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LOVE THAT SEEMED HOPELESS.

"My dear uncle, I am delighted to be at home again. What splendid days we shall have, and what dainties Uncle, I will tell you—under the rose—it don't pay to go abroad; but mums is the word, though, for it is fashionable, you know. But on my honor as a Trevanion, I was almost poisoned on frogs and things. I met the Leightons and Esterbrooks, and like myself, they were 'doing' it for the fame of the thing.

Tom Trevanion sat in his uncle's study, with his feet on the mantel, and a costly mesochair in his mouth from whence issued a delicious perfume, for Tom was a connoisseur in the weed.

"Hand me that dressing-gown, old boy, and I will make a regular night of it, and forget Paris and Louise Villiers." "Old boy, indeed! Tom, you have grown disreputable since you left home. Get your dressing-gown yourself, sir!" "Forgive me, Uncle Hal! I am just wild with gladness at being home again and mistook you for Pimp."

"You are an insolent young dog. Who is Louise Villiers, pray?" "A charming French girl, uncle. I thought of making her my wife, only women are so troublesome, tagging round after a fellow all the time. But, uncle, she is divine, there is nothing in England to match her."

"Humph!—Louise Hall's favorite word—'there has been an addition to our family since you left. I did not mention it in my letters, because I thought it best you should not know your travels. Haydn Vaughan, my old college friend, died in India and left his child in my care. She has been here a year."

"The deuce she has! What sort of a girl is she—prize?" "The girl is without friends. I pitied her loneliness, and I—in fact, we are to be married in the spring."

"Married in the spring?" "Tom, you must not speak so loud. I thought I heard someone at the door while ago, when you were talking of women being troublesome. Pray be careful."

A rich voice humming snatches of soap, and the click of a solitary boot-heel along the hall, and Tom picked up his ears.

"What is that, uncle? It sounds like a lame opera-singer."

"Humph! It is Miss Vaughn, the impenitent. It is Miss Vaughn."

The door opened with a bang, and a black-haired, crimson-eyed, saucy-looking girl entered and took hammer in the other.

"Guardy, you are beautiful! Here I've been slipping up that long staircase with nothing on my feet but a silk stocking. There is a peg in my shoe, and my heel is bruised to a jelly with it. I tried to poke it out with this tack-hammer, but it will not move."

No more notice of Tom than if he had been a piece of furniture.

"If that is your game, my dear, I am with you," was Tom's thought as he noticed her utter indifference.

He settled his boots more firmly and puffed away at his pipe.

A few desperate pokes, and the refractory peg went out.

"Where are you going through this rain, May?" asked her guardian.

"To get some candy. This is real candy weather, guardy."

"But, my dear May, wouldn't it go out in such a storm?"

"I would."

She seated herself on a low chair, and coolly sitting on a stool, began leaning it up before Tom's very eyes. Then she looked up her dress through the chaise, exposing red flannel and a dainty ankle, and tying a crimson hood under her chin, turned to the door.

"Good-bye, guardy; good-bye, Mr. Boots."

Tom laughed uproariously, while Mr. Trevanion said:

"Why, bless my soul, boy, I forgot to present you to May."

"Never mind about it now, uncle, but don't forget it at dinner."

Tom took notice of this with a bolt that night, and he was a handsome man. His thick, wavy, brown hair, and long heavy beard, were subjected to a merciless brushing and a magnificent black neck-tie embroidered with white silk was arranged as skillfully as possible. May, in a crimson merino, and her shining black hair arranged in a knot at the back of her head, was superb and indifferent. Around the fair throat was a tiny collar of the softest lace fastened by a diamond star.



"One might not say by her eyes she had been weeping, and as he stood by her side he laid his hand on her shining hair."

It was a manly face, strong and true. "May you have been weeping, it grieves me to see it." Eyes and voice were full of tenderness, but she would not see it. "I am going out, May; can I do anything for you?"

"The voice had still that indescribable tenderness that deep feeling always gives."

"Yes; if you pass where they are sold, bring me some ginger-snaps." He sprang to his feet, and a muttered imprecation burst from his lips.

"Puffing his hat down over his eyes as he passed into the street, he strode fiercely on."

He met a few boon companions, but his gloomy brow gave no encouragement for them to say a word.

"What's to pay now?" said Ned Sterling to his friend Lennox. "Trevanion looks as fierce as a Bengal tiger."

"Got in debt, I reckon. Come, Ned, let's go to a play."

"Poor Tom knew to his cost what was to pay. The hispid little Parisian was nowhere."

She had been cast into the shade by this fascinating May Vaughn, and Tom's thoughts were something after this nature:

"I love this brilliant May, and she loves me. She may school lip and eye, but I can read both. She is unhappy; there was anguish in her eye when she spoke of those abominable ginger-snaps."

"I saw it every dumbly through all her acting. That girl is wretched; she does not love my uncle; she cannot, and yet there is but one short month between this and her wedding-day. Oh, woman, woman, Tom's blessing and his curse! I shall never here to-morrow; it is all that I can do."

He returned from his mad walk silent and moody.

His uncle sat reading the paper, and May, without a vestige of color in cheek and lip, sat with her tiny little feet on the fender, and the last magazine in her hand. She did not look round as Tom closed the door, though she knew his footsteps.

"Fitted trimming is still worn, guardy. I think I shall have my new dress trimmed so. Ah, Tom, are you back? Where are the ginger-snaps?"

Tom hastily left the room with never one word of answer.

"Tom is getting to be an insufferable puppy, with his moody brow and tragic air."

"An insufferable puppy," echoed May, but her lip trembled.

Mr. Trevanion laid down his paper and went over to where May was sitting with her eyes fixed on the fire.

He laid his hand on the bowed head, but she sprang to her feet, the small hand by her side now clenched fiercely.

"What is the matter, I say?"

"My heart, sir, if you will excuse me, I will go to my room."

She flew up the broad staircase, and her white face was a perfect revelation. Tom, pacing up and down the study floor, saw it as she passed, and shivered.

Reaching her room, she flung herself face downward on the floor. She neither faint nor wept; she did not even moan; if she had moved the firm-set lips for an instant she would have screamed. Her dumb anguish was a thousand times worse than tears.

She had promised to be Mr. Trevanion's wife through gratitude, because she was lonely and desolate, as he had said, and knew not till too late that life would bring any other love.

"I love this handsome Tom Trevanion was a fixed fact. How or when the love crept into her heart she could not have told; but she knew to her sorrow that it was there. She had tried to put it away from her, to forget the tender face, but she found her own heart a rebel, and all she could do was to keep the sad secret from Tom and his uncle. She avoided the study now, so they met only at meals."

She went down one night in the twilight to the almost unused library. The strong light of the lamp, and she stood with her face pressed against the window-pane, watching the lamplighter as he went his rounds.

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"Toodles, did you ever see my pen point?" "No; but I've seen your ink-bottle." "How can that be when they both are stationary?"

A Detroit paper says: "The bicyclist beat the samphiratorist at Ann Arbor last week." "We don't know what kind of an animal it is, but are glad to know that the bicyclist came off victorious."

Some one has discovered that the high-heeled shoes worn by women produce softening of the brain. It was not generally known that the brain of women who wear such shoes was located so low; but it seems plausible enough.

The poet Browning is being painted by his son in all the glory of his scarlet Oxford doctoral gown for Balliol College, of which he is a fellow. This may be all right, but it seems rather ungrateful for a young man to paint his father red.—Boston Post.

A writer on health advises people to "live in the sun." Owing to the present inadequate facilities for transportation and the high price of real estate on that luminary, we should not advise any of our readers to emigrate there this season.—Burlington Free Press.

Waiter—"What will you have, Miss?" Customer (looking over the restaurant bill of fare)—"Permit me to cogitate. In the correlation of forces it is a recognized property of atoms—"

Waiter (about across the hall to head server)—"Baked beans for one?"—Philadelphia Call.

"Carrie," said one Somerville girl to another yesterday, "are you going to the picnic to-morrow?" "I am; are you?" "Of course." "What do you intend to wear?" "My white muslin, of course. What do you intend to wear?" "I will wear a waterproof cloak. I've been at picnics before."

