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ST. LOUIS MARKET.

An Off Week. Prices Brought Down a Peg. Dealers Been Losing Money.

(Regular Correspondence Texas Live Stock Journal.)

With few slight exceptions the week now ended has proved an "off" one. Buyers got the upper hand, so to speak, and have brought down prices 25 to 50 cents per 100 lbs on all grades, but more notably on common and fair native steers.

The various Eastern stock centres have been flooded with cattle while our own market has received more than its allotted share. The run again consisted mainly of native cattle from common to good with the preponderance of common to fair steers. No doubt the present demoralization is the cause of dealers losing lots of money. Home consumers are the only parties about the yards wearing smiling countenances. However prices had gotten too high and had to come down a peg. This depreciation is only temporary. The following from the New York Tribune is an honest admission:

"The New York Provision Company bought 22 choice steers, 1,500 average, on private terms. The selling price could not have been less than 13 1/2 to 14 1/2 cents. Mr. Eastman purchased 15 head at a margin over Chicago cost. It seems that doubt as to whether the late arrivals would all be closed out today, but a number of the slaughterers were waiting for them, and the general opinion prevailed that the upward tendency in prices since Monday would not be checked this week. Chicago and St. Louis have a firm grip on the market and will not believe that cattle will reach the maximum of last year's figures, yet there is no reasonable ground for supposing that low prices will prevail until the grass cattle come in. These on account of the backwardness of the season, will be later than usual. The cattle which are now in the yards are not likely to be ready for market as early as in previous seasons. The slight check which the export trade has received, owing to the decline in prices in the British markets, is not severe enough to seriously affect the market here for any length of time."

Indians and Texas hogs are coming in at quite a lively rate and being of good quality and ready disposal at good figures \$7.00 to \$7.50 per 100 lbs.

Texas horses arrive a few car-loads at a time and sell readily. The trade is picking up early.

M. B. Buel of Hunter, Evans & Co., informs me that wise 'uns expected the break in cattle prices and governed themselves accordingly.

Several Texas cattle companies are holding elections to-day. The reports of the officers were quite flattering to the stockmen.

THE PANHANDLE STOCKMEN.

Meeting at Mobeetie. The Work of Rounding. Distinguished Newspaper Men Address the Meeting.

Pursuant to a call the Panhandle Stockmen's Association met at the court-house in Mobeetie, on April 4th.

Robert Moody was elected chairman pro tem, and W. E. Edwards was chosen secretary.

It was moved and carried that a committee of five be appointed to range for the general round-ups on the Canadian and Washita rivers and on Wolf creek. The chair appointed Messrs. Eubanks, Smith, Hopkins and Young as such committee.

The committee reported, recommending that the round-ups for the division of the Lower Canadian begin at the lower end of the J. P. (connected) range and at the Box T range on the Canadian and Washita, on May 10th and work up said streams to the head of the Washita and then divide into one party on the Canadian and another to Adobe Walls and the other party to the head of Wolf Creek and work down said stream to Sixty Mile Creek at the crossing on Commerce trail. It was also an inch control the round-up on his range. The report of the committee was unanimously adopted.

The Salt Fork and Red River Division of the association, resolved to re-hold a quorum session taken at a meeting held at Clare on March 31st, so as to have the round-ups begin at the upper end of the range on the head of Buck's lower end of Curtis' range; east to north up the Territory line thence north to Mallale's range; thence to the Rocking Chair range and up Salt Fork to its head. Then work Goodnight's and Dykes ranges; thence across to the head of McClelland creek and down that stream to Odom's ranch, on the North Fork.

The recommendation was signed by J. W. Powers, Noah Ellis, T. E. Fisk, Will Odom, Tom McGee.

The association ordered that the recommendation be adopted and acted upon.

On motion of Mr. Groom, "Slade," of the Stock Journal, was invited to address the meeting. The invitation was responded to briefly and it caused considerable merriment.

On motion of Mr. Smith, the association tendered its thanks to "Slade," for his address, after which W. E. Edwards of the Panhandle was called upon and addressed the association briefly.

It was ordered by the association that these proceedings be published for four weeks in the TEXAS LIVE STOCK JOURNAL and the Panhandle and that the bills be sent to the Panhandle Stockmen's Association.

W. E. EDWARDS, Secretary.

W. E. Campbell, writing to the Washita country, says horses are scarce and high; lots of buyers in the country, and some of them going to Texas to make up their herds, as they cannot secure them at reasonable figures in the Territory. —Caldwell Post.

SAN ANTONIO.

SAN ANTONIO, APRIL 20, 1883.

Observations on Texas Cattle.

We have received, with the compliments of the author, Dr. Joseph R. Smith, surgeon U. S. A., and medical director of the department of Texas, two valuable productions on the diseases which afflict Texas cattle. They are reprinted from the reports of the American Public Health Association for 1882, and embrace a summary of the observations of various past surgeons and many of the most practical and experienced stockmen of west Texas, including carefully prepared statistics. In his resume the doctor concludes:

The observation thus far made shows scarcely an appearance that might be termed pathological among the cattle killed for beef.

Further, every observer pronounces the appearance of all cases of disease and malady to be in the highest degree exceptional.

Not a single case has been found in Texas during the year, where an animal apparently healthy has communicated disease to other cattle, and it certainly seems an error to suppose that any danger is incurred by the transportation to northern markets of Texas cattle.

The opinion expressed in my former report, that the weight of a specimen normally varies according to age and weight, is confirmed.

The observations here given fall in agreement with the idea that the weight of the specimen varies inversely to each other. Their increase and diminution are rather mutual.

Our English Settlers.

For some unaccountable reason, the impression has gone abroad that the immigrants to our state from England are a trifling class.

There are two particular classes who emigrate. One is the man who was never worth anything at home, who has deceived everybody, and lost all respect, and either must go to a new country, or to the poorhouse or jail; and the other is the man of energy and enterprise, who is not afforded such opportunities in his old home to acquire wealth and comfort as his mind covets, and thinks that a change would be beneficial to his interests.

As there is the man of energy and enterprise, who sees in the distance broader and richer fields for investment. There is no verdict rendered in court until all the evidence is heard.

A single witness may often crush the testimony of a dozen who preceded him. So should we all be in forming our opinions—exercise charity, one of the noblest attributes, and never sentence a man until all the evidence on both sides is heard and there remains no doubt of his guilt.

We should not cast our eyes upon one single Englishman, and because we never saw an other like him put down the whole population of the British empire as exactly such things as he. Yet this is done—not once, nor twice, but is persisted in by some all the time.

We forget that we ourselves came from a parent state, that Columbus, American Vesputius, or some other fellow discovered our land of God and liberty when there were none here but the stupid aborigines from which the murderous savages sprung.

We Americans came from England, Scotland, Ireland, Germany, Poland, Spain and others of the old countries of Europe, Asia and Africa, and probably our forefathers were just as "funny" as some people who came from those foreign countries are to us to-day.

We should remember that each country has its peculiarities of custom, dress, etc., and because all are not like we are is no evidence that we are the best. These remarks wander about the point we wish to make, which is, that Western Texas is to-day receiving a class of English immigrants who are an honor to the section and a decided acquisition to her business and social circles—high-bred, intelligent, ladies and gentlemen worthy of the fullest esteem.

They are coming here, too, with their pockets well lined, and casting their fortunes with us, and falling into line as one of us, in our rapid march toward the future.

The last have not remained. They could no more prosper here than elsewhere. It is the good who have cast anchor to stay until the ship of life is rent asunder on the sea of time.

We forbear mentioning names, lest there be some unintentional oversight, but we say all over the West we see prosperous English ranchmen, who have only within a short time—two, three or four years—made our section their home. All such who are here are prospering, are liked and honored and trusted.

We want them to come and cover our fields with their herds of sheep and cattle and horses, and prosper to the fullest possible extent. But let the idle and the trifling know that there is no room for the tramp, the sluggard and the impostor in Western Texas.

The Origin of the Term "Maverick."

