

SYRACUSE SIFTINGS.

Substantial Improvements Going on in That Bustling City.

Correspondence of the Bee.

SYRACUSE, October 13.—When I got here I thought I was home and looked around for my "ma," but could not make things seem right for some reason, and you don't know how homesick I was.

Presently I remembered that I was not in New York, but in Nebraska, and I "braced up," wiped a big tear from one of my north eyes and commenced hunting for items worthy of note, and I was very successful in finding them.

SYRACUSE was principally built within three years, although a postoffice has been here for some time. Last season there were more buildings erected than there were this year, but the buildings erected this summer are of a more substantial nature, and cost fully as much money as those of last year.

THE IMPROVEMENTS consist of thirteen new dwellings, some of them very fine. Two stores, veneered with brick, 22x50 feet and two stories high, were added to the number. A new elevator also improves the place.

THE PEOPLE, about 60, are very social and are largely made up of plain, matter-of-fact business men; nothing flashy about them. I do not know whether the story of having "cooked the last night's supper" originated in this town or not, but it is evident that the landlords consider this indispensable requisite of modern table service among the superintendents.

Many folks who are here came from New York, and brought with them an idea of living, and have put up houses for that purpose; they are not staying, but are living in them. The houses are neat and tasty, most of them are painted white—a fresh, clean color.

See advertising columns for business directory.

Plattsmouth Politics. Correspondence of this Issue.

PLATTSMOUTH, October 15.—Who is this Don Pedro who writes for that anti-Irish sheet called the Herald and halts from Plattsmouth? He must be, to my idea, some disappointed political bum who could not come to the front in any party.

The greenbacks took me up without any solicitation on my part. So far as the taxes are concerned, I fought for others as well as myself when I declined to pay the interest on wrongfully levied taxes of twelve years standing.

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Secretary Hunt ordered an advisory board to prepare plans for a new navy and the members have recommended the construction of four classes of vessels, in which tons of millions would be sunk.

Millions have been squandered to gratify the caprices of ignorance and incompetency, and other millions have been pocketed by the jobbers who were favored with the execution of visionary and reckless schemes that were the laughing stock of men of science at home and abroad.

On the very day the substance of the report of Mr. Hunt's advisory board was published, there also appeared another sort of report from the naval board of inspection recently appointed to examine the frigate Lan-

caster, in this harbor, intended for the flagship of the European squadron. The Lancastrer was rebuilt at Portsmouth, at great cost, and, as is alleged, with all modern improvements. It required four years to complete the work. And now the inspectors report that the engines, which were specially designed for her, are not satisfactory, and parts of them have to be replaced by valves such as were used eighteen years ago.

The appropriations have been wasted and stolen, and the department itself has been little else than a brokerage office for contractors and the headquarters of organized thieves.

One new store and fourteen new dwellings have been built the past season. A hardware store is needed and will no doubt be on hand soon, as this place is fast coming to notice and the new M. P. railroad from Omaha to Atchison is thought will be built through here, thus making a competing point for shippers.

A prosperous agricultural country surrounds Dumbur, and usually large quantities of grain and stock are shipped from here.

Corn is below the average in quantity, many pieces on high ground is not worth the expense of harvesting, but the quality is good and at the present market prices growers will realize as much from their produce this year as from seasons of larger yield. But few cattle will be fed in this vicinity this winter.

See advertising columns for business directory.

Bradford, Pa., writes: "I thank you for your kind words, as I said I would if it cured me. My dyspepsia has vanished with all its symptoms. Many thanks. I shall never be without it in the house." Price 50 cents, trial bottles 10 cents.

WHAT THE OZAR EATS. Soups, Fish, and Meats He Partakes of in Full Uniform. From among the long list of apprehensions which disturb the peace of mind of the czar of all the Russias, as regards his life, that of being poisoned must, however, be excluded.

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For our fair readers we shall only give the following approximate details: Take a large and juicy piece of mutton, boil it down with juicy pieces of beef and an unlimited number of onions, garlic, herbs, beets, and spices, and serve the same, cut in small cubes. In Poland, a similar mixture composition is called "borzsh," on which the Russian looks down with sovereign contempt.

infinite variety of ways, and a rich and spicy gravy called a la Samoyel (the latter being one of the great secrets of the imperial kitchen), cucumbers in vinegar, capons, etc. A description of the luxury of the table would lead us too far. The emperor always appears at meals in full uniform—so do the invited guests.

A Wise Decision.

"Deacon Wilder, I want you to tell me how you kept yourself and family well the past season, when all the rest of us have been sick so much, and have had the doctors visiting us so often."

"Bro. Taylor, the answer is very easy. I used Hop Bitters in time; kept my family well and saved the doctor bills. Three dollars' worth of it kept us well and able to work all the time. I'll warrant it has cost you and the neighbors one to two hundred dollars apiece to keep sick the same time."

Short Line to Denver. Chicago Tribune. During his presence in the city Mr. T. L. Kimball, assistant general manager of the Union Pacific railway, held an interview with the managers of the Iowa pool lines—Northwestern, Rock Island and Burlington—and arranged a new time table between Chicago and Denver.

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Table with 5 columns: Lot, Block, City of Omaha, Val., Exp. Total: \$8,307.60

Sec. 2 Such special tax shall be due in thirty (30) days from the passage and approval of this ordinance.

