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Live Stock Notes Carefully Collected From Every Source.

The London market for American live cattle is flat, at 11 cents for best, estimated dressed weight.

The great Killerby herd of Shorthorns, belonging to the late J. B. Booth, Yorkshire, England, was sold recently, fifty-eight animals bringing an average of \$464.12.

A writer in the last number of the *Mark Lane Express* argues that at present prices wheat is a cheaper cattle food than linseed cake, of which English farmers use such quantities.

A good fortune awaits the man who will devise some practicable plan for marking horses raised on the western ranges, so they will not need to be disfigured by the branding iron.

The live stock commissioners of Ohio have ordered that all cattle sent from the state to the Chicago Fat Stock show must be placed in quarantine for ninety days at the expense of the owners before they can be returned.

Owing to the low price of beef in the Chicago market the Conrad Price beef herd will not be shipped this season. They were turned out on the ranch a few days ago and the men employed are now out on the fall round-up.—*Benton Press*.

The St. Paul stock yards scheme is having another boom by the formation of a company with a capital of \$1,500,000 for the purpose of erecting immense feed stables, slaughtering and packing houses to utilize as much as possible of the range product of the northwest.

The *National Stockman* puts the matter tersely when it says: Some of the papers are now discussing the question of whether pleuro-pneumonia can develop spontaneously. Whether it can or not, those in charge of the distillery cattle at Chicago need to remember that it will not disappear spontaneously.

The Carey outfit is now engaged in erecting sheds at Gibbon, Nebraska, where it is proposed to feed 1,000 head of steers the coming winter. The steers are now being gathered and will be shipped at an early date. This work is being done under the direction of the veteran P. E. Fredericks.—*Cheyenne Journal*.

Mr. John Harris returned this week from a visit to San Angelo. While here he bought the L. B. Harris pasture, something over 20,000 acres of fine grazing land on the North Concho, fencing and other improvements, for \$63,000 cash. He also sold to L. B. Harris 1,000 head of stock cattle for \$18 per head.—*San Angelo (Tex.) Standard*.

Colorado has more imported fine Gallo-way cattle than any other state in the Union. The hills will yet be black with the mammoth muleys. Here in Denver should be the headquarters for the Gallo-way Breeders' association of America. Colorado has the president of the association already and should have the secretary and the records here located.—*Field and Farm*.

Briggs & Ellis loaded ten cars of cattle at Big Timber a few days ago which competent judges pronounce about the finest lot of cattle that have gone out of Montana this season. One of the cars was a foreign box with a defective door. After

the train had got under way the cattle in this car got the door open, and five of them jumped out and made beef of themselves.—*Billings Gazette*.

Some of the Chicago papers complain that western papers and cattlemen are becoming unusually severe upon the stock yards commission men, packing house people, railroad pools, etc. This may possibly be the case, for there are a great many men out this way who are becoming strongly convinced that it is about time to kick. Some times a good healthy kick is a good thing.—*Cheyenne Journal*.

A Chicago exchange notes that there was a strike Monday of the hands employed in the great beef slaughtering establishments of Swift & Co. and Nelson Morris. The trouble was over the adoption of the ten-hour system, the men refusing to work the additional two hours without a corresponding advance in wages. About 5,000 men quit work, and the cattle trade is demoralized at present.

Several cases of hydrophobia have recently occurred among camels in Algeria. As the animals had never been bitten the origin of the disease was unaccountable, until it was ascertained that a mad-horse had gained admittance to the pasture; and the explanation given by those who studied the case is that his saliva had fallen on the grass and the camels had become infected through abrasions in the mouth.

Mr. John Harris, manager of the Seven Rivers Cattle company, leaves this week for the company's ranch at Seven Rivers, N. M., to attend the cutting out of some beef cattle, of which his company will ship about 1,000 head this season. Mr. Harris says they have branded over 4,000 calves this year, fully a third more than last year. This is a better record than any firm in that district can show for this year.—*Texas Ex.*

H. M. Taylor, agent of the U. S. bureau of animal industry, also manager of the N-N outfit, made us a pleasant call last week, and he authorized us to state that the report of a heavy loss sustained by the Home Land and Cattle company (N-N) last summer in a drove of about 10,000 head of stock from Oregon to the northwest, was a base fabrication, as the loss was less than two per cent.—*Montana Live Stock Journal*.

Governor Ross, of New Mexico, in his annual report to the secretary of the interior, makes the remark, in connection with the prospective growth of the agricultural interests and population of the territory, which must of course be accompanied by a corresponding abridgement of range interests, that "people are worth more to the territory than steers." The people out that way will have to "put him out."—*Breeders' Gazette*.

E. R. Stark has in the last few days sold his handsome cattle ranch near O. Z. Colorado and about 400 cows to Dr. Griffin, of London, England. The Doctor is setting his son, Frank, up in business and it is understood that the purchases are made for him. Mr. Stark is removing his family to Colorado Springs as their future place of residence, but he will remain and continue to run cattle on the range between Elbert and Hugo.—*Ez.*

Jerome F. Wares, of Peacock Bros. & Co., Colorado City, Texas, returns to the southwest for a time. Wares thinks that if ever there was a time when range cat-

tlemen should support their associations and hang together unitedly it is now. The exorbitant rates which the railroads charge for hauling live stock and meats is one of the most important wrongs which the stockmen through their associations should set about righting.—*Drovers' Journal*.

If, says a London paper, the present tendency should continue to increase year by year our England's importation of butcher meat ready for cooking, and to decrease the quantity grown at home, the grazier's future will be as cheerless as that of the cotton-spinner and the iron-master. There will be nothing left for him but meekly and submissively to take his place among the victims of our great economic policy of producing nothing at home that we can purchase abroad.

The Stoddard & Howard Live Stock company, within the past week, have completed their contract of furnishing 1,500,000 pounds of beef to the Crow Indians at their agency, the last lot put in being 886,000 pounds. This company also shipped last Monday from Custer station, on the Northern Pacific, 700 head of choice steers to the Chicago market, making a total of 10,000 head of cattle marketed by the Stoddard & Howard outfit during the present season.—*Buffalo (Wyo.) Sentinel*.

"We need more Texas stock in the country," remarked a railroader. "Why?" asked a stockman. "Do you think our natives are graded too high and need grading down a little to make them tougher for range usage?" "Well, no, not exactly, though they are a trifle too high bred and tender. You see our natives are sluggish and don't mind the whistle and get off the track lively enough and we can't help killing lots of them. One toot of the whistle makes Texas stock curl up their tails and light out of sight over the hills like they never meant to let up running."

Snow fell to a considerable depth in some parts of the county this week. On the Wolf creek divide on the stage line it measured over two feet, thus delaying the coaches from three to ten hours. Several cowboys who were out on the round-up in the vicinity of Buffalo creek were lost in the storm early Tuesday evening, and were obliged to camp under the sage brush without either grub, blankets or fire until the following day. Altogether the storm was the most severe one experienced in this section at this season of the year, and is the cause of considerable delay in completing fall range work.—*Buffalo (Wyo.) Sentinel*.

The settlement and agricultural development of the Panhandle is inevitable, and cannot much longer be delayed. Cattlemen themselves are beginning to come over to the opinion that the increased valuation which settlement will give to their lands will insure as great a profit to them in their sale as cattle raising does, without any of its contingencies and uncertainties. Three years will make Panhandle history, and ten years will dot this whole section with towns and cities, schools and churches, farms and factories, and all the features of a most advanced grade of industry, intelligence and civilization. So mote it be!—*Tasosa Pioneer*.

The high altitudes are by far the best locations for horse ranches. The rarified air tends to expand the lungs of horses grown in these localities, which make

them capable of great endurance. In this respect any portion of Montana is superior to the states; but there are advantages other than these that are decidedly in favor of the mountain region of Montana over the plains portion. Grass is better, less grazed, snows blows off better in winter, stock are less disturbed and the range is not so liable to be eaten out. It will be many years after our valleys and bench lands are all fenced before these highlands are grazed out. The man who is located high upon the mountains is assured of a permanent business.—*Rocky Mountain Husbandman*.

Telegraphic news from Winnipeg states that the council of the Northwest territory have refused to accede to the petition presented to them praying that the cattle of the Home Land and Cattle company should be permitted to cross the line free of duty. Major Logan, who is largely interested in this firm, is now in the northwestern country endeavoring to obtain a reconsideration of this conclusion of the council. The protective measures placing a tax of three dollars per head on all cattle admitted to the British possessions is a matter of great importance to the stock growers of Montana. A postponement of this duty has been anticipated, but the above advices from Winnipeg would indicate that any expectations in that direction are not to be realized.

EMPORIA, Kan., Nov. 5.—The Emporia *Republican* of tomorrow will contain an interview with United States Senator Plumb, in which that gentleman, referring to the publication of recent dispatches to the effect that New York and Colorado syndicates had been formed for the purpose of purchasing from the Cherokee Indians the tract of land embracing about 6,000,000 acres on the north line of Indian Territory, known as the Cherokee Strip, says the Cherokees have not the original right to make such sale. He states that the government has an option to purchase which it will not waive to permit purchases by private parties, and that no sale will be permitted by congress except to the government, and that for the only and sole purpose of resale to actual settlers in 160-acre tracts.

Rumor has it that capital from the states is to purchase the two abattoirs at Montreal, Canada, and that it will add to them a large meat packing establishment. It is said that a capitalist from one of the western states quietly purchased a controlling interest in the abattoirs and that he had associated some Chicago capitalists in the enterprise. Application will at once be made to the city council of Montreal for a grant of new privileges, and the work will be pushed vigorously. Yankee enterprise seems bound to conquer the business and commerce of the continent, whether or not annexation ever take place. It is crowding into Mexico in the southwest, and Canada in the northeast, while our railways will soon tap the lines of the British possessions in the northwest.—*St. Paul Farmer*.

G. L. BROOKS, Manager, Socorro, N. M., will contract and deliver to any point in Arizona, the cattle in large or small bunches, bulls in carload lots, old Mexico brood mares, sheep and Angora goats. References, First National Bank of Las Vegas, Albuquerque, Socorro, and El Paso, Socorro County Bank, and Banking House of Brown, Mansanares & Co., Socorro, N. M.

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Rounds-Ups—Brands—Agents' Authorities—Marking of Calves—Strays—Proof of Ownership, etc.

(Concluded.)
ROUND-UPS.

Every person having or possessing, taking care of or managing cattle, whether he be the owner, agent or manager of any herd of, cattle or stock of whatever number there may be, he shall be subject to make round-ups of said herd at his own ranch or grazing place on being ordered by the justice of the peace of his own precinct, as hereinafter provided, in order to enable every person interested in taking care of or raising cattle to record said herd or herds, and to separate any cattle that may be legally claimed if the same belongs to said person or persons. Should there be any co-operating in said rounding of said herd which is to be thus rounded-up, together with the owner or owners or herders in charge thereof, all and every one of the persons presenting themselves asking the recording of said herd thus gathered to permit any interested party the necessary time to record and separate as many of the above described animals as he may legally prove, as hereafter provided, belonging to each person.

For the purposes and intents of the present act the county commissioners in the several counties of this territory are authorized and empowered to divide their respective counties in as many round-up districts as the number of precincts comprised in the counties may permit, not to exceed three precincts to every round-up district, taking in consideration the situation, distance, and all other circumstances that may lead them to apportion said district to the best advantage and convenience possible of its inhabitants, and within which district all justices of the peace in the respective precincts shall constitute, when assembled, a board of inspectors for rounding purposes in said district, and thus assembled shall determine and fix, through public notices, posting the same in conspicuous places in their precincts, fixing the day in which round-ups will take place in any of the neighboring ranches, according to the location thereof, so as to enable every owner of herds to attend said round-ups at their proper time, and as the general interests of interested parties within the district may require, in proportion to the neighborhood. Said public notices shall be posted up by the board of inspectors at least one month before each rounding takes place. The time to have said two annual round-ups shall be in the months of June and September of each year. Said justices of the peace thus constituting the board of inspectors of the round-ups shall act in their official capacity under the same official oath and qualification of justice of the peace in and for his precinct and the county which elected them, as now provided by law.

BRANDS.

Any person presenting himself with a view of taking animals from any round-ups, before separating any of said animals, shall show to the owner thereof, or herder in charge of said herd, the letter of his brand, marks and signs under which he claims to separate said animals, should

there be any of those described in said herd, and any person failing to show said marks, as materially represented, whether made by a blacksmith, or certificate to that effect signed by a recording officer stating that said marks have been recorded and are recognized as the marks of such person for the purpose of branding his animals, together with the signs under which he claims.

AGENT'S AUTHORITY.

Whenever any person may claim in such round-ups for another as his agent he shall show a power of attorney authorizing him as such, showing the mark or brand, as required in the foregoing section, so that he may legally separate and drive cattle, or any other animals herein described from said round-ups. Any person or persons who should voluntarily permit the taking off of animals from his herd without having had proof as to the rights thereof, or any person separating or driving maliciously, or under pretext that he could not separate the animals, shall be fined before any justice of the peace in a sum of not less than twenty-five dollars, and shall furthermore be responsible for damages to the injured party.

MARKING OF CALVES.

Whenever there shall be found in any of said round-ups animals or cattle whose owner shall not appear, it shall be the duty of the owner of said herd, should the same be cows with calves, whose calves are not branded or marked, to mark said calves, marking the same in the ears or head, the same marks in the ears or head which are found in the cow, or mother. It shall also be the duty of the owner or owners, agent or herder in charge of said herd or herds, after the second round-up is over, to make a written report before the corresponding justice of the peace within his district, stating the color of the animals and their marks or signs, which are found in said herd without having been claimed. The justice of the peace, before whom said report is made, shall have a book provided for the purpose of recording the color and marks of said animals, the date and the name of the person reporting them, which book shall be furnished by the county under the direction of the board of county commissioners of his respective county, and in which book the said justice of the peace shall write the heading, "Animals without owners." Said justice of the peace shall authorize the person reporting said animal or animals to keep the same under his care for the term of one year, or until the owner may appear, and the person in charge of said animal or animals shall be entitled to receive a recompense of fifty cents per head (not including young calves) each month from the date of the recording, payable out of the proceeds of the sale of the same, which have been taken care of for one year or by the owner, if he should appear before the end of the year, which person in charge of said animals shall be held liable for said animal or animals until the disposition of the same is made by said justice of the peace, and in case the said person in charge of said animals, as aforesaid, should claim that the same, or a portion thereof have died, or strayed, or been stolen, he shall prove the same to the full satisfaction of said justice, who, on being convinced of the truth of the report, shall discharge such person of the

responsibility, but he shall not be entitled to pay for such animals.

PROOF OF OWNERSHIP.

Any person having strayed animals can go before any justice of the peace in order to examine his record, and if he proves to the satisfaction of said justice of the peace that animals, such as those described in such record belonging to him, after each owner of animals paying fifty cents to the justice of the peace, then the said justice shall order the person in charge thereof to deliver said animal or animals, describing properly the colors and marks to the person having before him proved his right thereto, on such person paying the fees for the keeping of the animals as provided in the foregoing section.

STRAYS.

Whenever any of the above described animals have remained under the charge of any person by the authority of any justice of the peace for the term of one year without any person claiming them, the said justice of the peace, after being informed by the person or persons in charge of said animals, that the same exist, then and in such case he shall, through public notices, fix the day in which said animal or animals are to be sold at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, by the constable of his precinct, the expenses of herding to be paid from the proceeds of such sale as above stated, fifty cents to the justice of the peace for each record and twenty-five cents for the order to sell the same and the recording of his file, and one dollar to the constable effecting such sale; the surplus of such sale shall be paid into the school fund by said constable for the use of the same upon a certified list of said justice of the peace.

JUSTICES' FEES.

There shall be allowed to each justice of the peace for his services as required in section 110, the sum of three dollars for each one of said meetings or consultations held for the purpose of making round-ups and the publication of the notices relative to the time and mode in which said round-ups are to be conducted, and also to give certificates of sale in favor of any person who may buy animals as hereinafter determined to be sold at public auction by his constable, which shall be paid from the funds of his respective county, and the commissioners of said county are hereby authorized, and it is made their duty to issue their warrants in favor of said justice of the peace so entitled respectively as herein provided.

PENALTY.

Any person or person who on being required by the justice of the peace of his precinct, and being a district as heretofore provided, and having or being the owner, agent, herder or overseer of any number of ten or more cattle should fail to co-operate in the round-ups and gathering of herds in his vicinity, in the manner and time as determined by the board of inspectors of said district, as provided in section 110, upon conviction thereof before said justice of the peace, shall be fined in any sum not less than ten dollars, and shall be subject for damages to the party or parties injured.

