

CONSPIRATORS AT WASHINGTON 111
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Ed. of Mail to Uncle Sam,-"Don't make any offer of Keciprocity, and before long you will have Canada asking for Annexation!


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## Comments on tbe Cartoons.



IG. JOHNNA, THE LION KING.-The Parliament of the Dominion is again assembled "for the transaction of business,"- ironical phrase! It is expected that the session will be a lively one. If the members have any regard whatever for the interests of Grip, they will see that this expectation is realized, for the making of bricks without straw is child's play to the making of cartoons without political incident wherewith to construct them. The episode which is looked for with the greatest interest is the introduction by Mr. McCarthy of his promised (or perhaps we should say threatened,) resolution in favor of abolishing French as an official language in the North-West Territories. This proposed action, according to the popular understanding, inspires both Government and Opposition with terror, for both have the fear of the French vote before their eyes. It all depends on Mr. McCarthy, however. If that gentieman proves in all respects as good as the speeches he has been making of late, we will, no doubt, see a pinal quart d' heure (this is unofficial French), for both the party lcaders, though everybody knows that, reasonable as the resolution is, it will certainly be voted down. If Mr.

McCarthy goes back on his Equal Rights record through the subtle iniluence of party exigencies, the expected great episode will end in a fizzle. This is what the chieftain is evidently counting on, for he bas given no signs of undue terror as yet. He goes boldly into the cage of this Roaring Lion, with full confidence that his eye has lost none of its olf-time power, and he has never yet seen the Conservative lion that he couldn't conquerCartwriglat alone excepted.
"Conspikators at Washington."-" We made allusion last week to the charge made through the Globe involving the editor and manager of the Mafil in an alleged plot to prevent the American Government from making an offer of Reciprocity to Canada. We then expressed the opinion that the Mail's reply to the charge was not satisfactory to those who would fain continue to have faith in the honesty and independence of that journal, which is unquestionably the leading paper of the Dominion. If there is no truth whatever in the story the Mail owes it to itself and its friends to produce the proof. A statement from Senator Hoar, testifying that the unknown correspondent at Washington has grossly libelled the representatives of the Mail in saying that they supplied his committee with information tending to discouragean offer of Reciprocity, could be easily secured, and would, no doubt, set the matter at rest.


UR own crank may be cranky, but his crankiness is amiable - hay, admirable. He insists that Great Britain and America shall join in an ultimatum to the Czar of Russia, calling upon that candle-eating barbarian to release forthwith all the political prisoners now languishing in the mines of Siberia and in the hundreds of prisons throughout the Empire. If the Czar refuses to comply, "then," says our enthusiast of humanity, "let him and his infernal throne be knocked higher than Gilderoy's kite!" Our crank proposes to start on a tour throughout the Anglo-Saxon world preaching this crusade, and we wish the public to know that he carries our blessing with him. Is there anything unreasonable about this demand, when you come to think of it? Will anyone who has read Mr. Geo. Kennan's articles in the Century, deny that there is an urgent demand for some such action on the part of the civilized nations in the interest of humanity ? Thousands of the best men and women of Russia, guilty of no crime, are to-day enduring agonies unmentionable by the will of a knavish autocrat, who is not fit to black their boots, and we, the free and liberty-loving people of the world, are content to look on without saying a word ! It is a disgrace to humanity. But there-we shall be getting as cranky as our crank if we don't change the subject.

EFORE changing the subject, however, read the following brief extract from the New York Herald, with a calm breast if you can:

In Russia a man or woman may be seized and banished to Siberia for years or for life without redress.
"By order of the Czar!"
Families can be broken up, lives ruined, children orphaned, hearts made desolate at a moment's notice, without trial or defence permitted to the victim.
"By order of the Czar!"
In the vast extent of Russian territory millions of subjects are utterly at the caprice of one man, and all the sunshine of life may disappear for them, and hope and energy go out in the vast and bitter solitude of Siberia.
"By order of the Czar!"

Can't something be done for our fellow-creatures ot Russia? Let the Car be regulated.
"By order of the People!"

