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1. General, multi-period

L99/1

Huggett, J 1999 'The ACN Web Bot' Archaeol Comput Newsl54, 20-1

Comments on the results of DAPPER (Digital Archiving Pilot Project for Excavation Records), including the availability of digital data from the Royal Opera House excavations (Museum of London Archaeology Service) at the ADS website (http://ads.ahds.ac.uk/catalogue/).

L99/2

English Heritage 1999 Capital archaeology: strategies for sustaining the historic legacy of a world city

L99/3

Thomas, C Nixon, T, Malt, D (eds) 1999 MoLAS 99: annual review for 1998 London: Museum of London Archaeology Service

Reports on work carried out by the Museum of London Archaeology Service during 1998, including: heritage management, site assessments and field investigations, post-excavation analysis and publication, and teaching. There are lists detailing fieldwork projects, clients, staff, and publications.

L99/4

Hobbs, R 1999 'Showing our metal' Brit Archaeol 46, 7, pl.

Comments on growing links between metal detectorists and archaeologists and the role of Finds Liaison Officers working under the aegis of the Portable Antiquities Scheme in establishing such communication. Large quantities of artefacts have been unearthed from many rescue operations in the City of London as a result of using local detectorists to survey the site before excavation.

L99/5

Anon 1999 'Items of News' Kent Archaeol Rev 138, 182-3

A collection of reports from newspapers, archaeological publications and personal communication. Notes include the prehistoric bridge found in the Thames at Vauxhall, the establishment of the London Archaeological Archive and the seizure of over 300 metal objects from an American metal detectorist at Heathrow Airport.

L99/6

Anon 1999 'The Museum of London Archaeology Service' Current Archaeol 14 (6), 230-1

Interview with Taryn Nixon, head of the Museum of London Archaeology Service (MoLAS.) Considers the organisation of MoLAS, the impact of PPGI6 and the future for MoLAS.

L99/7

Crummy, N 1999 'Bodies of evidence' Rescue News 77, 3

Considers how the Museum of London, under the Directorship of Simon Thurley, is changing to combat the problem of falling attendance. In particular, the recent exhibition of human pathology through the ages, *London Bodies*, is examined, along with its accompanying publication.

L99/8

Swain, H 1998 'Displaying our ancestors' Archaeologist 33, 14-15

Discusses the Museum of London's London Bodies temporary exhibition (opened Ocober 1998), especially the ethical issues associated with the display of human remains.

Log/o

Anon 1999 'News' [of industrial archaeology] Ind Archaeol News 108, 10-13

Brief reports including: the launch of The Industrial Trust by the National Trust; consultation on World Heritage Sites; MPP and Surrey's limeworks; the potential threat posed by 'enabling works' associated with developments such as at St Pancras Station.

L99/10

Swain, H 1999 'Taking London Archaeology to Londoners' London Archaeol 9 (1) 3-5

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Maloney, C, Holroyd, I 1999 London Fieldwork and Publication Round-up 1998 London Archaeol 9 supp. 1

2. Palaeolithic and Mesolithic

00/12

White, M, Mitchell, J, Bridgland, D McNabb, J 1999 'Rescue excavations at an Acheulean site at Southend Road, South Woodford, London Borough of Redbridge, E18 (TQ 407 905)' Archaeol J 155, 1-21

The first full account of excavations conducted in 1975 after the discovery of a handaxe during construction of the MII motorway. The axelay on Pleistocene gravels of the River Roding, and is shown to have formed part of a low-density, probably *insitu*, scatter of Earlier Palaeolithic artefacts. Includes discussion of the geological stratigraphy, reports on the bifaces and other lithic artefacts, and results of microscopic use-wear analysis.

