

HOW TO "THOUGHT-CONSTRUCT" A TRANSCENDENTAL STRUCTURE

FIRST:

TAKE ALL THE KNOWN BRICKS, WORDS, AND OTHER BUILDING MATERIALS,
AND PUT THEM TOGETHER IN WAYS NEVER TRIED BEFORE;
THEN TEAR IT ALL DOWN, AND INVENT FOR YOURSELF
ALL NEW MATERIALS, AND CONSTRUCTION TECHNIQUES.

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A KNIGHT WHOSE CASTLE IS NOT ORIGINAL RUNS TWIN RISKS:
ONE IS THAT IT WILL COLLAPSE,
THE OTHER IS THAT IT WON'T.

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THE PSYCHOLOGISTS VISIT AN AEROBATICS SHOW -
-(AND WITNESS THIS DEFINITION):

MAN'S PERSONALITY: THE HOT AIR IN A HOT AIR BALLOON.

ONCE YOU REALIZE THAT THE CONCEPTS OF LOGIC AND SANITY ARE
TOTALLY IRRELEVANT TO THE WORKINGS OF CIVILIZATION,
YOU CAN THEN ALLOW ALL OF THE VARIOUS NEW, AND UP-COMING GAMES TO BEGIN --
-- AND TO CONTINUE,
WITHOUT YOU WORKING UP A USELESS SWEAT THEREOVER.

THE BOULEVARD ORATOR CONCLUDED HIS MORNING COMMENTS ON THIS NOTE:
"FOR ALL OF YOU WHO STILL STRUGGLE OVER THE QUESTION OF WHETHER
MAN IS CONTROLLED BY HIS HEREDITY, OR HIS ENVIORNMENT,
I HAVE THIS TO SAY: YOU SHOULD'AVE BEEN MORE CAREFUL OF WHO YOU WERE BORN TO."

ONE POSSIBLE SCENARIO OF HOW PROGRESS WAS BORN

ONE PRINCE SAID TO ANOTHER:

"LET US STOP FIGHTING OVER SEX, AND RAISE OUR GOALS TO HIGHER LEVELS OF MATTERS THEORETICAL AND METAPHYSICAL."

"'TIS SOUND THINKING", REPLIED THE OTHER,
LET US BATTLE OVER WHETHER I WILL TAKE YOUR LIBERAL MISTRESS,
OR YOUR MORE CONSERVATIVE ONE."

A FATHER-&-SON LINOLEUM TEAM,
WHILE RE-DOING THE HALLWAY IN THE PHILOSOPHY DEPARTMENT AT CITY COLLEGE,
OVERHEARD A STUDENT ASK A PROFESSOR: "WOULD BEING A FATALIST BE HELPFUL?",
AND LATER AT LUNCH, THE LAD INQUIRED OF HIS DAD:
"TELL ME SIR, WOULD BEING A FATALIST BE HELPFUL?",
AND THE OLDER ONE REPLIED:
"THE QUESTION OFFERS SOME PROMISE,
BUT AS YOU PONDER IT FOR YOURSELF,
FOCUS YOUR ATTENTION NOT ON WHAT WOULD CONSTITUTE A , 'FATALIST' ,
BUT RATHER WHAT WOULD, UNDER THE CONDITIONS OF BEING ONE, CONSTITUTE, 'HELPFUL'?"

A ZOO KEEPER PONDERED ONE MORNING AS HE MADE HIS ROUNDS:
"THERE SHOULD BE A LEVEL OF DOMESTICATION POSSIBLE FOR BEASTS
BEYOND THAT OF THEM MERELY TOLERATING CAPTIVITY...",
AND AFTER WALKING A FEW STEPS MORE, IT STRUCK HIM:
"AH! -- T'WOULD BE TO GET THEM TO QUESTION THE PROPRIETY OF BEING THE BEASTS
THAT THEY ARE!"

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AND "ERGO-ONWARD-THUSLY": A MAN WHO DOES NOT THINK, IS NOT YET A MAN,
AND A MAN WHO DOES NOT THINK MORE THAN HE DOES NOW IS NOT ONE EITHER.

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A MENTAL PARKING TIP

THE COP TOLD THE MOTORIST:

"YOU SHOULDN'T LET YOUR CAR JUST SIT THERE IDLING."

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AND NOW: "THE STORY OF THE FIVE BEARS"

ONE GUY REVERSED THE USUAL PROCESS, AND
BEGAN THINKING AT NIGHT, AND
DREAMING DURING THE DAY.

