

NEHAWKA.

The Infant Town on the M. P. R. R. TRIMMER.

Nestled in the beautiful valley of the Weeping Water twenty-two miles south-west of Plattsmouth on the Main line of the M. P. R. R. is the little burg of Nehawka, in the center of a country noted for corn, fine blooded stock, well improved farms, and as hot pitiable and highly cultured a class of people as any country is blessed with.

The beautiful sloping hills decked with fine residences adds greatly to the appearance of the country, so much so that the people seem to be inspired with a love of their country and take pride in arranging their homes in the best possible manner.

There was no reception committee prepared to receive us, for they had no warning of our coming, but we stole silently into the little village and began our labor.

Owing to the busy day the crowd could not come forth to welcome us. On every hand was visible the fact that Nehawka was a live place, as every man seemed to be too busy to talk a great length of time.

Not long after arriving in the city we called on Mr. Frank Sheldon, the pioneer merchant and one of the leading business men of Nehawka.

Marshall Bros., hardware merchants, have just recently opened their store and the prospect is very flattering.

A. F. Sturm, lumber dealer, carries a full line of the very best grades and is fast gaining patronage.

O. P. Smith & Co., of Plattsmouth, have just opened a drug store in the new brick building of C. H. Parmele & Co.

J. C. Williams is the efficient blacksmith and has erected a fine store building which is a credit to any town.

L. C. Pollard is the accommodating postmaster, having acted in this capacity since the office was first established in 1875.

The two elevators are doing a heavy business: their shipments run high. One is controlled by Kirkpatrick & Banning, the other by J. F. Parkins.

Peter Opy runs a meat market and is doing a good business.

A. D. Barden handles a good stock of pumps and wind mills.

H. C. Williams is a young man of push and determination who has erected a new building and launched out as a barber.

J. D. McBride, dealer in stock; E. E. Baldwin, station agent; B. F. Marve, contractor and builder; Dr. Pollard is a young physician of excellent ability and is fast gaining a splendid practice.

Miss Lottie Pollard, an experienced teacher, will have charge of the Nehawka schools the coming year.

M. D. Pollard, painter; Miss Effie Taylor, music teacher.

Several new dwellings are in course of construction, and reflect credit on those building them.

Adjoining town on the south is the fine home of Hon. Lawrence Sheldon, one of the oldest and wealthiest citizens in the county.

To the north of town lays the fine farm of the Hon. S. M. Kirkpatrick. In fact, the town site is part of Mr. K's farm which was donated by that gentleman as an inducement to locate the town there.

We feel under obligations to Mr. K. for the kind assistance rendered in our behalf. We took dinner at his pleasant home, where we enjoyed a good meal and shall remember the courtesies shown us.

Mr. K. has one of the most complete libraries in the county, and a fine collection of geologic specimens which he kindly showed us.

But we must return to our subject—Nehawka. She has fine fire clay for mak-

ing brick and a yard will be opened there soon. They are also promised a new ten thousand dollar flouring mill in the spring.

When we take into consideration the fact that Nehawka is a mere infant, being yet under one year old, we were surprised to visit the town and see the strides she has taken in the way of progress.

Death of an Old Citizen. From Monday's Daily.

The news has already reached the ears of the majority of citizens in this city that Mr. John W. Shannon has passed away since our last publication. He has been confined to his home for about two weeks with typhoid fever, and for about half the time has been very low.

We reported last Saturday that there was no further hope for him. He died about 6 o'clock Saturday night. He is one of the oldest settlers of Plattsmouth, having resided here for about thirty years.

The news of his death created much sympathy among the old settlers and many of the young ones, and his demise is greatly regretted. He was born at Colbourne, Ontario, on the 5th of June, 1829, making him 59 years, 3 months and 3 days old at his death.

His funeral will be held by Rev. H. B. Burgess, after which the funeral will proceed to the Oak Hill cemetery where interment will take place.

A festival was held at the Methodist church last Friday night for the benefit of the Sunday school. The receipts were about sixteen dollars.

Mrs. J. B. Holmes and Mrs. F. Young jr., returned on Saturday Sept. 1st, from their visit to New York state.