L99/13

Haughey, F 1999 'The archaeology of the Thames: prehistory within a dynamic landscape' London Archaeol 9 (1), 16-21

L99/14

Sidell, J, Giorgi, J, Pipe, A 1999 'Environmental Archaeology in London 1995-98, part 1' London Archaeol 9 (3), 67-71

3. Neolithic

(see also 99/13)

L99/15

Bates, J, Minkin, J 1999 'Laf one Street, Southwark - prehistoric farming and a medieval bridge' London Archaeol 8 (12) 325-30

L99/16

Ridgeway, V 1999 'Prehistoric finds at Hopton Street in Southwark' London Archaeol 9 (3), 72-6

4. Bronze Age

(see also 99/13, 99/14, 99/16)

L99/17

Proctor, J 1999 'Late Bronze Age/Early Iron Age placed deposits from Carshalton' London Archaeol 9 (2), 54-60

s. Iron Age

(see also 99/13, 99/14, 99/17)

6. Roman

(see also 99/40)

L99/18

Ackworth, JR M 1999 'Bexleyheath to Crayford: a Roman road under south east London' *Dartford Dist Archaeol Group Newsl* 94. 3-4

Brief note of evidence for the the line of the road, derived from early maps and topographical observations.

L99/19

Morris, J 1999 Londinium: London in the Roman Empire Phoenix, Phoenix Giants series

I 00/20

Goodburn, D 1999 'The evidence for the introduction of the Mediterranean 'stone pine' to Roman England' NewsWARP 25, 19-22

Reports that fragments of wood found on excavations at London's Roman amphitheatre site have been identified as stone pine (*Pinus pinea*). This non-native tree produces edible pine nuts and previous finds of cones have been considered to have been imported – however, the latest evidence is thought to prove that the stone pine was actually being grown in Roman London.

L99/21

Goodburn, D 1996 'A mystery object of ash' NewsWARP19, 39 & 38

Illustrates a wooden object of unidentified function. This is one of two from Roman contexts in London, and examples are also known from Roman Carlisle.

L99/22

Schofield, J 1999 'From frontier town to stately capital' *Brit Archaeol* 43, 12-13

Roman London -- first of three articles (see also 99/27 & 99/34).

L99/23

Hall, J 1999 'A fine and private place: the Roman sarcophagus found in Spitalfields, London' Rescue News 78

Reports on the discovery and examination of a burial in a lead coff in within a stone sarcophagus, found in March 1999 during excavation of a Roman and medieval cemetery site. Glass and jet objects date the burial to the 4th century AD.

L99/24

Bird, D 1999 'Early days at Richborough and Londinium' London Archaeol 8 (12), 33I-4

L99/29

Askew, P with Badham, S, Humphrey, S 1999 'Excavations at 8 and 10-18 London Bridge Street' London Archaeol 9 (2), 39-46

7. Early medieval

(see also 99/25)

I 00/26

Schofield, J 1999 Building of London: from the Conquest to the Great Fire Sutton Publishing, 3rd rev ed

L99/27

Schofield, J 1999 'Saxon London in a tale of two cities' Brit Archaeol 44, 12-13

Second of three articles -- see also 99/22 and 99/34.

L99/28

Cowie, R with Blackmore, L 1999 'Excavation and mitigation in Lundenwic a case study' London Archaeol 8 (12), 311-9

L99/29

Clark, J 1999 'King Alfred's London and London's King Alfred' London Archaeol 9 (2), 35-8

L99/30

Bowsher, J 1999 'Saxon foreshore at Temple Place' London Archaeol 9 (3), 82-9

8. Later medieval

(see also 99/15, 99/25, 99/26)

L00/3

Parnell, G 1998 The Tower of London. Past and Present Sutton Publishing

L99/32

Cowie, R, Pipe, A 1999 'A late medieval and Tudor horse burial ground at Elverton Street, Westminster' Archaeol J 155, 226-51

Summarises the results of excavations conducted on adjacent sites, numbers 1 and 17 Elverton Street, during 1994 and 1996 respectively. Thirty-one pits contained the articulated skeletal remains of dismembered horses, while four pits contained fully articulated dog skeletons. Analysis of the bones indicates that most of the horses were male, stockily built; the carcasses had been skilfully dismembered and some may have been skinned, but there was no direct evidence for meat removal. Roman and medieval tile and pottery finds are thought to have been residual. 'Early post-medieval pottery from the 17th-century sand pit' is covered by Jacqueline Pearce (237-9), while 'The horseshoes' are examined by John Clark (239-40).

