

had been given? The fact that he was a Catholic. What stood in the way of Senator Kernan when he wanted to become governor of New York? The fact that he was a Catholic. Now, Mr. President, do you want to repeat that the Catholic Columbian foully slanders its fellow countrymen and is guilty of narrow bigotry by asking these questions and answering them? If not it, why me? Do you want to brand Mr. Thurman (for urging this reason as an objection to the candidacy of Hon. Richard Bland) as foully slandering his fellow countrymen and of narrow bigotry? If not him why me?

"Now, Mr. President, just one more question and I am done. What effect do you think it will have upon the missionary work of the churches of this country when it is known that the president-elect denies the truth of the doctrines they have been and are today teaching. In my judgment nothing any president has ever said or done can entirely counteract the effect save the evidence given by William McKinley in his dying moments. His last words were, 'Nearer, nearer, my God, to Thee,' which did more to fix in the minds of all true Christians, as well as the rest of the world, the grand reality of the genuineness of Christianity such as was believed, taught, lived and exemplified in the death of William McKinley.

"This republic may or may not exist for centuries, but so long as it does exist it should be a God-fearing, a God-loving nation, with a president in the chair who is an humble Christian and not ashamed of Jesus.

"Lastly, the conclusion reached, taking your letters as a whole, is that your advice before voting is to ascertain beyond a doubt that the candidate belongs to the right party; that he endorses the platform of that party and promises to see that the various provisions set forth in said platform are faithfully carried out to the very best of his ability; that it is immaterial to which church the candidate belongs; what the doctrines and the religious belief of that church are; that is a matter between the candidate and his Maker, a matter for his own conscience, purely his own private concern. Therefore, to be a good, trustworthy American citizen it is only necessary to know the candidate for whom you vote believes in the principles of the party to which you are allied and pledges their enforcement; but to take into consideration his religion or even inquire about it, is narrow bigotry and foul slander.

"Now, Mr. President, in closing I have this to say: I believe my fellow countrymen will join me in expressing to you my sincere regret that in your letter to me of November 6, 1908, you, the president of the United States, took the stand which justifies the inference, duty to party, and its principles stand paramount to allegiance to God and His teachings.

"Very truly,
"J. C. MARTIN."

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