### Quote

**Term:** Pragmatist  
**Quote:** A pragmatist, as I understand it, is one who systematically strives to “swallow” (in Carlyle’s sense) the formulas, the phrases in which doctrines are dressed, and to assimilate the true meanings beneath them.


**References:** MS [R] S104

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