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**Term:** Secondness

**Quote:** I find that there are in the phaneron,  
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2<sup>nd</sup>, elements each of which is such as it is relatively to to something over against it, regardless of any third. Such an element may also have a character in itself, a priman character, inseparable from what it is *to* the other. But however inseparable that priman character may be, it can be *distinguished* from the *Secundan* element, which I give to that which is such as it is to another, regardless of any third.

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