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PREFACE

THE ancient Cathedral of Bangor in North Wales stands as a monument to the architectural skill and zeal of Churchmen of the distant past. Its history has been a difficult matter to elucidate owing to the scarcity of documents in general, and the evidence of former times is necessarily lacking, though interesting associations are numerous. The list of occupants of the see contains many famous names. The Author's chief references have been Browne Willis's "Survey of Bangor," published in 1721-an invaluable work-also Storer's "Cathedrals," published in 1819. The account of Bangor, in Murray's "Handbook to the Welsh Cathedrals," has also been a standard book of telescace. To the Dean of Bargor and to Mr. Pryce, the Chapter Clerk, the author tends his thanks for their kind assistance, and to Mr. T. Westlake Morgan (former organist) he is deeply indebted for the account of the organ and music. The photographs of the old prints were taken from the author's own collection, and the rest of the illustrations were photographed by Mr. Wickens of Bangor.

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