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THE interior department has information that all fences on public lands in New Mexico and Arizona, have been removed and that the law forbidding the maintaining of illegal fences here is everywhere practically complied with.

In another column under the heading of "Trusts that should be Distrusted," will be found the exact meaning of a cattle trust certificate. The New York Nation is authority for the statement that those who put their money into trusts have no assurance they will ever ser a dollar of it again.

NEXT in attractiveness to an idiot both deaf, dumb and blind, is the man who settles the great problem of equitable values as between the producer and consumer of beef by a peroration, after he has joined hands with the enemy of both. It is very amusing to note the verbal gyrations of such a psychological entity.

The Dominon government following up its policy of keeping its grazing lands in the northwest as free as possible from the use of outsiders, has recently imposed quarantine regulations which preclude absolutely the importation into that section of the country of any cattle except for breeding purposes, and they are only to be imported subject to the most stringent quarantine inspection.

MR. LEWIS LUTZ, of the cattle sanitary board, has taken the precaution the past week to call the attention of the commissioners of the various counties of New Mexico to the existence of the quarantine law recently enacted by the legislature requiring the assessment of one-half a mill on all cattle in the territory. This assessment does dot apply to any owner of cattle whose holdings are less than \$300 in value.

stock by the Burton cars in excess of their own profit. of the railroads, and returns the question for further consideration.

#### INTO THE JAWS OF THE BIG FOUR.

The cattle trust has undertaken to do what no other corporation in America has ever attempted.

The gentlemen at its head are the first to gravely assert that they can make oil and water assimilate. When they succeed we fear that it will only be the old story of peace existing between the lion and the lamb, but only when the latter was within the stomach of the king of beasts.

The design of the promoters is to control all of the ranges and cattle in this broad land and at the same time own the packing establishments which will use their products. These two industries are in a sense inimical to each other, for the reason that the lower the price of range cattle the larger the profit to the packers. No other corporation in the country attempts to control both the production and the sale of the manufactured article.

For instance, the Standard Oil company does not control the oil wells. It owns the pipe lines in which the oil is stored and the refineries where it is refined. Thus, being practically the only buyers, it can dictate prices and does control the market, but only with the view of making money for itself and not to help the producers. The same with the Cotton Seed Oil Trust. It does not wish to own the fields where the cotton is grown. It controls the dozen mills which are almost the sole buyers of cotton seed, and consequently can dictate what prices it will pay. The cotton seed producer of the present day does not seem to be pleased. The Whisky Trust is the same. It controls the fifty or more large distilleries, and consequently can prevent an overproduction, while the Rubber Trust does not make any pretense of controlling

THE inter-state commerce commis- ica, but the half dozen mills in the ing now to make a "perfectly safe" in-

They are impressed with the belief that all the range cattle in the United States the charge may be too high, and com- as well as the large packing houses. In mends its suggestions upon this point this they will fail. If it was proposed to the western classification committee to make a trust of the packing houses alone that could be easily done, and it would be successful, but the big four already have such a thorough understanding that to all intents and purposes a complete pool is now in existrust. They have come to this understanding solely because being the large purchasers of beef they, by concerted action, need not enter into competition with each other, but can buy at bottom figures. Can any reasonable man expect that they will give up the advantage which they now enjoy in being able to regulate the price of beef unless elsewhere?

No, stockmen, rest assured that they will not give up their present profit of at least fifteen dollars per head unless they can see a greater one in the near future. The monopoly is too powerful and such range men as enter the trust will no doubt finally find peace and quiet when they and their possessions have quietly been digested by the Chicago beef syndicate.

#### ON THE SITUATION.

M. D. Thatcher, a leading banker of Pueblo, Colorado, who is largely interested in cattle, and holds considerable cattle "paper" writes to a friend in Las Vegas in the following language:

My judgment is that the cattle business is still a legitimate business, but one that such large profits cannot be realized from soon again. If a cattleman has a good ranch that he is sure of controlling for any length of time, I think he is all he has the other necessary qualifications to succeed in business. I have no hesitancy in loaning inter-state commission look into this to the cattlemen of the class named. With a good matter? That body has disheartened ranch I would not hesitate a moment to go into the business. Cattle are so very cheap now that I think it pefectly safe to count on a reaction within a year or two, as by that time a man would have his cattle ready for market, if bought now.

This opinion of Mr. Thatcher's is shared very generally by moneyed men, who see in the present depression in cat-

sion has made a partial ruling with re-country have combined because, being vestment. The man who has secured spect to the Burton stock car. The the sole purchasers of rubber by having his ranch holdings and is a business commission says that there is no appar-only one purchasing agent, they can man, will, in the future of the cattle ent ground upon which the railroads avoid competition and are enabled to business, have no occasion to go about can be ordered to pay mileage to the purchase the raw material at a lower with the mourners. It is not so much a Burton company. The commission says rate than at present, while at the same question of nerve in staying with cattle further that in respect to the unreason- time they can keep up the price of the raising now as it is a matter of good ableness of the charge to shippers of manufactured articles and increase judgment. It requires a simple faith in one of the inexorable laws of trade. that to shippers by ordinary cars, the The cattle trust goes further than this The day of greatly enhanced values for case is not satisfactorily presented, and aims, as already stated, to control cattle stocks is not so far removed as the frightened ones would have us be-

#### The Chicago-Kansas City Beef Ring.

The recent failures of ranchmen in Texas are said to be owing to the fact that the price of live cattle has been lower during the present season than at any time in twenty years. As compared \* poses a complete pool is now in exis-tence which would not be strengthened decline of one-half, and cattle feeders one iota by the addition of the word throughout the west complain that it is no longer possible to make any profit at the business. Yet the beef consumer who buys at retail pays as high a price as ever, even in Chicago and Kansas City, where the cattle are slaughtered. There is an anamoly here which does not seem susceptible of any just or reasonable explanation. When the facts show a decline of one-half in the price of live cattle while city and town consumers are charged as much as ever at retail, the only conclusion must be that they are to gain greater advantages the market is cornered, competition suppressed, and vast illegitimate, unnatural profits are being reaped by a gang of banded speculators. The price allowed the producer is unreasonably low, that levied on the consumer excessively high, and between the two classes there must be a ring of rapacious, well disciplined speculators who have cornered the market and are extorting all the public can be made to pay.

It is certainly very strange that in such a business as the beef supply competition can be so effectively stifled and unnatural prices so steadily maintained. the wholesale price of beef without any reduction to the consumer? The only explanation at all adequate to meet these facts would seem to be that the great Chicago-Kansas City beef ring is so favored by railroad discrimination that it can interdict competition and hold the market in its clutch. There is every indication that by some such system of rebates, cut rates, and favoritism as that so long allowed the Standard Oil combination the beef ring is now enabled to monopolize the market, cheat right beyond question, providing, of course, that the producer, and squeeze tremendous profits from the consumer. Will the many of its friends by its weak, faltering course of late, but it now has a splendid opportunity to regain public confidence and prove that in procuring benefits for the people and enforcing rules of justice it can realize all the objects of its creation. The question at issue is one of vast importance and affects directly millions of people. Acthe rubber production in South Amer- the values an opportunity by purchas- cording to every appearance the inter-

state commerce law is being shamefully violated, and the evils which the commission was expected to check are flourishing unrestrained. Why should not the commission proceed to investigate on its own motion without waiting for an individual to present a case and undertake an unequal contest with the powerful beef ring? The commission has an opportunity to render the public splendid service and prove itself one of the most valuable agencies of the gov-ernment for the correction of injustice and the protection of the people. Will it act as the occasion demands?-The Chicago Tribune.

#### The Texas Drive.

T. T. D. Andrews, of Fort Worth, the Texas member of the bureau of animal industry, and one of the best known among cattlemen of the southwest was interviewed last week at St. Louis by a morning paper on the question of the turning back of trail cattle. Mr. Andrews is credited always with knowing just what he's talking about in cattle matters. His statement of the situation can be taken as it reads. He said:

"I have just come from Coolidge where I made a complete survey of the situation. As to the report that the cattle will be returned to Texas, I can positively state that not a steer that has crossed the Arkansas will recross that stream. Not a head of cattle will return to its native range, of that there is no question. As to the failure of the market, there is no question that the northern cattlemen, discouraged by the terrible losses of last winter, are unwilling to add to their stock, and that the Wyoming and Montana market is closed for the present. The Texas drive is collected, some near Hugo, and some near Coolidge, and the cattle will be driven no farther north. The number in the drive has been greatly exaggerated. I made a careful estimate, and know that not more than 35,000 head are to-day on the open market. All reports that this number, or any portion of it, will return to Texas, is utterly false." What will be done with the cattle ?"

"A large number have already been disposed of to Kansas and Nebraska feeders. and the great bulk of the herd will probably go that way. The cattle are all in fine condition, and of good grade, being from New Mexico and the Panhandle. The prices at which they are offered, \$12 for yearlings, and \$16 for 2-year-olds.have attracted buyers, and I look to see the bulk of the herd sold in a short time. If the owners are willing to abate from \$1 to \$2 in their price, not a head need remain unsold. Should the owners prefer to hold their cattle for another season, they will be considered either in the neutral zone

or the Cherokee strip.'

"Will the trail be used again next year ?" "In my opinion the trail is now practically closed. The last drive has taken place, but this does not mean that the transfer of cattle from Texas to the north has ceased, but indicates simply a change from the drive to the railroads, which now penetrate the cattle country, and will be to take the cattle to the north consider this a good thing for the trade. The Texas men can not be caught with a lot of cattle on their hands, far from their ranges, and squeezed by the northern buyers. The northern men will, in future, come to Texas, buy their cattle on the ranges, and ship by rail. It will do away with what is known as the 'open market,' which is fraught with danger to the seller, and will place the Texas men in a better position than ever before. The closing of the trail will be a blessing, not a curse. I wish to say that the reports that have been industriously spread that the buyers feared Texas fever are utterly false. The quarantine regulations of Colorado are excellent, not a case of Texas fever has occurred in the herd, and no danger is apprehended by any one."

Are the prospects of the cattle trade in Texas promising at the present time?" "They are better than they have been

for years. The overproduction of cattle has been stopped, the poor, immature stock has been worked off, a great number of cows have been spayed, and I look for a large advance in prices within the next Again Mr. Town says that "the ordinary two years. As to the statements that a large number of cattlemen would be

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ure will result. Some of the stockmen me of the stories of the Inquisition when slaughtered animals, showing 765 to be land they still hold, and it is more valuable than ever before, and finds a ready sale. By selling a portion of their holdland enough to make them rich within a few years. Altogether the Texas men are more prosperous than they have been for a long time, and I look for a great improvement at a very early date."

Pets of the Enemy.

It is verbally admitted by all cattlemen that the Chicago beef ring have got the cattle markets of the country in the palms of their hands, and that they can and do move prices up or down at will, and that their oppressions and extortions are getting worse all the time. But the same cattlemen practically rely upon the ring to purchase their fat stock, and refuse to assist in building up an opposition market, or do anything else calculated to incur the displeasure of the ring. committee appointed to investigate what was the matter with the market wound up with two of the members going over to the enemy. An effort to establish a packery at Houston fell still-born, even after the citizens of Houston had put up \$25,000 and donated the grounds. A cattleman, commenting on this fact, remarked that if the cattlemen will not help themselves they cannot expect to do much of a business .- Dallas

#### A Solemn Truth.

The man who, boosted into prominence by the people, trades his influence for position regardless of the interests of those to whom he owes his advancement is as criminally culpable as is the burglar who seeks employment in the household, that be may, through familiarity with the premises be the better able to rob his employer .- Texas Stockman.

#### A Reply to Mr. Town.

EAST LAS VEGAS, N. M., Aug. 1, 1887. To the Stock Grower:

Will you please allow me space enough in your valuable paper for a few remarks in reply to the letter you published in your last issue from Mr. I. N. Town, regarding transportation of stock in the Bur-

I will ask Mr. Town, if he has ever seen the interior of a Burton car as at present adapted for the range cattle carrying trade? In this especially constructed car the mangers are placed lengthwise, not across the car, and in each compartment there is only one manger which occupies one side of each compartment, the mangers being placed on alternate sides so as to balance the car more equally. By this arrangement twenty beeves can be carried in a thirty-four foot Burton car and still have room enough to rest properly. Of course if a cattleman deems it advisable to ship "thin or at best only medium flesh steers," the use of the Burton car will run up the freight rate per head very materially. But if only fat cattle are shipped the owner would naturally wish to avail himself of all possible means to retain that fat on the animal so long as it remains in his possession. rack car is on the whole the best plan yet presented for railroad transportation."

made large purchases of land. But this torture. The poor steer is surely "racked" till he is sore all over. It has been satisfactorily proven that beef steers when more is to be apprehended shipped in Burton cars have saved several Work in New Jersey has ings they can pay their debts and retain | dollars per head on the ordinary freight rate after allowing liberally for shrinkage. I do not know whether small cattle, such as yearlings, were ever shipped from the western ranges in the Burton cars, and it is at present an undecided question whether it would pay the shipper to use those cars for that purpose. But the cattle that are transported to Kansas City are the fattest of the herds and it seems to the beef and tallow possible, whereby the weight of his cattle is augmented and his purse likewise. The railroad companies have shipped steers to market have a jus tifiable kick to make on some point of the run. It is either on mildewed hay, muddy pens without mangers, or similar manger" arrangement is about the worst feature of all, and calls for remedial action on the part of the railroad companies. Yours respectfully,

IMPROVED FACILITIES.

Suppressing Pleuro-Pneumonia. Dr. D. A. Salmon, chief of the bureau of animal industry, in making his preliminary report to the commissioner of agriculture in reference to the work for the suppression of pleuro-pneumonia for the six months ending July 30, 1887, says that the act of March 3 has enabled the bureau to accomplish much more than had been possible previous to that time. New rules had been very favorably received and accepted by the following states and territories: Alaska, Arizona, California, Dakota, District of Columbia, Idaho, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Maine, Mississippi, Minnesota, Vyoming. The legislators of New York, Rhode Island and Virginia grant. have passed acts giving full authority to the national bureau.

to be infected with pleuro-pneumonia, the authorities of which have declined to accept new rules and to give the national inspectors any recognition in this work.

the bureau have inspected 2,358 herds in these, 299 animals showed signs of contagious pleuro-pneumonia. Since April 20 819 animals have compulsorily slaugh. tered in Cook county and paid for by this

Of these, 234, or nearly 50 per cent., were affected by this disease. Very few affected animals are now being found and four inches in diameter. The tusk was it is believed the disease is about stamped in a splendid state of preservation when

In Maryland 2,408 herds have been inwere quarantined. The number of diseased animals found in these herds were ruined by the stoppage of the drive, I do He hits the nail squarely on the head not believe that a single considerable fail- when he calls it a "rack car" and reminds tions have been made on the carcasses of

are heavily in debt on account of having the "rack" was used as an instrument of to be infected with pleuro-pneumonia. Very few recent cases of disease have been found and it is believed but little

> Work in New Jersey has only recently commenced. Four hundred and fiftythree herds containing 3,815 animals have been inspected, twenty herds found infected, containing 284 head, of which thirty five were reported diseased; twenty-eight animals were slaughtered, of which fifteen were found to be affected with pleuro-pneumonia.

In New York seventy-nine herds c4ntaining 2,201 animals were inspected, of me that it should be the stockowner's these forty five herds were infected and most conservative policy to preserve all contained 937 animals, of which 125 were reported diseased. The number of cattle slaughtered was 117, of which twenty five showed traces of pleuro-pneumonia. The claim to give the best service at their total number of herds inspected during command, but we all know that those who the six months is 5,351, containing 45,094 animals, 298 herds, and 11,628 animals being placed in quarantine. Among these were found 904 diseased animals. Post mortem examinations were made on complaints. This "muddy pen without a carcasses of 9,451 animals and showed that 1,444 of these had been affected with pleuro-pneumonia.

### The Maxwell Land Grant Complica-

It is reported that the Maxwell Land Grant company has submitted to the settlers on that grant, who are nearly all cattlemen, a proposition to buy them out in the form of an agreement between the company and the settlers, which is being numerously signed and promises to solve the difficulty now existing. It is agreed that the company shall deposit \$50,000 at the disposal of T. B. Dawson, to be used in carrying out the agreement. The settlers will then at once begin to gather, brand and deliver their cattle to M. P. Pels, agent of the company, for which there will be paid on delivery \$5 per head. The delivery to include everything, and \$16 a head more by May 15, 1888. Five per cent. of the \$21 per head will be deducted for winter loss on cattle Montana, Mew Jersey, Mew Mexico, New delivered this fall. Cows and calves of York, Nevada, Nebraska, North Carolina, Within sixty days after all the cattle have Ohio, Rhode Island, South Carolina, been delivered, the settlers are to vacate Tennessee, Texas, Vermont, Virginia, and give Pels possession of their ranches Washington Territory, West Virginia, and and improvements. There are between Illinois, 75,000 and 100,000 head of cattle on the

The Paris correspondent of the London Pennsylvania is the only state believed | News telegraphs: "A death is reported of a grazier named Pomarede from eating a steak taken from an ox belonging to him which had died of blood-poisoning from During these six months the officers of the sting of a venomous fly. Pomarede had a grass farm at Fourque, near La Illinois containing 12,631 animals. They have made post mortem examinations on carcasses of 5,183 animals that had been rapid that the Mayor of his commune slaughtered from infected districts. Of judged well to authorize his burial within the time prescribed by law."

While digging a well about twenty miles from the Texas line in Lincoln county, N. M., Mr. J. H. Miller discovered an elephant tusk three feet long and exhumed, but after being exposed to the sun it began to crack and shell. There spected, containing 25,739 animals. Of was in sight at last reports a rib bone in these herds 233, containing 2,676 animals, the side of the well, bedded in white sand and about twelve inches thick. A tooth has also since been dug out. Mr. 744. About 1,254 post mortem examina. Miller thinks the entire skeleton is near, as there is no sign of wash or overflow.

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#### Trusts That Should be Distrusted.

