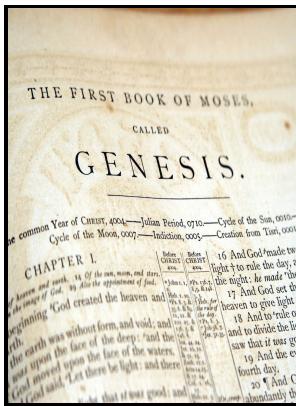


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Assyrian art was, however, borrowed from that of Babylonia; hence the colouration of the Assyrian bas-reliefs on stone; hence also the great mounds on which the Assyrian palaces were built. In later times the name was shortened into Diklat, and finally assimilated by the Persians to the word Tigra, which in their language signified 'an arrow.'

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He seems to have been 'the king's son' who commanded the Babylonian army in its camp near Sippara. To this absence of stone may be traced some of the peculiarities of its early culture. Esar-haddon met them on the frontier of his empire, defeated their chieftain, the 'Manda' or nomad Teuspa, and drove his hordes westward into Asia Minor.

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Its parallelism with the account of the Creation, in the first chapter of Genesis, was noticed from the first. They spoke originally a non-Semitic language, and gave a dynasty of kings to Babylonia which lasted 576 years and nine months.

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Most of the campaigns made by the earlier Assyrian kings were mere raids, the object of which was booty and captives. Archibald Henry Sayce 25 September 1845 — 4 February 1933 , was a pioneer British and , who held a chair as Professor of Assyriology at the from 1891 to 1919. In the Vannic texts also polyphony was similarly avoided.

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So, too, did a and sh in the name of Hystaspes. In 1778 , the Danish mathematician, published accurate copies of three trilingual inscriptions from the ruins at.

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Hamath and Damascus, more especially the latter, had to bear the brunt of the Assyrian attack. Ambassadors came to his court from Ararat, as well as from Gyges of Lydia. The marshes are called 'the country of Marratu' or 'the salt-sea' in the inscriptions, a name which reappears as Merathaim in Jer.

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The Euphrates was called Pura-nun, or 'great water,' in Sumerian, and was frequently known as simply the Pura or 'Water,' just as the Nile is known to-day to the modern Egyptians as simply 'the Sea.'

A. H. Sayce (Sayce, A. H. (Archibald Henry), 1845

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