Whenever two or more persons having their herds so close the one to the other that it may result in a mixture thereof,

and any owner or owners being compelled to gather the same in order to separate cattle, outside of the time of general round-ups, as hereinbefore provided, it shall be lawful for such persons being thus obliged to notify and request of his neighbors that he is compelled to do so because of his necessity, and that he desires that such herd be gathered up, giving his reasons to ask such partial round-ups, and said owners or herders in charge of said herds, shall co-operate in said round-up in order to enable said neighbor to separate herds or cattle without suffering any further damages. The person or persons, owners of herds as above said, refusing to comply with the request, shall be liable to damages to the party injured thereby, and to pay a fine before any justice of the peace of not less than five dollars, or as the amount of damages originated may be.

BULLS.

Whenever dangerous bulls of bad breed are found in any herd and remain there doing damage to the owner of said herd for the term of fifteen days, driving off or horning his own bulls, it shall be lawful for the owner or person in charge of said herd to geld any such dangerous bull or bulls, vicious, or of low grade, in order to avoid the damage which may follow to the owner of said herd: *Provided*, that if the owner of said bull or bulls above mentioned is known, and it is within the power of the owner or herder of said herd, he shall notify the owner of said bull or bulls to take out or separate the same in order to avoid such damage.

DISEASED CATTLE.

It shall be unlawful for any person or corporations to drive or transport, or cause or procure to be driven or transported into the territory of New Mexico, any cattle which are, or within twelve months prior to their introduction into this territory, have been affected with or exposed to any contagious or infectious disease; or which within such period have been driven or transported from or through any district of country where such disease was known to exist at the time of such driving or transporting, or without the certificate of the inspector of cattle as hereinafter provided being first obtained.

INSPECTORS' DUTIES.

The governor shall appoint at such convenient points as he may deem proper within the territory and as near as possible to the frontier, inspectors of cattle, whose duty it shall be to inspect all cattle destined for introduction into the territory, and to ascertain whether any of such cattle are, or have been affected with, or exposed to any contagious or infectious disease, or have been driven or transported from or through any district of country where such disease was known to exist as mentioned in section 120, and for this purpose he may require affidavits of the persons in charge of such cattle, at to all the facts connected with their driving or transporting.

If upon such inspection and investigation, such inspector shall be satisfied that such cattle are free from contagious or infectious disease, and are otherwise proper to be admitted under the provisions of section 120, he shall give to the person in charge of such cattle a certificate to this effect, and if not so satisfied he shall refuse to give such certificate.

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TERM.

The said inspectors shall hold their offices during the pleasure of the governor and shall be entitled to receive one dollar per head for all high-grade or thoroughbred cattle inspected, and twenty cents per head for all other cattle inspected, not exceeding one thousand head at one time, and for any excess above one thousand in the same herd or lot, ten cents per head, and ten cents per mile for the distance necessarily traveled in going from their usual place of abode to the place of inspection; such fees and mileage to be paid by the owner of the cattle before the delivery of the certificate of inspection, and in case a certificate is not given they may be recovered by the inspector from the owner in a civil action.

OATHS.

For the purpose of taking the affidavits mentioned in section 121, the inspector shall have power to administer oaths, and any person who shall swear falsely in such affidavit shall be deemed guilty of perjury.

SHIPPERS.

The provisions of this act shall apply to shippers and carriers as well as owners of cattle, and the certificate of the inspector shall not relieve them from liability, either criminal or civil, for the introduction of cattle contrary to the provisions of section 120.

The inspector may appoint a deputy, who may act in his absence.

NOTIFICATION.

Every person having in charge cattle destined for introduction into this territory, whether as owner or carrier, or as agent of either, shall, at least ten days beforehand, notify the inspector nearest the proposed point of entrance to the territory of the time and place, when and where such cattle will be ready for inspection, which place shall be beyond the boundary line of the territory, and he shall hold the cattle at the place so designated until inspected.

FALSE CERTIFICATES.

Any inspector who shall knowingly give a false certificate, or shall without good cause under this act, refuse to give a certificate of inspection, or shall willfully delay in making inspection when notified, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be liable to the injured party for damages arising from such refusal or delay.

INSPECTORS' BOND.

The inspectors appointed under the provisions of this act entitled "An act to prevent the introduction of diseased cattle into the territory of New Mexico," shall and hereby are required to give a bond to the territory, to be approved by the governor, in the penal sum of five thousand dollars, for the faithful discharge of the duties pertaining to such office: *Provided*, any person damaged by any improper or malicious action of any one of said inspectors may bring an action therefore in the name of the territory against said inspector, and his sureties on his official bond, and shall recover thereon the amount of such damage not exceeding the penalty of said bond.

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PENALTY.

Any person or corporation who shall violate the provisions of section 120, shall be punished by a fine of five thousand dollars for each offense, to be imposed by the court on conviction upon indictment or information, or to be recovered as a penalty by the territory in a civil action; and shall also be liable for all damages resulting therefrom. Each lot or herd of cattle unlawfully brought into the territory shall constitute a separate offence.

SUSPENDED.

The governor of the territory of New Mexico is hereby authorized, whenever in his judgment the circumstances and public interest warrant and require him to do so, from time to time, to suspend by proclamation, the operation of an act entitled "An act to prevent the introduction of diseased cattle in the territory of New Mexico," approved March 19, 1884, or by proclamation to put the same in force at any time when suspended that he may believe the circumstances or public interest require said act to be in force. Said act is hereby suspended in its operation and effect from this date until the same may by the governor be placed in operation and effect by his proclamation to that end.

INDIAN STOCK.

It shall not be lawful for any Indian, belonging to any savage tribe, to permit any mule or horse, under his control or in his possession, to be loose or grazing, from the first day of April to the first day of December, within one league of any cultivated field or ranch, in the possession of any civilized inhabitant of this territory.

Whenever any mule or horse, the property of, or in the possession of any Indian, as aforesaid, shall be found loose, in violation of the above section, it shall be lawful to seize and take such mule or horse, by any force that shall be sufficient, and immediately convey such mule or horse to the nearest justice of the peace within the territory.

DAMAGES.

Upon such animals being taken before the justice of the peace, proof shall be made of the finding of the same, and thereupon the justice of the peace shall summon three disinterested residents of the precinct, who shall then be duly sworn by the justice to truly assess any damages which the said mule or horse had done to any cultivated field or ranch, while loose, contrary to the provisions of this act.

JUDGMENT.

Upon the report of the appraisers so sworn, the justice shall render his judgment for the amount assessed in favor of him who received the damage by reason of said mule or horse being loose; as also, in all cases, the sum of two dollars, to be paid to the person taking up such animal, and carrying the same to the justice. The justice shall also give judgment for all reasonable costs and charges properly attending the prosecution of the cause.

RESTORATION.

If, within ten days of the rendition of the judgment, any Indian of the tribe to whom the horse or mule belongs shall appear before the justice and claim the horse or mule, and shall satisfy the justice that the claim is made in good faith, and shall pay into the office of the justice the full amount of the judgment and costs, the justice shall cause such horse or mule to be delivered into the hands of such Indian.

If the mule or horse shall not be so redeemed within ten days, the justice shall issue his execution to the constable to sell the mule or horse, and the same shall be sold in the same manner as other property by virtue of execution: *Provided*, the said mule or horse may be redeemed, as aforesaid, at any time before sale.

Out of the proceeds of said sale, the full amount of the judgment and costs shall be paid into the office of the justice, and the justice shall, within one month, report the overplus to the county treasurer, and pay the same into the county treasury, and take the treasurer's receipt therefor.

DUTY OF INDIAN AGENTS.

Whenever any horse or mule, the property of any savage Indian, shall be found injuring the property of any citizen of this territory, or any animal, it shall be presented as already indicated in this law; and if there is an Indian agent or sub-agent in the place, it shall be the duty of the person injured to advise the agent or sub-agent of the damage done him by the animal or animals of the Indian or Indians; and if the agent or sub-agent does not have said damage paid, then the justice of the peace, where the complaint is made, shall proceed as provided in this act.

The provisions of this act shall apply only to the several precincts of the Conejos of the county of Taos.

An act approved January 13, 1860, shall be declared as embracing and to be appli-

cable in all its provisions to the several pueblos of Indians who reside within the limits of the organized counties of this territory, for the purpose of preventing equally the damages and injuries that said communities of Indians commit upon our citizens with all classes of animals.

Executive Committee Meeting of the Northern Association.

The executive committee of the Northern New Mexico Stock Growers' association held an executive session at Springer on Monday the 9th inst. There was to have been a special meeting of the whole association on Tuesday the 9th but owing to the fact of many members being busy with range work it was deemed best not to hold the meeting.

Much good and useful work was done by the executive committee and if the work laid out if faithfully performed it will result in much benefit to the cattlemen of the northern counties. The keeping open of the water holes during the freezing weather is an important and necessary item, and if the work is faithfully carried out will save many an animal for its owner. It is the intention of the executive committee to place this work in the hands of the round-up committee.

An assessment of three-fourths of a cent per head on the cattle owned by members of the association was ordered to be made for the purpose of meeting necessary expenses. This makes the total assessment for the year one and three-fourths cents per head, which is a very light tax and reflects much credit upon the officers and executive committee of the association. The assessment of the Wyoming association last year was five cents per head and the secretary's report then showed a deficiency of more than the total expenses of the Northern New Mexico association for any one year.

The Santa Fe railroad company owing to the decrease in the market value of cattle filed a request that the committee reduce the fixed appraisal of stock killed by trains. This was granted and a reduction of \$2 per head from each class on the old scale was made.

The secretary was instructed to have linen posters printed offering a reward of \$250 for the capture and conviction of persons guilty of firing the range. As there is no excuse allowed for carelessness there will be more care taken by fire makers than formerly. This is a move in the right direction and the liberal reward offered will tend to save much valuable feed which through malice or carelessness might otherwise be destroyed. The posters are to be displayed at all postoffices and public places throughout the range country.

Regarding the Chicago Cattlemen's convention no delegates were appointed but the matter was left to the chairman of the executive committee, he to appoint if practicable.

Those present were O. A. Hadley, president of the association, T. H. Lawrence, chairman of the executive committee, P. J. Towner, secretary, J. C. Leary, M. M. Chase, H. G. Howard, J. S. Holland, Chas. Springer and John C. Hill, all members of the executive committee.

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TERRITORIAL STOCK NOTES.

Brief Mention of New Mexico Matters Carefully Collated for the Stock Grower's Readers.

New Mexico steers range in price in the Kansas City market, from \$2.00 to \$2.75 per cwt., more selling at an average of \$2.35 than \$2.75.

Col. A. E. Head, of Deming, will probably purchase 700 head of cattle John Brown is now bringing to the territory from Colorado, Texas.

M. M. Chase received for the thirty-two carloads of steers he marketed last week from the Cimarron pasture, an average of \$18.00 per head net.

Fifteen car loads of Una de Gato steers went to market this week, and were followed on Friday by a train load from the Shorthorn company's herd.

The Kansas City *Telegram* reports that the Prairie Cattle company sold in that market Saturday last, 248 range cows weighing each 836 pounds, at \$1.70 per cwt.

M. M. Chase last week sold a nice lot of Cimarron steers to D. Braymer, of Missouri. The buyer will feed them corn this winter and will make money on the trade.

P. J. Towner is making a good secretary of the Northern New Mexico Cattle association. He attends to his work faithfully, although the position entails much annoyance and trouble.

Major Llewellyn reports that a large number of cattle will be shipped out of New Mexico during this month and December, many of which will go to feeders in Missouri and Iowa.

Charles F. Hunt, who is well and favorably known to the stock owners of Colfax county, has received the certificate of election as sheriff of that county. Mr. Hunt's brothers are well known cattle raisers in Colfax.

The J. C. Lea and El Capitan Cattle companies have a large bunch of steers on the trail from their ranches that are destined for feeding pens in Missouri. Messrs. Garst and Casey, of Lincoln county, will also market small bunches this fall.

Jacob Hoffman, the A. L. C. ranch foreman, met with a serious misfortune a few days ago while riding the range, by his horse stumbling and falling on him, and breaking his thigh. Mr. Hoffman will be retired from active work about two months.

R. G. Head and J. C. Leary on Thursday loaded at Las Vegas a fine lot of the Phoenix company's steers for Mr. Head's Kansas feeding pen. The steers are fine ones and THE STOCK GROWER predicts that when marketed will bring two cents a pound more than they are worth today.

Messrs. Holcomb and Towner, of the Lake Ranch company, of Colfax county, shipped out a nice lot of the company's steers last week to the Kansas City market and "Jeff" Towner is ahead a new hat by reason of the beeves having brought \$2.60, which was more than the other man bet.

The Lyons-Campbell Cattle company report a good percentage of calves branded on the present round-up, and they will probably find a considerable number yet to take the branding iron. They have delivered to the San Vincente Pipe Line company 750 head of beef and stock cattle and expect to increase this number this month.

The general good news of the fine condition of the range everywhere in the southwest come to THE STOCK GROWER by every mail. A representative of this paper called at the home ranch of the Acoma Land and Cattle company this week and found everything in good shape, cattle fat, grass good and prospects could not be better.

A. D. Hudnall, the rustling Hereford breeder of Caddo, Colorado, delivered to Fred Scholle, of Beien, this week, a carload of choice heifers, and to Charles Horn, of Est view, a carload of bulls and one thoroughbred Polled Angus bull. Mr. Hudnall is now negotiating with a leading Socorro

county firm for the sale of a bunch of 100 high grade Hereford bulls.

Monday the 9th inst. will be long remembered by Taylor Maulding as one of the windiest days he ever saw. Uncle Taylor was at Springer on that day, loading the Cimarron steers, and he was surprised that the railroad track did not blow away. Penning steers with a sixty mile gale blowing sand and stones to your teeth is no plum pudding, as Mr. Maulding will tell you.

A Chihuahua exchange says that J. Martain brought in two carloads of blooded stock yesterday over the Mexican Central, from northwest Missouri. Among the lot were Hereford cattle, two Polled Angus bulls, Spanish, Merino and Southdown sheep, and various other choice breeds. One of the Polled Angus bulls, a magnificent looking animal, has been purchased by ex-President Gonzales for \$1,000.

This may look like an old item, but reports from all parts of the range show good grass and a splendid outlook for winter. Remember, stockmen, that what you may lose by low markets this fall, you will more than make up by the decrease in the loss this winter and by a good, big calf crop in the spring. To every owner of cattle in the southwest THE STOCK GROWER says "hold on to them. Stick to the old reliable cow and she will pull you through if she has to have twin calves to do it."

Springer, just at present, is the home of the cowboy, as the shipping season is at its height and that point is still the favorite loading place for marketers. A great change has come over the northern New Mexico cowboy within the past three years. The wild and worthless fellows have pulled out, and the cowboys now on that range are a quiet, gentlemanly set of hard workers. The gun is no longer used as a clincher to an argument and as a consequence general good fellowship prevails.

Captain J. B. Doak, in company with Mr. George Brigman of Panhandle fame, came in last evening from his famous ranch El Carre'as in Mexico en route to Texas. Captain Doak to superintend another heavy shipment of cattle to the above ranch, on which he already has 6,000, and Mr. Brigman to complete sales and make arrangements to return with the captain where he will purchase and go into the cattle business on a large scale. George is another of those pioneer men who go and see for themselves instead of taking other's words for it, thereby getting the cream, hence his easy life "up on comfortable street" now.—Mr. C. E. Wilson, of Com nche, Texas, has just shipped in 400 good stock cattle, to be placed on a ranch near town. This gentleman's father also passed through a few days ago with 350 cattle for his ranch on the Gila.—*Deming Cor. Colorado Record.*

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Getting Ready for the Battle.

Nearly a year ago the *Record* contained an article inspired by ex-Governor Rount on the subject of the range cattlemen taking the question of slaughter and markets into their own hands. It attracted widespread notice at the time, and Chicago jumped on to the proposition with both her big feet. The seed then sown did not remain unfruitful, and, as will be seen by an article from the *Globe-Democrat* in this

issue, the idea is to be substantially carried out. Chicago has been a great market, but Chicago is not the earth. There is no reason why cattle from every point in the range country cannot be as profitably handled from St. Louis as Chicago. The transportation facilities of the latter place are just as good, and it only needs the edict of the cattlemen that "it shall be so" to make St. Louis what Chicago has been to the range country.

It is further proposed to establish refrigerator establishments at various points in the range country, and to be able to revive competition in the open markets, so that the price paid by the consumer and received by the producer shall bear the proper relation to each other. This is all the rangemen ask, this they are entitled to, and this they propose to have.