THE good cause of Home Rule for Scotland is making slow but sure progress. This is not to be wondered at, for Scotchmen are notoriously levei-headed, and cannot fail to see that all the arguments are on the side of local management of local affairs. We in Canada are only "colonists," of course, and cannot possibly have so much sense as the people at 'ome, but it seems tolerably clear that until the British Government is reorganized upon the Dominion plan, there will never be peace and contentment in any of the four kingdoms.
THAT grand old ${ }^{*}$ warrior of the Methodist church, Dr. Douglass, of Montrenl, has been indulging in a little plain talk about the morals of certain Canadian public men in both municipal and national positions. The good gentleman seems to be well filled up with tacts, and could come down with names and particulars in a highly sensational manner if he liked; but he contents himself with pointing the finger of scorn in general terms, being content that the galled jade should wince in private. Quite properly, Dr. Douglass reserves his most scathing denunciations for the voters by whose ballots these unworthy individuals are placed in high positions and kept there year after year. But who docs he $\underset{*}{\text { mean, we wonder ? }}$

ITT will be news to most of our readers, perhaps, to learn that in the New England States, Canadians are banding together to fight in local elections as Canadians, and that in a recent contest the combine was strong enough to elect their countryman and ours, greatly to the disgust and indignation of United Statains. The Canadians issued red-hot hand bills rallying the loyal sons of the Dominion to the polls, and all that sort of thing. Now, the prevailing impression is, that when our folks settle across the line they become loyal in all respects to the American flag and con-stitution-as they ought. The facts given above will dispel this idea. It may moderate the amazement of the reader, however, to mention that the Canadians who work the nationality scheme in New England are from Quebec, and that the campaign referred to was conducted in French.

SIR JOHN MACDONALD will please accept Grip's sincere congratulations on having attained his sev-enty-fifth birthday. While we cannot flatter ourselves that our pretty steady and always well-meant efforts to make the Premier a truly good man have entirely suc-
ceeded, yet we are free to admit that he has largely aided in making Grip the truly good paper it is. For some seventeen years now, we have kept a piercing eye on Sir John, and if he has done many bad things that we have failed to show up with pen and pencil, he is even smarter than he gets credit for being. All we want is time, and we will surely mould Sir John to the pattern of a model statesman. Seventeen years has only given us a fair start on the contract. We hope to have that many more, at least.
[T is queer to think of the City Council without Ald. John Baxter, and the fact that this old municipal war-horse has withdrawn the light of his countenance and the heft of his ponderosity from the civic chamber, is one which calls for record amongst the important events of the time. It deserves more than passing mention, indeed, and next week Grip will endeavor to depict the overwhelming grief into which John's withdrawal has


THE BALANCE OF TRADE.
Foster-"' This is awful! When the balance of trade is against a country that country is on the road to blue ruin according to the gospel of Protection. Dear, oh dear, and what can I do about it ?"
plunged his erstwhile collcagues. It is pleasant to know that the worthy and unterrified representative of St. Patrick's Ward has not retired because his faculties have become the worse for wear, but because, on the contrary, his intellect has become so clear and powerful by long practice at civic sleight-of-hand that the Bench demands his scrvices. We hope he may long live to lend his weight to the assistant magistracy.

## A USEFUL PRESENT.

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 HE Political Science Class of Toronto University has presented Mr. David Mills, Q.C., with a red bag. This is to carry his new Q.C. gown and law books in, but there will be plenty of room left for all he knows about the Henry George theory without endangering the seams.

TOTAL ECLIPSE OF THE (WINNIPEG) SUN.
(And an interesting proceeding that is expected to take place under coner of the consequent darkness.)
Luxton-" Now, then, we'll trouble you for a subsidy."

## THE NEW FUEL.

MRS. 13.-"Don't you find it a very uncomfortable job these cold momings splitting pine and getting shavings to light the fire ?"

Mr. B.-"Don't have to. When I am routed out of my warm bed my wrath is kindling. I use that."

## THE CANADIAN.



A NOVEL a la henry James, Jun.