A few years ago, when cattle were of little value as compared with the present, when there were no pastures and the stock roamed at liberty far and wide, and upon a thousand hills, the marking of the calves was a marked stock from a year old and upwards, was a privilege that by general use became almost a law among stockmen.

The right to brand and mark stock of the age mentioned was undisputed until the insignia of some man's stock possessions were placed upon them. But the custom has about been consigned to the past as one of the practices that grew up under its loose and unsatisfactory business system.

We have frequently seen what were claimed to be "correct statements" of how the term "Maverick" as applied to such unclaimed stock originated, but none of them so far as we recollect were correct. The term was derived from the late Samuel A. Maverick, of this city, and one of the most honored citizens of the republic, and the state afterwards. In early times, Mr. Maverick established a stock

ranch on Matagorda bay and placed a couple of negroes in charge of the cattle. They were trifling, and paid no attention to the cattle and hundreds of calves grew up unmarked and unbranded. Finally Mr. Maverick concluded to sell out his cattle, and found a purchaser in the person of the late Maj. Toutout Beauregard, brother of the distinguished Confederate general, who then resided near what is known as the Conquistador crossing of the San Antonio river, about fifty miles south of this city.

Mr. Beauregard received the cattle, paid for them; they were turned loose on the range and wandered all over the surrounding country. Many persons then did not brand and mark stock, distinguishing them as their own mainly by their colors and forms and the ranges they frequented.

Mr. Beauregard's stock being unmarked at the present time, and the name of other people's stock, it was found necessary to put his mark and brand upon them, which he employed men to do. When the men went to their work, people who met them on the range would ask, "What are you doing?" The reply would be given, "We are marking and branding the Maverick stock, purchased by Mr. Beauregard. Therefore, whenever an animal unmarked and unbranded was found, the finder would exclaim, "That is a Maverick," and soon all began to follow suit, marking and branding as described. This is the true origin of the term.

The following estimate of the cattle that will be driven this spring is probably as correct as is possible to arrive at.

Miles S. Bennett of Cuero, called on us during the week.

Maj. A. Conkle was with us again for a couple of days last week.

There is not much doing in stock, but trades are talked of to take place shortly.

Mr. James F. Scott is again stirring about the city and doing some business, as well.

Hines Clark has purchased Dull & Hall's stock of horses, 1800, paying about \$15 around.

Mr. Hines Clark sold, during the week, three cars of mares at \$25 a head. They were shipped North.

John Childress, of Atascosa county, spent the week in the city disposing of a bunch of cow ponies.

Mr. Lon Millett was absent on his ranch looking after the shipment of stock to Wichita Falls for several days.

A Chicago gentleman has indicated his intention to take stock in the establishment of stock yards in this city.

Mr. N. M. Newton of Laverne, Wilson county, was in the city last Friday to sell his stock of cattle and horses.

Dull & Hall of LaSalle county, have purchased sixteen Holstein bulls, from A. H. Stegall of this city, paying \$25 around.

Our office is now in shape, the register is open, stationery lies on the table and stockmen's smiling faces alone are wanted. All call and see us.

O. L. Stangeland, a wealthy Scandinavian who has been living in Chicago for some time, called on us during the week in search of a location.

J. J. Welder, the wealthiest stockman in the state for his age, was in the city on business during the week. He still resides in Aransas county.

Mr. W. Z. Smithson of Colorado City, accompanied by his family, spent last week in the city, and visited the B. N. office several times.

Mr. Ben Grant on Wednesday last shipped from this point to Kansas City 500 head of fine mules which he recently purchased on the Laureles ranch in Nueces county.

Mr. Hines Clark has just received a large lot of mares and horses, first-class and in fine condition, which he is offering here. He can fill any order for such stock promptly.

A. Calhoun purchased on Monday, from Mr. Hines Clark, forty-three cow ponies at \$40 and \$45. Mr. Calhoun is getting up two car-loads to ship to Abilene via the International.

Wallace Holcomb, of Cibola, this county, sold a few days ago, the William Davenport band of horses, 200 head, to George Reisinger, of New Braunfels, the average being \$16 per head.

Mr. J. P. Addington of Gainesville was with us for several days looking after the shipments of 3,500 head of cattle he purchased last fall from Millett & Lane. Mr. A. is as hale and hearty as ever.

Mr. Frank Caffey passed through the city last Saturday. He has about 2,500 head of cattle and 1000 head of horses which he is driving to Nebraska, where he is engaged in the stock business. His ranch brand appears among the list.

Cattle are in the best shape now. Sleek, fat animals are seen on the prairies and the meat in the market stalls is fat, and getting fatter every day.

In two or three weeks there will be more fat than lean, and "lean streaks" will be in demand. How things change.

The Eastern Eagle says: The first herd of the season passed through Bandera on Tuesday, in a month later than that of last week. It numbered 400, belonged to Lytle & Daniel, and was under the care of Gus Black. It was mostly composed of steers, and their condition was not good, but the fine grass on the trail will doubtless improve their condition fast.

Among the distinguished callers of the JOURNAL man during the week was the Texas Charley, who recently left to the Lone Star State from Chicago. He is now with J. Addington, of Gainesville, Tex.

Reports have gone out, bold and local press of extensive fry, and their stock in this city authorities shipment by rail, wledge of these "tricks" and the broad agents are equally as ignominious.

Col. Ed. Cunningham of this city, and with what success is well known to nearly all the old and more progressive horsemen of the state. For driving purposes, few better horses have been imported from the blue grass region of Kentucky than have come from Judge Noonan's pasture in Medina county, while the American turf for years past has been honored by west Texas horses. Who does not remember Anthony Dibrell and his Linnatic stock, his famous animal "Hippy," which, with rider, was killed during a race at Austin. Gen. Phillips conquered Parole on the New York turf four years ago, beating the then fastest horse in the world. All remember Askey's Rebel, Sam Harper, Ella Harper, and Socks, a fleet young animal which let down at Galveston. Mr. Askey made a circuit last fall and winter, taking in the north and east, and made the names of Joe Murray and Garfield famous. The former is to-day regarded by many horsemen as the fastest animal on the face of the earth. His great contests last fall, with probably two or three exceptions, were grand victories for Western Texas horses.

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Hon. James F. Miller, congressman elect from the 7th district, was in attendance upon federal court. He reports stock in good condition and herds moving. A large number of cattle will be driven from Gonzales and counties south and east. Mr. Miller has sold several thousands to be driven.

Messrs. Millett & Lane and William Irwin, are shipping 5,000 head of one and two-year-old stock cattle to Wichita Falls. They go by way of the International. This is the largest shipment of cattle by rail ever made from this section, and considerable interest is taken in its success by cattlemen.

Hon. E. John Ellis, the distinguished representative in congress from Louisiana, will shortly arrive in San Antonio with a view to arranging a co-partnership with Mr. T. N. Devine, to embark in the cattle business. So one of the most distinguished men of the south is now "cowboy," as some regard the occupation of the Texas stockman.

Mr. A. Cerf has ordered, through his brother, now in France, twenty-five thoroughbred Arabian stallions. They will be shipped from Algiers to Mar-sailles, and thence direct to New Orleans, whence they will be shipped by rail to San Antonio, and sold at auction. Mr. Cerf says, on Monday on the arrival of these animals about the first of September, when he will advertise their coming abroad the state and invite horsemen to attend the sale. If he succeeds in this trial he will repeat the shipments.

In our editorial in the last issue headed "San Antonio the Stockman's Home," we unintentionally omitted the name of Mr. G. V. Lang, one of the oldest settlers of the west, who amassed his fortune in cattle and settled down in this city. His home, a large two-story polished hard rock residence, on avenue C, the most desirable residence street in the city, is an ornament that attracts every one's notice. Mr. Lang has provided his family with all comforts of life, and lives like a prince. There are none more highly respected than he and his good family.

