

Block has been put up by Messrs. Rick
Rexinger, Walthall & others, & several
other bldgs. are under way to fill up the
gap left by the old Court House. At the
lower extremity of the same street Mr.
John Elder's new building which is
to include his own hardware store & 2
public halls, has attained its 2nd floor.

We cannot but regret that the iron
columns for the facades of this bldg.
which front on Franklin St. & Strawberry
Alley are of such slender proportions.
(sufficient for support) but lacking
aesthetic principles.

Owen & Moore — new store — Mr.
West, scenic artist, nearly finished
fresco on walls & ceiling.

Mr. Jas. Bates is having a house built
opposite a livery stable of Caldwell's
Shelton, to be occupied by Moore &
Bates, gunsmiths.

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