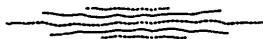


vileness is nurtured and expanded by the influence of many like natures. No nation to-day is free from these pests, although they are most numerous in the old countries of the world. The peculiar conditions of European governments have produced them. And it is a noteworthy fact that their outbreaks are usually directed against the heads of these governments and the ruling classes. In the assassination of Empress Elizabeth there was no purpose sought to be gained, no tyranny to be rebuked, no misdeeds to be punished. By her the title of empress was honored through dignity and elevated through morality. She was murdered because she was the wife of an emperor. This is deplorable, and most humiliating to mankind.



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Though changed in dress, and with other evidences of a sort of regeneration, still it does not appear proper that a formal introduction of ourselves should be exacted of us. It should create no surprise when we speak of former acquaintances among the college publications. The OWL passed out of existence during the summer months, and, as none of the feathered race was at hand to fill the vacancy, the REVIEW stepped in. Therefore possessed of many of the accoutrements of the extinct OWL, and doing business at the same stand, the REVIEW extends to such of its brethren as have appeared a hearty welcome, and a cordial invitation to those that have not arrived.

Few exchanges have yet reached our *Sanctum*, so difficult is it to rise from the lethargy in which the educational world has lain during the past few months.

The July-August number of the *Manitoba College Journal* has an altogether too decidedly religious tone. Its articles have nothing at all of literary excellence. The exchange column is a medley of clippings from various sources, betraying at once a gross