My arrest is a foul outrage, and I shall make the authorities suffer for it. What is heaven's name were you doing? Absolutely nothing. I was engaged in work on my farm when the officers swooped down and captured me. H'm; yes. What do you raise on your farm? Notes.—Rochester Post-Express.

The seats in a Western church are set on pivots, like those in a dry-goods store. This enables the fair worshiper, who sits pretty well up in front, to turn around and count the number of new bonnets in the house without screwing her head off almost, and going home with a stiff neck.—Norrington Herald.

"I am choost as full ash a bag of flour," remarked an inebriate to a sober friend. "There is a difference between you and a sack of flour, however." "What ish difference?" "When a sack is full it can stand up, but when you are full you can't even lie down on the ground without holding on."—Texas Siftings.

"If," said an Austin school-teacher, "you go to a butcher shop and pay ten cents a pound for meat, how many pounds—?" "Up with a hand of a new boy from the country. 'What is it, Johnny?'" "When we want meat we don't go to a butcher's shop. Pa goes out on the prairie and kills a maverick."—Texas Siftings.

"Jane, I hear your beau is a little wild; is not very steady, they say." "Oh, yes, he is; he is one of the most steady young men I ever saw."

"Steady? Oh, no, he can't be. I've heard he was anything else but steady."

"Well, he just is steady. He has always come to the house every evening since we were first engaged, drunk or sober."

A gentleman made his way into the bed-chamber of one of his friends, and found him fast asleep with a pair of spectacles upon his nose. "What!" cried he, awakening him, "do you wear your spectacles while you sleep?" "Oh!" replied the other, "I am so near-sighted that without my glasses I could see nothing whatever in my dreams."

THE TWO LETTERS.

Nine o'clock had just chimed from the town clock, and he, echoed by the silver tones of the handsome toy in his counting-room, when Mr. Baldwin, senior member of the firm of Baldwin & Henderson, walked into the room.

He was a tall, thin man, of about thirty years, with fair hair and blue eyes distinguished in his appearance, dainty as to his toilet, but without the least appearance of foppishness.

Wealthy, aristocratic, and alone in the world, wonder had long been rife in society as to why he did not marry. It surely was not for want of a fit subject for his affections, for his friends had frequently called his attention to this or that girl as a desirable party. But, and ending quite a "ladies' man," he still remained heart-whole and fancy free.

Walking to his desk, he seated himself in his comfortable armchair and proceeded to look over his correspondence. Like the business man that he was, he seemed to master the contents of each letter at a glance, and then made a few notes on the margin of the paper as a guide to his book-keeper in answering it. After awhile he wrote a letter to "Stern & Co., of Liverpool, and enclosing a draft for eight hundred and fifty pounds, put it into an envelope, sealed it, and was just going to direct it when one of his clerks announced that a gentleman wished to see him in the store. He left the letter lying on the desk undirected, and went out to see the gentleman, while his book-keeper, Mr. Conway, looked after him admiringly, and wondered if he too

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 of here to attend a dance. One of them
 was told by a Mexican to take off his
 hat, but being under the influence of
 liquor he refused. Everything went on
 all right, however, until and hour later
 when the parties met in Merabel's sal-
 loon where Wriget refused to drink
 with the Mexican knocking the glasses
 off the counter with a revolver. He was
 sat upon and overpowered, stabbed in the
 back and beaten over the head with a
 revolver. His companion shot one
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We are obliged this week to apologize to our subscribers, but as we have only had one printer in our office for several days and have been unable to procure others, we have not been able to get out as good a paper as usual.

We have devoted considerable space this week for the purpose of advertising the Raton Jubilee Singers, who will give an entertainment at the rink on the 10th inst. and apply the net proceeds for the benefit of the Marcy & McCua.

For the edification of THE COMET we will state that the New Mexican has treated every federal official under this administration, respectfully until such official went out of his way to damage the good name of this territory, or misused his office for political effect at the common good.

The course of the New Mexican and the other republican organs has certainly brought about a better state of public affairs. The wholesale abuse of democratic officials which it has been indulging in for the past six months has made the territory solidly democratic.

Hall-Light.

Thanksgiving day in Raton dawned beautiful and bright, bringing joy and gladness to many hearts to none we believe more than to Mr. J. E. Hall and Miss Clariss Lightie who, at the residence of the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hotchkiss, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony, at 11 o'clock, a. m. by the Rev. J. W. Sinner.

The ceremony was solemn and impressive. There were present to witness the marriage and bid the young couple God-speed, Mr. and Mrs. Bourne, Mr. C. D. Boucher, Miss Ollie Olive, R. Marcy, E. Parson, S. Myer, J. K. Hunt, G. B. and J. Beringer, G. D. Parish and E. Eisenman.

The natural good looks of the bride and groom were heightened by the excitement of the occasion, and won the admiration of all, as they stood with clasped right hands and promised before God, in firm, clear tones to ever love, cherish and protect until death did them part.

The dinner was a grand success and was due to the skill and taste of Miss John Cantlin, who is well known to the people of Raton as a first-class artist. The dining-room was tastefully decorated with evergreens, and the motto of "welcome" was no idle word, but every one felt at ease and thoroughly enjoyed the occasion.

Among the presents noticed, by the writer, were: Miss Olive, 3 ties. Mr. Eisenman, lace spread and pillow shams. Mr. C. D. Boucher, silver toilet set. Mr. G. G. Savage, set of silver knives and forks.

Mr. R. Marcy, silver pickle-caster. E. Parson, set of peach bluish salt, pepper and mustard cups. S. Myer, linen table spread and napkins. J. K. Hunt, china chamber set. W. A. Hawk and G. D. Parish, set of silver napkin rings.

Lyceum Notes.

The exercises at the Lyceum last evening were the most meritorious in a literary view of those at any meeting yet held. Two or three new members were elected and several new names were proposed for membership.

The principal exercises of the evening was the reading of the society paper, the Chip Basket, G. D. Parish, editor, Miss Ella Brown, editress, with some neat comments on the right management of a paper.

Contributions: "Work," Lucius Dodge, which showed careful study and thought. "Observations in a telegraph office," G. D. Parish, an amusing study of human nature. "Work and thought," Miss Bessie P. Owen, a piece that showed both. "Salutations" H. W. Dodge. "Thanksgiving thoughts," E. Parson, this piece showed a fine conception of why we observe the anniversary. Ode to the retiring executive committee, the editress. "Power seen and unseen," E. Parson, a pleasing essay. Poem, "the river," Miss F. Wilson. The next meeting will be held Monday, December 6, when the question: Resolved that man owes his elevation more to his natural talent than education. Affirmative, E. Parson, E. S. Williams, and H. B. Hayden. Negative, Prof. J. P. Owen, J. Larkins, and J. H. Davis.

Execution of Johnson.

In giving an account of the hanging on the 19th inst. of Johnson, in Lincoln county, for the murder of A. H. Howe on the 10th of June, the Leader says: "At 1:56 o'clock, after the body had been hanging for about sixteen minutes, Dr. Paden, of White Oaks, who had from the moment of the drop held pulse of the executed man, pronounced him dead. The sheriff then severed the rope and the body was slowly lowered and placed in a coffin near by. All were ordered to disperse and soon the body of Dewitt C. Johnson in its coffin, was left alone. Upon examination it was discovered that the neck was not broken by the fall, death, therefore, necessarily resulting from strangulation. No suffering was perceptible, although the torture must have been the most severe that could be imposed upon the human form. About two o'clock the sheriff and several attendants lifted the coffin into a wagon and it was taken east of town to the graveyard and buried.

Chicago Cattle Convention.

The Cattle Growers' Convention which convened at Chicago, concluded its labors Thursday. The matter of greatest interest considered was the outbreak of pleuro-pneumonia. The convention received a dispatch from President Head, of the range association, expressing the sentiment of the cattlemen of the range country, and promising hearty co-operation with the National association in stamping out contagious diseases.

An Insulted Fat Woman.