The movement in financial and industrial circles for the creation of "trusts" has seemed to lag somewhat of late. The cattle trust, which was intended to embrace all the great ranges of the west, has been pretty much discredited, and the India Rubber Trust has not been able to the article a little cheaper than the old get a fair start, although it is still under consideration. The Cotton-Seed Oil Trust, which was launched last year, has received a decided back set since the artificial, cannot last unless reinforced by publication of its financial statement. An attempt is now making to create a Straw Board Trust, but the prospects of success are extremely gloomy. A White Lead least skillful and the worst situated go Trust was mooted in Wall street some down. time ago; but as nothing has been heard persuade the stronger ones to divide losses with them. The latest trust of listed if possible on the exchanges of New York and Cheicago.

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We have explained in profious articles that these trusts are illegal or extra-legal corporations, created for an anti-social together with the rewards of exceptional purpose, i. e., the establishment of monopolies. They are not immoral, but are extremely hazardous. Those who put their money into such trusts have no assurance that they will ever see a dollar of it again. When men of business part new enterprises will be started to force the speculation, and where, after a long something that they can take into court not successful, it will be inferred that stock in the company to the amount of and offer as evidence of ownership, as, for example, a share of stock or a bond secured by mortgage. The certificate of a trust is neither one nor the other. It is needed to convince the believers in trusts a number of handsome dresses, which not even evidence of partnership, in the legal sense. If it were such, nobody circumvented. The only cure for overwould for a moment think of going into it, because partners are liable without that slovens and incapables shall disaplimit for the debts of the firm, and in the pear and the fittest survive. Trusts can found in Madrid and at Seville, where case of a trust partnership nobody is allowed any share in the management ex and delay, its operations at the expense of cept the trustees. Any member of the the skilful and energetic, and to the det importance to the case, and the matter is tirm, great or small, might be made riment of society at large.-The New bankrupt without knowing when or how. York Nation.

A trust of this sort is an attempt to suppress competition—that is, to create a monopoly in the supply of some indis-pensible article. As there are always some persons or corporations less favor- aess in which he made a most happy conably situated or less skillful than others, but who nevertheless can "demoralize' the market by gradually sinking their own or their creditors' capital, a proposition to bring all the producers into a common "pool," to regulate production by some central authority and to divide the profits of the trade with all the members, has a certain amount of plausibility. The Straw Board trade, whose annual meeting was recently held at Akron, Ohio, is now in a nt condition to be "trusted." A correspondent sends us a statement of affairs of this branch of industry, from which it appears that the present production of traw board is about 50 per cent. greater than the country can use. The manufacturers are obliged to "take care of" about 120 tons of product per day. Tak. in some way materialize, but appearances ing care of it means preventing it from coming on the market and knocking the price down below the point of profit. The cheapest way to take care of the surplus is to prevent it from being made—that is, to shut down one-third of the mills temporarily, and support their proprietors in idleness. This might possibly be done for a time, longer or shorter; but the trouble of selecting the mills to be closed, and fixing the terms upon which they are to be closed, is very great. Nobody likes to discharge his hands and lose his place in the market, thus virtually effacing and who married there a Miss Lamar, behimself from the business world. On the longing to an old Missouri family. Soon other hand, no mill can run on two-thirds time and keep its hands together.

In this case or in any other where overproduction is complained of the tempta- his return he represented with great glee tion is strong to bring all the producers together and get them to an agreement to maintain prices. This can only be done by limiting the supply. If all would enter into the agreement and abide by it, and if no new experimenter should start for a time and then returned to Arizona, in the same business, the end sought could where, as his letters showed, he formed be reached without the intervention of a an intimate acquaintance with a man trust. In that case gobody would think named Reavis, and where he soon after-

control and accepting an uncertain nondeagreements, as a general rule, will not be kept, in many cases cannot be, because extraneous circumstances, to put more evidence to establish it. than their quots of goods upon the market. Moreover, there are always newcomers who fancy that they can produce ones. There are others who think that the "combine" are making too much money and are therefore fit subjects for blackmail. Such a state of trade, being wholly absolutely despotic authority. The agreement not to produce more than the allotted

Those in the latter category are the their own hands, remaining only as sala which the public have any information is ried managers, they are disabled from a Whiskey Trust, to be composed of all violating the rules. But the demand for the distilleries in the west, to be capital the goods has not been increased, nor has ized at \$10,000,000, and its stock to be the capacity to produce them been diminished. The same plant, and the same ployes have to be remunerated. The spur of individual enterprise is taken away, nothing can prevent new capital and labor from entering the field, as it will be pretty sure to do. If the trust makes money money is to be made by attacking the monopoly and tearing it down.

Probably a few experiments will be that the law of competition is not to be production is the rule which provides

#### The Moribund Trust.

Somebody once wrote an essay on busidensation of the most important points of his subject into two words: "Trustbust." Whether there is a fatality in the name trust or not we are not ready to say -but it begins to look as though the history of the American cattle trust would be written in the second word of this little essay. If rumors are to be believed the great scheme has in some way failed of complete organization, its very immensity rendering it impracticable. Some leading ranchmen are talking already of lesser, more reasonable and more practicable plans to succeed the one which has from its inception been condemned by nearly everybody in any way interested. National Stockman.

#### THE PERALTO GRANT.

#### A Company Trying to Get Hold of a Big Tract in Arizona.

there lived at Fulton, Mo., a man named Dr. George M. Willing, who was a garrulous, speculative, and roving character, after his marriage Willing went to the far west and remained a year or more. On that he had purchased for a mere song, from an old Spaniard named Peralto, a large tract of land in Arizona, which was worth millions. He remained at home of putting his property out of his own ward died very suddenly. His widow

went to live with her brother on a farm script paper in place of it. But such near Fulton, where she still lives. She always believed that her husband had secured a very valuable claim, but was the parties are driven by debts or other never able to get sufficient documentary

Meanwhile, as now appears, Reavis was industriously pursuing a course which would place him in possession of information necessary to gain possession of the land the old Spaniard had deeded to Willing. Ten or twelve years ago, while Mrs. Willing was visiting relatives in Kentucky, Reavis went there and had a conference with her, which resulted in an agreement by her to sell her claim to the Arizona property for \$30,000. He paid amount breaks down competition is re-her, she said, \$600. Then he devoted a sumed, and eventually the weaker, the long time to the tracing of the genealogy of the old Spaniard who had sold the claim, and about four years ago he married in Arizona a young girl who, it ones who have most faith in the healing is said, was in very lowly circumstances, of it for several months, it may be assumed that the weaker establishments in supply the despotic authority needed to that she was the grandchild of Peraito, that branch of trade have not been able to hold everybody up to the rules. Of the old land owner, her father being Percourse, if all the competitors in the trade alto's only son, who had gone to Spain in pass the control of the property out of early manhood and had died there. After the marriage Reavis gave out that he proposed to assert a claim to the old Peralto holdings on his wife's account. He soon learned that the claim would be stubbornly resisted by Mrs. Willing, who held that her dead husband's title was still good, number of persons, employers and em- inasmuch as Reavis had never paid in full what he agreed to.

Reavis then made arrangements to organize a great land company to furnish talent. But although the current of com- the money to prosecute the claim. A year petition is dammed up for the time being, ago the Widow Willing, who is in very humble circumstances, was summoned to Washington, where she met Reavis, Robert G. Ingersoll, and others interested in with their property, they usually require an entrance and share the profits. If it is conference, she finally agreed to accept \$100,000 in consideration of her aiding the company to secure the property. Only a short time ago Reavis sent her \$100 and were calculated to retain her good will

for the promoters of the undertaking. Col. Broadhead, of St. Louis, holds stock in the company. He says: "Reavis not prevent, although they may hinder especially the archives of New Spain were preserved, documents of the utmost now all ready to be presented to the chief commissioner of the land office. The claims are guaranteed by the treaty of Guadaloupe Hidalgo, and subsequently reassured by the terms of the Gadsden purchase. The lady whom Reavis married was a Miss Peralto. He says she is the only lineal descendant of the Miguel de Peralto, Baron of the Colorados, to whom the patent was passed. Mr. Reavis is now at work making out a geneological tree, which shows all the connections of the Peralto family."

#### School Lands in the Territories.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 30.—In the case of Thomas E. Watson, of Washington Territory, in which is involved the question of the rights of settlers upon school lands in the Territories, Assistant Secretary Muldrow has decided that under It is just possible that the thing may yet the acts granting to the Territories lands for school purposes, where the land at the date of survey is occupied by an actual settler, his right to the land is superior to the right of the Territory; and that where school lands, at the date of survey, are occupied by an actual settler, the Territory is entitled to select equivalent lands in lieu thereof as indemnity; and having About twenty-five or thirty years ago made such selection, the indemnity land so selected is held in reservation in lieu of the school section upon which such selection was made; and the school section, by the act of such selection, is released from reservation, and therefore an entry of a school section made while the section of equivalent land remained intact was valid.

#### Notice

Is hereby given that I have been appointed by the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District of New Mexico, and have qualified as Receiver of the lands, cattle, horses and effects belonging to the late firm of Stapp, Ennis & Co., of San Miguel county, New Mexico. No person is authorized to sell or dispose of any of the property without a written order.

A reward of \$100 will be paid for information leading to the conviction of any person who shall illegally brand any of the live stock or handle any of the property.

Lewis Lutz, Las Vegas, N. M., June 8, 1887. Receiver

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No. 102. From 1,000 to 5,000 yearling heifers, in one mark and brand, Matador breeding, first-class, high grade Panhandle heifers, delivered at nner, Albuquerque, Las Vegas or Socor-

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No. 120. Western Texas she cattle, raised north of the quarantine line, delivered at Seven Rivers, N. M. Yearling heifers, \$9; two-year-old heifers and dry cows, \$18; cows and calves, \$20. No. 123. A very choice lot of Hereford, very highly bred by one of the best Hereford breeders west of the Missouri river. Delivery, \$45; southern New Mexico, \$47.50; Arizona, \$50. Yearling heifers of the same grade \$7.50 to \$10 per head less. High-grade two-year-old Shorthorn heifers, in calf to imported Hereford bulls, at \$42.50, \$45 and \$47.50. High-grade two-year-old Hereford heifers, in calf to imported Hereford bulls, \$10 additional. Young cows, high-grade Shorthorn and Hereford, with young calves at foot or in calf to imported Hereford bulls, at \$2.50 per head less than the two-year-

calves at foot or in calf to imported Hereford bulls, at \$2.50 per head less than the two-year-old Hereford heifers. Fifty three-fourths-bred yearling Shorthorn bulls, price, \$30, \$32.50 and \$35. Northern New Mexico, southern New Mexico or Arizona delivery.

No. 151, 2,000 three-year-old steers, Lubbock county, northwest Texas, one mark and brand; price, \$21.50 per head, Las Animas or Hugo, Colorado, delivery, 1,000 she cattle, western Texas-raised, good stock, classifying 600 cows, 200 two-year-old heifers and 200 yearling heifers; price \$13, Deming delivery, \$13.50, Las Vegas delivery. Offer open until May 1st only.

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equally divided, Magdalena delivery, \$14.50 and \$18.50.

No. 128. 250 yearling and fifty two-year-old Short-horn bulls, New Mexico-raised, delivered at Horse Springs, Socorro county, at \$37 per head. No. 113. 2.000 one and two-year-old steers, fairly graded, New Mexico-raised, delivered at Lamy or Albuquerque at \$12.50 and \$16.50. 1,000 yearling heifers or 1,000 two-year-old heifers, fairly graded, New Mexico-raised, one

mark and brand, Albuquerque delivery, price \$13 and \$17.

0. 157. 250 yearling steers; price, \$10.50. 150 two-year-old steers, price, \$14.50, and 250 yearling heifers, price, \$13; good grade, thrifty condition, New Mexico-raised, one mark and brand, Magdalena or Silver City delivery.

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price, \$45 for yearlings and \$55 for twos, delivered at Colorado Springs, Colorado.

No. 129. Galloway bulls and heifers, New Mexico-raised from high-grade and full-blood Shorthorn dams and imported sires. Prices, yearing bulls, \$40; two-year-olds, \$50; yearling heifers, \$35. Silver City delivery.

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No. 98. One car-load of good Hereford yearing bulls, imported sires, on board the cars at Irving, Kansas, at \$30 per head.

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#### FROM ALL POINTS.

#### Live Stock Notes Carefully Collected From Every Source.

The English Shorthorn society now numbers 1,183 members.

Broken-ribbed and bruised cattle are docked \$5 per head in the Chicago mar-

Nebraska is said to have sustained a loss of \$2,000,000 from Texas cattle fever last vear.

The English markets for American live cattle continue dull, at 11@11%c for best, estimated dressed weight.

It is rumored that something like bloody murrain has made its appearance among some cattle near Utica, N. Y.

meats from Boston and the English mar kets last week were 1,672 cattle and 2,960 quarters of beef.

Cattle exports during June were 13,842, against 11,472 in June 1886. Exports for twelve months ending June 30 were 99,. 145, against 115,819 same time last year.

Seventeen steers raised on the farm of Jacob Mumma, Marietta, Lancaster county, were sold at the West Philadelphia stock yards, last week, at 51/2c per pound.

The order forbidding the exportation of horses from Germany has been rescinded, and a similar order issued by the Austro-Hungarian government has been revoked.

About 1,000 head of cattle have been killed in Westchester county, N. Y., on You see when a screw-worm makes an enaccount of the outbreak of pleuro-pneu- trance, particularly when the weather is monia there, and the disease is not yet stamped out.

quite a decided boom in the cattle market. Within a week prices have moved up thirty to fifty cents. This improvement of necessity be great." was in response to lighter receipts, and a general advance at the east and in Liver-

Cattle on the Panhandle ranges are "mud-fat," and now as soon as the market ripens, beef will be ready to go forwardand we believe the weights of the herds that take a ride will show the best averages for several seasons.—Texas Panhan-

A San Antonio correspondent of the Texas Lice Stock Journal says that it is a singular circumstance that while a severe | will double his money in a year.-Sundrouth prevails in Bexar county, where there is nothing growing except by irrigation, everywhere else in southwest Texas grass and crops are fine. The same correspondent says water is the great indispensable of a Texas ranch, and must be provided at any cost.

The shipment of 500 three and fouryear-old steers that passed here three board of trade and for the gratifying outweeks since from the Lilly Park Cattle company, of Utah, were taken to Iowa to which Thy servant was interested. But be fed. They go on grass for three months above all we desire to return thanks for then will be corn-fed two months. For the completion of the race track, which, the gain in live weight five cents a pound as Thou probably knowest, is the finest is to be paid the feeder. This is a new half-mile track west of the Missouri departure for western cattle and we shall river." look sharply for the results.-Cheyenne

cattle, a heavy feeder and cattle owner of more apparent as viewed in the light of growth will the next twenty years reveal? Mason City sold to Dubuque parties to be common sense. There seems to be no National Stockman. delivered in September, 1,500 head at a doubt that the secretary of the treasury certain price per pound, \$5,000 being will relieve importers of this tax, but it is paid down. Now the buyers offer to say almost startling to realize the utter ab- HENRY G. COORS nothing about the \$5,000 if the Mason sence of common sense exemplified by a City parties will annul the contract, but decision which, on the face of it, is in dithey insist on several "pounds of flesh," and propose to deliver and thus make which no one denies was framed, loosely about \$2,000 more.—Hancock (lowa) Signal.

Wm. Clark, proprietor of the well known ranch near Augusta, is taking the lead of all the horse breeders of Montana. Under his system of marking the mares half believed that the lowest point in valand colts, there is no possibility of mistaking the animals. He brands each mare we may now anticipate some little imwith a number and the progeny the same, so that each carries its own name and index to the herd book. He has the herder note the birthday of each animal. On the ranch are now seven fine stallions and one the lowest prices of the month, of the hundred and tifty mares. Helena (Mont.) Live Stock Journal.

county, N. Y.: Giles Smith, of Deerfield, 16,000 on sale, could be bought at \$4 and lost three cows last Wednesday by bloody less. True, a few loads sold at slightly murrain. He had them buried near a better figures, but they were the exceprunning stream, which infected the water. Ition. Within the past two or three days All Orders by Mail Promptly Filled. Three cows belonging to Wm. Budlong, there has been a partial recovery and an

long and John Raymond, while looking tained that this not alone due to the less for the cause, were stung by mosquitoes, and are now seriously ill, having been inoculated with the murrain virus. There is considerable excitement and indignation about the matter. The stream runs through several large farms stocked with blooded cattle. Texas Live Stock Journal.

The Cresswell Ranch and Cattle company is having 600 tons of hay put up for use on the ranch. Jim Lister has the contract, and has something more than 400 tons of it made good by having the hav up in good shape. The grass land is in the Canadian bottom on the north side, fenced for the purpose, and turns off from one to three tons to the acre of cured hay of very fine quality.—Texas Panhandle.

To a prominent stockman the Texas Journal man said: "What are the charac-The exports of live stock and dressed teristics of the disease among cattle called charbon mar. It is a very contagious disease peculiar to no locality nor climate, but just anywhere; it affects cattle in the same way, or nearly so, that glanders does horses, and is equally as destructive. It is much to be feared, and is a disease, too, with which the country has an old acquaintance. While there are remedies for it, it is yet hard to treat."

It is reported that the screw-fly or screw-worm, has got hold of a lot of the cattle that were spayed and dehorned in the west this summer, and that the losses therefrom will be pretty heavy. The report goes on to say: "The horns of a great many bulls were sawed off rather close down to the head, and this screw-fly is into them, and they will go the same way. as warm as it is, it never stops, but continues to burrow deeper and deeper into the During the last few days there has been vitals of the animals and inflammation follows, naturally, with its deadly work. With the closest of attention the loss must

> We understand Henry Keets has sold his HK (connected) brand of cattle to M. C. Conners, at \$20 per head, calves thrown in. The herd is to be gathered at once and will be delivered and tallied at Mr. Conner's Powder river ranch. At the figure named the purchaser has secured a great bargain, as this herd is rated as one of the highest quality in Crook county. Mr. Conners is showing great tact in making his investments while the bottom is knocked out of prices, and we predict dance (Wyo.) Gazette.

