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Traveling Exhibits

Landscape of the Range



Cowboys driving cattle in a snowstorm, ca. 1908. Charles J. Belden Collections, American Heritage Center.

The natural wonders of Wyoming offer beautiful scenic vistas of rolling plains and dark forests surrounded by tall mountains, an idyllic display of nature that yearly draws thousands of tourists to visit and enjoy. However, for the rancher this beauty can suddenly and swiftly become a trial of survival for people and animals alike.

This photographic exhibit presents the landscape of the range from the perspective of the Wyoming rancher, whose very livelihood is irrevocably bound to the volatile nature of the Great Plains.

Often beautiful, sometimes deadly, but always unavoidable the landscape of the range is a force to be reckoned with by those who live and work here.

Size: 19 framed items (22" x 26" ea., 1 crate).

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