



Fig 16 Morgan's map of London of 1682

8.2.1 17th – 18th century cellar

17th – 18th century cellar	OD Level (Top)	Preliminary interpretation and date
Walls [91], [107] and [121]	24.12m – 24.36m OD	17th – 18th century cellar
Brick floor [133]	22.57m OD	17th – 18th century cellar floor
Brick arch [88]	24.20m OD	17th – 18th century Internal arch roofed alcove

Walls [107], [121] and [91] form the west, south and east walls of a 17th-18th century cellar with brick floor [133] and an internal arch-roofed alcove [88] abutting the eastern back wall [91] (Figs 17-18). The cellar shows signs of being in use through both the eighteenth and perhaps 19th centuries. An additional wall [120], which forms an internal western wall of the cellar, appears to have a recess that was bricked up at a later date with a possible 18th century wall [125]. This feature may have been for an entrance way, light well or similar. A later stairway [124] was recorded in the southern wall [121] of the cellar with the addition of a brick supporting plinth to the immediate west of this entranceway and abutting the internal face of cellar wall [121], (Fig 19). These later additions are evidence that the cellar remained in use into the 19th century.



Fig 17 View of Internal arch-roofed alcove [88], looking East



Fig 18 View of cellar floor [133], looking East



Fig 19 View of stairway addition [124], looking South



Fig 20 View of cellar wall [121] and later cistern [104], looking North-East

8.2.2 17th – 18th century buildings and associated features

17th – 18th century buildings and associated features	OD Level (Top)	Preliminary interpretation and date
Tile surface [112]	23.70m OD	Tiled floor surface
Brick drains [110] and [115]	23.56m OD	Brick lined drains associated with 17th – 18th century properties
Brick wall [158]	23.97m OD	17th – 18th century property wall
Brick walls [81], [95] and [99]	24.20m – 24.32m OD	17th – 18th century properties
Brick walls [144] and [159]	24.07m OD	17th – 18th century property

To the west of the cellar a brick drain with ragstone slab capping [115] was recorded running parallel and abutting wall [107]. To the south this drain was built into the north face of wall [158], probably for a down drain pipe, and in the north the drain continued beneath a tiled floor surface [112]. In the north there was a junction with an east- west running brick drain [110] which was truncated to the west by 20th century buildings. A main structural wall [158], the probable continuation of property wall [121] also continued west beyond the limit of excavation until truncated by 20th century buildings, which suggests the original building may have continued westwards beyond the limit of excavation.