


REPORT ON A SOIL SAMPLE FROM STONE HOUSE, MUCH PARK STREET, COVENTRYBy Helen C M Keeley

A soil sample from Stone House, Coventry (sample no SS 1, AM No 732900) was sorted to examine the constituents, as requested by the excavator (G Astill). The only information received relating to the sample was that it came from . This sample contained a few bone fragments, 2 of which could be identified ie. both sheep, 1st phalanx (identified by A Locker) - probably 2 bits of the same bone. Also found were a piece of coal and some charcoal fragments. Most of the charcoal appeared to be Oak.

Samples of this type are useless, especially when no additional information as to context, reason why sample was taken, etc. is provided.