Capt. L. D. Kokernot, one of the veterans of the Mexican war, passed through the city on Monday on his way to the reunion of the veterans, to take place at Belton on the 21st. Capt. Kokernot is a citizen of Gonzales, but an Israelite by birth, the Dutch town of Amsterdam being the place of his nativity. Years ago he forsok the tabernacle of his father and adopted Methodism, becoming an earnest exponent of the Calvinistic faith. After the war was over, Capt. Kokernot settled down in Gonzales county, where for more than forty years he has resided and acquired a number of honored sons and daughters and accumulated much of the world's goods. One of his sons has a pasture fronting for twelve or fifteen miles on the Guadalupe river, which itself is a fortune. The old man is still vigorous, active and full of life. He looks no older than he did twenty years ago, though three score and ten have passed their shades over him. He still talks cattle, and smiles when he refers to his predictions of a half century ago, that Western Texas, then the home of the savage and the bison, would yet become the best portion of the greatest state in the American Union.

The Market.

Events of the past week cause a change in the aspect of the market, though not materially affecting the prices. There is not so much demand for cow ponies and shippers seem to be holding back, anticipating an

the barn, and in a few minutes the brother of Senation was led forth, his groom holding him at a distance with a pole. He is a beautiful chestnut, with strong black marks on his hips, said to be from his grandparent Lexington. I immediately walked around in front of him and looked at his great black eyes, which were so full of intelligence and good-will. The surgeon I turned to Mr. Young and said: "This is the horse, I believe, that there has been so much talk about?" "Yes, sir," with a smile. He was led up and down the pathway, apparently the ideal of meekness. As he stepped over the smooth ground as easily as a lamb, it scarcely seemed within the possibilities that such measures were necessary with him. He never offered a bit of resistance, and did remind me of a martyr, so, resigned did he appear to a future of darkness. As this thought flashed over the reportorial mind, indignation and sympathy were the most potent of the volumes. "How could a man commit such a deed?" thought I, when Mr. Young interrupted these fast growing passions, saying, "He can see quite well with one eye, the sight being somewhat scattered." A strong desire to deliver a few short but hot remarks to the speaker, and such as would also be suitable for the house. Once inside, I opened the batteries on him with the following result:

"Will you give me Onondaga's breeding, record, and your connection with him?"

"He is by Leamington, out of Susan Beane, stay Lexington and is full brother of Sensation. As a two-year-old he won \$18,000 for his owners, the Dyer brothers. Great things were expected of him as a three-year-old, but we went amiss and never run any more. His best race was with Lorillard's Sachem, who afterward went to England. They were great two-year-olds, and he was matched for \$5,000 a side. Onondaga was purchased from him in October, 1882, and about a month afterward he was shipped to McGrathiana. I was not at home during the winter, and he was allowed to run loose in a paddock in daytime, and was taken up nights.

"When did he begin to show his viciousness?"

up the first of February. We took him and his mare coming in season and it was not considered safe to leave him out. At such periods stallions are always very savage, but I did not expect any such actions from him. When he was in the stable, he then for the first time sprang at the mare most ferociously, and it was all we could do to prevent him from injuring her. This being his introduction in the stud, I thought the exhibition of temper would pass away, and the mare would be safe. None man could manage him. If he saw a horse, a mare, or anything he wanted, he must go, if everybody went down before him, and he bit and floundered until he succeeded in gratifying his will. He was not very dangerous to the mare, but he was very dangerous to the men in the stable. I looked for a change for the better, but the devil in him increased. He bit everybody that entered his stable, no matter how kindly you spoke to him or acted toward him. He knocked down men in the stable, and he bit down the women.

It was actually holding your life in your hands to go into his stall." "Could you not find a method to vanquish him?"

"No. I have tied his head down between his legs, and otherwise tried to conquer him. I am all in vain. One day, when my men had him in such a condition, when his wrath became aroused, and before help came one was down and walked over, having made a miraculous escape, and the other managed to hold him until aid came to him. I then saw that I could either kill him or let him go. I chose the latter the or blind him. He was young and promising, and I concluded to adopt the latter policy."

"But could you not have sold him?"

"He was fit for nothing except the stud, as his owner could see no other way out of it. My groom is an old trainer, and tried his best to curb him. I knew that if I retained him somebody would have been killed, and as a human's life is worth more than a horse's eyes, the owner sold him to me."

"How was the operation performed?"

"About the 15th of February we chloroformed the stallion in the daytime, and the surgeon inserted a fine needle in the eye just over the pupil and through it, to get to the eyeballs. It took four or five days to get the effect of the chloroform. I fully believe that the latter did him more harm than the operation. He was off his feed for several days, but is all right now, and is regaining his flesh. He has never suffered from any of the effects of the operation has been perceived in them."

"Don't you think it will interfere with his breeding qualities?"

"Not a particle. The best runners of this country were sired by blind horses. I was right and you were wrong. I pointed as was Lexington toward the plain, as was as strong as ever and covers mares better than before."

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 1 black mare, blaze-faced, 12 years old, 14 hand high, branded on left shoulder, Y on right thigh.
 1 year old colt, no brand.
 1 black horse, 8 years old, 15 hands high, branded on left shoulder.
 1 bay mare, right hind foot white, 12 years old, 14 hands high, branded on left thigh, disc brand on both shoulders.
 1 sorrel filley, one year old, no brand.
 1 sorrel mare, bald face, white feet, saddle and harness marked, 14 hands high, about 8 years old, shod in front, branded on left shoulder.
 1 brown cow with a little white on the back, about three years old, branded on left side, marked swallow fork, over and under left, under slope right; also, a suckling calf, no mark or brand.
 1 roan mare, branded about 11 or 12 years old, 14 hands high.
 1 black mare, about 3 years old, no brand visible, about 14 hands high.
 1 red steer, 5 years old, branded on left hip marked crop and split each ear.
 1 black steer, 5 years old, on left hip and shoulder, and on left side, marked crop, under slope and underbit in each ear.
 1 mouse colored stud horse, about 6 years old, 15 hands high, branded on left shoulder, had on a small bell branded on left side.
 1 bay mare, about 4 years old, branded on left shoulder, 13 hands high.
 1 black mare, white streak in face, hind feet white, no brand, 12 hands high.
 1 yearling horse colt not branded.

Hill.
 1 sorrel mare, bald face, 8 or 9 years old, split in each ear, both hind feet and forefoot white, 13 hands high, saddle marks, branded on left thigh.
 1 bay mare, 4 years old, 13 hands high, branded on left shoulder and on left side.
 1 light bay mare, 3 years old, 12 hands high, branded on left shoulder and thigh.
 1 cream-colored horse, 2 years old, 11 hands high, no brand.
 1 bay horse, 8 years old, small star in forehead, 14 hands high, branded on left shoulder.
 1 bay horse, 7 or 8 years old, 14 hands high, branded on left shoulder and on left side.
 1 brindle-sided cow, 5 years old, marked swallowfork each ear, underbit right, branded on left side.
 1 4-year-old steer, white and spotted, marked crop and two splits in left ear.
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 1 red and white steer, 2 years old, mark crop each ear, branded on right hip and on right side.
 1 red and white heifer, 3 years old, mark crop left, swallow fork right, branded on left side.
 1 black bull, 4 years old, marked split each ear, underbit right.
 1 brown mare, 14 hands high, 7 years old, brand W on left shoulder, C on left thigh, has sorrel colt, one year old.
 1 black mare, 7 years old, 14 hands high, branded on left thigh and on left shoulder, has bay mare colt.
 1 bay horse, 8 years old, 15 hands high, white spot in face, brand not legible.
 1 pole sorrel horse, both hind feet and one fore foot white, a small long star in forehead, 4 years old, branded on right shoulder 13 hands high.
 1 brindle cow, 6 years old, marked under slope left crop right, brand on left side and hip, C on right hip point of left horn off, one red 2 year old heifer, no brand or mark, 1 yearling calf.
 1 light bay horse, 5 years old, 14 hands high, brand FM on left shoulder, er, snip on nose, left hind foot white.

