

## The Milsington Foot.

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P 365. Found in 1820, probably found in draining a moss, the foot and lower part of the right leg of a gilded statue.

P 324 How it found its way to the Borthwick Valley we shall never know.



That is easily explained when you know that the Roman Craik Moor to Dere Street road passes immediately on the west of a former lochan behind Milsington Cottage. Although it is a good number of years since I walked this line I am fairly sure that X marks the spot where the foot was found.

The marked Roman road is a broad mound with a dyke built on the eastern part. The burn crossing has the standard walkway of posts in 3m apart pairs. Divining rods say that there more metal objects in the drained lochan about 4m from the original edge.



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