The meeting of the International Range association will afford the first opportunity for the range cattlemen to fully consider the question, and it is not too early for them to begin to make their arrangements to attend the meeting. The man who has been robbed of hundreds of thousands of dollars this year cannot afford to say that he is too poor to attend a meeting to protect himself against a similar robbery next year. The monopolies that have them by the throat are willing to spend large sums to maintain their hold. The people need not expect relief without a sacrifice of both time and money.—*Colorado Record.*

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The Chicago Market.

No improvement can be noted in the general situation of the cattle market. It is the oft-repeated story—excessive supplies and continued depression. Although the receipts exhibit a falling off from the average of the previous few weeks they have kept ahead of the demand, which, owing to the prostrate condition of the British market, has been almost wholly confined to, meeting the wants of home consumers. There was a reasonably steady range of prices until Monday, when trade was paralyzed by the strike at the dressed beef houses of Swift & Co. and Nelson Morris. There was a decline that day of 15¢@20¢, followed Tuesday by a further weakening in common and medium grades, though the receipts fell off to less than half the usual number. Should the strike

continue the effect upon the market must be demoralizing, as the two concerns involved are the largest in the trade. There are good reasons to hope that the differences between employer and employe will be speedily adjusted, and that before the end of the week the business of slaughtering at those houses will be proceeding as usual. Sales to shippers were at \$3.40@5.25. Sales at better than \$5.00 were exceedingly few; indeed the major part of the trading was done at prices ranging downward from \$4.75.

All descriptions of butchers' stock have been in full supply and have sold at about the meanest prices of the season. Very good cows were to be had at \$2.40@2.50, while \$2.00@2.25 bought good fat bulls. There were scattering sales of extra cows at \$3.25@3.50 and as high as \$2.75 was paid for bulls, while inferior sorts were a drug at \$1.50@1.75. The market for veal calves has remained firm because of the limited supply. Choice light sold as high as \$6.00@6.50 and it was a poor animal indeed for which prices below \$4.50 had to be accepted.

The stocker trade, though displaying a little more animation than the previous two weeks, was very far from being active. Country buyers are still alarmed about pleuro-pneumonia and naturally hesitate to take the risk of spreading the disease. Prices show little change. They range from \$2.00@2.75 for poor to prime lots. Feeders were also in light request, with sales at \$2.75@3.50, according to quality. The supply of range cattle has decreased somewhat. It still is of liberal proportions, however, and prices are as low as they have been at any time this season. Texans sold principally at \$2.15@2.75, and cattle from the western ranges largely at \$2.85@3.25.

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Feeders—Thin to fair fleshy steers, weighing 900 to 1,150 lbs.	2.75@3.40
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The following from the Laramie, Wyo., *Boomerang* ought to be read and considered by stockmen generally throughout the west:

A *Boomerang* reporter yesterday obtained through an interview with Mr. S. H. Kennedy, of the Laramie tannery, some important facts concerning the losses which fall on the cattlemen of the plains by the practice heretofore followed of inflicting heavy branding on stock.

The cattle buyers in Omaha, Kansas City and Chicago markets, when the cattle come on the scales, look closely at the brands on the hides, and estimate their value as branded stock. Such as are branded on the side are estimated at a difference of about \$2 on each animal less than where the mark is on the hip or neck. The value of hide, beef, tallow and offal, the latter including horns, legs, hoofs, etc., is as accurately sized up as the date upon which the purchasers are to make their payments.

One point that is to be impressed on the stock raisers is that it is to their own interests to throw the brand on the hip or neck. Branding on the sides is a needless cruelty to animals, which, if practiced in the states as it is on the plains, would be stopped by virtue of the law.

Mr. Kennedy showed the reporter hides in his tannery branded when the animals were calves, where the hot iron has penetrated through the entire thickness of the skin, leaving an open space or break, showing the result of the burning.

The present movement inaugurated by Mr. Kennedy during the fair last month at Cheyenne, is not altogether directed in the interests of the tanners, but is designed to acquaint the cattle growers with the true condition of affairs and apprise them of the fact that it is they who in the end are the losers.

The Tanners' association has at several times during its sessions had reports read showing the actual loss sustained by cattle growers from heavy branding, which amounts to over fifteen million dollars a year. This is a total waste, which the cattlemen could save if they would only pursue a more conservative course in branding. They have never known that that is the condition of the market, but there is plenty of evidence which can be furnished to convince them.

For instance, beef is estimated by buyers at five cents per pound, hides at six cents per pound if perfect, and three and one half if heavily branded, and the value of the hoofs, horns, legs and so forth more closely figured up than any banking business in the country. Say that one of our shippers sends to any of the eastern markets 2,000 head of cattle in one shipment, the brands being of such a nature as to depreciate the value of the hides nearly one half, the loss is over \$4,000 and where the total of the shipments aggregates thousands of carloads and the loss swells to millions of dollars, the cattle growers, if convinced of the fact, would surely be more cautious. The Tanners' association should take more pains in placing the matter in its proper light to stockmen. It is not sufficient to hear essays read at their annual meetings, nor is the mere interchange of views between eastern associations sufficient. Agents should be out west who could show wherein the cattlemen are the losers, and once convinced

on this point a radical change will shortly follow. Over fifteen millions! Enough to belt the land with railroads from one end to the other. Let the cattle raisers consider this matter and govern themselves accordingly.

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The Situation in Chicago.

The same line of work with reference to the pleuro-pneumonia problem in this city described in last week's *Gazette* has been continued during the past week.

The investigations into the condition of cows outside the quarantined distilleries are being continued and extended as rapidly as possible. New cases of disease are occasionally discovered, and a large number of cows put under legal restraint; the most notable development of the week being a fatal case reported from the Transit House stables, near the Union stock yards, Tuesday. The silly attempt made in certain quarters to discredit or conceal Dr. Murray's location of the disease in that section of the city thus receives an effectual quietus. The Transit House cows graze on the commons about Forty-ninth street, but as we go to press no examination of the lot had been made; the fatal case alluded to having at this writing only just been caught by post-mortem examination at the scavenger platform.

Some additional fat cows have been selected from the distilleries by owners and slaughtered, and the healthy carcasses sold on the market. One hundred and sixty odd head have been so disposed of up to date. The state live stock board state that about an equal number of animals have died of the disease, or been killed in consequence of it, since the quarantine was established. This does not include the deaths among cows outside the quarantine, of which there have been several. Monday, an owner of thirty-three head, all fat and sleek, applied for the privilege of slaughter. Out of this number the inspectors selected five diseased animals which were condemned and destroyed, and permission was given for the slaughter of the remaining twenty-eight, subject to post-mortem inspection. Tuesday nine of these were killed, and the carcass of one rejected. Nearly every lot slaughtered discloses cases of disease so slight as to baffle detection in the living animals, but sufficient to make them bearers of contagion to others.

The Nelson Morris steers are still dying. There were three fresh carcasses from them upon the scavenger's platform Tuesday morning. Fifteen of these steers have so far died of the disease, and a number of those which were sick with it have passed into the so-called "recovered" stage, in which they are not likely to die of it themselves but would infect healthy animals if brought into contact with them. About twenty-five per cent. of the Morris steers which have so far had the disease have died with it. This would indicate that about sixty head have had it, or about sixteen per cent. of the 380 head owned by him. The story is not ended with them by any means, as there are fresh cases of disease being developed among

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them every day, and the time has not yet arrived at which, according to the nature of the disease, the greatest number of cases could ordinarily be expected. Mr. Morris has engaged E. Savary (who declares himself to be a French veterinary surgeon) to inoculate these steers, and that work is now proceeding, and possibly may serve to restrict the mortality among animals which have not already taken the disease.

So far there has been no facts ascertained to indicate that the disease has a foothold in the state outside of this city and the towns immediately adjoining, but the state board is not yet ready to make official proclamation of that effect so as to relieve the remainder of the state from restriction. Such declaration, however, if no new developments occur, will not be long delayed.

It may interest some of our virtuous contemporaries, who are so loud in their declaration that this is a mere "scare" or "boom" got up to enable those in charge of it to draw salaries, to be reminded that its character and extent was first developed by the Illinois state board of live stock commissioners. That board first declared that it was contagious pleuro-pneumonia, and the facts to show that this is really what it is have all been established by its authority. This board organized the "scare," if that is what it is, and they had charge of it and have been running it ever since. And so far from having any job or salary in connection with it the members of this board are required by law to serve without pay. They give their time to the state in this capacity simply from the interest they feel as citizens in its live stock industries. It is ridiculous to make insinuations against the honesty and disinterestedness of such men, but any insects may bite at 'em, from fleas down to pismires.—*Breeders' Gazette*.

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The price of cattle has for some time been an unknown quantity for the reason that prices are going down. Now, however, the return has come by reason of the better condition of the ranges, and prices can be quoted. Within one hundred miles of Fort Worth long yearlings can be put at \$8.50, twos at \$12.50 and threes at \$17. It is generally considered that prices are becoming stronger all round.

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A LONG, dark shadow is descending on the Chicago live stock market.

THE man who has a penchant for firing the range needs careful watching for the next six weeks.

THE question may well be asked, does the quarantine law, as it is administered by the inspectors, protect the cattle interests of New Mexico?

THE exercise of some thought in formulating a few laws for the protection of the live stock interests of New Mexico can be profitably taken by cowmen of progressive tendencies until the sitting of the legislature.

THE local associations at this time, when the country round about us is waking up to the work in hand, should declare their allegiance to the International Range association. This association will surely become the power in forwarding the best interests of the rangemen that was determined for it by its organizers. They who lag in the race will be left in the rear.

HARD, cold facts have at last aroused the steer raiser. There will not be in the future that careless drifting along waiting for something to turn up, which has characterized the past. He is beginning to wonder why he has tolerated remediable evils of his business so long when by united action with his fellows he can save his investment from the open maw of those who have planned to hopelessly take him in.

THE feeding pens and the yards of the corn belt are the best remedy this fall for the evils of an overstocked market. The northern country has already adopted the feeding pens, and it is believed that this year with the new methods in operation and a larger experience gained in handling cattle in this way, good success will attend the labors of those who have instituted this plan to create competition and arrest monopoly in the buying of cattle in the open markets.

THE Chicago market having become a temple of injustice to the producer and

consumer alike, the men of the plains country are knitting the lash which will scourge the men of that mart of trade and bring the chief sinners there to repentance. The St. Louis yards are an assured fact and they will be run for the benefit of the men of the range country. In other words, we can hope that the new regulation of affairs will give every man having cattle to sell a chance to market his product where the natural laws of supply and demand will not be perverted for the advantage of a mere handful of men.

EVERY man interested in growing range beef should at once bestir himself and lend his aid to the successful carrying forward of the plans already inaugurated for the better and more profitable regulation of the sale of the range steer product. Active men are at work to offset by establishing other yards and the building up of refrigerator plants, the depressing influences of the Chicago yards. A feasible means of counteracting the harmful forces in operation by which the rangeman has suffered, has been presented in the project now under way at St. Louis. The plain duty of the hour for all is to go to work and win the battle against the men who are pulling down the structure of plains cattle raising.

It is not necessary to contend that the men who buy and sell in the Chicago market, even though there be a hundred or more of them, are gentlemen of apostolic character and have a holy love for the rangeman, when the live stock journals representing the Chicago syndicate, remark: "The cattle market was in a state of utter demoralization. The strike of the employes at Swift's and Morris' took two of the principal buyers out of the market, and the trade was lifeless." Two men cease operations for a day and the market is lifeless. Does the rangeman think from the foregoing admission that he has a chance for anything like fair treatment when two men can agree what they will give for his steers and all other competition is declared off.

A SUBSCRIBER writes THE STOCK GROWER anent new laws so much needed by the stock interests, that attention should be paid by the legislature to the man who brings upon the range a big lot of cattle and who has only a small spring as the extent of his water front. This matter we will say to our correspondent is nearly allied to the question of one bull to one hundred cows. Both parties intend to get along somehow by depre-dating on their neighbors—one steals the service of the bulls, the other the grass of a range to which he has no equitable claim. Both are robbers, and we trust that the wisdom of our solons will be sufficient to give the territory a law which will squarely meet both classes of men and thus preserve the industry from the encroachments of those who are not an honor and credit to it.

WITH this issue of THE STOCK GROWER is concluded the publication of the live stock laws of New Mexico. Everything appertaining to a statute affecting the live stock interests of the territory has been reproduced in our columns. Most of the laws are mere trash and not adapted to the present or future necessities of the business of stock raising. There is scarcely a law in the entire number that has the merit of adaptability to the wants of a progressive industry. Many of them are faultily drawn, and seem in their construction to have emanated from some genius of medieval

times. If the stockmen of New Mexico are not prepared to adopt a new code at the next sitting of our legislature and even exert themselves to that end, we must conclude that the live stock laws of New Mexico are the best laws in creation, though they don't look that way.

THE New Mexico law of quarantine should be overhauled. It has been in operation nearly two years and no one is proud of the quality of protection, it has afforded the industry for which it was framed. A half-dozen men in the meantime have exacted a good living and in one or two instances a considerable competence, from the cattlemen of the territory in carrying out the provisions of the law. No one in New Mexico questions the utility of quarantine measures who has the best good of the industry at heart. Texas fever is now raging in the central part of the territory and dead cattle are bunched up by the hundreds. This condition of affairs never could have existed had not the extraordinary feature of the inspection fees been made of prime importance in the enactment of the law. The men who are now suffering from the greed of the inspectors whereby cattle were admitted to the territory in a diseased state, and which unless they are segregated will transmit disease to other cattle, should have no hesitancy in instituting suit against the bondsmen of the inspector and thus recovering a portion of their losses.

IT WILL be noticed in looking over our live stock laws that no provision has been made to regulate the operations of the rangeman who has a deficiency of bulls in his herd. Nothing has arisen among the stockmen during the year which has excited their interest to such degree as the question of running bulls in sufficient number, and the general detestation that is felt for the man who steals the service of his neighbor's bulls is none the less a matter of interest than the former question. A law should be enacted, and we believe that it will meet with almost general approval, which compels every cattle raiser to put on the range one good, serviceable, grade bull for every twenty head of female bearing cattle thereon. This is a matter of equity and justice to all. The enactment of such a law will only affect him who requires the compulsion of the law to do what his neighbors have already done through a sentiment of decency and good business judgment. The unprogressive fellow needs a prod to bring him into line with other members of the cattle growing fraternity. The prodding should be directed against the scrub bulls and the man with no bulls at all, or who depends at most on his neighbors for this important element of successful cattle raising.

Now that the National association of cattle growers is firmly established and the body is in fine working order, which will, we are sure, be very apparent in the deliberations of the convention the coming week, in which leading men of the live stock industry from all parts of the country will participate, thus making of the national association the leading organization of the kind in the country, no more gracious concession can be made to the western men composing that organization and the interests which they represent, than for the convention to decide to hold their next meeting at Kansas City. It is centrally located as regards the cattle industry and has every advantage for the holding of great conventions that Chicago has. Coming nearer to the great grazing fields of the west, it will be a power-

ful auxiliary in stimulating the interest of the men of the west in the object and purpose of the organization. The work which the Chicago convention will lay out for itself to do at this meeting, will be so broad and far-reaching in its influence upon the industry, we feel that no part of the country can be neglected, and that the support of all sections is specially needed. To this end the calling of the convention at Kansas City in 1887 will satisfy the western men and be the means of arousing the interest of all cattle raisers in the success and work of the association.

SUPPORT THE ST. LOUIS PROJECT.

THE scheme for the establishment of stock yards in St. Louis for the use and benefit of western cattle growers is rapidly assuming shape. A site has been secured near the tracks of the St. Louis and San Francisco and Missouri Pacific railroads, and work will be commenced as soon as the company is complete. The inauguration of this most important movement for all western cattlemen cannot meet with other than cordial endorsement, for it will be in its consummation one of the really great factors which will aid in lifting the industry out of the rut in which it finds itself today. The building of new yards, giving the steer producer a fresh outlet for his steers and thereby inducing a competition in the purchase of them, which the one-man power of Chicago does not now permit in that market, the giving of better chances in handling beef, which the establishment of the refrigerator plants in different parts of the range country makes possible, and other necessary changes from present methods that will be adopted by the new management, are all hopeful features of the coming of better times to the range steer producer. The western country, now that the initiative has been made by the enterprising men at the head of the organization, should at once, or when called upon, give the yards ample and full support. There is no question in the minds of nearly all the rangemen that such a movement as the building of these yards implies, was needed in order to check some of the forces that are fast bringing successful beef raising to destruction. The men who are putting their capital into the new enterprise are not speculators, men who can see where a point can be gained by the needs of a people, and have jumped in to supply that want and in doing so will make the conditions of their business more oppressive even than the present order of things. They are rather, men largely interested in plains cattle raising, having their own herds grazing in the arid area and are thoroughly allied with the rangemen in every interest. They are in fact, the western end of the beef business and are so related to all departments of beef production and consumption that in the carrying out of their plans for the protection of the raiser in the markets of sale, a just and equitable relation can be established between producer and consumer and if any one is to suffer by decreased profits it must be the middleman, which is as it should be. We say success to the St. Louis enterprise, for it meets the wants of the plainsman against the extortion and robbery of the Chicago market.

