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**HEARST TO BRYAN**

Mr. Hearst's "indorsement" of Mr. Bryan has the sincerity of the kiss of Judas.

"I have been," he says, "for many years a sincere friend and supporter of Mr. Bryan. I rejoice in his achievements and successes" (note the sneer there) "and I approve of every honest indorsement of him."

Then he goes on with his polite phrase and the cool malice of interested purpose to lay bare the essential difficulty of Mr. Bryan's position. Mr. Bryan must presently choose between the new friends and the old, between opportunism and the principles his name stands for with his original and distinctive following.

He can not expect to be at once the new Bryan hailed as safe, sane and a convert to party conservatism by Belmont, Francis, Watterson, Vilas, possibly Cleveland himself, and the old Bryan who led the hosts of radicalism and discontent in 1896 and 1900.

"I am confident," says Hearst, coming straight to the point of the Bryan dilemma "that Mr. Bryan will repudiate utterly these men and their professions of friendship, realizing that they are not honestly in favor of any man or measure that will protect the interests of the country."

Mr. Bryan has said substantially the same thing of "these men" himself in many a speech and many an editorial in The Commoner. He has denounced as traitors to the party and the people men who are now indorsing him on the theory that he has outgrown the error of his former ways, and mentally recanted what made him obnoxious to them before. While indorsing him they coolly assume that he has come over to them.

Mr. Hearst's telegram is a square challenge to Mr. Bryan to repudiate that assumption, and he puts up to Mr. Bryan a choice between the two horns of the dilemma that will have to be made before 1908. Mr. Bryan has not played the game of opportunism heretofore. He bluntly reasserted the old Bryanism in 1904, when he defeated the attempt to indorse the gold standard. Mr. Hearst's "indorsement" of Bryan adroitly accentuates the fact that if he is going to respond to the advances of these new friends it will be at the cost of alienating the old ones.

The favorite idea of a lock canal possessed by some Senators is of a tranquil and innocuous waterway at Panama with a large padlock at each end of it.

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GEO. W. POWELL.

As Bryan once called him a "bunco steerer" Mr. Cleveland's dilatoriness in falling in, seems fairly explicable.

What shall it profit a packer to can a dog if he loses the sale of seventeen sides of beef?

The whiskey trust is doomed. A Maryland physician has discovered a new cure for snake bites.

In California they are now calling the fire insurance companies than propose to cut their losses "six-bit" concerns. It sounds like a name that will stick.

The death in an Ohio almshouse of James Sage, a cousin of Russel Sage has brought to light unexpected generosity on the part of the New York millionaire. It has developed that for the past few years Cousin Russel has been sending this unfortunate relative \$50 per year. As the wealth of Russel Sage amounts to only about \$80,000,000, it can easily be understood that the strain on him was severe. It is also apparent that, if Cousin James had been as saving in his habits as Cousin Russel, he could have kept out of the almshouse and still have something left to spend out of that \$50 per year.—Ex.

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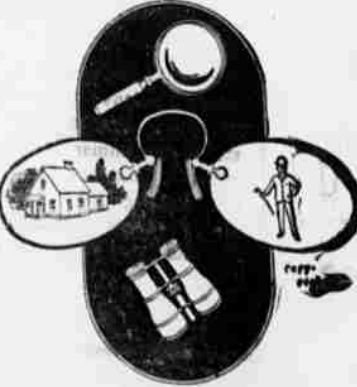
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