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WHY THEY BECAME CHRISTIANS

A HISTORICAL EFFORT
TO FIND THE VOICES
OF THE PEOPLE DURING
THE PIONEER YEARS OF THE CMS
MISSION IN SOUTHERN NIGERIA

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ABBREVIATIONS

AAS	<i>Acta Apostolicae Sedis</i>
a.d.	anno Domini
AICs	African Independent Churches
ATR	African Traditional Religion
BIAMS	British and Irish Association for Mission Studies
CMS	Church Mission Society
CUP	Cambridge University Press
ed/eds	Editor(s)
<i>et al.</i>	And other authors
Ibid	Ibidem (at the same place or publisher)
JRA	Journal of Religion in Africa
LMS	London Missionary Society
OUP	Oxford University Press
Vol.	Volume
WCC	World Council of Churches

