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WM. HAYS, Secretary. F. E. WHITE, H. P.

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Meeting Saturday evening.

WIND, LIGHTNING AND HAIL

They Create Considerable Havoc in Portions of the East.

PITTSBURG, April 12.—A heavy thunder, wind and hail storm visited portions of western Pennsylvania, eastern Ohio and Maryland today, doing considerable damage. At Elk Garden, Md., a flash of lightning instantly killed John Wetzel, a farmer, and two horses. At Franklin, Pa., a large iron tank containing 3,000 barrels of naphtha was struck and destroyed. At Masontown, Pa., the roof of a new public school building was lifted off, plate glass windows broken and store fronts blown in. The storm was accompanied by hail. At Steubenville, O., hail stones as large as eggs fell, breaking many windows. In this city there was a heavy thunder storm and large hail stones fell, but there was no serious damage.

WHEELING, W. Va., April 12.—This evening a fierce thunder storm prevailed, and some good sized hail stones fell. A barn belonging to Charles Adolph, across the river, was struck and burned with its contents, including livestock.

At St. Clairsville, O., the roof of Muraugh's mill was tossed fifty yards into a vacant lot, and several large plate glass windows in the court house were broken. At Powhatan, O., the storm struck Hornbrook's three story brick building and the roof was blown off. It landed on Giffen, Bean & Co's drug store, a frame building, almost crushing it by its weight, and damaged the contents considerably. Mr. Coleman, who was in the third story of Hornbrook's building, was blown out into the street and badly injured. The roof of the Ohio River railroad depot was blown off and the building caught fire, but the flames were soon extinguished. Many chimneys and windows were damaged.

A MEXICAN CRISIS.

A Belief That the Diaz Government is About to be Overthrown.

New York, April 12. A private letter received in New York today from a trustworthy gentleman resident in the city of Mexico, says: "Four of the men arrested on the charge of being implicated in the derailing of President Diaz's train a few weeks ago have been shot. The execution was carried out very quietly, as not infrequently happens in such cases in this country. Newspapers and news agencies did not publish the fact, as editors stand in wholesome awe of imprisonment and do not give publicity to events which the governmental authorities prefer should remain in obscurity. The prospect now is that we are going to have exciting times here before long. The impression is deepening in many minds that President Diaz will not be able to maintain his position to the end of his present term. Indeed, many think Gonzalez will succeed to the presidency before eighteen months have passed."

A Doctor in trouble

The following scholarly letter was written by a neighboring doctor and received by Elmwood's medicine man:
"Dear Dock—I have a patient whose physical signs shows that the wind pipe has ulcerated off and lungs have dropt down into his stomach I have given him every thing without effect her father is wealthy honorable and influential as he is a member of assembly and god nose I dont want to lose him what shal I do as by return male. Yours frat.—"
—Green peas made their appearance in market this morning.

THE JOKER

Nothing indicates a state of general prosperity for a county more than to see the little country towns all having a "boom." THE JOKER notices this is the condition of all the Cass county villages, and not even a disastrous fire can put a damper to their enterprise. But he would warn them to beware of one deceiver, and that is the lightning rod vender. Never hesitate to refuse one of them entertainment, for angels never pose as lightning rod agents with a contract to sign, and it only takes him thirty minutes to induce a man to state he needs protection from electric fire, and have him sign a note for \$150 to keep his word.

The reports of the recent election in the state have caused THE JOKER to call to mind a few thoughts from the pen of Bob Burdette, as follows: "You don't make a man any better by destroying him. You can cut a rattler into fifty pieces and the venom in his fangs will be just as deadly as ever. He isn't able himself to apply it; that is all. And yet there are men—as wise men go—who believe that a man can live the life of a devil all the days he has to live, hating good and despising virtue, and then after seventy or eighty years of this, by simply laying down and dying, become suddenly transformed into an angel of light and purity, with holy aspirations, godly and heavenly minded."