A woman weighing 389 pound, wearing her hair cut short, entered the office of the president of the San Antonio Street Railroad company, and in a voice that was a cross between a base violin and a boiler shop, said: "I came here to complain of the driver of one of your cars."

"What's he been doing?" asked the official. "In crossing the car track I had the misfortune to slip and fall, and I could not get up right away, for as you see I am not Sarah Bernhardt. I'm fat all over." "Well, what next?" "The driver of the street car stopped his mule and insulted me."

again on the car track as soon as the car had passed." "I shall have him reprimanded," said the official. "Thank you, sir; thank you. I'll patronize your street-car line hereafter, that is, if the door is wide enough. Good morning, sir." As she passed out, the official remarked to a clerk: "She may not be 'all wool,' but she certainly is a yard wide."

The Parent of Insomnia.

The parent of insomnia or wakefulness is in nine cases out of ten a dyspeptic stomach. Good digestion gives sound sleep, indigestion interferes with it. The brain and stomach sympathize. One of the prominent symptoms of a weak state of the gastric organs is a disturbance of the great nerve entrapment, the brain. Invigorate the stomach, and you restore equilibrium to the great center. A most reliable medicine for the purpose is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which is far preferable to mineral sedatives and powerful narcotics, which, though they may for a time exert a sporic influence upon the brain, soon cease to act, and invariably injure the tone of the stomach.

Mortgagees' Sale.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF ONE certain mortgage deed made by W. J. P. Williams and Elizabeth Williams his wife, of the town of Raton, Colfax county, New Mexico, in favor of Morgan B. Williams, bearing date November 15th, 1884, and duly recorded on November 22nd, 1884, in book B of the office of the Probate Clerk and ex-officio Recorder of the county of Colfax, N. M., said mortgage deed conveying to the said Morgan B. Williams, his heirs and assigns forever, all the following described lots or parcels of land, to-wit: real estate, situate, lying and being in the town of Raton, Colfax county, New Mexico, and better described as follows, to-wit: A lot or parcel of ground in the town of Raton, beginning at a point on Cook or Puerto avenue, seventy-five feet east of the intersection of said avenue and Second street or Santa Fe avenue, thence running at right angles with said Cook or Puerto avenue seventy-five (75) feet, thence east and parallel with said Cook or Puerto avenue seventy-five (75) feet, and at right angles with said avenue to an intersection with it; thence west with the line of Cook avenue to the place of beginning—said property being a portion of lots No. 13, 14 and 15, in block No. 9, town of Raton, Colfax county, N. M.—together with all and singular the lands, tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto in anywise and in any way appertaining, and the reversion and reversions, remainder and remainders, rents, issues, profits, interest and demand whatsoever of the said W. J. P. Williams and Elizabeth Williams in law or in equity, of, in and to the above described property. Said mortgage deed given to secure the payment of the sum of \$1000.00, with interest thereon, and the parties of the first part thereto having failed to pay the same on any part thereof, the undersigned, attorney for the said Morgan B. Williams, mortgages, within the 15th day of December, A. D. 1886, at 10 o'clock, a. m. of said day, at the front door of the house on said premises on said Cook or Puerto avenue, in the town of Raton, in said county of Colfax, New Mexico, expose at public auction and sell the premises hereunder to the highest bidder for cash. CHARLES M. BAYNE, Attorney for Mortgagee.

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AROUND RATON. Personal and Social Gossip, Local Happenings, and Promiscuous Notes. Harry Whigham spent Monday in town. Walter McCleod spent Wednesday in town. Tom Lawrence spent Thursday in town. New goods arriving daily at D. W. Stevens. Gov. O. A. Hadley was in town on Thursday. The first line of holiday goods at Huffman's. Joe Bonnett drove in from Capulin on Tuesday. Billy Howe drove in from Blossburg on Thursday. See those handsome Christmas cards at Huffman's. Col. Jas. D. Lee was in town on Wednesday. Go to Hoffman's for toys and fine holiday presents. Fred Barkhard came over from Trinidad today. Garnett Lee came in from the Vermejo on Thursday. Col. W. H. Rogers came in from the ranch today. Beauregard and Jim Lee visited town on Wednesday. Toys of every description, and so cheap, at Huffman's. Remember the low prices on Christmas goods, at Huffman's. John B. Dawson spent last night in town and went north today. H. M. Porter passed through Raton on his way north on Thursday. George McCormick returned from the Dry Cimarron on Thursday. Ira Gale was in town on Wednesday. His arm and hand are much better. Will Temple came up from Chico on Tuesday and spent the night in town. See those magnificent holiday presents, at such low prices, at Huffman's. D. W. Stevens attended the county commissioner's meeting on Monday, at Springer. Freight, farm and spring wagons, a large assortment, at A. H. Carey's, Second street. Hon. S. W. Dorsey came up from Springer on Thursday and returned that night. Mrs. McCuiston and Miss Louise Pointer returned to the Capulin ranch on Monday. E. H. Pigot leaves for England next Monday. It is rumored that he will not return single. Oscar McCuiston returned from Springer today. He leaves for the ranch to-morrow. Mr. and Mrs. Archie Knox left today for Columbus, Ohio, where they will spend the winter. Charley Tollman had one of his fingers badly crushed while connecting the pusher with a passenger train on Monday. Dr. F. H. Wilson, dentist, is stopping for a few days or weeks at the Central Hotel. All who wish dental work please call soon. W. H. Tod, general manager of the Prairie Cattle company and Murdo Mackenzie, its secretary, came over from Trinidad on Thursday. W. H. Jack rode over from the Dry Cimarron on Sunday, and went to Springer and attended a meeting of the county commissioners on Monday. Jos. B. Schroeder now has the largest and most handsomely fitted up drug store in the territory. The walls and ceiling have been replaced and the beautiful show cases look better than ever.

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Last night, the friends of Abe Severs held a celebration. It was telegraphed from Las Vegas that Judge Long had decided to issue a peremptory writ of mandamus to the County Commissioners, commanding them to count the eight votes in the [Chico precinct for Abe Severs. It will be remembered that the Judges in that precinct returned these votes for A. Sever. This decision of Judge Long unless reversed will give the certificate of election to Abe Severs and his friends were consequently happy, which they showed by means of a bon-fire and canon. There is nothing like having fun when things go to suit us, but the question of who will be our next sheriff is not yet settled.

In a personal encounter at the ranch of the Red River Cattle company, on the morning of December 2, between Jay Wartebe, the temporary foreman, and Wm. Allee, a discharged hand, the former was severely wounded in the right arm and shoulder, and the latter was almost instantly killed. At the time Ira Gale was shot and disabled for a time from running the ranch, Jay Wartebe was put in charge and this thought to have led to the trouble which terminated so fatally Thursday morning; for Allee seemed to think that he, if any body, was entitled to that position, and spared no pains to show his disregard of Wartebe's authority. Immediately after the shooting, one of the boys rode to Springer and notified Judge Sturges, who summoned a jury and went out to the ranch where an inquest was held on the remains of Allee. In the evidence it was shown that Allee and Wartebe had had one or two quarrels previously and that Allee had twice before drawn his pistol on Wartebe. Wartebe discharged Allee, and in a talk which ensued about the horses Allee declared that he would ride anything he wanted on the ranch. Wartebe answered that if he did so he would be treated as a stranger, upon which Allee and Wartebe reached for their pistols and the firing began, with the sad result stated. The coroner's jury brought in a verdict in accordance with the facts and exonerated Jay Wartebe from any blame. The body of Allee was brought to Springer and there buried, and Wartebe was brought in and quartered at the Jackson House where he is receiving medical attention, and doing as well as could be expected.

Members of the legislature will find it to their interest before making arrangements elsewhere for room and board for the winter session to call at the Palace Hotel. P. RAMSEY & SON, Santa Fe N. M.

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Repeat it. Abilene Reporter.