Meeting of Stockmen.

OFFICE OF THE CATTLE AND HORSE GROWERS' ASSOCIATION, Las Vegas, N. M., Nov. 10, 1886. It is respectfully requested that all stockmen of New Mexico, as well as members of the local associations, meet with the Cattle and Horse Growers' Association of New Mexico, at Santa Fe, N. M., on Friday, January 3, 1887, for the purpose of taking into consideration certain changes in the live stock laws of New Mexico, the law of quarantine and for the discussion of other matters of material interest to the industry. A large attendance is desired. J. W. DWYER, President. J. D. WARNER, Secretary.

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Bulls on the Range.

The *National Live Stock Journal* says: From all accounts there will be the same trouble about an insufficiency of bulls on the ranges in the northwest that there has been for a long while in the western territories, and the more enterprising stockmen will be the losers. There should be some effective legislation to prevent those who do not furnish a good class of bulls for their herds, and enough of them, from getting the benefit of the expenditures of their more enterprising neighbors. On this subject we find the following in the *Tribune*, Calgary, Alberta.

While the cattle, which have been brought into Alberta this year, have aggregated many thousand head, we understand the number of females are out of all proportion to the males. For instance, out of the ten to twelve thousand that have been laid down at Calgary this year from British Columbia and the east, there should be one bull for every twenty-five females. This would require that there should have been at least 400 bulls landed here this year to keep the just proportion with the females; but we believe that with the herds brought in there has not been one bull with every hundred head of females. This will tell very materially with the increase for next year. The cattle are all turned loose on the range together with the herds of the older stockmen, who have just about the required number of serviceable bulls for their own herd.

The new herds ranging with those of the older stockmen will demand a portion of the attention of the bulls, and thus a smaller proportion of calves may naturally be looked for next year. Not only are the men doing an injustice to the older stockmen, but also to themselves. We are also informed that the large herds driven across the line this summer have an insufficiency of males. If true, this is very unfortunate, as the loss of increase is only a part of the real calamity. The older stockmen will naturally feel aggrieved, and thus hard feelings will be engendered among old and new stockmen, and prevent the good feeling that should prevail among the men who have a common interest. Not only does the number of bulls require to be kept up, but also the quality. For the past two years the stockmen of the district have been expending a great deal of care on the improvement of their stock, by means of superior bulls, but it is next to useless for a stockman to go to this trouble and expense, if his neighbor has scrub bulls. It might be a good idea for the stock association to take the matter in hand and supply all the bulls to be used on the range. They could then see that only pedigreed animals would be used, and a sufficient number placed on the ranges to meet all requirements.

1,500 head of the best grade of Chihuahua cattle rounded-up and ready for shipment, consisting of 1-3 cows from three to six years old, 1-3 two-year-old heifers and 1-3 yearling heifers delivered at Albuquerque at \$12.50 per head. G. L. Brooks, Manager, Socorro, N. M.

Miscellaneous.

From the Chicago yards comes the news that at last receipts of cattle from the western ranges begins to show a falling off. They are still sufficiently liberal, however, to prevent any improvement in prices, which, taking the quality of the cattle into account, are lower than ever before in the history of the trade.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 5.—Gov. Gray has received a telegram from Senator A. V. Kent, of Clinton county, saying that pleuro-pneumonia in an epidemic form has appeared in that county, that sixty head of cattle are already affected, and that stockmen ask for immediate protection. The state board of health will send a veterinarian physician to investigate the matter.

It is currently reported that another importation of cattle has been found infected with pleuro-pneumonia at the quarantine station at Point Levis, Quebec, Canada, the property of Clark & Morris, of Dover, Bureau county, Illinois, and that the entire importation has been slaughtered and cremated. The government of Canada makes no mealy-mouths at such contagious diseases as pleuro-pneumonia and the government south of the lakes ought to have similar powers and to do the same work.—*Rural World*.

The second annual meeting of state, territorial and government veterinarians, members of live stock sanitary commissions and boards of health, representatives of veterinary colleges and veterinary associations, general live stock agents of railroads and editors of live stock and agricultural journals will be held at the Grand Pacific hotel, Chicago, Ill., Nov. 15, 16 and 17, 1886. Men of ability, eminent in their respective callings, will address the meeting on contagious animal diseases, the manner of their spread and the means necessary to eradicate and control them; the necessity of adopting a uniform sanitary code by the different states; veterinary sanitary legislation, both state and national; veterinary, sanitary medicine, transportation of live stock, etc.

It is stated that "the greater portion of Nevada has been unusually dry this summer, and in about half the state range cattle are going into the winter rather thin. In a few localities there is some apprehension of serious losses if the coming winter should prove severe. A few cattle are being moved to better grass, and ranchmen generally are preparing to feed old and thin cows. The hay crop of the state is comparatively light where natural meadows were depended upon, but the irrigated lands have turned off a large crop of alfalfa. In the vicinity of Reno, ten or twelve thousand tons of alfalfa have been sold to parties expecting to feed cattle. The price paid has been six dollars per ton. There are a few thousand tons yet unsold, but the price has advanced to seven dollars per ton."

The *Globe-Democrat* is entirely right when it says: "Those who are disturbed about the rapid absorption of the public lands, and the consequent diminution of the chances of poor men to secure homes, will find something to think about in the statement of Commissioner Atkins to the effect that if all the Indians in the United States were to be transferred to the Indian Territory, there would be for each one of them, including those already there, 266 2/3 acres of land. The folly and injustice of preserving such an area of sur-

plus territory for a class of people who make no use of it, while white citizens are ready and anxious to occupy and develop it, can be seen at a glance by any intelligent person; and the time is surely coming when such a policy will have to be abandoned in the interest of civilization and sound national progress."

500 to 1,000 head of central Texas, partially graded one and two-year-old heifers, fifty per cent. of each age, delivered at Albuquerque at \$13.50 per head. G. L. Brooks, Manager, Socorro, N. M.

Marketing Range Cattle.

The low prices at which range cattle are selling this season are causing ranchmen to study the question of marketing their cattle more closely than ever before. That there is something radically wrong, they are painfully aware. But just exactly what it is they are not at all agreed. But on one point they have satisfied themselves, and that is that the combining of the large slaughterers and dressed beef men in Chicago to kill off competition, is a very potent and leading factor in the market, and are more responsible for the current low prices than any other cause. This may be true, and to a certain extent is doubtless so. But something else besides railing at these cattle kings has got to be done if a change in the market is desired. These men are as susceptible to competition as any other if you make it strong enough. If there is not capital enough to be had among willing ranchmen to embark in the dressed meat trade, to compete successfully with his more powerful brother in Chicago, the situation may be somewhat improved by the better controlling of the supplies.

Now three-fourths of the range cattle are marketed during the months of August, September and October. This should be remedied in some way. It is true that no more beef is produced than is wanted for consumption, and the proportion of cattle per capita is no larger than five or six years ago, indeed it is thought not to be so large, but the number of cattle thrown on the market during the months of August, September and October is much larger.

The great increase in cattle supplies for the past five years has been in the range countries, thus swelling the receipts at that time of the year when marketing of cattle from every section is freest. Now some means must be provided by which range cattle can be sent to market earlier and later, and thus stringing the supplies out over four to five months instead of three as now. This can only be done, however, by providing some supplemental feed for the cattle during the early spring and late fall months. This is the most feasible plan for remedying the existing evil, and ranchmen should not delay in putting it in practice.—*K. C. Record*.

Prices of pure-bred, 15-16, 7-8, 2-4, and ordinary Angora goats, given upon application; also circular of information, estimates of expenses, profits, etc. G. L. Brooks, Manager, Socorro, N. M.

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Scrip For Sale.

Taxes. Scrip of San Miguel county for sale. Apply to H. T. Vaille, East Las Vegas. 34-35

Tally Books.

We have only forty copies of the tally book left and will print no more until the summer of 1887. Send at once for a copy or you will be left. Order the calf tally book, by mail, postpaid, one dollar.

Meeting of the Lincoln County Association.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the Lincoln County association will be held at Lincoln on November 15th, at which all members are requested to be present to transact important business. H. MILNE, President. JAS. J. DOLAN, Secretary.

Notice to Shippers.

LIBERTY, N. M., November 1, 1886. All members of the Canadian River Live Stock association who are shipping cattle to Kansas City, are requested to have duplicate freight bills issued to them when paying their freights and forward same to me for collection of their rebates. E. D. BULLARD, Secretary. 33-34

Round-Up.

The round-up of the San Pedro Live Stock association will commence work on November 30th, thirty-six miles below Benson, and work up the river to Mormon Bridge; thence west to J. D. Kinnear's; thence to Miguel Torres' ranch, and thence to Manuel Cornado's. All parties who have cattle here are respectfully asked to come and take them home. T. B. ROBINSON, Captain.

Strayed From Las Vegas.

Two black horse mules, branded D Z on left thigh, and one bay or mouse colored mare mule, same brand. Strayed from Las Vegas about September 20th. Any information leading to the recovery of this stock will be rewarded by addressing J. F. NEWMAN, Sweetwater, Texas. 32-34

Cattle Rodeos.

At a meeting of the Santa Cruz Stock Growers' Association, it was decided to commence the rodeo at the "Stone House" on November 4th, 1886, instead of October 20th, 1886. All interested cattlemen will make note of this fact and arrange accordingly. ROYAL A. JOHNSON, Chairman Executive Committee, Pima County Ranchmen's Association.

Strayed or Stolen!

On or about the 25th of June one dark dun horse, about twelve and one-half hands high, bob-tail, branded H on left shoulder, O left hind leg near the tail;

and I on right thigh. Was last seen on the Star ranch on the Pecos.

Will pay five dollars for information leading to recovery. Address, REUTHER & NARR, La Cinta, N. M.

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500 one and two-year-old New Mexico steers at \$12.50 and \$16.50 delivered at Magdalena, N. M. G. L. Brooks, Manager, Socorro, N. M.

Feeding Steers.

Prof. Morrow, Dean of the college of agriculture, Champaign, Ill., in relation to live stock experiments of the university farm, states that six steers, averaging a few days less than 30 months in age and 1,608 pounds in weight, were found to have made an average gain of 89 1/2 pounds in forty-five days (from Sept. 1) and of 27 1/2 pounds in the last sixteen days; four good steers, averaging a little over thirty months and 1,445 pounds in weight, made an average gain of 150 pounds in forty-five days and of 58 1/2 in the sixteen days. A lot of twenty-five steers of poorer quality and probably of not much less age, averaging 1,118 pounds, made an average gain of 118 1/2 pounds in the forty-five days and of forty-four pounds in the sixteen days.

The cattle on pasture and fed corn in the ear, averaging about one-half bushel per steer daily, were fed three times a day. Pigs "follow" all the cattle and have grown rapidly from the corn left undigested by them. The variations in the rate of gain are explained from the poorer quality and smaller size of the larger lot of steers and from the longer feeding and much higher degree of fatness of the lot of six.

The conclusions arrived at at the university farm and under the conditions in central Illinois are as follows:

Increase of weight in cattle is most cheaply secured by pasturage without grain during the best part of the season.

Feeding whole corn in the autumn months to cattle on the pasture is the most economical method of fattening cattle. When hogs follow the cattle there is very little waste.

After three or four months of full grain feeding a considerable decrease in rate of gain may be expected.

Apparently, from thirty to thirty-six months are the most profitable ages at which to sell cattle fattened on this system—unless those of a still greater age can be bought at a price which gives no profit to the grower.

It is not profitable to feed grain to yearling steers on good pasture, if it is designed to keep them another year and fatten for the general market.

Calves reared on skim-milk, with the addition of some meal, may make entirely satisfactory growth and beef animals of good quality. A high-grade Shorthorn steer now on exhibition on the farms weighs 1,470 pounds, at a few days over twenty-nine months, and with less than two months' full grain feeding he has gained 185 pounds in the last forty-five days.

500 or 1,000 head of western Texas yearling heifers, 1/2 and 3/4 bred none to be less than 1/2 bred, and the bunch to average 1/2 bred, delivered at Albuquerque, N. M., at \$14.00 per head. G. L. Brooks, Socorro, N. M.

Ear Marks.

A cattlemen remarked in our presence the other day that "bad ear marks make bad cattle." In answer to the inquiry why? he said he did not know, but that he had observed in handling range cattle that animals with their ears gone or badly disfigured were ugly and difficult to drive. The remark caused us to philosophize as follows: The ears were given to animals for a certain purpose and the law of adaptation was faithfully carried out in the manner of construction. Without going into the details of the formation of the bovine ear it is sufficient to say that it is so shaped as to catch the slightest vibration of sound and lead it directly to the organs of intelligence or instinct, as the reader may see proper to class that intellectual power our dumb animals possess. The cutting off of the ear destroys the natural conduit of sound and throws it upon the inner organs with such violence as to produce an abnormal effect and very rapidly destroy them. So to, does the carving of the ear into many parts by slits, crops or bits destroy the approach of sounds and give exaggerated notions of danger. All this tends to make the animal nervous, and every practical cowman knows that this means trouble when he

attempts to move cattle on the range or road. One or two nervous animals in a bunch of beef steers on the way to the shipping point will cause a shrinkage in the herd of more than the value of one or even half a dozen, in many instances, by stampeding or causing unnecessary excitement.

The ear mark is really of little value, so long as brands are used, in determining the ownership and they might be dispensed with. At least such marks should be used as will not affect in the least the hearing of the cattle, and these will be those that do not greatly disfigure the ear. —*Cheyenne Journal.*

G. L. BROOKS, Manager, Socorro, N. M., will contract and deliver to any point in Arizona, the cattle in large or small bunches, bulls in carload lots, old Mexico brood mares, sheep and Angora goats. References, First National Bank of Las Vegas, Albuquerque, Socorro, and El Paso, Socorro County Bank, and Banking House of Browne, Manzanara & Co., Socorro, N. M.

The Miles City Dressed Beef company's slaughter house was closed last week by the action of numerous creditors levying attachments on the works. The outstanding accounts in Montana aggregate about \$95,000 and the backer of the concern, L. M. Dustin, of Lincoln, Ill., is a financial wreck. His bank at Lincoln is also closed, owing to a run on it. In whatever light this matter is placed it cannot but be a misfortune to the range country. There is no denying the fact that cowmen are being underpaid for their live beef and large slaughter houses in the range country are one of the feelers put out to find a good road for the cattlemen out of the present "slough of dispond" of low prices. As far as the feeler in Miles City is concerned, it did not live long to prove anything besides the incompetence of the management. —*Medora Cowboy.*

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


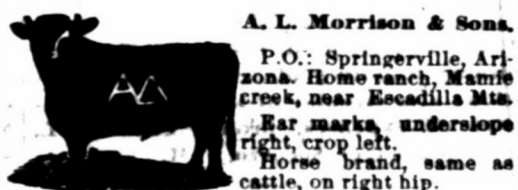
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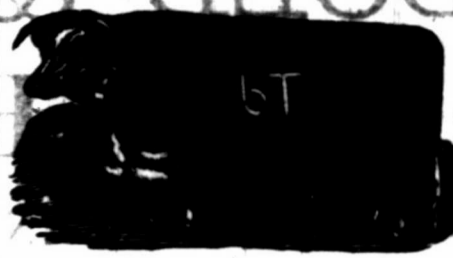
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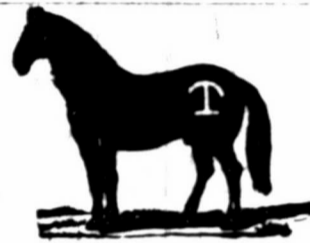
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
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

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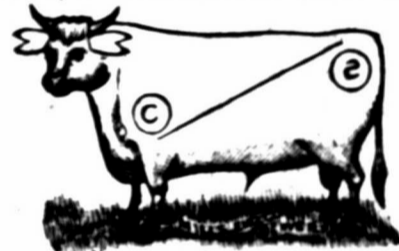
Range, on Eagle creek, Graham county, Arizona. Ear marks, crop and split left, crop right. Horse brand,  on the left shoulder.



William Garland.





Postoffice, Albuquerque, New Mexico. Range, Little Colorado river, Apache county, Arizona.



Other brands,  on the left shoulder and the left hip.  on the left side. Horse brand, same as cut, on the right hip.



Milo A. Smith.

