

How Coffee is Cultivated.

It will, we are sure, interest our readers to know how coffee is cultivated. A German gentleman, writing from Costa Rica, one of the Central American States, tells how it is done there.

The method of cultivating the coffee tree here differs from that practised in any other country, and the results prove that it is a rational method. The ground consists of the great central mountain plains, the only regularly cultivated and inhabited part of the Republic; and the soil consists of the decomposed volcanic rock forming a clayey loam mixed with a large portion of decayed vegetable matter.

The climate is the most regular and agreeable in the world; and the greatest difference between the temperature of the hottest and coldest day at San Jose, based upon ten years' observations is less than 20 degrees Fahrenheit. The mean temperature for 1875 was about 69 degrees.

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THE TALES TAILS TELL.—There is a good deal of expression in tails. A cat when excited has her tail bent toward the ground and quiet; but when the animal is under lively emotion, the tail shows movements which are not of chance character, but predetermined by nature—such and such an emotion causing such and such a movement.

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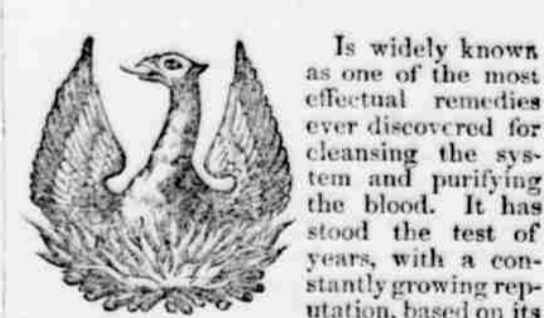
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The story arose in this way: Some English sailors landed upon the coast one day, and after roasting about till they were tired, sat down under a tree to rest themselves. A puff of wind came along and blew off a shower of leaves, which after turning over and over in the air, as leaves generally do, finally rested upon the ground.

As it was midsummer and everything appeared quite green, the circumstance puzzled the sailors considerably. But the surprise was much greater, as you may well suppose, when, after a short time they saw the leaves crawling along on the ground toward the trunk of the tree. They ran at once for their vessel, without stopping to examine into the matter at all, and set sail away from the land where everything seemed to be bewitched.

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