The first thing that should claim the attention of the 20th Legislature is the public land question. West Texas and Panhandle have been suffering for the past three years from the effects of a lease law that has no precedent in the annals of the history of civilized nations. Her broad acres of rich and fertile lands have gone into the hands of a few corporations to the utter exclusion of the emigrant and even the native-born stockman of limited means. The effect of this iniquitous law have been to drive from our State millions of dollars worth of taxable property and a large number of splendid, law abiding citizens.

Cowboy Racket.

GRANTS, N. M., November 29.—Saturday evening two cowboys, one of them named Mark Wright, visited the Mexican town two and a half miles south of here, to attend a dance. One of them was told by a Mexican to take off his hat, but being under the influence of liquor he refused. Every thing went on all right, however, until an hour later when the party's met in Mirabel's saloon where Wright refused to drink with the Mexican, knocking the glass of the counter with his revolver. He was sat upon over-powered, stabbed in the back and beaten over the head with a revolver. His companion shot one Mexican three times and then escaped. Wright may recover.

In 1872 a small black colt was dropped in a Pennsylvania brick yard. His first performance of note was falling into a mortar vat. To all appearances he was as worthless an equine product as ever entered the world. His pasterns were so weak that they could not support his weight, but bent over at every effort that he made to stand upon his feet. His owner was disgusted, and ordered the colt killed. The lady of the house objected emphatically. His life was spared, and he was christened Andrew Jackson. When matured and developed he was the fastest trotting stallion on the turf, and acquired still greater distinction in the stud as the sire of Henry Clay, Long Island, Black Hawk and Kemble Jackson. Had he been destroyed, George Wilkes and Electioneer would never have been known, and it is likely that Alexander's Abdallah also would never have been produced, as it seems probable that his dam was from this source.

This is the way the American Cultivator, of Boston, sizes up one of the phases of the fall elections: "The elections throughout the country have definitely put off any important tariff changes for three years at least. The next congress is more strongly than the present a protective body. This is good news to the farmers, who should increase their number of sheep. Wool promises to be a more remunerative crop in the future than in the past. Everything tends to higher prices. There is a short wool crop the world

over, and the market in the United States will absorb all the domestic clip, even if it should be increased ten or fifteen per cent. next year."

A Chicago dramatist is working up a drama founded on the cattle plague. He thinks there is sufficient interest in the subject to make his plague go.—Texas Siftings.

The stockmen of the Upper Teton have driven 75,000 cattle on the Piegan reservation to range the coming winter. They had to do this, as feed is scarce. Authority to do so was obtained from the Indian agent and the bureau.

Herman Hennesdorf is up from Brownwood and reports the killing of two fence cutters in Brown county a few days since by rangers. They were caught in the act and made fight. One of them is said to have been a justice of the peace and the other a constable. There were two others in the party, but they escaped. The rangers believe both badly wounded, as they seen to fall during the scurmage.—San Angelo Enterprise.

Thomas Nance and his cousin, William Thompson, the cattle king of Trinidad, Colorado, recently engaged in a desperate fight near Durango. The fight was caused by an old feud and whisky. Thompson used a pistol and Nance a knife. Thompson received a cut from above the left ear across the cheek to the center of the chin and another about eight inches long in the abdomen, and is considered mortally wounded. Nance received a scalp wound about four inches long on the top of his head by a ball from Thompson's pistol, but is not considered dangerously wounded.

Testimony of the Late Chief Justice.

"I have used Simmons Liver Regulator for constipation caused by a temporary derangement of the liver, and always with decided benefit. It is a good medicine for the derangements of the liver, such has been my personal experience in the use of it.—HIRSH WARNER, Chief Justice of Georgia."

Monthly School Report.

Primary—Mrs. J. R. Givens, Teacher.—Enrolled, males 34, females 40, total 74; average attendance, males 26, females 31, total 57. Secondary—Miss Bessie P. Owen, teacher.—Enrolled, males 27, females 32, total 59; average attendance, males 23, females 26, total 49. Intermediate—Miss Ida Cavenaugh, teacher.—Enrolled, males 23, females 29, total 52; average attendance, males 18, females 22, total 40. Grammar and high school—Prof. J. H. Walker, teacher.—Enrolled males 27, females 52, total 82; average attendance, 21, females 46, total 61. J. P. OWEN, Supt.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

The following is a list of advertised letters in the Raton postoffice for the week ending December 2, 1886: Baretto, Bateye, Bardasio, Mrs. Batista, Laurant, Curry, J. C. Cresswell, Frank. Cannon, Anna B. Dym, Jessie. Pargues, Andros. Field, Thomas. Giuseppe, Capero. Jones, S. P. Kline, W. H. Lopez, Juan P. Mritenez, Clements, Matt, Joseph L. Nelson, P. H. Robertson, A. D. Shultz, D. H. Stephens, James A. Yulging, Frank.

R. K. VANDIVER, Postmaster.

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For information leading to the recovery of one iron-gray stallion, 4 years old, branded C-L on left shoulder; hair burned off more or less from both hind feet. C. B. LADD, Dorsey, N. M.

To parties desiring to invest in cattle or ranch property in New Mexico, we desire to state that some of the finest grazing lands in the west, with perfect titles, have been placed in our hands for disposal, and will be sold at very low figures. P. L. HENNING, agent.

Administrators Sale. I will sell at public sale, Tuesday, November 23d, the house lately occupied by John Hendelung, deceased, situated at Capulin, Colfax county; also the remnant of the horses, mares and colts, branded Z bar on left shoulder, now running on the range in eastern Colfax county; also one mowing machine, and other chattels. TIM McCAULIFFE, administrator of estate of John Hendelung, deceased.

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Information Wanted. Of one Adam Ellis, or Ehl. Any person knowing his whereabouts, or having known him at any time, will please drop me a card, and oblige. MARK ELLIS, Atchison, Kansas. 834

Wanted. A man and his wife to work on a ranch—the man to do general work about the ranch and his wife to take charge of the house and do general housework. Good wages will be paid and good references must be given. For further information address, Mrs. S. C. MAULDING, Wagon Mound, N. M. 834

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Notice.

The Gate City Democratic club will hold its regular meetings on the first Saturday of each month, at 7 o'clock p. m., at the Band hall in Raton. All persons interested in the organization of the democracy of Colfax county, and desirous of building up the same, are cordially invited to join with us. By order of the executive committee.

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ASSOCIATION BRANDS.

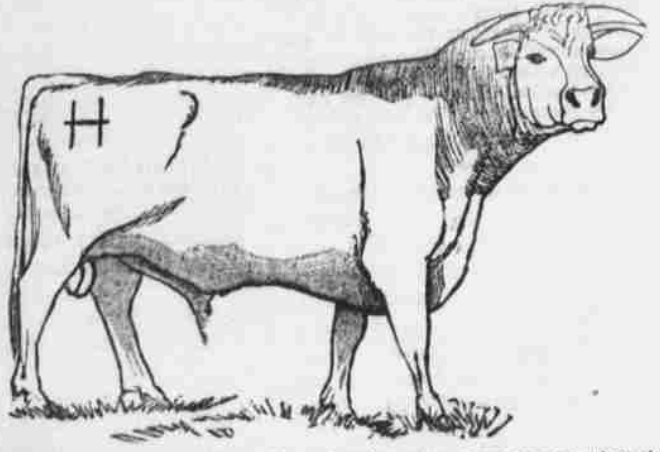
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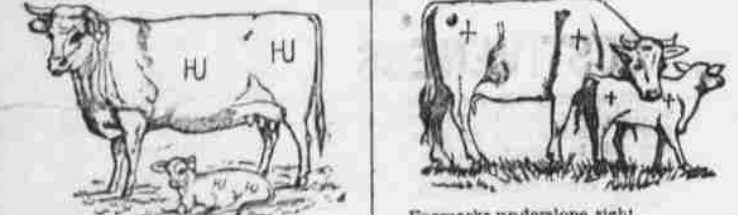
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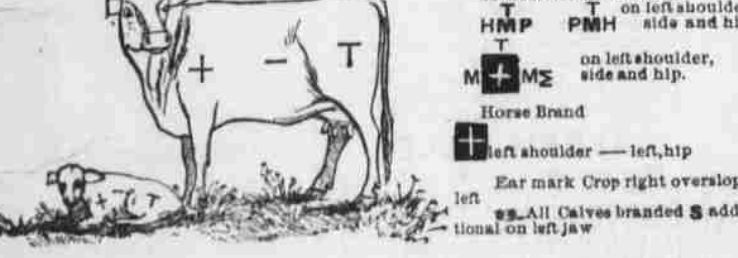
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HORSE BRANDS: H on left hip; some on left shoulder and hip; U on left shoulder; T on left hip.