In the course of his prayer last Sunday morning a Durango minister is credited with saying: 'Oh, Lord, we desire to return more than the usual amount of thanks this morning for the blessings of the week just closed. Especially would we thank Thee for the successful organization of a come of that little south side deal in

upon importers of live stock by Judge then ahead could possibly show such a price, 75 cents. This book will be found Illustrative of the decline in prices of Gresham's decision, becomes more and feat of progress. What measure of rect opposition to the spirit of the law. perhaps, but with the unquestioned intention to facilitate the entry into the United States of improved breeding stock.—St. Paul Farmer

It is earnestly hoped and more than ues of cattle has been fathomed, and that indisputable, however, and that is that A strange story comes from Oneida cattle in the vards, out of some 15,000 or Jr., a neighbor, died of the disease. Bud. advance of 15@25c. Hopes are enter-

ened receipts, but to causes that will be more permanent. The recent rains that have visited large portions of the Mississippi valley have already benefited pasturage, and assured better grass prospects for the autumn months, and holders of half fattened cattle will not in so many ases be obliged to market such, even though they are not ready for the butcher's block.

up with the improved breeds. Several agents are in this country buying wellbred horses for exportation.

The difference between grades and scrubs is being noticed in many parts of the northwest. Here is an instance. The Albert Lea Enterprise says: Last week Clarence Wedge sold to C. E. Richardson two steers which were alone enough to convince the most skeptical that it pays to raise good stock. The first was a twoyear old steer, 15-16 shorthorn, weighing 1,270 pounds, while the latter was a threeyear old scrub which weighed only 1,130 pounds, a difference of 140 pounds in favor of the two-year-old. But this was not all the difference as the shorthorn brought 412, while the scrub brought 414 cents per pound. Mr. Wedge informed us that the two steers received as nearly as possible the same care and while the younger brought \$57.15, the other only returned \$48.62. What better argument is there that full blood stock pays?

We struck an intelligent breeder of a popular variety of cattle the other day, and on asking him about his stock elicited the reply that he was handling his herd with greater pains than ever, and was quietly waiting until the public should turn its attention to good cattle again. His faith in the future struck us as most reasonable and most sensible. Many people forget that cattle being in a discouraging condition now is not to be taken as proof that they are going out of fashion. People are going to use more beef and milk and butter hereafter than ever before, and it will one of these days pay somebody handsomely to produce all of these things. Keep up your faith and and your herds .- National Stockman.

Everybody understands in a general way that the growth of agriculture in this country has been tremendous in the last quarter of a century, yet few have given the subject attention to realize what wonders have been accomplished in that time. A simple statement or the July report of the area devoted to corn this year (78,000). 000) is equal to the entire arable area of country twenty years ago. Perhaps no American supposed, two years after the The absurdity of the restrictions put war of the rebellion, that the twenty years Leather bound, sent by mall on receipt of

Gov. Hadley's idea that cattlemen ought to go into the dressed beef business may not be a bad one. Certainly not, if he is correct in supposing that the refrigerator men make \$10 per steer more than they ought to. It would be the quickest way to get immensely rich that anyone could suggest. But I would advise Gov. Hadley and others of his mind to remember Davy Crockett's motto. There ought to be The Argentine Republic is an immense more men in the dressed beef business, country, having much the same kinds of but anybody who goes into it wants to soil (with similar climatic features) as the have plenty of money, grit and knowledge, Mississippi valley. For years enormous and no expectations of getting \$10,000 herds of cattle and horses have ranged its per day over and above legitimate profit boundless plains. The cattle are of a on handling 1,000 steers. Furthermore, very inferior class, much like our comitthe business cannot be run as a side issue. mon Texaus. Considerable interest has There are too many men who have failed been shown lately by the dons in grading in the cattle business because they made it secondary to something else. The reshipments of bulls to Buenos Ayres have frigerator business will demand first atbeen made of our western breeders, and tention of the very best managers.—A. C. Halliwell, in Lice Stock Record and Jour-

> We were informed yesterday, says the Trinidad Advertiser, that a movement was on foot among the owners of the Maxwell land grant to send a colony of Dutchmen from Holland to settle up the Maxwell land grant. Perhaps this is the reason why the company is anxious to buy the settlers out so that the colony may have full benefit of their large possessions. A gentleman who is supposed to be authority on this matter recently stated that all the arrangements for sending this colony to reside on the grant had been perfected, and that they would be here in a comparatively short time. What arrangements and what conditions the owners have made with the colony we failed to learn, but it reasonable to suppose that stock raising and cultivating the soil will be their chief occupations. As the settlers will eventually bave to submit to the inevitable, it may be for the best interests of the county to have it settled by these people, as they are, as a rule, a very desirable class of citizens.

An Australian gives the St. Louis Globe-Immorral some news relating to the cattle business in the southern land. He says: "Our cattle raising in the great grass regibn is very extensive, yet it differs somewhat from the way it is carried on in the United States. We fence our ranges or stations, as they are called, and with American barbed wire. Australians are always on the lookout for new things in America and they speedily adopt them. The proprietor of a station is called a squatter. He may have 30,000 or 40,000 actes in a station, but whatever he bas it is all fenced. Some of these ranches are 200 miles from market, and it takes many months to drive the cattle through. The law prohibits cattle being driven faster than four miles a day, or sheep more than the department of agriculture is most sig three. The recent great rains have wonnificant in this connection that is, that deffully increased the crops. Wool has gone up 50 per cent."

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#### SOUTHWEST STOCK NOTES.

#### Short Items Relative to Stock and Stockmen of the Southwest.

The Leonard Bros. will shortly deliver at Springer, N. M., 175 head of fine black bulls. It is reported that J. A. Longstreet has sold his ranch in northern Arizona, to O. C. Waid, of Wy-

oming, for \$50,000. The rate on cattle from Holbrook, Arizona, to Springer, N. M. has been placed by the Santa Fe road at \$50 per car.

Graham county, Arizona, cattle are lieted for assessment, at \$12 per head; work horses, \$40 per head; cow ponies, \$25.

The cattlemen of Pims county, Arizona, have en called to meet at Florence, on August 13th, to organize a protective association.

The Gila County Stock association, of Arizona, as at last tumbled to the necessity of being on the alert for cattle thieves, and have a detective

Six hundred head of cattle from Bent county, Colorado, were unloaded at Magdalena yesterday and will be driven to the White Mountains of Arizona -- Socorro Rullion

The Tucson papers report that the Papago In-dians are bringing into that market some of the finest beef ever seen in that city. The cattle are raised in the vicinity of Santa Rosa, Sonora.

The preliminary steps have been taken for the organization of a bank at Canadian City, in the Panhandle. At the bottom of the enterprise are several gentlemen of wealth from Mobeetic and

Sparks evidently wants to prevent the entry of desert lands until congress meets and repeals the desert land law. He once enspended the law and will possibly try to suspend congress next.—Florence (Ari ) Enterprize.

Billy Childress sold 600 cows, 150 three-year-old steers and up, 250 two-year-old helfers and steers and 112 yearing heifers and steers to M. B. Pulliam and S. E. Sterrett this week, for \$10,446.— Colorado (Tex.) Clipper.

Mr. W P. Sommerville, manager of the Mata-dor company, went from Cheyenne to Canada on a recreation tour. The two-year-olds on the trail near Cheyenne he sold to Mr. Nichols of St. Louis at \$16 50 per head around.

The grading on the Southern Kansas railroad is eted to the terminus at Panhandle, Carson county. The contractors have turned over the grading to the railroad officials and have moved all of their camps, teams and men to Kansas.

Mr. Fred Horsbrugh, who has been holding 4500 head of the Espuela Land & Cattle company's heifers at Pinos Wells in Lincoln county, writes the STOCK GROWER under date of August 1st, that he has a telegram accepting all of the heifers offered for sale.

Mustanging seems to be the most profitable feature of the stock business in the Panhandle just now. One party reports the capture of eighty-six head of mustangs there in one week. Whether they were all wild horses or not the capture say little on this point.

An Arizona exchange says: Salt river stockmen are despondent because of the continued drouth in the valley. Not enough rain has fallen to be of any benefit whatever, and cattle are in poor condition. On Tonto, ten or twelve miles from Salt river, and over all the country to the north, fine rains have fallen and stockmen are jubilant. fine rains have fallen and stockmen are jubilant.

Central southern Arizona received a deluge of rain last week. The fall amounted to 1.57 in at Camp Thomas, 1.77 at Camp Grant, 1.37 at Wil-cox, and 1.60 at Fort Bowie. The total rainfall at Camp Grant is without precedent, amounting to 7 inches since July 1st. Stockmen are enthusiastic at the prospects for fine range for the remainder

The Breeders' Journal, speaking of marketing cattle, says: 'It is not the produce that is coming to market, but the brids are being diminished.'

Just so. With a combination dictating prices and putting the screws in too tight, such a result is inevitable. The producer can no longer produce, and lives upon his capital. The effect will be discovered later

The cattle trade is in the dark as regards infor-The Cattle trade is in the dark as regards information concerning the beef product of the country. It is easy to ascertain that cattle are marketed in excess of previous years, whereas the supposition that the country is full of cattle is likely to be a great error. The immense shipments to market will keep prices down, but the longer the run is kept up the greater will be the reaction.

Hurst, Black, Kiehne & Wiley, of Socorro county, have just made their last delivery of steers to Millett Bros., of Kansas, on a contract made three years ago. The prices paid for their steers were \$15.50, \$21.50 and \$27.50 for one, twos and threes respectively. These gentlemen stand on their delivery of this year \$24,000 ahead of the market price. All of which enables the aforesaid gentlemen to contempt the standard of the market price. gentlemen to contemplate a possible frigid season with considerable equanimity.

Two large herds of cattle passed through town Monday, moving in the direction of Rawlins. The first herd numbered 1,000 head and were owned by George Smith, of Socorro, N. M. The second herd numbered 1,000 head. They were in charge of John Davis and belonged to the American Cattle company, of Socorro, N. M. The stock was inspected here by Charley Shideler, cettle inangetor for this distret.—Meeker (Colo.) cattle inspector for this distrct. - Meeker (Colo.) Herald.

The county commissioners' court of Wheeler county, Texas, which recently adjourned, ordered that all range cattle should be assessed for the year 1887 at \$12.50 per head, patented lands \$2.50 per acre, unpatented unimproved lands \$1.50 per acre, unpatented unimproved lands \$1.50 per acre, unpatented unimproved lands \$1 per acre, work oxen \$60 per yoke, stock horses \$30 per head, cow horses at \$40 per head, and work horses at \$50 per head. The lands of the New York and Texas Land commany which was a given in the Texas Land company, which were given in at \$1.25 per acre were raised to \$2.50 per acre.

Although rather late in the season, says the Ft. Worth Journal, there has been some trading done Worth Journal, there has been some trading done recently in young steers in San Antonio. John R. Blocker has bought some 5000 or 6000 head of yearlings for Stoddard & Howard, of Wyoming, paying in the neighborhood of \$6 per head for them. Some few small lots have been sold for less, and Ike Pryor was in San Antonio last week for the purpose of buying some 6000 head. He met a large number of prominent ranchmen from different parts of this section of the state, but left without purchasing, there being too great a differ-ence between the buyer and seller, his offer being

Mr. C.M. Bruce, as president of the live stock commission of Arizona, has appointed Dr. A. J. Chandier, of Detroit, Michigan, territorial veterinarian, who will arrive in the territory in time to be present at a meeting of the commission, to be harian, who will be present at a meeting of the commission, to be held at Prescott on August 10th, when he will at once assume the duties of his position. Dr. Chandler is a graduate of the Montreal school of veterinary surgery, having taken first honors in a large class. He now enjoys the largest practice of any veterinarian in Michigan, but is compelled of any veterinarian in Michigan, but is compelled to leave that state on account of impaired health caused by the severe winters. Dr. Chandler's recommendations are of the highest order, and Mr. Bruce is confident that he will, as territorial veterinarian, prove the right man in the right place.

Feiheimer & Hirsch, cattlemen of Liberty, N M, this week purcuased twenty-five head of short-horn bulls of the La Cueva Ranch company. Competent judges declare this lot to be one of the finest bunches of shorthorns turned loose on the range in New Mexico for some time. It also speaks well for the purchasers who have recently added a considerable number of stock cattle to their herds, to begin the grading up process with the best blood. Mesers. Felheimer & Hirsch will vailing which they consider to be most favorable. In fact, they believe that the prosperous era for cattlemen to be but just opening. One can afford to buy cattle now and hold them as a safe investith every assurance that the make a most profitable issue of it for him.

The Fairplay (Colo.) Times says: The northern round-up was camped just out of town on Satur-day, and a good many cowmen rode into town that day and Sunday. The annual meeting of that day and Sunday. The annual meeting of this association was reported as only a partial success in point of numbers and number of cattle gathered, but still is more successful and better attended than the southern round-up, which is approaching the meeting point at the Little Platte with only about a dozen riders. The ill success of the southern line is attributed to the penuriousness of the large companies, which, so it claimed, only send out half enough riders to care for their stock, and depend on the small stock raisers to attend in sufficient numbers to help them through. This year they got badly left in their calculations, and a prominent stockman said: "It served them just right."

A problem which the Board of Equalization was called upon to solve, on Tuesday last, was this: A cattle baron was asked to state the number of his berd, and did it this wise: 

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and apparently mentally balanced, which puzzled the Board not a little to know how it was possible the Board not a little to know now it was possible for him to still have 40 after selling 90, and losing 30 by death, out of an original number of 65, and only an increase of 2. The Board guessed that an increase of 25 on the 40 returned was about the

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James P. Lomax, an intelligent young German who has been ranching in the Mogollons the past two and a haif years, most of the time in the em-ploy of Trocke, Mauneell & Co., committed suicide at Graham's tanch, on the 29th ult.

The drouth is broken in the state of Chihuahua and the stock raisers now find plenty of grass for their cattle. The fear that the long dry season might continue is now dispelled and decided encouragement will now be given to investments in lands adapted to stock.

D. D. Field, who has been doing considerable to evelop the Jornado as a prime grazing county, by digging wells along the norther border of it, says that his faith in the possibilities of the country there is in nowise diminished, and that he will continue to make developments until the fact is demonstrated that the Jornado, in his vicinity at least, has all the essentials for prime grazing.

There are but few reasons why New Mexico should not soon have irrigating ditches and become a grand agricultural country. The vast
land grants will for a time be a barrier to progress. We learn from the Raton Range that the
surveyors who have been at work sectionizing the agricultural lands east of the Santa Fe railroad are now at work surveying a ditch from the Pouil and Cimarron rivers out on to the open lands be-tween the Cimarron and the Vermijo. There are some large lakes on this prairie which are con-templated for reservoirs. This ditch means that many hundreds of acres are to be put in cultiva-tion if purchasers can be found.—Field and Farm.

Every cowman who comes in reports that rains have been general and cattle are ecstatically browsing on the new grass that covers plains and mountains. The calves, of which there are more than usual, are fst and frisky.—In the window of Lyons & Campbell's butcher shop are displayed several bunches of Johnson grass eight feet and one inch in height, grown on their ranch on the lower Gila. It was sown last year, and has been lower Gila. It was sown last year, and has been irrigated. The cattle are very fond of the grass, green or dry.—Peck & Henderson have purchased G. P. Lyda's interest in the Y> brand of cattle, located on Blue creek. The bunch numbers about 600 head, and are pretty smooth stock. This transfer lets Mr. Lyda out of the cattle basiness in this county for the present, he having disposed of everything in that line preparatory to taking a passear to California in a few days.—The Enter

#### To Protect the Border.

The leading ranch owners and cattle raisers of norther Chihuahua have taken men thus involved. Such men have no steps to form a protective cattle association to prevent the stealing of cattle on the border, which is getting to be an intolerable nuisance. Both Mexican and American raisers are engaged in the for mation of this association. The first meeting will be held early in September. The Mexican law in regard to cattle stealing is very severe, but in a country so sparsely inhabited as northern Chihuabua it is impossible to execute it properly. Whenever a cattle thief is caught he is at once summarily executed, and there is in consequence very little marauding among the native Mexicans, but the American desperado who hangs about the border laughs at laws so indifferently and spasmodically executed, and it is for his benefit the association proposes to inaugurate a system of constant and thorough patrol.

#### Range Packing Plants.

A Kansas City press dispatch of the 1st inst. says that Mr. W. L. Powell returned yesterday from a prospecting trip in Kansas. He was accompanied by G. A. Neely, of Ohio; A. P. Bemis, of Chicago, and G. N. Sanderson, of Boston. These gentlemen are representatives of the Nafair thing, and so decreed.—Arizona Silver Belt. I tional Packing association, incorporated

under the laws of Maine, with a capital of \$1,000,000. It is the intention of the company to build a line of packing houses on the border of the cattle range district. The company is composed of Boston and Chicago capitalists. Their idea is that, to increase big profits in beefpacking, the slaughterhouses should be located as near to the cattle ranges as the railway facilities will permit. Their first plant will probably consist of three houses, one of which will be located here. The gentlemen who are interested in Argentine have made the company an offer of a site there, and the representatives of the company are very much in favor of that flourishing suburb as a location for their eastern house. They were much pleased with Kansas, and will probably build a packing house in Hutchinson, Dodge City or some neighboring town, and perhaps another as far southwest as Wichita.

#### Another Sparks Ruling.

The Chevenne Leader of last Saturday says Land Receiver Garrard received the following dispatch the previous day:

On final desert entries within railroad limits, where parties paid 25 cents per acre on original entries, collect \$2,25 per acre, so that the total payments will be WM. A. J. SPARKS, **\$**2.50 per acre.

Commissioner.

The Leader thinks the order "the most arbitrary and unjust that has ever emanated from the land office." Many poor men have entered desert land, and under the terms prescribed by the government, have paid the first 25 cepts per acre. The government has contracted that if they go on, reclaim the land and pay \$1 more, they shall receive a patent. In place of this Commissioner Sparks makes his order retroactive, and double the price to money to fight such an order in the courts. What can they do? For of the good name of his administration, President Cleveland should send Mr. Sparks on a foreign mission. We presume the foregoing order was general all along the lines of the subsidized roads. It is a lasting pity that some educated men were ever taught to read and write.

