

Brand book containing brands of the Western Kansas Cattle Growers' Association

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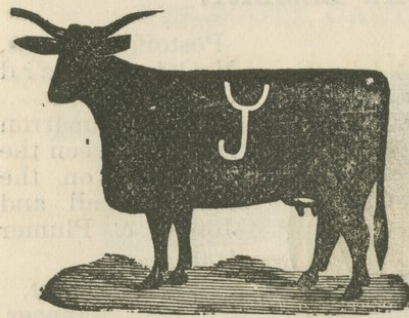
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
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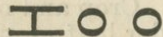


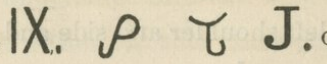


HI. KOLLOR.

Post office address,
Dodge City, Kas.
Range, Cimarron
river, west Supply
Trail.

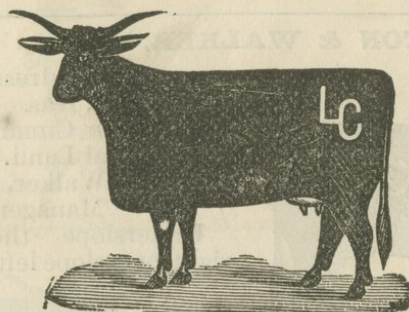
Other brands and
marks:  on left
shoulder or side.

Mule Shoe cattle

are all steers, and are road branded, 

on left side. Also,  on either
or both hips. Brand and mark on all increase as
follows:  on either or both hips. Ear mark,
smooth crop in left ear. Horse brand: same as in cut,
on left shoulder.  on left hip.

C. A. LEUTHSTROM.




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
Range, Bluff Creek,
Ford Co., Kas.


C. G. Leuthstrom,
Manager.

Other brands and
marks:

 on both hips
or left side;
ear mark, split both
ears.

Brand and mark
on all increase as
follows: Same as
mother, either with

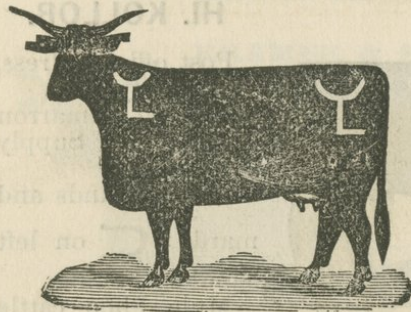
 on both hips

or  on both
hips, as case may be;

ear mark, split both ears for both brands. Horse
brand: Same as cut, on left shoulder or hip.



LABAN LEMERT.



Postoffice address,
McCoy, Seward
County, Kas.

Range, Cimarron
river, between the
crossings on the
Adobe Wall and
Jones & Plumer
trail.

Laban Lemert,
Manager.

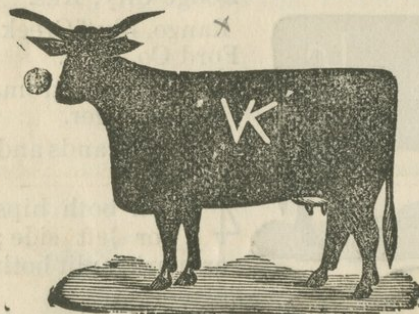
Crop and over half off the right, and crop and under half crop off the left. Other brands and marks:

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

All marks. ⌒ on left hip. Increase of all the

above branded ⌒ on left shoulder and hip; marked, crop and over half of the right, and crop and under half crop off the left. ⌒ on left shoulder and side, and crop and over half crop off the right, and crop and under half off the left. Increase branded the same.

LANGTON & WALKER.



Postoffice address
Dodge City, Kas.

Range, on Cimar-
ron Neutral Land.

William Walker,
Manager.

Underslope the
right, overslope left.



Overslope the right,
underslope left.

Other brands and
Marks:

⌒ on left side,
and right hip.

Horse brands:

⌒ on left shoul-
der.

X **LEE-SCOTT CATTLE CO.**



Postoffice address,
Leavenworth, Kas.
Range, Oldham
and Hartley Coun-
ties, Panhandle of
Texas, and San Mi-
guel County, N. M.
J. E. McAllister,
Manager,
Tascosa, Texas.

Branded on either side; marked, underhack and half underslope each ear. Other brands and marks: **J** on either or both sides; marked,

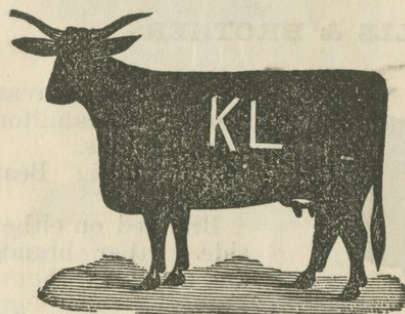
slit both ears. **GM** left side (all steers); marked, underslope both ears. Also the following remnants:

V H H B * Brand and mark on all

increase as follows: **LS** both sides; marked, underhack and half underslope each ear. Horse brand: **LS**

or **J** left hip.

In addition to the reward offered by the Association, we will pay \$1,000 reward for the conviction of any person killing or stealing any of our stock, or defacing any of our brands, or mavericking any of our calves.



R. B. LATHAM.

Postoffice address,
Garden City, Kas.
Range, Bear Creek.
R. B. Latham,
Manager.

