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Term: Medad

Quote: I distinguish verbs according to the numbers of their subject blanks, as *medads*,

monads, dyads, triads, etc. A medad, or impersonal verb, is a complete

assertion, like "It rains," "you are a good girl."

Source: Peirce, C. S. (1898). Cambridge Lectures on Reasoning and the Logic of Things:

Detached Ideas continued and the Dispute between Nominalists and Realists.

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References: RLT 154; NEM 4:338

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