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Houston.
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 1 bay mare, 8 or 9 years old, 15 hands high, left hind foot white, blaze face, saddle marked, branded on left shoulder and on right shoulder.
 1 bay mare, 6 years old, star in forehead.

head, right hind foot white, 33 hands high, branded on left shoulder.
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Kaufman.
 1 pale yellow horse, 14 hands high, branded on left shoulder, on thigh, 9 years old.
 1 brown cow, 7 years old, branded on both hips, marked swallowfork and two underbits left, split right, brown yearling, no marks nor brands.
 1 red heifer, 2 years old, no brand.
 1 black heifer, 2 years old, white on head and flanks.
 1 bay mare, 14 hands high, no brand.
 1 bay horse, 4 years old, branded on left shoulder.
 1 sorrel yearling colt, no brand.
 1 roan mare, branded on left shoulder and brand on neck unintelligible, marked underbit right.

Lamar.
 1 bay mare, 5 or 6 years old, branded on right shoulder, C on left, very small pony, has a bay colt, white spot in forehead, 6 or 7 years old.
 1 bright bay horse, 16 hands high, 12 years old, front feet shod, slightly marked, no brands or other marks to be seen.
 1 black horse mule.
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Leon.
 1 brown steer, 4 years old, branded on hip.
 1 sorrel paint mare, 14 hands high, 10 years old, branded on left thigh.
 1 iron gray mare, 14 hands high, 12 hands high, branded on right shoulder.
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Limestone.
 1 black and white pided cow, 3 years old, marked over slope left, swallowfork and underbit right, has a calf, not branded.
 1 yearling, marked split left, swallowfork and underbit right, bluish color.
 1 red cow, marked hole left, crop right, branded on left hip; also a calf.
 1 red spotted cow, marked crop left, split right, brand not intelligible, and yearling, red and brindle spotted.
 1 gray horse, 8 years old, 13 hands high, branded on left shoulder.
 1 sorrel mare, 17 years old, branded with a dim M on left shoulder, white spot in forehead, marks caused by harness.

Mason.
 1 brown steer, 5 years old, marked crop and swallow fork in left ear, and under half-crop in right, branded on right hip.
 1 sorrel mare, 15 hands high, 15 or 16 years old, branded on left shoulder, small white spot in forehead, deep rum, has had distula, some gear marks on left.
 1 iron gray mare, 3 years old, 13 hands high, branded on left shoulder, some saddle marks.
 1 sorrel blaze-face mare, 14 hands high, 7 or 8 years old, branded on left hip and on left shoulder, gentle to ride, had a piece of rope around neck when taken up.

Medina.
 1 blue roan horse, 8 or 9 years old, 13 hands high, Spanish brand on left thigh, branded on point of left shoulder.
 1 gray mare, 3 or 4 years old, 14 hands high, branded on left shoulder, C on left hip, Spanish brand on left thigh.
 1 bright sorrel horse, 7 years old, 14 hands high.

Montgomery.
 1 sorrel mare and colt, small white spot in face, no brands, 5 years old.
 1 gray mare, 9 years old, 15 hands high.
 1 bright sorrel horse, 7 years old, 14 hands high.

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GAINESVILLE.

Result of the Last Day's Racing. The Special Race.

GAINESVILLE, April 14, 1883.

The spring meeting of the Gainesville Driving Park and Blooded Stock Association closed yesterday with four races.

The first was a trotting race with Dick Dewy, Fred and Hope in the entries.

Dewy was the favorite in the pools with the other two in the field. The contest was so uneven that it could scarcely be called a contest. Dewy got second place in the start, with Hope in the lead and Fred third. After a little brush Dewy took the lead and won the heat in a jog, in 2:37, Fred second, Hope third.

The backers of Fred seem to have been hoaxed into the belief that he could beat Dewy and wanted the drivers changed, but the association would not assume that responsibility, and he pulled the same man to the end of the race.

The second heat was started and finished with Dewy in the lead, and Hope barely with the distance pole; time, 2:37.

In the third heat Dewy led from the start to the close and won the race in 2:37. To one who knew the horses and their records the result must have been apparent from the first.

Dewy is a powerful horse, with a long stride and can easily trot in 30. He is entered in the 22 class at Chicago and could have made that time here, but his driver very sensibly declined to lower his record for the satisfaction of distancing a nice little road horse and an old blind mare.

The second race was a mile and repeat with Pilgrim Rose, Marie and Virgie Hearn at the post. Marie was the favorite in the pools, strange to say when she was beaten a day before by Pilgrim Rose. The latter got away from the string, on account of her bad behavior about fifty feet behind the others. She fought nobly and passed Marie on the home stretch winning the heat in 1:43, Hearn third.

In the second heat Virgie Hearn got the lead and held it all the way round, winning it in 1:50 with Pilgrim Rose second and Marie, the favorite, distanced.

The third heat was "hip and tuck" between Virgie and Pilgrim Rose but the latter passed under the string ahead. The rider of Virgie claimed a foul, by Rose being pulled into the pole ahead of him thus throwing his mare to the outside to get ground. In consequence the heat was declared dead and was run again. Pilgrim Rose got the lead and held it to the end, winning easily in 1:52.

The third race was a special pacing race, which had two starters, Sciola and John. They sold about even in the pools, but the horse was slightly the favorite on the outside. John won the first heat in 2:30 against a heavy gale, and did some fine work to accomplish it. Sciola won the second heat in 2:35, but it was a close race and the mare was not equal to the task of downing the horse and he went up in the pools. He won the third heat in 2:35, and the fourth in the same time. The horse showed his superiority by giving the mare all the advantage and closing the gaps between with all ease. Sciola is an honest little goer, but can not successfully contend against a horse with nearly twice her stride and all of her speed. Some contend that Sciola was pulled, but to the more experienced eye it was evident that such was not the case.

The fourth and last race was a consolation purse, half mile dash. Rabella, Eli and Dunlap started. The first named was the favorite by large odds, and some who got a pointer on her used it to good advantage. Rabella won the race easily with Eli second.

SPECIAL RACES. Gainesville, Texas, April 16.—Today's special races were well attended. The day was cool and sport fine.

The first one being only a half mile, saddle race, Big Em was the favorite in the pool selling at ten to six against the field. It resulted Big Em first, Bettie White second, and Jo Welden third. Time 0:51.

At a stockholders meeting this evening it was voted to put the present track into the best possible condition, also to build a fifty foot running track inside the present one and build a clubhouse on the ground fifty by seventy feet.

Messrs. Wilson and Sherwood were selected as a committee with the full power of the association to meet the other members of the circuit at Dallas, Texas next Saturday.

Over \$18,000 were sold in pool during the spring meeting and closed.

Memphis, April 16.—The spring meeting of the new Memphis jockey club opened auspiciously. The weather was everything desired, the tracks in splendid condition and the attendance large.

First Race—One mile, all ages, Pearl Jennings won, Callee second, Fellow Play, the favorite, third. Time 1:40.

Lute Fogle sulked at the starting post. Paris Mutual paid \$88.

Second Race—Dash of a half-mile, for two-year-olds. Lute Fogle, the favorite, won, Jennie M. second, Lindera third. Time 53.

Third Race—For three year-olds, one and a quarter miles, Aztee the favorite, won, Joe S. second, Tamerlane third. Time 2:16.

Fourth Race—Sweepstake, about two and a quarter miles, Eva A. won, Florence D., the favorite, second, Tennessee Girl third. Time 6:18.

Athelstone refused the third hurdle, and Tennessee Girl fell. Her jockey remounted and continued the race to the finish.

ENGLAND.—London April 16.—All the horses Keene had entered for the Epsom spring meeting are scratched. Lord's Sachem is in the City Suburban, and betting is quoted at five to one against him, and twenty-five to one against Rossmere and Tasso.

LONDON, March 30.—At the Liver-

pool Spring Meeting, to-day, the Grand National Steeplechase, was the principal event.

Grand National Steeplechase (handicap) 1,000 guineas; entrance 25 sovs. for starters, 15 sovs. for non-starters, and 5 sovs. only if declared; second to receive 100 sovs. from plate; winners of a steeplechase after weights are declared, value 500 sovs., to carry 10 lbs., value 200 sovs., 7 lbs. of less value, or of a hurdle-race value 800 sovs., 5 lbs. extra; Grand National Course, nearly four miles and a half.

