



The History of Paisley, Vol. 2 of 2: From the Roman Period Down to 1884 (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 History of Paisley, Vol. 2 of 2: From the Roman Period Down to 1884 In the latter half of the eighteenth century, the period embraced in this chapter, the Town of Paisley made more rapid and striking progress than in any previous period of its history. This statement applies not only to the increase of population and erection of dwelling-houses, and places of worship, and other public buildings, but also to the starting and rapid extension of new industries, and the enlargement of those that had been commenced in earlier periods. This will appear, while we proceed with our record of events, as they occurred, and as we give an account of the progress of Paisley as a manufacturing town. Of the properties sold by the Town Council, one was the meetinghouse in Moss Row, already frequently referred to. It was bought by Thomas Kerr, postmaster, for 102 stg., under a burden of 2s. of annual feu-duty; and the Council reserved a piece of ground at the south end of the building, extending to...



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