

Temper.

Temper in a man answers to temper in edge tools. A man destitute of that heaven-born principle would be as insufficient in the hand-to-hand difficulties that must be encountered as a rock drill without the correct temper. An axe may be made of the choicest quality of steel, ground to an edge, and polished so beautifully that a chopper can see the color of his eyes in the polished surface. Let him sink such a tool into a stick of green basswood to the eye, and the bright edge will seem adequate to any requirement; but strike a hemlock knot, and the beautiful edge wrinkles and turns this way and that way, into a doubled and twisted conformation. But the correct temper is lacking. But, thrust the burnished steel into the fire and give the edge a proper temper, and it will walk straight through the gnarly oak, and the knotty hemlock, as a warm knife will pass through a roll of frozen butter. But the instrument is the same in both instances. Nothing of an appreciable nature has been added to, or taken from the steel. So it is with a man or woman. Correct temper gives efficiency to every word and action. Were it not for the uniform temper of the engineer, the Hoopoe Mountains could never be tunneled, nor could the Niagara ever have been bridged. A boy without "grit," without "spunk," destitute of temper, might grow up into a feminine imbecile, capable of feeding the chickens, and always requiring a guardian or superintendant. No man of woman, boy or girl, ever inherited too much temper or grit. The great trouble has always been the controlling of it. A noble horse that has not sufficient temper to tear his harness and rend every rein, making kindling wood of the vehicle that he is drawing, when things about him become unstrung and out of gear, would be an animal of little value. A horse never possessed too much fire and temper. Wherever there is difficulty it may be attributed to a lack of control of that temper by means of a correct education. So with children, and so with adults. In every noble nature, whether animal or human, the all-wise Creator has implanted this wonderful power of resistance, thus rendering each possessor of it efficient—enabling him to battle successfully with the asperities and obstacles of life. A young man, or boy, in these perverse days of seduction, intrigue and corruption, needs the grit of emery, and the unflinching firmness of the diamond to enable him to meet with unruined temper the persuasive incentives to dishonesty, crime and popular corruption. The temper must be controlled, and educated in childhood, in boyhood, through the critical period of youth, up through the years of riper manhood, and down to hoary age. Temper, firmness, decision, pluck, grit or spunk, by whatever euphonic appellation we may be pleased to name the quality, is one of the most praiseworthy qualities of a noble manhood. Without such a granitic foundation, the entire superstructure of character will resemble the soft and yielding edge of the tool destitute of temper. Without this persistent quality, everything would be unreliable and as unstable as water on an inclined surface. But this faculty must be controlled.

Anger is the open manifestation of temper. There is an ignoble and a noble anger. One is sinful, the other is not. When a person is annoyed, vexed, worried, fretted and nearly driven to desperation by his contact with the difficulties and asperities of life, his anger is sinful. People say he has too much temper; but the grand difficulty is, he has not been educated to control it. When temper gains the ascendancy over the man, woman, boy, or girl, and is manifested in an eruption of frenzy, he or she can never tunnel a mountain, or bridge the foaming cataract. A man's persistence, his firmness, his perseverance, his indomitable determination, his well-controlled temper, may nerve his nature to a terrific pitch, and yet he may be as steady as the steam engine that is about to give motion to a ponderous load. Such anger, in overcoming the difficulties of life, and in resisting wrong, is noble, not sinful. Men too often allow their temper to get the best of them. They are, then, like a terrified horse that is running away, and in the impulse of a hasty moment, they are left to do or say some wicked thing that may embitter their whole existence. In moments of sober reflection every one should fortify himself against every storm of anger, by imagining what to do or say if implicated in this or that difficulty. He should prepare himself to surmount all the obstacles and annoyances of mortal life, with a coolness that will impart a magnanimous luster to a noble manhood. As men have difficulties to meet, and obstacles to overcome, their nerves must be tempered by education, to stand for the maintenance and ultimate triumph of truth and equity, and for the proper defense of their legitimate rights whenever they may be invaded. The worker in steel

corrects the temper of his sword, his dagger, or his pruning knife, before the instrument is put to a practical test. So a man must be so familiar with his own temper that he can encounter any of life's difficulties with a manly fortitude, without losing that equanimity which gives character and dignity to every word and action.—Technologist.

Brevities.

Salad for the solitary—Lettuce alone.
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Capital punishment—hanging on a pretty woman's lips.
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He who pelts every barking dog must pick up a great many stones.
John Bull pays \$228,000,000 a year for his beer.
Canada is clamoring for paper instead of silver for currency. So it goes.
The Legislature of Texas contains ten colored men—two in the Senate and eight in the House.
This is the way a Wyoming ballad runs—
"Nice little baby, don't get in a fury,
"Cause mamma's gone to set on a jury."
The Mormons are organizing a corps of women lecturers to describe the glories of their faith.
Four members of the Illinois Constitutional Convention have died since it assembled, and one has become insane.
The name of the Swinomish Postoffice, Washington Territory, has been changed to La Conner.
Josh Billings says that wedlock in Chicago is a sort of lock that almost anybody can pick.
The ordering of troops to the West has taken out of Virginia and Kentucky the last soldiers stationed in those states.
Gen. Bragg has been ousted from control of the New Orleans waterworks, and his successor is a mulatto! How's that for high becoming low.
The property assessment this year of Thurston county, Washington Territory is \$1,100,000, or about \$150,000 more than that of last year.
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All debts due the Polk County Times, both on subscription and advertising account, are now due, and prompt payment is greatly desired.
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Dallas, Ogn. March 5, 1879.

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