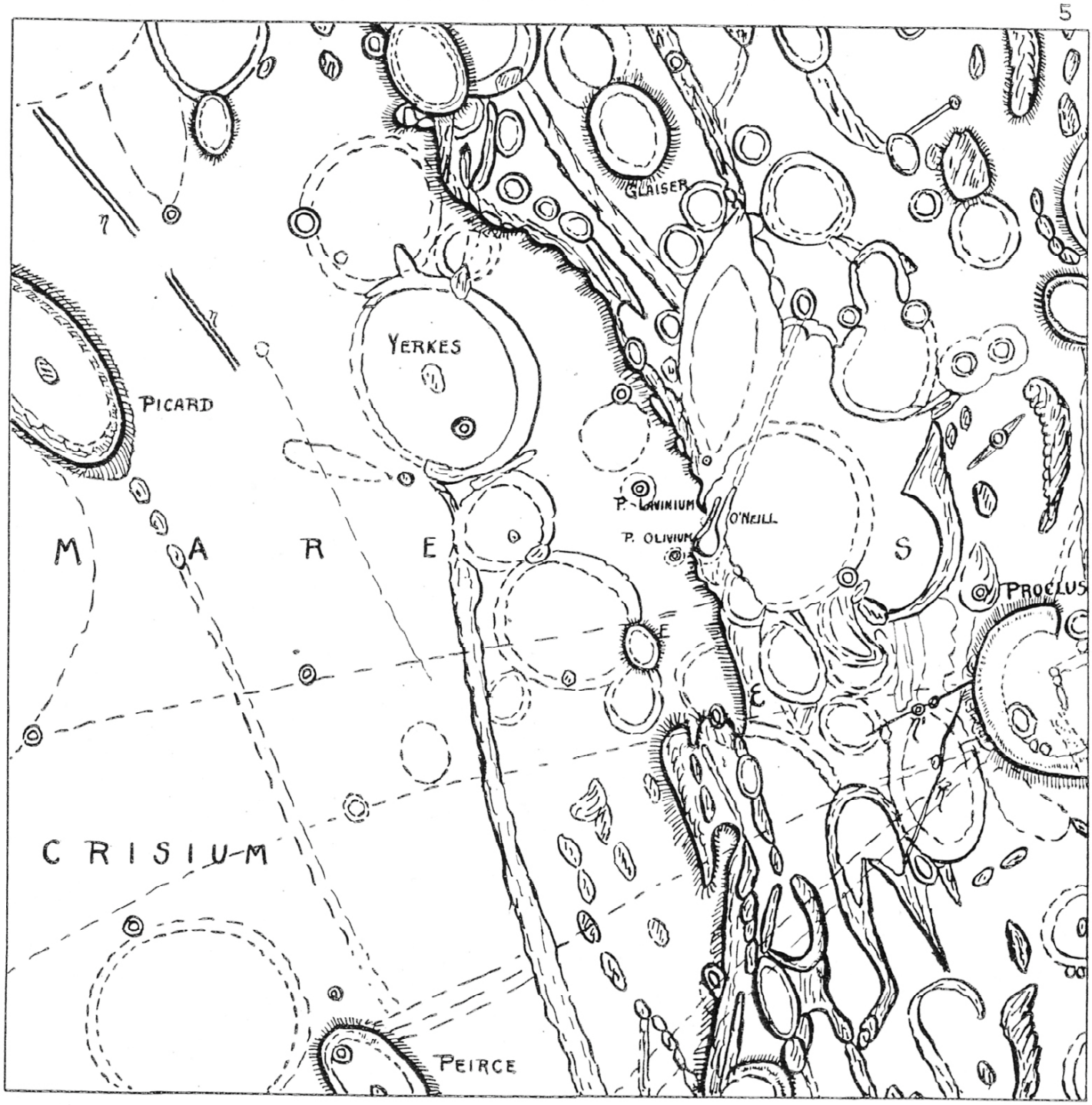
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