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THE ORDINARY CONTINUALLY CALL UPON ONE ANOTHER
TO EXPLAIN BY WHAT RIGHT THEY TAKE UP SPACE ON THIS PLANET.

WHILE OFF TOGETHER ON A RHETORICAL TRIP,
A FATHER TOLD HIS SON, (AS HE BAITED HIS LINE):
"WHEREVER YOU WOULD FEEL INCLINED TO USE THE TERM, 'NATURALNESS',
SAY INSTEAD, 'MERE NATURALNESS'.

-- I THINK I'VE GOT ONE!"

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...FOR YOU STUDENTS ANGLING FOR A BETTER GRADE IN WALTONIAN PHYSICS,
IT MIGHT BE HELPFUL TO KNOW THAT ORIGINALLY, IN THE ABOVE, IT SAID:
"WHEN EVER YOU FEEL SO INCLINED" -- NOT, "WHERE EVER",
AND THEN, (AS ALWAYS), ACCELERATE THOSE PARTICLE PONDERINGS REGARDING THE
CURIOUS STRUCTURE OF A BINARY-DRIVEN REALITY BEING PERCEIVED BY A
TRINARY-CAPABLE CONSCIOUSNESS.

PERHAPS THE ACTUAL DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE OLD MAN'S NOTED DISTINCTION
TWIX: "NATURALNESS", AND, "MERE NATURALNESS" --
BETWEEN BEING, "MERELY HUMAN", AND TRULY BEING, "MAN".

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NEUROLOGY AS THEOLOGY -- OR VICE VERSA

A DEITIST CAN NEVER OVERCOME DEMONS, NOR UNDERSTAND GODS OF A DUAL NATURE.

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THE FIGURE IN THE HOOD TOLD THE DENTIST:

"YOU MAY PULL MY WISDOM TOOTH, BUT ONLY IF YOU PROMISE TO PULL THEM ALL."

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AND COMES THIS LETTER:

"I HAVE BEEN WATCHING YOU FOR A LONG TIME
AND NOW FIND INCONSISTANCIES IN WHAT YOU SAY.

MY BROTHER, WHO'S WATCHED YOU JUST AS LONG,

SAYS THAT WHAT I'M SEEING ARE NOT ACTUAL INCONSISTANCIES.

OUR MOTHER SAYS WE'RE BOTH FLAKEY AS DANDRUFF FOR EVEN WATCHING YOU
IN THE FIRST PLACE.

YOURS", ETC.

DEFINITION

MAN: LIFE TALKING ABOUT ITSELF.

NOW ANOTHER TALE FROM: "M.F. GOOSE"

A MAN NAMED FRANK
WHILE ON A SPREE,
STOPPED IN A BANK
TO TAKE A PEE;

THE BROTHERS GRIMM
GOT SO UPSET,

THEY 'GAN TO CLAIM:

"OUR NAME IS PRONOUNCED, 'GRIME --- GRIME', DAMMIT!"

MORE: "A, B, C's":

THERE IS NO "CIVILIZATION" SAVE THE POPULATION OF THE CIVILIZED.

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THE TURF UPONWHICH MAN'S Milder AND WILDER PARTS
WAGE THE SPORT OF -- "CIVILIZATION"
WAS THE ORIGINAL INSPIRATION FOR THE MODERN TERM REGARDING AN:
"UN-LEVEL PLAYING FIELD."

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MAN'S DOMESTICATION PUT IN LITERARY TERMS VIA DEFINITIONS EROTIC

ONE'S INDIVIDUAL PERSONALITY: THE LITTLE DEATH,
CIVILIZATION: THE BIG ONE.

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"THE GREAT COSMIC, NEURAL WARFARE" PROJECTED ONTO ITS PROPER EXPANDED SCALE,
WHICH IS SO GIGANTIC AS TO NEVER BE SEEN, AND SELDOM EVEN SUSPECTED

ALL OF THE BATTLE COMMANDERS AT THE SUPER-ATOMIC LEVEL
KNOW THAT ANY PRISONER WILL TURN TRAITOR -- IF
YOU CAN JUST GET HIM TO TALK LONG ENOUGH.

JUST KINDA FOR FUN,
THE GOD OF THIS ONE REALITY --
-- WHENEVER THE CREATURES WOULD DO SOMETHING, "CUTE" --
WOULD SAY: "AH-H-H, HOW.....SEMI SWEET."

(THEY LATER NAMED A TOWN IN PENNSYLVANIA AFTER HIM.)

ONE DAY,

IN THE BUSY MIND OF A KNIGHT,

THE THOUGHT STRUCK:

"IF THERE IS A POINT TO ALL THIS -- THEN THERE IS NO POINT TO IT."

