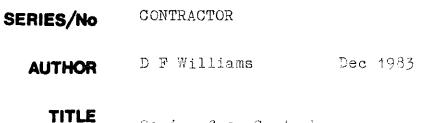
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A sherd from a Ritterling 5 cup was sent for thin sectioning and study under the petrological microscope as part of a current programme of petrological analysis of arretine and early samian. The examination showed that at this stage in the programme it was difficult to parallel the Canterbury sherd with material attributable to the main arretine and early samian production centres (Williams, 1978; Jefferson, Dannell and Williams, 1981).

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