Count C. Kinsley's ch m Zedone, 6 years, by New Oswestry—Miss Honiton, 154 lbs. 1
P. George's blk g Black Prince, aged, by Varden of Galway—Express, 144 lbs. 2
Major Bunbury's br h Mohican, 6 yrs, by Uncas—Castanette, 169 lbs 3
Six others ran.

LONDON, April 4.—The principal event at the Northampton meeting to-day was the Great Northamptonshire Handicap, at about two miles. There were six starters, the highest weight accepted being 114 lbs; it was raised to 124 lbs, and the others in proportion.

Great Northamptonshire Handicap; 20 sovs.; 10 sovs. forfeit, with 400 sovs. added; 44 subs., 18 declared; about two miles.

J. Hanbury's br h Glenluc, 5 yrs, by Glenlyon—Escape, 105 lbs. 1
P. H. Cooper's b h Sun of York, aged, by Favonius—Eleanor, 109 lbs. 2
M. J. Jones's blk g The Gilder, 5 yrs, by Dutch Skater—Bagpipe, 101 lbs. 3

Notes.

The Rockaway Jockey Club has collapsed, but the gentlemen forming the organization have made arrangements for the purchase of Prospect Park. The location is a capital one, and the track is one of the finest in the country.

The approaching sales of thoroughbred yearlings in Tennessee, Kentucky, and New York, and events of surpassing interest to the racing world. Already turfmen are perusing the catalogues of the different establishments and making their selections which are governed by favorite crosses, or paternity or maternity; brothers sisters to good performers, etc. Reports descriptive of the stock to be offered individually, published in the sporting journals, have eagerly scanned, and from all the data furnished the sale catalogues in the possession of many turfmen of our acquaintance are now not only well thumbed in appearance, but their pages are covered with notes and memoranda that would puzzle an Egyptian professor of hieroglyphics.

This will be great a week on the English turf, marked as it will be by the races for the Great Metropolitan, and City and Suburban at Epsom.

There are forty-two head of the choicest bred yearlings ever seen, to be sold by General Harding at Bellemeade, near Nashville, on the 27th. If some enterprising Texas turfman will go there and pick out one or two good youngsters, he will be well fixed for next season in this state.

Mr. E. J. Baldwin, Santa Anita Stud, California, lost on March 15th, from both the bay mare, Mollie McKeen, foaled 1875, by Monday, dam Hennie Farrow, imp. Shalrook. She was never badly beaten but once, and that was on July 4th, 1878, at Louisville, Ky., where Ten Broeck beat her with all ease, four-mile heat, for \$10,000.

A number of touts was noticeable at the Gainesville meeting, but it is rather too early in the season for them. The Gainesville Association is trying to inaugurate a regular Saturday matinee, giving one or more races. The idea is a good one.

The Kentucky Derby for 1883.

The entries for this great event closed August, first 1881 and the race will be run under the old scale of weights, colts 105 lbs, fillies and geldings allowed three pounds. Three of the nominations are void by the death of the nominators and twenty-six did not start at two years old. Baryone has been declared out. This leaves twenty nominations on the list of entries who will come to the string barring forfeitures, etc. They are as follows:

Ascender, who is first; favorite for the race, is by Buckden, dam Ascension by Australian, started fourteen times, won eight, second 4 times, third once, unplaced once. Of Ascender's performances his best race was for the Jockey Club Stakes, St. Louis, Mo., one mile, carrying 107 lbs, in which he beat Bondholder, 110lbs, second, a length, Clipsetta third. Violator and Lord Raglan, in 1:46.

Adventurer, g by Buckden, dam Bonaventure, started once, was unplaced in the Maiden stakes for two-year-olds, won by Cardinal McCloskey in 1:22 track heavy. Fourteen started.

Barnes b c by Imp. Billet, dam Mercedes, started nine times, won three, second four times, third once, unplaced once. Barnes best race was for the Virginia Stakes for two-year-olds, Saratoga, N. Y., three quarters of a mile, in which he beat George Kinney, head with 110 lbs, on each, Tocsin 100 lbs, third, and five others in 1:15.

Beechenbrook ch g by Bonnie Scotland, dam Moselle, started twice, was third in a purse race; three-quarters of a mile: won by Bonneretta in 1:17, at Louisville, Ky., and unplaced in the Alexander Stakes, Louisville, Ky., won by Punster in 1:03.

Bondholder b c by Bonnie Scotland, dam Glentina, started six times and won once, second three times, and third twice. He won the Ruyter Stakes, Louisville, Ky., three-quarters of a mile, in 1:17 by a length. Wandering second, Ascender third; but the best race he ran was for the Test Stakes, Louisville, Ky., three-quarters of a mile, in which Punster beat him, a head, in 1:13. Clipsetta third. Barnes and George Kinney unplaced.

Chatter b c by Whisper, dam Clara, started twice and was unplaced in both.

Charley Lucas b g by Buckden, dam Vio, started twice and was unplaced. Hassan b c by Leaps, dam Hazem, started seven times, won three, second once, third once, unplaced twice. His best race was a mile for all ages, at Louisville, Ky., Hassan 95 lbs, beat Brad 114 lbs., a neck in 1:41. Harry Gilmore 3 years 104 lbs third, and six others.

Chatter b c by Whisper, dam Clara, started twice and was unplaced in both.

Lord Raglan, ch c by Ten Broeck, dam Catina, started nine times, won four, second once, third twice. The best race he won was a purse for all ages, Welter Stakes, Louisville, Ky., one mile, Lord Raglan 113 lbs, beat Mary Corbett, 4 y o, 142 lbs, a half length. Pope Leo, 2 y o, 142 lbs, third, and five others 1:43.

Leonatus, b c by Longfellow, dam

Simper Felix, started once for the Maiden Stakes, Louisville, Ky., three-quarters of a mile, won by Cardinal McCloskey by two lengths, Leonatus second, Allan Oaks third, and eleven others in 1:22. Track heavy.

Musk, ch c by John Morgan, dam Binodine, started four times, won the Steel Stakes, half a mile, at Pittsburgh, Pa., in 54 seconds, Exeter second, Roscius third, and three others. Markland, b c by Springbok, dam Lorena, started four times and was unplaced.

Punster, ch c by Imp. King Ban, dam Puzzle, started nine times, won five and second once. His best race was for the Test Stakes, Louisville, Ky., three-quarters of a mile in 1:37, beating Bondholder a head. Clipsetta third, Barnes and George Kinney unplaced.

Pikes Pride, ch f by Imp. King Ban, dam Dou Pike, started ten times, won once, second three times and third three times. The best race she ran was for a purse, \$2,000, Lexington, Ky., three-quarters of a mile for two-year-olds, in which she beat Emma Manly a length, Billona third, and six others in 1:17.

Queen Ban, ch f by Imp. King Ban, dam War Reel, started five times, won three and third once. Her best race was the Blue Grass Stake, Louisville, Ky., three-quarters of a mile, in which she beat Bellona easily by a length. Miss Woodford third, and three others in 1:16.

Standford Keller, ch c by Imp. Great Tom, dam Blondin, started eight times, won once, and was third twice. Best race he ran was for a purse for maiden two-year-olds, five furlongs, at Saratoga, N. Y., in which he beat Emma Manly three parts of a length. Hattie M. third, and five others in 1:03.

Cardinal McCloskey (entered as Ten-witch) ch g by Ten Broeck, dam Waterwitch, started five times, won three and second once. His best race was the Belle Meade Stakes, Louisville, Ky., three-quarters of a mile, for which he beat Ascender a length, Hasin third, Standford Keller and Violator unplaced; time 1:16.

Violator, ch c by Imp. King Ban, dam Booty, started nine times and won three. His best race was for the Lell purse at Lexington, Ky., a half a mile, which he won by a neck, a dead heat for second place between Orlean and Annie Louise, and seven others; time, 52 seconds.

