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Macarthur-Onslow, Eliza Elizabeth

(1840 - 1911)

Born 8 May, 1840, Menangle New South Wales Australia

Died 2 August, 1911, United Kingdom

Occupation Pastoralist, Property manager

Summary

On the death of her father in 1867, Elizabeth Macarthur-Onslow inherited a share of his property, 'Camden Park' in Menangle, New South Wales. She also inherited city properties and land at Taralga and Sutton Forest. Having studied developments in the dairy industry overseas, Macarthur-Onslow installed twelve dairies and a creamery at Camden Park. Later she added a piggery and experimented in sericulture. She was a member of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, and a great local patron. She died in 1911 during a visit to England.

Published resources

Edited Book

200 Australian Women: A Redress Anthology, Radi, Heather, 1988

Some Early Records of the Macarthurs of Camden, Macarthur Onslow, Elizabeth, 1973

Resource

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

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