#### In Brief, And to the Point.

Dyspepsia is dreadful, Disordered liver is misery. Indigestion is a foe to good nature.

The human digestive apparatus is one of the most complicated and wonderful things in existence. It is easily put out of order.

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But Green's August Flower has done a wonderful work in reforming this sad business and making the American people so healthy that they can enjoy their meals and be happy.

Remember:—No happiness without

health. But Green's August Flower brings health and happiness to the dyspeptic. Ask your druggist for a bottle. Seventy-five cents.

#### ARIZONA CATTLEMEN.

#### Important Matters Discussed and Business Done by Associations.

A called meeting of the Tombstone Stock Growers' association was held in the parlors of the Occidental hotel, Tombstone, on Saturday, July 23d, to hear reports from the trail subscription committee and consider any other matters that might be brought before the meet

There were present J. V. Vickers, president; Joseph Pascholy, secretary, and Messrs. Joseph Hoefier, C. S. Abbott, Wm. Fourr, C. M. Bruce, A. J. Ritter, E. A. Shattuck, J. P. McAllister, B. A. Packard, members of the association, D. N. A. Packard, members of the association, D. N. Hunsaker, of the subscription committee, Supervisor T. J. White, and several other gentlemen on

The minutes of the meetings of June 25th and July 9th were read and approved. The following gentlemen were appointed by the chair delegates for one year to the General Stock Growers' association of Southern Arizona: J. P. McAllister, W. C. Land, E. A. Shattuck, Joseph Hoefler, C. M. Bruce, Wm. Fourr and Joseph

D. N. Hunsaker, of the trail committee. made a report of progress to date, which showed that he had received subscriptions to the amount of \$190. A number of additional subscriptions were received at the meeting, but as the total sum collected was not equal to the amount thought necessary to be raised in this section, the committee was given two weeks additional time.

The subject of taxation as related to the recently organized Territorial Board of Equalization was brought up and called forth quite extended remarks from Messrs. Bruce, Vickers, Pascholy, Mc-Allister, White, Ritter and others. It was the sentiment of all these gentlemen that-in the interest not only of stockmen but of the taxpayers of the county generally-a competent party should be appointed by the Board of Supervisors to represent and look after the interests of the county at the meeting of the Board of Equalization to be held at Prescott in August. In accordance with these views, a committee consisting of Joseph Hoefler, J. P. McAllister and Joseph Pascholy, was appointed by the chair to draw-up and circulate a petition, to be presented to the Board of Supervisors, asking that body to appoint such a representative for the county.

After discussing several other topics of interest to stockmen, including the organization of a territorial association-on which subject all present expressed themselves as favorable to the propositionthe meeting adjourned to Saturday, August 6th, when the trail committee is expected to make a final report.

GENERAL STOCK GROWERS' ASSOCIATION.

In pursuance to call of the vice-president, C. M. Hooker, the General Stock The Burton Stock Car Company Ob-Growers' association of Southern Arizona held a meeting in the Knights of Pythias hall, Benson, on Thursday, July 28th.

Delegates representing the following associations were present:

Tombstone Stock Growers' association-C. M Bruce, W. C. Land, Joseph Pascholy, Wm. Fourr. Southeastern Live Stock association—C. M.

Southeastern Live Stock association—Thomas
San Pedro Live Stock association—Thomas
Dunbar, T. B. Robertson, D. H. Logan.
Colin Cameron, of the Pima County Ranchmen's association, I. N. Town, of the Santa Cruz Stock Growers' association, and J. D. Kinnear, T. J. White and several other gentlemen were present on invitation

The minutes of the last meeting of the association, held April 6th, 1886, were read and approved.

Officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows: President, C. M. Hooker; vice-president, T. B. Robertson; secretary, Joseph Pascholy; treasurer, Thomas Dunbar; executive committee —C. M. Hooker, chairman; W. C. Land, E. A. Shattuck, T. B. Robertson, Thomas Steele

On motion, the secretary was instructed to communicate with the Pima County Ranchmen's association and the Santa Cruz Stock Growers' association, requesting them to send delegates to represent them in the association, and that Messrs. Cameron and Town be invited to represent their associations in this meeting.

The report of the treasurer, Thomas Dunbar, was read and adopted. It showed a balance of \$67.25 in the treasury.

The following resolution, offered by C. M. Bruce, was read, and after being dis-

cussed, was adopted: Resolved, That this association, having thorlegal services, do not recognize the validity of any further claim on their part against the asso-clation, and it is hereby dismissed.

It being semi-officially reported to the association that the Territorial Board of Equalization had in mind the raising of the assessment of cattle in the southern tier of counties to an equal value with those in the northern portion of the territory, it was resolved, after full expression of opinion, that this association send Mr. C. Mr. Bruce as its delegate, to appear before the Territorial Board of Equalization, with lustructions to present to the Board these facts in reference to the cattle owned and ranged in southern Arizona, namely-that they are not as well bred, not as high graded, not worth as much in the beef markets, and consequently ought to be assessed at a lower valuation than those of the more favored portions of the

The association decided that an organization of cattlemen, uniting the whole territory, would be very beneficial, and C. M. Bruce was appointed a delegate to represent the five local associations, covering the counties of Graham, Cochise. Pima and Yuma, in organizing such an association, and that he use his efforts before the Territorial association to the end that it, as a whole, would unite in impressing upon the board of Equalization the truth that the County Board of Supervisors were the best judges of the wants of the different localities of the territory, and of the quality of stock ranging therein, and that it was the unanimous desire of the residents of all localities, that the Board of Equalization confirm the action of the County Supervisors fixing the valuation of the live stock in their respective

The question of the advisability of locating a trail to the northern feeding grounds was fully discussed, and it was the unanimous opinion of all present that the project was a feasible one, and the trail should be located. Mr. Pascholy, of the Tombstone association, stated what had been done under the direction of his association in the matter of making collections. His statement showed that about \$300 had already been collected.

On motion, the following clause was added to the by-laws:

The next regular meeting of the association will be held on the first Monday in September. The meeting will be one of unusual importance, on account of the fixing of the time and place at which the general fall rodeos will commence. members should be present, so that this business may be transacted in accordance with the will of the majority .- Southwest | mense revenues of the cattle yards, they Stockman.

#### CATTLE-CARRYING CARS

jects to Adverse Discrimination.

The case of the Burton Stock Car company against a large number of western railroads now under consideration by the inter-state commerce commission, is one of the country-perhaps revolutionize eventually the meat trade from west to east-but it will determine a principle which opens or bars wide fields of discrimination to the railroads. If they can amounts to the same thing, by arbitrary order, one class of cars from the rails, merely because it suits the personal interests of managers not to haul them, they can exclude other classes without end. If humane cattle cars may be swept off by them, and their will avouch the deed, so may refrigerator, coal, oil and other classes of cars unnumbered be denied the right of transit over the public highways. because, and only because, it suits the individual pleasure or private interests of management to do so.

practicable manner. This was law before merely provided new methods and new the inter-state commerce act just as much machinery for their enforcement. as it is now. But how do they carry live stock? How have they carried it since the ished, fevered and mangled, and to be de bruises, which must be cut away, and by hides broken, and they reduce the value of what remains, and make it in fact, a dangerous commodity by the diseased and generally deferiorated state of the flesh. ultimately, of course, the purchaser, to orbitant charges for their infliction. The object scarcely disguised of maintaining this destructive system of carriage is to enable them to run the stock into the cattle covered road wagon. Until the inter-state Star. commerce act the trunk lines united to pay a terrible secret blackmail in the form of \$15 per car load rebate to an association of men called eveners, who were the principals in the cattle yards and transportation rings, and this, like the shipments whether by themselves or others. These facts are not denied. They have been repeatedly found, after due inquiry, and solemnly reported by committees of congress. The butchers in their national association, the humane societies in theirs, and the swindled and desperate rangemen in theirs, adopt and proclaim the same statement of facts as that reported by Mr. Reagan's committee on commerce in the last two congresses.

Is this an adequate provision by the railroads in the cattle trade, which they, holding themselves out to do, are bound in law and equity to do, according to the could not catch him. The Cleveland general necessity and demand? They say it is, and in order to preserve the imabsolutely refuse to make any other. Cars | Patron \$30. There was plenty of Wilkes in which animals may feed, rest and drink, money to be had at these figures. The and in which they are carried without the two came down for the word, but twice loss, deterioration and expense above recited, are demanded loudly by the trade length in advance, but Patron's driver, and by the general public. But unfortunately, they carry the freight past the stock yards, and evade the whole list of blackmail charges, and the railroads utterly decline, to employ them. One of these cars and only one of many-the past Wilkes. Vanness' game little geld-Burton-has produced this issue before of the most important ever heard by that the inter-state commission. A shipper the back stretch Wilkes was level with tribunal. The decision will not only affect orders this car from the Burton company the live stock and dressed beef interests loads it with stock and offers it to a rail. road company to haul to its destination. The common carrier refuses. It is not heavier than one of his own death pens; it is constructed according to railroad standards, and it is perfectly safe. The full tariff rate of freight is tendered, but the carrier will not have the car on his exclude by prohibitory tariffs, or, what rails. He does not, except in a few instances, like the Union Pacific and the Lake Shore, say that no such car shall traverse his lines, but he demands a prohibitory rate, which is just as effectual.

Before the passage of the interstate law the supreme court of Massachusetts held. in a very able opinion, in the case of the Leonards against the Fitchburg Railroad company, that not only was the carrier bound to receive a car under such circumstances and haul it without delay or discrimination in charge, but that it was bound to get and furnish the car, whenever available and demanded by the the public servants employed in their shipper; in other words, that the shipper was entitled to the safest, quickest and A railroad is a public highway. The cheapest facilities within reach. Upon company authorized by law to manage it that principle of English and American is endowed with various high public fac- law-as old as the highway, and pervadulties to enable it to do the public's busiling our entire jurisprudence—the interoughly investigated the facts of the claim made of a balance of \$240 by Messrs. Goodrich & bound to do that business in the best enlarged nor reduced any man's rights; it

The commission was not a Democratic device. It was imposed by the senate and first ox was put in a close pen on wheels believed to be in the interest of the monand jerked in continuous agony over the opolizing and discriminating railroads. rails? They crowd the animals into cars which had built up the Standard Oil, the to gore and trample each other, to be fam- coal combinations, the Cattle Eveners' ring, and the countless smaller, but equally livered for slaughter at destination in a deadly monopolies, restraining the trade condition which makes the carcass both and plundering the people of these states. loathsome and poisonous. They destroy This present commission is composed, no 6 per cent, of the beef by a tual deaths in one doubts, of wise and just men, but transit; they knock out 15 per cent. in there appears to be a vice in the very consummer and 10 per cent. in winter in stitution of such bodies which renders mere shrinkage of weight, occasioned by them unfit depositories of supervisory abuse; they cause enormous losses by powers intended for the protection of the people against rich and powerful enemies. Its decision of the great public question which arises upon the application of the Burton Stock Car company will go far to determine whether the democratic And they not only compel the shipper and jealousy regarding the commission feature of the interstate bill, yielded only at bear these losses, but they actually compel the last moment, was well or ill founded. them to pay a variety of needless and ex. General Butler asks the commission to make the following order:

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That whenever any car is presented to a railroad forming a part of an interstate line, for the purpose of transporting live yards where the owners are fleeced stock, to which there is no objection on by extortions for feed and yardage so account of its running gear, as to its safety monstrous as to be almost incredible. To and capability of doing its work, such car do this-to gather this vast but cruel and | shall be transported over such railroad tainted revenue from a great industry and and returned at the same charge of comthe common food of men-they inflict all pensation for the service rendered as is the losses enumerated above, besides charged by the road for hauling and rekeeping the stock out at least twice as turning a car of substantially like weight long as it should be and encumbering when loaded or unloaded, for the purpose their own roads with slow lumbering of transporting live stock to and from trains as much out of place as a canvas substantially similar points.—New York

#### The Great Wilkes Defeated.

At Cleveland on July 29th a special race was had between Harry Wilkes and Patron for a purse of \$2,500. Wilkes was Standard oil rebate, was paid upon all a strong favorite in the pools, selling two to one for Patron. Wilkes drew the pole. The account of the heats reads as follows:

> First heat-After scoring twice Vanness nodded for the word, although Patron was two lengths in advance. Round the turn Wilkes closed up the gap, and at the quarter his nose was on Patron's wheel. On the back stretch Patron gained a trifle. Both horses were trotting grandly without a skip or flaw. Coming down the home stretch Patron was nearly a length and a half ahead, and Wilkes horse came under the wire easily a winner by two lengths. Time 2:16.

Second heat—Pools sold: Wilkes \$50. on the second trip Wilkes was half a Fuller, nodded for the word and it was given. At the turn the stallion was on even terms with the great Wilkes and both were going at a very fast clip. Gradually Patron's brown nose began to creep ing bad met his match at last. Once on Patron, but at the hair mile post he died away, and Patron finished the easiest sort of a winner, nine lengths in advance. Wilkes had quit and the race was Patron's. The pool box turned completely over and Wilkes sold for \$6 to \$50 for Patron.

Third heat-This was the heat of the race. The second come-down saw them off with Patron to the rear. But he didn't stay there long. One hundred yards from the wire his head was in front and he was going at a 2:10 gait. Wilkes dropped some two lengths to the rear, and though he tried hard to close up the gap on the back stretch, it was a fruitless effort. The speedy gelding was out trotted at every point. The only question now was whether Patron would beat the stallion record made by Maxey Cobb, 2:13<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>. There is no doubt but that he could have done so, but seventy yards from the wire his driver eased him up and he jogged in, completing the mile in 2:1414. The quarter was made in 3314, the half in 1:07, and the three-quarters in 1:401/2.

#### For Sale.

Sixteen thoroughbred registered Galloway bulls and five cross-bred from thoroughbred shorthorn cows.

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#### PERSONAL.

#### Items of Interest Relating to Stock Growing People.

Governor E. G. Ross dropped in on the STOCK GROWER for a quiet chat on Friday.

J. F. Cook, formerly of the W S ranch, is visit-ing his brother, James H., in Chevenre.

The Kansas and Colorado newspaper fraternity has been well represented in Las Vegas this week. Colonel R. D. Hunter, of St. Louis, is in Texas looking after his stock interests in the feeding

Judge Booth and Joseph Waddingham speak in high terms of the range outlook in this vicinity this season

John L. Routt, of Denver, has been spending a few days at the Phœnix ranca, Watrous, the guest of James C. Leary.

Don Pedro Sanchez, a leading stockman of Taos county, was calling on his friends in Las Vegas during the week.

"Kid" Johnson, the desperate young cattle thief, was not captured in Las Vegas this week as reported in the daily press.

J. V. Vickers, a well known stockman of Tombstone, Arizona, has just closed a deal in mines in-volving the sum of of \$50,000. Mr. Vickers was a

Henry P. Chase, clerk of Johnson county, Kansas, and brotheriniaw of R. P. Newby, the commission man, was inspecting New Mexico in the vicinity of Las Vegas this week.

Walter C. Hadley, one of the bright young men of the territory, talked mines with the STOCK GROWER on Thursday. Mr. Hadley is a strong believer in the future greatness of New Mexico.

M. L. Bond, of Denver, and Geo. B. Barry, of Tres Piedras, owners of the Vallecito ranch near the latter point, whose horse herd runs in south Nanta Fe county, are in Cerrillos to look after

A. P. Blake, of Boston, president of the newly organized Western Union Cattle company, of Socorro county, is now visiting the property of the company at Ojo Caliente. Mr. Blake will re-turn to Boston in about ten days.

H. M. Taylor, whose hard work at all times and seasons for the best interests of the cattle-men is appreciated by every man in the range country, is visiting Las Vegas to arrange for the better cattle sanitary regulations of the territory.

Colonel R. M. Hunter has been directed to go to "No Man's" land and look after any fences that may still be standing there. Colonel Hunter will probably take along a few cavalrymen in order to expedite business with the recalcitrant cattle owners there.

Thursday morning the wife of James A. Alcock, Thursday morning the wire of James A. Alcock, manager of the Carrizozo Co., gave birth to a bouncing boy, and now James walks the streets with the tread of a mastodon. He was never a father before, and puts on such scallops as would lead people to believe that he thought there never was a father before, save his own pap.—Lincoln County Leader.

H. K. Noei, a young business man of Silver City and the owner of a considerable bunch of high grade cattle running at the Mangus in Grant county, was an agreeable caller at the Srock Gnower rooms on Friday. Mr. Noel places Grant county against the most favored sections of the west for the breeding of cattle. He reports the berds there all in fine condition and the stock men everywhere cheerful even though prices for

#### The Kansas City Market.

Farmer of this week will say:

Liberal runs were had the past week both here and in Chicago, and as a result that it will not grow to any size in this slow, and on all save top lots of native climate, but in proof of the contrary, let corn fed cattle, values are low and weak. me say that I have measured it here, on Best corn-fed steers under the influence of the reduced supply sold higher than for several weeks, a number of choice heavy cattle reaching as high as \$4.00 per cwt. Cows and light steers on the other hand, were as low as ever, indeed lower and demand very slow. A good many are Pierce, of Hancock county, said once in arriving and as they are coming in direct competition with range cattle buyers want them low down or not at all. As compared with the corresponding week last year the receipts were 3.072 greater; in Chicago and St. Louis, there was also a marked increase in the supply as compared with a year ago. This, with the drying up of the pastures and cutting down of the corn crop by the drouth is intensifying the depression in the trade. Farmers that should now be taking many of the younger cattle that are coming in are doing little or nothing, the scarcity of water and drying up of the pastures and indications now of high priced corn this winter, causing country buyers to go very slow, thus forcing the general trade to provide for the bulk of the receipts which is a task it is staggering under.

that will put new life in the market is a general rain throughout the western country. Continued heavy receipts now while the weather keeps so dry cannot do otherwise than perpetuate dullness and low values. Range cattle are coming in in increased numbers this week and now comprise a large per cent. of the offerings. And owing to the absence of demand from farmers they are selling very low. On Tuesday we note the sale of 219 good grass Texas steers averaging 925 lbs. at \$2.85; 62 do. averaging 937 lbs. at \$2.75, 50 Colo. Tex. steers av. 1,213 Ibs. at \$2.75, and 30 Indian cows, 857 lbs. at \$2.05. These were good beeves. Bulls and oxen very dull at quotations. Milch cows steady and slow and veal calves coming in freely and selling low. A lot of very good Texas calves sold Tuesday at \$5.00

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#### The Value of Bermuda Grass.