This is the list of the horses engaged in the Derby who run at two year old. Concerning the probable result of the race the Kentucky Live Stock Record says:

To us the Kentucky Derby of 1883 is a very open race, and the great thing for backers to know is whether the youngsters they are backing are sound and in good health, but this is nearly an impossibility, as the horses are scattered over such an extent of country. Youngsters change greatly between two and three years old, some make great improvement, while others do not, and it is rather early in the season to pick the winner of the Kentucky Derby, but judging by public forum, breeding books, and the fact that to pick the three that in our judgment that would first catch the eyes of the judges, we should take Queen Ban, Leonatus and Ascender, with Drake Carter as the best of the untried lot.

Of course this opinion is based upon the idea that Barnes will not come to Kentucky, and these selected reach the post fit and well. The progress of the training season may bring an entire change in our selections, but the above opinion is based upon what we conceive to be the best lights before us.

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But Trustee was also a thoroughbred trotter of sires, and would no doubt have been as great a founder of trotters as Messenger, but for the fact that he was used as a sire of runners, instead, and thus had but little chance in the other direction.

To prove this we may follow the line from Trustee down. He was the sire of Revenue, and there are many descendants of Revenue without reputation, because they were not publicly shown that could trot. For instance, we have Planter, the great racer, who won over a hundred thousand dollars when running on the turf. Although a thoroughbred, being by Revenue, dam Nina, by Boston, he could trot a mile in three minutes, and his full brothers, Exchequer and Orion, have been the sires of some excellent road horses.

And so it may be due, perhaps, to the careful breeding of Messenger sires to the best dams, that the propensity for trotting has been so strongly implanted in the strain, and in us many years, doubt, the descendant of Planter would do as well with the same opportunities. Trotting is an acquired habit, and is the result of long training, which after a lapse of time becomes inherent. The trotter is purely American. No country in the world but ours can boast of the speed of our trotters, but our greatness in that respect is due to our patience and careful selection.

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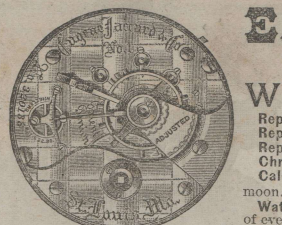
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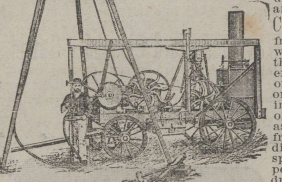
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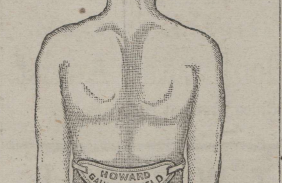
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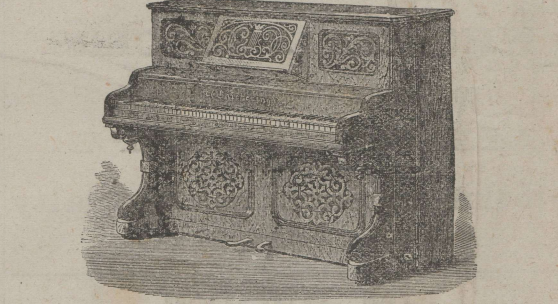
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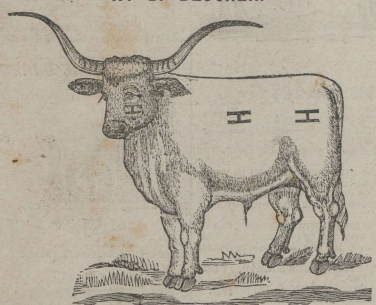
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Left side. Various marks.

Left side. Various marks.

Either side. Various marks.

Left side and hip. Various marks.

Either side. Various marks.

Left side: 7 left hip. Grub left.

Left side: 7 left hip. Grub left.

Left side: 7 left hip. Grub left.

Left side: 7 left hip. Grub left.

Left side: LV left hip. Grub right.

Left side: 7 left hip. 7 right side.

Grub right split left.

HORSE BRAND:

Left hip.



This mark and brand will be used on all increase from above and following brands.

OTHER PROMINENT BRANDS:

Right shoulder, right side and right hip.

Ear mark: Crop left; crop and split right.

Left hip. Crop left, split right.

Left shoulder, left side and left hip.

Various marks.

Each side. Various marks.

HORSE BRAND:

777 Left thigh.

\$200.00 REWARD!

This Company will pay the above reward to any party or parties furnishing information leading to the arrest and conviction of any party or parties who may have violated the stock laws, to the detriment of this company. The above reward will be paid for each and every person so arrested and convicted.

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ROAD BRANDS.

REED & HUDSON.

Postoffice, Fort Worth. This used as road brand. Horse brand H on left thigh.

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BROWN & WILLIAMSON.

This road brand and on both sides. All stock found in this brand will be liberally rewarded. Any information in regard to stock of this brand, address SPARK'S HILL, Lampasas, Lampasas county, Texas.

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Range: Canadian River. P. O.: Zulu, Texas, and Kansas City, Mo.

OTHER PROMINENT BRANDS.

X WM F JW S C

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

Other principal brands:

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J. M. CONNOR, General Manager, No. 3

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L. B. SMITH.

Steer cattle. She cattle.

Postoffice, Columbia, Mo. Ranch, North Tex 44. The above cattle in various marks.

Horse brand W on left thigh.

TOWERS & GUDGELL.

Postoffice, West Las Animas. Range, Dry Cimarron River and Beaver creek. These cattle are in various marks. Horse brand same on left shoulder.

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SOUTHWEST TEXAS.

W. J. ALLEN.

Postoffice, Mcgregor, McLennan county.

Above brand is on left shoulder of old stock, and on thigh of young stock.

dec 23-32-1 yr.

JEFF ABER.

Postoffice, Montague, Texas. Ranch on Bell Creek, Montague county, Texas.

dec 30-1 yr.

R. BEAUCHAMP.

Postoffice and ranch, Spring Creek, Throckmorton county.

A. P. BUSH.

Mobile, Ala. JOHN M. ASTON, manager. Ranch on Wilson creek, Colorado river and Bull Creek.

Postoffice, Colorado City, Texas.

Also on either side in various marks, and sometimes without hip brand.

This brand kept up. Various marks.

EF FORD. AN

Also have cattle in the following brands: marked crop and under half crop each ear.

left side E hip, marked under half crop left ear.

left side P on hip, marked crop left ear.

left side 127 left side in various marks.

marked crop each ear.

left side or hip in various marks.

left side in various marks, some with only one in various marks.

in various marks.

MAN in various marks.

W. G. BUTLER.

Postoffice, Dalleyville, Kansas county.

Road and pasture brand.

Ranch and road brand.

apr 22-32

HARWOOD & FITZGERALD.

Postoffice, Adobe Seward county. Ranch on Cimarron above Adobe crossing. Horse brand same on left shoulder.

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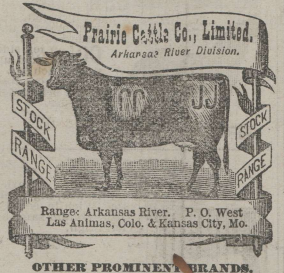
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OTHER PROMINENT BRANDS.

JJ H. A. N. A. K

HORSE BRAND, U on left shoulder.



OTHER PROMINENT BRANDS.

E. 7. 7. XT. H. T. T. T.

HORSE BRAND.

Same as cattle, on left shoulder or hip.



OTHER PROMINENT BRANDS.

7. L. U. X. A. L. III

Horse brand, same as cattle, on hip.



OTHER PROMINENT BRANDS.

Z. Z. O. T. H. O

HORSE BRAND.

Same as cattle, on left shoulder.



OTHER PROMINENT BRANDS.

U. ACE. ED. XX. 8

Horse brand, same as cut, on left shoulder.



ANOTHER PROMINENT BRAND.

on both sides.

Horse brand, same as cattle, on right hip.



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BLACK & SHANNON.

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B. L. CROUCH.

