

Практическое занятие № 21

Тема: Название основных городов, достопримечательностей Австралии.

Цель: Совершенствование навыков чтения и перевода с целью извлечения информации по теме: Австралия

Содержание работы:

1. Письменно перевести текст
2. Выполнить задания к тексту

Sydney

Sydney is the capital of the State of New South Wales. Its **metropolitan** area is over 1,573 square miles. About 3 million people now live in the city. Sydney is the oldest and largest city in Australia.

Sydney was founded in 1788. The **discovery** of gold in 1851 stimulated its **development**.

It was the first city founded in Australia by British colonists — **due** to the beautiful site and the **advantages** offered by streams and **bays**. The principal streets are lined by handsome residences and commercial houses. The important buildings **include** the government offices — of white stone in Italian style, the **magnificent** Town Hall with a high tower and fine organ, the University, Parliament Houses.

There are some places of interest in Sydney such as Town Hall, Sydney Opera House, the Australian Museum, the University of Sydney and others.

The Australian Museum, founded in 1836, is the oldest institution of the kind in Australia. It **contains** a very large botanical garden, a technological **exhibit**, and a library.

The University of Sydney dates from 1852, receiving its royal **charter** in 1858. Women students **were admitted** since 1881.

Sydney is a big industrial centre. Sydney manufactures electrical engineering and electronics, computers, refrigerators; light and food industries, printing industry are also developed in the city.

Sydney manufactures glass, **pottery**, boots and shoes, **stoves**, hardware, tobacco, etc.

Like London, Sydney has the City, Hyde Park and Speakers Corner.

Vocabulary:

metropolitan — столичный

discovery — открытие

development — развитие

due — из-за

advantage — преимущество

bay — залив

to include — включать

magnificent — великолепный

o contain — содержать

exhibit — экспозиция

charter — устав

to be admitted — быть допущенными

pottery — керамика

stove — плита, печь

Задание 1. Answer the questions:

1. Sydney is the capital of Australia, isn't it?
2. How many people live in the city now?
3. When was Sydney founded?
4. What places of interest in Sydney do you know?
5. When was The Australian Museum founded?
6. What can you see in The Australian Museum?
7. When was The University of Sydney founded?
8. Sydney isn't a big industrial centre, is it?
9. What can you say about Sydney's industry?
10. What does Sydney manufacture?

Задание 2. Read the names of Sydney's sights:

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| 1) Town | a) Houses |
| 2) Parliament | b) Hall |
| 3) the Australian | c) of Sydney |
| 4) Sydney | d) Museum |
| 5) the University | e) Park |
| 6) Hyde | f) Corner |
| 7) Speakers | g) Opera House |

Задание 3. Inscribe the necessary words:

the State of _____ Wales,

_____ area,

_____ miles,

the _____ of gold,

_____ colonists,

the _____ Town Hall,

_____ Houses,

Sydney _____ House,

the _____ Museum,

the _____ of Sydney,

Speakers _____,

a _____ exhibit,

a big _____ centre,

_____ engineering,

a very large _____ garden.