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THE BEET SUGAR INDUSTRY.

At the meeting of the directors of the Lincoln board of trade, at which it was decided to hold a beet sugar

Island spoke as follows on the prospects of the industry in Nebraska: "This industry has become an established reality in this state and is no longer a legitimate subject for conjecture.

The commercial importance that it will be to the people of this state to manufacture the sugar that is used by them cannot be estimated.

According to the last census report the annual per capita consumption of the United States was fifty-five pounds.

"For Douglas county, which has the largest population of any county in the state, it would amount to over \$400,000 annually, or money enough to establish eight national banks with \$50,000 capital each.

"For Lancaster county it would amount to nearly \$200,000, or enough to capitalize four national banks of \$50,000 each.

"The growth of the beet sugar industry has been very rapid during the last thirty years, when it was first thoroughly taken in hand.

"As Germany, France and Austria are the largest producers of sugar from beets we will give the average cost per acre of raising beets in France in the following detailed figures furnished by M. E. DuFay, of Chevry, Cossigny, France:

Table with 2 columns: Item and Cost. Includes entries like 'Fertilizers-commercial', 'Sowing of seed', 'Harvesting and rolling after plowing'.

"To the figures stated are still to be added the rent of the land and taxes \$2.40, making a total of \$80.01.

and children who do not exceed much less than for in this country for fertilizers is we shall need on our years to come. The per acre obtained by twenty-five tons, showing the value of extensive farming. It will be noticed that the cost of fertilizers applied to the ground together with rent and taxes amount to \$50.025 per acre.

"We are of the opinion that if an equal amount of money is expended in the state of Nebraska for labor, ground rent and taxes that is expended in France for fertilizers, rent and taxes, that the result will be an equal average tonnage per acre; and when we again compare the percentage produced in Nebraska which has maintained an average of about 16 per cent with those of France and Germany, we have still a greater advantage in this respect.

Table comparing Germany and France. Columns: Country, Per cent, 1889-90, 1890-91, 1891-92, 1892-93, 1893-94.

"It is evident that the cost of growing beets in Nebraska is less than in either France or Germany, where fertilizers are annually required.

"Several farmers at Grand Island have grown from fifteen to twenty-one tons of beets per acre this year at an average cost of about \$30 per acre, the contract price of which was \$4 per ton.

"This crop is one that will not admit of neglect in cultivation, but it is one that if properly cultivated will return a larger per cent of profit for the labor bestowed than any other crop.

"As the price of a commodity cheapens, in proportion as the consumption is increased, and as it is estimated that it would require 700 additional factories in the United States, with a capital equal to the two already built in Nebraska to supply the consumption of our people, it naturally follows that this number must be very largely increased to meet the demand caused by the reduction in the price of the sugar.

"The question now arises, cannot Nebraska become the leading sugar producing state in the union? Are not its people warranted in making a united effort in that direction? To the end that all possible information and knowledge regarding this great industry may be thoroughly disseminated among all the people in the state and that capitalists may be informed as to the great natural advantages that are to be found here, and that the intention of the one to produce the raw material shall induce the other to locate factories in this state."

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