RED RIVER CATTLE COMPANY. Range—Red River, Ocate and Piedra Lumbre. Ira B. Gale, Range Foreman, P. O. Springer, N. M.



Additional Brands and Marks—Some steers branded thus: HNP PMH side and hip; M+M on left shoulder, side and hip; Horse Brand H on left shoulder—left, hip; Ear mark Crop right overlaps left; All calves branded S additional on left jaw.

CIMARRON CATTLE COMPANY. Range—Foot Staked Plains San Miguel County. M. H. CHASE, Address Cimarron, N. M.; T. F. MAULDING, Sup't, P. O. Liberty, N. M.; G. C. MCCROHAN, Range Foreman, P. O. Liberty, N. M.



Ear marks—underslope left. Additional Brands—S on right hip, side and shoulder. Horse brand T on left shoulder.

CRASH, DAWSON & MAILING. P. O. Address, Cimarron, N. M.



Ear marks—Crop and split left, underbit right. Brand inverted horseshoe on left hip and right side. Additional brands: U on left hip only; J on left shoulder, side and hip; V & W on left shoulder, side and hip; various ear marks; Steer calves of 184 branded HMP on left side.

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OTHER PROMINENT BRANDS: T, T, T, T, J, J, L, L, I, I, F, F, T, T, X, X, T, H, I, L on Left shoulder.

DIAMOND STOCK CO. Range—Vermejo, Upper Red River & Castle S. L. Shortwell, Manager



Other marks—on left shoulder, some stock branded as in cut. Cattle branded Diamond on left shoulder. For sale a lot of Thoroughbred short Horn cattle. For sale a lot of imported Guernsey Cattle. In Gallegos stock book of Southern States in Gallegos stock book of Southern States.

O. W. MCGUISTON, Range—PALO BLANCO.



Horse Brand: D on left shoulder. Post Office Address, Raton, N. M.



Some cattle branded same as cut on right hip. Various ear marks. P. O. Address, Raton, NEW MEXICO.



Other permanent brands: On Left Side, Brads on the Right Side, D, D, D, D, H, H, H, H.

Post-Office Address, Raton, NEW MEXICO. K & L Land & Cattle Co. Range—Red River and Chiente



All original stock branded K on left side. Ear marks—two sides, left side of neck. All increase branded as right of calf. T. F. Gable, Manager, P. O. Address, Range Foreman, P. O. Address, Raton, N. M.

TOPEKA LAND & CATTLE CO. Range—Cimarron, Colfax Co. N. M.



Ear mark—underslope left, underbit right. Additional brands—All bulls and thoroughbred stock branded OX on left hip. Steer calves of 184 branded HMP on left shoulder, side and hip. Horse brand P on left shoulder.

PADRELUNA HORSE RANCH. Range—San Juan Water.



DELANO & DWYER LAND & CATTLE CO. J. W. DWYER, Manager, P. O. Raton, Colfax county, New Mexico.

J. M. FREDRICKS, Range—Sugartie



Ear mark—Swallow-fork left ear. Horse brand same as cut. Post office address, Raton, N. M.

A. G. DAWSON, Range—Upper Vermejo and Red River.



Additional Brands—on right side Ear mark—Crop and split left, underbit right ear. Horse Brand X V on right side. P. O. Address, Vermejo, N. M.

SH Reed, Range—Barkham and Tripson canons



Horse brand O on left shoulder. P. O. Address, Blossburg, N. M.

MORTON & DAVIDSON, Monte Rouchis and south side Red River



on shoulder and hip, X on left shoulder and V on left hip. N on left side, JM on either hip. Horse brand same as cut. LIBERTY, N. M.

JAMES K. HUNT, Range—Vermejo and Chiente.



Horse Brand: O on left shoulder. Post Office Address, Raton, N. M.

John Hunsbaker, Range—Sugartie



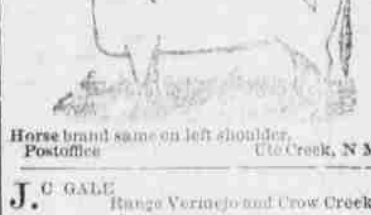
Some cattle branded same as cut on right hip. Various ear marks. P. O. Address, Raton, NEW MEXICO.

STEVENS & HUNT, Range—Vermejo and Red River



Additional brands—L, L, L, on left shoulder, side and hip. H, H, H, on left side and L on hip, also N, W on left side. Ear marks—Underbit, right and sharp left. Horse brand Z on right shoulder. P. O. Address, Raton, N. M.

WILL SOUTH, Range—Lower Vermejo and Red River



Ear Marks—Underbit crop left, swallow-fork right. Horse brand X on right shoulder. Post Office Address, Vermejo, N. M.

W. K. IRWIN, Range—Rio Valley and Merino



Horse brand same on left shoulder. Postoffice, Rio Creek, N. M.

J. C. GALE, Range—Vermejo and Crow Creek.



P. O. Address, Springer, N. M.

ED. L. STRONG, Range—RED RIVER



P. O. Address, Raton, N. M.

TWITY BROS, Range—RED RIVER AND UPPER VERMEJO



Horse brand same as cattle. P. O. Address, ELKINS, N. M.

L. BELLE, Range: Dillon and Gardner canons.



Ear mark bit out end each. Horse Brand 77 on left shoulder 777 left hip. P. O. Address, Blossburg, N. M.

JACK BERRY, Range—Teneja and Eagletail



Additional brands—V on right hip A right side L on one side and both sides. P. O. Address, Springer, N. M.

HOLLAND & ROGERS, Range—Paria



Ear mark on old stock grub right. Increase same as cut. Horse brand O V on right hip. Postoffice address, Trampers, N. M.

W. M. SHAWVER, Range—Sugartie



P. O. Address, Raton, N. M.

DYER BROS, Range—Vermejo and Red River



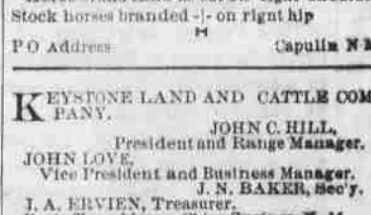
Ear Marks—Underbit each ear. Horse Brand—Circle D on left shoulder, 41 on left shoulder. P. O. Address, Vermejo, N. M.

OSCAR TROY, Range—Coal and Dillon Canons



Additional brands—J-E on left side and J-E on right side. Various ear marks. Increase, swallow fork in right ear. P. O. Address, Raton, N. M.

MIGUEL ROMERO, Range—San Mateo Springs, Pecos River



Additional Brands—Horse brand same as cut on left hip. P. O. Address, Las Vegas, N. M.

George McCormick, Range—Capalla.



Horse brand same as cut on right shoulder. Stock horses branded—on right hip. P. O. Address, Capulin, N. M.

KEYSTONE LAND AND CATTLE COMPANY. JOHN C. HILL, President and Range Manager. JOHN LOVE, Vice President and Business Manager. J. N. BAKER, Sec'y. I. A. ELVING, Treasurer. Postoffice address, Chico Springs, N. M.



Range, eastern portion of Colfax county. OTHER BRANDS: 44 on right side, 45 on left side, 46 on right side, 47 on left side, 48 on right side, 49 on left side. All increase branded Y & as on cut.

Five Steyvant, Range—Dry Cimarron.



Ear Marks—split the right angle left shoulder. Horse brand angle left shoulder. P. O. Address, Capulin, N. M.

J. H. REMSBURG, Range—Chloric Park and Red River



Ear Marks—Swallowfork and underneck left. A few cattle branded S, also some D B. P. O. Address, Raton, N. M.

