



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 flourish—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 flint 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. Telephone No. 97 for your gasoline. Do you want a new cook stove? If so see Wright. D. M. Abel left Wednesday night on a business trip to Omaha. Galvanized iron well tube 8c at Morhart Bros. Hardware Co. We guarantee no other loans made on same terms.—D. J. Myers. Smoke Colonial Girl, the best 5c cigar in the world, at the Bon Ton Bakery. Mrs. C. M. Smith returned Wednesday from a visit to Elmwood, this state. 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.

Lillian Smith left Friday for a summer visit with friends and relatives at Lincoln.

Abel Jernberg of McCook was here the first of the week visiting friends and relatives.

Grant McFarland of Lincoln was looking after business matters here the first of the week.

Calvin Kennedy of Holyoke, Colorado, was here the first of the week visiting relatives and friends.

Nate Kingsland of Lincoln, formerly a resident of this city, was giving old friends the glad hand here Tuesday.

H. E. Pond and family have loaded up their household goods and on Thursday departed for Lincoln where they will reside in future.

LOST:—Between North Branch, Kansas, and Penny creek, a pocketbook containing a small sum of money and some keepsakes. Finder will please leave at CHIEF office.

A couple of colored bums were arrested by Night Watch Smeiser and Marshal Kinsel on Wednesday night in the south part of town and lodged in jail to keep them out of devilment.

"What's in a name?" The word bitters does not always indicate something harsh and disagreeable. Prickly Ash Bitters is proof of this. It cleanses, strengthens and regulates the system thoroughly, yet it is so pleasant the most delicate stomach will not object to it. Sold by C. L. Cotting.

There is one young lady in the city who has a penchant for telling the story that this or that young man was drunk. Now we don't know where she gets her information but she must be cross eyed and can't tell drunk from sober as she has reported some in that condition who had not touched a drop. There are several old adages about "people in glass houses," etc., she might learn with profit.

Everybody even the Babies



like the Ice Cream and Warm Meals at the

Star Bakery,
J. O. WILES, Prop.

MORE OR LESS PERSONAL.

THE CHIEF \$1 per year. Miss Ella Cook was in Superior Sunday.

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

See Wright before you buy a gas or gasoline stove.

The county commissioners are in session this week.

Mrs. V. B. Fulton visited in Riverton the first of the week.

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

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

Nicol Sorenson left Tuesday morning for a trip to Nebraska City.

Miss Helen Martin of Falls City is here the guest of Miss Nellie West.

Smoke Colonial Girl, the best 5c cigar in the world, at the Bon Ton Bakery.

A complete line of pump and pipe goods are carried in stock by Morhart Bros.

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

Alec Bentley of Lincoln made a trip to this city on his wheel to visit old friends.

Ed. Young of Norton, Kansas, formerly of this city was here the first of the week.

Ad Spracker and wife left the first of the week for a trip to Denver and Salt Lake City.

C. H. Kaley and Chas. Lindley spent a couple of days at Superior the first of the week.

Order your gasoline of Morhart Bros. Hardware Co. They will deliver it for you.

Mrs. J. R. Bennett and two sons from Butte, Montana, are visiting with Jas. Gilham and family.

Bert Person is firing the switch engine for a few days while Fireman Fearn is taking a lay-off.

The excursion train to Denver on Wednesday had a breakfast order of 105 at the B. & M. eating house.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Longhoff of Arkansas, are here visiting with Chris Zeiss the brother of the latter.

Herb Conover who is working for the B. & M. out of McCook was here visiting relatives and friends Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Potter and her sister, Miss Mamie Beale, left the first of the week for a trip to Ogden and Salt Lake City.

Mrs. Fred Sleeper who has been visiting friends and relatives here returned to her home in David City Sunday.

At a meeting of interested parties it was determined to hold the annual chicken show on December 19, 19, 20 and 21.

Elmer Kaley left Thursday for Chicago where he will buy a large invoice of goods for the Nebraska Mercantile Company.

Attorney E. U. Overman will address the republican club at their headquarters in the Rust building on the evening of Friday, August 17th.

Mrs. Webster, of Denver, who has been here for the past several weeks has returned home. She was accompanied by Mrs. Wm. Bense who will make a return visit.

Riverton and Superior first nines will play ball Wednesday, August 15, at the fair grounds Red Cloud. These are the two best clubs in each county and lovers of the sport are assured of a good game.

