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 about just'then, and conine aboui jentys muse on the absurdity of the Itish cus-
fom of dining at 5 oclocrysingead of at the more tom of dining at 5 o'clocky instead of at the more
 of Erigland: Al pattie being thus occupied, the looling sort ofi, man, who eridently had. seen a large
share of servie, both at home and in our Indian possessions, Hallooked at the company in silence, without moving, a single muscle, except togive an extra
twist to'his fine lars e, gray mouslache, and then proceeded oo pace quiet! yp and down the room, ever and anon giving a side-glance a! the busy writers. At last he muttered in a sotto unce whisper, Com-mercials-commercials. The Dubliners kuew their man, and could scarcely refrain from laughing outright; while the Sbeffield man darted a look of defi-
ance at the intruder; as sharp as the points of his own penknives. Thé old gentleman continaed his walk up'and down the 300 m , and, zagain glancing at the writers, a second time murmured out, 'Commeroials -commercials.? Flesh and blood could stand that no longer; the Englishman took it all for a direct insuit
to his order, and responded abruptly, 'You Kinuw' we are 'cnmmeríals;" "we belong to as réspectable a class of men as any in the community; and we would ite to know what business yon have to come into our room to insult us ?' The old soldier, in the blandest aanner, begged to assure the gentiemen that he had the man of métal vas uot to be pacified by a few sofit,honeyed words, and retorted, ؛ Yes, Sir, you bave ansultedios; the silent; contempluous glance you gave at the company when you entered our room-the curl on your upper lip-and then calling us commercials"
vith such a supercilious air-all go to prove the iutended bui :unprovoked insull. I can tell yoin, Sir, they are tu us; and further, Sir, we are quite as valnable members of society as any baraack sergeant, no matler how big his moustache may be!' The Genehad made a wrong move, had taken up a false posiherefore, as quick as limhtning, changed his whole line of defence, and, stepping up to the enraged commercial, repised, Give me your hand, old fellow, for I see you jare a regular brick. I love a fellow that
will stand up for his class and order against all comwins stand up for his class and order against all comof insulting or offending either you or this company, I woulk stop and dine with you, only I am parlicularly engaged to dine out this evening with an old friend, and would not like to break my asreement. But, to
prove my sincerity, if you will allow me, I will be prove my sincerits, if you will allow me, I will be
nost happy to treat you to a botle of wine. The open, frank manner of the old hero completely charsed the feelings and bearing of the Yorkshireman, and, joined to that, tha prospect of the old port melted away his passion as rapidly as snow sinks before the
midday sun. The General now saw he had carried midday sun. The General now saw he had carried the old waiter, who entered with his white apron on up to his chin, and, making his low bow (for he is one of the old school), inquired what their' 'worthy honors' might please to waut. 'I say, waiter,' said the old General,' these gentemen, I understand, have,
ordered dinner.' 'Yes, my Lord, dinner for four.' "Well, I would have stopped and dined witis them, but I am engaged out; you will, theretore, supply
them with four botlles of wine at their dinner, wo of port, and two of sherry, and charge tlem in iny bill. Take care, waiter, that you supply them with the
best wine the house can afford, so that they mar drink a bumper to the health of General Lord Gough.' He then bid them good day, and, shaking hands most warmly with the Yorkshireman, hoped they would have the pleasure of meeting again. Thus parted, on the best of terms, the old Tipperary General and the
'master onler.' If the old hero is fond of fameand most of his class are-I can assure him he has made a first rate investment with the $\bar{E} \bar{i}$ hat paid for the four botles of wine; for the burly Englishman is going round the country telling the story, and how he foook hands with a real live Lord, and is bowillg forth his Lordship's praise with all the power of a
high-pressure steam engine.,

What Peter the Galat saw in bingland.-Peler the Great, while in Enylaid, was as slyy and unwilling
to be seen as Peter the Wild Boy. He was present at a ball given at Kensington by King Wailliam, in wards Queen ; or rather he may be said to have seen the ball, for his shyness confined him to a small room, from which be could see without being-seen. When
he saw King William on bis. throne jin the House of Lords (asight he had expressed a parlicular wish to ber of the house, bot froms a gutter in the house-top,
from trifich he was enabed to peep through a window from: which he was enabled to peep through a window inso the house.: He retired from this unpleasant point
of view sonner, it is said, thais he intended ; for he made so' ridiculous a figure (says Lord Dartmouth who was presenl) that neither King nor Peers could lorbear laughing. He was taken to all our London
sighis at that time of any moment. To the lions and armouries in the Tower, to the monuments and was
figures iu Westminster Abley' to Lambeth Patione figures in. Westminster Abley; to Lambeth Patace, to and to the two theatres in Drury-lane add Dorset gardens, He was chiefly attracted by the Tover and
ihe performances at Druyy-lane. The wild beaits and implenents of warwere acapted.to his rougher nature while the charms of a Miss; Cross, ine original Miss
Hoyden, in Vanbrugh's Relapse, and the first actress who had "¿ Mis!? prefixed to her name jn, playbille, vere so engaging: that the rough Czar of Russia he
came enamoured of her beauty. Of this Miss Cros the story is told in the Spectator that when she firs to be so handsome as Madame van Brisket by near half a ton. There is s fite old mezzotinto which still preserves:tousithe boantifull features thatwoun the youtbful hëartuof Peterthe Greats: Hés did not speak Engish, nor is he known to. have boean at.all desirou preserved. Three, however, have reached un. He of an, Eoglishad miralizappier than that of a Czario ahe adviser of your, Majesty, should counsel you to
remove your, coutito Greewich aud cito convert Sto

