



A Complete History of the British Martyrs: From the Roman Occupation to Elizabeth's Reign (Classic Reprint) (Paperback)

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Forgotten Books, 2017. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. Excerpt from A Complete History of the British Martyrs: From the Roman Occupation to Elizabeth's Reign This theory may seem at first sight inconsistent with the statement already quoted from the Triads, viz that Bran, the son of Lear the Stammerer, was that Bran that first brought the Christian faith to this Island. It must be noticed, however, that this declaration is considerably modified by what is stated further on, in the same ancient book, viz., that Bran was the first person who introduced the Christian religion among the Cymry from Rome. The Genealogy of the British Saints leaves this disputed question perfectly open, as it confines its statement to Welsh Cymry: Bran, the son of Lear the Stammerer, was the first of the nation of the Cymry that embraced the Christian Faith. Any other of the British nation, the Brigantes for instance, might have the Gospel preached to them by St. Peter in the year 58 without infringing this statement. The exact date, however, of St. Peter's visit to Britain, though interesting in itself, is a matter of secondary...



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