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What Presidential candidate ever wrought as he did? Wh n we review his peerless campaign and study that manly face and measure ${ }^{h 18}$ great sincerity of heart his defeat seems only like the surrender of the immortal Lee at Appomattox. What if he did fall inte an occasional vein of bitterness, and what if some of his efforts smacked of resealfuiness? Did not he have a terrible enemy to fight, and if the cause was to be contested, could it be dole with dove-like gentleness? No essential to a great leader seems wanting in Mr. Bryan, bat he espoused a cause carrying with it an experiment for which the nation is not ready, and we believe defeat means a loathness to unker with so great an institution as the nation's finance rather than any lack of persomel admiration for iñr. Bryan. Defeat cannot lessen our admiram tion for him and we feel a personal friendship never before experienced for a vanquished political hero.
The Washington Post, in an editorial of Tuesday last, says of the famous leader:
"We think it proper to say of Mr. Bryan personally, however, that there need be nothing of humiliation or distress to him in the contemplation of his defeat. He has borne himself with courage and deYotion from the beginning to the ond of the campaign. He has exs hibited such qualities of endurance, such sublimity of faith in himself and in his mission, such a power over men, such gifts of eloquence and magnetism, as may truly be said to be without parallel in the history of American politics. He takes us back eight hundred years to the days of Peter the Hermit, who, with his fiery appesis to passion and to shame, to indignation and to pity, to valor and to chivalry, turned and set in motion those tremendous armies which, under Godfrey d mond and Tancred, marched through Paynim b ood until they gazad upon the spires and minarets and domes of Jerusalem, the Holy City. He has swayed multitudes as no political orator ever did before. He has moved men and wormen to sorrow and rejoicing, to hope and fear, to such exaltation as seemed beyond the experience of humanity in these days. bujond the thought of sestishness a id sordid appetite, we verily be
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