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Nolton

Church

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Dedicated to St. Madog; restored in 1877. The original church was visited by Sir Stephen Glynne in 1857 and described by him in the Arch. Camb. July 1885. There is a stone bracket on the north side of the nave, with a human face on the front and beasts on the sides. There is a poculum, date 1677, with a cover which does not fit 1575. Regular Registers 1703, there are detached leaves latter part of 16th century; the entries from 1706 - 1720 are in Latin. The incumbencies of John Grant and his son Moses (grandfather of the 2nd Lord Milford) extended from 1720 to 1810. Moses Grant entered somewhat interesting matter. He tells of a ship wrecked January 4th, 1791. The natives were plundering the wreck when an explosion of gunpowder killed eight and injured many more, but the survivors resumed their wrecking within 2 hours of the explosion.