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 Was the largest business year in our history. Thanks to our well pleased customers. Now we propose to make
 1905
 A still larger and more satisfactory year than its predecessor. We shall endeavor to pursue the same policy that has heretofore made this store the most popular
HARDWARE STORE
 in the west. And with our constantly improving facilities for buying in large quantities, we shall be able to give you better values for your money than ever before. Wishing you a Happy and prosperous New Year, and respectfully requesting a continuance of your esteemed patronage, I remain,
 YOURS TO COMMAND,
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 Nothing is more interesting than the manufacture of high grade lumber. We buy only of the best manufacturers and hence can assure you the best of everything in the line of **Building Material**.
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Best Quality SULPHUR
 IN 100 POUND SACKS FOR \$3.50
 Special Prices on Larger Lots at Holsten's.

For that small repairing we have the fixings, Boards for sidewalk laying, fencing and the like, can be had from us at reasonable price.
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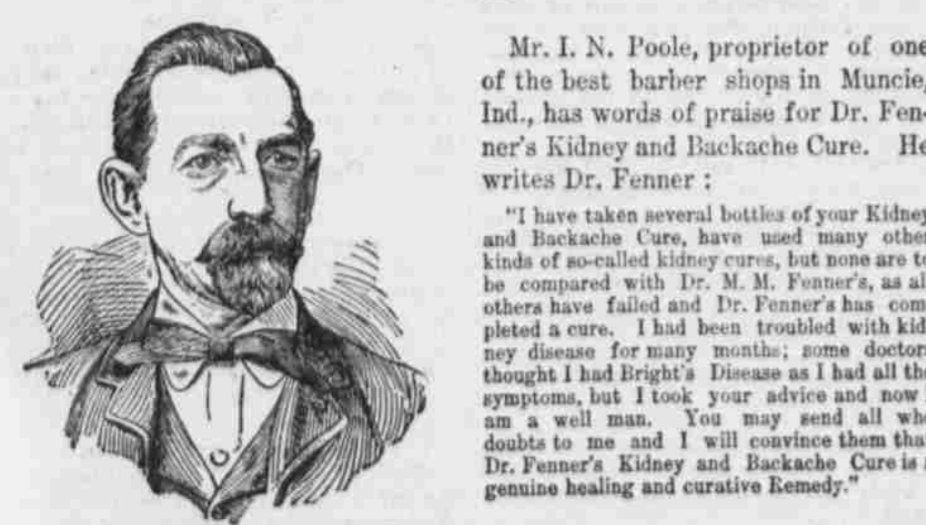
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ALLIANCE, NEBRASKA.

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 Good turnouts, strict attention to our business, and courteous treatment to all has won for us the excellent patronage we enjoy. Try us.

DR. FENNER'S Kidney AND Backache Cure
 ALSO PURIFIES THE BLOOD.
 Don't become discouraged. There is a cure for you. If necessary write Dr. Fenner. He has spent a lifetime curing just such cases as yours. All consultations FREE.

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Sold by Druggists, 50c. and \$1. Get Cook Book and Treatise on the Kidneys—FREE. M. M. Fenner, M. D., Fredonia, N. Y.

Stock and Stockmen.
 Stockmen: It will pay you to advertise your brands in this paper. The Herald has the largest circulation of any newspaper in Western Nebraska.

Nebraska Stock Growers Association.
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MOSLER & TULLY,
 Jess. Neb.
 Stock branded as shown on cut on either side. Also J-O on either side.
 Township 26 and range 43.

CURRAN BROS.,
 Canton, Sioux county, Neb.
 (Cross H Cross) on left side. Also H on left thigh. Under slope on left ear.
 Horses branded same as cattle on left jaw and on left shoulder.

T. J. DOWD,
 Alliance, Neb.
 3-5 connected any place on left side. Range on head of Pine Creek, Sheridan county.

POINT-OF-ROCKS RANCH,
 JOHN O'KEEFE & SONS.
 Alliance, Neb.
 Cattle branded OK on left side; also OK and OK on left side.

