

to western development has changed much in the last generation. Only a few years since these waters were looked upon as potentially useful merely for irrigation, and agriculture. We entered upon a great program of irrigation enterprise, in that era when we had as yet but a vague notion about the dual purpose that your water resources ought to serve. But now we know that the same water can in most cases be utilized both for power and irrigation. Thus the great power development will mark the sites of industrial centers, adjacent to which will grow up rich areas of intensive agricultural production. The industrial populations will provide markets, without