

REDEMPTION OF THE PLAINS

Available Means for Banishing the Dangers of a Drought.

IRRIGATION BY WELLS AND RESERVOIRS

Storage of Storm Water and Tapping Underground Streams—Experiments Demonstrate Their Feasibility and Value.

In the current issue of Harper's Weekly Mr. H. B. Hays makes a forceful and valuable contribution to the discussion of irrigation of the arid and semi-arid west.

Nearly one-fifth of the whole area is very imperfectly understood in the other parts of the country. It is that part east of the Rocky mountains, stretching to the eastern frontier of the Dakotas, east central Nebraska, Kansas, and Oklahoma, and including a large part of Texas.

It forms the greater part of the slope of the western part of the Mississippi valley, and has parts of the Gulf and the arctic frontiers of the continent.

THE ARID TERRITORY.

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PECULIARITIES OF THE PLAINS.

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used for irrigation in Colorado within a short distance of the mountains.

THE UNDERFLOW.

On the upland plains and the smooth river bottoms, water is used for irrigation. It will mostly come from underground.

EXPERIMENTS WITH WELLS.

It must be remembered that the whole of this region has been taken up by settlers. The dry years have caused a great loss of water.

SOURCE AND SUPPLY OF WATER.

Chicago Tribune: Mrs. Strongmind (writing to make an inaugural address as mayor of Strasbourg)—"Ladies of the City Council: Called to the high responsibility of administering the government of this municipality I enter with my duties a sense of the magnitude and my own inexperience in the conduct of public affairs."

BIographies OF PUBLIC MEN

Nativity, Age and Attainments of Persons in Official Station.

GENERAL FACTS IN REGARD TO THEM

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Let us take the president and cabinet first, numbering nine. They are all native-born; their average age is about 55, the oldest being 65 and the youngest 45.

The president and the cabinet are all lawyers by profession. The president received an academic and Mr. Carlisle a common school education.

"In referring to the irrigation of the plains by water lifted by mechanical appliances there has been much discussion."

"Some of these wells, 150 to 200 feet deep, having their water lifted by wind power, have been made largely by water lifting."

"From these sources of supply and these methods of application of water—the use of stored storm water, of deep wells, of mechanical lifting into reservoirs on the surface of the deep sheet waters of the upland, and the lifting of the water into the valleys, diversion into ditches of the waters of the springs and streams—and by all these as large a proportion of the area of the plains as can be irrigated."

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