SCHILL BROS.,
 Schill, Neb.
 Cattle branded on right thigh or XV on right side.
 Township 27, range 45, Sheridan county.

STORM LAKE RANCH,
 ROBERT GRAHAM,
 Gileman, Neb.
 As in cut on right or left hip; left ear cropped. Horses branded O on left jaw.

E. MABIN,
 Hemingford, Neb.
 Cattle branded flying horseshoe on right hip, as in cut. Home ranch sec. 25-27-50. Horse ranch in 24-49.

H. A. DILLING,
 Box Butte, Neb.
 Cattle branded as in cut on left hip, also with the bar over instead of under brand. Also on left side.
 R. 1, section 17, township 27, range 46.

H. A. ALLISON,
 Lakeside, Neb.
 Cattle branded -N- on right hip.
 Range in Twp. 26, range 45, Sheridan county.

Time Table
 Alliance, Neb.
 LINCOLN, DENVER, OMAHA, HELENA, CHICAGO, BUTTE, ST. JOSEPH, SALT LAKE CITY, KANSAS CITY, PORTLAND, ST. LOUIS, SAN FRANCISCO, and all points east and all points west and south.

TRAINS LEAVE AS FOLLOWS, MOUNTAIN TIME:
 No. 41 Passenger daily, Deadwood, Billings, all points north and west, arrives at... 12:35 a.m.
 No. 42 Passenger daily, Lincoln, Omaha, Chicago and all points east, departs at... 2:45 a.m.
 No. 301 Passenger daily, for Denver, Ogden, Salt Lake, San Francisco and all intermediate points, departs at... 2:45 a.m.
 No. 302 Passenger daily from Denver and all intermediate points, arrives at... 10:45 a.m.
 No. 303 Daily, except Sunday, for points south and west, departs at... 12:50 p.m.
 No. 304 Daily, except Sunday, from south and west, arrives at... 4:50 p.m.
 Sleeping, dining and reclining chair cars (seats free) on through trains. Tickets sold and baggage checked at any point in the United States or Canada. For information on time tables and tickets call on or write to L. S. SAGE, Agent, or L. W. WARELEY, General Passenger Agent, Omaha, Nebraska.

Burlington Bulletin.
 WINTER TOURIST RATE To California, the Gulf Country, Cuba, Florida, the South and Southeast.
 LOW ONE WAY SETTLERS RATES first and third Tuesdays of January, February, March and April to Southeast points beyond the Ohio River.
 IRRIGATED LANDS.

In the Big Horn Basin, North Platte Valley and eastern Colorado several big irrigation enterprises are practically completed and will be prepared to deliver water this year. They are offering special inducements in the way of low priced lands and water rights to early settlers. Buy land now—ahead of the water—and reap the big increase in value which will surely follow. It is the best investment in the world for your son if you want to start him out right. In a few years he will be independently wealthy.
 Write me for reliable information.
 L. W. WARELEY
 General Passenger Agent, Omaha, Nebr.

Checked LIVERY AND FEED BARN
JAMES KEELER, Proprietor.

Contest Notice.
 U. S. Land Office, Alliance, Neb., Nov. 16, 1894.
 A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Thomas Charleston, contestant, against contestant entry No. 488, made July 12, 1891, for southwest quarter section 33, township 30 north, range 50 west, by John McHale, contestee, in which it is alleged that John McHale never resided on said tract, nor made any improvements thereon. That said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States as a private soldier, officer, seaman or marine during the war with Spain or during any other war in which the United States may be engaged, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence concerning said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on January 10, 1895, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Alliance, Nebraska.
 D. W. WARELEY, Register.

