

Nile. This canal fell to decay, but was restored about 644 A.D., by the Turkish Caliph Omar, who introduced many improvements and brought the canal to join the Nile near to Caori. The general decay of Egypt brought about a decay of this canal again, and it became choked up 120 years afterwards, and for a thousand years it remained so, and was almost forgotten until Napoleon that wonderful man, went to Egypt. He directed the eminent engineer La Pere to survey it and report. The length was about 93 miles, through a low, barren, sandy plain and traversing many lagoons and lakes offering but few difficulties to engineering. La Pere reported that the rise of high water in the Red Sea was 6 feet, in the Mediterranean 1 foot, and the surface of the former was stated to be very high at high water above low water in the latter. Mr. Robert Stephenson was present at the meeting, and as he had but recently returned from Egypt, he stated that the low water in the Red Sea and the Mediterranean were identical, and La Pere made a great mistake, which he attributed to a hasty survey made in the time of war. The possibility of restoring this ancient canal was discussed. There is a ridge at the present moment at the end of the Red Sea, towards the Bitter Lakes, consisting of fossils identical with those of the London Basin, caused by a geological upheaval which had changed the features of the district. It has been considered that the Bitter Lakes were once the head waters of the Red Sea, and the ruins of cities and towns around, give evidence of the region being at one time very fertile—it was the land of Goshen, watered with a fresh stream from the canal of Sesosiris, and from it Lake Temsah was supplied with pure water.

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April 30th, 1851. E. TAYLOR DARTNELL, Agent.