Other brands and marks:

Various marks.

Brand and mark on all increase as

follows: **KL** on both sides. Horse brand: **DL**

BUFFALO RANCH COMPANY.



Postoffice address,
Dodge City, Kas.
Cattle range, on
Buffalo Creek.
J. H. Mussett,
Manager.

Cattle brands:

R-S on both sides;
ear mark, under bit
in each ear.

Other brands:

J+ right side with **♡** right hip; **77L** right side
with **7** right hip; **J+** right side with **U** right hip;
∩ one side; **⊖** on other; **174** on hip; **▽** left
side, a ranch brand; **◇** left side, road brand; **B**
either or both sides; **RIN** left side; **‡** on side
and hip; **♀** on side and shoulder; **†** on right side;
PEL on either side; **T** on right ribs; **X** on right hip;
marked, crop right, underslope left.

Horse brand: **∧** left shoulder; **◇** left hip.

C. C. MILLS & BROTHERS.



Postoffice address,
Zomora, Hamilton
County, Kas.

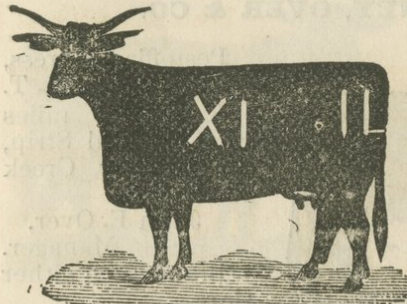
Range, Big Bear
Creek.

Branded on either
side. Other brands
and marks:

W5 Under crop the

right, crop and slit the left. Calves hereafter same
as cut. Horse brand: Same as cut, on left shoulder.

McCOY BROTHERS & CO.



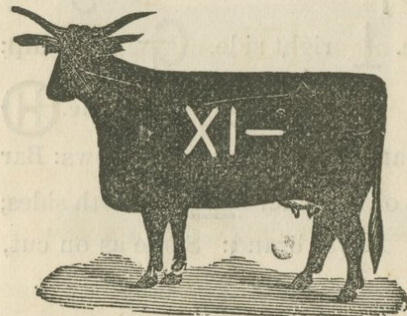
Postoffice, Dodge City, Kas.

Range on Beaver Creek and Cimarron, west of the Jones & Plummer trail.

Cattle branded **XI** on ribs and **II** on left hip.

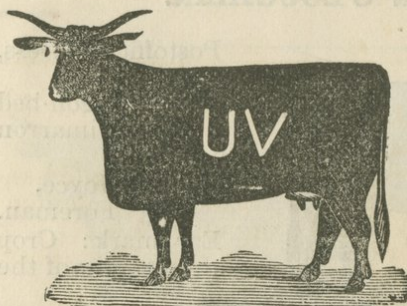
Increase of herd branded same as on cut, with additional

brand of **I** on right jaw, with ear mark under half crop off each ear.



Branded on left side as in cut, and bar on right jaw.

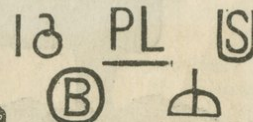
Ear mark, under half cropped from each ear.



Branded as in cut on both sides.

Ear marks under half cropped from each ear.

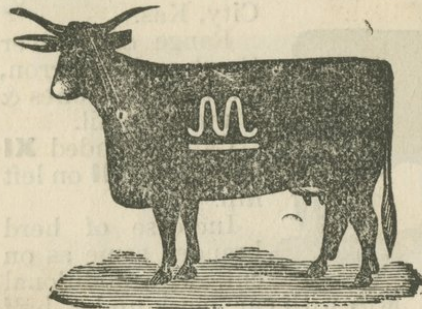
Other brands:



Either of which brands are on left side or hip. Increase of **US** brand, branded **UV** on both sides. Old stock in all the brands are in various other ear marks and brands. Horses branded **XI** on shoulder.

A. H. McCoy, Manager.

McKENNEY, OVER & CO.



Postoffice address,
Camp Supply, I. T.
Range, 30 miles
west Neutral Strip,
The Beaver Creek
Ranche.

John E. Over,
Manager.

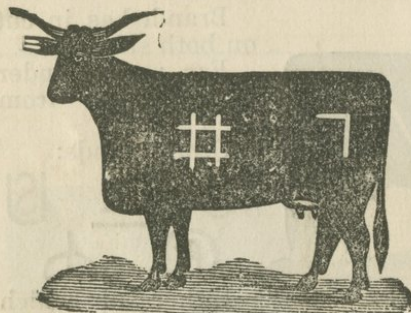
Branded on either
side.

Other brands:

RP left side and hip. WO left hip. CUS left
side. E left side. Y left side and hip. S left
hip. PHA left side. L right side. G right hip:
7-L O D JNP all left side. (H)

left hip. Brand and mark on all increase as follows: Bar
from left jaw to point of shoulder M on both sides;
ear marked as above. Horse brand: Same as on cut,
on left hip.

JOHN O'LOUGHLIN.



Postoffice address,
Lakin, Kas.
Range, Wagon-bed
Springs, Cimarron
River.

Richard Joyce,
Foreman.

Ear mark: Crop
and two splits of the
right ear.