The following item taken from the Lincoln Journal of Tuesday tells of the death of the daughter of a former citizen of Red Cloud: "Katharine L. Moore, a bright six-year-old daughter of John Moore of the Security Investment company, died yesterday morning at 6 o'clock from injuries received accidentally. The clothing of the little girl took fire Sunday afternoon and before the blaze was extinguished she was severely burned. At first it was believed that she would recover, but after a night of suffering she died."

The Red Cloud band has secured the services of a leader for that organization in the person of Mr. L. L. Moon of Wymore who was leader of the band at that place for some time. He is a band man of ability and with the cooperation of the good material composing the band will soon bring it up to the proper standard. As we have repeatedly said before, a good band is one of the things that should be fostered and helped along by our citizens. The knowledge that the citizens are interested in the welfare of the organization gives the members the assurance that they are appreciated and leads them to renewed effort. Leaving out the pleasure derived, it is a direct business proposition for it brings trade to our town that would not otherwise come. Stand up for the band, stand up for Red Cloud and let's have a street fair.

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, Grape Kola, Moxie, Grape Orange, Lemon Sour, Soda Lemonade, Cherry Rippe, Celery Phosphate, Fruit Phosphate, Grape Phosphate, Lemon Phosphate, Orange Cider, Pears Bromides, Cherry Rippe Phosphate.

TEN CENT DRINKS.
Queen's Favorite, Egg Phosphate, Charlotte Reuse, Mountain Foam, Banana Cream, Ladies' Favorite, Spa Elix., Persian Sherbet, Grapegade, Fruit Sunday, Claret Phosphate, Plain Claret, Seltzer Lemonade with Cherries.

FIFTEEN CENT DRINKS.
Claret Lemonade, Cherry Glace, 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. \$100,000 to loan on land by D. J. Myers.

Jerome Vance of Guide Rock, was here this week.

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

Farm loans on most favorable terms of D. J. Myers.

Isaac Myers of Inavale left Sunday for a trip to Ohio.

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

Smoke Colonial Girl, the best 5c cigar in the world at the Bon Ton Bakery.

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

Will Rife and Joe Blair saw the animals at Superior the first of the week.

Mrs. Jennie Ellis of Norton, Kansas, is in the city visiting relatives and friends.

The Misses Helen Roby and Maud Ross were visitors to Superior the first of the week.

Mrs. L. H. Fort and son Charley returned Thursday night from a visit at Peru, this state.

A dance will be given at the fireman's hall on Saturday night and the usual good time will be had.

We would like to see some of our influential business men get together and work up a street fair.

Roy Tait and Miss Grace Garber took in the Forepaugh-Sells Brothers show at Superior Monday.

Look out for malaria. It is seasonable now. A few doses of Prickly Ash Bitters is a sure preventative.

Mrs. G. W. Dow and Mrs. W. E. Rife attended the Epworth League convention at Lincoln returning Saturday night.

Joe Johnson, of Superior, is doing the tonsorial work in the shop of J. J. Baker, while he is camping out on Elm Creek.

F. W. Cowden of the firm of Cowden-Kaley Co. left Saturday for Chicago where he will buy a large invoice of clothing for that popular store.

Hugh Miner Jr. left Sunday for Chicago where he will spend some time in selecting a large invoice of goods for the general merchandise store of Miner Bros.

Excavation is being made on the residence lots south of the residence of J. L. Miner preparatory to the erection of a substantial residence property for Dr. E. A. Creighton.

H. L. Sams of Elmwood, this state, the new superintendent of the city schools is now a resident of the city. THE CHIEF welcomes him here and hopes his stay in the city will be pleasant and that he may be successful in his school work.

Red Cloud ought to have a street fair this fall. When we say this we mean it. The county fair which has been held in past years and which is the one attraction which we have had to bring a crowd to our city in the fall will not be held. A street fair properly gotten up would bring the largest crowd ever seen in our city and a crowd that will leave more money in the city than any other. This year nothing of the kind is to be held west of us nearer than Alma and none in other directions nearer than Grand Island and Fremont, so that we would have a large scope of country to draw from. The fact that Alma is having another street fair this year shows that there is money in it for her merchants. This year of all other years, being the national campaign year, could lend attractions to the show. Red Cloud business men should shake off the lethargic state they have been in for several years and let the people know that she is the best up-to-date city in the valley. You owe it to your farmer patrons to furnish them and their families some amusement. The middle or first of October is plenty soon enough and it would give plenty of time to advertise the attraction.

ALMOST FORGOTTEN.

Incidents of Every Day Life Which Very Few People Stop to Think About on Account of Their Littleness.