JACK COOLIN, Range—PONIEL PARK



Additional brands: A H on left side. W W on right side. Horse Brand C on left shoulder. P. O. Address, ELIZABETHTOWN, N. M.

ALEX H. HARTLEY, Range—Sugartie & Red River



Brand: Bar AH on left side. Ear marks, crop to the left and split to the right. Horse brand same as cut on left shoulder. P. O. Address, Raton, N. M.

W. M. BREEN, Range—Sous, Mora County



Horse brand—W on left thigh. P. O. Address, Springer, N. M.

J. M. STOCKBRIDGE, Range—Sugartie



Horse brand O on left shoulder. P. O. Address, Raton, N. M.

G. C. HALDEMAN, Range—UNA DE GATO



Horse brand same as cattle. P. O. Address, TROYBURG, N. M.

G. ELYON, Range—SUGARTIE and RED RIVER



Also some cattle branded H on side and hip. P. O. Address, Raton, N. M.

M. DUNCAN, Range—Sugartie.



Horse brand same on left shoulder. P. O. Address, Raton, N. M.

F. B. DREW, Range—HEAD DRY CIMARRON



Some branded on left side. Horse brand same on left shoulder. P. O. Address, MADISON, N. M.

J. CRAIG MILLER, Range—FICHER PARK



Increase branded X V with bar underneath. Ear marks, same as cut. Additional brand I on right and left hip, or either. P. O. Address, MADISON, N. M.

MRS. JEROME TROY, Range—Granite Springs



Ear Marks—Gingelob each ear, dewlap on bracket. Horse Brand, J. on right shoulder. P. O. Address, TROYBURG, N. M.

STALNAKER & FINLAY, Range—RED RIVER.



Others branded III on left side or hip. Ear mark—swallow-fork and underbit right. P. O. Address, Raton, N. M.

A. BE SEVERS, Range—VERMEJO and RED RIVER



Ear Marks—Sharp right and underslope to left. Horse Brand A on left shoulder. P. O. Address, VERMEJO, N. M.

T. F. McALLISTER, Range—Red River



Additional brands—right hip. P. O. Address, Raton, N. M.

HOWARD & Co, Range—DRY CIMARRON



Ear Marks—Underbit each ear. Also some cattle branded X on left side and hip and 22 on left hip. Triangle V on right side. Horse Brand—Y Z on left hip. Some horses branded O on left shoulder. P. O. Address, MADISON, N. M.

PORTSMOUTH CATTLE CO., Range—Lita de Plain. E. F. Holmes, Manager. H. G. Howard, Sup't. P. O. address, Springer, N. M.



Ear marks, overslope right, underslope left. Horse brand same as calf on left hip.

F. FRANK A. McCULLOUGH, Range—Palo Blanco, P. O. address, Dixon, N. M.



Horses branded same as cut, on left thigh or hip.

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ASSOCIATION BRANDS CONTINUED.

FRANK STUBBLEFIELD Range: Vermejo and Van Bremer. Horse Brand same on left hip. P.O. Address: Cimarron N.M.

M. HECK. Range: Cimarron Cho. Some stock branded M on shoulder and H on hip, all on left side. Horse brand same as cut on right hip. P.O. Address: Cimarron.

M. CALLISTER, Ritter & Griffin. Range: South Canadian and Truttilo. Ear marks crop the left and swallow-fork the right. All calves branded from 3 years down have C on left side and hip. All increase will be branded as in cut. Horse brand - circle bar on left shoulder. P.O. Address: Red River Springs.

JOHN CARRICO Range: Led Lakes. Horse brand JNO on left thigh. P.O. Address: SPRINGER, N.M.

THE SHIELD BRAND CATTLE CO. J. W. SHACKELFORD Manager. Range: Chloroform Park. P.O. add, Raton, N.M. Other brands - L on right side and ear-mark crop off left and swallow fork in right. Also, M T on side and M on top, left side, and ear-mark crop left. Horse brand - shield on left shoulder. P.O. Address: Raton, N.M.

WHISTLER BROS. Range: Sugarite. Ear marks - Swallow-fork and underbit to left. Swallow fork to right. Horse Brand: ZIP on left hip.

ADDITIONAL BRANDS. U T on right side. U T on right side. Increase of both additional brands to be branded. U T Ear-mark crop and underbit to left. P.O. Address: RATON, NEW MEXICO.

C. R. LADD Range: Red River and Vermejo. A reward of \$50 will be paid for the arrest and conviction of any party or parties guilty of stealing any of the above stock.

S. M. FULMER Range: Cerros Canon. A B Starbel Range Foreman. Ear marks - Crop left split right. Additional brands - D on right shoulder, E on left hip, F on left hip, G on left hip, H on left hip. P.O. Address: Cimarron New Mexico.

S. M. FULMER Range: Cerros Canon. A B Starbel Range Foreman. Ear marks - Crop left split right. Additional brands - D on right shoulder, E on left hip, F on left hip, G on left hip, H on left hip. P.O. Address: Cimarron New Mexico.

J. E. TOMPKINS Range: SWEETWATER VALLEY. Additional brands TC TC on left side. Horse Brand on left hip.

HUGH T. WOOD. BELMONT RANCH. Brand: HW connected on left side. Ear mark crop and split the left. Horse brand same as in cut on left shoulder. P.O. address: Raton, N.M.

J. L. STEPHENSON & Co. Range: FALO BLANCO. Some old stock K on left hip only. Horse brand K on left shoulder. P.O. address, LAS VEGAS, NEW MEXICO.

FRED WOOLFORD, "Dad". Range: Trampas. Other Brands: TKT on left, K on right. W on all of these brands kept up. Horse brand same as cut on left shoulder. Postoffice, Trampas, N.M.

JAMES SHAW Range: Sugarite and Red River. Brand: XX bar on left side. Ear marks - Over half crop right and under half crop left. P.O. address: Raton, N.M.

M. W. MILLS Range: CANADIAN RIVER. Brand: M on left side. Ear mark - Over half crop right and under half crop left. P.O. address: Raton, N.M.

THOMAS M. MICHAELS Range: SWEET WATER. Other brands - JM on left side. Horse brand, TM on left shoulder. P.O. address: SPRINGER, N.M.

F. C. HAY Range: Dry Cimarron and Capulin. Ear mark - Crop left under halter crop right. Some cattle branded Z cross O d stock ear mark split in each ear. Horse brand Z cross on left hip. P.O. Address: Capulin, N.M.

O. P. McMains. Range: Ex-Maxwell Grant. Increase Branded same as above stock. P.O. Address: Raton, N.M.

A. W. THOMPSON P.O. Trampas, Mora Co. Some Cattle branded on left side Ear-mark Overbit on Each Ear. Increase branded on left side and 4 on left hip. Horse brand same as cut on left hip. Trampas on Test of.

G. W. THOMPSON, Postoffice address, Trinidad, Colo. Range: Trinitaria and Chiquangas. Some cattle branded same as above on right side. Also, N - n on either side, n on right hip; different ear marks. Horse branded same as cut, but smaller, on left shoulder or left thigh.

MARION LITRELL Range: Vermejo, Red River and Tensas. Horse Brand L on left shoulder and X on left shoulder. P.O. Address: Vermejo, N.M.

DANIEL TROY & PIEPER Range: Capulin, Mess Large and Kiowa. Ear marks - Swallowfork in each ear and underbit in right. Horse brand same as left shoulder. P.O. address, Troyber, N.M.

J. G. ABREU Range: RAYADO CREEK. Horse brand same as cattle on either side. O address, SPRINGER, N.M.

MANEY BROS. Range: Castle Rock, Vermejo. Horse brand 88 on left shoulder or hip.

THOROUGHbred Stock Branded. Also horses branded [] on left hip or shoulder. P.O. Address: Springer, N.M.

WAGON MOUND CATTLE CO. Range: VERMEJO. GARTH & LEARY, Managers. Horse brand 77 on left shoulder. Raton, N.M.

EAGLE TAIL CATTLE CO. O. A. HADLEY, Manager. Horse brand 77 on left shoulder. Raton, N.M.

