

ickness and induce religious imbecility; there may be obesity but no health; great observance of outward form, but no sparkling life; much food apparently absorbed, but the digestion not being good, assimilation is not carried out, and leanness even to starvation may exist in the midst of plenty.

Indulgence at the table, epicurism in the taste, daintiness of the palate, are not good signs, only for a physician who speculates upon the weaknesses of his fellow; so slavish observance of form and custom, delicacy in the selection of matter for discourse, preference given in regard to speculation, to "lofty subjects," "grand" doctrines, are more often the exhibition of a chronic perversion of religious faculty, than the evidence of robust membership in the living body! When these are referred to the vital questions and principles which effect a man throughout his life, his duty, his life, be sure there is far more of the "white sepulchre" than the exhibitor would wish exposed!

The "wear and tear" of life is largely maintained by the reception of good supply of generous food, and it is best fitted for appropriation when prepared by a skilful and intelligent cook; good food is often spoiled by a poor one, and there is less waste when season and quality are considered; ice creams are not mild-winter, nor are hot dishes the heats of summer, and all is paralleled in a spiritual sense.

The Gospel there is provided an infinite abundance of nutritious, life-giving, satisfying food, but how often it is unskillfully presented; surroundings, circumstances, capacity, experience of the guests are all unconsidered by the caterer; the intelligence which comes of inspirational culture and susceptibility is not here, and hosts have gone from the table because of unattractive matter and manner, more hungry than when they came! But why pursue an analogy which branches out into numerous directions, and such as may be readily seen even by the uneducated? Means and materials exist in abundance to give every man, woman and child (at all events in this bounteous land) all the food which is necessary for vigorous, physical life; improper diet ignorantly administered has filled our cemeteries with little graves, and the line of march taken by religious bodies is lined with the graves of those who have perished of ignorance, tradition, superstition and

Good diet, unseasonably taken has also sent hetaombs of slaughtered innocents to a premature death, for spiritual truths fitted to men only have been given to children in the Gospel, so constitutional disturbance, postacy and death have supervened; all of which tends to show that there is "milk for babes," and "strong meat" for those who by reason of experience are able to enjoy the same!

Yet in the sabbath, and the opportunities it brings in the Gospel, none heed go hungry or be sent empty away!

THE ASSASSIN.

EVER since the second day of last July the name of Guiteau has been held, by all classes, as the synonym of everything that is execrable and there seems to be but one opinion as to the guilt of the prisoner. "Through-out the whole country there exists a feeling of deadly hostility to the crime and its perpetrator; the popular voice would undoubtedly declare that he should, with the least possible delay, be executed, regardless of motives or consequences, and notwithstanding the progress of the precepts of Christianity, the letter of the old Mosala law seems to retain a firm hold upon the sentiments of the masses.

Even such papers as the New York Herald and Sun, the Inter-Ocean of Chicago, the Philadelphia News and influential papers too numerous to mention, sustain the position that death should be certainly inflicted upon the perpetrator of this terrible crime. The Omaha Herald, however, and some other able journals, view things from a different standpoint, maintaining that Guiteau is evidently insane, and should be consigned to an asylum, as other "cranks" have been who have committed similar crimes.

Pertinent to this subject is the following brief extract from an article by Dr. Wm. A. Hammond, in the International Review, who declares that "without making any very extended researches, he found sixty-eight cases on record in England alone of persons acquitted of homicide on the ground of insanity who afterwards committed further homicides. He concludes that justice demands some more effective restraint upon the homicidally insane than a mere committal to an asylum until cured."

If this statement is based upon facts, it clearly demonstrates that confinement in asylums during bad behavior is not effectual in securing the public from repeated assaults, and that if it is decided to confine such persons, the incarceration should be during life, for a madman turned loose upon society endangers it to the same extent as a blood-tiger or thirsty any other beast of prey.

In regard to the trial now progressing in Washington, whatever fault may be found with Judge Cox who is now presiding over the case, no one can consistently declare, notwithstanding the heinousness of his offense and the popular clamor against him, that the prisoner is not having an impartial hearing, and whatever criticism may be indulged in concerning the liberty allowed the assassin, it should be borne in mind that, as the law allows, he is acting as his own attorney. In the latitude allowed in the courts of this country it is a most difficult thing to preserve anything like the rigorous decorum of English courts. And while the unseemly displays on the part of the accused are greatly to be deplored, it is evident that nothing short of force would prevent them, and those who now condemn Judge Cox for too great laxity, would be the first to proclaim against him if he were to authorize the chaining down or gagging of the egotistical and loquacious assassin.

EARTHQUAKES IN DIVERS PLACES.

