

through an open sluice, then spreads itself out over the basin, until gradually its violence diminishes. And this is plainly enough indicated by the sand-waves which are sculptured by it. In the east, where they are most exposed to its fiercest energy, they form

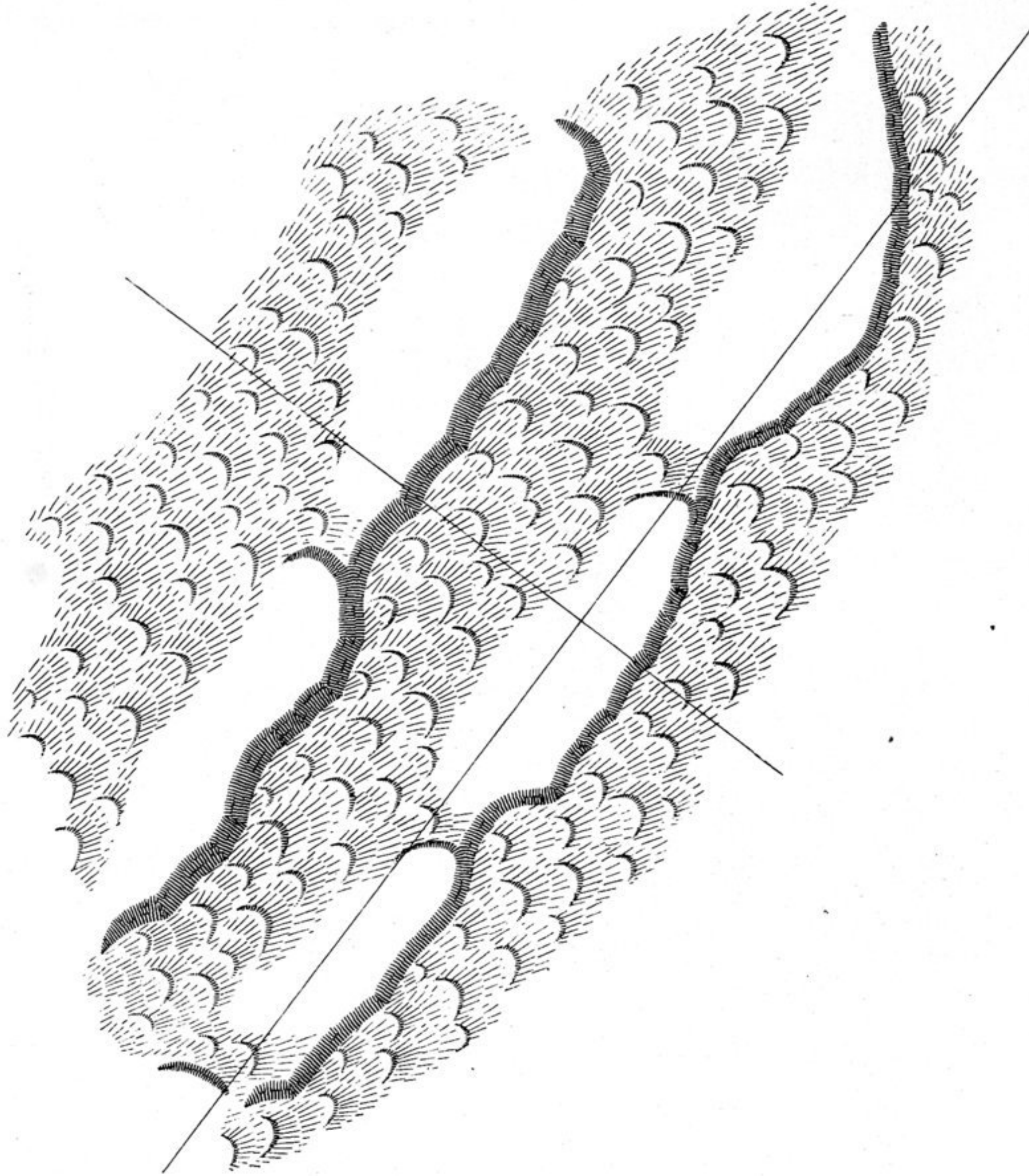


Fig. 317. SKETCH OF BAJIRS NO. 1, 2 AND 3. THE FIRST VERTICAL SECTION GOES FROM NE. TO SW., THE SECOND FROM SE. TO NW. ALONG THE TWO LINES CROSSING EACH OTHER.

elongated waves, distinctly outlined, corresponding to the breakers of the ocean. In the sand-waves the sand breaks and pours down over the leeward side; in the ocean-waves the water, too, breaks and goes over on the same side, though, as a con-