L99/33

Jefferson, L 1999 'Neville, Babthorpe and the serjeants: three fifteenth-century feast menus' Oxoniensia 63, 1998, 241-9

A report on dinners which probably took place in Oxford and London in 1427-28. A glossary of ingredients is included (248-9).

L99/34

Schofield, J 1999 'When London became a European capital' *Brit Archaeol* 45, 12-13, pls.

Medieval London -- see also 99/22 and 99/27.

L99/35

Anon 1999 'London's Monasteries' Current Archaeol 14 (6), 204-14

Review of recentarchaeological work at St John Clerkenwell, St Mary Clerkenwell, St Mary Stratford Langthorne, St Mary Graces, Bermondsey, Merton and the hospital of St Mary Spitalfields.

L99/36

Phillpotts, C 1999 'The Metropolitan Palaces of medieval London' *London Archaeol* 9 (2), 47-53

9. Post-medieval to present

(see also 99/32)

L99/37

Egan, G 1999 'All Tudor life in a disused fishpond' Brit Archaeol 47

Discusses excavations from a site opposite the Tower of London which yielded a large number of previously rare items from everyday Tudor life. Shoes, buckles, pewter toys, armour and many other finds were unearthed from what was originally a medieval fishpond which became disused, possibly in a period of decline in the fish tradeafter the Reformation. The wall of the fishpond was supported with the remains of a 13th-century ship.

299/38

Phillpotts, C 1999 'Landscape into townscape: an historical and archaeological investigation of the Limehouse area, east London' *Landscape Hist* 21, 59-76

A study of the Limehouse area, combining historical and archaeological evidence, provides a model for the historical development of the Docklands area. Considers the role of the exploitation of marshlands in the prehistoric era, medieval and early

medieval riverside industry and the later developments associated with the Port of London.

L99/39

Lack, W 1997 'Conservation of brasses, 1996' Trans Monumental Brass Soc 16(1), 1997, 76-91

Notes on the restoration and repair of various memorials including a longer section on North Ockendon, Essex.

L99/40

Meekums, M 1999 'An ancient trackway in the Upper Cray Valley?' Archives Orpington Dist Archaeol Soc 21 (4), 60-5

Considers the existence of an old road or track which linked settlements along the River Cray, based on field surveys and observations and a study of maps from 1722, 1769, 1778 and 1871. The addendum notes a new publication on Roman roads in north-west Kent.

L99/41

Homer, R F 1999 'A London pewterer's workshop in 1551' Antiq I 79, 245-55

Presents a transcription of a documentary fragment found in the archives of the worshipful Company of Pewterers, which provides a unique insight into 16th-century pewterer's workshop practices.

L99/42

Gaimster, D & Goodall, J A 1999 'A Tudor parcel-gilt livery badge from Chelsham, Surrey' Antiq J 79, 392-99

Describes a metal-detector find: a badge depicting a female figure in silver-gilt with traces of enamel. The object is dated to the first half of the 16th century and is thought to be a crest of the Gainsford family of Crowhurst, Surrey.

L99/43

Crosby, T 2000 'The development of malthouses around the Hertfordshire-Essex border' *Ind Archaeol Rev* 22(I), 39-

L99/44

Divers, D 2000 'Excavation of post-medieval wharf side buildings, Dunbar Wharf, Narrow Street, Limehouse, 1996' Ind Archaeol Rev 22(1), 53-

L99/49

Blatherwick, S 1999 'The Rose rises: new exhibition at the site of the Rose' [Theatre, Southwark, London] Rescue News 78, 4-5

Outlines how the remains of the Tudor playhouse have been preserved since their discovery in 1989 and describes how the basement in which it now lies has been adapted for use as a public exhibition.

