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An aerial, black and white photograph of a terraced hillside. The terraces are arranged in a series of curved, parallel lines that follow the contour of the slope. A road or path runs diagonally across the upper part of the image. Below the road, there is a large, rectangular field with distinct, parallel furrows or rows, suggesting agricultural use. The overall scene depicts a well-managed agricultural landscape.

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