Other brands and
marks: XL on left side. Ear mark: Crop and split
of right ear. Brand and mark on all increase same as
cut. Horse brand: # on left shoulder.

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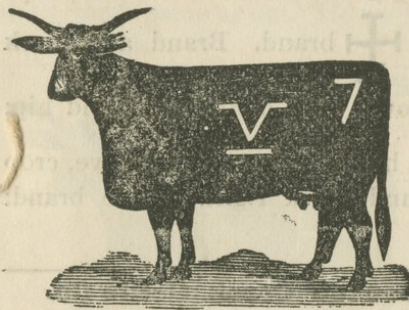
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x T. L. McCARTY.



Postoffice address,
Dodge City, Kas.
Range, with Har-
desty Bros.' F
cattle. Brand and
mark on increase as
in cut.

O'LOUGHLIN & CO.



Postoffice address,
Lakin, Kas.
Range, Wagon Bed
Springs, Cimarron
River.

Richard Joyce,
Foreman.

Ear mark, crop and
two splits of the right
ear.

Brand and mark

on an all increase same as cut. Horse brand: #
on right shoulder. Some branded with small
V on left shoulder.

PIERCE, BROWN & CO.



Postoffice address,
Dodge City, Kas.
Range, Bluff creek,
Ford county.

J. S. Simpson.
Manager.

Crop and split each
ear.

Other brands: 7
on left side and hip.

Brand and mark on
all increase same as
cut. Horse brand:

7 on left shoulder.

ROBERTS & EVANS,


Successors to
J. E. ROBERTS & Co.




Postoffice address,
Belle Meade, Kas.
Range, on South
Sand Creek.


A. K. Chilcott,
Manager.


Other brands and


marks:  on


left hip; ear crop

and underbit in the left, swallow fork the right; wat-
tle under the left ear.  on shoulder, side and hip;

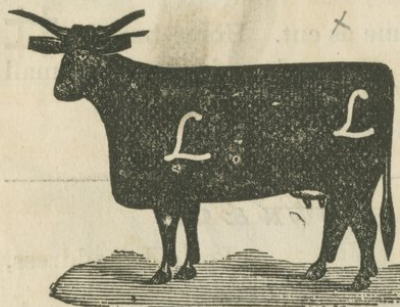
same ear mark as the  brand. Brand and mark

on all increase as follows:  on left side and hip;

old stock only  on hip. Ear mark as above, crop
and split the left, underhack right. Horse brand:

 on left shoulder.

Cimarron & Crooked Creek Cattle Co.





Postoffice address,
Belle Meade, Kas.



Range, Cimarron
river and Crooked
creek.

R. E. Steele, manager.

Ear marks: crop the
right, under half crop
the left.


Other brands: 
on left hip or loin.

 on left side. **WAT** on left side. **RAT** on

left side.  on right side with  on both hips.

N°6 on left side. **G** on left side and hip. **B**

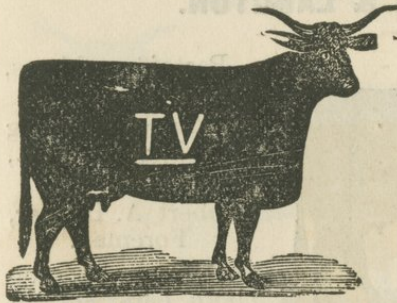
on right side. **B** on right hip. Brand and mark on
all increase of above brands same as cut. Horse brand:

 on left hip.

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H. F. SPENCER.



Postoffice address,
Kinsley, Kansas.

Range, at Wagon
Bed Springs, on the
Cimarron river.

Wm. H. Jay,

Foreman.

Other brands and
marks: **TV** on
either or both sides,

also **TV** without bar. All young stock marked
crop right, split left and waddle on left neck. Brand
and mark on all increase as follows: **TV** on both
sides, mark same as cut. Horse brand: **TV** on left
hip or thigh.

GEO. W. REIGHARD & CO.



Postoffice address,
Dodge City, Kas.

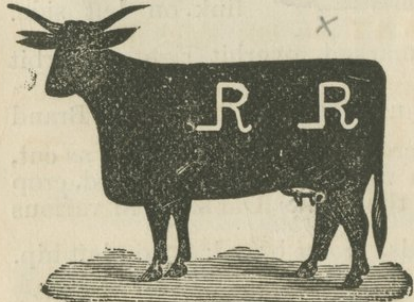
Range on Arkan-
sas river, 15 miles
west of Dodge City.
Geo. W. Reighard,
manager.

Other brands:

◊ on both shoul-
ders. **I-G** right

side and hip. **H-G** right side and hip. Brands and
marks on all increase as follows: ◊ on both sides ;
ear marks, slit in left ear. Horse brand: **^** or **—**
on left thigh.

PAT RYAN.



Postoffice address,
Dodge City, Kansas.
Range, Mulberry
creek, Kansas.

Horse brand: **LR**
left shoulder.

Other brands: **IOI**
left side.

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SITLER & LANGTON.



Postoffice address,
Dodge City, Kas.

Range, Spring
Creek, Seward Co.,
Kas.

Robert A. Harper,
Foreman.

Ear marks, crop
both ears, slit in
left.



Horse brand: **SL** left shoulder.

FRED TAINTOR.



