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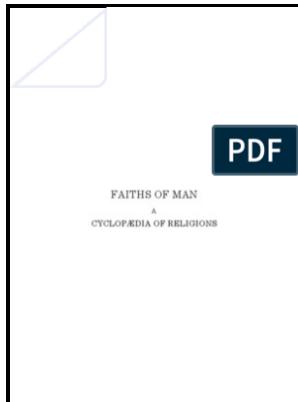
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I firmly believe, and can almost positively assert, that no case of improper intercourse took place between them and the natives of Repulse Bay during the two seasons I remained there—which is more, I suspect, than most of the commanders of parties to the Arctic Sea can truthfully affirm. The words in which Sir John Richardson mentions this Michel, after the earth is rid of him, are extremely important to our purpose, as almost describing the broad general ground towards which we now approach.

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When Labrador was transferred to the care of Newfoundland, Palliser declared that since the granting of land was not allowed in Newfoundland, these people could no longer claim exclusive right to land and fishing grounds in Labrador. I observed, that in proportion as our strength decayed, our minds exhibited symptoms of weakness, evinced by a kind of unreasonable pettishness with each other. To compare either Augustus or Ouligback who accompanied Sir John Franklin and Sir John Richardson in their overland journeys with William Ouligback, my interpreter, would be very unfair to the latter.

The Establishment of the Moravian Mission in Labrador and British Policy, 1763

They told me that the top of the cairn erected by Dease and Simpson at the Castor and Pollux River had fallen down. This man informed me that young Ouligback could be perfectly relied on; that he would tell the Esquimaux exactly what was said, and give the Esquimaux reply with equal correctness; that when he had any personal object to gain, he would not scruple to tell a falsehood to attain it, but in such a case the untruth was easily discovered by a little cross-questioning.

Taissumani, Nov. 23

In French Possibly concerning French fishing rights.

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Missionary Johann Samuel Meisner 1770-1839 reported in the magazine about the reaction of children to the Inuktitut tracts distributed in Hopedale before Christmas 1836. This was made possible not only by the zeal and prudent wisdom of the missionaries, but also because the missionary enterprise fitted in with the purposes of British imperial policy in the region at this particular time.

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