PRICE LANE Range: Southeast of Wagon Mound. Horse Brand L and L on right shoulder. P.O. Address, Wagon Mound, N.M.

FRANK PUTNAM Range: Red River. Other brands - W on right side. Flag on right side. Also some branded Flag on right hip. Various ear marks. All increase branded HV on right side. P.O. Address: Dorsey, N.M.

JOHN C. TAYLOR Range: Red River. Other brands - W on right side. Flag on right side. Also some branded Flag on right hip. Various ear marks. All increase branded HV on right side. P.O. Address: Dorsey, N.M.

W. H. & P. ROGERS AND CHARLES WRAY Range: LAUGHLIN'S PEAK and GATE'S CANON. Other brands - W on right side. A C or A C on left side. Horse brand, same as cut on left shoulder. P.O. Address, Springer, N.M.

LOCOMOTIVE ENGINEERS' CATTLE CO. Range: Canon Blanco, Mora County. A few steers branded TIT on right side. Horse brand same as in cut on right thigh. P.O. Address, TROYBUR, N.M.

THOMAS SHAW. Horse brand J-M. (H.M. connected) on left shoulder. P.O. address, RATON, N.M.

N. F. COOKE Range: Cimarron and Sweetwater, Colfax county, N.M. Other Brands: A N on right side. Ear Mark - Swallow-fork left and under-half crop right. Horse Brand: A N on right hip. P.O. Address, Springer, N.M.

J. S. TAYLOR Range: RED RIVER. Other Brands: O on one or both sides, N on right side, Z or S on left side.

H. S. BUSKIRK & CO. P.O. Dowagiac, Mich. Range: Una de gato. J. D. MIFFLIN Agt. Troyburg N.M.

M. DEVOY Range: Dry Cimarron. Also all cattle branded WB on left side, both ears crop. Horse brand TT on left shoulder. P.O. address, Raton, N.M.

J. A. J. BOHLE. DUNMURRAY RANCH. Also all cattle branded WB on left side, both ears crop. Horse brand TT on left shoulder. P.O. address, Raton, N.M.

C. M. BAYNE Range: Sugarite Mesa. Flesh mark - Wattle on right side of neck. Horse brand same as cut. P.O. Address: Springer, N.M.

W. D. BLAKEY & CO. Range: Tensas and Eagletail. Other brands - W on right side. Flag on right side. Also some branded Flag on right hip. Various ear marks. All increase branded HV on right side. P.O. Address: Dorsey, N.M.

JOHN C. TAYLOR Range: Red River. Other brands - W on right side. Flag on right side. Also some branded Flag on right hip. Various ear marks. All increase branded HV on right side. P.O. Address: Dorsey, N.M.

W. H. & P. ROGERS AND CHARLES WRAY Range: LAUGHLIN'S PEAK and GATE'S CANON. Other brands - W on right side. A C or A C on left side. Horse brand, same as cut on left shoulder. P.O. Address, Springer, N.M.

LOCOMOTIVE ENGINEERS' CATTLE CO. Range: Canon Blanco, Mora County. A few steers branded TIT on right side. Horse brand same as in cut on right thigh. P.O. Address, TROYBUR, N.M.

Cyril R. Smyth, Range: Sugarite, Colfax Co. Brand ENG on right side. Ear marks, underbit to the left, half over-crop to the right. Additional Brands: Also on left side. All increase branded ENG on right side. Horse Brand S on right shoulder.

L. ANDON MORRIS Range: Sugarite and Red River. Some cattle branded same as cut on left side. Various ear marks. Horse brand on left thigh. P.O. address, Raton, N.M.

J. A. HUNT Range: Caliente, Vermejo and Red River. P.O. Address: Raton, N.M.

J. S. TAYLOR Range: RED RIVER. Other Brands: O on one or both sides, N on right side, Z or S on left side.

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C. M. BAYNE Range: Sugarite Mesa. Flesh mark - Wattle on right side of neck. Horse brand same as cut. P.O. Address: Springer, N.M.

W. D. BLAKEY & CO. Range: Tensas and Eagletail. Other brands - W on right side. Flag on right side. Also some branded Flag on right hip. Various ear marks. All increase branded HV on right side. P.O. Address: Dorsey, N.M.

JOHN C. TAYLOR Range: Red River. Other brands - W on right side. Flag on right side. Also some branded Flag on right hip. Various ear marks. All increase branded HV on right side. P.O. Address: Dorsey, N.M.

W. H. & P. ROGERS AND CHARLES WRAY Range: LAUGHLIN'S PEAK and GATE'S CANON. Other brands - W on right side. A C or A C on left side. Horse brand, same as cut on left shoulder. P.O. Address, Springer, N.M.

LOCOMOTIVE ENGINEERS' CATTLE CO. Range: Canon Blanco, Mora County. A few steers branded TIT on right side. Horse brand same as in cut on right thigh. P.O. Address, TROYBUR, N.M.

Cyril R. Smyth, Range: Sugarite, Colfax Co. Brand ENG on right side. Ear marks, underbit to the left, half over-crop to the right. Additional Brands: Also on left side. All increase branded ENG on right side. Horse Brand S on right shoulder.

W. W. SAMES Range: Dillon Canon and Red River. Ear marks Swallow fork each ear. P.O. Address: Raton N.M.

LAKE RANCH CATTLE CO. Range: UTE CREEK, ALAMOSITA and TRAMPAS. All new stock branded same as in cut. Ear marks, cross off right and single-bob left. Horse brand same as in cut on left hip or shoulder. Additional brands - E bar underneath, 000 connected, 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-0 bar under first figure, J-V with cross over each, S-Z, all being on the left side or hip. P.O. address, CHICO SPRINGS, N.M.

JOS. A. DOGGETT. Range: Sugarite. Brand AX on left side and hip. Ear marks underbit in left and two in the right. Horse Brand A on left shoulder. P.O. address, Raton, N.M.

ELIJAH JOHNSON Range: JOHNSON'S PARK. Additional Brands - TW on left side and N on left hip, T on right side. Ear Mark - Crop and split right and swallow fork left. P.O. Address, Raton, N.M.

J. ARMSTRONG. Range: RED RIVER and VERMEJO. Brands - HHH on left shoulder side and hip. Ear marks - underbit right and underbit left. Some branded 000 on left side and shoulder and hip. Horse brand - I on left shoulder and hip. P.O. Address, RATON, N.M.

ERNEST WINTER Range: Sugarite and Red River. Brands - HHH on left shoulder side and hip. Ear marks - underbit right and underbit left. Some branded 000 on left side and shoulder and hip. Horse brand - I on left shoulder and hip. P.O. Address, RATON, N.M.

C. M. BAYNE Range: Sugarite Mesa. Brands - T on either side. Ear marks - Swallow-fork and underbit both ears. Horse brand T on right shoulder. P.O. Address, RATON, N.M.

L. S. ROGERS. Range: Monte Bonavilla and south side of Red River. Brands - T on either side. Ear marks - Swallow-fork and underbit both ears. Horse brand T on right shoulder. P.O. Address, RATON, N.M.

HENRY K. TYLONS Old Park Ranch. Ear marks - Sharp the right. Horse brand on right shoulder. Range: Sugarite. Raton, N.M.

S. W. DORSEY. P.O. Address - Chico Springs, N.M. Ear marks - Sharp the right. Horse brand on right shoulder. Range: Sugarite. Raton, N.M.

W. H. & P. ROGERS AND CHARLES WRAY Range: LAUGHLIN'S PEAK and GATE'S CANON. Other brands - W on right side. A C or A C on left side. Horse brand, same as cut on left shoulder. P.O. Address, Springer, N.M.

LOCOMOTIVE ENGINEERS' CATTLE CO. Range: Canon Blanco, Mora County. A few steers branded TIT on right side. Horse brand same as in cut on right thigh. P.O. Address, TROYBUR, N.M.

J. R. THACKER & CO. Range: Red River from Eagle Tail Mountain. Additional Brands: S C on left side. Post Office Address, Raton N.M.