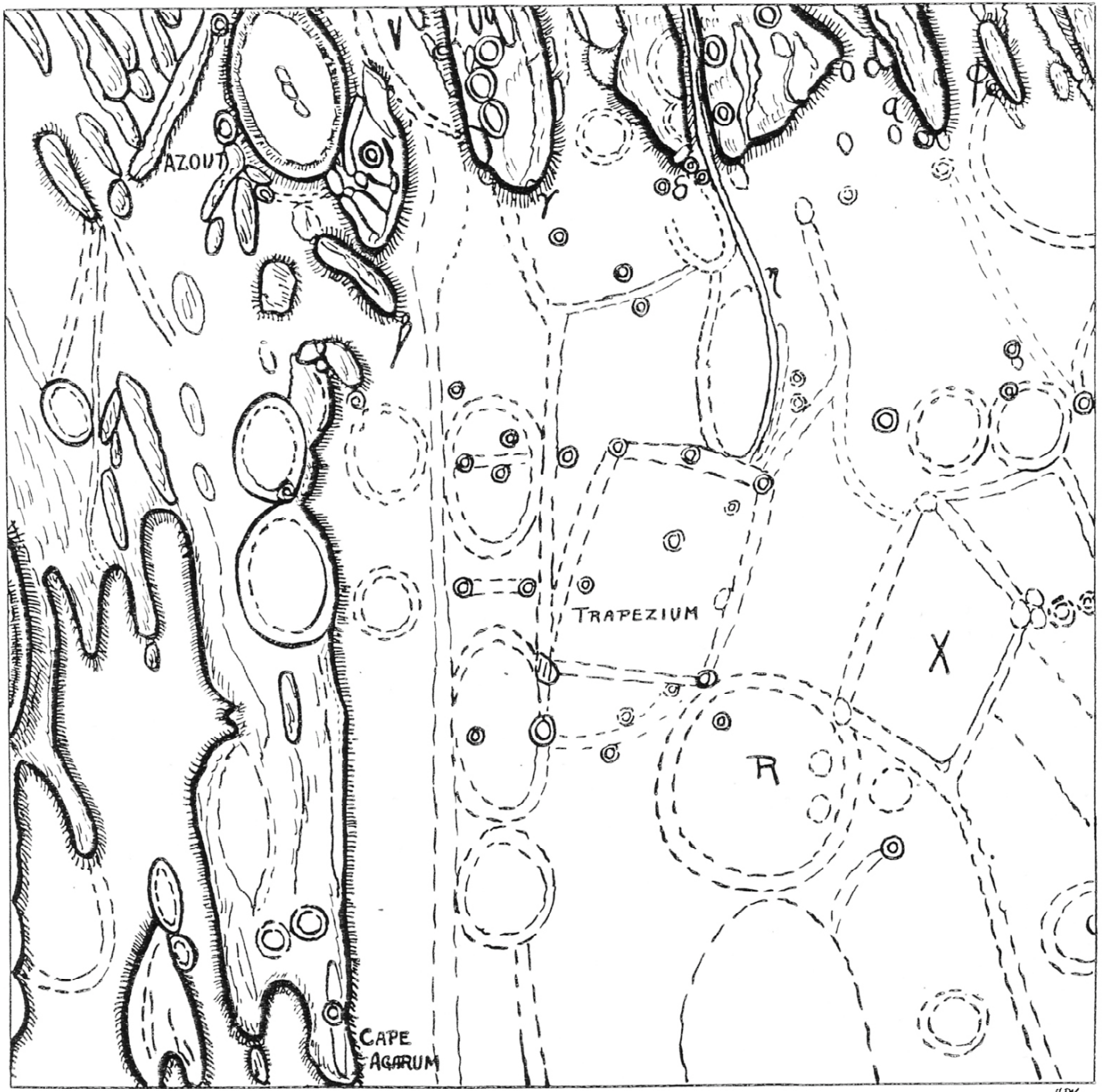
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