

Latter-Day Pamphlets

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Synopsis

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Thomas Carlyle (1795-1881) was a Scottish philosopher, social commentator, satirical writer, essayist, mathematician, and historian. *Latter-Day Pamphlets* is a series of essays published in 1850, in which he harshly denounces the political, social, and religious injustices and stupidities of the period. The target of many of the essays is the effect of greed on the culture. Carlyle also attacked the British parliament, democracy and the prison system. "The Present Time", "Stump-Orator", "Hudson's Statue", and "Parliaments" are among the most memorable of the essays.

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