P. O.: Springerville, Apache county, Arizona. Range, Escadilla mountains, Apache county, Arizona; and Johnson's Basin, Socorro county, New Mexico.


Other Brands:  side, on left side and  on left hip.  on left side and  on left hip.

Horse Brands:  and also  in circle on the left hip.



Smith, Carson & Co.

P. O.: Springerville, Apache county, Arizona. Telegraph and express office, Navajo Springs, Atlantic and Pacific railroad.

Ear marks: Crop off the left. Horses branded: 



David Rope.

P. O.: Holbrook, Apache county, Arizona.

Range, Rope's ranch, four miles west of Holbrook, south of the Little Colorado river. All cattle have two bars on left jaw, and are marked with a half under-crop in each ear. Horse brand, XV on the left hip.



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THE STOCK GROWER. LAS VEGAS, NEW MEXICO.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1886.

PERSONAL.

Items of Interest Relating to Stock Growing People.

W. S. Lackey came into Las Vegas from the Red River country the early part of the week and shipped a few carloads of steers to Hunter, Evans & Co., Kansas City.

C. S. Thurber, of the J. C. Lea and El Capitan Cattle companies, Lincoln county, spent Monday in Las Vegas. Mr. Thurber will take a trip to the Pacific coast and return to his ranch about December 1st.

Brown Allen, the foreman of the Raynold Bros. ranch on the Pecos, is now in Las Vegas and brings a good report of the fine appearance of stock everywhere on the range in his vicinity and the prospect of a satisfactory wintering of the herds.

Mr. T. H. Lawrence, while en route to Las Vegas from Denver, stopped off two days this week at Springer to attend the meeting of the Northern New Mexico association, at which much important work was done, which in detail will be found in another column.

J. W. Bradford, of the Brass Ball ranch, has returned to Las Vegas from a short business trip to his home near Chicago. Mr. Bradford will now complete the receiving of the bunches of cattle he purchased during the summer and become a ranchman in dead earnest.

Frank Carpenter, one of San Miguel county's best cattlemen, is in the city from Liberty, near which point is his ranch. Mr. Carpenter is one of the stockmen who does not let the low market discourage him too much, as he believes the cows will come out ahead in the long run.

E. D. Bullard, who looks after the mercantile wants of the people of the Red River country, and efficiently attends to the secretary's duties of the Canadian River association, as well as watch his cattle grow on the hills and mesas of San Miguel county, is visiting with friends in Las Vegas this week.

Mr. F. M. Fowler, of Phoenix, Arizona, who operates a large stock farm at that point, was in Las Vegas Monday making contracts for the delivery of alfalfa raised hogs. Mr. Fowler can lay down the choicest, sweetest pork at prices way below the Kansas market, and will undoubtedly command the trade of this territory for his production.

Emil Fritz, an enterprising stock grower of Lincoln county, has been visiting Las Vegas during the week, and finds the city greatly changed since he last came here in 1880. Mr. Fritz reports the heaviest crop of grass in Lincoln county for years, and such is its abundance that much of it has been left on the prairie though cut and ready for the stack.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Dorsey, of Mountain Spring ranch, have invited their many friends to a house warming and other festivities for Wednesday evening, Nov. 17th. The guests will be welcomed to one of the most spacious and elaborately furnished ranch homes in the west, and the entertainment there extended is always of that cheerful, wholesome hospitality which impresses all by its refinement and grace.

A ranch for 1000 head of cattle, good grass, located near Socorro, N. M. Price, \$800.00. G. L. Brooks, Manager, Socorro, N. M.

Kansas City Market.

The offerings the past week were quite moderate as to numbers and fair as to quality. The condition of the market did not vary materially from day to day, values of the best quality having been generally steady while common were weak and slow. The inquiry for stockers and feeders was fairly active. As has been the case for some time the bulk of the supply consisted of grass range steers from the Cherokee Strip, Colorado and New Mexico. Good to choice corn-fed steers were in light supply. A fair sprinkling of range cows and bulls were on sale. Tuesday the market was strong for good corn-fed and steady for grass range. Good cows were a shade higher.

The highest price paid during the week under review, was \$4.60 on Tuesday for native shipping steers, averaging 1,490 lbs., against \$4.50 the previous week for native shipping steers averaging 1,472 lbs. The average highest price paid was \$4.07 against \$3.81 the previous week, while the general average weight of "tops" was 1,327 lbs., against 1,269 lbs. the previous week.

Receipts Tuesday were 2,676, the market was steady and fairly active for the best quality. Cows were weak and a shade lower while stockers and feeders were strong and active.

Table with 3 columns: Description of livestock, Quantity, and Price. Includes items like Texas steers, New Mexico steers, Colorado steers, etc.

400,000 acres of a well watered and well grassed grant to lease for a term of years at a very low rental. G. L. Brooks, Manager, Socorro, N. M.

The Chicago Convention.

Governor Ross this week appointed Thomas Lyons, of Silver City, and Judge J. D. O'Bryan, of Las Vegas, delegates at large to represent New Mexico in the National Convention of Cattle Growers of the United States which meets at Chicago on the 17th inst., and continues until the 19th.

The chief question that will receive the attention of the convention will be that of contagious bovine diseases, when it is believed that forces will be set in motion there that will ultimately result in complete immunity to the herds from the harmful effects of pleuro-pneumonia. Among the speakers who have been invited to address the convention are Senators Cullom, of Illinois, and Beck, of Kentucky; Hon. Elmer Washburn, of Chicago; Hon. John Hancock, of Austin, Texas; Hon. Thomas Sturges, of Cheyenne; Dr. D. E. Salmon, chief of the bureau of animal industry at Washington; the Marquis de Mores, of Dakota; Dr. Aziel Ames, Jr., of Montana; Mr. Frankland, of Toronto (the father of the Canadian export trade), etc., etc.

20,000 head of partially graded ewes and lambs for sale at 75 cts. per head. G. L. Brooks, Manager, Socorro, N. M.

A San Antonio special says that Hewlitt Griner, one of the most extensive ranchmen in western Texas, was killed on the 8th inst., at Los Vecos, Mexico, just across the river from Del Rio, Texas. Griner lived with his family at Uvalde, and had gone over into Mexico with several employes to see about the condition of his stock on a ranch he owns there. Some time ago he had a difficulty with some Mexicans living adjoining his hacienda,

and the natives at that time threatened to kill him if he again appeared in their midst. Yesterday the Americans were attacked by the Mexicans and a pitched battle ensued. Griner's body was riddled with bullets, and one of his men, John Weaver, was also killed. B. P. McMahon, who was one of the Griner party, succeeded in killing one of the Mexicans, and the surviving Americans succeeded in making their escape to this side of the river under a volley of bullets from the Winchester of the Mexicans. The Americans along the border are greatly incensed at this latest outrage and declare they will have vengeance.

Soldier's additional scrip for surveyed and Sioux half-breed scrip for unsurveyed land, for sale by G. L. Brooks, Manager, Socorro, N. M.

A Duel to the Death.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Nov. 8.—A duel took place Friday afternoon in Zavalea county, near the county line, between two of the wealthiest ranchmen in Zavalea county, namely: Hiram Bennet and John Rumfield. The men for several years were close friends and owned many cattle and sheep jointly. About a year ago they dissolved business relations and a difficulty arose regarding the number of cattle in a certain bunch which figured in their settlement at a valuation of \$10,000. The breach grew wider with time, each sending word that he ment to kill the other. Friday afternoon the two rich ranchmen with a few cowboys happened to meet near the edge of the little village of Batesville. They were both on horseback and carrying Winchester. It was agreed they should dismount and fire at the word of command from one of the cowboys. They stood at about one hundred yards apart. Both were crack shots and each fired at word. Bennet fell dead with a bullet hole through his brain. One report says Rumfield was wounded in the thigh. Another account says he is uninjured. No attempt has been made thus far to arrest Rumfield, who is on his ranch and would doubtless fight before being carried to jail. The dead man was worth a quarter million of dollars in cattle, sheep and lands. He leaves a family.

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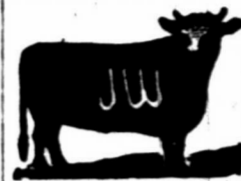
Correspondence solicited. Price and circulars on application. Refer to Bank of Arizona and the Valley Bank, Phoenix, Arizona.

KANSAS.

Watson & Fullington. P. O.: Greensburg, Edwards county, Kansas. Ranch headquarters Willow Bar, on Cimarron river, Neutral Strip. All increase branded as in cut.

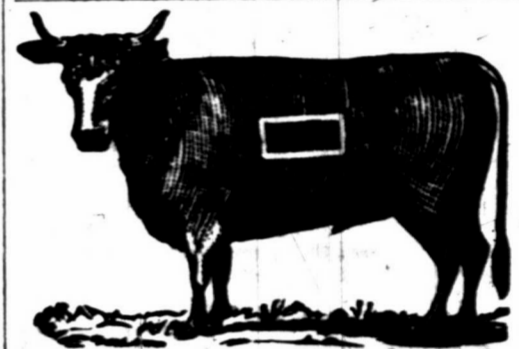
Ear marks, upper and lower bit left ear. Additional brands: 55 10 WK PH TH TH HU WK. Horses branded on the left hip.

KANSAS.



T. B. Porter. P. O.: Lakin, Kansas. Range, on the Cimarron river, Seward county, Kansas. Ear marks, split left crop right.

SOUTHERN COLORADO.



George W. Thompson.

P. O. Address: Trinidad, Colorado. Ranges in western portion of Las Animas county, Colorado, and eastern portion of Colfax county, N. M. Some branded same as above on right side. Some cattle in the following brands on either side, or hip: W H H T I Various ear marks.

Additional B-brands: N - N on right or left side. X on left side and hip. X on left jaw. N + N on right or left side with N on right or left hip. Various ear marks. Horse brands, N on left hip and N - on left hip. Horses also branded same as on above cut, but smaller, on the left shoulder or left thigh.

New Haven Cattle Company.

W. W. THORNTON, Foreman. F. T. Bradley and C. K. Dewell, Assistants. Postoffice, Trinidad, Colorado. Range, Lower Apishapa. Brand as here given. Ear marks, under half crop to left. Horse brand same as cattle brand.



Lane & Murray.

P. O.: West Las Animas, Colorado. Range, Fort Lyon to Mud creek, Colorado. Ear marks, underslope and underbit each ear.

Additional brands: Triangle on jaw. 10 left loin. V right side. P left side. FS left side. 22 left side. Horse brand, HL (connected) on left shoulder.

NORTHWEST TEXAS.



Lee-Scott Cattle Co. P. O.: Tascosa, Texas. Range, Oldham and Hartley counties, Texas; and San Miguel county, N. M., on the Canadian river. Horse brand: LS, S or on the left hip.

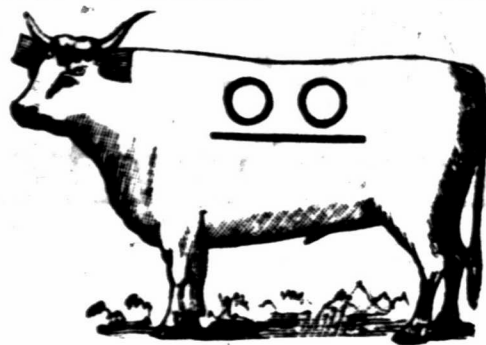
Additional Brands: LS both sides; marked, crop and split both ears. left side: over both sides; crop and half crop, under split right and split under bit left. the left. both sides; split each Also, all on the left ear. GM left side; marked, underslope each ear, all steers.

In addition to the reward offered by the association, we will pay a reward of one thousand dollars for the conviction of any one stealing, butchering or illegally branding any of our stock, or marking any of our calves. LEE-SCOTT CATTLE CO.



Fresnell & Mussey. P. O.: Fort Stockton, Tex. Range, Comanche creek and Pecos river, Texas. Ear marks, sharpen left ear. Horse brands on left hip.

NORTHWEST TEXAS.



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Postoffice, Colorado, Texas. Ranches in Fisher and Kent counties.
Horse brand, circle bar on left hip.

NEW MEXICO.

The Counties under this heading are all in the Territory of New Mexico.

SANTA FE COUNTY.

Santa Fe Cattle Co.

W. C. BISHOP, Manager, Santa Fe, N. M.



This brand kept up.



Additional brands: FW A 44
Ranch twenty miles west of Santa Fe, N. M.

RIO ARRIBA COUNTY.

Chama Cattle Company

DERWENT H. SMITH, Mgr.

P. O.: Box 132, Santa Fe, N. M. Range, Canon de Chama grant.
Horse brand, same as cattle, only smaller.

Ear marks: Hole cut out of ear shaped thus: with point of triangle toward the end of ear.



T. D. Burns.

P. O.: Tierra Amarilla, N. M.
Range, Canon Largo.
Brand on either side.

BERNALILLO COUNTY.

Jacobo Yrisarri.

P. O. Albuquerque. Range, Trinchera mountains.
Ear marks, over and under hack in right ear.
Other brands same as cut.



Mariano Perea.

P. O. Bernalillo, N. M.
Range, La Jara.
Ear marks, swallow-fork left.



SIERRA COUNTY.

Henry G. Toussaint.

P. O.: Engle. Range, near Engle, Sierra county, N. M.
Horse brand, left hip.



Vent brand on horses under original brand.
Other brands on cattle and horses:
Vent brand on cattle, same as on cut, but inverted and run on neck.

C. Hearn.

P. O., Fairview, N. M. Range, Fauvretia creek and vicinity of Fairview.
Ear marks, figure 7 underbit in each ear.
Additional brand, G L on left hip.
Horse brand, same as cattle on left thigh.



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1872.	226,802	104,639	6,071	2,548	13,110
1873.	227,689	221,815	5,975	4,302	14,603
1874.	207,080	212,532	8,855	3,679	13,371
1875.	174,755	68,350	25,327	2,646	9,798
1876.	183,378	153,777	55,045	5,389	11,669
1877.	215,798	192,645	42,190	4,279	13,958
1878.	175,344	427,777	36,700	10,796	16,583
1879.	211,415	588,908	61,684	15,929	20,702
1880.	244,709	676,477	50,611	14, 86	22,704
1881.	285,868	1,014,304	79,984	12,592	29,089
1882.	439,671	963,036	80,734	11,716	34,668
1883.	460,780	1,379,401	119,665	19,860	45,470
1884.	533,526	1,728,586	237,964	27,163	56,227
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S. N. JACKSON, Ranch Manager, Hillsborough, N. M.



Range, southeastern Sierra county.

All cattle branded as in the cut, and have two bars under the tail on both sides.

Horses all branded SLC on the left hip, as in this cut.



John McLeod.

P. O.: Rineon, Dona Ana county.

Range, twelve miles north of Rineon on each side of Rio Grande, and in the Caballo mountains in southeastern portion of Sierra county.

Horse brand, OM on the left shoulder.



Welty & Miner.

W. C. KENDALL, Mgr.

P. O.: Fairview, N. M. Range, on north fork of Palomas creek, east side of the Black Range.
Ear marks of original stock are various, increase will bear swallow fork in the right.
Horses are branded X on the left hip.



Vermont & Rio Grande Cattle Co.

P. O.: San Marcial, N. M. Range, twenty miles south of San Marcial. Ear marks, underbit in each ear.
Horse brands: C or TEL on left hip or thigh.



John B. Alley Cattle Company.

T. J. WRIGHT, Manager.

P. O.: Lake Valley, N. M. Range, Lake Valley, Sierra Co., and Ojo Caliente, Socorro Co.



Horse Brands:
Other Brands:
shoulder hip Other Brands: shoulder hip

shoulder side hip

Grayson & Company.

P. O.: Los Palomas, Sierra county, N. M. Range, Animas ranch, Sierra county.
Ear marks, under half crop each ear.
Horse brand, same as cattle but on left shoulder.



Additional Brands:
 on left hip. left hip. Some have same on side.
W O left side. 22 right hip.
22 right thigh, on the same animal.

Wm. J. Worden.

P. O.: Las Palomas, Sierra Co., N. M. Stock leased to D. H. Hallock.
Increase branded on left side W H



All company horses branded W on left shoulder. Lease expires January 1st, 1887.

GRANT COUNTY.

Hart Bros. Land and Cattle Co., Limited

P. O.: Lordsburg, Grant county, New Mexico.
Range, Lower and Middle Gila, and west side Burro mountains.

Ear marks, underslope left and crop and split the right ear.



Other brands:
HART side: on side; on left and hip; on right thigh; when sold are vented on right shoulder.

Charles V. Hugo.

