



Our Modern Mummy, from "Harper's Weekly"

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Primary Maker
Thomas Nast

Medium
Wood engraving on newsprint

Description
Figure wearing crown and wearing belt reading "Justice" is seated on bench reading "Political Bench" and holds scale and sword. She is taped up with tape that reads "Red tape" many times. Her seat is on pedestal reading "The / Supreme / \$ / Court". Man to left of pedestal wearing striped suit wears belt reading "Tammany Rin [rest blocked]", man to right of pedestal wearing striped suit wears hat reading "Canal ring". Captioned "TAMMANY TWEEDLEDEE. 'She is going to punish us!' / CANAL TWEEDLEDUM. 'That's the best joke yet.'" typeset beneath title in black ink.

Dimensions
Composition: 10 5/8 x 9 1/8 in. (27 x 23.2 cm) Sheet: 15 5/8 x 10 5/8 in. (39.7 x 27 cm)