



MINER BROS

The American Home!

One of the features which means much to making the American home attractive is that wisdom displayed by the American housewife in choosing

Carpets for that Home.

If you use good judgment in this matter you can have the best appearing cottage. We want you to see these carpets anyway and see how thoroughly you can be satisfied.

- Hemp, yard wide, . . . 10c to 25c.
- Granites, " . . . 25c to 35c
- Unions, " . . . 40c to 50c
- Light weight all wool, . . . 35c
- Extra all wool, . . . 50c
- Extra Supers, . . . 54c

This line comprises Lowell's two-ply, Lecestershire two-ply extra supers. They are the best.

Axminsters and Moquettes, \$1.00.

Extra Axminsters and Moquettes \$1.10 per yard.

Our stock contains forty patterns to select from. We cut and make carpets the same day "bought" if desired. No extra charge for waste in making.

RUGS.

A nice new rug will do a great deal toward brightening up the old carpet

Smyrna - and - Moquette - Rugs.

Samples of Moquettes, Wilton Velvets, Brussels, Etc., Etc., 50c per yard.

GOSSIPING PEOPLE.

A Private Opinion Concealed by a Person Who Has No Use for Gossip.—Printed by Request for Their Benefit.

There is more in the little word, "Gossip" than one would think at a casual glance. Webster defines "Gossip," "to tell idle tales." There are few words in the English language that convey more meaning or give more food for sermons and reflection than the one merged in those six letters. Somewhere in "Faust" the devil is heard to remark that he had no room in his domains for "Gossips." Perhaps the fertile brain of the author was referring to the dangerous type of gossips—that class which comes under the head of scandal mongers. There is no community not cursed with this class of human beings. Just why the Divine Maker places them on earth is one of the unexplained laws of nature, yet we find them among all classes—the high and low, meek and vicious. Their thrust is worse than a dagger's, their sting worse than a serpent's. A rattlesnake will sting only when attacked, a robber will do his work and then slink away in the dark, the assassin will slay his victim and then remain in hiding, will annoy only when annoyed—but the gossip! when does their work end? Not until the grave receives them. What must be the make-up of a male or female gossip? What pleasure can be gained by these human hyenas who feast over the remains of their fellow-men? There is a certain class of people who make it their business to meddle with the affairs of others. Perhaps this would not be so bad in itself were it not that these officious individuals ply their work with no good motive. Their object is bad and usually their finish is worse. There is nothing so despised, low, contemptible, loathsome, wicked and mean as a gossip. The thief is as a rose geranium to a cactus beside them, the assassin a prince in white robes in comparison with them, the gambler and prostitute are entitled to seats nearer the white throne than they, the serpent's sting is not poison enough to inoculate the rotten blood that courses through their festering veins. The wrecked lives, a result of their forked and filthy tongues, stand a monument to their iniquity, and the scalding tears of sorrow that flow from the eyes of their subjects should form a seething sea of salted blood into which the slimy human vultures should be compelled to bask for time eternal. No sufficient apology can be given for their work once done. Their's is a blow worse than death. The victims of their body thrusts are consigned to liv's worse than death—a living hell on earth in most instances—while their consignees to perdition go on in their fatal work of soul burning. Of all classes of people, the most despicable is the one who will viciously attack the character of another. In the eyes of decent people it makes no difference whether the gossip parades, on supreme nerve, in the best of society and wears silk petticoats and socks or whether she has none of these luxuries and mingles in the slums. In plying her vocation she becomes the most vicious and dangerous of all classes of people. No one can hope to escape. The gossip may be likened to a yellow newspaper, nothing will satisfy except sensationalism. Pure acts and deeds are by her misconstrued, painted to a bright color, and under the protection of "I don't know but they say," she gads about the community seeking whom she may destroy, defaming the character of a neighbor and an innocent person. Red Cloud has her full share of these gossips and these sanctimonious old cats as a rule attend church at least twice each Sunday and yell "Amen" louder than the preacher can pray. At prayer meeting they are on the front seat and lead off in the "Praise God" affair. Under the cloak of the church and because some distant relative once had money they pose as leaders in society. For some time their maneuvers have been watched by the CHIEF. It finds that they go in droves, like so many hogs, and some of them look more hog than human. There isn't a real genuine lady in the bunch. They are coarse, vulgar and unrefined, depending wholly upon a smattering of tongue to enable them to safely trot the hot pace they have been going.

HADELL'S

Cash Bargain House!

Special Annual Easter Sale!

