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NEWSPAPERS THAT ARE BOUGHT

THE FOLLOWING SPLENDID treatise on the venal press appeared in a recent issue of the Kansas City Star:

It seems not to have occurred to Dr. Hamilton Holt, editor of the New York Independent, that the "purchased newspapers" which he regards as fruitful sources of danger to the country, carry with them their own antidote. If the power of the newspapers that are controlled by the special interests were at all proportionate as their intent for evil then they would be indeed a serious menace to the body politic and to the body social.

But a newspaper which lacks integrity and is committed to base standards is no more able to conceal its real character than is any individual whose acts pass in daily review before his neighbors and fellow townsmen. To borrow a pertinent illustration from nature, the alligator bird, which is held as a certain token of the presence of the alligator, hovers over every corporation newspaper, and serves as a warning to the people.

Through the newspaper that is bought the public may be continually advised of the desires and purposes of the particular interests behind such journals, and thus be placed in a position to protect itself against their selfish and grasping designs.

Without in any sense discounting the entire sincerity of Dr. Holt's judgment as to the harmful and mischievous influence of "purchased" papers, it is doubtful—should he set about that task—if he could point to a single newspaper of that stamp with any appreciable power to affect public thought, or with even a patronage requisite to the maintenance of an expanding and flourishing institution. The popular distrust of such journals, is not confined to its expressions of opinion. It extends to even what those papers call their "news"—which is perpetually distorted and vitiated by the oblique motives which prompt its publication.

Dr. Holt must also remember that in a country like the United States there exists among the great multitude of newspaper readers a keen and intelligent sense of self-interest which enables them, without harmful delay, to recognize the spirit and purpose of newspapers that are newspapers, that are circulated for the purpose of telling what is going on in the world and to furnish the public with the sort of information essential to their protection from misguidance and imposition.

In the clear contrast radiated by papers of this class in comparison with those that are on "the market" and that are devoted to the development and re-enforcement of influences which trench directly or insiduously upon the rights of the people, there is an ample "saving clause" that makes such apprehension as Dr. Holt expresses more or less gratuitous and that has been manifested, so to speak, again and again to the influence, the profit and the profound satisfaction of the independent press, of which Kansas City, let us be thankful, affords an illuminating and felicitous example.

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(Special to The Times.)
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MURDER OVER ROPE.

Farmers Near Chehalis In Fatal Quarrel Over Piece.
(By Associated Press.)

CHEHALIS, Wash., May 27.—Joe Ware, a farmer on Jackson Prairie, last night shot and killed J. M. Corp, also a farmer, in a dispute over a small piece of rope. Ware surrendered to the sheriff.

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