P. O., Pearsall, Frio county. No one authorized to handle without power of attorney signed by me. sept-1-31.

SYKES BUTLER.

P. O., Dalleyville, Kansas county.

BUZARD & HILLARD.

Postoffice, Uvalde county; Nueces Ranch Zavalla county. Cattle in same brand in Hunt, Hopkins and adjoining counties. Horse brand same on left shoulder. Also Z over bar and Z over bar on left shoulder. aug 5-32.

BENNETT BROS.

Ranch Brand.

D. J. CROUCH.

Postoffice, San Antonio. Ranch, head of North Seven Rivers, Ranch postoffice, Seven Rivers, New Mexico. sept-1-31.

J. F. CAMP.

P. O., Floresville, Willson county. Road and ranch brand.

CAROTHERS & SEARIGHT.

Postoffice, Junction City, Kimble county. Ranch on North Llano, about 8 miles above Junction City. Horses, same brand on hip or thigh. Cattle in all marks.

F. M. GRAVES.

Above is sometimes on right shoulder, Cattle brand, F. M. G. marked under left, under half crop right, Ranch and postoffice, Hamilton, Hamilton county, Texas. Post no stock in these brands. sept-32-1 yr.



Postoffice, 304 Soledad street, San Antonio, Texas.

Ranch postoffice, La Salle, Texas.

Ranch, south bank of Nueces river, Cochran ranch.

Horse brand same on left hip.

CHAPMAN & LAUDERDALE.

P. O., Pleasanton, Alameda county, Tex. Ranch on La Parita, Rio Grande same as cattle on thigh.

J. H. DAVIS.

Postoffice, Voega, McCulloch county. Ranch, 8 miles east of Camp San Saba on San Saba river. Cattle in various marks and also branded.

Left side, marked OX overslope and under left.

Right side, marked OX overslope and under right.

Horse brand same as cattle on either shoulder.

B. F. DANE.

Postoffice, Boerne, Kendall county. 3-5-31-1 yr

DOBSON & BUCKLEY.

Postoffice, San Antonio. Ranch, LaSalle, LaSalle county, Tex. Cattle in various old marks and brands. Horse brand same on either hip.

dec 9-1 yr

EDWARD EBELING.

Postoffice and ranch, Round Mountain, Blanco county, Texas. Road brand E behind left shoulder.

J. F. ELLISON.

P. O., San Marcos, Hays county.

Road brand.

Road brand.

FOSTER & RAFFERTY.

Postoffice and ranch, Sandy Mountain, Llano county. Horse brand, FR on left shoulder. Cattle also branded.

On either hip, marked crop left.

On either hip, marked crop right.

and underslope left, with P road brand.

DXL on left side, marked crop left and jingiebob right.

on left side, marked crop right and swallow fork left.

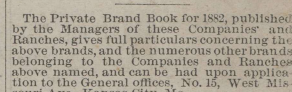
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GORDON & LIFFREING.

Postoffice, Junction City, Kimble county. Ranch on North Llano, about 8 miles above Junction City. Horses, same brand on hip or thigh. Cattle in all marks.

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Postoffice, Live Oak county. Cattle same on side, marked over bit each ear.

Jan 14-32

JASPER N. HEARD.

Postoffice, Uvalde, Texas. Ranch, Nueces Falls. Horse brand same. sept-1-31.

J. M. HALL.

Postoffice, Riohondo, San Saba county. Ranch in San Saba county.

as Horse and mule brand.

J. M. HANNA & BRO.

Postoffice, Cherokee, Cherokee county. Ranch on Cherokee creek, San Saba county.

Cattle also branded: 56 left side and hip, above described cattle. No one is authorized to sell any of our brands except members of the firm.

right side, marked over and under bit.

right side, marked crop, under bit and over half-crop right and swallow fork and under bit left.

right and left shoulder, marked swallow fork and under bit right and two under bit left.

Horse brand same as cattle on left shoulder and thigh.

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P. O., Eagle Pass, Maverick county. Ranch on Tinsela creek, 25 miles southeast of Eagle Pass. Horse brand on hip.

We only sell to be killed or driven out of the country. Will pay \$20 for the arrest and conviction of any one of the above described cattle. No one is authorized to sell any of our brands except members of the firm.

July 29-32

J. W. IRVIN.

Postoffice, Waugh's, La Salle county, or Seguin, Guadalupe county. Ranch, Knox county. Horse brand same on left thigh.

ROSS. Marked overslope.

EUG on left side, marked overslope right and swallow fork left; Eugene Irvin's brand.

VK left side, marked swallow fork and crop left; Jordan's brand.

left side, marked overslope and swallow fork left; W. Irvin's brand.

W side and hip, no vin and W's brand.

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John Flint.
Horse brand JF on left shoulder and on left side of thigh.
Any one knowing of above stock in these brands will confer a favor by addressing the above parties.
Jan-14

S. S. HAWKINS.

A. C. B. HAWKINS.



Postoffice, Newman Fisher county—Horse brand same as above; above cattle have the same brand also on right side.
Horse brand same as above; above cattle have the same brand also on right side; also cattle branded H—H on left side; H right side, H left jaw.
Horse brand heart on left hip and H—H on left hip.
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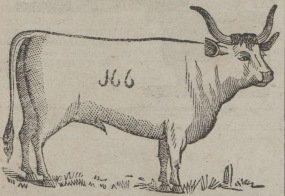
F. E. P. HARRELL.



Postoffice, Kingston, Hunt county, Texas. Ranch, Hunt county, Texas. Horse brand H on right thigh and on right shoulder.
Jan 23-82

HARRIS & STINSON BROS.

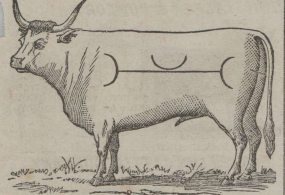
Postoffice, Fort Worth, Texas. Ranches, Dillingham Prairie, Jack county, and Brazos river, Palo Pinto county, Texas. Horse brand 59 under bar on left hip.



Cattle also branded [brands] and [brands]

C. T. HERRING.

R. R. MILTON, manager, Postoffice, Archer City, Texas. Ranch, South Wichita, Archer county.



Horse brand same on left thigh.

F. M. HOUTS.



Postoffice, Decatur, Texas. Ranch, on Oliver Creek, Wise county. Horse brand 110 (connected) under bar. Some cattle marked crop and underbit right in each ear. Young cattle also have a straight bar on the neck.
Feb 7-82

FRANK HOUSTON.



This brand kept up.

Postoffice, Profit, Young county, or Terrell, Ranches, Stephens county or Elm Creek, Throckmorton county. Horse brand 111 over two bars. Also saddle horses branded SIS on left hip. Cattle also branded [brands] marked crop right, underbit left.

[brand] marked, swallow and underbit right.

[brand] in various marks. [brand] hip and side in marks.

[brand] on side, various marks.

[brand] hip or side, [brand] side in various marks.

[brand] on side in various marks. Horse brand MF on right shoulder.

[brand] in various marks. [brand] on side and hip.

[brand] right hip in various marks. [brand] on left side and hip.

M. IKARD, Jr.



Postoffice, Henrietta, Texas. Ranch in Tom Green county, on forks of Red River. Also cattle branded 7Z on either or both sides in various marks.
21-75

COLEMAN JENKINS.



Postoffice, Paint Rock, Concho county. Ranch with S. E. Patton, Concho River. Also A. J. ore on left shoulder with 35 on neck of some.

JEFFERSON & ERSKINE.



Postoffice, Belknap, Young county, Ranch, 4 miles north. Horse brand same left hip.

JOLINE & SHOCK.



Postoffice, Belknap, Young county, Ranch, 4 miles north. Horse brand same left hip.

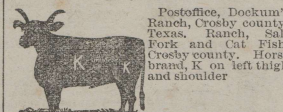
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T. H. KING.