## Chapter I.

AWKS alive! here I am in Boston at last," remarked Percival Pencraft, as he thoughtfully paced his apartments in the Gloucester House, and gazed from the sixth story window on the unwonted scene before him. The streets were full of people, and street cars glode rapidly up and down, crowded to their utmost capacity with passengers. Percival had never seen a street car before, and in the little Canadian village where he had been born and brought up, three men and a boy
constituted a crowd-so he was naturally surprised at the spectacle which now met his gaze.
"Yes, I am here at last," he proceeded to soliloquize-" my business here, it may be necessary to explain to the intelligent reader, is to hunt up my Yankee uncle, Octavius Snogglethorpe, who lives somewhere in the suburbs, and has written, asking me to pay him a visit. Furthermore, my particular purpose is to demonstrate the difference between a Canadian and an American, and so let the people of this part of the world have an idea of how uncivilized and lacking in that culture which New England alone can bestow, are the outside barbarians. Secing that I come from Canada, the intelligent reader must be prepared for all kinds of eccentricities on my part, for naturally I cannot be expected to know any better."

## Chapter II.

The mansion of Hon. Octavius Snogglethorpe stood in the outskirts of the thriving town of Langtree, about three miles from Boston. Its owner was a descendant of a Pilgrim Father, and his expansive forehead, keen grey cyes, and firm, yet kindly mouth, betokened somewhat of the ancestral spirit, yet tempered with the amenities of modern culture. His only daughter, Anastasia, a belle of some eightcen summers, was a model of feminine grace, blended with intellectuality, and displayed an introspectiveness, rare in one so young.
"Your cousin, Percival Pencraft, will arrive this morning," said Hon. Octavius to Anastasia. "His presence here will afford you an unaccustomed opportunity to differentiate, as it were, between those loftier planes of the mental and moral sphere in which we circumferentiate, and the crude and coarse characteristics of those who have never been subject to such refining influences. He is a Canadian."
"A Canadian-how horrid!" said Anastasia. "It is incomprehensible to me how human beings can continue to pursue the weary round of an uncultured existence in those far-away places, when they might live in Boston."
"Here be is," said her father, as the thud of a ponderous cowhide boot against the door announced his advent. Percival had never seen a door-bell in Canada, of course. They don't have them on their log houses.

## Chapter III.

On being admitted, Percival strode unceremoniously into the apartment, and, for a wonder, removed his massive cap. The refinements of Boston were beginning to tell on him unconsciously.
"Hello, uncle!" he exclaimed. "Glad to make your acquaintance. Old man, shake!"
"I am pleased to welcome you, my nephew," said Mr. Snogglethorpe, in a tone of dignified hauteur. "This is Anastasia, your cousin."
"Ah-I hope I see you miss-I s'pose that, being your cousin, you know-"

He approached as if to kiss her, but she drew back with an air of frigid propriety.
"Osculation," she remarked, "is essentially archaic, and a survival destined to disappear in the process of sociological evolutions."
"Oh, excuse me," said Percival, "no offence, I hope. By the way, uncle," he continued, anxious to change the


THE GRAND OLD TACTICIAN.
Miss Camada-" Let me congratulate you, Sir John, on your seventy-fifth birthday. "You must be weary of public life by this time, and anxious to give way for younger men."

SIR Johs:-" Not a bit of it, my dear. I'm good for quite a lot of mischief yet!"
"No, sir, we haven't. I am sorry we cannot gratify you in that respect, but our ways of living differ so essentially that I can neither offer you old rye, bread, nor the pemmican, nor beaver's tail, which, I am informed, are the staple food of your country."

## Chapter IV.

"Our relative is indeed sadl; deticient in the resthetic sense," said Mr. Snogglethorpe some dajs afterwards, "and yet methinks our cultured surroundings have vibrated some latent chords of his betternature."
"All untutored as he is," said Anastasia, "there are upwelling germs of soulfulness which at times flit athwart the gloom. Upon my inquiring, the other day, how he liked Joseph Cook as a lecturer, he replicd in his native unsophisticated speech, that he was 'bully, and just knocked the spots off the Canadian preachers.' It was a sincere and heartfelt tribute, fraught with a depth of meaning that more polished phrascology might have lacked."