A Calhoun (Ga.) correspondent of the ountry Gentleman writes: "I am confident the day is rapidly approaching when our people will see that it is a blessing instead of a pest. A few weeks ago I made a trip from here by Dalton, on toward Cleveland, Tenn., on horseback. Beyond Dalton, some eight to sixteen miles, I found some excellent lands, but hilly, and very much cut up with gullies. In a few years they will be wholly value less. These lands were red, with fine subsoils. I could not but think how much the owners were losing in not setting them in Bermuda grass, which would soon stop all washing, and pay them an interest of 10 per cent. on \$200 to \$300 per acre. As a renovator of land it has no equal with us, as its dense sod and roots will keep the ground moist, and trampling on it seems in no way to injure it for grazing. For six or seven months it will afford as fine grazing as one would desire; the intense heat of summer never kills it. and sheep are very fond of it, no matter how short it may be cropped.

Mr. Charles W. Howard, who lately died in our state, told me, many years ago, that an acre of it, on good land, would support The Kansas City Live Stock Record and ten head of sheep for eight months of the year, and that the dropping from the sheep would enrich the land 25 or 30 per cent. yearly. I hear many persons say good land, that had grown to 6 feet in length, and at Athens, Tenn., was told by Mr. Jacob Matthews that he had it 81 feet long, where it had not been grazed. Mr. Lumsden, of Bibb county, Ga., is good

authority for its utility as hay. I was brought up to believe, in my early life, that it was a curse, but, as Bishop an agricultural address, 'the day will soon come when the country had better lose her corn than her Bermuda pastures.' One who has never tried it can form no idea of its good effects on poor land, as to restoration to fertility. By turning it over every four or five years with a good large plow, and sowing wheat or oats, or even peas, and cutting the vines for hay, the land will be kept from sedge and briers, which would tend to injure the pastures. The roots grow very shallow in the ground where it is not plowed yearly, or every other year, and two horses can pull a large plow 8 inches deep in it as easily as in heavy clover sod. Then by harrowing and rolling one can level it so as to be good cutting if it is desired to mow it. Very little of the poor uplands ever grow it large enough for hay. On creek or river bottom lands it will grow very luxuriantly, and can be cut two or three times liberally rewarded. Address, What is needed now, and the only thing annually, and, unlike clover, the second

cropsis equally as good as the first. I feel confident that Mr. Powers has a just appreciation of its merits, and hope that many who have been abusing it will give it a chance to redeem its good qualities, and prove a source of profit and benefit to our barren and galled places, which now yield nothing, and which are eyesores

Capt. Pearce Heane, of Dalton, has a fine farm of 1500 or 2000 acres, ten miles from Dalton on the road to Cleveland, and it is his intention to set out ten or twenty acres which are now worthless to him, and I am sure that his neighbors, after seeing the beneficial effects, will soon follow his example and reap great benefits from it. It is a fine grass for permanent pasture, but can be killed by shallow plowing in winter, if desired."

The Kansas City Live Stock Exchange has invited the Consolidated Cattle Growers' A sociation of America, to hold their annual meeting this fall in Kansas City.

#### A New Cattle Company.

The organization of the Western Union Cattle, Land and Irrigation company was completed at Socorro on Monday. A. P. Blake, John B. Alley and Charles J. Page, of Boston, are president, vice-president and treasurer, respectively, with G. L. Brooks, of Socorro, secretary, and T. J. Wright, of Lake Valley, manager. The board of direction comprises the abovenamed gentlemen. The capital stock is \$250,000. 2,500 acres of patented land in the vicinity of Ojo Caliente, the ranch equipment and cattle formerly belonging to the J. B. Alley Cattle company, were transferred to the new company. The Western Union company will be very conservatively managed according to the custom of sound eastern corporations. Additional lands and cattle will be purchased from time to time whenever purchases can be made to advantage, with a view to the company being made ultin ately the largest and best in New Mexico.

It is reported that W. P. Metcalf, manager of the New Mexico Cattle Breeding company, of Valencia county, made a sale of a considerable bunch of steers this week which are to go north to maturers in Colorado. Terms private.

The Espuela herd of 4,500 cattle that have been held in Lincoln county the past month, have been started north, to be delivered to the northern buyers. Terms of sale not stated.

#### \$250 Reward.

Office of the A. & P. Cattle Asso., Grants, New Mexico.

A reward of \$250 will be paid for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of any person unlawfully handling stock belonging to any member of this association, and \$100 for each additional person implicated in the same offense. Also a reward of \$100 for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons for killing cattle and not preserving the hides for inspection G. H. Pradt, President.

#### Lost or Stolen.

J. E. SAINT, Secretary

Bay mule branded J5 on right shoulder and a roan horse branded NAN on left thigh.

One roan horse, about nine years old, branded

on left hip.
Will pay a suitable reward for informa
Will pay a suitable reward. Address, tion leading to his recovery. Address, ELDER BROS., East Las Vegas, N. M.

#### \$200 Reward.

Will be paid by the Canadian River Live Stock association for the arrest and conviction of any one stealing cattle or horses from any member of the association. By order of Ex. Com. E. D. BULLARD, Sec.

#### Strayed.

On or about June 10th, 1887, from Ojo Caliente, Socorro county, N. M., one dark-brown horse (cropped tail) one hind foot slightly marked with white, about 15 bands high, five years old, on left hip very prominent. A suitable reward will be given for the information of his whereabouts or return.

A. Rusii Bowr, P. O. Fairview, N. M.

#### Strayed

Strayed from our ranch on the Rio Hondo, N. M., sixteen head of saddle horses branded on left shoulder. They were raised in Colorado and are supposed to be working north. Any information leading to their recovery will be BLOOM CATTLE CO.

#### Notice for Publication

[Homestead Entry No. 316.]

LAND OFFICE AT SANTA FE, Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the probate judge of San Miguel county, at Las Vegas, N. M., on October 1st, 1887, viz: James M. Giddings, of San Miguel Co., New Mexico, for lot 4, Sec. 30, and lots 1 and 2 and S. E. 1/4 N. W. 1/4 Sec. 31, Twp. 8. N. R. 22 east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Lorenzo Labadie, Ramon Uli-barri, Isabel Silva, Manuel Perea, of San Miguel JAMES H. WALKER, county, N. M.

Sierra County Round-Up Notice.

The round-up for district No. 1 will meet at Rincon, August 20th; work up the river on the west side of the Caballo mountains to Burbank's ranch; thence to Halleck's; thence to the "Jornada" to Fort McRae; thence to Engle; thence to Ojo de Armalla; thence to Humphrey & Carpenter's.

ADAM TELPER, W. J. HILL, ADAM TELPER, Secretary.

### STOCKMEN, Why Sell Your Cattle

Direct from the range when you can realize more money per head by full feeding them in Kansas on ground-feed (meal.)

Having had twelve years' experience in fattening cattle at this point, and of late years I have full fed range cattle in various brands and ages from yearlings up by the hundreds direct from the range

To parties desiring to have cattle fed I will furnish feed lots, feed boxes, hay racks and all appurtenances to successfully feed 1,000 head free of charge.

I will also purchase hay and feed hay to cattle free of charge. All it will cost you will be a small charge to cover cost of grinding feed and feeding meal to cattle.

Correspondence solicited. References: First National Bank of Marion, Kansas.

Address,

CHAS. J. GROSSE,

MARION, KANSAS.

### Stock Exchange Stables,

#### Finest Livery in the City. DON R. OAKLEY, Prop.

Good teams and careful drivers. Nice rigs for commercial men. Horses and mules bought and sold. Branch stable at the Hot Springs. Tele-phone No. 58.

Stables in rear of the St. Nicholas Hotel,

LAS VEGAS, NEW MEXICO.

## W. H. SHUPP

Buckboards and Spring Wagons a

Specialty.

Keeps on hand the Cooper steel skein wagon, and an assortment of Buggies and Carriages. Makes Mess Boxes and Branding Irons. Horse Shoes fitted ready to nail on, and portable forges, with tools, for ranch use, always on hand.

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#### A. C. VOORHEES, ATTORNEY AT LAW. RATON, NEW MEXICO.

Special attention given to the business of cattle-men and collecting.

JAMES H. PURDY,

ATTORNEY AT LAW. SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO.

Specialty:-Land Titles.

#### Shetland Ponies.

J. R. Meiklejohn, from the Brassay island, one of the most important islands of the Shetland group, is in the city, says the New York Tribune. He is the representative of the Marquis of Londonderry in the Shetland Islands, where the Marquis has large live stock interests, and is also a regular and extensive breeder of the pure blooded Shetland pony, which is becoming so popular in this country. He said yesterday:

About fifteen years ago the Marquis of Londonderry organized his breeding establishment on Brassay island, as the crofters paid no attention or care in breeding marketable animals. By a careful if not relieved repeat the dose in twenty selection of the best stock then extant the minutes. With this remedy at hund Marquis established his foundation herd, there is no need of losing any stock from from which he has been breeding ever | bloat." since. The object which he has had in view was to produce in this diminutives sized horse an animal which should be most perfect in form and possessing strength and intelligence. His herd is now composed only of the carefully selected and pedigree stock.

Iceland ponies, which are of little fame as compared with the Snetlands, are often sold in the United States as Shetland ponies, and at times in large numbers. In fact, more ponies are sold in the United States in a year as Shetlanders than are bred in that time on the Shetland islands. American breeders of thoroughbred horses and cattle who also breed ponies should give this Shetland question a little closer attention, and not take every pony that is offered as a Shetlander without some guarantee or positive proof. What is the best proof? Why the ponies themselves. All pure blooded Shetlanders are small, none of them more than forty-two inches high, and from that down to thirty-two inches. They are well-shaped, short-limbed, bright-colored, and have long manes and tails, and are smooth-coated after they pass their third year. They are quick, intelligent, docile, and easy to break for driving or riding, and look exactly like Clydesdale horses. Why don't I send some of the Marquis' horses to the United States? Well, the fact is that the Marquis uses eight hundred at a time in his coal mines in the north of England, and it takes quite a large herd to supply this demand alone. Last year I sent through a New York agent forty five ponies for Kentucky, and I have just brought similar lot with me on the steamer Crystal. They are now resting from the fatigue of their voyage before being forwarded to their new owners.

#### "Wait Till the Clouds Roll By."

The drouth continuing in the corn growing states of the northwest will certainly make the corn crop very short. There is very little hav and the run of local cattle into the Chicago market continues. This seems to argue better prices later on and a very considerable advance for next year. All prognostications have of late proven false, but it remains true that when the tide has made its run out it What is true in na must come in againture is true to a certain extent in trade. Cattle values will come up again and reach the highest point attained in the past. The only problem is how to wait. The stayer is the man who will get there in good shape. Stay .- Cheyenne Journal.

#### How to Raise Alfalfa.

Mr. W. B. Cook, a practical farmer of Los Angeles county, California, remarks that the Colorado farmers do not all understand the best methods of growing alfalfa. Says he: "My experience leads me to advise those who desire planting alfalfa to plow very deep (subsoiling is far better) and pulverize thoroughly; sow thirty pounds of seed, not less, to the acre and brush it in lightly. By this plan you gain three points: First, you get a good stand, which can be obtained only at the first seeding. Second, the stools will be much finer, and third, you will get a great amount of hav. I have had better success by planting in the fall. Have planted in December and have harvested in June one ton and a half of hay from the same. In Colorado I would never neglect using the subsoil plow, and put, it down deep.

this: After this has been sown three or tour years I apply a sharp harrow, well weighed down, say 200 pounds, and give it a thorough application both ways, and then an application with a heavy brush, which causes the stools to start very vigorously and also levels the surface of the ground. To secure the greatest amount of feed it is desirable to cut it instead of pasturing it. Never allow stock to tramp over and pack the ground.

stock fed upon it are liable to bloat. So will stock fed on eastern clover. I here give a remedy that has never been known to fail in a single instance: Get an ounce of colocynth, drop six drops on a teaspoonful of pulverized sugar for horse or cow, place it well back on the tongue, and

#### The Cattle Situation.

The Drovers' Journal, which is a natural bear in cattle values, is forced to the conclusion that the bottom has at length been reached and that decidedly better prices for good cattle must prevail before long. It says:

An old cattleman says the cattle crop has been "fooled away" this year at low prices, simply because feeders and ship pers have been demoralized. He thinks that if it had not been for the panicky feeling among feeders and shippers that the big supplies could have been worked off at a much smaller sacrifice than has been necessary. It must be remembered. however, that money has been scarce for a year or two and that nearly all feeders counted with reasonable expectation on prices being higher in the spring than they were last winter. The big supplies, however, and the depressed foreign markets all tended to make our beef cattle market a drooping one. Prices continued to go down and down until feeders got tired of hoping against hope, then the drough which shortened both water and grass was the last straw which broke the camel's back. The receipts were the heaviest on record, and prices last week were the lowest they have been in many years when the receipts began to drop off. however, the market recovered at once and responded so quickly to the lightened load that dealers have all taken a great deal of fresh hope, and nearly all agree that not only the worst has been passed but we shall have decidedly better prices for good cattle before long. During the past six days prices for good cattle have advanced 50c per cwt., which is a pretty good gain considering all things. The drouth, however, continues, and as grass and water are very short, vast numbers of cattle that should be held and fed some time will be crowded to market.

### SOUTHERN COLORADO.

New Haven Cattle Company. W. W. THOMPSON, Foreman.

F. T. Bradley and C. K. Dewell, Assistants.



Postoffice, Trinidad, Col-Range, Lower Apishapa. Ear marks, under half crop to left. Horse brand same as cattle brand.



George W. Thompson. Q. Address: Trinidad, Colorado Ranges in western portion of Las Animas county Colorado, and eastern portion of Colfax

Some branded-same as above on right side. Some cattle in the following brands on either side or hip: WI HH TI Various ear marks. Additional 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 "My mode of treatment with alfalfa is smaller, on the left shoulder or left thigh.

#### SOUTHERN COLORADO.



#### Lane & Murray.

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

Additional brands:

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Horse brand, HL (connected) on left shoulder



#### A. D. HUDNALL.

Postoffice, West Las Animas, Colorado. Breeder of Hereford cattle. North side Arkanas river, Bent county, Colorado. Ear marked, swallow fork left ear.

Additional Brands:

left side, - left thigh; under back in

V left shoulder, V left side, V left thigh. VV left side. V left hip.

#### KANSAS.



#### Watson & Fullington.

P. O .: Greensburg, Edwards county, Kansas Ranch headquarter camp river, Neutral Strip. All increase branded as

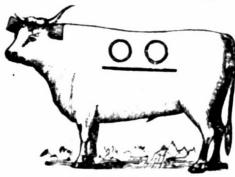
Ear marks, upper and lower bit left ear.

Additional brands:



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#### NORTHWEST TEXAS.



O. J. Wiren

Cattle Raiser and Dealer Postoffice, Colorado, Texas. Ranches in Fisher and Kent counties Horse brand, circle har on left hip.

Lee-Scott Cattle Co.

P. O.: Tascosa, Texas. Range, Oldham and Hartley counties, Texas Horse brand on the LS, S or left hip



left side; over half crop, under bit left.

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In addition to the reward offered by the associa tion, we will pay a reward of three hundred dol-lars for the conviction of any one stealing, butchering of illegaly branding any of our stock, or marking any of our calves. LEE-SCOTT CATTLE CO.

#### Presnall & Mussey

P. O.3 Fort Stockton, Tex. and Pecos river, Texas Ear marks, sharpen left on left hip. Horse

#### ARIZONA



#### Colin Cameron.

P. O.: Lochiel, Ari. Range, valleys and slope f west Huachucas. Mark, swallowfork both

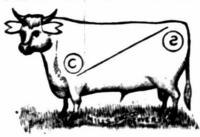
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#### ARIZONA.



Hunings & Cooley. Breeders and Importers of Thoroughbred and Graded Cattle.

P. O .: Show Low, Apahe county, Arizona. Horse brand, same as on cattle, on left shoulder



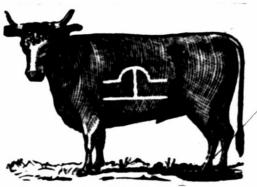
#### Milo A. Smith

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

Other Brands:

ELC side. HES side. on left side and S on left hip. ELC on left side and B on left hip. Horse Brands:

ELC and also S in circle on the left hip.



#### Aztec Land and Cattle Company. [Limited.]

HENRY WARREN, General Manager.

Post office address: Holbrook, Arizona. Range, Apache and Yavapai counties. All cattle branded same as cut on both sides

Horses on right and some on HS right flank



#### Gardiner, Gillies & Wilmerding.

P.O.: Navajo Springs, Apache county, Arizona. Range, Deer and Cedro Springs, Apache county. Ear marks, right ear is

All cattle in addition to above brand, have an X Horses are all branded on right shoulder.

Maish & Driscoll.

Postoffice, Tucson, Arizona. Range, on Santa Cruz river, south of Tucson, Pima county Horse brand on the left hip.



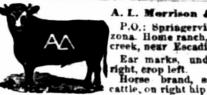
C. H. Ward.

George Frisk, Manager P.O.: Los Angeles, Cal. Range, Sulphur Spring Valley, six miles north of Wilcox, A. T. Ear marks, crop left, underslope right.

Cattle branded on right hip.



William Curtis. Woods & Potter, Managers. Post Office, Woodruff, Apache County, A. T. Ear mark: crop right over bit left, Horse brands, on left thigh, on left hip.



A. L. Morrison & Sons, P.O.: Springerville, Arizona. Home ranch, Mamie creek, neur Escadilla Mts. Ear marks, underslope right, crop left. Horse brand, same as

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Postoffice, Lochiel, Pima county, Arizona.
Range, on the San Rafael de la Zanja Grant.
Ear marks, right cropped, left slit.
All cattle in the quarter circle U brand are marked underslope the right, swallowfork in left.
Horse brand, like cut.

