

There is reason to believe that among the highest officials of the Vatican Curia the Truth of ISRAEL has been long known, but scrupulously concealed with the deepest mystery....

It is certain that the Court of Rome are bitterly hostile to our Israel-
itish origin....

Some years ago they made an effort to counteract the spread of this truth. A Romish priest in Scotland published a work entitled EPHRAIM THE ROOT OF THE VIRGIN MARY.

The object was to prove that Miriam (as her true name was) descended from Ephraim, and that in consequence all the covenant birth-right blessings descended upon her.

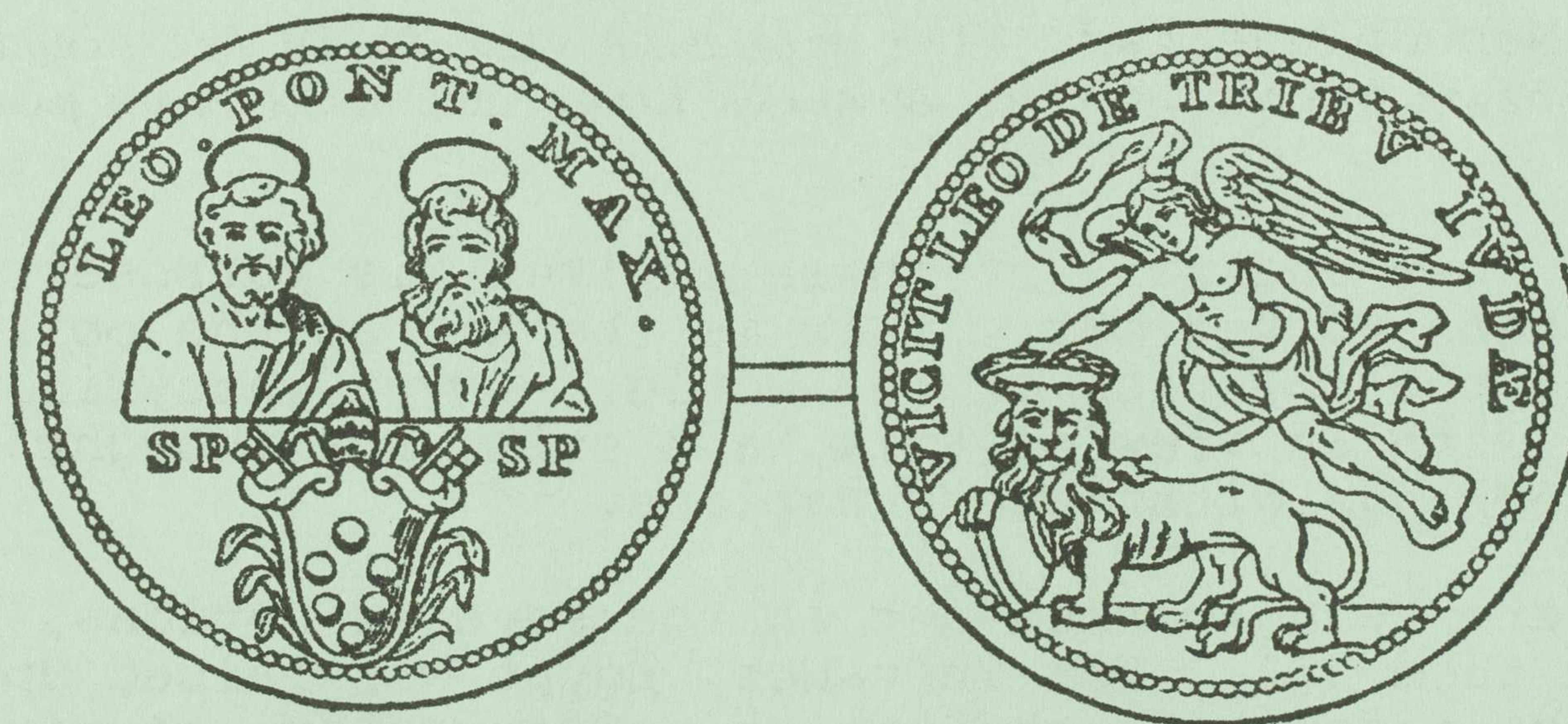
These were relegated to her first-born Son Jesus, and by Him handed on to Peter, and so descended by right to the Romish Popes. This work received THE IMPRIMATUR of Cardinal Wiseman.

Thus Rome falsely puts herself in the place of Ephraim, and would tear from us all the birthright blessings. Hence her first purpose is to conquer England, knowing that there is the secret key of Providence in respect to Britain, Europe, and the world.

Hence all her vast efforts at this time to ruin and subjugate Ephraim in England.

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POPE LEO X. REPRESENTED AS "THE LION OF THE TRIBE OF JUDAH" (Rev. v. 5).

BUONANNI, *Numism. Pontificum*, vol. i. pp. 167-8.

It requires as much caution to tell the truth as to conceal it. GRACIAN

A system-grinder hates the truth. EMERSON

The people cannot see, but they can feel. HARRINGTON

Burning stakes do not lighten the darkness. LEC

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