How trivial appear the conventionalities when the bosom is permeated with love's subtle thrill. On second thoughts, "trillsome subtleness" is a better expression. Canadian as he was, Anastasia saw beneath the uncouth diction and unpolished demeanour, a mind that might yet prove susceptible of those psjchological emotions which require a number of long words and more space than we have at our disposal for their accurate definition.

In brief, she loved! All comprehensive and potent syllable! Old as Eden, yet fraught with eternal juvenescence.
subject, I had no idea you kept a crockery store. Biz good?". "Crockery store! What do you mean?"
"Why, you don't want all them plates and pitchers and things for the family, surely ?" said the Canadian, pointing to the porcelain on the walls and mantelpiece.
"Why, those are keramics, young man," said the Hon. Octavius with a stern face.
"Which ?"
"Keramics-majolica and faience and other varieties of decorative art, such as are necessary to all who have the slightest pretensions to culture and artistic taste. Dear me, such ignorance is awful! But you are fatigued with your journey; will you not partake of some refreshments?"
"Thanks, I don't mind if $I$ do."
"What will you have, sauterne, hock, marashino, madeira, or a good glass of sherry ?"
"Thank you, I don't seem to tumble to them fancy beverages, but if you have a snifter of old rye in the "iüle-"
"Percival, I fear me you are not happy here. You have lost your wonted flambuoyancy and abandon. Why thus moodful?"
"Alas, Anastasia," he murmured yearnfully; "if you knew the aspirations which-but no!' 'Tis but a fevered d-a-r-ream. It cannot be. You, the child of culture and the decorative arts, you never could love a crude Canadian."
" Percival," she said, in her most persuasive tones, "you know the philosophic dictum that evolution tends to bring all into harmony with their environments. The molecular attraction is potently synthetic, is it not? Oh, Percival, let us evolute!"
And the mellow autumn sun flooded the apartment with a blaze of golden light, symbolic of the aureole of hope which seemed to gild the brow of the future. Which is a fine sentence to conclude with, if not scrutinized too closely in the effort to make sense of it.

Folled again, as the beer bottle said when it was refilled.

HOW OUR SCIONS SPRING UP.


## A CABIDET BEETIG.

Scente: Ottazar. Moming of session opening. Enter Sik John ; to him, Caron.
SIR JOHN-"Good bordidg, Carod. Glad to see you od had; didd't feel a bit like cobing byself, but business has got to be dud, you doe."

Caron-" Doe gettig out of that, Sir Jod. But where are the other fellows? They cad't be id eddy worse forb thad I ab, so there's do excuse for their absesse."

Sir John-"This grippe is bost addoyidg. Kdocks busidess all to pot, ad here's the House just ready to begid and doe Govedbedt beasures ready."

Caron-" Cad't be helped, I suppose. Really; you doe, I cad't see through by eye-glass this bordig."

Sir Join-" Here, try wod of these troches. I fide theb capital thidgs."

Caron-"Thadks. Ad you try a pull at this-you wo't fide it half bad to take." (Hands flask.)

Sir John-" Do thadks. I dod't take adythidg dow, you doe."

Caron-" But-bedicidally ?"
Sir John-"Well, yes, but odly as a bedicide, you doe." (Takes a slight pull.) But where are our(Enter page zuith tclegram.) Codfoud it! Here's a
wire frob old Carlidg, sayidg that he's got his feet id bustard ad water ad that his doctor forbids hib to stir out of doors for at least a fortdight!"

Caron-"I always said that Carlidg was a weaklidg at bottob. Hello, adother telegrab!" (Enter messenger. Hands missage.)

Sir John-" Yes, from Ladgevid, this timc. He's dowd, too. Says his cheeks have swelled to such ad extedt that he is odly able to tallow the extrebe tip of his dose."

Caron-" His cheek couldd't really swell, could it ?"
Sir Jomn (receizing third telegram)-" The sabe old sodg is sudg by Foster. Too feverish to do eddythidg but gargle ad idhale the steab frob a brodchitis kettle: Ad-(enter another posec)-here's adother coudty heard frob. (Reads telegram.). This is a joidt bessage from all the others-all dowd with the idnuedza."