IF THE GRAND MACHINERY OF YOUR WONDEROUS INTELLECT
STILL RUNS ONLY ON AC CURRENT
THEN YOU'RE MENTALLY STILL A CHILD.

A VIEWER WRITES:

"WOULD YOU TOUCH AGAIN ON THE MATTER OF THOUGHT BEING LOCAL,
AND CONSCIOUSNESS, UNIVERSAL?" --

OKAY, AND HOW ABOUT A FEW NEW GEOGRAPHICAL TWISTS:

CONSCIOUSNESS, YOUR CITY -- THOUGHT, YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD;

CONSCIOUSNESS, YOUR COUNTRY -- THOUGHT, YOUR CITY;

CONSCIOUSNESS, YOUR CONTINENT -- THOUGHT, YOUR COUNTRY. ---

AND THOUGHT AS THE PLEASANT ART OF MAP READING,

WITH CONSCIOUSNESS AS THE INFINITE JOURNEY ITSELF.

THE KING OF ONE SEMINAL KINGDOM
LOOKED OUT FROM HIS ROYAL BOX
ONTO THE GREAT OLMPIC, SPORTING GAMES, AND SAID TO HIS QUEEN:
"AH, 'TIS GOOD -- THE LITERATURE OF THE BODY."

THE EXPANSION OF COMPREHENSION

ONLY THE CIVILIZED BLAME OTHER PEOPLE.

ONLY THE CIVILIZED THINK OF BLAME.

THERE WAS ONCE AN INSURANCE OPERATION WHOSE INNER-OFFICE NAME FOR
POLICY HOLDERS WHO NEVER FILED CLAIMS WAS, "SLEEPERS",
AS IN: PATIENTS WHO LAY QUIETLY IN THEIR BEDS,
OR, THE DEAD, WHO RESTED PEACEFULLY IN THEIR GRAVES;
THEY -- (ON THE OTHER HAND) --
REFERED TO CLIENTS WHO DID FILE CLAIMS -- (AND THUS COST THE COMPANY MONEY) --
AS, "TOSSERS",
AS IN THOSE WHO WOULD ROLL ABOUT --- TUG ON THEIR COVERS,
AND GENERALLY DISTURB THE PEACE AND TRANQUILITY.

IN SUBSEQUENT YEARS,
THIS OUTSTANDING INTSTITUTION BECAME SO SUCCESSFUL THAT
IT CHANGED ITS NAME FROM, "INSURANCE", TO, "RELIGION".

ONE GUY SEEMS TO HAVE ONE PART OF ONE THING FIGURED OUT --
HE SAYS THAT, JUST BEFORE YOU GO TO BED,
IF YOU'LL EAT SOME FOOD YOU'VE NEVER HEARD OF BEFORE,
YOU'LL HAVE DREAMS YOU CAN'T BEGIN TO UNDERSTAND. (!?!)

ONE INSTRUCTOR AT THE KNIGHT'S WAR COLLEGE

WAS RECENTLY ADDRESSING THE CLASS:

"THE MIGHTIEST WEAPON YET DEvised BY MAN

IS THE ATOMIC BOMBI'M SORRY, THE ATOMIC MIND....,NO,WAIT, CONSCIOUSNESS."

HOW LIFE WORKS -- WITH, OR WITH OUT YOUR HELP

IN THE FEVERISH MIDST OF
TRYING TO GET SOMETHING FIXED,
IT SUDDENLY ALL FELL INTO PLACE,
AND THE MAN SAID TO HIMSELF:
"WELL BY GOD I BELIEVE YOU DID IT!NO THANKS TO YOU."

QUESTION: WHO BUT THE DENSEST OF WEEVILS WOULD CRITICIZE THE COTTON CROP?

ANSWER: YOU EVER HEAR OF THE WORD, "MAN"!?

FOUR HUNDRED-&-FORTY-SEVEN MAN-VEIWEERS GOT TOGETHER AND SENT IN THIS RESPONSE:
"YOU THINK YOU'RE CUTE, DON'T YOU!?!?"

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ANOTHER: "NEW-INTELLIGENCE-TIME FAIRY TALE"

THERE WAS ONCE A LITTLE BOAT WHO SAILED THE MIGHTY SEAS OF PEOPLE,
AND FOR MANY YEARS EVERYTHING WENT....."ALL RIGHT",
BUT THEN ONE DAY HE SPRANG A LEAK,
AND AS HIS HULL BEGAN TO FURIOUSLY FILL WITH HUMANS HE SAID TO HIMSELF:
"STEADY NOW -- DON'T PANIC --
JUST KEEP REMINDING YOURSELF THAT ON THIS SURFACE -- AT THIS LEVEL --
THAT WHICH IS 'SERIOUS',
IS ONLY SO,
SO LONG AS YOU TAKE IT SO."