Postoffice address,
Dodge City, Kas.

Range, Cimarron
and Crooked creek,
Neutral Strip.

Other brands and
marks:

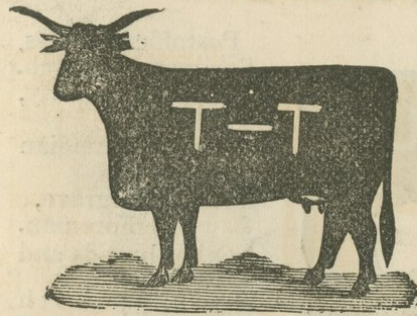
—**O** bar and
link, on left side.

⌒ on each side; marked, overbit right, underbit

left; this brand kept up. **Mc** on left side. Brand
and mark on all increase as follows: Same as cut,
with additional **G** on right shoulder; marked, crop
the left and jinglebob the right. Old stock in various

other marks and brands. Horse brand: **G** on left hip.

EMPORIA CATTLE CO.



Postoffice address,
McCoy, Kas.
Range, Cimarron
and Adobe Wall
trail.

S. R. Taylor,
Manager.

Ear mark, half
crop left, swallow-
fork right.



Other brands and
marks:

T-T on left side,

D on right. Steers
from last year

T-T side, and

T on left hip; also **T-T** left side and **D** on left
hip. **OK** right side. Various other brands and

marks. Brand and mark on all increase as follows:

T-T on left side and **T** on right hip. **T-T**

on left side and **D** on right hip. Horse brand:

T on left shoulder and **T** on left thigh.

WEEKS BROS.



Postoffice address,
Kinsley, Kas.

Range, Kiowa and
Bluff creeks, Ford
county.

E. O. Locher,
Manager.

Brand and mark
on all increase, the
same as above.

Horse brand: Various brands, principal brand
EH on left hip.

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RHODES & ALDRIDGE.



Postoffice address,
Springer Ranch,
Hemphill County,
Texas.

Range, Canadian
River.

D. Hargrave,
Foreman.

Other brands and
marks: **T** both

sides. **T** jaw; **C** neck; **T** side; all left side.

AGS left side or hip. **Θ** right side. **U** right

or left side. **3** left side or hip. **T-T** left side.

U on left shoulder, side and hip. Brand and mark

on all increase as follows: **C** neck; **U** side—left

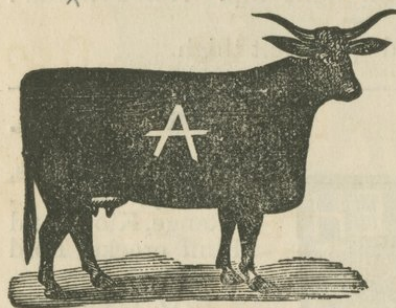
side; marked, crop right, underslope left. **U** on

left shoulder, side and hip; marked, crop and under-

slope each ear. Horse brand: **†** left hip. **U**

left shoulder. **SF** left shoulder.

TILGHMAN & BROWN.



Postoffice address,
Dodge City, Ford
County, Kas.

Range, Indian
Creek, in Ford and
Clark Counties.

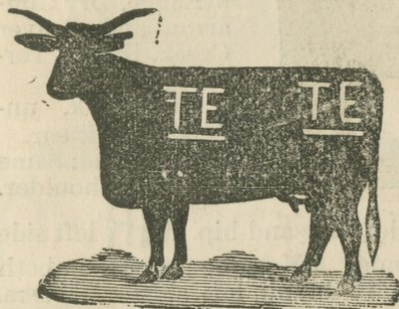
Other brands and
marks:

A **NB** **TIL** **T** All brands on right side.

Brand and mark on all increase as follows: **TIL**

on right side. **B** on right hip. Horse brand: **T**

DRAKE & TELFER.



Postoffice address,
Kinsley, Edwards
Co., Kansas.

Range, Arkansas
river, Kiowa, Granger
creeks.

Adam Telfer,
Manager.

Other brands and
marks: **T** on left
hip, dewlap and ear

mark same as above. **DS** and **JIA** on left

side or hip; **IC** on left side or hip, dewlap cut up.

ED on left hip. **+** on left side and hip, and
on right side. **VO** on left side or hip, wattle on

throat. **4** on left side or hip, and **+** on right side.

W on left side or hip; ear mark, crop and under
half crop in left ear. **3C** **f** on left side. **u**

on left hip, bulls. Brand and mark on all increase as
follows; All increase in **IC** brand, branded same.

VO and **4** brand, branded **VO**. All **DS**

JIA brands, branded **DS** **W** brand,
branded same. **T** brand, branded same. **+**

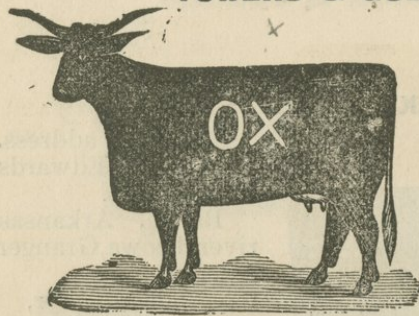
3C **f** brands, branded **TE** **TE** brands,
branded same. Horse brand: **TE** on left stifle.

DS on left stifle.

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TOWERS & GUDGELL.



