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The Marietta Works, one of the most interesting and best known of the complex type of enclosure, consisted of a square enclosing 50 acres in which were several rectangular flat topped mounds; and another square enclosing about 27 acres in conjunction with which is a large conical mound surrounded by a ditch and connected with the square by a supplementary wall or line. The two squares with their accompanying figures are not connected with one another and really constitute two separate groups.

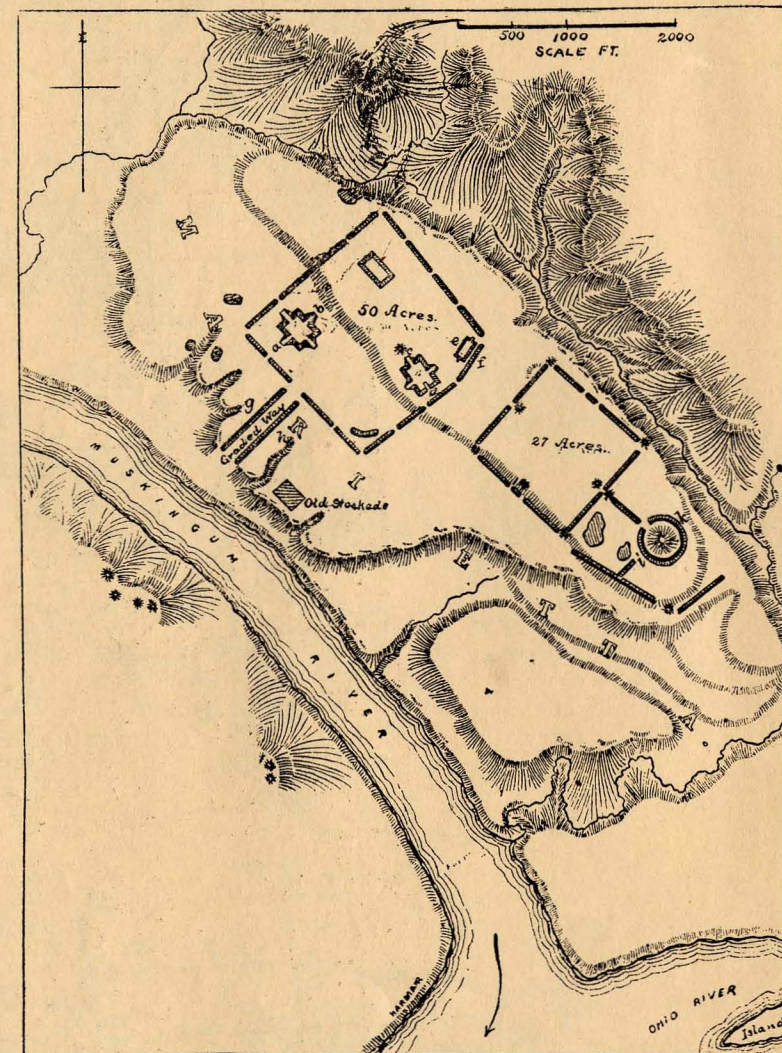
From the larger and more northerly of the two squares, there extends a "graded way" toward the river to the west. This graded way consisted of parallel earthen walls 680 feet long and 150 feet apart. When first observed, the surface of the passage was rounded and about 20 feet below the top of the walls.

The large mound connected with the smaller square is now a part of the public cemetery at Marietta and is a very imposing example of its class.

The valley of the Muskingum within the borders of Washington county is very rich in prehistoric remains. There are a total of 115 sites, of which 6 are enclosures, 102 mounds and 7 village sites.

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Townships.	Mounds.	Enclosures.	Village Sites.	Totals.
Waterford	13			
Adams	52	5	5	
Aurelius	3			
Salem	1			
Watertown	1			
Muskingum	23		2	
Warren	1			
Marietta	8	1		
Totals	102	6	7	115



Earthworks at Marietta.