NEW BOOK

Iron Age America Before Columbus

by

William D. Conner

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This book re-presents the investigations done by Arlington Mallery some fifty years ago which theorized that numerous bog ore furnaces found in southern Ohio were proof that Vikings or other European migrants were in North America during prehistoric times. Even though this theory has been well discounted it is offered again by writer William D. Conner.

Conner is a good writer and discusses Mallery’s theories - and those of others - at length. The book is entertaining and may find a few adherents - but in the main presents mostly unprovable and erroneous ideas.

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