Postoffice address,
West Las Animas,
Colorado.

Range, Dry Cimarron and Beaver Creek, Indian Territory.

Ear mark, underslope left ear.
Horse brand: Same as cut, left shoulder.

Other brands: **TT** left side and hip. **GR** left side or hip. Increase branded **OX** same as cut, on both sides. Also own the **IC** brand, left side—all steers.

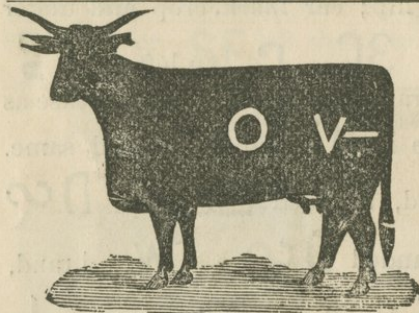


MARSELUS BROS.

Postoffice address,
West Las Animas,
Colorado.

Range, Dry Cimarron and Beaver Creek, I. T.

Ear mark, crop and split left, crop right.

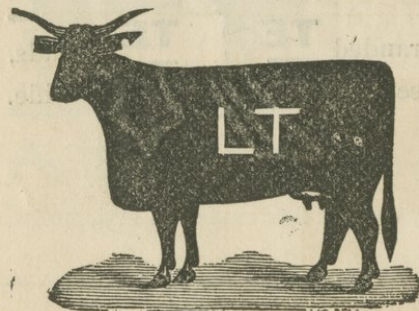


WM. HARBOUGH.

Postoffice address,
Zulu P. O., Hansford county, Texas.

Range, Dry Cimarron and Beaver creek, I. T.

Ear mark, under half crop left, swallow fork right.



WM. RILEY.

Postoffice address
West Las Animas,
Colorado.

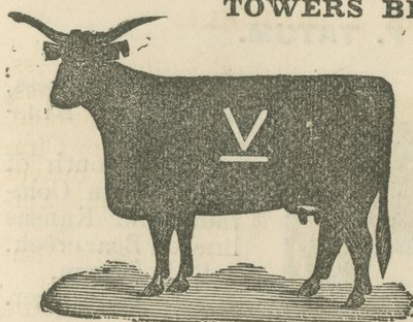
Range, Dry Cimarron and Beaver Creek, I. T.

Ear mark, underbit left, crop right.
Horse brand, same as cut, left shoulder

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TOWERS BROS.



Postoffice address,
West Las Animas,
Colorado.

Range, Beaver and
Coldwater Creeks,
I.T. Ear mark, crop
and underhack left,
crop right.

Horse brand, same
as cut left shoulder

Other brands:

O both sides. **L** left side. **MY** left side. **J**

left loin or hip. Increase branded same as cut, on
both sides. Also own the **IO** brand, left side, all steers.

JOHN THRELKELD.



Postoffice address,
Zulu P. O., Hansford
county, Texas.

Range, Dry Cim-
arron and Beaver
creek, I. T.

Ear mark, crop and
split left, under slope
right.

Horse brand same
as cut, left shoulder.

Wm. THOMPSON



Postoffice address,
Zulu, Hansford Co.,
Texas.

Range, Dry Cim-
arron and Beaver
Creek, I. T.

Ear mark, over
half crop left.

WM. S. BROWN.



Postoffice address,
West Las Animas,
Colorado.

Ear mark, crop
and under bit left,
crop right.

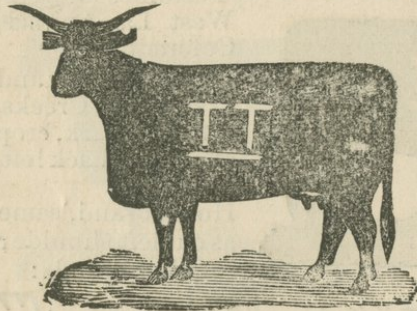
Range, Dry Cim-
arron and Beaver
creek I. T.

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Brands Western Kansas Ass'n.

B. F. TATUM.



Postoffice address,
Zomora or Kins-
ley, Kas.

Range, south of
Coolidge, on Colo-
rado and Kansas
line, on Bear creek.

B. F. Tatum,
Manager.

Other brands and
marks: **G** on left side and hip; also **3** on left hip.
L on left side or hip. **3** on left side or hip.
D on left side. Also **U** on left side. **U** on left
side. **H** on left hip. **U** on either side or left
hip; some dewlaped. **SC** on left hip or thigh; tag in
left ear. Brand and mark on all increase as follows:
TT on both sides; each ear cropped and overbit in
left. Horse brand: **TT** on left thigh.

Steele Bros., Woodward, Warren & Co.



Postoffice address,
Odee.

Range, Crooked
Creek, with the C. &
C. C. Cattle Co.

C. E. Woodward,
Manager.

Crop right, split
the left.

Same brand both
hips.

Other brands and marks: **S-h** any place on
animal; **B-O** any place on animal; **7** left hip.
Brand and mark on all increase, same as cut.
Horse brand: **L+** left shoulder.

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S. C. TYLER.

Postoffice address,
Zulu, Hansford Co.,
Texas.

Range, Headwa-
ters Palo Duro.