Also own the following brands, kept up:

REWARD to my marks and attention to my marks and brands for cattle, as shown in cut. I sell no stock cattle; and will pay \$1,000 reward for the arrest and conviction of any person or persons unlawfully handling cattle in the following brand and marks.



J. H. Hampson.

P. O.: El Paso, Texas. Ranch P. O. Range, on Eagle creek, Graham county, Ear marks, crop and split left, crop right.

on the left shoulder.

Smith, Carson & Co.

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

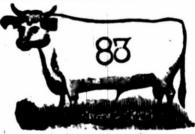
Ear marks: Crop off the left. Horses branded:



Horse brand,

David Rope. P. O.: Holbrook, Apa che county, Arizona. Range, Rope's ranch, four miles west of Holbrook, south of the Little Colorado river.
All cattle have two bars

crop in each ear.
Horse brand, XV on the left hip.



Santa Rita Cattle Co. ISAAC N. Town, Superintendent.

Postoffice, Calabasas, Pima county, Arizona. Range, Santa Cruz river, Pima county, Arizona of 1886 and imported bulls are branded same as cut on left hip.

NEW MEXICO.

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

BERNALILLO COUNTY.



Mariano Perea P. O. Bernalillo, N. M. Range, La Jara.

BERNALILLO COUNTY



Jacobo Yrisarri.

P. O. Aibnquerque. Range, Trinchera mountains.

Ear marks, swallow fork, over and under hack in right ear. Other brands same as cut.

SANTA FE COUNTY.

Santa Fe Cattle Co. W. C. Bispop, Manager, Santa Fe, N. M.

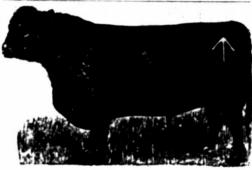




Additional brands:

Ranch twenty miles west of Santa Fe, N. M.

RIO ARRIBA COUNTY.



Chama Cattle Company. DERWENT H. SMITH, Manager.

Postoffice, box 132, Santa Fe, N. M. Range, Canon le Chama grant. Horse brand, same as cattle only smaller.

Ear marks: Hole with point of trianmutout of ear shaped gle toward the end of ear. Ear marks: Hole ut out of ear shaped



T. D. Burns.

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

SIERRA COUNTY.



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.



shoulder

Horse Brands: Other Brande: shoulder hip



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.

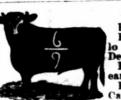
Horse brands: C of
TEL on left hip or thigh. Grayson & Company.

P. O.: Los Palomas, Si erra county, N. M. Range, Animas ranch, Sierra county. Ear marks, under haif Dyk, Whitewater, N. M. crop each ear. Horse brand same as cattie but on left shoulder.



Additional Brands: have same side. Some 22 right hip.

WO left side. 22 right hip, on the same animal.



Armstrong Bros. P. O.: Engle, N. M. Range, east slope Cabalmountains on Jornado Ear mark, underbit each

Horse brands, 6 left hip. attle branded on left side

SIERRA COUNTY.

Sierra Land and Cattle Company. P. D. Ridenour, President, Kansas City, Mo. E. D. Brackett, Sec. and Treas, Kansas City, Mo. R. H. Hopper, Vice-Prest. & Mgr., Kingston, N. M. S. S. Jarkson, Ranch Manager, Hillsborough, N. M.



Range, southeastern Sierra All cattle branded as in the and have two bars under the tail on both sides. Horses all branded SLC on the left hip, as in this

Henry G. Toussaint. P. O.: Lava. Range, near Engle, Sierra county, N. M. Horse brand. Reft hip. Vent brand on norse under original brand

Other brands on cattle and horses: NA Averted and run on neck.

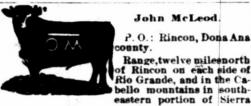


P.O., Fairview, N. M. Range, Pauvrecita creek and vicinity of Fairview. Ear marks figure 7 un-

C. Hearn.

derbit in each ear Additional brand, G L on left hip.

Horse brand, same as cattle on left thigh



P. O.: Rincon, Dona Ana county. Range, twelve milesnorth of Rincon on each side of Rio Grande, and in the Ca-bello mountains in south-

John McLeod.

county Horse brand, OM on the left shoulder.



J. M. Blun. P.O.: Fairview, Sierra county, N. M. Range, adjoining the BLUN, either side Ear marks, underslope

each ear, and split the left.



Horse brand, left side and hip.

KY on left hip.

GRANT COUNTY.



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

left shoulder

Wm. Brahm.

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: All horses are

Lynch Bros

Young stock in Sierra Co.

branded LB the left side. Haggin, Hurst & Head.

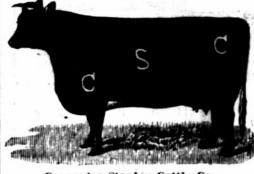


on the left hip. Horse brand. This brand kept up on



All cattle on both ranches marked with dewlap. running in them

GRANT COUNTY.



Carpenter-Stanley Cattle Co.

P. O.: Fort Cummings. Range, east side of Cook's Peak, Grant county. Other

CC = left F. FC brands: Horse brand: \_\_\_ on left hip. Ear Also, two under

marks: crop left underbit right; underbit left crop right.

Mariano Barela.

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

Lyons & Campbell.



P.O.: Silver City, N. M. Range, Duck Creek, Mule Springs and Middle Gila, Grant county.

Mark, crop and split left. Horse LC anywhere on the left side

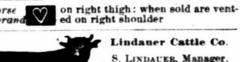
P O.: Lordsburg, Gran county, New Mexico. Range, Lower and Middle Gila, and west side Burro

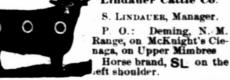
mountains. Ear marks, underslope left and crop and split the right ear.

Other brands.

Hart Bros. Land and Cattle Co., Limited

on side and hip; on left side, HART





Jornado Cattle Co. MAX GOLDENBERG, MgT. P. O.: Organ, Dona Ana county, N. M. Range, on southeastern portion of the Jornado del Muerto, San Andrecito and Oso

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

brand A left hip.

Missouri-Florida Cattle Co. JOHN J. YEATER, Prest., 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 Plorida Horse brand, same as cattle on left hip.

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Buckeye Land & Live Stock Company. S. A. BAXTER, Financial Manager, Lima, Ohio. M. CHAPMAN, Range Manager, Deming, N. M. P.O box 101, Deming, N.M. Range, Cedar Grove ranch,

20 miles south of Deming. Horse brand, samo, on left hip. Brand on left side. Marked, sharpen both ears.



John Brockman.

Postoffice, Hudson, New Mexico. Range, Rio Mimbres, Grant county. Horse brand, same as cattle, on the le hip.

Also owns all cattle branded

on the left side, A on the left hip.

3-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.

JOHN BBOCKMAN.

#### GRANT COUNTY.



Old and New Mexico Ranch and Cattle Co. Lou H. Brown, Supt.

P. O.: Hatchita, Grant county, N.M.
Range, Alamo Hueco in southern end of Plyas valley, southwestern Grant county, New Mexico.
On the right shoulder. Also some horses branded same as the cattle, as in cut.

as in cut.

#### DONA ANA COUNTY.



Pedro Garcia y Perea

county, Arizona.

Underslope each ear.

Crop and under half

crop each ear

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



Sacramento Cattle Co.

P.O.: El Paso, Texas. Range, Sacramente Ranch, Sacramento mountains, Dona Ana county, New Mexico.

Also cattle branded | left side of neck.

Also horses branded HS or H on left shoulder. Bar marks, crop right, swallowfork left. Old stock has H on left shoulder. Horses branded H on left thigh.



Williams Bros.

P. O.: Las Cruces, N. M. Range, Sacramento river, Dona Ana county Ear mark, jinglebob in

ach ear. other brands, on left hip.



Horace Ropes.

P. O. El Paso, Texas. Range, Carizozo Springs and west side San Andres mountains. Horse brand, same as cut on left shoulder.



Barbero Lucero.

P. O.: Las Cruces, N. M. Range, above San Diego, Dona Ana county. Horse brand, same as on cattle, left shoulder.

#### San Andreas Ranch.

J. H. WILDY.



P.O.: Las Cruces, N. M. Range, west of Las Cruces Horse brand, same on right shoulder.

Additional Brands.

on left shoulder, side and thigh and J on right hip.

F on left shoulder, side and thigh and J on right hip.

Ear marks, figure 7 underbit in each ear. Underslope and upperbit in each ear. Crop the left.

Only figure 7 underbit mark and brand as in cut keptup.

#### MORA COUNTY.



W. H. Willcox P. O.: Wagon Mound, Mora Co., N. M. Range, Mo.

ra county west of Red River and east of Turkey moun-Horse brand the same, on left hip. Some cattle or right side.

S. B. Watrous & Son. P. O.: Watrons, N. M. Range, east of Watrous, north and south of Mora

Horse brand, W on the

Ear marks

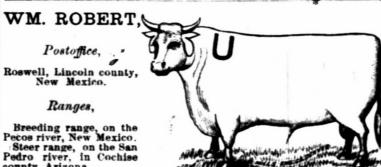




P. O.; Wagon Mound. Range, near Fort Union.
Extra brand, L left shoulder A left side.
Ear marks, swallowfork

right, crop and two splits

#### LINCOLN COUNTY.



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Crop right and under-

siope left.

Crop left, underslope right.

Horse Brand, U on the left shoulder

Ear Marks, Jinglebob in both ears.

Same brand and marks ept up on both the steer and breeding ranges.
All increase of following brands which I own, marked and branded as in main cut.



Crop left, under half crop right.



Swallow fork in either etc.



Crop the right.



Crop and underbit left, some same mark right.



Crop the left and under-half crop right.



#### 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. Was on left side, or either side. on either hip. 2W on the left side.

on left shoulder, side and hip. Mar-ked, 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 underbit left, crop right.

on left side, H on left hip. Ear mark, a same as boot H bar cattle. on left side and hip. Ear mark, crop and split in left and underbit in right. on left side, per half crop right.

on left hip. Ear mark, upleft, under half crop right.

Various ear marks.

### MILNE & BUSH LAND AND CATTLE CO.

Postoffee, Roswell, Lincoln county, N. M.

Range, on the Pecos and Berrendo rivers



Main brand.



Grub Left.



Grub left and underslope right

Grub left and crop

right.

Horse brand, V

Additional Brands: OX O on left shoulder, side and hip. IX on left side.

Ear marks, crop left under half right.



## Shorthorn Bulls

LA CUEVA RANCH CO.

LA CUEVA, MORA CO., N. M.

These bulls have all been raised on the La Cueva ranch, and are out of high grade cows and by Horse brand, same as cattle, on left shoulder. thoroughbred buils. They are ready for immediate service

#### MORA COUNTY.



Price Lane. P. O.: Wagon Mound Range, south of Wagon Mound. L on

T. H. LAWRENCE, Manager, East Las Vegas. W. E. LAWRENCE, Range Supt., Tequisquite, Mora county, N. M.



Dubuque Cattle Co.

P. O., East Las Vegas. Range, Tequesquite, Ute creek and Tremperos, Col-fax, Mora and San Miguel counties.

Horse brands, XX or

MX or left hip or shoulder.

Other Brands: All calves branded and marked as in cut, except thoroughbred calves in the OO brand, which is



William McCartney. P. O.: Los Angeles, Cal. Ranch foreman, B. T. Luccock

Ranch P. O.: Watrous, Range, between head of canon Largo and Mora river Ear marks, crop right,

underbit left. Also owns cattle branded VH on left side. All increase branded JS Horse brand, JS on left shoulder.



Range, Rincon and Ar royo de Los Alamocitas Ear marks, crop right, underslope left. Horse brand, same as cat-tle, on left shoulder.



Aaron Rales.

P.O.: Watrous, N. M. Range, Petroso canon and Cherry valley, Mora Co. All calves marked with

overbit in left and two un-derbits in ri ht.



W. T. Marshall. P. O.: Wagon Mound. dange, Escondido, south of Wagon Mound. Horse brand, same on eft hip.

Ear marks, under half crop left, over half crop right. Also have some cattle branded on right All increase branded as in cut



Portsmouth Cattle Co. E. E. Holmes, Manager, 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 8 B



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 ight shoulder:



The Wendling Cattle and Land Co.

OF COLORADO AND NEW MEXICO. New Mexico Division. Range, on OK ranches, Mora county, and on Glen Mora ranch in Mora and San Miguel coun-ties. HENRY WENDLING, Manager.

The Riverside Cattle Company.

P. O.: Wagon Mound, N. M.
Brands: JOU, FL, JL, RL.
Office: 1754 Curtis street, DENVER, Colo.



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, 2 on right



8. H. Fairchild.

P. O.: Wagon Mound, N. M. Range, in Wagon Mound district. Ear marks, split and underbit the left.

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on the left side.

Horse brand, same as cattle, on left shoulder.

MORA COUNTY.



P. O .: Watrons, N. Range, Red River and Ala-Horse brand.

Fart Bros.

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Charles Sumper.

P.O. Watrons, Mora Co. Range, south of Wagon Mound. Ear mark, two slits in le't ear. Horse brand K left thigh

H. T. Sinclair.



P. O .: Wagon Mound, Range, Vermejo and Teta Vegue. All increase branded the

same as old stock. O'her on right shoulder, side and hip on the left spoulder.



Shepard & Hall.

P. O .: Tequisquite, N. Range, Alamocitas. Ear marks, crop and un derhalf crop right; cro; and underbit left.



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n right hip

A. L. Penhaliow.

0. Tramperos. Mora county, N. M.
Range, head of Tram-peros, Mora Co. beth on

the left side. > or 3> on right shoulde



L. W. Leach

P. O .: Wagon Mound.

Rang , south of Wagon ir ind.



Carl W. Wildenstein

P. O.: Watrous, N. M. Range, Pinos Altos and Piedoso Canon, Mora and an Miguel counties
Additional brands:

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



M. Johnston.

Range, Vermejo. Horse brand, same on left hip

right and swallowfork left.

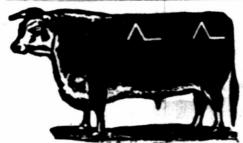


Robison & Clark Cattle

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 I right side.

16 on the left side and hip. All increas branded as in cut

COLFAX COUNTY.



Palo Blanco Cattle Co.

O. A. HADLEY, Manager.
P. O.: Springer, N. M. Range, Chico, Retaplen, Holkio, Palo Blanco, Don Carlos and L te creek.
Ear mark, swallow furth the left.
Horse brand, same as cattle, on left thigh.
Also left side, slash on left shoulder, dash left hip.

#### COLFAX COUNTY.



R. A. CAHOON, Foreman. P. O.: Cimarron. Range, Cerososo Canon, Colfax Other on right sho-brands alder and on left side, also on left hip.

8. M. Folsom.

on the left hip.



S. A. Kail.

P. O. Wagon Mound Range, Vermejo and Teta Cattle have various ear narks. All increase mark

ed as in cut. Horse brands: Same as cattle on right hip

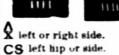


P. O.: Chico Springs, New Mexico.

S. W. Dorsey.

Range - Currumpa, san Rafael, Cinneguilla, Per-ico, Carrizo, Pinipotima, ico, Carrizo, Pinipoutus, and Sierra Grande, Colfax county.

Horse brand, same as above, on right shoulder. Additional Cattle Brands:



left side and hip. on right side.

LRB on left side.



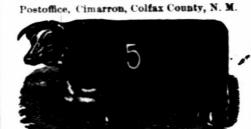
Miller & Harshman.

O: Springer, N. M. Range, Ocate, Colfax Co Ear mark, crop and underbit the left. # X JC \ all on left side, shoulder and hip. Other brands on the right shoulder.



Frank A. McCullough, P. O.: Chico Springs, N. M. Range, head of Palo Blanco, Colfax county, N. M Steers only. Various ear Horse brand, same as cut, on left thigh.

Urraca Hereford Ranch. FRANCIS CLUTTON.



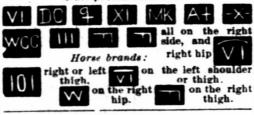
Thoroughbred herd, 9 left side. Ear mark, up P. O., Wagon Mound, derbit right and left. Horse brand, 5 on the left shoulder.



Western Land and Cattle Company. (Limited.)

Jas. A. Forbes, Gen. Mgr. 13 Delaware block, cor. of eventh and Delawa Kansas City, Mo. Range, Cimarron river. P. O.: Madison, Colfax county, New Mexico.

Ear marks, grub the right ear. Other prominent brands:





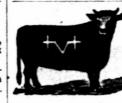
J. Linn Smythe.

P. O.: Raton, N. M. Range, Gates Canon, Colfax county. Ear marks, split in the eft and under back right.



Ear marks-Crop and underbit left, and under hit right Horse brand, same as cut, on left shoulder

#### COLFAX COUNTY.

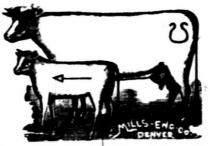


Henry K. T. Lyons.

O, Raton, N. M Range, Sugarite and Red Ear mark, sharpen the Horse brand, same on right hip.

The Akron Live Stock Company, Akron, Ohio,

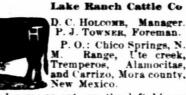
Augustus Curtiss, Manager. I. H. KINGMAN, Range Foreman. Postoffice, Springer, N. M.



Known as the "Stirrup" brand, formerly owned by Porter & Clouthier

Horse brand, same, on the left hip. Other brands and various other brands. Brand all calves with dart. Range, Ocate mesa and canon, Sweetwater and Cimarron river.





Horse brand, same as cut, on the left hip or Underslope right. Also have - on right side of



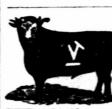
P. O.: Capulin, N. M. Range, Dry Cimarron, Colfax county.

H. S. Gratz.

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



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



Ernst Winter. P.O.: Raton, Colfax Co.

