

## TWENTY YEARS AGO

Items of News Found in The Chief of Twenty Years Ago This Week

Van Benson is happy. It is a boy.  
 Ira Sleeper contemplates a visit to Ohio soon.  
 John Young has been on the sick list this week.  
 M. B. McNitt is building an addition to his house.  
 R. R. Sherer goes west this week on a land inspecting tour.  
 C. C. Johnson had his premium coat killed last week by the cars.  
 G. W. Lindsey took possession of Gates' meat market this week.  
 Mrs. Fred Peterson and daughter were visiting in McCook this week.  
 Will Gates is now a gentleman of leisure, having retired from business.  
 Briggs & Hummell are building an addition to the M. E. church parsonage.  
 Mrs. G. R. Chaney is lying very low and there is but little hope of her recovery.  
 C. Wiener will move into his elegant dwelling apartments over his store this week.  
 Ald. Ormsby, who has been rusticating in the western climes, has returned home.  
 L. A. Haskins had a lot of hay burned up the other day by a neighbor's prairie fire.  
 Billy Atkin left this week for his old home in Blissfield, Michigan, where he will spend the winter.  
 M. B. McNitt goes to Ohio and Michigan for a business and pleasure trip Tuesday evening.  
 The Episcopal church has received an external coat of paint which makes that edifice look much better.  
 The firm of Walker & Brakefield have dissolved partnership, Mr. Brakefield will continue the business.  
 John Garber and his mother were in Benkleman last week, visiting George Garber, who is very sick with typhoid fever.  
 Mrs. Gardner and Mrs. Jocelyn went to Denver Thursday and were accompanied by their husbands as far as McCook.  
 We are pleased to learn that M. W. Dickerson, who has been on the sick list for two weeks past, is rapidly recovering.  
 A people's lumber company has been organized at Inavale with R. K. Orchard as president and W. J. Vance as secretary.  
 Wm. Parkes, of the firm of Parkes Bros., manufacturers of boots and shoes, has returned from his trip

among the much married denizens of Utah.

C. E. Perkins and G. W. Holdrege, prominent B. & M. officials, have been enjoying the bracing air of Webster county for a few days.

Ed Ferris, who lately put up a law shingle at Ellwood, is progressing finely and is becoming a successful wrestler of Blackstone

D. G. Walker has sold his house in the north end to George Murray of White Rock, Kansas, who will move to Red Cloud in the spring.

The CHIEF office has been repairing and brightening up the interior by a new coat of paint and have added a couple more bricks to our ash pile for a brown stone front.

J. H. Smith, Fred Hummell, G. W. Dow, A. J. Means and John Parkes, representatives of Red Cloud lodge, No. 64, I. O. O. F., were in Hastings last week attending the grand lodge of Odd Fellows.

On last Friday night the Beck family held a reunion, the first time in fourteen years. There were present Mrs. W. D. Forrester, Mrs. Penny-packer, O. P. Beck and Dr. L. H. Beck.

A fellow living near Inavale, we understand, who wished to "climb up the golden stair," took rough on rats, as a medium to gain the mystic realm, but fortunately he took either too much or too little and did not ascend

The cane-line editor of the down town "dimocratic" sheet squirts the false creations of his heat oppressed brain into the columns of his little paper this week, and abuses men and things with his usual virulence. Next week, however, the insipid regulation apologies will be forthcoming.

AMBOY—We have all been enjoying fine weather the past few days. We are happy to announce the wedding of Mr. Herman Frase and Miss Bertha Polly, October 17. Mrs. Thompson of Iowa is the guest of Mrs. J. Polly. Farmers have commenced gathering corn. Mr. Trunkey has completed his new frame house. Polly Bros. have hired a new miller.

### Real Estate Transfers.

Transfers for week ending Wednesday, Oct. 18, furnished by J. H. Bailey of Webster County Abstract company

State of Nebraska to C W Kaley lots 5 to 8 in 2-1 10 wd.....	\$ 1565
N E Henderson and husband to Frank A Kuehn part block 23 Smith & Moore add to Red Cloud wd.....	1200
Joseph McCall to Ralph B McCall s2 se4 ne4 se4 and se4 ne4 12-1-12 wd.....	2800
J Thompson and wife to J L Crowell & Co lots 14 and 15 block 3 Bohrer add to Blue Hill wd.....	350
C F Gund and wife to J L Crowell & Co lot 13 block 3 Bohrer	

add to Blue Hill wd.....	500
Edward T Foe to N A Platt lots 1 to 4 block 11 Cowles wd.....	60
J B Wisecarver and wife to Sara M Potter lots 10 11 and 12 blk 13 Red Cloud wd.....	2000
Sarah M Roby to R E McBride lots 5 and 6 block 8 LeDuc add to Red Cloud wd.....	800
Henry Siebrass and wife to H Arends se4 26-4 16 wd.....	7000
John Croner and wife to Alex James s2 se4 3 4-9 wd.....	3000
C W Kaley to Joseph Kudrna sw4 27-3-11 wd.....	1250
Alex James and wife to R E James s2 se4 3-4-9 wd.....	3500
R E James to Alex James e2 ne1 13-4-10 wd.....	2500