James'ance more into an hospital: When in.West-
minster-hall ha inquired who the busy sentemen minster-hall ha inquired who the busy gentlemen
were in wigs and gowns, and, beinr told they were lawyers-" Lawyers !? said lhe, 'ch why' [ have but
iwo in my whole dominions, and 1 design "lo hang one of them the moment I get home. - Dicken's House hold Words.

The Invasion of Ireland a Fact.-We gave an account on Monday, of the deparlure, in fonr jollyboats, of a mysterious-looking crew, fram Long Wharf, the soldiers, to his wife in this city, gives an inkling of the business of the expedition :

Off Hull, Ameriky, in the first boat,
Me deer honey.- The expidistion that sailed to take reland last night, had a wet lime ov it. We hadn't a Chrowning rain. Cley, and nolhing to keep out the who promisted to meet us at Hult, with their sashes and sords on, sent word that it was "rainin' too heavy," and that they wouldn"t be able to come "till the the bys ; but they ar'n't to be turned from their purp is They'll take treland, anyhow; and annex her to the Sthates. That's part of the plan of the expidishon. Ireland, when jined to the Union, is to be called the "Big Producer," which Sargeant Murphy says, is the Laten for "Man Maker." We have whisky galore in
the cuddy; but the bags of powther, which were put in the cuddy; but the bags of powther, which were put in
the bottom of the boats, got as wet as say wather itself. We're gsin' to dry it the first fine day. The army is full of spirits-ifl can judge anything from the amonnt
that they have dhrunk since they set sail. that they have dhrunk since they set sail. I wish
you'd sind me an umbrelley; sind it throngh the Hrall you'd sind me an umbrelley ; sind it through the Hull
Post Ofice. It will get to me by the time that the Comels arrive.
From jow devoted and darlin'.cudeen,

Mrehafa Mun, andoos
P.S.-You might siud the am ambellerikin by Jolin Snith, s tellygraff. Misther Smith is a friend to the
expidistom, and for the eake of Ireland, would sind it an the wire to Hull.
P. S. agin.-If the Cornels don': came in the mornin', the invadhers will go on without 'em. Be gorra, 't is meself. Sthur Maryann in the cradle, on Courier.

Protestant Lectuners.-The Niagaira Mail Protestant Lectumers.-
complains of the great increase of Immoral Lecturcomplains of the great in
ers in Uper Canada.:-
"Infidel and Lmmonal Lectures.-An American pecturer named O"Leary has been holding forth on changed his subject on Friday last to "matrimony," when we are informed, the "sentleman:" let out as fille a discourse on the principles of the new Ameri-
can sect of "Free Love," as any one, who wanted to be initiated into the foolistiness of malrimonial obligations, could desire. We see by our exchanges that several American leclurers are now in his Province
preaching the bestial socialistic doctrines alluded to; preaching the bestial socialistic doctrines alluded to;
frequently in a covert way under the guise of phreno logy, or prefaced by other subjects. A number of evening in question, disgusted with the lonse tall of the man. It strikes use that instead of any part of the audience going a way, it slould have been the lecturer who was compelled to leave the room. Our worthy
moralists in the Polica Office, will have to take care after this to whom and for what purpose they let the Town Hall. The Toronto Colonist of Tuesuay gives : wholesome note of watning against the lectures alluded to. It is an offence agaiist the law to import o. sell obscene books or piclures in this Province. We
are of opinion it is ecqually an offence against both law, are of opinion it is ecgually an offence against both law
morals and religion, to import men, or allow them 10 hold forth in public, against the fitst principles of social and moral duty. When men come forward to advocate adultery as a moral right of society, it is time 10 interfere. Should men be found tenching profes-
sionally the ant of theft or of assasination, the law sionally the art of theft or of assassination, the law
would find a punishment. Still woree is the offence when men go about preaching the abolition of the
seventic commadiment. The dismal fruits of these seventhe commandment. The dismal fruits of these
doctrines are already seen in many parts of the States, doctrines are already seen in many pats of the States,
where the marriage tie is become a mere mockery, or Where the marriage tie is become a mere mockery, gamy have rendered hil
iniquity.-Niagara Moil.

A Reason for Theft. - A man in Maine, who had stolen a watch, gave as an excuse that he was unwell,
and his physiclan advised him to take something. and his physician
New York Times.
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