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USES OF WORMWOOD AS DISCOVERED BY AN OLD SUBSCRIBER: A FOUND POEM

"... no plant grows well near wormwood due to its toxic leaf and root excretions.

However, wormwood tea repels black fleas, discourages slugs, keeps beetles and weevils out of grain and combats aphids. So wormwood is not a totally noxious herb. Few plants are. Instead they have their place in the natural order of things"

THE RED CANNIBALS: A FOUND POEM

"Tomatoes are narcissistic. They like to be grown in compost made from their own bodies"

-- Jessie T. Ellison

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PAEAN TO BRIE, CAMEMBERT AND LITTLE BREAKFAST CHEESES

Like other Americans, I stopped dancing as I As I began to develop a palate for cheese.

Since I stopped dancing, there's hardly anything Anything other than cheese I feel comfortable with.

Like other Americans, I ceased writing poetry when I When I began to cultivate my appreciation for cheese.

Since I ceased writing poetry, I've become quite wealthy Quite wealthy composing the first Encyclopedia of Cheese.

> -- M. K. Book Lincoln NE

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