Attest: J. J. L. C. JEWETT, City Clerk. Passed Oct. 11, 1881. Approved Oct. 13, 1881.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE. On the 15th day of October, 1881, at 2 p. m., at F. C. Morgan's store, 1214 Farnham street, Omaha City, Douglas County, Nebraska, I will sell at public auction personal property belonging to the estate of AGNES C. MORROW, deceased, including jewelry, books, crockery, silverware, furniture, household goods, &c.

Stearns Oil. REMEDY FOR RHEUMATISM, NEURALGIA, SCIATICA, LUMBAGO, BACKACHE, COLIC, SORENESS OF THE CHEST, SORE THROAT, QUINCY, SWELLINGS AND SPRAINS, FROSTED FEET AND EARS, BURNS AND SCALDS, GENERAL BOOILY PAINS, TOOTH, EAR AND HEADACHE, AND All other Pains, ACHES.

Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. DIMINISHED VIGOR. Is reimbursed in great measure to those troubled with weak kidneys, by a judicious use of Hostetter's Stomach Bitter...

WHIPPLE, McMILLEN & CO., DIAMOND RINGS, RUBY RINGS, PEARL RINGS, EMERALD RINGS, SAPHIRE RINGS, WEDDING, BIRTHDAY AND COMPLIMENTARY PRESENTS, IN GREAT VARIETY, IN GOLD AND STERLING SILVER.

Henry & Co., Prop'rs. Cleveland, Ohio. Othello & Jewett, City Clerks. OMAHA, October 7, 1881.

Real Estate Agency IN NEBRASKA. Keep a complete abstract of title to all Real Estate in Omaha and Douglas county.

Dr. Amelia Burroughs AT THE WITHNELL HOUSE, Tuesdays and Fridays, 10 a. m. to 6 p. m.

Dexter L. Thomas & Bro. WILL BUY AND SELL REAL ESTATE AND ALL TRANSACIONS.

The Creighton and Niobrara STAGE LINE. Runs daily, leaving Creighton on arrival of train at 6:30 p. m. Arrive at Niobrara 12:30 a. m.

Burdock Blood Bitters. Great German REMEDY FOR RHEUMATISM, NEURALGIA, SCIATICA, LUMBAGO, BACKACHE, COLIC, SORENESS OF THE CHEST, SORE THROAT, QUINCY, SWELLINGS AND SPRAINS, FROSTED FEET AND EARS, BURNS AND SCALDS, GENERAL BOOILY PAINS, TOOTH, EAR AND HEADACHE, AND All other Pains, ACHES.

OPERA HOUSE STORE. Will sell their stock of BOOTS AND SHOES At Greatly Reduced Prices.

BYRON REED & CO. BROKERS IN NEBRASKA. Keep a complete abstract of title to all Real Estate in Omaha and Douglas county.

DAVID SMITH MOORE. I have selected the Lion as a Trade Mark, and all my goods will be stamped with the LION and my NAME on the same.

FOSTER & GRAY, WHOLESALE LUMBER, COAL & LIME. On River Bank, Bet. Farnham and Douglas Sts., OMAHA, - - - NEB. J. S. CAULFIELD, WHOLESALE BOOK SELLER AND STATIONER Wall Paper and Window Shades. 1304 Farnham St., Omaha Neb.

HEADQUARTERS FOR MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS. We desire to call the special attention of the trade to our elegant lines (at BOTTOM PRICES) of Underwear, Cardigan Jackets and Scarfs, Buckle, Gloves, Overshirts, Overalls, Hosiery, &c., now open. Wholesale only. SHREVE, JARVIS & CO., Corner Fourteenth and Dodge Sts.

F. C. MORGAN, WHOLESALE GROCER, 1213 Farnham St., Omaha, Neb. WESTERN STAR STOVE POLISH AND BEAUBRUMMEL BOOT BLACKING MANUFACTURED BY I. OBERFELDER & CO., IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS OF MILLINERY & NOTIONS, 1308 and 1310 DOUGLAS STREET. OMAHA, - - - NEBRASKA. The only exclusive wholesale house in this line in the west.

WHOLESALE DRUGGISTS. ISH & McMAHON, 1406 DOUGLAS STREET, OMAHA, NEB. The Only Exclusive Wholesale Drug House in Nebraska SPECIAL ATTENTION PAID TO MAIL ORDERS.

FEARON & COLE, Commission Merchants, 1121 Farnham St., Omaha, Neb.

Max Meyer & Co. OMAHA. Guns, Ammunition, Sporting Goods. FISHING TACKLE, BASE BALLS, and a FULL LINE OF NOTIONS AND FANCY GOODS. SEND FOR PRICE-LIST. MAX MEYER & CO. Omaha, Ne

CHARLES McDONALD 1408 FARNHAM STREET, NOW OFFERING FOR ONE MONTH ONLY DECIDED BARGAINS Ladies' Suits, Cloaks, Ulsters, Circulars, Etc. AT COST. 200 Handsome Suits, at \$5.00; 300 Stylish Suits, \$10.00; 75 Black Silk Suits, \$17.00. We have several lots of staple goods which will be offered at SEVENTY-FIVE CENTS ON THE DOLLAR. All ladies should avail themselves of this great sale of CORSETS AND UNDERWEAR, LINEN AND MOHAIR ULSTERS, SILK AND LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS, LAWN SUITS AND SACQUES. CHARLES McDONALD.