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NEXT TIME WE'LL BE TAKING A CLOSE LOOK AT THE STORY OF:
"CINDERELLA SHOTS HERSELF IN THE FOOT! -- THEN IN YOURS! --
-- AND GOD-KNOWS WHERE IT GOES AFTER THAT".

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MORE PSYCHOLOGY TAKEN FROM THE CLASSROOM AND DRAWN AND QUINTETED

THE UNCONSCIOUS MIND: MAN'S CONSCIOUS MIND ATTEMPTING TO RUSH ABOUT AND HOLLER:
"WHAT'S GOING ON AROUND HERE ANY WAY!?"

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SINCE THE DAWN OF MAN,
MORE PEOPLE HAVE NOT UNDERSTOOD THAN HAVE.

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ON THE GREAT CELEBRATION DAY

THE GODDESS APPEARED IN THE TEMPLE DOORWAY AND SAID TO THE PEOPLE:

"THE UNEXAMINED LIFE IS NOT WORTH LIVING.",

AND A FELLOW IN THE CROWD SHOUTED BACK: " YOU DON'T KNOW MINE!"

THE REPORTER'S FIRST QUESTION TO THE GREAT PHILOSOPHER WAS:
"WHAT WOULD YOU DO IF YOU WERE IN A COMA?"

THE NATURAL FLICKERING OUT OF THE FIRE ON THE HORMONAL FUSE
IS LIKE DEATH'S SOOTHING, IF NOT SYCOPHANTIC, MORTIAN CUM CASKET SALESMAN.

ERRATA: THE ABOVE STATEMENT SHOULD HAVE READ:.....AH, NEVER MIND --
LEAVE IT LIKE IT IS!

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AN ALL-WEATHER, ALL-ENCOMPASSING DEFINITION

CRITICISM: THE KICKING OF HELPLESS CHILDREN.

.....(NOW GO OFF AND HANG YOUR HEAD FOR A WHILE!)

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THOSE WHO BAD-MOUTH DREAMS
HAVE YET TO AWAKEN FROM THEIRS.

HOW LIFE KEEPS MAN CIVILIZED AND "IN LINE" IN SPITE OF HIMSELF

IF YOU "ACT LIKE" YOU CARE -- YOU CARE.

AS HIS HUNGER FOR NEW CONSCIOUSNESS CONTINUED TO STALK HIS OLD THINKING,
ONE MAN GAVE TO THIS DESIRE THIS GUIDING RHYME:

"CIRCLE LIKE A HAWK BUT,
HOLD BACK THE TALK;

STRONG AS A BEAR BUT,
DON'T EVER STARE;

SUREVY ALL THE LAND BUT,
AS YOU MAP-OUT MAN, REMEMBER THAT:
HERE IS ALWAYS THERE, AND,
YESTERDAY - (THOUGH PRESENT) - ALWAYS IN DECAY."

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A MAN'S MENTAL CONDITION WOULD NOT REMAIN SO CONFINED DID HE NOT BELIEVE THAT
ALL PRISONS EXIST IN A SPECIFIC PLACE AT AN EXACT TIME --

-- WHICH IS WHY THE NEW IS ALWAYS A FORM OF FREEDOM --
... (NO MATTER HOW LOWLY, OR HOW SLIGHT).

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ONE MAN'S WATCH-WORD REGARDING THE PROTECTION OF INTELLECTUAL ASSETS

THOSE WHO AIN'T GOT MUCH ALWAYS WANT WHAT OTHERS HAVE SO'S THEY CAN
DEBASE IT AND MAKE IT WORTH NO MORE THAN WHAT LITTLE THEY DO POSSESS.

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THE REASON THAT KNIGHTS BECOME KNIGHTS AND WARRIORS, WARRIORS
IS SIMPLY BECAUSE THEY KNOW THAT NO ONE ELSE IS GOING TO PROTECT THEM.
.....(WHERE IT COUNTS).

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ONLY THOSE HOOP SNAKES
 ROLL AND THRIVE
 WHO FIND THE SIGHT OF THEIR
 OWN ASS REPELLENT.

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CIVILIZATION'S UNNOTED MOTIVATION.

