

## LOCATION OF EDEN

MANY REGIONS ASSOCIATED WITH LOST PARADISE.

Finding of Spot Has Always Been One of the Fascinating Pursuits of Ages, But Quest Seems Hopeless.

Every once in awhile an ingenious theorist arises with the announcement that the Garden of Eden has at last been located. The world is concerned more for the restitution to the race of a large measure of the innocence and happiness that is associated with the lost paradise than it is with the location of the place which is woven into the majestic lines of Milton in his pictures of the creation and the tragedy of the garden. Nevertheless, the strength of human interest in the facts of human origin makes the location of the Garden of Eden one of the fascinating pursuits of the ages. As there is no known spot upon the face of the earth that corresponds with the features attributed to the location of Eden, and as, even admitting the validity of the Bishop Ussher chronology, there has elapsed sufficient time for the utter transformation of the physical aspects of Eden as described in Genesis, the hunt for the actual Eden seems hopeless.

The cradle of the race undoubtedly lies somewhere in the east, and, accepting the Indo-European theory of race identity of the Caucasian races, it would seem as though the approximate birthplace of this branch of the human family could be placed. But ethnologists are themselves astounded as they endeavor to track the path of humanity and to trace the breakup of the race into its many branches, through the evidence of language and other enduring records. They are nonplused and cannot arrive at a common agreement, excepting that, after research has reached to the farthest limit, the borderland of civilization appears to be brought little nearer.

Nevertheless, there is no tradition among the nations so entrancing as that of Eden. Hardly a nation of the ancient east but that retains the story among its folklore. But the tradition has traveled westward and has spread over the whole world. Even the Sandwich Islanders, the people of the Pamirs, and it is even said the Eskimos, have traditions of Eden not dissimilar from the story of Genesis. The records of the Aztecs disclose the story of the serpent delineated unmistakably in the picture language of that ancient people. But while the valley of Mexico has the credit of being one of the spots identified with the location of Eden, on the other hand the north pole is a candidate for the honor, it being claimed that Eden was wiped out by the advance of the ice sheet during the glacial ages South and Central America, Mexico, the Sahara desert, the jungles of the dark continent—almost every tropical country—has its defenders in this respect.

The point of these claims usually rests upon evidence of the existence of a race earlier than any of which history has knowledge. But as these ancient stocks are scattered throughout the globe, this appears to prove nothing. But tradition, world-wide, enshrines the Garden of Eden among the beliefs of widely dissimilar peoples, and this fact itself indicates the early identity of the races of mankind. The Mexican tradition, relating as it does to this continent, has especial interest. This assumes there was a race of human beings on this continent many thousands of years ago, and this is to some extent confirmed by discoveries along the Pacific coast of South America. Traces of a race and a civilization have been discovered there, which go far back of recorded time.

### King Came to Rescue.

At the time of the marriage of the crown prince of Sweden, Miss Emma Thursby, the American singer, and Mme. Christine Nilsson were appearing on alternate nights at the Royal theater at Stockholm. Mme. Nilsson would sing in opera one night and Miss Thursby in concert the next.

Both ladies were invited to the court ball given by King Oskar in honor of the crown prince and his bride, and both wished to attend. But neither had a court train, and they were at their wits' ends to know what to do. Every dressmaker in Stockholm was busy night and day; it was too late to order their trains from Paris. Mme. Nilsson finally solved the difficulty.

"I will write to the king about it," she said. And she did. "Your most gracious majesty," she wrote in her letter, "Miss Thursby and I have no flaps to wear to the court ball. What shall we do?" "Come without them. Oskar," was the answer they got back the same day. They went to the ball and had a memorable time.

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### BOY HAD NOT UNDERSTOOD.

Pretty Phrase That Was Most Woefully Misunderstood.

That the effect of a choice and appropriate phrase is sometimes lost and oftentimes woefully misinterpreted is well illustrated in an incident connected with the death of a Virginia lawyer.

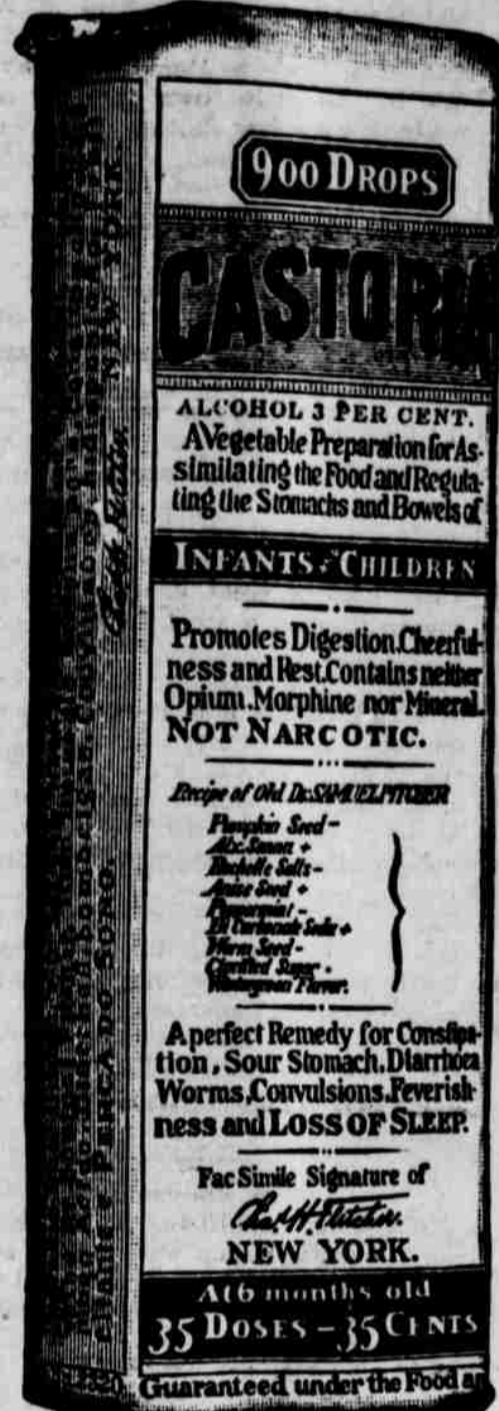
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