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AND THEREBY HANGS A TALE.

The daily Journal comes out Saturday evening with nearly two columns upon State Fair business and some record. It remarks as follows:

"The Plattsmouth Herald has undertaken the unphilanthropic task of urging the selection of a man away from home for Secretary of the State Board of Agriculture in preference to one of our own citizens, who has through many years of usefulness and efficiency demonstrated his fitness for the place. Of course everybody here in Plattsmouth understands its aim to be of an unworthy character."

Now then, with this comes a tale, a little history, as it were. One year ago at the annual meeting of the State Board of Agriculture the writer was present. At the meeting he was a spectator, and it was a festive gathering of a great ring, and wheel within a wheel, as one often looks upon. Maj. D. H. Wheeler, then Secretary, was not supported at or prior to the meeting for Secretary, for certain good and sufficient reasons that are too well known to need repetition. Those who had always been found supporting him told us, as well as others, that they could not support him for re-election, and no one knew this better than Maj. Wheeler himself, who was not a candidate, because a great majority of the board and his friends did not desire under the condition of things to give him their support. Prior to the meeting of the State Board Mr. Frank H. Wilson received dozens of letters from the best and most influential men on the Board, soliciting him to become a candidate for Secretary, and pledging their unqualified support. Consequently, Mr. Wilson was a candidate. At the Board meeting Maj. Wheeler was found opposing and fighting Mr. Wilson's candidacy at every point, instead of supporting a man from his own county, when he himself had no chance or prospect for election. He turned his back upon his own home and aided in bringing forth Mr. Furnas, a pledged supporter of Mr. Wilson, as a candidate, and Mr. Furnas accepted. At this crisis, to a looker on at Venice, the coup was a pretty one. Some members of the Board had decided that M. Hartman, of Omaha, and Mr. Dorsey, of Fremont, must be let out, and those gentlemen marched around and dared the Board to leave them off the roll of membership. The ring had a little warfare all to itself, and the threats of disclosures were told personally and whispered on every hand. In this opportunity came for Maj. Wheeler to defeat the candidate from his own county, and peace was patched up and the Board could not heartily enough embrace the members they had counted on leaving off, and there was no room for a new man on the Board in the person of Mr. Wilson, so when Mr. Gilmore, the delegate from our Co. Society, presented the name of Mr. Wilson for membership, it had no more effect than the wind whistling around Boss Stout's Capitol building, and the ring re-elected themselves, with the greatest unanimity, and selected Mr. Furnas as the Secretary.

About a month after this, Mr. Furnas, who was in Plattsmouth, came up to the HERALD office with Maj. Wheeler, when that gentleman came up to inform us that we were to be prosecuted by him for certain job printing that we had done at Mr. Wilson's order. Mr. Furnas pleaded for peace, and stated that to help Mr. Wheeler in every possible way was the object he had at heart. The HERALD informed Mr. Furnas that it had no personal warfare with any man, but it had a ceaseless one with the State Board so long as a class of incompetents, by threats of exposure against each other, ruled that body and perpetuated themselves in office, and on that platform we stand today. During Mr. Furnas' administration he has consulted and advised with Maj. Wheeler and aided him and his friends in many material ways, and now, while Mr. Furnas is in New Or-

leans advertising Nebraska by his own personal labors, to the world, as it has never been advertised before, Mr. Wheeler conspires to defeat Mr. Furnas for re-election. It is the base ingratitude of man to man that we deplore, when we remember what Mr. Furnas has said and done for Mr. Wheeler. In the light of Mr. Wheeler's acts toward a Cass county candidate this year, Mr. Furnas has made a good official, and we believe an honest one. He is entitled under all precedent to a second term, and ought to have it. There is no risk in selecting Mr. Furnas for the position, and while the ring retains its power, keep the best men in the ring to the front.

THIS YEAR.

While we are learning to write 1885 in our dates instead of 1884 we shall have reminders, in our mistakes, of the asperities of the last year and of the hope with which we have looked forward to the close of what has been from the beginning with its panics, cholera, earthquakes, dynamite, and one thing and another not a very lucky twelvemonth. Business has gone wrong, politics has gone wrong. Presidential years are never good ones for money-making, and the last experience has not negated this truth learned from the past. The people of this country and Europe enter the new year with a profound sense of relief at their escape from the plague and panics of its predecessor—a hope that '85 will do better for them and a determination to force happier times out of it if possible. This mood of expectation and resolution may easily do a good deal for us. We are resolved to hope till hope ceases out of its own wreck the thing it contemplates.

The wealth of the world today is mental and moral to a marvelous degree. All the thousands of millions invested here and in Europe in banking is risked on the purely mental basis that only a certain proportion of the depositors will want to draw their money at one time. And this average disposition of those whose money is in bank depends on their confidence in those who have charge of it. On such an ethereal basis does even the financial wealth of the world repose.

The color of the moods then in which we turn to the labors and the fortunes, the trials and the joys of the Year of Our Lord 1885 will have not a little to do with determining what the course of its affairs shall be. Those who look forward with terror to the approach of cholera will be much more likely to flee of the pestilence than those who turn their minds persistently away from such brooding. The men who convince themselves that the auguries of the future are in their favor are ten times more likely to receive the favors of fortune than those who occupy themselves in digging caverns to the sky. The buoyancy which he gains who builds castles in the air is not all lost when he turns to more prosaic constructions—Chicago Tribune.

The Chicago Times, which is booming J. Sterling Morton for a cabinet position, crowns its description of his personal appearance by declaring that he has "a Napoleonic head." The Times leaves the public in doubt whether it refers to the head Dr. Miller put on Morton.—St. Louis City Journal.

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