L99/46

Byrne, A 1999 'Managing the maritime glories of Greenwich' [London] Engl Heritage Conserv Bull 35, 6-7

Discusses procedures for the protection and management of the World Heritage Site that includes the Royal Naval College and Royal Observatory, the Royal Park and the town itself, along with many archaeological remains.

L99/47

Brickley, M & Howell, P G T 1999 'Measurement of changes in trabecular bone structure with age in an archaeological population' *J Archaeol Sci* 26 (2), 151-7

The fourth lumbar vertebral bodies of 79 18th- to 19th-century individuals from St Bride's Lower Churchyard (Farringdon Street) and Cross Bones Burial Ground (Southwark) were studied using a digital stereocomparator. Significant differences between sexes and ages were noted.

L99/48

McMaster, I 1999 'The Cressener lords of Mount Bures: a Chancery case of 1731 & the Cressener Cup' Colchester Archaeol Grp Annu Bull 38, 5-11

Discusses post-medieval wills and legal documents relating to the family who held the manor of Mount Bures. A silver-gilt cup dated 1503 -- now in the collection of Goldsmiths' Hall, London -- is identified as that mentioned in a 1722 will.

L99/49

Anon 'Regional news' Ind Archaeol News 109, 13-15

Includes news reports on industrial archaeology from 'Greater London' by Robert Carr (13-14).

L99/50

Haselgrove, D, van Loo, J 1999 'Pieter van den Anker and imports of Frechen stoneware bottles and drinking pots in Restoration London c 1660-67' *Post-Medieval Archaeol* 32, 1998, 45-74

Discusses the association of a significant group of Frechen bottles and drinking pots of with an individual London trader (P van den Anker) during the 1660s. An appendix comprises 'Pieter van den Ancker's complaint at Dordrecht, 1664: texts and translation Gemeentelijk Archief van Drodrecht' (69-71).

L99/5

Pearce, J 1999 'A rare deftware Hebrew plate and associated assemblage from an excavation in Mitre Street, City of London' Post-Medieval Archaeol 32, 1998, 95-112

Report that recent re-examination of a group of finds from a 1984 watching brief at 12-14 Mitre Street has identified a plate decorated with an inscription in Hebrew characters that was probably manufactured in Lambeth. The inscription identifies it as part of a set required by the observance of Jewish dietary laws. Dateable on stylistic grounds to the 1720s, the plate forms part of a large assemblage of domestic pottery and other artefacts deposited in the 1740s, by a middle-class Jewish household. John Schofield (95-6) contributes a note on 'Documentary evidence'. An appendix gives tables of 'The pottery from MIR84 context [100] by fabric and form' (108-10).

L99/52

Schofield, J 1999 'City of London gardens, 1500-c. 1620' Garden Hist 27 (1), 73-88

L99/53

Impey, E 1999 'Getting rid of shallow water' London Archaeol 8 (12), 320-4

L99/54

Divers, D, Jarrett, C 1999 'Excavations at the mouth of Deptf ord Creek, Greenwich Reach' London Archaeol 9 (1), 6-15

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Chew, S, Pearce, J 1999 'A pottery assemblage from à 17th-century channel at 12-26 Magdalene Street, Southwark' *London Archaeol* 9 (1), 22-9

L99/56

Cowan, C 1999 'Excavations at Mount Vernon, Frognal Rise, Hampstead' London Archaeol 9 (3), 77-81

L00/57

Gaimster, D (ed) 1999 Maiolica in the North: the archaeology of tin-glazed earthenware in north-west Europe *British Museum Occasional Papers* 122

Includes report on the group of tin-glazed wares from Holy Trinity Priory