Range, Sugarite and Red river, Colfax county. Ear marks, split right underbit left. Other brands:

right side: swallowfork and holeft side under hack each ear. left side and O | left side and hip. hip. V Horse brands

SAN MIGUEL COUNTY.



Hyde Park Cattle Co. P. O.: Hyde park, fils. Range, El Salitre, San Miguel county.

Horse brand, same as cut on right hip All young stock branded same as cut.



Howry Cattle Co. S. K. Sydes, Manager. P. O.: At Red River Springs, N. M. Range, on Red River. Have purchased the in-terest of Mr. J. T. McNa-mars in the "anchor" herd

and range. All "anchor" cattle belonging to this and range. All "anchor" cattle belonging to this company are tally branded increase of 1884 is in the brand. All increase from the branded as in cut, and marked crop and under half crop the left ear.

Horse brand, RY on the left hip.

All increase marked crop and under half crop left.



C. T. Degraftenreid. P. O.: Fort Sumner, N

M. Range, Alamo Gordo, San Miguel county, N. M.



Clifton Davis.

P. O.: Puerto de Luna Range, Juan de Dios.

Ear marks, crop left.

and crop and split right. Horse brand, IX on the

#### SAN MIGUEL COUNTY.



A. Goldsmith.

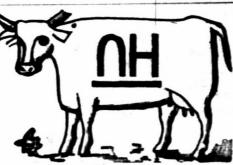
P. O.: Las Vegas, N. M.
Range, Charco, San Miguel county, New Mexico.
Horse brand, circle crose
on the left shoulder.
Underslope and underbit left, overslope and overbit right.



Howell & Gross, Blackwell & Co. J. B. Howell, Manager.

P. O.: Lubbock, Texas. Range, Spring Lake, on the Staked Plains. Cattle branded on either side

Ear mark, underslope rigut ear. Horse brand the same.



The Dutchess Cattle Co. of New Mexico.

TAYLOR MAULDING, Manager,
Postoffice, Wagon Mound.
Ranch P. O.: Liberty, N. M. Range, Pajarito, San Miguel county. Other brands, HUT and 202 both on the Horses branded same as above cut, on left hip.

> Las Conchas Cattle Company. A. S. HALL, Manager.



both sides. Young stock, crop right, old stock, grub right

P. O.: Cabra Springs, Cariso and Largoita. Range, Las Conchas

Horses are branded: X and IV on the left shoul-

Upper half crop left ear.

C. A. RATHBUN, Secy. G. W. STONEBOAD, Prest. JOHN DOLD, Manager. Juan De Dios Cattle



Company. P.O.: Las Vegas, N.M. Range, Juan de Dios, San Miguel county. Horse brand, same as on cattle, on the left shoul-



Las Vegas Land & Cattle Co.

P. MILLHISER, Manager. P. O , East Las Vegas. Range, Las Vegas grant. Ear marks vary in old Ear mark on increase,

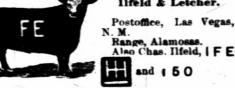
overslope each ear. Horse brand M on right hip or thigh. Miguel Romero. P.O.: Las Vegas. The range, San Rafael springs,

brands:

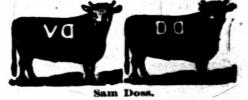


Ilfeld & Letcher Postoffice, Las Vegas,

San Miguel county. Horses, same as cattle



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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 Brancs. Cattle in DO 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 VO brand have also following brands; Some L right loin; some T right loin: some F right side. None of these orands are kept up. All increase is branded and marked as in cut

All horses branded DO on right thigh.

#### SAN MIGUEL COUNTY.



Geo. W. Mayhan.

P. O.: Watrous, N. M. Range, Tualosa Canon, os Conchos. Ear marks, crop and two dits in left ear. Horse brand, C on left houlder.

Some cattle branded as above, on the ribs.

Beef brand A—K on left side, and bar across
the loin, under the tail.

Brand all increase as in cut.



Montezuma Cattle Co. J. I. Mosier. Manager.

P. O.: Eden, N. M. tange, Los Tanos and on ecos river. Horses branded same as attle on the left shoulder

Brand any place on animal.



Valley Ranching Co.

P. O.: Glorieta N. M Range, headwaters Pe-cos river. 
Shorthorns only. Young



P. C. Pixlee.

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

Horse on the left shoulder. All horses brand are vented when sold.

### James Conant.





P. O.: Liberty. N. M Range, on Red River, 12 miles above Fort Bascom. Ear mark, crop the right and sharpen the left ear.



Simon Frankenthal.

P.O.: La Cinta. Range: La Cinta Creek. Horse brands: S F on left shoulder.

Lewis Walker and Mary Walker.

P.O.: La Canon Largo Range, Canon Bonito and Canon Largo.

Horse brand, cross on the left hip. A few cattle branded in

three crosses only. P. O.: Canon Largo, N. M. Range, Canon Bonito and Canon Largo.

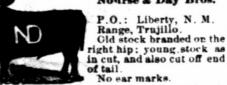
horse brand on left hip.



Both brands kept up Myers Bros. & Livezey. Postoffice, Liberty, New Mexico.

Horse brands, TTT on the left hip.
Range, head of Arroyo
Plaza Largo, and foot of
Staked Plains, San Miguel
county, New Mexico.

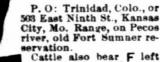




Quincy & Las Vegus Cattle Co.

W. S. Lyon, Manager. P. O.: Cabra Springs. Horse brand same on left shoulder. Ear marks, double jinglebob right; wallowfork left.

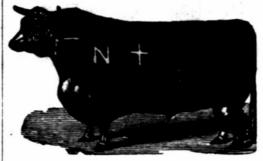




Cattle also bear F left side, not kept up.

#### DETROIT AND RIO GRANDE LIVE STOCK CO.

COLONEL P. MOTHERSILL, General Manager



ADAM TELFER, General Foreman.

P.O.: Engle, N. M

Range, Jornado and Caballo mountains. Ear marks, under-half crop right, underbit left

Horse brand R left shoulder Kim left hip

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L. WALLACE HOLT, 7 Rivers, N. M., Asst. Manager. A. TEMPLE TWEEN, Cashier and Accountant.

Breeding range, on the west side of Pecos river, Lincoln county, New Mexico. George Wilcox, foreman: P. O., Seven Rivers, N. M. HOLT

Steer range, in El-bert and Bent counties, Colorado. W. A. WAG-GONER, foreman; P.O., Hugo, Colorado.



underslope in right.



Underbit in left, anderslope in right.



Horse brands on the left hip

Thoroughbred Here ford and Polled Angus

or thigh.

on the left hip,

slope in right

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On both sides

Underbit in left.

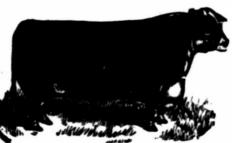
- Half undercrop left, crop right. Swallowfork left, split right.

Crop and two splits each. This mark and brand for all steers. Swallowfork left, crop and underbit right.

All increase branded same as cut and marked swallowfork right, and tin tag in the left.

Horse and Steer range, Apishapa Temp creek, Bent and Lockwood canons, Colorado. W. F. Bloom, Foreman, Postoff e, Thatcher, Colorado. Breeding ranch, Rio Hondo, Lincoln county, New Mexico. John Burns, Foreman, Postoffice, Lincoln, New Mexico, care Circle Diamond ranch.

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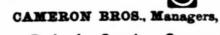
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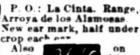
OF LAS VEGAS. Office of Browne & Manzanares.
C. W. Browns, Manager.
P. O.: Red River Springs, New Mexico. Range, on Trujillo creek, in Oldham county, Texas; and San Miguel county, New Mexico. Additional Brands:

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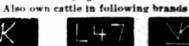
All Increase branded as in above cut. Horse brand, same as cut on the left shoulder some horses have Star C on the left hip.

Y. Kohn & Co.



cattle brander

and marked double jinglebob in account.



shoulder, side, hip.
All increase to be branded and marked as in cut

Horses branded some on left shoulder and some on left leg.

Waddingham Cattle Association.

RATMOND JENKINS, Gen-eral Manager. P. O.: Fort Bascom, N Range, Canadian river and I te creek.

Additional brands 4 on right and left hip, making 44 when seen from behind. Horse brand on shoulder



W. H. McBroom.

P.O.: Fort Sumner, N. Range, Canaditas Ranch Foreman, Brown HARRIS. Additional

brand on left hip.

[on both hips.] Various ear marks for these various brands. Horse brand, same as cut.

#### L. S. Rogers.



P. O.: Liberty, N. M. Range, Monte Ruelto.
Other brands, XLV on left shoulder, side and hip.

liorse brand, same as cut, on the left hip.



Heckie & McDowell. P.O.: Las Vegas, N. M tange, Sabinnoso and Largitijos arroyo.
Some branded only with
a W on either side and ear

mark grub right or left. Horse brand, L on the right shoulder.

Also own all female cattle in following brands, which are not kept up: left side JM left and thigh side. left shouldr



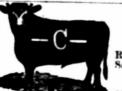
Circle Cattle Co. A. Morton, Manager Post flice, Tequesquite Horse brand, O left hip Other Brands:



W. A. Burnett, Trinidad, Colorado.

J. D. Williams, Foreman. P. O.: Liberty, N. M. Range, Monte Ruevelto, San Mignel county, New Mexico.

left side. right side. brands: T on left jaw and H on left side. Horse brand, H on left hip.



H. M. Coy.

P. O. Las Vegas, N. M. Range, Sandijulla creek, San Miguel county.

All increase branded as in cut. Other Brands:

MMJC(N)JO

SAN MIGUEL COUNTY.



All increase branded on both sides marks, crop left and crop and hole in right

#### Stonewall Cattle Company.

NICK L. WINSTON, Manager. O: Cabra Springs, San Miguel Co., N. M. Francisco Arroyo and Cuervito.

Additional brands: on right side and II on right hip. X on the sile. X on right side and X on right hip.

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J. S. EMERY. Cochran & Emery. P. O.: East Las Vegas, Range, on Beck grant, San Miguel county, N. M.

Other brands.

ar marks, grub left ear Horse brand, C on left hip.



Pajarito Cattle Co.

A. H. WHITMORE, Presid't, Las Vegas. E. D. BULLARD, Sec. and Manager, Liberty. P.O.: Las Vegas, N. M. Range, Pajarito, near Liberty, N. M.

branded on both sides har marks, crop and two splits in each ear



New England Live Stock Company.

P.O.: Greeley, Colorado Ranch P. O.: Fort Sumper. N. M. Range, the Pecos, at Fort Sumper. Additional brands,

orandeu same as cattle on left side. Earmark, crop and two splits in right ear stile in brand of above cut branded both sides.



G. S. Long & Bro.

P. O.: Cabra Springs, N 4. Range, La Garita and Other brands:

Also, or On either side. | Increase branded as in cut. Horse brands, same as cut Ear marks, slit right, overbit left



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



Chas. S. Cowan.

P.O. Pecos Town, N. M. Ranges, Rincon de las Trozas, Red River, and Cow Creek, Upper Pecos Horse brand 7 - on left

shoulder. Some cattle branded TA on left side.
All increase branded as in cut.



Day Bros. & Co. P. O.: Liberty, N Range, Trujillo. All increase is not marked, but end of tail cut off.
\* Horse brand, connecte



Rudolph Erminger

ND on left shoulder.

P. O.: Liberty, N. M. Range, Pajarito and Tierra Blanca, San Miguel Co Ear marks, underbit in each ear Horses branded 2 on the left shoulder.

Also cattle branded on the left side.



D. A. IRWIN. D. RUBIDGE Irwin & Rubidge P. O.: Denver, Colorado

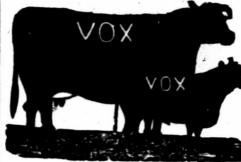
Range, Trujillo, N. M. DAY BROTHERS, Managers P. O.: Liberty, New



Las Carretas Cattle Co A. S. VAN ANGLEN, Sec., Marshall, Mo P. O.: Fort Sumper, N. M. Bange Las Compt M. Range, Las Carretae and Pecos river. Also claim cattle

anded thus left hip ear marks, crop and underbit in left ear.
Cattle branded on both sides. florses branded with star on left hip.

SAN MIGUEL COUNTY.



Fort Sumner Land and Cattle Co. DAN. L. TAYLOR, President and Manager, Fort

Range, Fort Sumner, N. M. P. O.: Fort Sumner. Ear marks, crop the left. Additional brands-All kept up.

right side, or hip.

O on right side or hip.
Some horses are branded VO



E. G. Austen.

Postoffice, Wat rous, N. M.

Range, near Li-berty, San Miguel county, N. M.

Barash & Bloch.



P.O.: Las Vegas, N. M. Range, Los Conchas attle branded either side Horse brand, same as at, on left shoulder. Ear marks, swallow fork

Auditional brand on left side. 2-B All increase branded as in cut.

ISDOR PELLHEIMER, R. HIRSCH Of Las Vegas, N. M. Of New York. Feilheimer & Hirsch.



Ranch P. O.: Liberty, New Mexico. Range, Mexico. Range, Pajarito and Tierra Blanca, San Miguel Co.

Horse brand, 14 left hip Ear marks, on increase crop left; old stock have various earmarks

Cattle are also branded | | 4 | and F \_\_\_\_ on

both or either side.

The bars on all cattle ruu from the top of the back to the belly.
Cattle branded on both or either side.

All increase branded 14



Waddingham Bell Ranch. MICHAEL SLATTERY, Mgr

P. O.: La Cinta, count / of San Miguel, New Mexico. The range, Montoya Grant. All the horses on the ranch have the same



Jas. E. Johnson.

P. O. Liberty, N. M. Range, Liberty, N. M. Ear mark, crop and split each ear. Horse brand, same as cut on left hip or thigh.

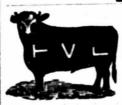


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P. O.: Fort Sumner, N.M. Range, Alamo Gordo. Saddle Horses branded SIX Stock horses are branded 0-0



Kemary Ritter. P. O.: Liberty, N. M Range, Canad Trujillo rivers. Canadian and the C brand, formerly belonging to M. J. Coots.
All horses branded on the left shoulder,



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

J. & E. Rosenwald.

Marked, crop the right.

Also own cattle branded

Mrs. D. F. Allen.



P. O.: La Cinta, San Mi uel county, New Mexico. Range, Atarque Canon. Other brands: Some cat-le branded same on left hip. Horse brands; Same on

eft shoulder.



Sam Goldsmith.

P. O.: Liberty, N. M. Range, Plaza Largo. Ear mark, crop and un-Horse brand, circle cross on the left shoulder.

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Land Office at Santa Fe, t June 24, 1887. (
Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the probate judge of San Miguel county, at Las Vegas, N. M.; on Aug. (
13, 1887. viz: John Dinan, of Liberty, New Mex-ico, forthe N. E. 14, Sec. 35, Twp. 12, N. R. 30 east. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence u on, and cultivation of, said land, viz: P. C. Pixley, D. G. Fitzlen, Eg-bert Fitzlen and L. S. Rogers, of Liberty, N. M. 1616. Charles F. Easley, Register.

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[Homestead Entry No. 1,227.]

LAND OFFICE AT SANTA FE, N. M., July 11, 1887.

Notice is hereby given that the following named Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Probate Judge of San Miguel county, at Las Vegas, N. M., on August 23, 1887, viz: Rafael Mendes, of Fort Sumner, N. M., for the E ½ N W ½, N E ½, N E ½, Sec. 33, Twp. 4 N, R. 25 east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of.

continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Encarnacion Mares, Raymualdo a, San Miguel Co.

Cattle branded on either Fort Sumner, N. M.

CHARLES F. EASLEY, Register.

Notice for Publication. [Homestead No. 2,587.]

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of.

continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Antonio Jose Garceia, Luis Gallegos, Cruz Romero, Rafael Maez, all of La Cinta, N. M. Chas. F. Easley, register.

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[Homestead No. 2,584.]

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Antonio Jose Garcia, Luis E. J. Willox, Range Supt., Fo Gallegos, Cruz Romero, Rafael Maez, all of La Range, Pecos river, near Fort Sumner Cinta, N. M. CHARLES F. EASLEY, Register.

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Preemption No. 1810.

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final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the probate judge of San Mignel county at Las Vegas, N. M., on September 3, 1887, viz: Juan Sanchez, of Liberty, N. M., for the SW &, Sec. 34, Twp. 10 N. R. 33 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Anastacio Martinez, Pablo Garcia, Basilio Montano, Juan H. Trujillo, all of Liberty, N. M. 19 Charles F. Easley, Register.

SAN MIGUEL COUNTY.



P. O.: Liberty, N. M. Range: Tierra Blanca and Pajarito Creeks, San Miguel County.

Other Brands: GBC also on right side; BB also on right side; BB also on right side; Underslope both ears

All increase branded GID right side.

Horse Brand: V on left hip or neck.

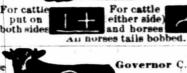
C. A. RATHBUN, Las Vegas. Robert Mingus, Puerto de Luna.



Luna. Range, head of Alamo Gordo. All increase is

branded as in cut and ear marked crop and over hack left under hack in right.

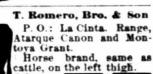
Other brands:





Governor C. H. Moore. P. O.: Puerto de Luna.

Range, Upper Yeso. Various ear marks. Horses branded same on shoulder.



ther cattle brands 0 brands



R. G. & J. W. Carlisle. P. O : Puerto de Lana, N. M., and Crested Butte, Colo.

Ranze, Alamo Gordo and Juan de Dios. Horse brand, on left thigh, high up.



Calkins Cattle Company.

E. J. Wilcox, Range Supt., Fort Sumner, Pecos river, near Fort Sumner. Ear marks on increase, crop off left.

Other brands: OLH on the left shoulder, side and hip.
T on the left side.
C on side, | L on hip Horse brand, |X| on the left hip.



Silva & Dodge.

P.O.: Puerto de Luna. Range, Alamo Gordo.
Horse brand, on either side, on the shoulder. shoulder. Ear marks, jinglebob in left upper half crop right.

All calves branded as above. Also own



Fond du Lac & Las Vegas Cattle Co. Jas. GAYNOR, President and Manager. P.O.: Fon du Lac, Wis. Range, Liberty Rarch

#### SAN MIGUEL COUNTY.



Frank Huntington.

