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**Roan Brothers**  
Woodlake Neb  
John Roan's private mark, slit in left ear

**WILLIAM WILSON**  
Postoffice address  
Kilgore Neb  
Two half circles on left hip and left side of neck. Horses same on left shoulder. Some cattle branded

**C S WILLIAMS**  
Postoffice address  
Gallop, Nebraska  
On left side; also W on left hip; also W on side and S on hip; horses S on left jaw  
Range—Eight miles south of Gallop

**JOE ROOKS JR.**  
Postoffice address  
Allen S D  
On left side; horses same on left jaw  
Range—Bear Creek

**F. T. Brackett**  
Niego, Nebr.  
Brand Registered No 1490  
Brand right side or hip  
Horses same on right shoulder  
Range, Niobrara 6 miles south of Kilgore

**Nebraska Land and Feeding Co.**  
Bartlett Richards Pres Will G Comstock, V. P.  
Chas C Jamison Secy  
Cattle branded on any part of animal; also the following brands:

**DAN WEBSTER**  
Postoffice address  
Harlan, Nebraska  
On left side or hip; horses branded same left shoulder  
Range between Niobrara and Snake rivers, south of Merriman

**W. W. ANDERSON. J. C. ROUNDS**  
Anderson & Rounds.  
Simeon, Nebraska  
Cattle branded on left side as on cut; also 16 on left side with 2 on left hip of some cattle; also 16 on right side. Horses brand, rike and 16 on left shoulder or hip.  
Home ranch—on Dewey Lake. Range on Niobrara River, east of Fort Niobrara; also between Snake River and Simeon, known as the Felch range, all in Cherry County, Nebraska.

**O. J. Kellar**  
Brownlee Neb  
Range between Goose Creek and Loup

**Ecoffey & Sons.**  
Merriman, Neb.  
Cattle branded MV on left side and right ear; also ears clipped both ends and JC on right hip and C on right jaw. Underbit on right ear and on right side.  
Range—MT side.  
Horses branded JC on left hip and FE on left shoulder and T on left hip. Range—Between Pass Creek and southern part of the reservation and Wakipine Lake.

**ALONZO HEATH**  
Postoffice address  
Cody, Nebraska  
On left side. Horses left shoulder.  
Range north of Curcomb Lake

**E E AND H E WOODRUFF**  
Postoffice address  
Hyannis, Neb  
On left hip and left side. Also stock branded on left side and reversed S on right shoulder; also right hip and left side.  
Range—23 miles north of Hyannis

**W E STANSBIE AND D O BAUGH**  
Postoffice address  
Hyannis, Neb  
On left hip and left side. Also on left hip and left side. Horses same on shoulders.  
Range—23 miles north of Hyannis

**Henry Pratt**  
Rosebud S. D.  
Left side  
Horses same on left shoulder  
Fourhorn clip on some cattle

**MILLS BROS.**  
Merriman, Nebr.  
Cattle and horses branded on left side or shoulder.  
Brand registered 1091.  
Range—12 miles southwest of Merriman on the Niobrara river.

**WM ERICKSON**  
Postoffice address  
Kennedy, Neb  
On left side and hip; horses O or A on left jaw  
Range—two miles northwest Kennedy

**A J PLUMER**  
Postoffice address  
Hyannis, Neb  
Branded on right side and hip  
Also have stock branded on right side and hip  
Horses on right hip  
Range—Southwest in Cherry County.

**H V DOWNING**  
Postoffice address  
Gregory, Neb  
On left side; also COLE on side  
Range—Stevenson Lake

**G. W. BEAMER.**  
Gordon, Nebr.  
Cattle branded on left side as in cut. 6-inch box and 2 1/2-inch circle. Brand registered 875.  
Horse branded on left side with 1-inch circle, 1-inch line, and 1-inch line.  
Registered 876. Range—6 miles south of Irwin on Niobrara river.

