

IMPROVEMENTS.

The town of Dwight is undergoing some improvements at this time well calculated from their brilliancy to make the eyes of the unsophisticated "like stars, start from their spheres." The new ware house and elevator of Newell and Strong is being pushed rapidly to completion. The palatial residence of Mt. Henry Newell is sufficiently far advanced to get an idea of what it is going to look like when done; Messrs Gilchrist and Steffens are doing the work on it, which is all the guarantee required for superiority of workmanship and elegance of finish.

The splendid residence of D. M' Williams is also undergoing a through renovation in the way of repairs. Mr. M' Williams we understand has an artist from Chicago to decorate his doors and woodwork and judging from what we can see from the sidewalk, he—the artist, understands his business. Other new buildings are going up in the suburbs of the town but it is so very warm that we would rather our readers would inform themselves of the particulars in regard to them than wait to hear of them through us.

We would like to say however, that a hotel improvement may be looked for in the NATIONAL. That prince of Landlords J. A. Turner is about to re-erect the lightning-rod on his Barn—enlarge his dining room and build a piazza in front. Having left the lumber business he will devote himself henceforth to catering for the public palate, and the old gentleman can do it if any one can, as he keeps fully up to the times and takes

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