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**JOHNSON ON BRYAN.**

LINCOLN, NEB., Jan. 22, 1898.—Special Correspondence: Returning to Lincoln after an absence of two weeks in Missouri and Kansas, I find here as I found there a good deal of gossip to the effect that Bryan is no longer a possibility as a presidential candidate in 1900. Many of Mr. Bryan's Nebraska friends when they read this statement will waive it off with a toss of the head, as so much republican clap trap, written for the purpose of injuring Mr. Bryan.

But whoever has traveled and met public men within the last ten days, has gathered, not from republicans, but from free silver democrats, enough to convince him that the boy orator of the Platte has reached the meridian of his glory and from this time his course is downward.

In the cities of Missouri and Kansas where I met politicians, traveling men and business men from all parties, I observed carefully the general trend of comment on the recent utterances of the New York Journal and the hostile action of the New York democracy, and I found among men who claimed to have supported Bryan a year ago, a general consent to the Journal's statements that the country is becoming tired of Mr. Bryan in his feverish chase for notoriety and his unwarranted assumption that he is the whole thing.

Here at Lincoln where an unusually large number of fusion politicians have flitted in and out during the last ten days, the national situation, especially as to Mr. Bryan, has been eagerly discussed and there has been enough said and consented to by the fusionists to show that they regard the Journal's attack as a body blow.

The great silver champion is staggering. There is no question about that. The New York Journal was his national organ. It spent money recklessly in his national campaign. When his defeat came it stood by him in the trying hour, insisting that he would prove himself as a patriotic private citizen worthy of the confidence of those who had followed him in the presidential campaign.

During his remarkable canvass of the country as a national candidate, eastern people who were anxious to form a correct estimate of this young westerner, continually asked, "Who is Bryan? What does he amount to? Is he anything more than a sensational orator, and does he represent anything in statesmanship but 16 to 1?"

To all of these questions the Journal answered boldly, assuring the public that Bryan, elected, would show broad statesmanship, and that defeated he would subside into that quiet dignity and self-centredness which the public expect in a candidate for the highest honors and the greatest responsibilities.

For nearly fifteen months this national Bryan organ has waited patiently for the boy orator to shake off his boyish trappings—for the westerner to demonstrate that he is broad enough to comprehend the whole country, to know something besides this 16 to 1 or bust proposition. When defeat came to Bryan in his presidential race, the Journal, believing in him and realizing that though defeated his senatorial notoriety had a commercial value engaged him as one of its high priced writers.

Week after week the manuscripts went by mail to the managing editor and each one was answered with a handsome check payable to W. J. Bryan. Eagerly each manuscript was examined, for they said "Surely he will give us something new this time." And now after waiting all this time for the Nebraska to get his second wind, to show something of the broadness which the Journal had promised, it gives up in disgust, notifying him through its editorial page, "Mr. Bryan, you make us tired. The east is disgusted with you." And so on along that line for a column or two they roast Mr. Bryan, telling on him to subside, to quiet his nerves, to go home and stay there awhile.

The fusion leaders here at Lincoln admit that the bold action by the New York Journal and by the New York democracy indicates that the anti-Bryan sentiment is strong—not only among the democrats of New York but other states—that vicinity, and it all means that from now on he will gradually weaken as a possible candidate in 1900.

I hear this criticism that Bryan is the only man in the history of this nation who, defeated for president, at once commenced a general speaking canvass for the next race, without waiting for a

second nomination or an endorsement from his party. He announced his second candidacy the next day after his defeat and has pursued it almost hysterically ever since. He is too nervous to remain at home more than one night at a time. He takes no time to pause or to coolly consider the situation.

It is this feverishness on the part of Mr. Bryan, this anxiety to keep himself in front of all others in his party, this greed with which he coins his sensational reputation into money and the monotony of his one idea, which makes the national organ of his party feel free to refer to him as an over-anxious, over-estimated, over-trained statesman who needed rest.

J. W. JOHNSON.

**ONE OF TWO WAYS.**

The bladder was created for one purpose, namely, a receptacle for the urine, and as such it is not liable to any form of disease except by one of two ways. The first way is from imperfect action of the kidneys. The second is from careless local treatment of other diseases.

**CHIEF CAUSE.**

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Dated this 20th day of January, 1898.  
OMAHA BREWING ASSOCIATION.  
By R. R. DICKSON, its Attorney.

**NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT DEFENDANT.**

In the district court of Holt county Nebraska.  
To Caleb A. Monson, Nels Monson, Ida M. Monson and Oscar A. Olson, non-resident defendant:

You are hereby notified that on the 18th day of January, 1898, William M. Gillier, plaintiff herein, filed his petition in the above entitled cause, in the district court of Holt county, Neb. against you and each of you, impleaded with John C. Barnard and Anthony Johnson, the object and prayer of which is to foreclose one certain mortgage which is to foreclose one certain mortgage executed on the 14th day of January, 1892, by Nels Monson and Caleb A. Monson, upon the property described as follows: The northwest quarter of section thirty-four, and the north half of the southwest quarter, and the south half of the northwest quarter, and the west half of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter, or section thirty-five, all in township twenty-eight, range nine west, including the townsite of Emporia, as surveyed, platted and recorded, in Holt county, Neb., to secure the payment of two certain promissory notes, each dated January 2, 1892, and due in six and nine months respectively, for the sum of three hundred fifty dollars each, with interest from date at the rate of eight per cent, per annum; that there is now due and payable on said notes the sum of six hundred forty and 80-100 dollars with interest at the rate of 8 per cent, per annum from the 28th day of September, 1894, for which sum plaintiff prays for a decree, that the defendants pay the same, and that in default of such payment said premises may be sold to satisfy the amount found due, and you are required to answer said petition on or before the 28th day of February, 1898. Dated at O'Neill, Nebraska, January 19, 1898. WILLIAM M. GILLIER, Plaintiff.

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