Sheriff's Sale.
 By virtue of an order of sale issued by the clerk of the district court of Box Butte county, Nebraska, upon a decree rendered by said court in favor of James H. Skinner, plaintiff, and against C. S. Morgan, defendant, I will offer on the 14th day of February, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m. on said day at the west front door of the court house in Alliance, Nebraska, sell the following described real estate, to wit: Southeast quarter of section 17, in Township 25, north Range 49, west 8th P. M. in Box Butte county, Nebraska, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said order of sale, in the sum of \$3,847 and interest, costs and advertising costs subject to all unpaid taxes.
 IRA REED,
 Sheriff of Box Butte County, Nebraska.
 Attorney for Plaintiff, F. P. Jan. 6

Order of Hearing on Original Probate of Will.
 STATE OF NEBRASKA,
 BOX BUTTE COUNTY.
 At a county court, held at the county court room, in and for said county, Dec. 12, A. D. 1904.
 Present, D. K. Spacht, County Judge.
 In the matter of estate of Henry G. Taylor, deceased.
 On reading and filing the petition of Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor, praying that the instrument, filed on the 21st day of December, 1904, and purporting to be the last will and Testament of the said deceased, may be proved, approved, probated, allowed and recorded as the last will and testament of the said Henry G. Taylor, deceased, and that the execution of said instrument may be committed and the administration of said estate may be granted to Elizabeth Taylor as executrix.
 Ordered, that January 16, A. D. 1905, at 2 o'clock p. m., is assigned for hearing said petition when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a county court to be held in and for said county, and show cause why the prayer of petitioner should not be granted; and that notice of the pendency of said petition, and of the hearing thereof, be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in THE ALLIANCE HERALD, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks, prior to said day of hearing.
 Notice is further given that on the 12th day of January, 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m. there will be taken the deposition of Silas R. Barton and R. R. North before competent authority at the office of E. E. North in the city of Grand Island, Hall county, Nebraska, said depositions to be used in proving and probating said will.
 (A true copy)
 D. K. SPACHT,
 County Judge.

Notice to Redeem.
 The State of Nebraska,
 Box Butte County.
 To Samuel L. Shaw, Bank of Commerce of Grand Island, Nebraska, and Herschel A. Edwards, Receiver of Bank of Commerce of Grand Island, Nebraska:
 You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 8th day of April 1905, John Weibel purchased at tax sale the North East quarter of section 21, in Township 25 of Range 49, in Box Butte County, Nebraska. That said land was taxed in the name of Samuel L. Shaw and that said purchase of tax sale of said land was made for the years of 1896, 1897, 1898, 1899, 1900 and 1901 and that subsequent taxes have been paid on said land by John Weibel for the years 1902 and 1903. That the time for redemption of the above-land will expire on the 8th day of April 1905.
 Dated Alliance, Nebraska, this 29th day of November, 1904.
 JOHN WEIBEL.

Notice to Creditors.
 In county Court, within and for Box Butte county, Nebraska, Sept. 24, 1904, in the matter of the estate of John Fenster, deceased.
 To the creditors of said estate: You are hereby notified, that I will sit at the County Court Room in Alliance in said county, on the 30th day of March, 1905, at each of clock p. m. to receive and examine all claims against said estate, with a view to their adjustment and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said estate is six months from the 24th day of Sept. A. D. 1904, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 24th day of September 1904.
 Witness my hand and the seal of said county court, this 24th day of September, 1904.
 (A True Copy)
 D. K. SPACHT,
 County Judge.

Along with our fancy hand painted China and Haviland china, we have glassware, lamps and white and decorated dinner sets at a surprisingly low figure. Geo. Darling.
Estrayed.
 From my premises about May 1, one red heifer, end of tail white, branded S on right hip; year old last May.
 L. SAMPY,
 Hemingford, Neb.

Read The Herald

Our 7th Annual Discount Sale
 Sale Commences January 11th, and Continues Until Saturday Night February 11

ONE-FOURTH OFF
 on the entire line of Gents', Ladies', Boys', Misses and Childrens'
SHOES and SLIPPERS
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 No shoes charged or sent out on approval during this sale



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Style 689
 New extended hip model, wide lace at top, fine quality sateen with hose supporters, size 18 to 30 for... 75c
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 The pride of American ladies. Low front, long hip, hose supporter side, and front; best cloth neatly trimmed... \$1.25
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