Caron-" Well, Sir Jod, we bight as well adjourd. It wod't really bake eddy differedce, you doe, as we dever have Goverdbedt busidess ready udtil the tail ed of the sessiod, eddyhow:"

Sir John-" True. Adjourd for wadt of a quorab.
[Exeunt.

## THE BEREAVED CHAMBER.

THE lion in the coat of arms up over the Qucen's portrait in the Council Chamber was looking awfully glum the other day when the unicorn accosted him in a sympathetic voice and enquired after his health.
"Oh, I really don't know how I feel," was Leo's querulous reply, "it's a strange sense of goneness, if you can understand-a sort of feeling that I have been bereft o. some-"
"You're taking the grippe, I shouldn't wonder," suggested the unicorn.
"No, it isn't that. I've been taking the Grip for years, and not even the lively humor of that choice family paper can revive my spirits. I feel like an orphan who has just lost his father."
"I understand you exactly, Leo, for come to think ot it I have been feeling just exactly like that since Monday night, only I hadn't the flow of language to describe it. I wonder what ails us?"

Her Majesty, the Queen, who occupies the very ornate frame, overhearing the conversation, here interposed.
" Don't know what ails you, you stupid creatures? I've been feeling just the same way myself, and I've discovered what it is."
"Please, your Majesty, what?" enquired the supporter of the crown with courtly deference."
"We've lost Baxter !" said the Queen, in a trembling voice, and a sudden light broke over the face of the royal arms.

## IN MEMORIAM.

henky ernest searle, champion of all rowers.
TUST twenty-three, thou rower chief, Who bent'st alone the unconquered oar,
Returned victorious from abroad
Death's victim on thy native shore!
Old Charon saw the victor's shade Had reached Acheron's flood of gloom,
His sculls with envious frown resigned, And took the stern to give thee room,

Revib. Rixby.
TO THE DOCTOR-(NOT TO US).
ST—st-st-kerchoo! Stop my grippe!!


A REALISTIC DRAMA.
Algernon_" How, oh, how can I prove my love for you, Angelina? Put me to the test-I would not hesitate to die to do you service."

Angelina-" Die, then."


## THE GARDEN OF LIFE.

" Our life is a garden."

ASIVEET poetess beautifully asserts, without fear of successful contradiction.
So it is-both flower and vegetable.
We look around about us, and on every hand we are greeted "ivith the glories of floral perfection, and the prospects of prizes for roots at the next Fall show. Our eyes are gladdened by the sight of myriad-hued marvels of Nature's painting, and at the same time we notice that the potato tops need Paris-green.

Our senses are at once electrified and soothed by the exhalations from sweet-scented blooms, and we are only aroused to cold-fact consciousness by the sudden recollection that the onion-bed wants weeding.

As our gardens, so our lives. In the flower-garden of Life we must raise Sweet Williams-some of us are not familiar enough with them to call them bills-to pay our grocery account. This would not occasion us so great
concern had we Asters to pull. What day passes that we do not utter a Fuschias, not to speak of more ablcbodied objur-or, rather, observations! And don't we know that our German neighbor, in the clothing line, never rises in the morning without anx ety as to whether there will "peony pizness to-day?" We are well aware that the crocusses at the scare in the corn-field, and harshly caws "Begonia!" Think, too, how well the maiden knows the daisies coming; while pansy eagerly, also, at the thought of the time when tulips will meet his, and pinks be on her cheeks as he whispers, "Petunia going to wed!" At other times, possibly, she is such a primrose that he will exclaim, "Damasking her:"

Does not there enter into every life experience of the verbena, mena, mina, mo?

Is not our pathway often rugged, and are not the boulders blocking it no shamrocks?

O, flowers, I am so gladiolus in your sweet embrace! We could enjoy wine in the Garden of Life, but for the portulacca!

But thistle do.
In the vegetable Garden of I ife do we not encounter beets? The pumpkin run dry, but the celery should always lettuce have water-cress we want. Sweet peas! I ate them, and my brother Tomato. Does ever a wurtzell befall us than when we procced to get parsnip ready for him in the morning, and find the jar onion shelf empty?