THE earthquakes at Chios, an island off the western coast of Asia Minor, and one of the most beautiful in the Levant, have occasioned considerable discussion on the subject of the cause of such disturbances. The theory that the bowels of Mother Earth are filled with a molten mass, and that the volcanic eruptions and rumblings and shakings which have taken place from time immemorial are the consequences of this fiery element endeavoring to escape, has fallen into disrepute, and the foremost scientists now maintain that the globe is solid, a veritable terra firma.

With a view to solving the problem of these terraqueous convulsions, observatories have been established at the centres of earthquakes in Europe and Asia, and near Vesuvius and Etna; and skilled observers with ingenious instruments are posted there to watch and record the results of their investigations.

Whatever may be the origin of earthquakes, whether they proceed from internal commotions or are brought about by electrical causes emanating from the sun or other heavenly bodies, it is admitted by those who have given the matter close attention that the year 1881, now approaching its end, has been more prolific of these shocking and fatal convulsions of nature than any period of the present century. From 1811 to 1813 this continent trembled and shook almost from north to south. In the Mississippi and Ohio valleys earthquakes were quite common during that period, and in South America they were even more frequent. But the earthquakes of 1881 have been felt in both hemispheres, and some of them have proved as destructive as the terrible convulsions in the eighteenth century while far more numerous. Not only the great disasters at Agram, Cassamicola and Chios convulsed the earth, but at Peru, in the south, and in the valleys of the Hudson, along the St. Lawrence, the Ohio and the Mississippi in the north of our own country, shocks have been felt and every quarter of the globe has experienced the tremors and agitations.

One of the signs of the approach of "the end," given by the Son of God and of Mary, was that of "earthquakes in divers places." Of course those commotions are "nothing new under the sun." They have occurred in every century. But they are to be felt in connection

with other calamities enumerated, and, as may be reasonably inferred, with marked urgency and violence. We refer to the now as one of the indications of the times in which we live, and one of the attendants of the restoration of "the gospel of the kingdom," to be preached in all the world "as a witness unto all nations."

More of these disturbances may be looked for with the great tribulations predicted by the prophets, which though all brought about by natural causes, are none the less to be viewed as the workings of the Almighty, in bringing about the great consummation. Whoso is wise let him watch, understand, discern and acknowledge the hand of the ruler of the universe!

MORGAN STAKE CONFERENCE.

Held November 19th and 20th.

Present on the stand.—The Presidency of the Stake, etc.

Saturday, 10 a.m.

After singing and prayer, Elder O. B. Anderson and Prest. W. G. Smith addressed the Conference. The former on the subject of having oil in our lamps; thought some carried too large a wick for the size of the lamp and the amount of oil. The latter on the subject of prayer; it is the key which unlocks the heavens; our prayers should be supplemented by earnest personal efforts, and should be short and to the point.

2 p.m.

A number of the Bishops reported their wards.

Bishop Chas. Turner and Prest. S. Francis, Sen., spoke on the subject of tithe-paying; cautious speaking; restraining one passion as well as another by the exercise of our will; conquering the flesh was the work of a lifetime education, religiously; the intelligence of heavenly beings, as compared with the great evidence of human intelligence.

Sunday, 10 a.m.

Remaining Bishops reported. Prest. W. W. Cluff and Elder Alma Smith, of Summit Stake, and Elder Elias Morris, of Salt Lake Stake, having arrived, the first named addressed the Saints on the glorious and happy results arising from the observance of God's laws. Male and female were alike interested, responsible, and sure of reward for good works; the wonderful magnitude of the work yet to be accomplished in this dispensation; the great necessity for proper preparation, etc.; we could not shirk the labor and receive the pay.

Sunday, 2 p.m.

Administration of sacrament and reading of Stake report.

Elder Elias Morris said: Unlooked for trials were those that tested the faith of the Saints. Should make our temporal salvation secure by observing the Word of Wisdom. Special favors were accorded those who did so.

The General and Local Authorities were presented by President Richard Fry and unitedly sustained.

Elder Alma Smith spoke in conclusion, upon the sacramental ordinance, how it should be administered. If our Temple donations, etc., were small, our blessings would be meted out accordingly, and vice versa.

Home Missionaries were called, notices given out, and Conference adjourned for three months. Benediction by Bishop W. B. Parkinson. The condition of the Saints, both spiritually and temporally was much improved since last Conference, and we feel to give God the glory.

JAMES H. MASON,
Clerk of Stake.

HARNES.

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The value of Ozone as a natural preserver has been known to our ablest chemists for years, but, until now, no means of producing it in a practical, inexpensive, and simple manner have been discovered.