Total.....	\$26255
Mortgages filed.....	\$10200
Mortgages released.....	\$6050

### What is an Edition?

What is an edition? Does it consist of 1,000 volumes or of 500 or 50 or 5? The word is not a technical term like "gross" or "dozen" or any like expression bearing a fixed numerical significance, and there is of course no reason why it should not mean anything from the lowest to the highest of these numbers, according to the taste and fancy, or it may be the tactics of the particular publisher who employs it. We know what is meant when we read that a new novel is "in its twentieth thousand," whereas the statement that it is "in its forty-fifth edition" conveys to us simply no information at all.—London Tatler.

### A Use For the Tires.

An automobilist traveling through Castle, in Spain, came out of an inn one day to find his automobile surrounded by the population of the whole village, who were gazing at it with much interest and examining the back wheels, out of which large lumps had just been cut. The damage had been caused by the mother of a large family, who artlessly confessed that, seeing so much rubber on the wheels, she had cut a few pieces out to make toys for her children.

### What He Seems.

"Who is that youngster?" asked the visitor to the sanctum.  
 "That," replied the editor, "is just the new office boy."  
 "Oh, his face seemed familiar"—  
 "Perhaps it is, but his manner is more so."—Philadelphia Press.

### Too Methodical.

Hicks—My wife is very methodical. She's always got a place for everything and everything in its place.  
 Wicks—So has mine, but I can never find the place.

If we rightly estimate what we call good and evil we shall find it lies much in comparison.—Locke.

### To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Tak-Laxative Bromo Quinine tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

## The Secret of Good Coffee

Even the best housekeepers cannot make a good cup of coffee without good material. Dirty, adulterated and queerly blended coffee such as unscrupulous dealers shovel over their counters won't do. But take the pure, clean, natural flavored **LION COFFEE**, the leader of all package coffees—the coffee that for over a quarter of a century has been daily welcomed in millions of homes—and you will make a drink fit for a king in this way:

### HOW TO MAKE GOOD COFFEE.

Use LION COFFEE, because to get best results you must use the best coffee. Grind your LION COFFEE rather fine. Use "a tablespoonful to each cup, and one extra for the pot." First mix it with a little cold water, enough to make a thick paste, and add white of an egg (if egg is to be used as a settler), then follow one of the following rules:  
 1st. WITH BOILING WATER. Add boiling water, and let it boil THREE MINUTES ONLY. Add a little cold water and set aside five minutes to settle. Serve promptly.  
 2d. WITH COLD WATER. Add your cold water to the paste and bring it to a boil. Then set aside, add a little cold water, and in five minutes it's ready to serve.

3 (Don't boil it too long. Don't let it stand more than ten minutes before serving. Don't use water that has been boiled before.)

### TWO WAYS TO SETTLE COFFEE.

1st. With Eggs. Use part of the white of an egg, mixing it with the ground LION COFFEE before boiling.  
 2d. With Cold Water instead of eggs. After boiling add a dash of cold water, and set aside for eight or ten minutes, then serve through a strainer.

Insist on getting a package of genuine LION COFFEE, prepare it according to this recipe and you will only use LION COFFEE in future. (Sold only in 1 lb. sealed packages.) (Lion-head on every package.) (Save these Lion-heads for valuable premiums.)

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**J. H. BAILEY,**  
 RED CLOUD, - - NEBRASKA

## To the Farmers

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and

**Ice Cream**

**The Bon Ton**

W. S. BENSE, Proprietor.

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All kinds of

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**HALE'S RESTAURANT**

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## Do You Eat Meat?

When you are hungry and want something nice in the meat line, drop into my market. We have the nicest kind of

**Home-made Sausages**

and meats, fish, and game in season. We think, and almost know, that we can please you. Give us a trial.

**Koon Bros.,**

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## To the Public

Having purchased Chas. Wadell's meat market, we extend to you a hearty invitation visit us and become better acquainted and also, when looking for good first class meat, we ask you to give us a trial.

We are satisfied we can please you.

Yours for business,

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At every meal or for a munch between meals, when you feel the need of an appetizing bite to fill up a vacant corner, in the morning when you wake hungry, or at night just before going to bed. Soda crackers are so light and easily digested that they make a perfect food at times when you could not think of eating anything else.

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