Let us, while in the Garden of Life, take carrot we do not turnip our nose and cauliflower out of its name.
T. T.

## NOT WONDERFUL.

CRIT—"I see that Sir John has had an attack of grippe."
TORy (furiously)-" Oh that infernal paper is always going for the Old Man!"

However short a ton of coal may be, it is almost certain to be-long to some one.


She was a pretty girl when she came into the car, but the "gentlemen" opposite have quite stared her out of countenance.


TING-A-LING!
Newsbor-"Grip, sir?"
Wayfarer-" Guess that's what it is, sonny. I've bin blowin' my nose all day."

## EXPERIENCE GUIDED HIM.

T'HEY were having a dispute as to the correct way to pronounce the word "patent," when a third man happened along in the person of Caveat.
"I say, Caveat," said the louder of the two disputants, "you are an inventor, and ought to be an authority. How do you pronounce it-'pat-tent' or 'paytent'?"

And Caveat, a disappointed dealer in such things, growled: "Ol, call it 'pat-tent.' I never found any' 'pay' in it!"
'T. T.

## AN HONOR GRADUATE.

JOKELIN to his friend Soberley, after bouing profoundly to a lady they met)-"You may not believe me, but that lady, though with only a common school education when she was married, has, since then, graduated with honors and taken her degree."

Soberley-"Well, well! Is it possible? What college was it, and what degree did she get ?"

Jokelin-"" The name of the college was Home, and the degree M-a-with a little ' $a$,' and yo period intervening."

Soberley cheerfully pays for them.
T.

## SOCIAL EVOLUTION.

${ }^{6} G$ OOD marnin', Mrs. O'Rafferty: Sure that's an illigant cuspidor ye have an the table forminst ye."
"Cushipidor? Sure, that's no cushipidor. It's a card basket that was gev to me New Year's by Mister Muldoon ; an' here's his card, d'ye moind, the first that was put into it."
"Och, murther. Sure isn't it him that has the illigant bong tong shtyle about him. Musha now, luk at the way he spells the name of him, 'Dionysius J. AT'Uldoone.' Fohat does it mane at all?"
"Fuhy, Miss Flaherty, is that all you know av the ways of sassiety? 'Dennis' is too low for anything ever sin' the byes shtarted that gag about 'his name is Dinnis,' an'
so he put it Dionysius instid-and hasn't he just as good: a right to shpell M'Uldoone wid a thingamyjig atween the $M$ an' the $U$ as D'Alton McCarthy or D'Arcy McGee? It's all the shtyle, I tell ye."
"It's right yez are, Mrs. O'Rafferty, an' the nixt cards. I have printed I'll have me name shpelt 'Judiana. Flahertye."

## THE FLY IN THE OINTMENT.

THE Canadian political situation is, of course, keenly scrutinized from the Vatican at present, his Holiness being kept informed of the slightest change that occurs by his faithful Canadian hierarchy. With recent developments Pope Leo has every reason to be satisfied, but for a single fly in the ointment-the nature of which the following telegraphic correspondence between his Holiness and Cardinal Taschereau, will officially indicate :

Pope Leo (to Cardinal Taschereau) - "How are things?"

Cakdinal Taschereau (to Pope Leo) - "Excellent well, my liege. We arc carrying all before us. Equal: Rights has been defeated in its stronghold-Torontothe headquarters of Orange fanaticism."

Pope Leo-"Jubilate! Gaudeamus! Hurroo! and: other remarks to the same effect. And Sir John and: Premier Mowat? Are they still our faithful servitors?"

Cardinal Taschereau-"They are, wy liege, as ever devoted to our cause-and the Catholic vote."

Pore I.eo-" And Goldwin Smith ?"
Cardinal Taschereau-" Continues to assail us withhis pen, but took the opportunity, publicly, to support an encmy of Equal Rights against one of its strongest champions for the Mayoralty of Toronto."

Pope Leo-"A fig for such opponents! We canafford to despise them. But have you told meall? Are. there no drawbacks to our triumph?"

