



The Annalist Licinianus: A Lecture Delivered in the Hall of Corpus Christi College, Oxford, May 29, 1908, with an Appendix of Emendations of the Text (Classic Reprint)

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Forgotten Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. Excerpt from The Annalist Licinianus: A Lecture Delivered in the Hall of Corpus Christi College, Oxford, May 29, 1908, With an Appendix of Emendations of the Text The discovery of the fragments of the annalist Licinianus dates from half a century ago. In the autumn of 1853 the distinguished palaeographer, G. H. Pertz, and his son Karl, both of them employed in examining documents in the British Museum bearing on German history, were apprized by Dr. Paul Botticher (alias de la Garde), who was examining the Syrian MSS., of an eleventh century codex palimpsestus or rescriptus which, under a Syriac text of some homilies of St. Chrysostom, exhibited traces of a Latin text. Of these the words Sullani, Capitolium, Sacerdotio Iovis were distinctly legible. The MS. had been secured for the Museum in 1847, and formed one of a collection of five hundred. It came from the monastery of S. Maria in the Nitrian desert, about seventy miles north-west of Cairo, and is now numbered Add. 17, 212. On examination it was found to contain traces of...



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