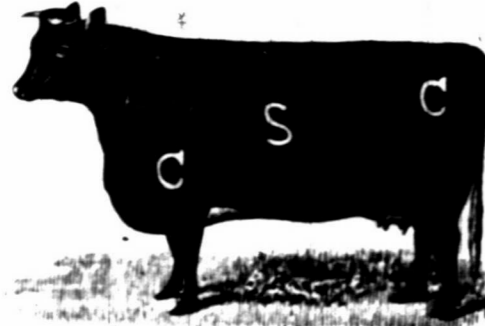
P. O. Fort Bayard, Grant county, N. M. Range, Lambright canon. Ear marks, underbit both sides.
Other brand: left hip.



GRANT COUNTY.



Old and New Mexico Ranch and Cattle Co.
 Lot H. Bowry, Superintendent.
 Postoffice address: Hatchita, Grant county, N. M.
 Range, Alamo Hueco in southern end of Piyas valley, southwestern Grant county, New Mexico.
 On the right shoulder. Also some horses branded same as the cattle, as in cut.



Carpenter-Stanley Cattle Co.
 P. O.: Fort Cummings.
 Range, east side of Cook's Peak, Grant county.
 Other brands: CC = left side. JJ CC TS
 Horse brand: = on left hip.
 Ear marks: Also, two underbits in each ear; crop left underbit right; underbit left crop right.

Mimbres River Cattle Company.
 E. E. BURDICK, President and Treasurer
 E. WALTERS, Secretary and General Manager.
 C. A. BURDICK, Vice President.
 P. O.: Deming, N. M.
 Range, Rio Grande to the Mimbres river.
 Old brand, 8 on shoulder 9 on hip.
 Horse brand on the left thigh same as cattle.
 Ear marks, crop left, crop and split the right.

J. A. Lockhart.
 Postoffice, Deming, N. M.
 Range, the Cedar Grove Mountains and Dog Springs, Grant county.
 Horse brand, L on the left hip.

Wm. Brahm.
 P. O.: Silver City, N. M.
 Range, White Water, Grant county, N. M.
 Additional, N on right hind leg.
 Horse brand, B on the left shoulder.

Missouri-Florida Cattle Co.
 JOHN J. YEATER, Pres., Sedalia, Mo.
 JOHN M. WEIDENYER, Sec. and Treas., Clinton, Mo.
 JOHN T. SHY, Superintendent, Deming, N. M.
 P. O.: Deming, N. M.
 Range, east side Florida mountains.
 Horse brand, same as cattle on left hip.

Lyons & Campbell.
 P. O.: Silver City, N. M.
 Range, Duck Creek, Mule Springs and Middle Gila, Grant county.
 Mark, crop and split left.
 Horse brand anywhere on brand LC the left side.

Buckeye Land & Live Stock Company.
 S. A. BAXTER, Manager.
 M. Chapman, Supt.
 P. O. box 101, Deming, N. M.
 Range, Cedar Grove ranch, 20 miles south of Deming.
 Horse brand, same, on left hip.
 Brand on left side. Marked, sharpen both ears.

Lindauer Cattle Co.
 S. LINDAUER, Manager.
 P. O.: Deming, N. M.
 Range, on McKnight's Cienega, on Upper Mimbres.
 Horse brand, SL on the left shoulder.

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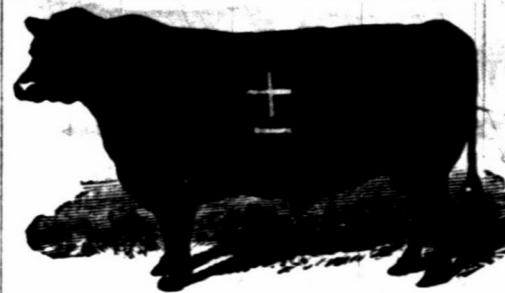
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GRANT COUNTY.



John Brockman.

Postoffice, Hudson, New Mexico. Range, Rio Mimbres, Grant county.

Horse brand, same as cattle, on the left hip.

Also owns all cattle branded B

M on the left side, A on the left hip.

E on the left side.

Ear mark, under half crop each ear.

All parties are cautioned against purchasing cattle in the above additional brands except from myself, as I have purchased the brands and all cattle running in them.

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Other brands:

H C C

old brand, right side.

Horse brand, U on the left hip.

This brand kept up on all cattle on range in Animas valley, Grant county.

Other brands:

H known as the Porter brand, with dewlap.

Horse brand A on the left hip.

All cattle on both ranches marked with dewlap.

DONA ANA COUNTY.



S. B. Newcomb.

P. O.: Las Cruces, N. M. Range, western part of Lincoln county, in the Rinconada.

Horse brand, same as cattle on right shoulder.



Pedro Garcia y Perea.

P. O.: Las Cruces. Range, east side of Rio Grande, south of Rincon. Cattle branded on either side.

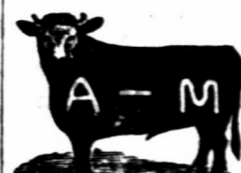


Williams Bros.

P. O.: Las Cruces, N. M. Range, Sacramento river, Dona Ana county.

Ear mark, jinglebob in each ear.

Other brands, on left hip.



Jornado Cattle Co.

MAX GOLDENBERG, Mgr. P. O.: Organ, Dona Ana county, N. M. Range, on southeastern portion of the Jornada del Muerto, San Andrecito and Oso Springs.

Ear marks, hole in right, split in the left.

Horse brand A on the left hip.



Barbero Lucero.

P. O.: Las Cruces, N. M. Range, above San Diego, Dona Ana county.

Horse brand, same as on cattle, left shoulder.



Lynch Bros.

P. O.: Colorado, N. M. Range, La Loma Parda, Sierra Co.: Las Uvas and Sauce Springs, Dona Ana Co. Additional brands:

Young stock in Dona Ana Co., thus:

Young stock in Sierra Co. thus:

All horses are branded LB on the left side.



Horace Ropes.

P. O. El Paso, Texas. Range, Carizozo Springs and west side San Andree mountains.

Horse brand, same as cut on left shoulder.

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DONA ANA COUNTY.



Sacramento Cattle Co.

P. O.: El Paso, Texas. Range, Sacramento Ranch, Sacramento mountains, Dona Ana county, New Mexico. Ear marks, crop right, swallowfork left. Old stock has H on left shoulder. Horses branded H on left thigh.

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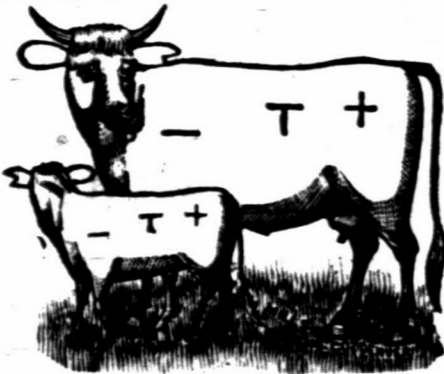
Range, in Organ Mountains, near San Augustine. Old brand, not kept up. New brand on cattle on right side, as in cut. Horses, same brand, on left rump.

Mariano Barela.

P. O.: Mesilla, N. M. Range, west of the Rio Grande, from Picacho mountain west of Mesilla south to the buttes west of La Mesa.



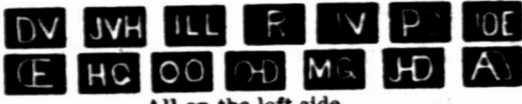
MORA COUNTY.



The Dubuque Cattle Company.

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Horse brand, SX or T on left shoulder.

William McCartney.

P. O.: Los Angeles, Cal. Ranch P. O.: La Cima, New Mexico. Range, Rincon and Arroyo de Los Alamocitas. Ear marks, crop right, underslope left.



Other brands: [grid of marks]. Horse brand, same as cattle, on left shoulder. All cattle in New Mexico in above brand are my property, and as I sell none all parties are cautioned against handling same illegally.

Also own all [grid of marks] and marked underbit the cattle branded [grid of marks] left, crop right. Range, on left side. Head of Canon Largo. This brand kept up. Horse brand, same on left shoulder.

Robison & Clark Cattle Company.

W. D. CLARK, Manager. P. O.: Wagon Mound, N. M. Horse brand, T on the right shoulder. Other brands, H on right side and hip; also, T on right hip and | right side.



18 on the left side and hip. All increase branded as in cut.

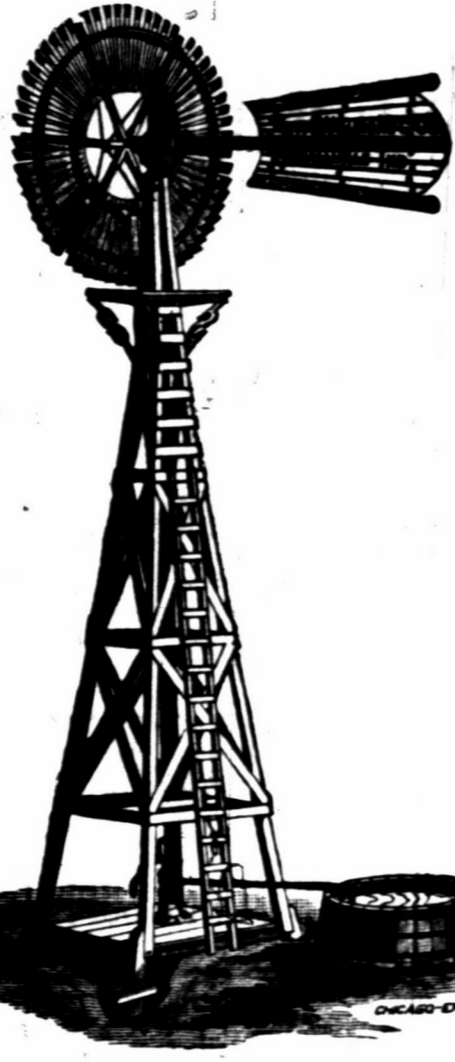
Aaron Bales.

P. O.: Watrous, N. M. Range, Petrosco canon and Cherry valley, Mora Co. All calves marked with overbit in left and two underbits in right.



The Riverside Cattle Company.

W. B. BRUNTON, Manager. P. O.: Shoemaker, Mora county, N. M. Range, Cherry valley, Pinos Altos and vicinity, Mora county, N. M. Other brands: N I X on right side, kept up. Horse brand, Z on right shoulder.



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F. J. Maldaner.

P. O.: Wagon Mound, N. M. Range, Vermejo and Tata Vega. Ear mark, crop left and split right.



Other brand: [grid of marks].

Horse brand, same as cut, on the shoulder.

J. B. Brown.

P. O.: Wagon Mound, N. M. Range, Vermejo and Tata Vega. Ear marks, underslope each ear. Horse brand, same as on cattle on left shoulder.



Campbell & Austin.

P. O.: Watrous, Mora Co. Range, near Watrous. Horse brand V on left shoulder. Ear marks—crop right ear, underslope left ear.



Portsmouth Cattle Co.

E. E. HOLMES, Manager, P. O.: Kansas City, Mo.



H. G. HOWARD, Supt., P. O.: Springer. Range, Colfax and Mora counties, New Mexico. Horse brand: Same as on cattle, as in cut. Some horses branded B B.

S. B. Watrous & Son.

P. O.: Watrous, N. M. Range, east of Watrous, north and south of Mora river. Horse brand, W on the left shoulder. Ear marks [grid of marks].



Wagon Mound Cattle Company.

GARTH & LEARY, Managers. P. O.: Wagon Mound, Mora county, N. M. Range, Vermejo. Horse brand [grid of marks] right shoulder.



Charles Sumner.

P. O.: Watrous, Mora Co. Range, Escondido canon and Mora river. Ear mark, two slits in left ear, right ear natural. Horse brand K left thigh.



Shepard & Hall.

P. O.: Tequisquite, N. M. Range, Alamocitas. Ear marks, crop and underbit left. Other brands: [grid of marks] right shoulder, side and hip.



this brand kept up. [grid of marks] left hip; also [grid of marks] on right hip.

Farr Bros.

P. O.: Watrous, N. M. Range, Red River and Alamocitas. Horse brand, [grid of marks] on left shoulder. Other cattle brand, [grid of marks] on left side. Some cattle are branded with a flying V on side without slash.



MORA COUNTY.



A. Seymour Isaacs. Postoffice, Wagon Mound, N. M. Range, Escondido Canon, Mora county. Ear marks, under half crop in both ears. Horse brands, [A] left shoulder, [I] left hip.

W. T. Marshall. P. O.: Wagon Mound Range, Escondido, south of Wagon Mound. Horse brand, same on left hip. Ear marks, under half crop left, over half crop right. Also have some cattle branded [H] on right side. All increase branded as in cut. [H]

Billings & Soule. P. O.: Tramperos, Mora county, N. M. Range, head of Tramperos, Mora Co. Other brands, [E] both on the left side. All increase branded as in cut with (bar) in addition on back of right leg. Horse brand, > or 3> on right shoulder.

Carl W. Wildenstein. P. O.: Watrous, N. M. Range, Pinos Altos and Piedoso Canon, Mora and San Miguel counties. Additional brands: [A], [R], [C]. Horse brand, same as on the cut, on the left hip or on the left shoulder.

Price Lane. P. O.: Wagon Mound Range, south of Wagon Mound. Horses branded L and L under bar on right shoulder.

J. F. LaTourette. P. O.: Wagon Mound. Range, near Fort Union. Extra brand, L left shoulder, A left side. Ear marks, swallowfork right, crop and two splits in left. Horse brand, same as cattle, on left shoulder.

Kearney Cattle Co. WATKINS & ECTON, Managers. P. O.: Wagon Mound, N. M. Range on Red river and Mora river, in Mora county. Ear marks underbit each ear. All cattle branded on the right side. Other brands [A], [SV]. Horse brand [E] on the right hip.

S. H. Fairchild. P. O.: Wagon Mound, N. M. Range, in Wagon Mound district. Ear marks, split and underbit the left. Additional brand, [Z] on the left side. Horse brand, same as cattle, on left shoulder.

L. W. Leach. P. O.: Wagon Mound. Range, south of Wagon Mound.

La Cueva Ranch Co. D. C. DEUEL, Manager. P. O.: La Cueva, N. M. Range, Coyote and La Jara, Mora county. Horse brand, on the right shoulder: [L]

H. T. Sinclair. P. O.: Wagon Mound, Range, Vermejo and Teta Vegue. All increase branded the same as old stock. Other brands, [H] on right shoulder, [T] on left side and [V] on side. Horse brand, [HT]

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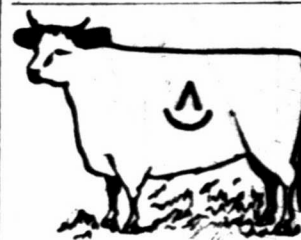
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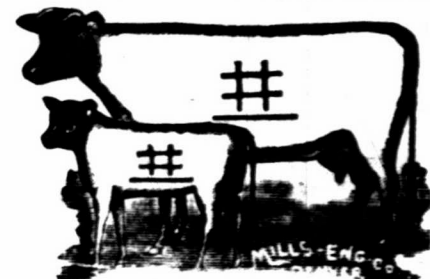


Campbell & Austen.

P. O.: Watrous, New Mexico.

Range, near Liberty, San Miguel county.

COLFAX COUNTY.



Miller & Harshman.

P. O.: Springer, N. M. Range, Ocate, Colfax Co. Ear mark, crop and underbit the left.

Other brands, [H], [X], [U], [V] all on left side, shoulder and hip. Horse brand [W] on the right shoulder.



S. W. Dorsey.

P. O.: Chico Springs, New Mexico.

Range—Carrumpa, San Rafael, Cinnegulla, Persico, Carrizo, Pinipottas, and Sierra Grande, Colfax county.

Horse brand, same as above, on right shoulder.

Additional Cattle Brands:

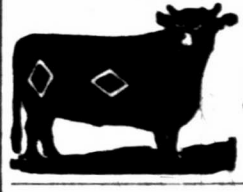
[U] left side and hip. [X] on right side. [CS] left hip or side. [LRB] on left side.



J. A. Judd & Co.

P. O.: Raton, Colfax Co. Range, Sugarite.

Horse brand, J left hip. Also own all cattle branded thus: [X] Increase branded and marked as in cut.



Cyril R. Smythe.

P. O.: Raton, N. M. Range, Sugarite, Colfax county.

Ear marks, crop the left and underbit the right.



S. A. Kall.

P. O.: Wagon Mound. Range, Vermejo and Teta Vegue.

Cattle have various ear marks. All increase marked as in cut.

Horse brands: Same as cattle on right hip.



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O. A. HADLEY, Manager.

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P. O.: Chico Springs, N. M. Range, Ute creek, Tramperos, Alamocitas, and Carrizo, Mora county, New Mexico.

Horse brand, same as cut, on the left hip or shoulder.



J. Linn Smythe.

P. O.: Raton, N. M. Range, Gates Canon, Colfax county.

Ear marks, split in the left and under hack right.



