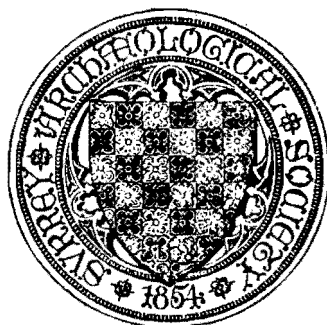


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# Abbreviations

<i>Antiq.</i>	<i>Antiquity</i>
<i>Antiq. J.</i>	<i>Antiquaries Journal</i>
<i>Arch.</i>	<i>Archaeologia</i>
<i>Arch. Cant.</i>	<i>Archaeologia Cantiana</i>
<i>Arch. J.</i>	<i>Archaeological Journal</i>
<i>Brit. Arch. Reports</i>	<i>British Archaeological Reports</i>
CBA	Council for British Archaeology
F	Feature
JBA A	<i>Journal of the British Archaeological Association</i>
<i>Lond. Arch.</i>	<i>London Archaeologist</i>
<i>Med. Arch.</i>	<i>Medieval Archaeology</i>
Mon.	<i>Monograph.</i>
OS	Ordnance Survey
<i>Oxon.</i>	<i>Oxoniensia</i>
PH	Post hole
PRO	Public Record Office
PPS	<i>Proceedings of the Prehistoric Society</i>
Soc. Antiq. Scot.	Society of Antiquaries of Scotland
Soc. Med. Arch.	Society for Medieval Archaeology
SxAC	<i>Sussex Archaeological Collections</i>
SyAC	<i>Surrey Archaeological Collections</i>
SyAS	Surrey Archaeological Society
VCH	<i>Victoria County History of Surrey</i>

For abbreviations used in the pottery descriptions see p. 24.