The Carroll's threshing machine has been in the neighborhood the past week threshing out the small grain.

Charles Collins, to whom the above piece makes reference, is well known in this city, having resided here for some time and worked in the B. & M. shops as a machinist.

Disappeared. The relatives of Charles Collins, of Plattsmouth, are very much concerned over his disappearance.

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Denyer Mail Robberies. New York, Sept. 6.—An afternoon paper says that it can be set down as a positive fact that a thief or a gang of thieves has been stealing systematically from the United States mails between this city and the west during the last three months.

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Cass County Fair. Our fair occurs on Sept. 18th to 21st, 1888. This is the 22nd annual fair of the Cass County Agricultural Society.

A few men composing the Cass County Driving Park Association, with A. B. Todd, Pres., H. C. Ritchie, Sec'y., and R. B. Windham, Treas., purchased thirty-six acres of ground south of the city and fitted up one of the finest tracks to be found in the state.

These men have done this as citizens of Plattsmouth and vicinity, simply for the benefit of the agricultural society, and for the purpose of increasing the interest of all lovers of horses and display of products raised in our county.

Let our business men close up their stores on Thursday and Friday afternoon, Sept. 20th and 21st, the big days of the fair week and give the fair managers two of the best days held at a Cass county fair.

SCHOOL CHILDREN'S DAY. Wednesday Sept. 19th, will be school children's day, and all school children of Cass county will be admitted free.

The new art hall, built jointly by the society and some of our business men, is a handsome structure and is an ornament to our grounds and city; it is now being finished up and will be immediately painted by O. P. Smith & Co.

The speed ring will be full to overflowing and the coming fair will witness some of the best races ever seen in Cass county.

Constitutional Catarrh. No single disease has ever had more suffering or hastened the breaking up of the constitution than Catarrh.

ROBERT DONNELLY'S WAGON AED BLACKSMITH SHOP.

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Sore From knee to Ankle. Skin entirely gone. Flesh a mass of disease. Leg diminished one third in size. Condition Hopeless. Cured by the Cuticura Remedies.

For three years I was almost crippled with an awful swelling from my knee down to my ankle; the skin was entirely gone, and the flesh was one mass of disease.

Terrible Suffering From Skin Disease. I have been a terrible sufferer for years from diseases of the skin and blood, and have been obliged to shut public places for years by reason of my disgusting humors.

From 145 Pounds to 172 Pounds. I have taken several bottles of CUTICURA RESOLVENT with all the results I could wish for.

Note.—The CUTICURA RESOLVENT is beyond all doubt the greatest blood purifier ever compounded.

CUTICURA, the great skin cure and CUTICURA SOAP, an exquisite skin beautifier, externally and CUTICURA RESOLVENT, the new blood purifier, internally, are a positive cure for every form of skin and blood disease, from pimples to scrofula.

Sold everywhere. Price, CUTICURA, 50c; SOAP, 25c; RESOLVENT, 25c. Prepared by L. E. Potter Drug and Chemical Co., Boston, Mass.

Send for "How to Cure Skin Diseases," 64 pages, 50 illustrations, and 100 testimonials.

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COMING! COMING! TO PLATTSMOUTH RIDDLE HOUSE

Plattsmouth! SOON! Prof. Strassman.

Never before has an Optician received such testimonials from the people.

Office of Iowa Soldier's Home, Marshalltown, Ia., Feb. 17, '88. Prof. STRASSMAN, Dear Sir:—The glasses you furnished myself and wife when in Clinton, have proven in every way satisfactory, and we take pleasure in recommending your work and glasses to all who may be in need of safety and comfort for your eyesight.

Very Respectfully, Col. MILO SMITH, Commandant.

Mayor's Office, Marshalltown, November 3rd, 1887. Prof. Strassman has been in our city some six weeks or more, and as an optician has given the best of satisfaction both as to prices and quality of work.

Prof. Strassman, OPTICIAN. THE WORLD FAMOUS FROM BERLIN, GERMANY.

Prof. Strassman, a distinguished optician, now stopping in our city, comes before us with the highest testimonials of skill and experience in his art.

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