

Church Knowledge Rectory
Warcham
May 3. 1888

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Dear Sir

Knowing the in-
-terest you take in
British antiquities
I need not apologise
for sending you the
enclosed account of
a grave discovered
in this parish about
3 weeks ago. together
with the sketch of a
letter from Prof. a
franklin of the British
Museum relating to
the oxidized relic found
in the tomb.

Yours faithfully
G. W. Marshall

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British Museum July 7. 1888

... Discoveries of the same kind have been made before, and the conclusion come to, was that the remains were those of Roman leather boots, studded with nails. We have here a considerable number of more or less perfect shoes of Roman period, found in the old bed of the Thames in London, and in these the nails are certainly of a similar kind.

Augustus W. Franks