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



Chas. L. Kohn.

P. O. La Cinta. N. M. Range, Arroya Las Con-

Horse brand, 17 on left shoulder.



Mariano Hinojos.

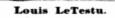
P. O.: Puerto de Luna. Range, Carriso.

Horses and steers are branded thus:



Stoneroad Brothers.

P O.: Cabra Springs, N. M. Range, the Beck Grant. Horse brand 2 on the left





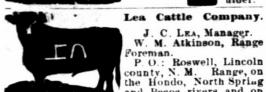
P.O.: Puerto de Luna. lange, Salado. Horse brand, on eft shoulder: Ear marks, crop the ight and jinglebob in the

#### LINCOLN COUNTY.



Eldy-Bissel Cattle Co. EDDY BROS, Managers. P O.: Seyen Rivers, N M. Range on the near Seven Rivers.

forse branc we left shoulder.



J. C. LEA, Manager. W. M. Atkinson, Range P.O.: Roswell, Lincoln county, N. M. Range, on the Hondo, North Spring and Pecos rivers, and on Foreman.

the Aqua Azul, Biackwater 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: E side, and also some on side and hip. W side, JB on hip or loin. LEA on side, or shoulder. side and hip. Cross on side and hip. And various other old brands and marks.

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Horse brand

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der thus:

W. L. RYNERSON, Pres. J. A. LARUE, Vice Pres J. J. Dolan, Sec. and Gen'l Manager.

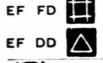
N. REYMOND, Treas. Felix Cattle Company.



P. O.: Lincoln, N. M.

Range, Rio Felix, Lincoln county. Horse brand, same as on attle, but smaller, and on left shoulder. This brand will be kept

Additional Brands:



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P. O. Fort Stanton, N.
M. Range, Rio Bonito.
Ear marks, crop left,
split and underbit right.
All cattle branded with
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and extending down on both shoulders

Also some cattle branded SS on right hip or Horse brand; SS on left thich

Cass Land and Cattle Company.

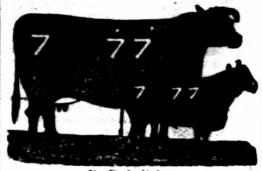


W. G. URTON, Manager. GEO. R. URTON, Range Foreman. P. O .: Fort Sumner, N. M. Range, on the Pecos river, at Cedar canon.

Horse brand, same as in cut, only on right hip.

side, and also with a 7 on the left hip.

#### SAN MIGUEL COUNTY.



D. G. 1 ritzlen. P. O.: Liberty, San Mignel Co., N. M. Range, Tierra Blanca.

Ear marks, crop and shit twice the left ear.

> Frank Carpenter. P. O.: Liberty, N. M. Range, Red River, twelve miles above Fort Bascom Ear marks, crop the left and sharpen the right ear



Horse brand, 77 on right hip.

P. O.: Liberty, San Miguel county, N. M. Range with W. A. Burnett. Also own OL on left side with shash on hip and

H. R. Trask.

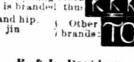
on left side. All increase branded as in cnt.

Horses branded with teepee and as in cut on left hip, and O L on left shoulder.
No stock cattle sold in these brands.



P. O.: Liberty. Range, Rincon del Charco. Horse brand, same as on cattle, on right shoulder or eft hip. All young stock

on left shoulder, side and hip. Ear marks, double jinglebob left ear.







Other brands:

P. O.: Liberty, N. M. Range, Tierra Blanca, San Miguel county. Ear marks, overslone left. HUB Ear mark, crop and under half-crop left; Horse brand, or the left shoulder



on either hip. left side. right side. one of these brands kept up. XV on left shoulder and V on left hip. All increase branded XV on both sides.



S. Fred. Reuther. P.O.: La Cinta, N. M. An over half crop in each

NX Increase branded as in cut.



Reuther & Nahm.

P.O.; La Cinta, N. M. Crop two splits left; half undercrop right. Increase branded as

RM in cut.

Horse brand

on the left shoulder.



MRS. LUZ B. MAXWELL



Brazil & Maxwell. P.O.: Las Vegas, Ranct P. O.: Fort Sumner Range, Taivan ranch. east of Fort Summer. Horse brand, left shoulder.



Fort Bascom Cattle Raising Co. TEPREN E. BOOTH, Mir. P. O.: Fort Bascom, San Miguel Co., New Mexico. Range, Baca Location, Noz. Horses branded same as

cattle on the left hip. After January 1, 1887, all increase branded as Old stock FXB.

Ear mark, swallow fork each ear.



E. K. Houghton.

P. O.: Liberty, N. M Range, Monte Ruelto, Sar Miguel Co., N. M. Horse brand, same as ent, on the left hip.

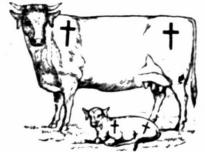


L. H. Pinnell.

P.O.: Santa Rosa, N. M. Range, Los Tanos, Pecos Cattle branded on both

Ear marks, crop the left swallow fork the right

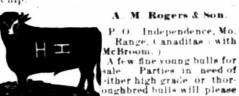
#### LINCOLN COUNTY



GEO. B. BARBER. Lincoln, N. M.

EMIL DURR, Milwaukee, Wis. Three Rivers Land and Cattle Ranch Co.

GEORGE B BARBER, Manager. P. O.: Lincoln, N. M. Range, Three Rivers, Lincoln county, N. M. Horse brand, one cross, same as cattle, on the left hip.



LL Cattle Company. M. R. LEWIS, Range Mgr. and Secretary Postoffice, Fort Sumner, N. M. LEWIS LUTZ. Treasurer. Las Vegas

correspond with us.

JOHN RUGEE,

Range, Pecos river, 40 miles south of Ft. Sumper. Ear marks, underslope right, overslope left. Horse brands, L on shoulder, O on jaw, both on the right side



R. P. Segrest.

O .: Seven Rivers, N M. Range, head of Seven Rivers, South Prong. Ear mark, underbit and verslope left ear, overbit ight ear. \* Horse brand on left side.

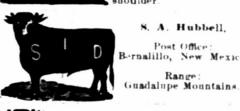
Som cattle are branded with the S straight up Additional brands RRS Ear mark, overslope and underbit left, overbit right.

Ear mark, overslope and underbit left;

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



J. & J. S. Raynolds, A. B. ALLEN, Foreman. P.O.: Fort Sumper, N. Range, 8 miles below edar Canon on the Pecos Horse brands J on left shoulder.



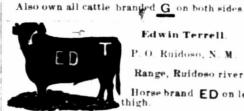
S. A. Hubbell, Post Office Bernalillo, New Mexico Range



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



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



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



P. O.: Róswell N. M. Range, Ric Hondo. Other brands  $\mathcal{T}_{h}$ 

Both on left side Horse brands, same as cattle or right shoulder.



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

#### LINCOLN COUNTY.



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J. P. WHITE, Manager.

Postoffice, Roswell, N. M. Range, at Bosque Grande, Rio Pecos; and at Four Lakes, on the Staked Plains. Also cattle in the following brands

on the F on the stu LFW on hip, side and shoulder;

24 on the left hip. J - O on shoulder, side and hip

S+S on the shoulder, side and hip. For these brands various earmarks.

Horse brands:



side and on

own all cattle in the following brands: LOD left side; ear mark, swallow ferk right overslope and underhit left; SSS left side, and S on hip; JEW left side; OVU left hip, side



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Paris, Texas. Range, Los Portales, Staked Plaine. All increase branded FX. Ear mark, underbit

Old brand, GOOD. Ear marks, underslope each ear.



P. O.: Fort Sumner, N. M. The range, California Ranch, on Pecos river, and be San Juan mesas. Horse brand on left ip.
Earmarks: Swal-

Hernandez Bros.

ow fork in the left eat. John Shaw & Co. WM. MAILAND, Supt. P.O.: Fort Sumner, N Range, Yeso and Pe cos river.



Horse brand, X - on the

Carrizozo Cattle Ranch Co. (Limited).

JAMES A. ALCOCK, Manager. P. O.: White Oaks, N. M. Range, Carizozo. Horse brand, C with dot in center placed on



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

on left thigh

William Slane.



El Capitan Land and Cattle Company. P. O.: Fort Stanton, Lincoln county, New Mexico. Range, north of El Capitan mountaine,

Lincoln county. Other brands.

MEL left shoulder, side and hip, slit and underbit in right.

left shoulder, side and hip.
Underslope.

OWL on left side. Mark, ed crop right, underslope. left side and hip.
Ear marks, split Horse brand both ears.

both ears. All increase marked as in cut and talls bobbed. When sold all horses are counterpranged with a mall block on the left jaw.

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#### LINCOLN COUNTY.



A. E. Powers.

Postoffice, Fort Stanton, Lincoln county, N. M. Ranch P. O., Powers' ranch, Red canon, Socorro county, N. M. Horse brand same as cat

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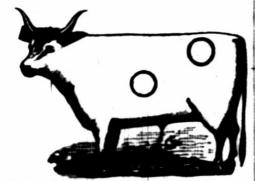
îp. earmarks.

Other Brands: B U K Crop and under half erop left, crop

E U K Crop and under half crop left, crop and Both brands on both sides of animal

#### VALENCIA COUNTY.

New Mexico Cattle Breeding Company.



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



Dr. E. C. Henriques.

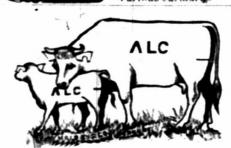
P. O.: Belen and Las Vegas. Range, Estancia Springs, alencia county.

All the increase of cattle and horses branded as in main cut.



J. A. Johnson & Co. P. G.: Albuquerque, N. M. Range, San Jose ranch, on A. & P. railroad, forty-

seven miles from Albuqurque. Horse brand, J. left hip. Varions earmarks



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Horse brand, A L C on the left hip.



Kennedy & Co.

P. O.: Coolidge, N. L. Ranches in Valles de Las Tuces. Range, between Bluewater and

Old stock are branded

883 ar randed as in

Ear marks, crop right, under half crop left.

Horses branded

Toolidge, along line of
A. & P. R. R.

On left side; since
the cut.

Left shoulder.

ROMAN A. BACA, President, San Mateo, N. M. Max Frost, Secretary, Santa Fe, N. M.



The Miguel and Chaves rants, Valencia county,



L. P. BRADLEY, Prest. T. S. MUMPORD, Secy. Cebolla Cattle Co.

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



Davenport Live Stock Company. M. B. Bownan, Manager.

P.O.: Chilili, N. M. Range, Buffalo Springs Horse brand, same as eat

tle on left hip. This company will pay a reward of \$300 for each and every conviction and sending to the peniten-tiary of any one illegally handling any stock in

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HENRY B. READ Howell & Read.



P. O.: San Marcial, N M. Range, Rio Grande river, Sau Juan springs, Cedar springs and Nogal creek, Socorro county, and Rio Grande river and Penasco springs, Sierra conn-ty, N. M.

Esr marks, crop and split both ears. Horse brand, same as cattle, but on left hip.



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Above brands, anywhere

on left side of grown cattle. On increase, same as cut.



P. O.: San Marcial. Range, between Magdalena and San Mateo mountains, and on west side of Rio Grande river, be tween San Marcial and Cantaritas.



on the left side and left hip Ear marks, crop the right and underslope the left.



Postoffice, Magdalena, Socorro county, N. M. Range, west of San Mateo mountains and San

Augustine Plains. Also own A



JAMES D. REED, Prest. SAM N. DEDRICK, Manager.

#### J. D. Reed Cattle Company.

P. O.: Socorro, N. M. Range, western slope of the Magdalena mountains, Gallinas and Hierolosa mountains, and the Bear Springs, all in Socorro county, New Mexico.

Bars across hips as in cut on both sides.

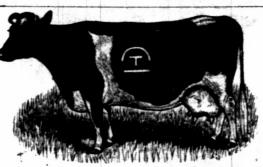
Ear marks, half under crop left and crop right sharpen the left and crop the right





Horse brand at rt. sh'ider stock borses.

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



#### Shorthorn Cattle Co.

J. M. Hall, President, Los Angeles, Cal. R. J. Bishop, Ranch Manager, Socorro.

Range, Luna Valley, Rita Blanca and San Francisco Rivers, western end of Socorro county.

Ear marks, some underslope left, and crop and under half crop left, crop right



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R. A. JONES, Range Superintendent

Postoffice, Frisco, Socorro county, New Mexico.

Range, Tulerosa and San Francisco Rivers, and Johnson Basin, Socorro county, New Mexico.



We run two brands, SU and M - F Ear mark, crop the right and split the left, for both brands Horse brand, SU on left thigh or left shoulder.

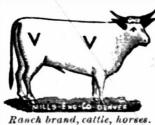
All increase of the following brands, also owned by us, is put in the above brands and marks. O.W O on side.

MAY on side, S on hip. BEL on side, S on hip.

ALA on side, con hip. U con side. O on side,

on side. MON on side, S on hip. A on both sides.

Other horse brands, U S and JON S on left hip.



on side, S on hip.

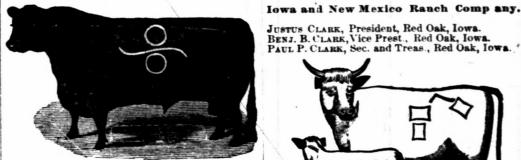
#### FLOYD JARRETT

Postoffice, Datil, New Mexico.

Range, Alamocito Park and the Datil Mountains, Socorro County.

Ear marks for all cattle, underslope both ears. Slash brand is the road brand to the original herd, not having ranch brand.





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FRANK H. WINSTON, Manager.

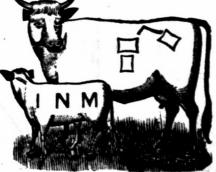
P. O.: Fairview, N. M. Ranches, at Elk moun-

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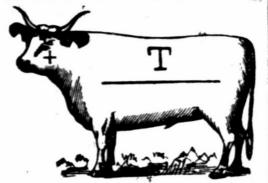
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P O. Magdalena, New Mexico. Range, Socorro and Valencia counties.



on All increase branded as on left calf, in cut, and marked crop hip. right and underslope left.



Trocke, Maunsell & Co.

P. O.: Patterson, Socorro Co. Range, eastern slope of the Mogollon mountains, between headwaters of the Nigrita and Gila rivers. Ear marks, underbit right and left ear.

Other brands:

Horse brand eft shoulder. 7 on left hip of cows and left side of calves.



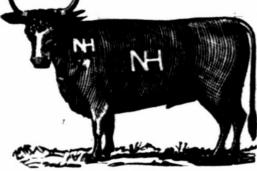
Bell & Taylor. P. O.: Socorro, N. M.

Range, Oscuras mountains, Socorro county. Horse brand, XK on left shoulder.



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ADOBE RANCH, - Range, on headwaters of the Upper Gifa, Sierra county. P.O.: Grafton, N. M. Ear mark, underslope left, swallowfo k right. Horse brand, HM (connected) on left hip or shoulder. Also 2 on the left hip.



Nathan Hall Cattle Company.

NATHAN HALL, Manager. P. O. Magdalena, New Mexico.

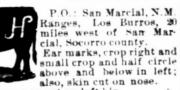
Range, Apachita creek, Tulerosa creek and Gallo Springs, Socorro county.

Horse brand, NH connected, same as on cut,

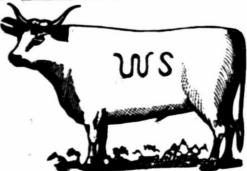
on the left hip.

Also have cattle branded O on le't side and hip with ear mark crop and under hack left and jingle-All increase branded as in cut.

C. S. Roberts.



Cattle branded either side and hip.



W S Ranch.

P. O.: Alma, Socorro county, New Mexico. Range, San Francisco river, Socorro Co Horse brand, same as cattle, on left shoulder or thigh.



Curwen & Norris.

P. O.: Magdalena, So-corro Co., N. M. Range, north slope of San Mateo mountains and adjoining San Augustine

In addition part of cattle branded N on right jaw, balance C on right jaw.

E ir mark, crop and two slits in each ear.

Horse brand, C - N on rightthigh.

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SOCORRO COUNTY.



J. B. PETRIE, Manager.

P. O.: Fairview, N. M. Range, on head of Gila, ocorre-county, N. M.

Ear mark, crop the right. Horses branded D on left hip.

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JOHN BELL, Foreman. P. O.: Alma, Socorro o., N. M. Range, South of Nigarita, Mogollons. Horses are branded the ame as cattle but on the

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Other Brands

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M side, various marks and other brands on side, underslope left, swallowfork right



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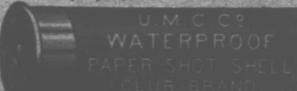
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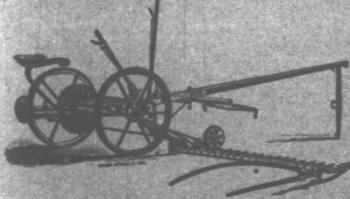
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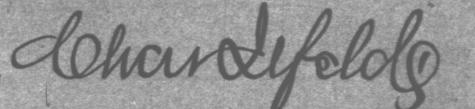
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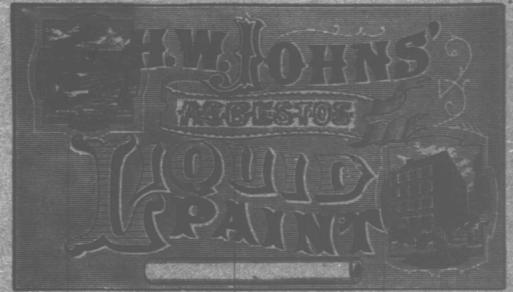
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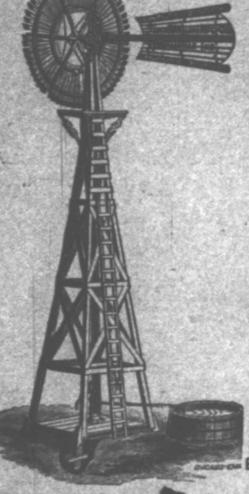
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