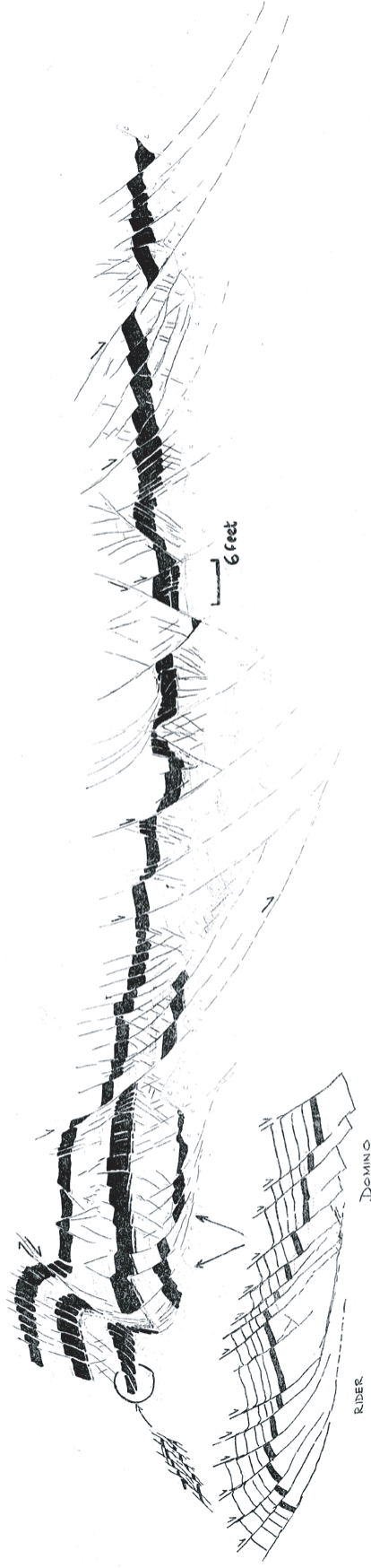


# **FIELD TRIP**



**LOOK AT THE TRUCKS!! —**



This drawing of Triassic strata located near the eastern side of the Boscobel quarry was made by Dr. Ramesh Venkatakrishnan, a former professor of geology at Old Dominion University. The exposure was along the upper part of the access road leading down into the quarry, Stop 5 in the guidebook of Goodwin and others (1985), and Stop 2 in the TSOP guidebook. The drawing illustrates the extensional nature of the faulting related to the formation of the Richmond Basin. Although the strata are within the Tuckahoe Group, the local geologic structure makes it impossible to assign them more precisely to either the barren beds or the productive coal measures. The dark marker beds in the drawing may represent coal beds and/or carbonaceous shale. Similar extensional faults occur within the Petersburg Granite in the main part of the quarry (see fig. 5 in the TSOP guidebook). Continual mining in the quarry and relocation of the roads constantly changes the geologic view available to itinerant geologists (Drawing courtesy of Bruce Faison, Luck Stone Company).



**THE DAMAGE AFTER HURRICAN ISABEL STRUCK —**



**THE DAY THE BEES WON: FIELD TRIPPERS 0 — BEES 50**