Success Has Crowned Our Efforts

In what? Why, in our aim to offer to the people of this community the best Dry goods stock they have ever inspected. Never before have we been so well prepared to offer our customers exceptional bargain values in new, bright, desirable Dry Goods, &c. A comparison of our prices will easily prove that we are equally as low, and in many lines of goods, much lower than so-called closing out sales. Come and see us for your Dry Goods, Millinery, Carpets and Shoe buying. We can convince you we are right.

MILLINERY.

Advance styles in the season's New Millinery are shown here first as would be expected of Red Cloud's leading Millinery Department. Our Miss E. A. Hadell has been to the market where American Millinery styles find best expression. She has copied many exquisite Paris and American styles and also designed some artistic creations of her own, all of which will be on display in our Millinery Department. We sell millinery at dry goods prices, which means a big saving. Being at no extra expense in selling this line, we can sell you the newest and most desirable stylish hats at considerable less than the usual prices.

Dress Goods.

The newest goods at the very lowest prices.
New 36-inch dress goods, Serges, Henriettas and fancy Weaves at 25c per yd. Handsome showing of New Black Goods, 40 inches wide, at 35c, regular 50c and 60c values.
New Poplins at 50c per yd.
New Fine Coverts at 50c per yd. Regular 75c values.
Extra fine New Black Goods at 75c, \$1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 1.75 and 2.00 per yard.

Carpets.

The new Carpets at Bargain Prices.
35c Ingrain Carpets at 25c.
40c " " at 29c.
50c " " at 38c.
60c " " at 48c.
70c " " at 58c per yard, cut and matched. No charge for waste in matching in any.
Handsome New Patterns to select from. Special money saving prices on Brussels, Velvet and Axminster Carpets.

Easter Gloves.

Come to us for your Easter Gloves, we can please you both in price, style and quality. Ladies' \$1.00 Kid Gloves placed on sale at 75c. \$1.25 Warranted Kid Gloves, sale price 1.00. All the new colors, new ribbons, new belts, new neckwear, new trimmings at bargain prices.

Material for New Spring Dresses.

For the little folks.
We have a large assortment of new fabrics to select from. New Percales at 5c per yard. New 15c Zephyr Ginghams, sale price 10c. New 15c Fancy Chambrays at 10c.

New Silks.

New Trimming Silk at from 25c to \$1.00 per yard.
New Waist Silks at 50, 60, 75c and \$1.00 per yard.

Calicoes.

Special selling of the new Calicoes.
1000 yards Dark Calicoes in 10 yd dress patterns at 25c per pattern. Only one pattern sold to each customer.
New full standard 7c and 8c Dress Prints placed on sale at 5c.

Special Easter Sale

Men's Ladies and Children's Hosiery.

Men's 10c Socks at 7 1/2c per pair.
Men's 25c extra fine Socks at 15c per pair.
Ladies' 10c Fast Black Hose at 7 1/2c.
Ladies' 12 1/2c Hose at 10c.
Ladies' 20c Hose at 15c.
Extra fine real Lisle Thread Hose at 25c.

Children's Bicycle Hose.

25c Black Rabbit Bicycle Hose at 13c per pair.

Muslin and Cambric Shirts.

The New Muslin and Cambric Shirts at 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25. Muslin and Cambric Pants at 25c, 50c and 75c.

New Spring Capes.

At \$1.50, 1.75, 2.00 and 3.00.

Ladies Tailor Made Suits.

Our showing of the new Ladies' Suits the best we have ever made. Styles and material are new and correct. Over 50 different styles to select from. Prices range from 5.00, 5.50, 6.00, 7.00, 7.50 and up to \$18.00. Come in and see them.

A Mortgage Works All of the Time.

So does good newspaper advertising. If properly prepared it does good work, if not properly prepared it is an expensive proposition. Our experience enables us to prepare ads that pull business. We would like to prepare copy for your ads—we give the matter prompt and careful attention and make advertising profitable.

Publishers' Advertising Agency,
David City, Nebraska.

Lindley's Restaurant

HALE BUILDING,
Red Cloud, Nebraska.

Warm Meals at All Hours.

Nice, Comfortable Lodging Rooms.

FRUITS, CONFECTIONERY,
NUTS AND CIGARS

OYSTERS IF EVERY STYE.

ALL KINDS OF HOT AND COLD LUNCHES.

Furniture and Furniture!

THE
Little Store Room
IN THE
Big Damerell Block



is packed to its utmost with all the latest styles of furniture and at prices lower than ever before offered. Call and get our prices before buying. We will save you money and please you with quality.

Albright Bros., Red Cloud, Neb.