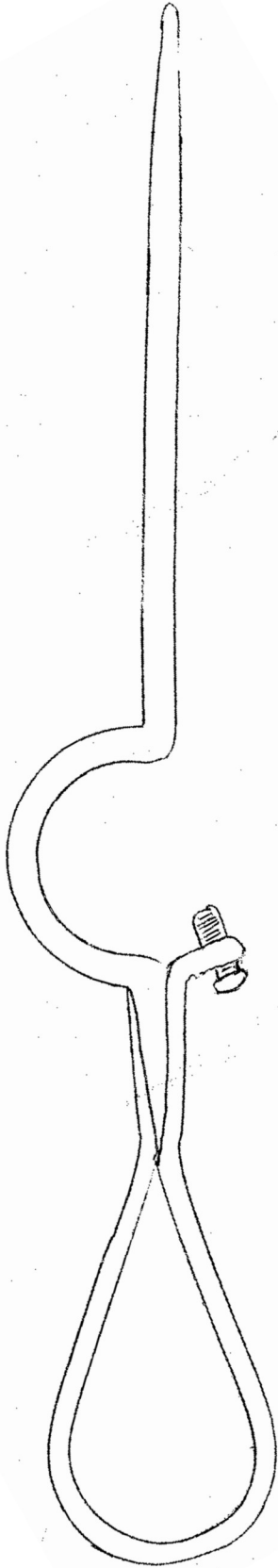


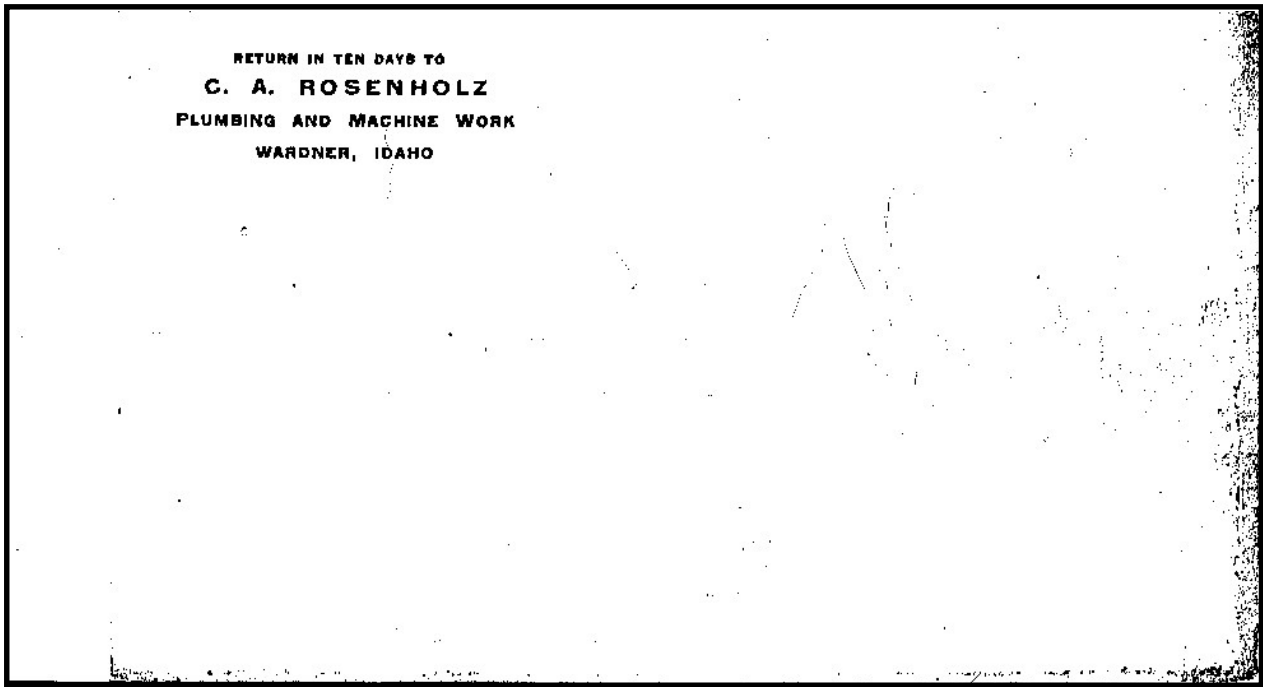
# Carl A. Rosenholz Sticks

*by Herb Dick*

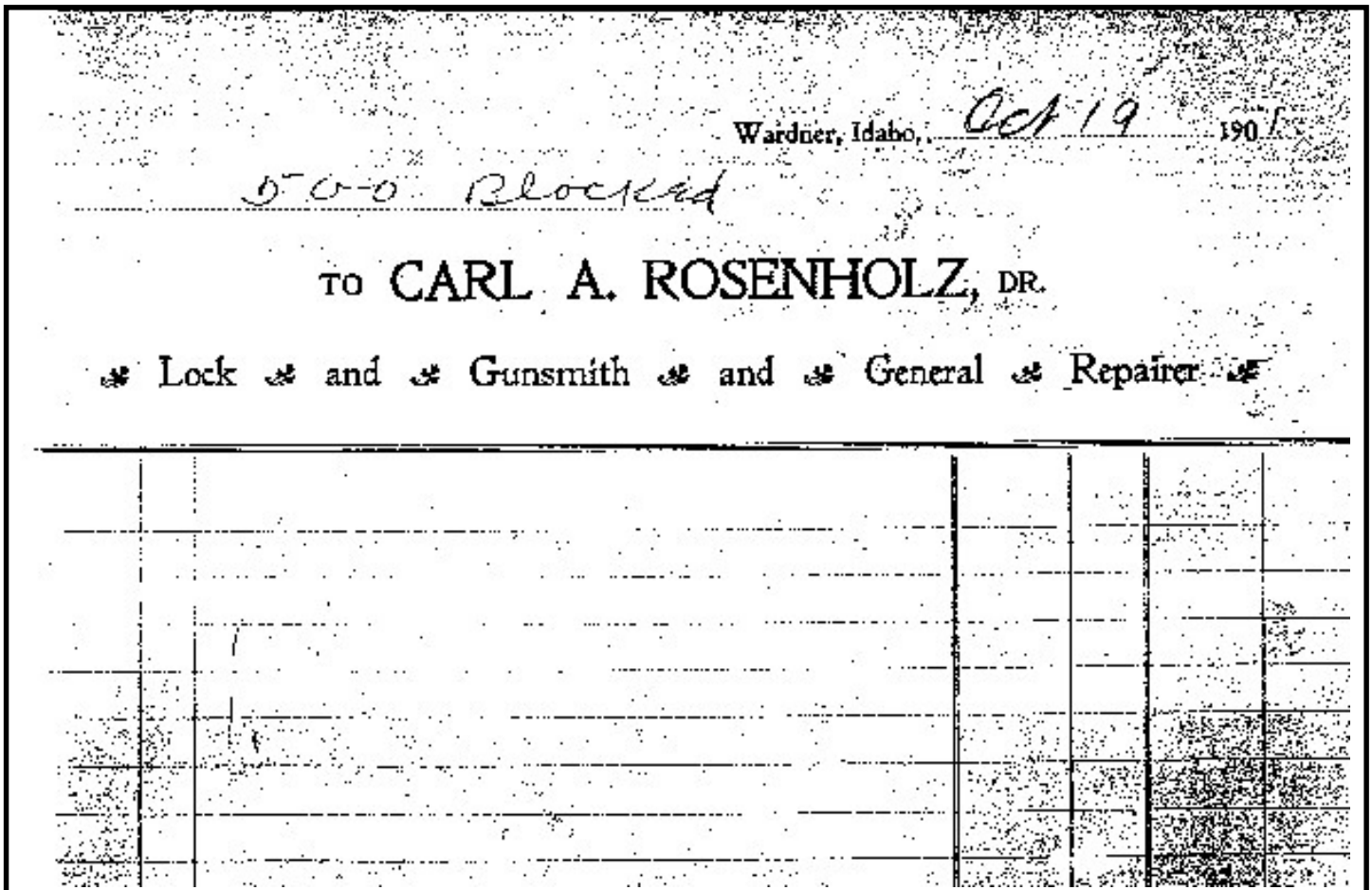
After the Park City show, I went to Wardner, Idaho to see about the Rosenholz sticks. Most people can recognize these sticks by the characteristic teardrop handle. Records are sparse, but I found that he ordered the letter-head and envelope in 1901 (see photocopies below). He voted in the 1915 election and in 1925, lived with his wife Tina, and Carl L. - probably a son who was listed as a millman. Carl Andrew Rosenholz, born March 30, 1873. - was shown as a blacksmith in the Wardner City Directory. He was an immigrant, but was registered for the WWI draft. Also shown is a rough tracing of a carbide stick holder (made by Carl?) which I bought in Wardner. His two story Victorian house is still standing at the very top of the main street in Wardner.



**RETURN IN TEN DAYS TO  
C. A. ROSENHOLZ  
PLUMBING AND MACHINE WORK  
WARDNER, IDAHO**



*Envelope with return address.*



*Letterhead.*