THE JOKER again wishes to state that it is with extreme pleasure he observes the booming condition of Plattsmouth, and there is so much room for her to extend her energies, that the boom need never cease. Plattsmouth is at present the county seat of Cass county. Is bounded on the west by the suburbs and on the east by a sandbar, to the south of it lies the fair grounds and on the north is a good location for a peach orchard. Plattsmouth, like several other towns, lies in the center of the surrounding country. The people who live around it are mostly engaged in farming, but they put in their spare time in buying goods of peddlers, and then cuss the town for being so dull. The principal public buildings are the flag staff and the pump in front of the court house. The latter is made fast to the sidewalk lest some one should carry it away to Wabash. The town was laid out about thirty years ago, and it has laid out ever since because no one ever thought of such a thing as taking it in out of the weather. The streets in the original plat were marked out with a lead pencil, but careless men have driven over them with wagons and erased the original marks so that the council several years ago was obliged to paint the names of the streets on signs. But now these have all fallen down, so that a man has no means of knowing whether he is on Billings avenue or on a tare. Among the recent arrivals which may be classed as being good for the health is gentle spring and some new sidewalks on main street, the latter still have room for improvement. Plattsmouth has three policemen. They have no regular beats but frequently gather up beats and run them into the station house. On the whole Plattsmouth is a good town; she is pleasantly located and inhabited by people who try to do as near right as they know how, when they want lose any money or influence by it. Probably some of our readers have money invested in the town, and those who

have not would do well to invest at once.

While out walking on day this week THE JOKER found a large diamond in the western part of the city, but as it was on the ball grounds he left it there. For an engagement over this diamond it is necessary for some one to pitch, bat and catch her. When there is two sides to the engagement the kisser is an indispensable participant.

Although the weather has been modestly wet for a week THE JOKER believes the reporters of Plattsmouth have found it rather dry picking.

M. E. Church.

This evening and tomorrow will occur the services of the third quarterly meeting at the M. E. church. Rev. F. A. Campbell, pastor of the M. E. church at Greenwood will supply the pulpit in place of the presiding elder. Preaching this evening at 7:30, tomorrow at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The love-feast at 10 a. m. tomorrow. Communion at the close of Sabbath morning service. The members of the quarterly conference will meet at close of this evening's service.

Mrs. J. S. Newland has moved to the corner of 14th and Walnut streets where she is prepared to do all carpet weaving that any one wishes done.

An Ordinance

Vacating and authorizing the mayor to issue a proclamation declaring the vacation of Second street between south line of Main and north line of Granite streets, and of Pearl between Second street and alley in block 32.

WHEREAS, The Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad company, assignee and owner of the Burlington and Missouri river railroad company in Nebraska, have proposed to dedicate to the city of Plattsmouth for a public street, forty-seven feet east of alley and next thereto from Main to Granite streets through blocks Nos. 32 and 47 in consideration of the city's vacating Second street between Main and Granite streets, and Pearl between Second and alley in block 32, and the railroad company further agrees to make all fills necessary for a good, substantial and practicable highway on the new street, said fills to be completed before the said Second street and Pearl between Second and alley in block 32 are finally vacated.

Therefore, be it ordained by the mayor and council of the city of Plattsmouth:

Sec. I. That all that part of Second street of the city of Plattsmouth lying and being between Main and Granite streets and that part of Pearl street between Second street and alley in block 32 be and the same are hereby vacated.

Sec. II. This ordinance shall be in force and take effect at such time as the mayor may designate by a proclamation published with this ordinance.

Sec. III. The mayor is hereby empowered and authorized by proclamation to declare this ordinance in effect whenever the conditions to be performed by the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad company, assignee and owner of the Burlington and Missouri river railroad company in Nebraska, have by said railroad company been fulfilled, namely, making fill in proposed street in block No. 32 and transferring for street purposes forty-seven feet next to and east of alley through blocks Nos. 32 and 47 as surveyed, platted and recorded.

Passed and approved December 19th, A. D. 1888. F. M. RICHEY, Mayor.
Attest: W. K. FOX, City Clerk.

NOW THEREFORE, I, F. M. Richey, as Mayor of the city of Plattsmouth, do, by virtue of the power vested in me by the provisions of said Ordinance, and as required by a Resolution adopted by the City Council of the City of Plattsmouth, on the 4th day of April, 1889, declare said Ordinance to be in force and take effect from and after this date.
Dated this 5th day of April, A. D. 1889. F. M. RICHEY, Mayor.

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I have been treated with great courtesy and with a very liberal patronage by my friends and the public and take this occasion to return my sincerest thanks for the same.

Not having succeeded in selling out my business, as fully I expected to six weeks ago, I have decided to take a partner and continue business at the old stand, and trust that my many friends and customers will give the new firm as liberal a patronage and fair treatment as they have given to me. The new firm, after the 15th inst., will consist of myself and son, Charles W. It shall be our aim to carry a full stock of first-class Dry Goods, Millinery and Carpets, as full a stock as any first-class house could expect to carry, and shall always sell at bottom prices. With the energy of youth added, the firm expects to put on new energy, and possibly new methods, into the business, and shall endeavor to deserve an enlarged share of patronage.

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