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RATHER THAN ACCEPT HIS COMBINED DEGREE IN PSYCHOLOGY-THEOLOGY-&-PHILOSOPHY,
 THE MAN TOOK HIMSELF INTO A WOODS BEHIND THE UNIVERSITY
 AND DEMANDED OF HIMSELF REFLECTIONS ON THE FOLLOWING QUESTION:
 "WHY IS IT THAT SANE MEN FIND NO FAULT WITH THE NATURAL WORKINGS OF
 THE BODY -- EVEN IN ITS GROSSEST FORMS --
 YET FEEL THE NEED TO CRITICIZE EACH AND EVERY LITTLE OPERATION WITHIN THE DOMAIN
 OF THEIR OWN MENTALLY CONTRIVED ONE?"

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THE PEOPLES ON ANOTHER WORLD HOLD TO A LEGEND THAT SAYS:

ONLY THAT HOOP SNAKE,
 LIVES AND THRIVES,
 THE SIGHT OF WHOSE OWN ASS,
 IT FINDS REPELLING.

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FROM HIS STUDY POSITION IN THE FLOOR,
A BOY LOOKED UP AT HIS FATHER AND SAID:
"WHAT IS THE SYMBOLIC MESSAGE IN ALL OF THE MANY STORIES
OF A HERO'S DEATH AND RESURRECTION?",
AND THE ELDER REPLIED: "AH! - I SEE YOU'RE READING THOSE COMIC BOOKS AGAIN.",
AND THEY BOTH LAUGHED THAT PECULIAR LAUGH THAT THEY DO,
WHENEVER THE OLD MAN REFERED TO HUMOR IN THAT PECULIAR WAY THAT HE DOES.

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TWIN DEFINITIONS

FEAR: THE MOTHER OF ALL LITERATURE.
THE UNEXPECTED UN-EVENESS OF THE CIVIL PLAYING FIELD: THE OTHER MOTHER OF ALL LIT.

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MAN-MADE AIRCRAFT REQUIRE ROCKET ENGINES TO COMPENSATE FOR THEM NOT HAVING
CONSCIOUSNESS.

AFTER A PARTICULAR PITHY FLASH OF NEW UNDERSTANDING, ONE MAN SAID TO HIMSELF:
"BY GOD, BUT AT TIMES YOU ARE QUITE IMPRESSIVE!",
AND REPLIED: "WHY, YES YOU ARE.",
THEN SAID: "BUT I WAS TALKING TO YOU.",
AND REPLIED: "I KNOW -- THAT'S WHAT I JUST SAID."
THEN HE TOOK THE OCCASION TO FURTHER REFLECT ON THE
DARN-NEAR ENDLESSNESS OF INFINITY,
AND THE UNUSUAL POSSIBILITIES EXTANT IN A NON-LINEAL SYSTEM.

ON THE MATTER OF CONSCIOUSNESS AND LOYALTY

THE ALERT HAVE BUT ONE ALLIGENCE,
AND SINCE THEY KNOW WHAT IT IS
WE DON'T HAVE TO GO INTO IT HERE.

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AND NOW: A MEDICAL ALERT!

WATCH OUT!!

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A CERTAIN MAN HAS APPROACHED THE PRESIDENT OF CITY COLLEGE
WITH THE SUGGESTION THAT THEY OPEN A NEW DEPARTMENT OF, "UNDERSTANDING".
...BOTH THE HEADS OF PHILOSOPHY, AND THEOLOGY SAY: "OVER THEIR DEAD BODIES!"

BASED NOW ON YOUR OWN UNDERSTANDING,

ASK YOURSELF:

SHOULD THIS SORT OF ACTIVITY BE THOUGHT OF AS AN, "EXPERIENCE",
OR AS AN, "ADVENTURE"? --

A "ONE-SHOT" DEAL -- OR AN "ON-GOING" DEAL!?

OUR SWEAT-SAVING ACADEMICS FOR THE DAY

THE ONLY WAY TO UNDERSTAND HISTORY IS AS A METAPHOR.

AS REGARDS THAT VIEWER'S EARLIER INTEREST IN THE DISTINCTION BETWEEN
THOUGHT, AND CONSCIOUSNESS,

THIS TAKE ON IT COULD BE ADDED:

WHILE THOUGHT IS LIKE AN ARTIFACT OF YOUR OWN LOCAL TALENT,
CONSCIOUSNESS IS LIKE THE UNIVERSAL CREATIVE IMPULSE.

THE REALIZED MIND WOULD BE FILLED WITH ALL KNOWLEDGE,
REALIZED CONSCIOUSNESS, WITH ALL POSSIBILITIES.