

ABOUT AUSTRALIA

What Irrigation is Doing for That Country.

Land for the people; water for the land; government in the interest of all, and not merely for the interests of the individual engaged in business. That's Australia.

Two hundred miles out from Sydney, in a westerly direction, at a place in the mountains called Barrumbuck, the Murrumbidgee River, narrowed between two gigantic cliffs, brous impatiently over blocks of granite, when, ages ago, lost their head on the mountains and plunged to the bed of the rushing waters.

Here an irrigation dam, one of the largest in the world, is in the building. It will impound the waters of the Murrumbidgee, drive the river back upon itself, and turn the mountain-cumulated water into a vast lake surpassing in area by the reservoir of Assouan in Egypt.

In the parched summer time, canals waters out of it, will flood the plains two hundred miles to the westward and a million and a half of acres of desert land will become fertile. And the government finances the enterprise.

The land is being divided into acre sections for mixed farming, ten acre sections for horticultural purposes, and two acre sections for home lots for farm and other workers. Assistances, beyond that which even the most expectant might look forward to, will be afforded to incoming settlers.

Additional assistance will be offered to homesteaders before entry by the preparation of a portion of the sections for irrigation purposes and by the erection of the nucleus of yards and buildings, the cost to be paid off in annual instalments.



Shiloh's Cure HEALS THE LUNGS STOPS COUGHS PRICE, 25 CENTS

WHY THE LEAVES TURN.

At this season of the year everyone admires the vast beauty of the various colors of the leaves which Jack Frost has spent night after night in painting. But what causes the foliage at this time of the year to change from green to such brilliant colors?

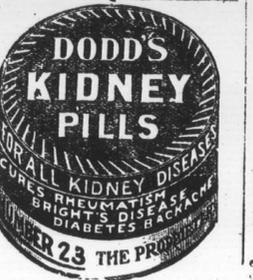
The common idea is that frost causes the brilliant colors of the leaves. This popular fallacy is without foundation in fact, for frost has nothing whatever to do with the delicate tinting of the leaves; it does, however, hasten their fall.

You have only to go out in the swamps and woodland a month before frost to find a young maple in all its fall glory, or a sumach blazing forth its fiery leaves, or a maple where the theory that frost changes the leaves.

Autumn coloring is actually due to oxidation, which is caused by the action of light and heat, somewhat similar to the rust on iron or steel. With leaves it is due to the fact that in fulfilling their mission they become choked by their own excretions, and the acids thus formed are acted on by the oxygen.

A PRINCE AS A FARMER.

Prince Eric, nephew of the King of Denmark, has just been appointed for three years to farm a vacant agricultural plot. He took up the vocation purely from his own choice. He is to make a thorough and scientific study of all that applies to his subject, and starts by laboring in the fields.



DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS CURE ALL KIDNEY DISEASES

THEIR NAMES.

An Anecdote From Gabrielle E. Jackson's New Book About the South. Gabrielle E. Jackson tells the following story in her recently published book for girls, "Peggy Stewart":

"Peggy's father has just returned from an extended absence and his daughter is showing him over the estate. They come to one of the cabins in which lives the family of Joshua Jozadak Jubal Jones.

"I want you to see this family," explained Peggy to her father. "They might all be of one age, but they are not quite. Come here, boys, and see Master Captain," called Peggy to the three pickaninnies who were peeping around the corner of the cottage.

"Hello, boys. Whose sons are you? Miss Peggy tells me you are brothers?" "Yes, sir, we is, We's Joshua Jozadak Jubal Jones, boys. Ise Gus, de ofes."

"And how old are you?" "Ise 9, I reckons." "And what is your name?" "My name? Gus, sah."

"That's only half a name. Your whole name is really Augustus, remember?" The "Massé Captain's" voice boomed with the sound of the sea.

"And your name?" continued the questioner, pointing at number two. "Ise Jist Jule, sah," was the shy reply.

"That's a nickname, too. I can't have such slipshod, no account names for my hands' children. It isn't dignified. It isn't respectful. It's a disgrace to Miss Peggy. Do you hear?"

