



The Old Tallow Candle, The Old "Specks."

The old tallow candle and the old method of selecting glasses go together.

Both primitive—both best of the times in which they flourished—both are "back numbers."

The man who takes his "specks" from off a case and puts them upon his face without knowing they are right, should step to the other end of the counter and buy a tallow candle to go with them.

If these are too modern, there still remains for him the dirt and pine knot.

WE FIT GLASSES TO MODERN EYES BY MODERN METHODS.

Newhouse Bros.,
JEWELERS AND OPTICIANS.

GENERAL CITY NEWS.

Now is the time to subscribe.

\$100,000 to loan on land by D. J. Myers.

Mark Parkes of McCook was here Wednesday.

Do you want a new cook stove? If so see Wright.

Come in and see our sample portrait and you will want one.

We guarantee no other loans made on same terms.—D. J. Myers.

Walter Roby sells the Singer sewing machine. Prices right. Get the best.

Pay your subscription and get a calculating pencil. They are a little wonder.

James Hale and family left Wednesday morning for a visit at Sheldon, Missouri.

Mrs. I. H. Holmes returned Wednesday night from a visit with friends at Bloomington.

Dave H. Moberger and wife visited with friends south of Riverton the fore part of the week.

The city has been doing some good work on some of the streets in the south ward this week.

Mrs. Wm Wood and children of McCook are here visiting with the parents of the former, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Lindley.

Miss Ida Kinsel returned home last Wednesday evening from a pleasant six week's visit with friends and relatives at Fairbury and Omaha.

MORE OR LESS PERSONAL.

THE CHIEF \$1 per year.

Robert Mitchell has gone to Colorado.

Annual interest, option loans of D. J. Myers.

See Wright before you buy a gas or gasoline stove.

Will Yeiser of Oxford was here the last of the week.

Jacob Nustein made a business trip to Blue Hill Tuesday.

I want eggs and will pay you cash.—CALDWELL, Poultryman.

Mr. H. A. Howard was visiting in Franklin the last of this week.

See our portrait offer and then come in and see the sample portrait.

Read Argabright's advertisement in this issue—comment is unnecessary.

Geo. McCall of Guide Rock was up from that place the first of the week.

Ed. Overing made a business trip to the western part of the state this week.

Interest and principal collected at your home bank if you wish.—D. J. Myers.

The heavy wind which accompanied the rain last night did considerable damage.

Mrs. S. I. Cozad returned Tuesday morning from a visit with relatives in Franklin.

Robert Potter returned Wednesday from a several weeks trip to the far western states.

Mrs. G. W. Francis and daughter Buelah returned Thursday morning from a trip west.

C. H. Kaley and wife returned Tuesday morning from a visit at Sedalia and Kansas City, Missouri.

J. O. Wiles of the Star Bakery will receive a shipment of fresh oysters about the first of the month.

Charles White and family of Wilcox, were here the last of the week visiting with W. W. Wright and family.

Mrs. Person, mother of John Person of this city, arrived here the last of the week from southeastern Kansas and will make a visit here.

He eats heartily in the hottest weather who uses Prickly Ash Bitters. It keeps his stomach liver and bowels in perfect order. Sold by C. L. Cotting.

Fred Webber, residing about three and one-half miles northeast of this city died last Monday after a long siege of illness. The remains were laid at rest in the Red Cloud cemetery Tuesday afternoon.

A large number of our people are going to Grand Island next week to attend the street fair at that place. A still larger number will go to Superior a little later on to attend the reunion. These people going away from home to have amusement is caused by a lack of amusement at home.

Fountain Drinks

AT THE
Bon Ton Bakery.

FIVE CENT DRINKS.

Ice Cream Soda, Crushed Fruit Soda,
Coco Cola, Cherry Phosphate,
Wild Cherry, Root Beer,
Champagne Cider, Egg Lemonade,
Ginger Ale, Grape Lemon,
Grape Kola, Moxie,
Grape Orange, Lemon Sour,
Soda Lemonade, Cherry Ripe,
Celery Phosphate, Fruit Phosphate,
Orange Phosphate, Lemon Phosphate,
Orange Cider, Pears Bromides,
Cherry Ripe Phosphate.

TEN CENT DRINKS.