HOWARD & CO. Range: Dry Cimarron. Postoffice Address, Capulin, N.M.

W. FRISCHMETER Range: DRY CIMARRON and LONG CANON. Some U on side and I on jaw, K on right side. Ear mark same as in cut. Increase right side only. Additional brand U left side increase U on right side. Also T on right side. P on hip ear mark like cut. Horse brand - T on right thigh.

P. M. SARVEY Range: Dillon Canon. Some Branded T on right hip. P.O. Address: New Mexico.

R. A. CURTIS. Range: Caliente and Red River. Horse Brand V right thigh, V right shoulder. Postoffice Address, Elkins, N.M.

PATRICK DUGAN. Range: Merino Valley. Ear Marks: Crop and underbit right, underbit left. Additional brands: T on right hip. Horse brand same as cut. Post office Address, Elizabethton, N.M.

RICHMOND JONES. Range: Ute Creek and Cimarron. Ear Marks: crop and underbit right, underbit left. Additional brands: T on right hip. Horse brand same as cut. Post office Address, Elizabethton, N.M.

THOMAS & MIZOR Range: Dillon Canon. Horse Brand V on left shoulder. P.O. Address, Raton N.M.

C. L. LOPEZ Range: Trampas. Horse Brand U on right shoulder. P.O. Address, Trampas N.M.

E. C. GRIPPEE Range: Sugarite. Ear Marks: Crop and split left, swallow-fork right. Horse Brand X on left hip. Postoffice Address: RATON, N.M.

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JOHN B. DAWSON, RANGE-VERMEJO and CALIENTE.



Additional Brands-LAD right side; K on right hip and L on side; SI on right hip and right side; Horse Brand: S on right shoulder.

Thomas Curtis, H. Alexander, CHAS. F. HUNT, Range-Upper Vermejo and Red River



Ear marks-Crop and split right and under slope left Horse brand 7K connected, on right thigh and shoulder P.O. Address, Raton, N.M.



JJB on right side Ear marks crop and split right and over slope left Horse brand 7K connected on right thigh and shoulder.



Horse brand (over) IXL on left shoulder Some old stock branded IXL on left side only P.O. Address, Vermejo, N.M.



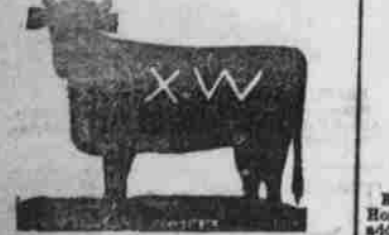
Also, owned by Miss E.M. Reed, R on side and hip Ear marks-two underneath and two overtop and crop left P.O. Address, Raton, N.M.



Horse Brand Same as cattle P.O. Address Fort Stanton, Lincoln county N.M.



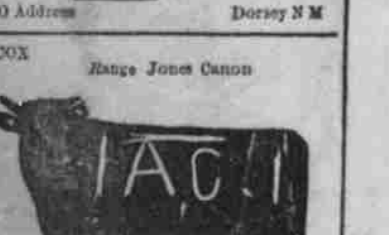
Brand, T with half circle underneath Ear mark swallow-ork to right and split left P.O. Address Raton N.M.



Crop and ear, Horse brand X on left hip P.O. Address, Raton, N.M.



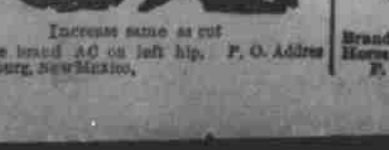
Some branded on right side Horse brand same as cut on left hip P.O. Address, Dorsey N.M.



Increase same as cut Horse brand same as cut on left hip P.O. Address, Dorsey N.M.



Increase same as cut Horse brand 40 on left hip, P.O. Address, Bosburg, New Mexico.



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MRS. E. ALLEN, Range: Sugarite.



P.O. Address, Raton, New Mexico.



Horse brand same on left shoulder P.O. Address, Raton, N.M.



Horse brand C on left shoulder heart on left hip P.O. Address, Springer N.M.



Horse brand L on right shoulder P.O. Address, Cimarron, N.M.



Both sides Horse brand L S on left hip P.O. Address, Tascosa, Texas.



Half under-crop each ear; old ear-mark, slit right. Additional brand LW on right side; under-slope both ears; Horse brand OXO on left hip. P.O. Address-Capulin, N.M.



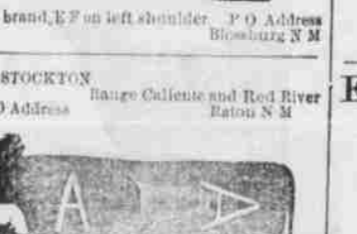
Horse brand, EF on left shoulder. P.O. Address, Bosburg N.M.



Ear-mark crop right under split left ZENAS CURTIS, Range: Foreman, Caliente, N.M.



Ear-mark Under split left - Under-slope right Some cattle branded Horse brand 4 on left hip P.O. Address, SPRINGER, N.M.



Ear marks half crop both ears P.O. Address, Raton N.M.



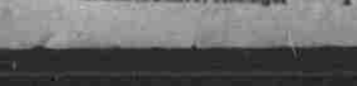
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J. W. LYNCH, P. O. Las Vegas, N. M.



Horse brand same as cut on left shoulder Range Upper Vermejo Range Terolite Additional brand 1985



All increase branded same as in above cut Horse Brand J on left hip P.O. Address, Raton, New Mexico.



Other Brands Kept Up - O on left side L left hip Increase same O left side O left side Increase same POP on left side Increase brand same All above stock earmarked Under-half crop left



Other Brands Kept Up - O on left side L left hip Increase same O left side O left side Increase same POP on left side Increase brand same All above stock earmarked Under-half crop left



Additional Brand L X M X X Horse Brand same as cut on right side Ear mark under half crop in left ear P.O. Address, Wagon Mound N.M.



Additional Brand L X M X X Horse Brand same as cut on right side Ear mark under half crop in left ear P.O. Address, Wagon Mound N.M.



On right side Under slope left, over bit right P.O. Address, CAPULIN, N.M.



Old stock branded on left side or shoulder Increase same as cut, Raton, N.M.



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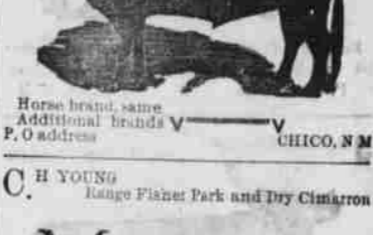
T. ROMERO, BROTHER & SON, Range: Atlatlan Canyon, Chaco Creek, La Garita and Beck Grant



Horse brand same on left thigh Other brands on left side



Flesh marks - Verna below right eye, Postoffice, La Chisla, N.M.



Horse brand, same Additional brands V CHICO, N.M.



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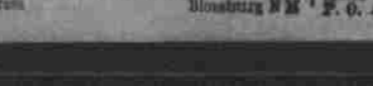
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J. E. MCKOWN, Range: RED RIVER and UNA DE GATO



Additional Brands - DC on left side. Horse brand K on left hip. P.O. Address, Raton N.M.



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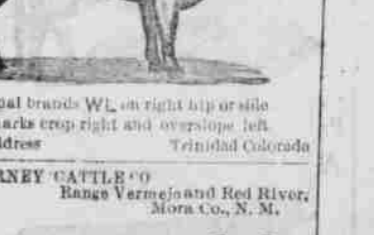
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A. G. SHAW, BELMONT RANCH



Ear mark - Crop right and swallowfork and under-hip left. Additional Brands - H L on left side, slope right, under-slope left ear.



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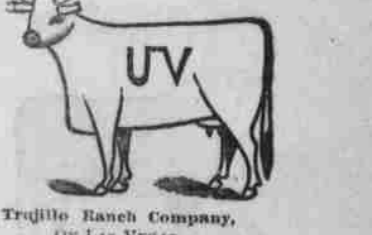
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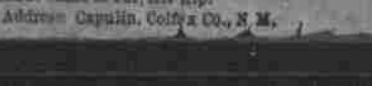
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