"Yes, sah, we hear, we hear," answered the little darkeys in chorus. "Please, sah, wha's his name of 'Jist Jule'?" Augustus plucked up heart of grace to ask.

"He is Julius, Jul-i-us; do you understand?" "Yes, sir, yes, sir." Another dime helped the memory box.

"And your name?" asked the "Massé Captain" of the quaking number three. There was a long, significant pause, then contortions. At length, after two or three futile attempts, he blurted out: "Ise—Ise Billyus, sah!"

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Liquid Cough Mixtures Can't Cure Bronchitis

But the Healing Fumes of Catarrhoxone, Which Are Breathed to the Furthest Recesses of the Bronchial Tubes, Bring Quick Relief and Sure Cure.

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The germ-killing balsamic vapor mixes with the breath, descends through the throat, down the bronchial tubes, and finally reaches the deeper air cells in the lungs. All parts are soothed with rich, pure, medicinal essences, whereas with a syrup the affected parts could not be reached, and harm would result through benumbing the stomach with drugs.

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ONE ON PATRICK HENRY. After the capture of Richmond in the "late unpleasantness," a party of English tourists were in that city chaperoned by an old lady.

"What is that building?" said one of the gentlemen to him, pointing in a certain direction. "Dat's a 'bacco warehouse," said the old man.

"And what is that one?" pointing to another. "Dat's a 'bacco warehouse, too." And then looking in the direction of a high hill, Church Hill, as it is called in Richmond, the touring party spied a church at the top.

"And what is that building? Is that a tobacco warehouse also?" "Oh, no, sir, dat's de church where Patrick Henry made de speech. 'Give me liberty or give me death,' for Gawd, dey done give him both."

A WINDSOR LADY'S APPEAL. To All Women: I will send free with full instructions, my home treatment which positively cures Leucorrhoea, Uterication, Displacements, Falling of the Womb, Painful or Irregular Periods, Uterine and Ovarian Tumors or Growths, also Hot Flashes, Nervousness, Melancholy, Pains in the Head, Back or Bowels, Kidney and Bladder Troubles, where caused by weakness peculiar to our sex.

You can continue wearing your home at a cost of only about 12 cents a week. My book, "What can I do you?" is 10c. also sent free on request. Write to-day. Address Mrs. M. Summers, Box 14, Windsor, Ont.

A HERD OF BULLS. The Rev. Sylvester Horne, the Liberal Member of Parliament from London, preached at a church in New York City on Sunday last.

"That sounds in English oratory," he said. "That sounds in bull." The House of Commons is a regular bull pen. I heard a Toronto newspaperman in praise of bishops: "Bishops are not really stiff and starchy. There's a good heart beating behind their gates. An imperialist declared in a debate, 'No Irish in the cabinet.' He said, 'The mouth of our Sovereign has always had his eye on the Irish.'"

"An Irish Unionist said of an Irish Nationalist, 'Small this man come into this House with his mouth full of the work of the millstone of England a future from which the light has been for too many years kept out.'" Windsor, Ont., Can.

RELIGION AND ADVERTISING. (Hindustan Gazette-Times) Is it proper for a church to advertise? It is difficult to see how any other than a affirmative answer can be returned to the question. The church is represented by local representatives of the national Men and Religion Movement. Pittsburgh, a conservative community in many respects, seems to have been a bit bewildered in the matter of the new evangelic enterprise now being encouraged by aggressive laymen.

In some other cities the promoters of the movement whom such great results are anticipated, have had to avail themselves of modern ideas in advertising, reasoning that the business world should have no monopoly of the effective devices that make for success. Thus fact they have no reason to regret their action. Advertisers today, many of whom have learned their lesson through bitter experience, realize that to make public relations profitable, there is no alternative to the legitimate profits that may be gained. The only things it doesn't do is to advertise those that are worthless. Religion surely does not belong in this category.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc. IN A DILEMMA. Prominent among the smart set of Cincinnati is a young wife whose multifarious duties occupy such a large part of her time that she has little to spare for her children.

