

LOWER LODDON.

BOORT.

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English.	Australlian.	English.	Australlian.
Man - -	<i>Wootho.</i>	Moon - -	<i>Waingwill.</i>
Woman - -	<i>Larook.</i>	Star - -	<i>Doort.</i>
Father - -	<i>Marmoke.</i>	Sky - -	<i>Talgitcha.</i>
Mother - -	<i>Barbook.</i>	Night - -	<i>Pooroon.</i>
Son - -	<i>Watheby paingo.</i>	Day - -	<i>Parrep.</i>
Daughter - -	<i>Popomen.</i>	Fire - -	<i>Wannop.</i>
Brother - -	<i>Warwook, elder ; goodmanyook, younger.</i>	Air - -	<i>Merrin.</i>
Sister - -	<i>Tarduke.</i>	Wind - -	<i>Merrin.</i>
Head - -	<i>Boourbook,* youyourook.</i>	Earth - -	<i>Char.</i>
Hair - -	<i>Narranyuke.</i>	Ground - -	<i>Char.</i>
Eye - -	<i>Min-nook.</i>	Soil - -	<i>Char.</i>
Ear - -	<i>Weembulloke.</i>	River("Loddon")	<i>Gunboweroo.</i>
Mouth - -	<i>Cherbook.</i>	Sea - -	Inland blacks never saw it, and so have no name.
Lip - -	<i>Ouroonyuke.</i>	Stone - -	<i>Lar.</i>
Tongue - -	<i>Charlinyook.</i>	Tree - -	<i>Carlk.</i>
Teeth - -	<i>Leeanyook.</i>	Wood - -	<i>Carlk.</i>
Hand - -	<i>Manarnyuke.</i>	Stick - -	<i>Waddy.</i>
Finger - -	<i>Wathep-wathep manarnyuke.</i>	Bird - -	<i>Watheboryhwirr.</i>
Foot - -	<i>Chinarnyook.</i>	Egg - -	<i>Merrk.</i>
Toe - -	<i>Parp chinarnyook.</i>	Snake - -	<i>Coonwill.</i>
Belly - -	<i>Wanarnyuke.</i>	Eagle - -	<i>Warepill.</i>
Blood - -	<i>Coorkgook.</i>	Crow - -	<i>Warr.</i>
Bone - -	<i>Carlgook.</i>	Mopoke - -	<i>Cardook.</i>
Sun - -	<i>Gnarwee.</i>	Kangaroo - -	<i>Cooreè (Coura).</i>

Is the custom of giving the name of any natural object to a man or woman common, and on the death of the person so named is the word disused and another substituted to indicate such natural object?—Yes; see above; * "*Bourbook*" is name of a dead blackfellow; now it is "*Youyourook*."

Such a custom, it is said, leads to great alterations in the language; are there any other obvious causes in operation leading to changes in the names of things?—I know of no other.

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