S. M. Fulsom.

A. R. HARTSEL, Foreman. P. O.: Cimarron Range, Cerososo Canon, Colfax county.

Other brands, [H] on right shoulder, [X] on left side, also [W] on left hip.

Horse brand, [X] on the left hip.

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Other prominent brands:

VI DC 4 XI MK A+ X all on the right side, and VI on the right hip. Horse brands: VI on the left shoulder or thigh. 101 on the right hip. W on the right thigh.



D. A. & J. H. Clouthier.

P. O.: Springer, N. M. Range, Rayado and Sweetwater. Horse brand, J-C on the left hip. All increase of above brands are in the following brand: 74



H. S. Gratz.

P. O.: Capulin, N. M. Range, Dry Cimarron, Colfax county.

Marks, slit in right ear. Horse brand, same as cut on the left shoulder.

Other brands: A on the left side. Marked, with a slit in the right ear and tin tag in the left ear.



Illinois Live Stock Co.

J. S. HOLLAND, Manager. P. O. Tramperos, N. M. Range, Tranperos.

Some cattle are branded but all increase are branded as in cut.

Ear marks—Crop and underbit left, and underbit right. Horse brand, same as cut, on left shoulder.



Richard Steele.

P. O.: Tequisquite, N. M. Range, Tequesquite and Ute creek, Colfax county.

Ear marks, under half crop right, underbit left. All young stock branded as in cut.

Other brands, not kept up: DS on left side. D left shoulder, S left hip. Horse brand, DS on left shoulder.



Ernst Winter.

P. O.: Raton, Colfax Co. Range, Sugarite and Red river, Colfax county.

Ear marks, split right, underbit left.

Other brands: T right side; swallowfork and H left side, under back each ear. V left side and F hip. OI left side and hip. Horse brands: V left, or T right side.

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Palo Blanco Cattle Co.

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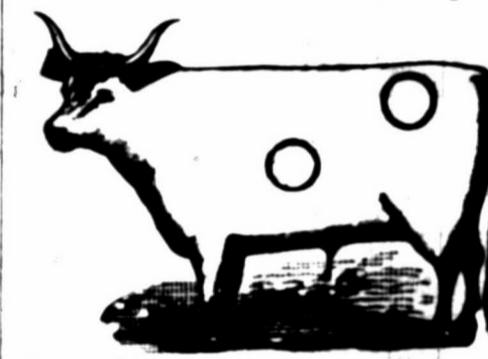
P. O.: Springer, N. M. Range, Chico, Retapien, Holkie, Palo Blanco, Don Carlos and Ute creek.

Ear mark, swallow fork the left. Horse brand, same as cattle, on left thigh. Also on left side, slash on left shoulder, own left hip. T slash left hip.

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P. O.: Chilli. Range, Estancia grant, Valencia county. Horse brand, circle on the left hip.



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P. O.: Coolidge, N. M. Ranches in Vallée de Las Tuces. Range, between Bluewater and Coolidge, along line of A & P. R. R.

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P. O.: Santa Fe, N. M.; box 218. Range, Valencia county, near Fort Wingate. Horse brand, the same.



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J. L. MILLER, Foreman.

P. O.: Belen and Las Vegas. Range, Estancia Springs, Valencia county.

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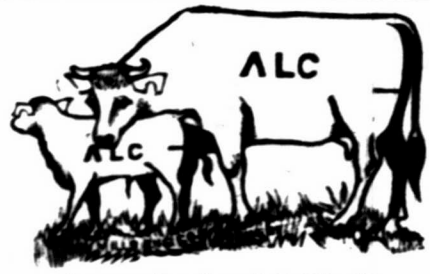
P. O.: Albuquerque, N. M. Range, Buffalo Springs. Horse brands: D



J. A. Johnson & Co.

P. O.: Albuquerque, N. M. Range, San Jose ranch, on A & P. railroad, forty-seven miles from Albuquerque. Horse brand, J left hip. Various earmarks.

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Horse brand the same.



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P. O.: Puerto de Luna Range, Juan de Dios.
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Horse brand, IX on the left shoulder.



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P. O.: Santa Rosa, N. M. Range, Los Tanos, Pecos river.
Cattle branded on both sides.
Ear marks, crop the left swallow fork the right.



Allen & Womer.

P. O.: Liberty, N. M. Range, The Canadian river.
Horse brand, same as cut, on the left hip.



Miguel Romero.

P. O.: Las Vegas, The range, San Rafael springs, San Miguel county.
Horses, same as cattle.
Additional brands: AR GR

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JOHN DOLD, Manager.



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T on the left side. C on side, IL on hip.

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Horse brand, RY on the left hip.
All increase marked crop and under half crop left.



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Horse brand, connects ND on left shoulder.



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Horse brand 2 on the left thigh.



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P. O.: Las Vegas, N. M. Range, Charco, San Miguel county.

Marked, crop the right.

Also own cattle branded: RCO



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P. O.: Fort Sumner. Range, at Fort Sumner.

All increase branded on the right side.

Horses branded same as cut on the right hip.

Mark, over half crop.



A. Goldsmith.

P. O.: Las Vegas, N. M. Range, Charco, San Miguel county, New Mexico.

Horse brand, circle cross on the left shoulder.

Underslope and under-bit left, overslope and over-bit right.



L. S. Rogers.

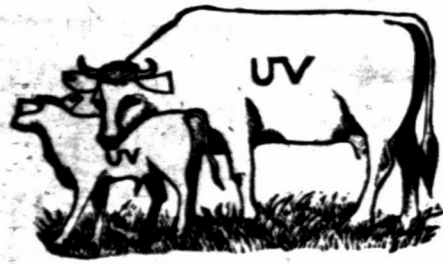
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Also own cattle on either side, and marked double jinglebob in left ear.

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Various ear marks for these various brands. Horse brand, same as cut.



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Ear marks, swallow fork the left, crop the right. Above brand and ear mark kept up.

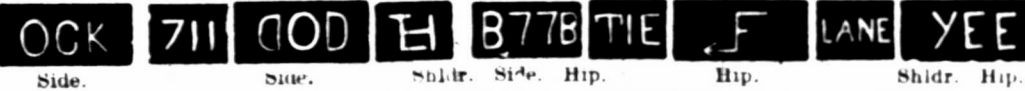


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P. O.: La Cinta, Range, La Cinta and Alamosita creeks.

Additional Brands: T on left hip, CO on left hip, CO on the left side.

Other ear marks: Grub left, split right. Horse brand same as main brand.



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P. O.: Liberty, N. M. Range, Red River, twelve miles above Fort Bascom.

Ear marks, crop the left and sharpen the right ear.



H. R. Trank.

P. O.: Liberty, San Miguel county, N. M.

Range with W. A. Burnett. Also own O L on left side with slash on hip and

X on left side. All increase branded as in cut. Horse brand same on left shoulder and N on left hip.

No stock cattle sold in these brands.



A. Straus, Manager.

P. O.: Liberty Range, Rincon del Charco.

Horse brand, same as on cattle, on right shoulder or left hip.

All young stock is branded thus: K K on left shoulder, side and hip.

Other brands: T C Ear marks, double jinglebob left ear.



R. & L. Davidson.

P. O.: Liberty, N. M. Range, Tierra Blanca, San Miguel county.

Ear marks, overslope left. Horse brand, on the left shoulder thus: W

Other brands: M, TV

None of these brands kept up. XV on left shoulder and V on left hip. All increase branded XV on both sides.

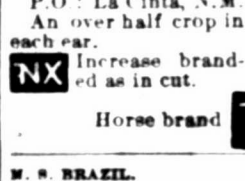


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NX increase branded as in cut.

Horse brand on the left shoulder.



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RH increase branded as in cut.

Horse brand on the left shoulder.



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Horse brand, on left shoulder.



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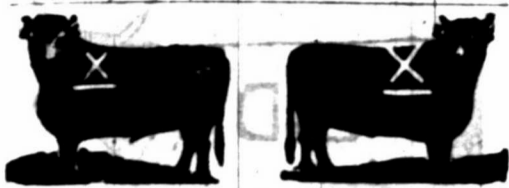
P. O.: Fort Sumner, N. M. Range, Alamo Gordo, San Miguel county, N. M.

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P. O.: Cabra Springs, San Miguel Co., N. M. Range, head of the Juan de Dios, head of the Pajarito Arroyo and Cuervito.

Additional brands: X on right side and I on right hip. X on the right side. X on right side and X on right hip.



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Brass Ball Ranch. P. O.: Hyde park, Ills. Range, El Salitre, San Miguel county. Horse brand, same as cut, on right hip. All young stock branded same as cut.



Lorenzo Lopez. P. O.: Las Vegas. Range, El Cuervo, San Miguel Co., New Mexico.



Pete Maxwell. P. O.: Fort Sumner, N. M. Range, Pecos river, near Fort Sumner. Ear marks: Right ear cropped and split, and left ear cropped. Also claims.



Geof. McCrohan. P. O. Liberty, San Miguel county. Range, Escondido, near Wagon Mound. Ear marks, crop right: staple bit left. Horse brand, same as cut on left shoulder.



Stapp & Ennis. P. O. Las Vegas, N. M. Range, Los Conchas. Ear marks, crop and hole in right; swallow fork left. Horse brand, same as cut on left hip.



Chas. S. Cowan. P. O. Pecos Town, N. M. Range, Rincon de las Trozas, Red River, and Cow Creek, Upper Pecos. Horse brand 7 on left shoulder. Ear mark, crop the left, and upper half crop right. Some cattle branded TA on left side. All increase branded as in cut.



J. N. Degraftenreid & Sons. P. O.: Fort Sumner, N. M. Range, Alamo Gordo. Saddle Horses branded SIX. Stock horses are branded O-O.



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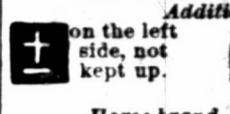


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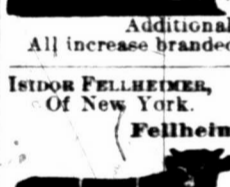
Additional brands. + on the left side, not kept up. + on the left side and left hip, not kept up. Horse brand, + on the left hip.



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Mrs. D. F. Allen. P. O.: La Cinta, San Miguel county, New Mexico. Range, Atarque Canon. Other brands: Some cattle branded same on left hip. Horse brands: Same on left shoulder.

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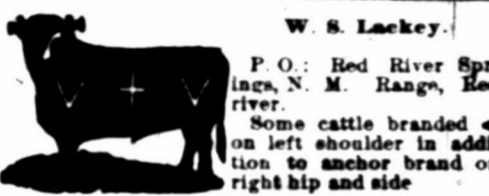
The Dutchess Cattle Co. of New Mexico. TAYLOR MAULINDA, Manager, Postoffice, Wagon Mound. Ranch P. O.: Liberty, N. M. Range, Pajarito, San Miguel county. Other brands, HUT and 202 both on the left side. Horses branded same as above cut, on left hip.



Frank Huntington. Postoffice, La Cinda, N. M. Range, Rincon La Cinda. Also own cattle in ZH on on left side. Horse brand, same as cut, on left thigh.



Sam Dosa. JOHN PAWLEY, Foreman. Ranch P. O.: Fort Sumner. Address, 508 East 9th st., Kansas City, and Trinidad, Colo. Range, Pecos river, at Fort Sumner. Additional Brands: Cattle in DQ brand have also following brands: some D on left hip and left jaw; a few branded D on left hip, side and jaw. Cattle in VQ brand have also following brands: some L right loin; some W right on loin; some F right side. None of these brands are kept up. All increase is side branded and marked as in cut. All horses branded DQ on right thigh.



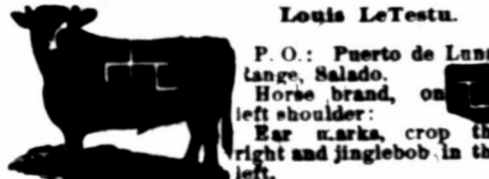
W. S. Lackey. P. O.: Red River Springs, N. M. Range, Red river. Some cattle branded < on left shoulder in addition to anchor brand on right hip and side. Also owns one-half interest in the anchor brand, formerly owned by Lackey & McNamara. All increase branded as shown in the cut. Horse brand, V cross on the left hip.



G. S. Long & Bro. P. O.: Cabra Springs, N. M. Range, La Garita and Los Cochos. Other brands: WHL on either side. Also, < or >. On either side. Increase branded as in cut. Horse brands, same as cut. Ear marks, slit right, overbit left.

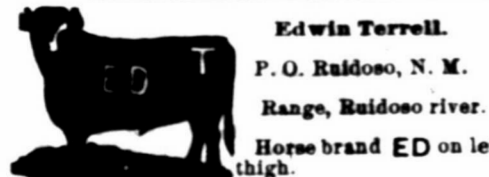


E. K. Houghton. P. O.: Liberty, N. M. Range, Monte Ruelto, San Miguel Co., N. M. Horse brand, same as cut, on the left hip.



Louis LeTestu. P. O.: Puerto de Luna, Tingo, Salado. Horse brand, on left shoulder. Ear mark, crop the right and jinglebob in the left.

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Edwin Terrell. P. O. Ruidoso, N. M. Range, Ruidoso river. Horse brand ED on left thigh.

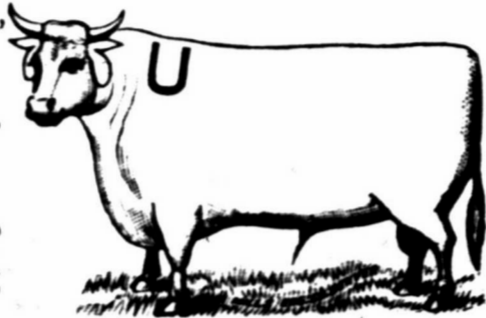


Hernandez Bros. P. O.: Fort Sumner, N. M. The range, California Ranch, on Pecos river, and the San Juan mesa. Horse brand, on left hip. Ear mark: Swallow fork in the left ear.

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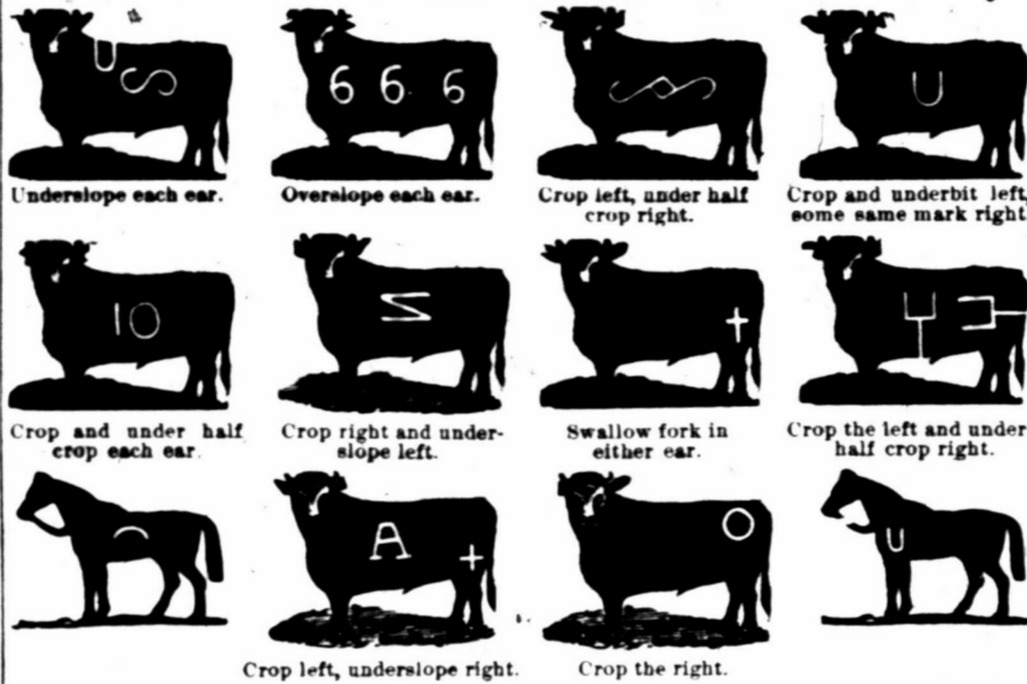
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WM. ROBERT, Postoffice, Roswell, Lincoln county, New Mexico.



Ranges, Breeding range, on the Pecos river, New Mexico. Steer range, on the San Pedro river, in Cochise county, Arizona.

Horse Brand, U on the left shoulder. Ear Marks, Jinglebob in both ears. Same brand and marks kept up on both the steer and breeding ranges. All increase of following brands, which I own, marked and branded as in main cut.