A THOUSAND DOLLARS A MINUTE.

The Secretary of the U. S. Treasury estimates that will require \$28,000,000 to be added to the public debt in the next year. Last year nearly \$100,000,000 worth of every man, woman and child, white, black, red and yellow, were in addition taxes to cover all the expenses of the municipal expenses must be paid by the citizens.

Doesn't know it, but her shoes and her petticoat are taxed and the steel in the wheels of the baby carriage have chipped in.

And these taxes will not be measured by what a man's wealth is, but by the size of his family and the state of the family appetite. For the Federal tax laid through the tariff on the things we eat and drink and wear. The baby doesn't know it, but her shoes and her petticoat are taxed and the steel in the wheels of the baby carriage have chipped in.

Added to six hundred and thirty-eight million dollars, running expenses, there will be forty-seven millions more for Panama Canal work. Of the six hundred and eighty millions of dollars about \$13,000,000 or about one cent a week for the long ago.

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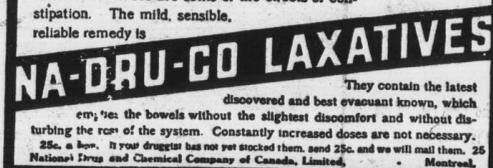
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WEALTHY AMERICANS. (Montreal Herald.) The public benefactions of 1911 have amounted in front steps—except the figures compiled for the 1912 issue of the World Almanac.

This total was once exceeded—in 1900, when the aggregate approximated \$175,000,000. Andrew Carnegie has this year given away more than \$6,000,000. His largest gift was \$2,000,000 to the Carnegie Corporation of New York, specially organized by the Legislature at Albany to carry on the iron man's charities.

Mr. Carnegie has now a little more than 77 years of age, has given to the public over \$21,000,000. The late John D. Rockefeller's public announced gifts this year have not amounted in all to more than \$3,000,000, of which \$1,250,000 went to the University of Chicago, and \$1,000,000 to the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research in New York City. The rest went to colleges far West and South.

The second largest individual giver was Frederick C. Hewitt, who left \$1,000,000 to the Post Graduate Medical School and Hospital, and \$2,000,000 to the Lenox Hospital, and \$200,000 to the Joseph Pulitzer bequeathed more than \$2,000,000 to public uses.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria. TWO VIEWS. (Toronto Star.) But when he says that the man who marries a Canadian girl will have to help with the housework, he makes too sweeping a statement. As a rule, the husband is not so much with the dishes after he has been married a short time. One seldom sees a husband washing down the front steps—except with a hose in summer, and even then he can readily make it appear that he is watering the lawn. It is quite true that Canadian husbands are often seen wheeling tubs in the streets. This is not considered a manly occupation, but a fatherly amusement. We believe that Canadian husbands, as a rule, are not ill-treated.

It is all in the point of view. A few months ago we saw a letter in an English paper from a man who had recently come to Toronto, and was well pleased. "My wife," he wrote, "has already got work, and so has my daughter, and they are neither of us in more comfort than they ever did at home."

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A Sultan's Matrimonial Record. The Sultan of Zanzibar, whose abdication is announced, has enjoyed the unusual experience of marrying the same wife twice. Some years ago he divorced the Sultana, a daughter of the Imam of Muscat, who being a royal princess, was his only legal wife. His Ministers were much perturbed at this, as the marriage had been arranged for state reasons, and the Sultana had done nothing to justify her husband's action.

After some pressure he reluctantly consented to marry her. There were difficulties in the way, however, as according to Mohammedan law, no remarriage was possible until the ex-Sultana had married some one else. Eventually she was married to the Sultan's brother-in-law, who immediately divorced her, and she was then reunited to Seyyid Ali. Two divorces and two weddings within six weeks constitute a record hard to beat. London Chronicle.

Thomas Robert Macquoid, the English artist, who is acquiring his ninety-second year, is still able to use the pen and brush effectively.

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