

fore appointed, and the bounds of their habitation.

What is the fountain from which to drink knowledge, is it from books? O, yes, if we have within us the inspiration that enables us to cull the good from the bad, the truth from the error, storing up that which is worth retaining, and casting away the dross. For we find that books are oftentimes a labyrinth of folly and human weakness; for men write as they talk, and they talk as they think. And when they think wrong, they talk wrong and write wrong. What is the standard of truth? Our Father; and without him there is no sure standard for us. Though there are many of our own species before us, that are advancing, that are climbing onward and upward in the scale of intelligence and power, and we are striving to follow after and learn of them, yet the inspiration of the Almighty is the only true source of knowledge. As Job says: "But there is a spirit in man; and the inspiration of the Almighty giveth them understanding." It is the candle of the Lord, and his spirit lights it. Proud, haughty, self-conceited men do, often ignore the source of knowledge, and while they are recipients of his grace and inspiration, their hearts are too proud to acknowledge it. And if any have been inspired a little ahead of them, or have been favored with one idea in advance of their own, they, in their pride and bigotry, rise up to resist it. Thus it was when Galileo, whose mind had been susceptible to the inspiration of the Almighty, revealed to the world that the earth moved upon its axis. "Blasphemy!" they cried; and the power of the Romish Church was brought to crush the boy. And so it has ever been when prophet, seer, revelator, philosopher, or sage has given utterance to inspiration beyond his fellows; opposition was rife against him. "We cannot stand this innovation! Away with it! Kill him, we can't endure it!" This is why the seed of Abraham killed the ancient prophets, and why they persecuted Jesus; and it is also the self-same reason why the prophet Joseph Smith was martyred; he went a little beyond his fellows in his theory of God, and eternity and immortality and godliness, and his theory of human associations and morals. He was a little in advance of the men of his time, and therefore they could not endure it. "Let him be slain, and let his people go to the wall!" What is the matter? "O, they marry their wives! they father their children, they honor and care for them, instead of casting them into the mire and filth of the streets to perish! The women they marry they take them to their bosoms, and love, honor and cherish, and sustain and bless them, instead of secretly stealing around more like low, crouching brutes than men, to seduce the fair daughters of Eve; and when they have pampered to their lust, east them off and their offspring, to be forever looked upon with reproach. O, you Latter-day Saints, we can't endure you! you will not descend to a level with us! we congressmen are after you, we will teach you morals! No matter how many mistresses you may have, we do not enter any complaint against that phase of it, the bills we have introduced are not intended to prevent your having and keeping as many courtesans as you may choose to, but it is to prohibit your marrying them!"

Brethren and sisters, I will not detain you longer. God bless you. Let us be men and women true to ourselves, true to our God, true to the holy religion we have received, and by and by, those who now scorn, revile, abuse, belittle, and seek to trample us in the dust, will honor our memory and bless our children.

That heaven may protect us in my prayer, in the name of Jesus. Amen.

Correspondence.

Frost and Fence.

St. JOHN'S, May 18, 1878.

Editors Deseret News:

In your issue of April 24th, our friend B. F. Johnson, in reply to mine of March 31, has inadvertently or otherwise, made a slight mistake in quoting my statement. I said there was yet plenty of fencing material in this valley instead of "in the mountains." I was writing of this valley, and did not venture as far as the mountains, much less to Spring Lake Villa, from whence my answer came. And again, I do not consider myself to be building pyramids of wealth in stock; that is not my intention nor to compel my "friend" or friends to do so. I myself have but two head of stock, and one of them is a small calf. My opinion is still in favor of fence, and so are the majority of the farmers of this place. I do not wish to be thought selfish or close, as I am sure I do not intend to be. I think I am justified in withholding my cognomen, and hope there will be no hard feelings from that source.

Crops generally look well here, although the hares, commonly called rabbits, are pretty bad at present. Our peach crop, what little we had, has been entirely destroyed by frost, and the plum and apple crop in part. We have had a severe snow storm for a few hours to-day, which may result in the destruction of the remainder.

Yours,

AN AGRICULTURIST.

The Use of Tea and Coffee.

Question—Is the use of coffee and tea with our meals injurious?

Answer—They have been charged with producing dyspepsias, neuralgias, and other injurious effects upon the stomach, bowels and nervous system generally.

I quote the opinions of the following well-known authors upon this subject, and would add that my own personal and professional experience fully coincides with the views herein presented.

Dr. Johnson says: We are convinced by many years' observation that very many of the diseases we are called upon to treat, as dyspepsia, nervous and sick headache, heart disease, paralysis, epilepsy, neuralgia, etc., are the legitimate and certain fruits of these narcotic stimulants.

Hahnemann describes a number of diseases induced by these beverages, and assures us "that they are most insidious and dangerous, enemies, which slowly and silently undermine the citadel of life itself."

Dr. Bell says, expressly, that coffee has a "pernicious effect upon the stomach, bowels and nervous system generally."

Dr. Snartleff, of Boston, says, "of all the common beverages drunk in society, coffee is decidedly the worst."

Mr. Graham declares that "both tea and coffee are among the most powerful poisons of the vegetable kingdom."

Dr. Combe observes, that tea and coffee not only ruin the stomach, but seriously derange the health of the brain and nervous system."

Dr. Teste says, that "coffee is responsible for six or seven-tenths of the neuralgia we have to treat daily."

Question—We often hear the term "tea-drunkard." Will you tell us what class of persons is meant by it?

Answer—Their number is legion; they are of both sexes, but more of women than men. Instead of using tea in moderation, or as an occasional beverage, they swallow it down three or more times a day, in quantities that are incompatible with health. They are as much slaves to the tea pot as the drunkard is to his bottle. They are tea-drunkards. Tea, in anything but great moderation, is a poison capable of ruining the stomach, enfeebling and disordering the heart's action, shattering the nerves and ruining the health and happiness of the victim. In few words, without holding that the use of tea is as bad as the use of alcoholic liquors, one may well believe that the total abstinence reformers have, in their red-hot zeal against rum, encouraged an indulgence in tea-drinking which will one day have to be fought against with might and main to prevent the wholesale ruin of multitudes. A tea-drunkard may be defined as one who drinks strong tea several times a day, who depends on it instead of food and rest for strength, and who can not go without bringing on distressing symptoms.—Physiologist and Family Physician.

The recent Sioux war cost the government \$2,312,500. And yet we suppose, if you should put the whole Sioux nation up at auction, it wouldn't bring \$115.

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