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 Excavation of Iron Age ditch at Quinton House, School, Upton, Northampton (top right)
 The 1930s Douglas Garage, Sheep Street, Northampton (centre right)
 An 18th-century Chinese export serving plate from a rubbish pit at Little Houghton (bottom right)
 The cover of the West Cotton, Raunds monograph (bottom left)

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