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**COLORADO LUMP AND NUT  
SHERIDAN COAL  
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There is only one kind of coal we do not keep—and that is poor coal.

If you are looking for a ton of 2,000 pounds of all coal, with no dirt or slate to pay for, our goods are entitled to your order. If you are willing to take a good share of dust or stone with your coal we must admit that we don't carry that kind in stock.

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### STOP CATARRH! OPEN NOSTRILS AND HEAD

Says Cream Applied in Nostrils  
Relieves Head-Colds at Once.

If your nostrils are clogged and your head is stuffed and you can't breathe freely because of a cold or catarrh, just get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm at any drug store. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream into your nostrils and let it penetrate through every air passage of your head, soothing and healing the inflamed, swollen mucous membrane and you get instant relief.

Ah! how good it feels. Your nostrils are open, your head is clear, no more hawking, snuffing, blowing; no more headache, dryness or straggling for breath. Ely's Cream-Balm is just what sufferers from head colds and catarrh need. It's a delight.

### ALLIANCE AND BOX BUTTE TO BE REPRESENTED

Annual Convention of State Irrigation Association to Be Held at Bridgeport December 6-8

Alliance and Box Butte county will be represented at the seventh annual convention of the Nebraska State Irrigation Association to be held at Bridgeport December 6, 7 and 8. The board of commissioners are entitled to appoint five delegates, the county

agricultural society is entitled to two, the mayor may appoint one, one delegate may be sent to represent each power company, and delegates for each irrigation district or company may be sent. In addition to this, members and members-elect to the state house and senate are permanent members.

Other permanent members are the governor, state engineer and assistants, United States senators from Nebraska, all elective state officers, all elective county and city officers in irrigated territory, officers of the State Conservation Commission and all officers in charge of experimental stations in Nebraska.

The executive committee of the association has outlined the program and made plans for the convention. This is a "legislative year" and many amendments to the irrigation laws are to be proposed. Good talent is being secured and a helpful program has been arranged.

#### Secure Your Child

If your child is pale, dull, at times flushed, irritable and fretful you should attend to this condition at once as the chances are your little one is suffering from worms. Kickapoo Worm Killer is what you should get. This well known remedy in lozenge form is pleasant to take and expels the worms at once, the cause of all your child's suffering. Only 25c, at all druggists.

The so-called guaranty legend on packages of foods and drugs does not mean that the United States government has passed on the quality of the product.

### OLD-TIME COLD CURE— DRINK HOT TEA!

Get a small package of Hamburg Breast Tea, or as the German folks call it, "Hamburget Brust Thee," at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teacup full at any time during the day or before retiring. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores of the skin, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus breaking up a cold.

Try it the next time you suffer from a cold or the grip. It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore safe and harmless.

### RUB RHEUMATISM FROM STIFF, ACHING JOINTS

Rub Soreness from joints and muscles with a small trial bottle of old St. Jacobs Oil

Stop "dosing" Rheumatism.

It's pain only; not one case in fifty requires internal treatment. Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil" right on the "tender spot," and by the time you say Jack Robinson—out comes the rheumatic pain. "St. Jacobs Oil" is a harmless, painless cure which never disappoints and doesn't burn the skin. It takes pain, soreness and stiffness from aching joints, muscles and bones; stops neuralgia, lumbago, backache, neuralgia.

Linger up! Get a 25-cent bottle of old-time, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" from any drug store, and in a moment you'll be free from pains, aches and stiffness. Don't suffer! Rub rheumatism away.

Concentrated cider, which keeps better and is much less bulky than the ordinary product, can be made by freezing and centrifugalizing, which eliminate water and leave behind sugar and flavin.

We will furnish the money to build homes in Alliance. We inspect the property ourselves and furnish money quickly at a low rate of interest. Nebraska Land Company, Alliance, Nebr.

#### When You Have a Cold

Give it attention, avoid exposure, be regular and careful of your diet, also commence taking Dr. King's New Discovery. It contains Pine-Tar, Antiseptic Oils and Balsams. Is slightly laxative. Dr. King's New Discovery eases your cough, soothes your throat and bronchial tubes, checks your cold, starts to clear your head. In a short time you know your cold is better. It's the standard family cough syrup in use over 40 years. Get a bottle at once. Keep it in the house as a cold insurance. Sold at your druggist.

## PROSPERITY ABOUNDS IN NEBRASKA AGAIN THIS YEAR

Box Butte, Sheridan and Other Western Nebraska Counties Come in for Good Share of the General Prosperity—Crop Values Total \$233,335,604

There is every reason why business in Nebraska is going to be exceptionally strong this year. There should be a great market in this state for every luxury known to mankind—automobiles, pianos, phonographs, new farm equipment, new homes, barns, stock buildings, miles of new fence, etc. The reason for all this is that five crops alone—wheat, corn, rye, barley and oats—are estimated by the State Board of Agriculture to be worth a grand total of \$231,085,604.

As yet no estimate on the potato crop has been received but an estimate was secured from County Agent Seidell, who states that on a rough estimate he would place the potato crop of the state at 3,000 cars. At average car is loaded with about 600 bushels, making a total of 1,800,000 bushels. Taking the whole state into consideration and averaging the price received from the start to the finish of the season Mr. Seidell believes the average price should be about \$1.25 per acre, which would make the total value of this crop amount to \$2,250,000.

Valuation of Potato Crop  
Adding the valuation of the potato crop to the other five crops mentioned, the farmers of Nebraska have in the neighborhood of two hundred thirty-three million, three hundred thirty-five thousand, six hundred four dollars (\$233,335,604) to spend for needed purposes, luxuries, etc. If but a half of this sum were to be spent it would amount to one hundred sixteen million, six hundred sixty-seven thousand, eight hundred two dollars (\$116,667,802).