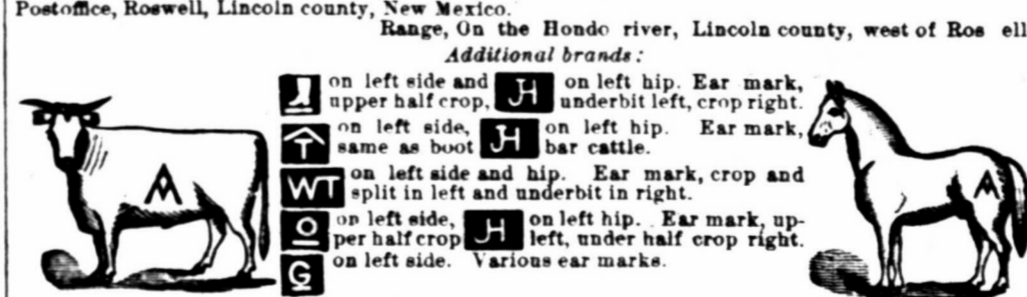


THE ANGUS V V RANCH. KIRBY & CREE.



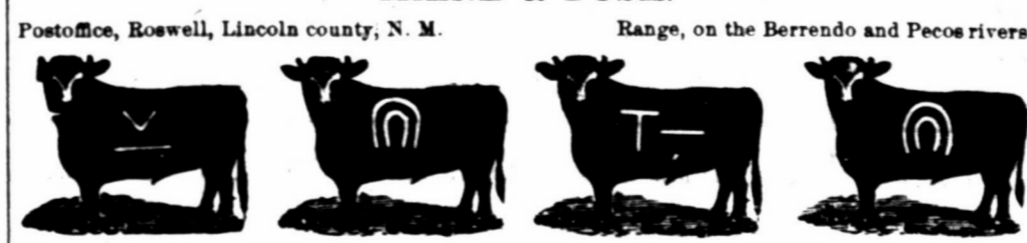
Postoffice, Fort Stanton, Lincoln county, New Mexico. Range, Rio Salado, Rio Bonito, Little creek, Eagle creek, and Rio Ruidosa. Ear marks, underbit in each ear. Horse brand, V on the left shoulder. Additional Brands: < on right side, underbit both ears. > on left side, or either side. < on either hip. > on the left side. <> on left shoulder, side and hip. Marked, crop right and underslope left.

ANDERSON CATTLE COMPANY. W. E. ANDERSON, Manager.



Postoffice, Roswell, Lincoln county, New Mexico. Range, On the Hondo river, Lincoln county, west of Roswell. Additional brands: < on left side and upper half crop. > on left hip, underbit left, crop right. < on left side, same as boot. > on left hip. Ear mark, bar cattle. < on left side and hip. Ear mark, crop and split in left and underbit in right. < on left side, > on left hip. Ear mark, upper half crop. < on left side. Various ear marks.

MILNE & BUSH.



Postoffice, Roswell, Lincoln county, N. M. Range, on the Berrendo and Pecos rivers. Main brand. Grub Left. Grub left and underslope right. Grub left and crop right. Additional Brands: < on left side. Ear marks, crop left under half right. Horse brand, X left thigh.

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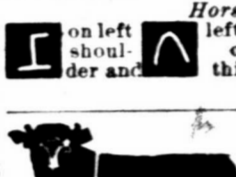
L. M. Long. P. O.: Roswell, N. M. Range, Rio Hondo. Other brands: < > Both on left side. Horse brands, same as cattle on right shoulder.



Also run cattle in this brand, which is kept up. Ear marks, upper jinglebob in the right and lower jinglebob in the left.



Lea Cattle Company. J. C. LEA, Manager. W. M. Atkinson, Range Foreman. P. O.: Roswell, Lincoln county, N. M. Range, on the Hondo, North Spring and Pecos rivers, and on the Aqua Azul, Blackwater and Baca Ranches, all in Lincoln Co. Ear marks, crop and split left, split right. Brand as in cut on left side, but sometimes on right side. Ear marks sometimes reversed. Additional brands: < side, and also some on side and hip. > side, < on hip or loin. > on side, or shoulder, side and hip. Cross on side and hip. And various other old brands and marks. Horse brand: < left hip or thigh. Part branded only on left shoulder thus: < >



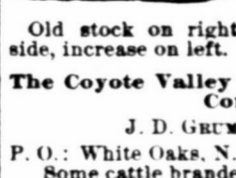
S. S. Terrell. P. O. Fort Stanton, N. M. Range, Rio Bonito. Ear marks, crop left, split and underbit right. All cattle branded with "riding bar" across top of and extending down on both shoulders. Also some cattle branded SS on right hip or thigh. Horse brand, SS on left thigh.



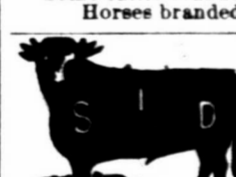
Emil Fritz. P. O.: Lincoln, N. M. Range, Rio Felix, Lincoln county, N. M.



Old stock on right side, increase on left. The Coyote Valley and Red Lake Cattle Company. J. D. GRUMBLES, Manager. P. O.: White Oaks, N. M. Range, Carizozo. Some cattle branded thus: < > right side. Horses branded on either shoulder.



S. A. Hubbell. Post Office: Bernalillo, New Mexico. Range: Guadalupe Mountains.



J. & J. S. Reynolds. A. B. ALLEN, Foreman. P. O.: Fort Sumner, N. M. Range, 8 miles below Cedar Canon on the Pecos river. Horse brands J on left shoulder.



Sutherland & Farrell. P. O.: Roswell, N. M. Range, Rio Hondo, above Roswell. Other brands: All cattle have two bars across the butt.



Eddy-Bissel Cattle Co. Eddy Bros., Managers. P. O.: Seven Rivers, N. M. Range, on the Pecos near Seven Rivers. Horse brand < on the left shoulder.



Seven Rivers Cattle Co. JOHN HARRIS, Manager. P. O.: Colorado City, Texas. Range, east side of Pecos river, 35 miles above Pecos Station, Tex. Horse brand, same as the cut on the left hip.



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El Capitan Land and Cattle Company.

P. O.: Fort Stanton, Lincoln county, New Mexico. Range, north of El Capitan mountains, Lincoln county.

Other brands. MEL left shoulder, side and hip. Ear marks split and underbit in right.

COM left shoulder, side and hip. OWL on left side. Marked crop right, underbit left.

left side and hip. Ear marks, split both ears. Horse brand, on hip.

All increase marked as in cut and tails bobbed. When sold all horses are counterbranded with a small block on the left jaw.



Carriazo Cattle Ranch Co. (Limited). JAMES A. ALCOCK, Manager.

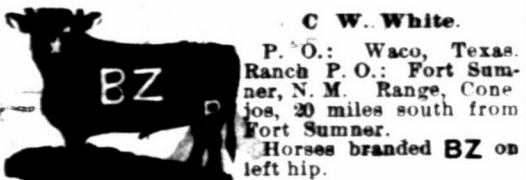
P. O.: White Oaks, N. M. Range, Carriazo. Horse brand, C with dot in center placed on left shoulder.



W. H. Fuqua.

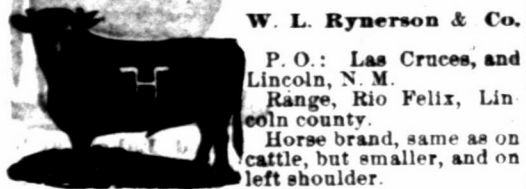
P. O. Fort Sumner, N. M. Range, Moro canon, Pecos river, 35 miles south of Fort Sumner. Ear marks, hole in left, finger left.

Old stock branded left side, increase both sides. Additional brands, on left side, kept up. Ear marks same as above. Ear marks, hole in left, quarter over and under crop right. Horse brand: A on left shoulder.



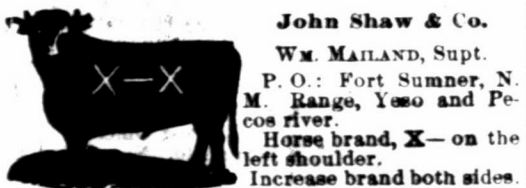
C. W. White.

P. O.: Waco, Texas. Ranch P. O.: Fort Sumner, N. M. Range, Conejos, 30 miles south from Fort Sumner. Horses branded BZ on left hip.



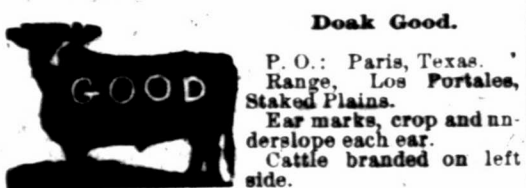
W. L. Rynerson & Co.

P. O.: Las Cruces, and Lincoln, N. M. Range, Rio Felix, Lincoln county. Horse brand, same as on cattle, but smaller, and on left shoulder.



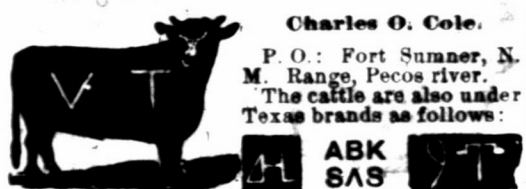
John Shaw & Co.

Wm. MAHLAND, Supt. P. O.: Fort Sumner, N. M. Range, Yaso and Pecos river. Horse brand, X on the left shoulder. Increase brand both sides.



Doak Good.

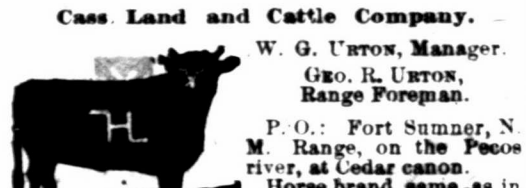
P. O.: Paris, Texas. Range, Los Portales, Staked Plains. Ear marks, crop and underbit each ear. Cattle branded on left side.



Charles O. Cole.

P. O.: Fort Sumner, N. M. Range, Pecos river. The cattle are also under Texas brands as follows: ABK, SAS.

All increase branded as in cut and marked with underbit in right ear. Horse brand, VT on the right thigh.



Cass Land and Cattle Company.

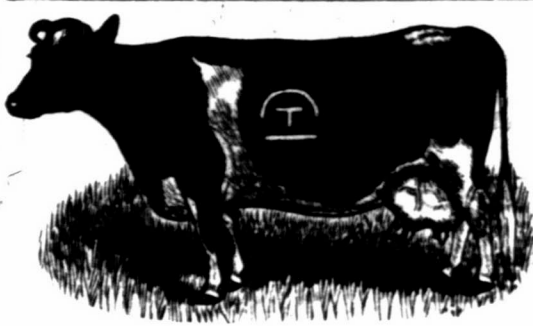
W. G. Urrox, Manager. Geo. R. Urrox, Range Foreman.

P. O.: Fort Sumner, N. M. Range, on the Pecos river, at Cedar canon. Horse brand, same as in cut, only on right hip.

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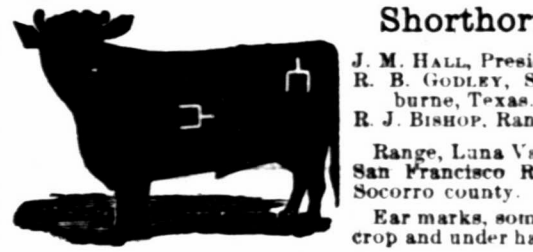
IRA E. LEONARD, President, Socorro, N. M. C. O. TIFFANY, Sec. & Treas., San Marcial. J. C. TIFFANY, Manager, San Marcial, N. M.

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Frank Lesnet.

P. O.: Ruidoso, Lincoln county, N. M. Range, Embury mesa river. Horse brand, on the left shoulder.



E. P. Segrest.

P. O.: Seven Rivers, N. M. Range, head of Seven Rivers, South Prong. Ear mark, underbit and overslope left ear, overbit right ear. Horse brand on left side. Some cattle are branded with the S straight up.



RRS-Ear mark, overslope and underbit left; overbit right.

OL-Ear mark, overslope and underbit left; overslope right.

HUB-Ear mark, crop and under half-crop left; crop right.

On shoulder and hip. Ear mark, swallow fork and underbit left; swallow fork right.



J. A. LaRue.

P. O.: Las Vegas, N. M. Range, Rio Felix, Lincoln county, New Mexico.



George G. Gans.

P. O.: South Fork, Lincoln county, N. M. Range, Pleasant valley, 9 miles north of Upper Pecos. Marked, crop both ears. Horses branded same as cattle, on left shoulder. Also own all cattle branded G on both sides.



Pat Garrett.

P. O.: Roswell, Lincoln county, N. M. Range, White mountains. Also all cattle with a butt brand. Horses branded same as cattle.



William Slane.

P. O.: Ruidoso, Range, from Ruidoso river to Eagle creek. Horse brand same as cut on left thigh.



N. B. WINFREY, C. H. WINFREY, Winfrey Bros.

P. O.: Fort Sumner, N. M. Range, Pecos river, 30 miles south of Fort Sumner. Ear marks, crop left, underbit right. Cattle also branded HAD right side, not kept up. Horses branded on right hip thus.



J. C. White.

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LINCOLN COUNTY.



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For these brands various earmarks. Horse brands: W - F on top of the right thigh.

Also own all cattle in the following brands: L O D left side; ear mark, swallow fork right overslope and underbit left; S S S left side, and S on hip; J E W left side; O V U left hip, side and shoulder.

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Other brands: COO left side, right loin. F left side, brand. H left hip saddle horses. rt. sh'lder stock horses.



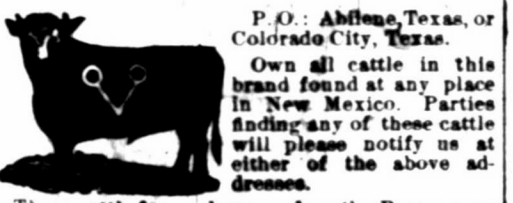
J. W. Crawford.

"CAPTAIN JACK."

P. O.: Fort Craig, New Mexico. Range, Fort Craig Military Reservation.

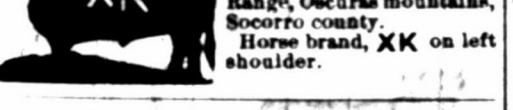
All increase branded and marked same as cut. Horse brand, W on left shoulder.

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P. O.: Abilene, Texas, or Colorado City, Texas. Own all cattle in this brand found at any place in New Mexico. Parties finding any of these cattle will please notify us at either of the above addresses.

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Bell & Taylor.

P. O.: Socorro, N. M. Range, Ocurse mountains, Socorro county. Horse brand, XK on left shoulder.



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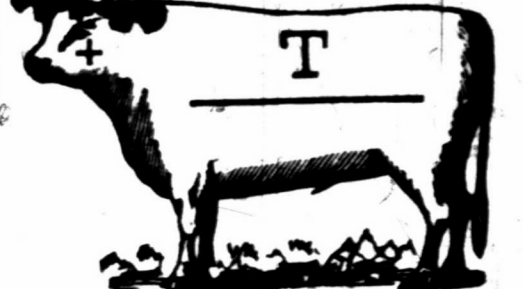
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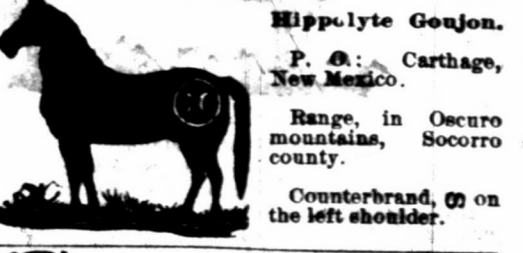
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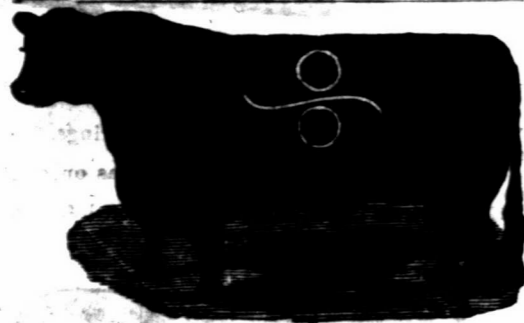
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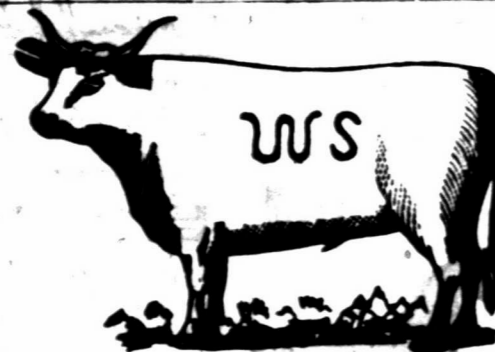
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