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A group of forty-six bones of post-mediaeval date were recovered during excavation . Some seven layers were involved , and one layer (layer 2) contained the radius and ulna of a young pig , almost certainly of very modern origin .

The following species were identified :

Species	Nb. Frags	Species	No. Frags
Horse	1	Goose (dom.)	1
Pig	6	Pigeon (1 indiv.)	6
Sheep or Goat	4	Fish	1
Dog	1		
Cat	3	Winkle	1
		Whelk	1

One or two of the bones have been sawn , indicating either modern butchery or the intention to use the bone .

No further features of interest were noted .

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