

tisfaction of the people, who came out in their entirety to receive it.

The historian priest Cogolludo states that a volume might have been written on the subject of the many miracles performed by the Virgin of Izamal, no room for doubt on the subject can possibly exist, as many more miracles like unto the above are extant, if only due care had been observed, but alas and alack, although the Virgin could save others, she could not save herself, for we learn, that on the left hand side of the principal door of the church is a square stone let into the wall, forming a tablet, upon which is an inscription, announcing the sad information:- "That in the great and memorable fire in which the church was burned, the Holy Virgin was entirely consumed." But the hearts of the faithful are cheered by the assurance, that another Virgin, quite as powerful as the original, has been procured, and put in her place.

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The interesting ruins found at this place, is in reality, only one of a collection, consisting of several distinct groups to be explored in the vicinity, this excursion applying also to the important and well known districts of Uxmal and Labna, besides fifteen others possessing more or less interest, all not only being accessible by the same lines of railway, but within 30 kilometres, or say 19 miles of a given point, such as Ticul, a town of some six thousand inhabitants, with Stations on both the Peto and the Ticul Branches of the United Railways of Yucatan, about 75 kilometres, or 47 miles from Merida, where you can make a temporary residence, and take side trips to one or all the groups as your fancy dictates, all have some especial merit, so a great deal can be done among the "paredes viejas" or old walls, as they are irreverently