Other brands and

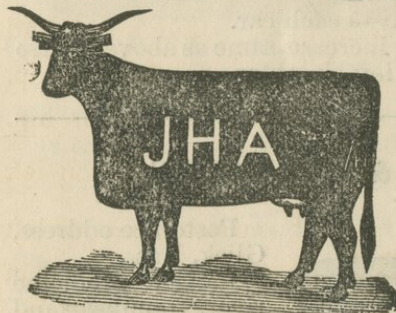
marks, **CH** on
left side; ear mark,
crop right, two over

bits left. **(CH)**

on left side; ear
mark, crop right,
two over bits left.

V on left side
and hip; ear mark,
crop and under half
crop right, sharp

left. **TIN** on left

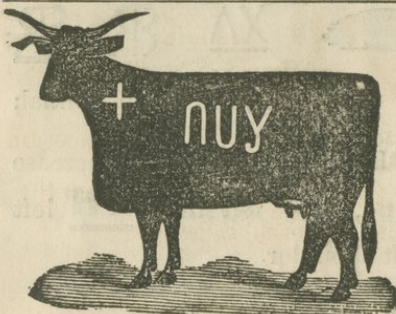


side, various ear marks. **OHO** anywhere on ani-
mal, various ear marks. These brands are part of

JHA brand, and all increase of same are branded **JHA**
on left side; ear mark, crop and under half crop each
ear. Brand and mark on all increase as follows:

All increase of **VZ** cattle are branded same as in
cut; ear mark, crop and under bit right, under slope
the left. **JHA** same as in cut. Horse brand, **VZ**

on left hip. Horses belonging to **JHA** brand have
N on right shoulder.



A. M. YOUNG.

Postoffice address,
Camp Supply, I. T.

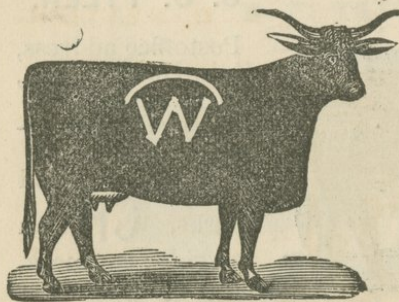
Range, with Spen-
cer & Drew, on the
Y range.

Brand and mark
on all increase, same
as in cut.

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Brands Western Kansas Ass'n.



R. M. WRIGHT.

Postoffice address,
Dodge City, Kas.
Range, Fort Dodge
military reservation.
John Folley,
Manager.
Other brands and
marks: W on both

sides of animal and split in each ear.

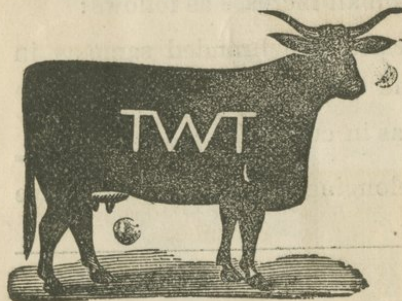
Brand and mark on all increase. same as above. Horse
brand, same as cut, on left shoulder.

WATSON & FULLINGTON.



Postoffice address,
Glick, Kas.
Range, Medicine
river, Thompson and
other creeks, in Co-
manche county.

J. T. Sidener,
Foreman.
Other brands and
marks:



TH TH WK

WK 55 ZZ

3 MF HU

XΛ ER ER

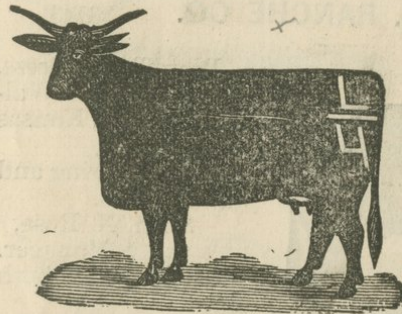
AK AK VX 77 anywhere on animal;

also 4D on right side. Brand and mark on all increase
as on cut. Horse brand, TWT left hip. TH left
hip or thigh. 55 left shoulder.

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A. D. WETTICK.

Postoffice address,
Cimarron.

Range, north side
Arkansas river, east
line Finney county,
Kas.

A. D. Wettick,
Manager.

Other brands and
marks:

L E M J N S on left hip. Marked, crop and
swallowfork left ear. Brand and mark on all increase
same as old stock. Horse brand: **—** left hip.



J. T. WETTICK.

Postoffice address,
Cimarron.

Range, north side
Arkansas river, east
line Finny Co.

A. D. Wettick,
Manager.

Crop and swal-
low fork right ear.

RAFFERTY CATTLE CO.



Postoffice address,
Garden City, Kas.

Range, Clear Lake
and North Fork
Pawnee.

C. B. Wiser, Man-
ager.

Part of left horn
sawed, slit in left ear.

Other brands and
marks:

V W on right side; **L** on left hip; **X** on left hip;
Part left horn sawed, (our present mark), slit in left
ear. Horse brand: same as cut. on left shoulder.

W. L. RANCHE CO.



Postoffice address,
rooms 2 and 3 Wal-
worth block, Kansas
City, Mo.

Range, Spring and
Sand creeks.

Shed. N. Rose,
Manager.

