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has produced infinite results. Public schools could not have existed without this special stimulus.

'Protestant missions have produced fruits more enduring than Catholic. The Protestant missionary takes a book with him, the Bible, and the obligation to teach the reading of this book. His first care is to formulate the grammar of the native language and to introduce the Bible; his second, to make the pupils of all sexes and ages learn to read the Bible. Wherever Protestant missionaries have gone they have introduced printing presses.'

It is necessary to realize the influence, methods and spirit which, in Sarmiento's day, governed the actions of the Catholic Church in the Latin American countries (and still do so), in order to realize the importance of the ideals which he advocated. Sarmiento lived for the education of the people, for the defence of the public liberties of worship and conscience, and he will continue to live in the memory and appreciation of his fellow-citizens and of those who strive for the welfare of mankind.

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### A Happy Home for Millions

Mr. Johan Store, a Norwegian engineer, and his colleague, Mr. Albert Hiorth, have drawn up plans for the reclamation of the vast alluvial plains of ancient Mesopotamia, now Iraq. Their recommendations recall the scientific studies of the famous irrigation engineer, the late Sir William Willcocks, who showed that in the southern delta alone over ten millions of acres could be cultivated as the result of a vast scheme of land drainage. Here, water, soil and sun produced the wealth of ancient Nineveh and Babylon and the opulence of Haroun-al-Rachid's *Arabian Nights*' capital at Baghdad. Herodotus, the Greek historian, relates that such was the fertility of the soil that sown grain commonly yielded a two-hundredfold increase.

Mr. Store estimates that, if his schemes could be carried out, anything up to one hundred million people could here find homes, thereby relieving the congested areas of Europe and solving the problem of its six million unwanted Jews, and other millions of non-Aryan peoples who have no security. The present population of Iraq is less than three millions, who occupy a land area double that of England and Wales; while the adjoining country of Syria, with a land area slightly less than that of England and Wales, has a population of only 3,630,000. These sparse populations now inhabit lands which once supported millions of people who built up world empires.