**Morgareidge & Son**  
Simeon Neb  
As on cut, or 13 or 14 on left hip with hole in right ear when under 2 years old; horse same as cut and 13  
Range—Gordon creek and Niobrara river

**Talbot & Gallop**  
Seneca Neb  
Horses branded on left side  
Range between Middle Loup and Dismal

**J. W. Burleigh**  
Valentine Neb  
Cattle and horses branded same as cut on left side. Range between Gordon and Snake creeks and on the Niobrara

**C. W. Bennett**  
Simeon Neb  
Stock branded with 7 on left hip also same as cut. Range between Gordon and Snake creeks and on the Niobrara river

**WALT HARDY.**  
Postoffice address  
Seneca, Neb  
Left side on cattle; horses, left shoulder also on left side.  
Range—Middle Loup.

**DAVID COTTIER.**  
Allen, S. D.  
On left side; right ear split.  
Horses C way down on hip.  
Range—Little White River.

**G H SEAGER**  
Postoffice address  
Cody, Nebraska  
Cattle branded as on cut on left side, hip and shoulder; horses same  
Range, Snake Creek

**U. G. Criger.**  
Merriman, Neb.  
Brand registered No. 1087.  
Brand as cut on left side.  
Range—10 miles south of Merriman on the Niobrara.

**FRANK MOGLE**  
Postoffice address  
Cody, Nebraska  
On either side of cattle  
Herdmark—left ear clipped and right ear split; horses branded same on left shoulder.  
Range on Niobrara and Medicine Canyon

**Geo. H. Hill**  
Gallop Neb  
Range 10 miles  
Merriman

**Seth Gary.**  
Merriman, Nebr.  
On both side and hip. Herd mark, dewlap.  
Horses same on left shoulder.  
Range—Lake Creek and Little White River.

**George Gray**  
Thedford Neb  
Same as cut on left hip or AG on right hip or side  
Range Loup and Dismal

**D. L. Reed.**  
Cody, Nebr.  
Same as cut on right side of cattle.  
Horses same as cut on right shoulder.

**GEORGE DEPORE.**  
Postoffice address  
Rosebud, S D  
Cattle branded on left side same as cut. Horses branded on left side. Some on either shoulder. Some on either side.

**ALBERT WHIPPLE**  
Postoffice address  
Rosebud, S D  
Branded on left side. Some on either shoulder. Some on either side.

**FRANK ROTHEMUNNER**  
Postoffice address  
Kilgore, Neb  
Cattle branded on either side as on cut, same on hip  
Some on left side  
Some on right side

**W. D. MCGAUA**  
Creston, S. D.  
Left or either side of cattle; also V left side of neck. Swallow fork right ear, underbit left; right ear nubbed off; underbit left ear  
Some on left jaw and some wattle left jaw  
Other brands left side or right side  
Some branded as follows:  
A left side or shoulder; W left hip or shoulder; X left side or shoulder; Y left hip or shoulder.

**HERBERT O. BISONETTE, MANAGER.**  
Postoffice address  
Pine Ridge, S. D.  
Cattle branded as on cut. HOB on left side; some HOB on either side.  
Some on left side; some older stock anywhere on animal. Horses ER on left hip  
Range—Seven miles northwest of Pine Ridge, in Shannon Co

**Henry Young,**  
Cody, Nebraska  
Horse brand HY on left shoulder  
Cattle, right ear split  
Range, Little White River, S. D.

**W. E. Haley**  
Valentine Neb  
Brand registered No 200  
Range in Sharp's Ranch and German prebets 5 miles south of Kilgore

**J L ROSEBERRY**  
Postoffice address  
Pulman, Neb  
Branded on left hip; horses same as cut on left shoulder.  
Range—south and east of Brush Hill

**GENTRY, ABBOTT & MONAHAN**  
Postoffice address  
Hyannis, Neb  
Both on left side some stock branded on left hip; also N left side; also N left side; also N left side.  
Range—head Middle Loup

**J. J. Peck.**  
Cody, Nebr.  
On both sides.  
Horses CC on left thigh.  
Range—Head Pass Creek, S. D.

**JOHN SHANGRAN**  
Post office address  
Cody, Nebraska  
On left side  
Also on left side  
Horses JS on left shoulder  
Range between Cody and Lake Creek