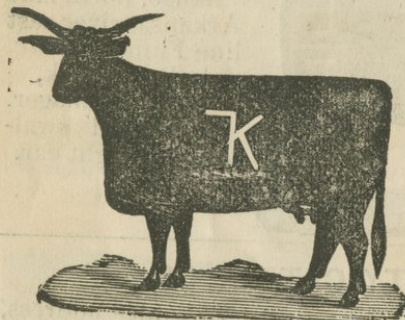
Same brand both
sides.

Other brands and

marks, **U-L** on left side. **R** **P** any place
on animal. Brand and mark on all increase as follows:

WL on either or both sides. Horse brand **wL**

WASHITA CATTLE CO.



Postoffice address,
St. Louis, Mo.

Range, Wolf creek,
Panhandle, Texas.

F. B. York, general
manager.

Frank Biggers, Fore-
man.

Underslope the
right. crop the left.

Other brands and
marks:

K on any part of animal; **K** on left side, and

7 on left jaw; **A** on left side. Various marks;

A **V** on left side; **G** on left side, also on left thigh;

D on left neck, side and hip; **SA** on left side and

S on left jaw. Brand and mark on all increase as

follows: **K** left side; **7** left jaw. Marked, under-
slope right; crop the left. Horses branded same as
cut, on left hip.

WASHITA CATTLE CO.



Postoffice address,
St. Louis Mo.

Range, Wolf Creek,
Pan Handle, Texas.

Other brands and
marks:

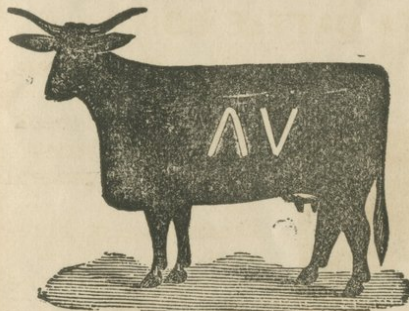
Z on left side;
same brand on both
sides; **H** on left

side; **Mc** on either or both sides; **A** on left side.

Brand and mark on all increase as follows: **K**
on left side and **7** on left jaw.

Overslope the right; underslope the left ear.

WASHITA CATTLE CO.



Postoffice address,
St. Louis, Mo.

Range. Washita
river, (Cheyenne
and Arapahoe leased
lands.)

F. B. York, Gen'l
Manager.

Wm. Ragland,
Foreman.

Other brands and marks: **AV** on left side, or any
part of animal. Horses branded same as cut, on left
thigh.

FORD COUNTY LAND & CATTLE CO.



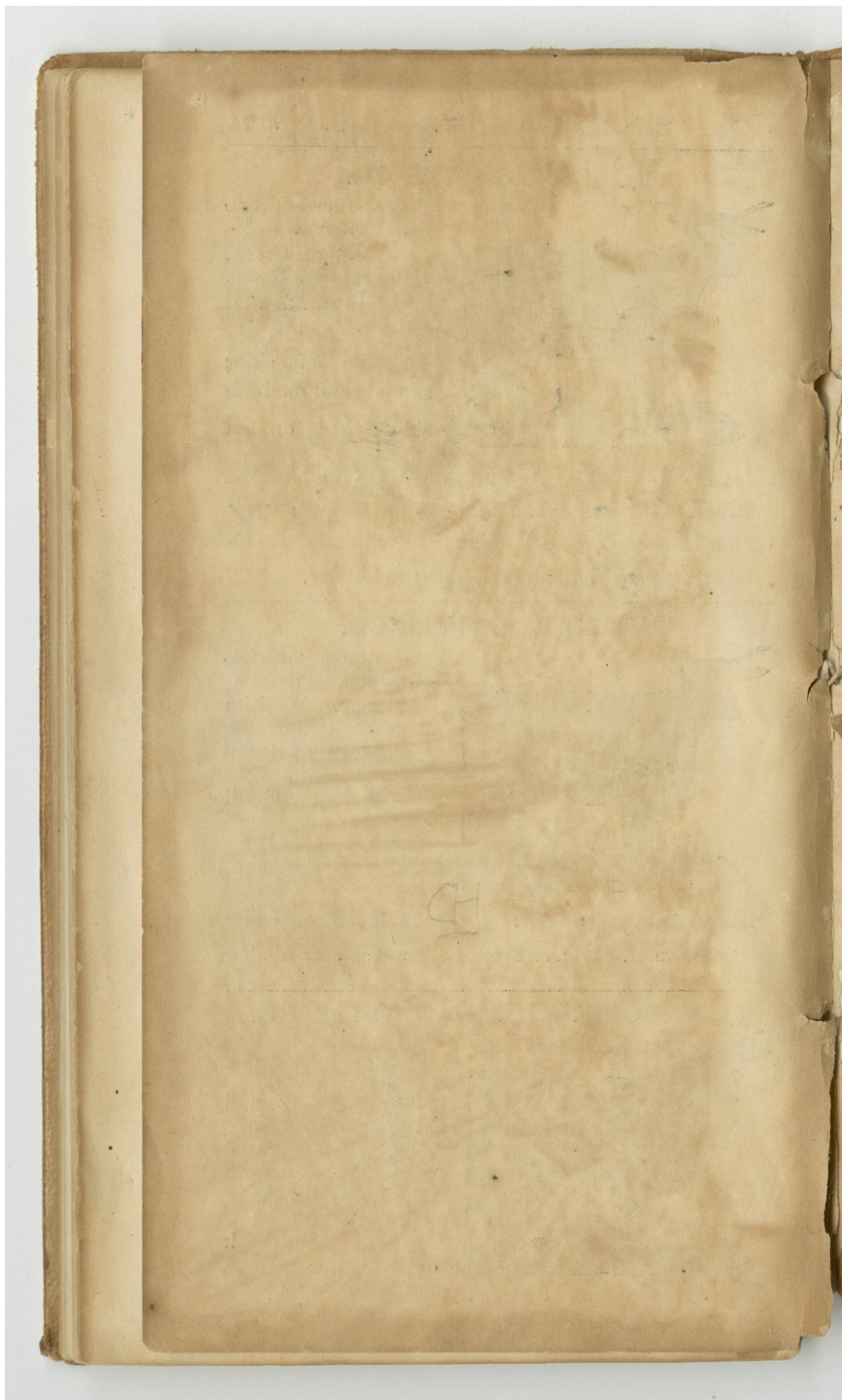
Postoffice address,
Dodge City, Kas.

