

**In Response  
To The Editor, Sir**

Anent the circumlocutory me-  
lange by Mr. John P. Sheffield  
in your columns of Wednesday,  
March 9, I am reminded of the  
famed British statesman Dis-  
raeli's reference to a critic as  
a sophisticated rhetorician, in-  
ebriated by the exuberance of  
his own verbosity.

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