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FRESH MEATS, such as beef, mutton, veal, pork, poultry, game, fish, &c., preserved by this method, can be shipped to Europe, subjected to atmospheric changes and return to this country in a perfect state of preservation.

EGGS can be treated at a cost of less than one dollar a thousand dozen, and be kept in an ordinary room six months or more, thoroughly preserved; the yolk held in its normal condition, and the eggs as fresh and perfect as on the day they were treated, and will sell as strictly "choice." The advantage in preserving eggs is readily seen; there are seasons when they can be bought for 8 or 10 cents a dozen, and by holding them, can be sold for an advance of from one hundred to three hundred per cent. One man, with this method, can preserve 5,000 dozen a day.

FRUITS may be permitted to ripen in their native climate, and can be transported to any part of the world.

The juice expressed from fruits can be held for an indefinite period without fermentation—hence the great value of this process for producing a temperance beverage. Cider can be held perfectly sweet for any length of time.

VEGETABLES can be kept for an indefinite period in their natural condition, retaining their odor and flavor, treated in their original packages, at a small expense. All grains, flour, meal, etc., are held in their normal condition.

BUTTER, after being treated by this process, will not become rancid.

Dead human bodies, treated before decomposition sets in, can be held in a natural condition for weeks, without puncturing the skin or mutilating the body in any way. Hence the great value of Ozone to undertakers.

There is no change in the slightest particular in the appearance of any article thus preserved, and no trace of any foreign or unnatural odor or taste.

The process is so simple that a child can operate it as well and as successfully as a man. There is no expensive apparatus or machinery required.

A room filled with different articles, such as eggs, meat, fish, etc., can be treated at one time, without additional trouble or expense.

In fact, there is nothing that Ozone will not preserve. Think of every thing you can that is liable to sour, decay, or spoil, and then remember that we guarantee that Ozone will preserve it in exactly the condition you want it for any length of time. If you will remember this, it will save asking questions as to whether Ozone will preserve this or that article—it will preserve any thing and every thing you can think of.

There is not a township in the United States in which a live man can not make any amount of money, from \$1,000 to 10,000 a year, that he pleases. We desire to get a live man interested in each county in the United States, in whose hands we can place this Preservative, and through him secure the business which every county ought to produce.

A FORTUNE Awaits Any Man who Secures Control of OZONE in any Township or County.

A. C. Bowen, Marion, Ohio, has cleared \$3,000 in two months. \$2 for a test package was his first investment.

Woods Brothers, Lebanon, Warren County, Ohio, made \$3,000 on eggs purchased in August and sold November 1st. \$2 for a test package was their first investment.

F. K. Raymond, Morristown, Belmont County, Ohio, is clearing \$2,000 a month in handling and selling Ozone. \$2 for a test package was his first investment.

D. F. Webber, Charlotte, Eaton County, Mich., has cleared \$1,000 a month since August. \$2 for a test package was his first investment.

J. B. Gaylord, 80 La. Salle Street, Chicago, is preserving eggs, fruit, etc., for the commission men of Chicago, charging 11-2c. per dozen for eggs, and other articles in proportion. He is preserving 5,000 dozen eggs per day, and on his business is making \$3,000 a month clear. \$2 for a test package was his first investment.

The Cincinnati Feed Co., 428 West Seventh Street, is making \$5,000 a month in handling brewers' malt, preserving and shipping it as feed to all parts of the country. Malt unpreserved sours in 24 hours. Preserved by Ozone it keeps perfectly sweet for months.

These are instances which we have asked the privilege of publishing. There are scores of others. Write to any of the above parties and get the evidence direct.

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A test package of Ozone, containing a sufficient quantity to preserve one thousand dozen eggs, or other articles in proportion, will be sent to any applicant on receipt of \$2. This package will enable the applicant to pursue any line of tests and experiments he desires, and thus satisfy himself as to the extraordinary merits of Ozone as a Preservative. After having thus satisfied himself, and had time to look the field over to determine what he wishes to do in the future—whether to sell the article to others, or to confine it to his own use, or any other line of policy which is best suited to him and to his township or county—we will enter into an arrangement with him that will make a fortune for him and give us good profits. We will give exclusive township or county privileges to the first responsible applicant who orders a test package and desires to control the business in his locality. The man who secures control of Ozone for any special territory, will enjoy a monopoly which will surely enrich him.

Don't let a day pass until you have ordered a Test Package, and if you desire to secure an exclusive privilege we assure you that delay may deprive you of it, for the applications come in to us by scores every mail—many by telegraph. "First come first served" is our rule.

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