Range, South and
North sides Arkansas
river; 5 miles east
of Dodge.

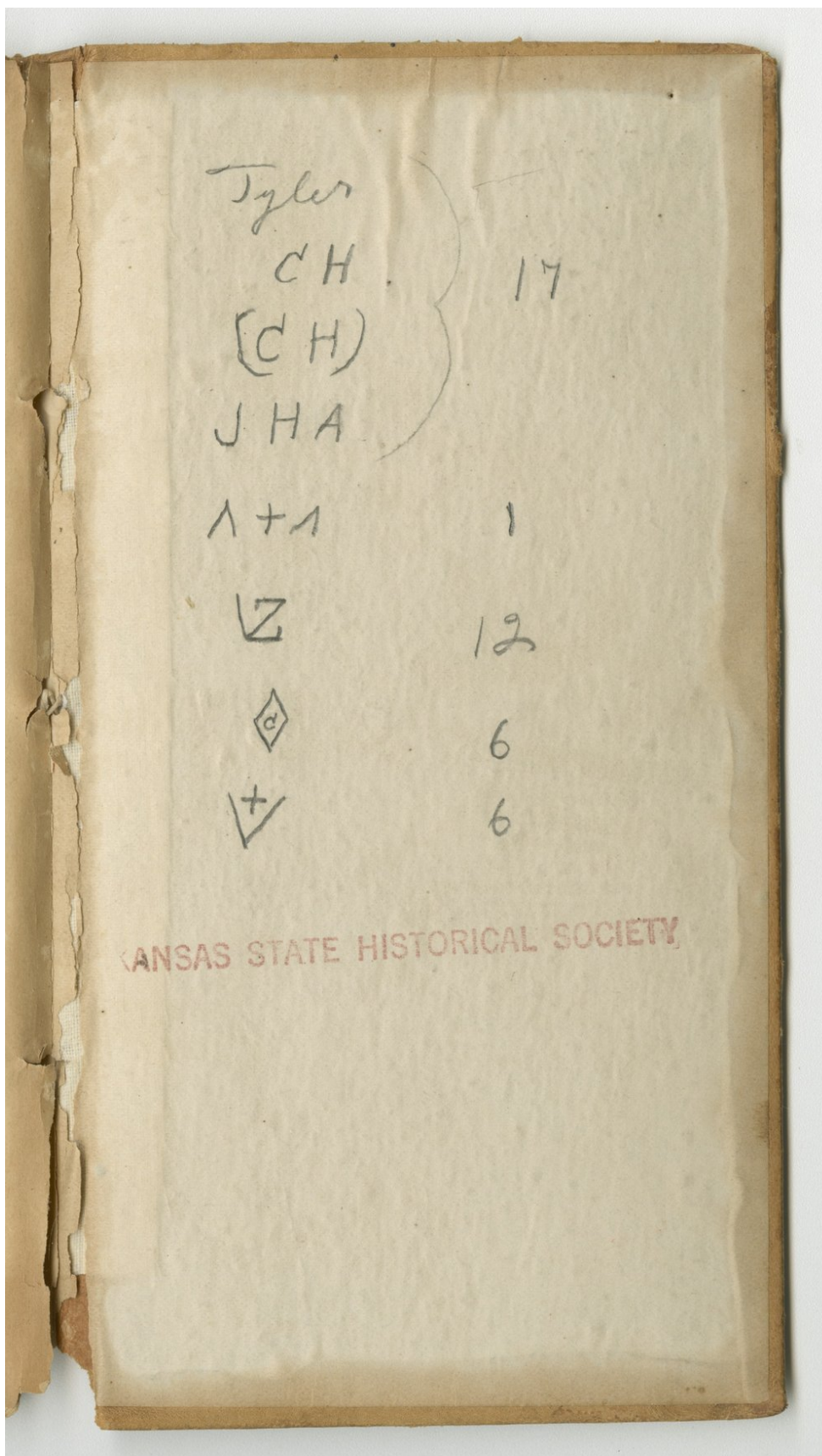
J. H. Wright, Man-
ager.

Brand and mark
on all increase as
on cut. Horse brand: same as cut, on left thigh.

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