



Draysonia: Being an Attempt to Explain and Popularise the System of the Second Rotation of the Earth, as Discovered by the Late Major-General A. W. Drayson, F. R. A.S. for Fifteen Years Professor

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