Queen's Favorite, Egg Phosphate,
Charlotte Ruese, Mountain Foam,
Banana Cream, Ladies' Favorite,
Sua Fizz, Persian Sherbet,
Orangeade, Fruit Sundae,
Claret Phosphate, Plain Claret,
Seltzer Lemonade with Cherries.

FIFTEEN CENT DRINKS.

Claret Lemonade, Cherry Juice,
Moorish Sherbet, Catawba Flip,
Raspberry Punch, Sherry and Egg,
Claret Punch.

W. S. BENSE, Prop.

WEEK'S HAPPENINGS

All kinds of garden tools at Wright's.

All kinds of wire fencing at Wright's hardware store.

Stella Ducker returned from a trip west Thursday night.

Wright has every article of ware that is needed around the kitchen.

T. A. Wilburn has had a new barn built on his residence property.

For a good smooth hair cut or shave go to J. J. Baker's on Webster street.

August Roats made a shipment of ten cars of cattle to Kansas City Monday.

Operator Herr of the depot force is taking a lay-off and has gone east on a visit.

The first oysters of the season at the Star Bakery about the first of the month.

T. C. Hacker returned Tuesday night from a several days stay at Nemaha, this state.

Helen McFarland left this week for a visit with friends and relatives at Grand Island.

Mrs. Anna Sapp departed the last of the week for a visit to Hot Springs, South Dakota.

Myrtle McIntosh returned Thursday morning from a several months visit at Tin Cup, Colorado.

A WARNING
BLACK FRIDAY.
BE HERE SOON
BEWARE!
BLACK FRIDAY.

Mrs. James Smith of Beatrice arrived in the city Saturday evening on a visit to her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. Roats.

L. H. Rust and wife go to Chicago today, thence to Cincinnati, Batavia, and Columbus, Ohio and then to Burlington, Michigan, on a five weeks visit.

Fred Turnure of the firm of Turnure Bros. left Sunday for Chicago where he goes to lay in a large and complete assortment of goods for the different departments of their store.

Israel Laucks and daughter of York, Pennsylvania, who have been touring in the west arrived Thursday morning from Manitou, Colorado, on a visit to their daughter and sister Mrs. Rev. Xanders.

Charles Frederick, the fifteen year old son of Chas. Fentrick living north of this city, died last Saturday of appendicitis. The funeral services were conducted from the residence on Sunday by Rev. Dent and the remains were laid at rest in the Red Cloud cemetery.

Sylvia, the twelve year old daughter of Chas. Turney, residing about one and one-half miles north of this city, died last Sunday morning. The funeral services were conducted from the residence on Monday and the remains were laid at rest in the Red Cloud cemetery. Mr. Turney and family have the sympathy of all in his bereavement.

Emil Meyer, proprietor of the Oak Flour Mills, of Oak, Nuckolls county, was here today as a delegate to the republican senatorial convention. He speaks very highly of G. D. Follmer of that place who is republican candidate for commissioner of public lands and buildings. He thinks there is a great change taking place in the vote of Nuckolls county and thinks the republicans will win out there.

General Superintendent Denney of the Nebraska Telephone Co. was in the city the last of the week. He has been engaged in going over and inspecting the route of the new lines now in process of construction. The new line will be constructed from Hastings to Red Cloud, from Blue Hill to Campbell and from Blue Hill to Lawrence. The line will be built to this city in about sixty days and then we will have communication with all the towns in the county.

LOCALLY.

Girl wanted at the Bon Ton; \$3.00 per week.

Sheriff Dow of Alma was here on last Tuesday.

Al. Holdrege of Riverton was here last Tuesday.

Fresh oysters at Star Bakery the first of the month.

Mrs. Jos. Graves left Monday for a visit at Minden.

Will Ducker left Tuesday morning for a visit at Lincoln.

Mrs. J. D. Crans left Saturday for a trip to Hot Springs, South Dakota.

Mrs. Moranville returned to her home at Guide Rock Sunday morning.

A fine baby daughter arrived at the home of L. H. Blackledge on Saturday.

A fine baby daughter arrived at the home of Charles Palmer the last of the week.

Henry Richmond of the Omaha World Herald office was here this week.