There is one girl in town who comes nearer to perpetual motion than anything we know of.—She chews gum.—The merry-go-round has gone and the city has settled down to its normal condition again.—Some of the girls evidently didn't care in whose company they were in so long as he paid the freight.—There was one fellow who occupied a box seat who didn't seem to care what female company he was keeping either.—He might have been innocent but he made fun for the boys.—Among the provisions in the new book of ordinances is one requiring parties convicted of petty crimes and of vagrancy who do not pay their fines, to work on the streets.—The two colored bums who were arrested Wednesday night will earn their meals for three days.—The man who pays his good money for street sprinkling and then has to take a hose each morning to clean out the dirt of the day before is apt to say d—n the sprinkler.—This is the time of year when the merchant who does not advertise stands at his door and takes weather observations.—The fellows who do are too busy.—They say that Red Cloud has added to her list a Jack-the-Kisser.—Anyway it is asserted that a young lady was kissed on the street Saturday night against her will.—We have heard of girls who like to be kissed against their will.—This is the season of the year when the girl with the everlasting silly giggle is wont to make a flirtation with about a dozen young persons of the masculine gender, sillier and with a more pronounced giggle than herself, so that she may always have ice cream victims on the string.—This is called the ice cream giggle.—When any person by the name of Moon comes to our city the girls are all dead stuck to get next.—They probably think that if they can go promenading with him on the darkest night they will be guided safely by the moon.—Since he came to town the girls are all practicing "In the Evening by the Moonlight."—We understand that a couple of young folks who have been keeping company for some time have decided to get married in December.—In order that they may be able to start out in matrimony right they have decided to save up their money for the auspicious occasion.—But the nice part of the arrangement is that the young couple have a young lady friend who is also going to save up her money and loan it to them.—The latter young lady when asked when she was going to get married, said she didn't want to get married, she could have more fun single.—There's only one girl in the world for me, and that's the one I'm looking for.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the postoffice at Red Cloud, Nebraska, for the week ending Aug. 2d, 1900:

Taylor, F. C. Taylor, Murtie
Royce, Minnie Augler, A. M.
Clark, M. E. Farhood Bros.
Loxear, Ed. Post, Ray
Ray Zook, Neurer

These letters will be sent to the dead letter office Aug. 23rd, if not called for before. When calling for above please say "advertised."—T. C. HACKER, P. M.

Senatorial Convention

The Republican Senatorial Convention for the 26th Senatorial District of Nebraska, is hereby called to meet at Red Cloud, Webster county, Nebraska, on Friday, the 24th day of August, 1900 at one o'clock p. m. of said day, for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for the office of state senator, and for transacting such other business as may properly come before said convention.

The counties composing said district are requested to send delegates to said convention as follows:

Franklin, 10
Webster, 13
Nuckolls, 14.
J. P. A. BLACK, Chairman.

We sell all kinds of the best

Machine Oils

and can give the lowest prices.

Special prices to Threshers.

MACHINE CASTOR, PURE CASTOR, CYLINDER, RED HARVESTER, BLACK OIL, LARD OIL.

Give us a trial.

C. L. COTTING,
The Druggist.

Light Weight Suits and Pants.

We have a small assortment of Men's, Boy's and Children's light weight suits and pants which we will sell at greatly reduced prices in order to close.

Straw Hats

at almost your own price.

All 35c, 40c, 50c and 60c hats at 25c each.

All 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 hats at 50c each.

MEN'S - CRASH SUITS.

A few left. Will sell at \$1 to \$3.75. Worth \$2.25 to \$7.00.

Boy's and Children's McKinley and Roosevelt and Bryan and Stevenson Caps.

We are and will continue to be from now until election, headquarters for campaign goods. See us when you need anything in this line.

Cowden-Kaley Clothing Co.

LEADERS IN LOW PRICES.

A Few Interesting Facts in Hardware.

Morhart Bros. are making it interesting to you to call and see what they can do in the way of prices of their line of goods.

Here are a Few New Ones.

- 8 inch steel monkey wrench, 30c.
- Dewey Improved Hog Waterer \$1.75.
- All steel handled axe 90c.
- 4 tine Manure Fork, 70c.
- 4 tine header fork 70c.
- 50 lb. Flour Bin 95c.
- Genuine Baker barb wire \$3.75.
- 7 pounds nails 25c.
- 6 pounds staples 25c.
- Ellwood wire stretcher 60c.

We are making a special price on galvanized well tube that will be an object to you to get if you are putting down a well.

Remember we guarantee our goods to be first quality and the lowest prices.

MORHART BROS. HARDWARE Co.