Cardinal Taschereau-"It grieves me to say there are, your Holiness. And yet so trivial withal that 'tis. scarce meet to fret your infallibility therewith."

Pope Leo-" Let me know all."
Cardinal Taschereau-"I deeply regret to say that: the renegade Sam Hughes' paper, the Lindsay Warder, continues to spell 'Roman Catholic' with a small 'r" and 'c.'"

Pope Leo-" Foiled! Foiled! Then all our machinations come to naught!" (Guashes his teeth, rends his hair and vestments and grovels on the tessellated pavement in anguish pitiable to behold.)

## CONGRATULATIONS.

MA CHERE GRIPPE,-I just drop you this to offer you my heartiest congratulations on the sudden and marvellous increase which the last few weeks have witnessed in your clientele. I understand that all the crowned heads of Europe are shaking over you, that the public are in fits about you, that the children cry for you as they do for Castoria, Pears' soap, etc., and that no family is without you. Now, my dear quondam Grip, this is quite as it shoukd be, but it scems to me that your head must have been a little turned when you took to Frenchifying your name; and, moreover, I think you go a little too far when, instead of being content, as formerly, with making our sides ache, you produce pains in the head and back as well.

Hoping you will receive these remarks in a friendly spirit, I remain, Yours in fluenza, At-chew!!!


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HIS METHOD.
Soker-." Whenever I drink I can't work, and so I let it go." Joges-" Which, the drink?"
SOKER-"No: the work."

## THE NEW ART.

ADVERTISING.-An experienced journalist is open for engagement; able to write up artistic advertisements; first-class solicitor; not "a local fakir"; only mediums able to pay salarics when they fall due necd apply, and such must be prepared to pay well for services that will be energetically and effciently rendered.--Adet. in Toronto Paper.

This is about on a par with the advertisement inserted by the ambitious young man to whom work was not so much an object as a good salary. That is to say, in point of frankness. In other respects it forms somewhat of a contrast.

This self-possessed young man appears to beliere that the canvas is more powerful than the pen. Will he join me in positively asserting further that the canvasback duck is more powerful, on the table, than the dicollettć domestic bird?

The artistic branch of journalism to which he belongs, is not the sanctum sort or the wood-cut kind. It has to do only with advertisements. Art in advertising is highly desirable, not to say necessary, in these days, when one of the great ambitions of our lives is to successfully avoid the advertising snares in the papers in our endeavors to get at the news. The old and original advertisement used to be written thus:-

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MR. WII,JIAM JOHN ROUINSON
BEGS TO ANNOUNCE
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to the inhabitants of this town and surrounding COUNTKY
that he has just haid in an mamense stock of
GENERAL DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, CROCKERY, BOOTS AND SHOES, HARDWARE, PAINTS, OILS, GLASS, ETC. FISH, HAMS, CANNED GOODS, PATENT MEDICINES, STATIONERY, ETC., ETC.
EVERYTHING BOUGHT FOR CASH, AND MUST BE SOID EARIM TO MAKE ROOM FOL FRESH IMPORTATIONS.

## CAIL, AND EXAMINE!

## NO TROUDIE TO SHOW GUODS! <br> FARM PRODUCE TAKEN IN EXCHANGE!

REMEMRER THE PLACE-TWO DOORS NGRTH OF THE POSTOFFICE. WILLIAM JUHN ROBINSON, NOTED CHEAP STORE.
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But now they prepare advertisements on different plans and specifications. A sort of lambent nimbus and pictures accompany them. The type looks colder and more menacing, and, as to the letter-press itself, experts are its inventors and fashioners, and will suffer hereafter *ir it. 'To so couch a business puff that it can be sandwiched in between hunks of real news, without disclosing its dread identity until too late for the unsuspecting victim to escape, has become one of the greatest of modern vic--that is to say, arts. So we find brilliant journalists devoting their time, talents, inventive genius and reputation in a new and prolific field. Probably that is why so many papers are comparatively spiritless and sensationless these times, and so strangely given to calm facts, editorially and locally How is this steady sapping of the very life-blood of the Press to be stopped? may well be asked, in hollow tones.

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