

# Seutonius on Jesus

In *Claudius* 25 Suetonius refers to the expulsion of Jews by Claudius and states (in Edwards' translation):

*"Since the Jews constantly made disturbances at the instigation of Chrestus, he expelled them from Rome."*

In Acts of the Apostles (18:2) the writer makes the following parallel commentary

*"And he found a certain Jew named Aquila, a man of Pontus by race, lately come from Italy, with his wife Priscilla, because Claudius had commanded all the Jews to depart from Rome: and he came unto them"*

And about Nero's laws.

*Punishment was inflicted on the Christians, a class of men given to a new and mischievous superstition.*