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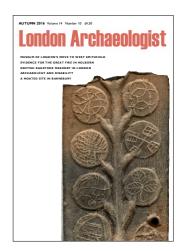
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One half of a stone token mould discovered during the excavations at the former General Post Office, Newgate Street, 1975-79. Designs include a lamb and flag - the agnus dei – as well as simple geometric and floral patterns. Tokens were made throughout the 15th-18th centuries at times when there was a lack of low denomination currency in circulation. They would be used by tradesmen relying on the trust of businesses in small neighbourhoods to accept these pieces. Artefacts from the excavations feature in a new free exhibition, Delivering The Past, at the Museum of London through January 2017. For further details see Mosaic, p. 284.

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