Thus it will be seen that under a democratic administration the sun has continued to shine, the crops have continued to grow, farmers have received excellent prices, and money has continued to be plentiful.

#### Box Butte's Good Crops

Box Butte county raised 113,729 of the 68,773,581 bushels of wheat raised in 1915. 267,672 of the total of 190,070,449 bushels of corn raised in the state in 1915. Estimating the valuation of the wheat raised at \$1.20 a bushel, Box Butte county farmers raised \$136,475 worth of this product. With corn estimated at 60 cents a bushel Box Butte county raised corn worth \$160,603. These are the figures given out in bulletins recently issued by the state board of agriculture and compiled by Secretary W. R. Mellor.

Of the total wheat raised in Box

Butte county this year the state department of agriculture estimates that 25,133 bushels were winter wheat and 88,596 spring wheat. There were a total of 11,153 acres planted to corn, the average being 24 bushels to the acre.

Sheridan Has Money  
Sheridan county raised a total of 169,691 bushels of wheat worth \$203,629. Of the total bushels raised 57,797 bushels were winter wheat and 111,894 spring wheat. Sheridan also raised 853,254 bushels of corn worth \$511,952. The average yield per acre was 27 bushels.

#### HUMPER WHEAT CROP

With the total wheat yield in Nebraska for the present year placed at 68,773,581 the total value, figured at \$1.20 a bushel amounts to \$82,528,297. The total wheat yield is divided into 65,365,691 bushels of winter wheat and 3,407,890 bushels of spring wheat. A total of 190,070,449 bushels of corn were raised, worth \$114,042,269. A total of 6,740,803 acres were planted to corn.

#### Corn Still Grows

Approximately 250,000 less acres of corn produced thirty-eight million bushels less corn in Nebraska than in 1915 according to the statistics. The yield per acre this year was 28.8 as against 32.6 last year. The valuation of the total corn crop is about the same, as the Board's figures on the new crop values are placed at sixty cents per bushel.

#### Rye Shows Good Increase

Nebraska's rye crop for 1915 was gathered from 148,702 acres and the average yield for the state was 21.4 bushels per acre, giving a total of 3,191,063 bushels valued at 90 cents per bushel, a total valuation of \$2,871,957.

In 1915, 211,790 acres were cropped in rye, the average yield being 16.3 bushels, total yield 3,472,440 bushels, valued at \$2,604,350.

Ninety-nine thousand six hundred and fifty acres of barley were grown in Nebraska in 1915 as against 93,408 in 1914. The total yield this year was 33.5 as against 32.1 last year. The total crop amounted to 3,344,222 bushels worth \$2,006,533 as against a crop in 1914 of 3,022,011 bushels valued at \$1,200,804.

#### Oat Crop Breaks Record

The Nebraska 1915 oats crop smashed all previous records, in value, yield per acre and total number of bushels in the history of the state, according to the State Board of Agriculture bulletin.

Farmers raised 10,000,000 bushels more than in 1915, the yield was four bushels more to the acre and the value was \$9,000,000 more than a year ago. The acreage was substantially the same as a year ago. The yield in Nebraska this year was 83,791,558 bushels. At 35 cents a bushel, this is worth \$29,636,548. The average yield per acre in the state was 38.6 bushels, compared with 34.7 last year.

Do You Have Sour Stomach?  
If you are troubled with sour stomach your food eat slowly and masticate your food thoroughly, then take one of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper. Obtainable everywhere.

In 1904, out of the total road and bridge expenditures, \$20,000,000 of the \$80,000,000 was paid in labor—that is, worked out on the roads.

Calling cards for the ladies are printed promptly and neatly at The Herald office. The prices are reasonable. Phone 340 for samples and prices, or call at the office.

Clean skimmed milk is a valuable food, but it should be sold as skimmed.

If you are paying high interest rates in the Building & Loan call on the Nebraska Land Company and get the money at reduced interest rates.



The tablet form of this old reliable remedy makes it possible for you to check any illness at the very onset. It is a safeguard against coughs, colds and other catarrhal conditions, no matter what symptoms are manifest. Catarrh is an inflammation of the mucous membrane that lines the breathing apparatus and the digestive apparatus. PERUNA relieves catarrh. In tablet form it is

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Its prompt action makes it invaluable for men and women exposed to sudden changes in the weather or compelled to be out in sleet and rain.

It will also be found most satisfactory as a tonic following an attack of illness.

#### CARRY A BOX

wherever you go. Travelers and others compelled to take long drives in the cold and anyone whose occupation subjects him to the danger of sudden colds may use it as a preventive with the assurance that the tablets made are from the same formula as the liquid medicine with its 41 years of success before the American Public.

The Peruna Company, Columbus, Ohio

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## Receipts for Years Ending December 31, 1915-1914

	1915	1914	Increase	PER CENT INCREASE
Cattle	1,218,342	938,817	279,525	29.8
Hogs	2,642,973	2,258,620	384,353	17.0
Sheep	3,268,279	3,113,889	154,390	4.9
Horses & Mules	41,679	30,688	10,991	35.8
Carloads	101,786	83,139	18,647	22.4

### Why The Increase?

Because it is a Clean Market for Clean Live Stock.

It is the most modern Live Stock Market in the world, over \$1,600,000.00 having been expended during the past six years for improvements and betterments, insuring shippers the very best and most efficient facilities for the prompt handling and marketing of stock.

The South Omaha Stock-Yards are open for inspection, as well as for the handling of your live stock.

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