Postoffice, Phantom Hill, Jones county. Ranch, Clear Fork, Shackelford county. Cattle in same mark branded [brand] on right side, [brand] on either side in all marks.
Feb 18-82

D. C. KYLE.



Postoffice, Dockum's Ranch, county, Texas. Ranch, Salt Fork and Cat Fish, Crosby county. Horse brand K on left thigh and shoulder.

KERR & COCHRAN.



Postoffice, Baird, Callahan county, Texas. Ranch, Hubbard creek in Callahan county. Also same marks branded J A K on left side. Horse brand G F on right hip.

L

LIGON & CLARK.



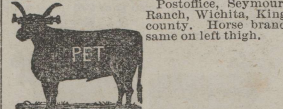
Postoffice, Graham Young county, Ranch, Green county. Horse brand WO on left hip. Also cattle branded [brand] side, [brand] thigh.
Jan 23-82

J. W. LYONS.



Postoffice, Cowhook, McCulloch Co. Cattle also branded [brand] on left side. Marked crop and under half crop right, sharp left, counterbranded cattle in various marks.
Feb 7-82

G. M. LASATER.



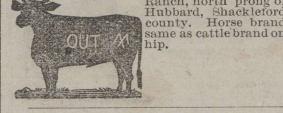
Postoffice, Seymour Ranch, Wichita, King county. Horse brand same on left thigh.

W. F. LEWIS.



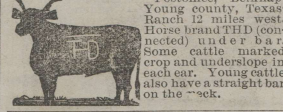
Postoffice, Fort Concho, Texas. Ranch, on Hackberry Creek, Tom Green county. Horse brand same on left thigh.

J. C. LYNCH.



Postoffice, Albany, Albany county, Texas. Ranch, north prong of Hubbard, Shackelford county. Horse brand same as cattle brand on hip.

LEBO & DAY.



Postoffice, Belknap Young county, Texas. Ranch 12 miles west. Horse brand 110 (connected) under bar. Some cattle marked crop and underbit right in each ear. Young cattle also have a straight bar on the neck.
Feb 7-82

M. O. LYNN & G. R. JOWELL.



Postoffice, Palo Pinto, Ranch, Double Mountain Fork and Big Croton, Stonevalley county. Same brand in various marks. Cattle also branded [brand] left side, in various marks. Horse brand ATY on left thigh and 56 over midline 82

R. W. LITTLEFIELD.

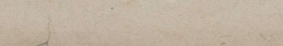
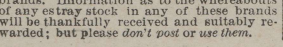
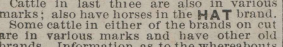
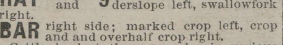
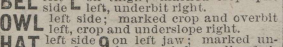


Postoffice, Hampton, Palo Pinto county, Texas. Ranch on Big Sunday Creek, Palo Pinto county, 7 miles east of postoffice. Horse brand 2 on right hip.

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Ranch postoffice, Jacksboro, Texas. Ranch, Lost Valley, Jack county. Horses branded with either of the brands on cuts.

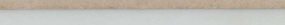
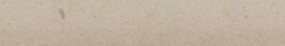
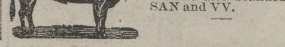
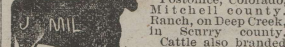
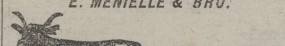
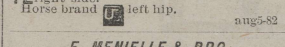
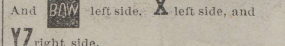
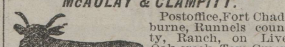
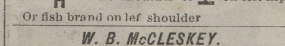
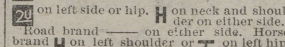
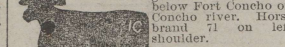
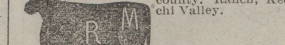
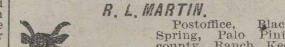
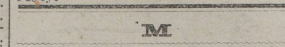
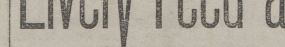
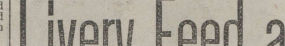
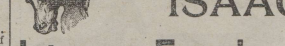
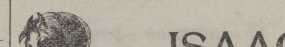
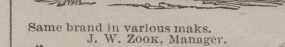
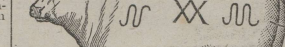
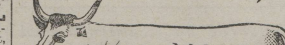
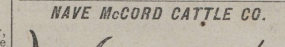
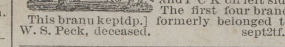
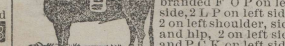
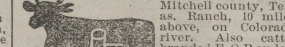
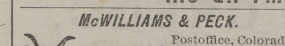
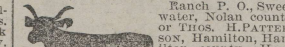
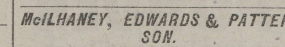


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M. O. LYNN.



Postoffice, Palo Pinto, Ranch, on Oliver Creek, Palo Pinto county, and Croton Creek. Horse brand also 5S left hip.



M

JASPER McCOY.



Postoffice, Belle Plain, Ranch, 12 miles south of Belle Plain, Horse brand 5S on left hip. Cattle also branded [brand] on hip, S S on [brand] shoulder and S on neck, marked underbit right and underbit left. PATY on left side in different marks and other brands. [brand] either hip, marked crop [brand] and under half crop left UI on left hip.

JNO. R. MORROW.



Postoffice, Buffalo Gap, Ranch, head of Jim Ned, Taylor county. Some stock branded same on the right shoulder.

MABREY, GLASGOW & CRAWFORD.



Postoffice, Graham, Young county, or Otto Cattle county. Ranch on Middle Wichita, King county. These brands kept up. Have other brands and various marks. Cattle have same brand on right shoulder. Horse [brand] on left hip.

MERCHANT & PURCELL.



Postoffice, Abilene, Texas, and Dockum's Ranch, Dickens county. Ranch on Duck Creek, Dickens county.

N

W. C. NEWTON.



Postoffice, Burlington, Montague county, Texas. Ranch in Chickasaw Nation, I. T., on Clear Creek, ten miles north of Burlington. Horse [brand] on left hip. brand L2

NEAL.



Postoffice at Willis Point, or Dick Rogers, Albany county. Ranch on line of Shackelford and Jones counties. Other brands [brand] left shoulder; [brand] left thigh.
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ISAAC SHAW,



Livery Feed and Sale Stable,
731 & 733, Main St., Dallas, Texas.

McLENDON, OXSHEER & CO.



Calvert, Robertson county, Texas. Have for sale 200 head of choice stock cattle in Oxsheer's pasture on Little Pond Creek in Milam county, Texas.

P

S. E. PATTON.



Postoffice, Paint Rock, Concho county. Ranch on Concho river, Concho county. Also S or D on shoulder with 53 on neck of some. Cow ponies for sale.

E. A. PANKIN.



Postoffice, Colorado, Mitchell county. Any one knowing of any strayed stock in this brand will confer a favor by notifying the owner.

PHILLIPS, RALS & CO.



Postoffice, Valley View, Cooke county, Texas. Ranch in Motley county between Fort Worth and the "Mill Iron" ranges. Also have various other brands. Horse T on right hip.

PEACOCK BROS. & CO.



Postoffice, San Angelo, Tom Green county

W. M. E. POTTS.



Postoffice, Seymour, Baylor county, and Farmington county. Ranch, with A. Bedford & Co., north fork of Big Wichita. Horse brand same as on side of cattle on left hip or shoulder.

SMITH & THURMOND.



Postoffice, Dido, Tarrant county. Ranch Dido. Various other brands. "Square" brand also branded with [brand] same brands

MILAN & PATTERSON.



P. O. Fort Worth. Cattle in this brand have various marks and old brands. Cattle also branded [brand] left shoulder. [brand] left shoulder.

ST

The above brand frequently in two places and cattle in various marks. Also cattle branded [brand] on left thigh. Marked underbit right, crop and under half-crop left.

R

RIO CATTLE COMPANY.



Postoffice, Sweetwater, Nolan county. Ranch on Sweetwater Creek in Fisher county. The brand is principally on left side, but sometimes on right and on either hip, also various other old brands, some of which are not some of the above brand and cattle were bought of D. H. Trent, Brownwood, Texas.

N. P. ROGERS.



Above in various marks and sometimes times bar above TD.

