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Analysis using a new radiocarbon procedure showed that this sherd came from a vessel used for cooking meat while others were used for dairy products.

The sherds were found in pits at Principal Place, Spitalfields, where MOLA has also excavated part of the northern Roman cemetery and where a late Roman gold and silver coin hoard was found (see cover image LA 15.11). Full accounts of both will be published in *Transactions LAMAS* (forthcoming).

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