Mrs. E. Rife returned from a visit to the eastern part of the state Thursday night.

J. S. White and wife left the first of the week for a trip to Denver and Colorado Springs.

Miss Martin who has been visiting with Nellie West has returned to her home in Falls City.

Ralph Foe who is operator on the B. & M. at Yuma, Colorado, arrived here Thursday morning for a visit with his parents.

Elmer Kaley returned Sunday from a business trip to Chicago, where he purchased a large invoice of new goods for the Nebraska Mercantile Co.

George Clapp and wife of Bloomington were here the first of the week visiting with his brother Lew. He was a delegate to the populist senatorial convention.

James Goss, wife and daughter of Pennsylvania who have been making a visit to Denver and Salt Lake are here visiting with Irving Cummings and family and other friends.

C. D. Morse, of the Up-to-Date millinery store who has been looking after his interests in Osceola, this state, writes that he will visit Chicago, St. Louis and St. Joe where he will purchase a fine line of millinery and will be here about August 31st.

Last Monday evening the members of the I. O. O. F. lodge were quite agreeably surprised by their wives who came in and took possession of the lodge room and treated the boys to a repast of ice cream and cake. The boys all report a good time and some even hope for a repetition of the affair.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the postoffice at Red Cloud, Nebraska, for the week ending Aug. 23d, 1900.

Dr. D. Berger.

These letters will be sent to the dead letter office Sept. 6th, if not called for before. When calling for above please say "advertised."—T. C. HACKER, P. M.

Woodman picnic at Cowles August 30th. Good time with plenty of refreshments on the ground. Ice cream and lemonade in abundance. Everybody invited. Come and have a good time. Bring your baskets well filled. Lunch will be served at the stands on the ground both noon and evening for those who have no baskets. Dance in the evening.

The following persons left this morning for Chicago to attend the national G. A. R. reunion. From there a number of them will go to visit friends at other points: L. H. Rust and wife, Charles Kent and wife, W. E. Coplen and wife, Frank Smith and wife, J. W. Bogenreif and wife, Mrs. D. J. Myers, Clara McMillan, Gertrude Fuller, V. H. Fulton and wife, Mrs. B. M. Grice, L. H. Beck and D. L. Groat.

We sell all kinds of the best
Machine Oils
and can give the lowest prices.
Special prices to Threshers.
MACHINE CASTOR,
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To Talk
NEW HATS
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Everything that is right in
Style,
Color and
Price
IN NEW FALL HATS.
Plenty of Campaign
Hats and Caps.
Cowden-Kaley Clothing Co.
LEADERS IN LOW PRICES.

The Plans to Assassinate
the President Were
Frustrated.
Everybody's Plans Fail at Times but
Our Plan of Selling You Hardware
at Low Prices is Meeting with
the Best of Success.

We are sacrificing large profits for quantity profits. We give a few of our prices in the columns of the papers, but the best way to prove what we say is to come in and let us show you what we do. Notice the following:

Galvanized Bushel Measure	75c.
Header Fork	70c.
Barley Fork	90c.
6 gallon bent wood churn	\$5 00.
Steel coin knife	30c.
Grind stones, per pound	2c.
Horse muzzles, per pair	15c.
7 pounds nails	25c.
6 pounds staples	25c.
Copper rivets, per half pound	20c.

The quality of our goods is guaranteed in every way. Come in and see for yourself.

MORHART BROS. HARDWARE Co.

ROYAL Baking Powder

The strongest, purest, most efficient and wholesome of leavening agents. Not lowest in price, yet the most economical; indispensable to all who appreciate the best and most healthful food.

Our country is enjoying prosperity almost unsurpassed in its history.

For every one there is money enough to buy that to eat which is pure, sound, good, wholesome.

Why should we use cheap, impure, unhealthful articles of food? There is no economy in them; they endanger the health, they may cost life. There are reported almost daily cases of sickness caused by eating cake, puddings or biscuit made with the cheap, alum baking powders.

In all articles for food buy and use only the best. The good health of the family is of first consideration.

Alum is used in many baking powders because it makes them cheap. It costs less than two cents a pound. Alum is a corrosive poison. Think of feeding it to children! Yet the manufacturers of well-known alum powders are actually denying that their goods contain it.