**E F DEVINE**  
Postoffice address  
Merriman, Neb  
Branded on left side; horses same on left shoulder  
Range between Bear Creek and the Niobrara river, 9 mi S.E. of Merriman

**A T DAVIS**  
Post office address  
Hyannis, Neb  
On right side horses  
On left shoulder  
also cattle on right side  
Range 16 miles north of Hyannis

**C. Geo. Bowlus.**  
A. Ray Williams, Manager.  
Postoffice address  
Merriman, Nebr  
State brand.  
Cattle and horses OM on left side.  
Some have varnished older brands.  
Ear mark—Left ear clipped  
Range from F W & M. V. R. R. south to Leander Creek.  
C. GEO. BOWLUS, Scribner, Nebr.

**N. S. Rowley**  
Kennedy, Nebraska.  
Same as cut on left side and hip, and on left shoulder of horses. Also on left side of hip.  
H on right hip and F on left side.  
C on left hip of horses.  
W on left jaw and left shoulder of horses.  
C on left hip of horses.

**JOHN A LOGAN**  
Postoffice address  
Allen, S. D.  
On left shoulder and hip; some on left shoulder and left side. Ear-mark—left ear crop'd  
Range—Bear Creek

**CHARLES LONE WOLF**  
Postoffice address  
Allen S D  
On right side and shoulder. Horses same on right thigh  
Range—Bear Creek

**Hugh Bovill, Manager**  
Merriman Neb  
Also  
All on left side or hip  
Range north of El

**CHARLES LONG MAN**  
Postoffice address  
Allen S D  
On left side of cattle  
Range—Bear Creek

**A THOMPSON**  
Postoffice address  
Simeon Neb  
Stock brand same as cut on both sides around neck  
Range on W. Loup

**John Gresh.**  
Merriman, Neb.  
On both sides; some on right side and hip.  
Horses same without bar, left thigh.  
Range, Lake Creek and Little White River.

**Sandy Williams.**  
Merriman, Nebr.  
Mostly on left side. Some on right side.  
Horses same on left shoulder.  
Range—Lake Creek, S. D.

**Joseph Fickel**  
Gordon Neb  
Also on left hip  
Horse brand F on left shoulder  
Range 10 miles northeast of Gordon

**MARTIN RED BEAR.**  
Post office address  
Pine Ridge, S. D.  
On left side of horses  
Range—Wolf Creek.

**Strayed.**  
From my place two miles east of Crookston one black mare about nine years old, small white spot in forehead, collar marked, small white spot on back, fore top sheared and very little name weight about 1150. Liberal reward for information leading to her recovery.  
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**Monthly Meteorological Summary.**  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,  
WEATHER BUREAU.  
Valentine, Nebraska, month of June, 1901.

Date	TEMPERATURE.			Precipita tion.	Character of day.
	Max.	Min.	Mean.		
1	87	45	61	.16	pt cloudy
2	83	50	66	.01	pt cloudy
3	75	54	64	.18	pt cloudy
4	82	50	66	.01	pt cloudy
5	86	42	64	.0	clear
6	88	39	64	.0	clear
7	85	42	64	.0	pt cloudy
8	77	47	63	.0	pt cloudy
9	64	55	60	.0	cloudy
10	69	58	64	.0	cloudy
11	78	52	66	.31	cloudy
12	82	58	70	.04	cloudy
13	86	55	70	.132	cloudy
14	88	64	76	1.53	cloudy
15	71	48	60	.0	clear
16	78	51	64	.0	pt cloudy
17	73	54	64	.0	pt cloudy
18	84	56	70	.35	pt cloudy
19	82	55	68	1.80	clear
20	85	56	70	.0	clear
21	87	62	74	.0	clear
22	91	72	82	.0	clear
23	89	77	83	.0	clear
24	85	71	78	.0	clear
25	87	69	78	.0	cloudy
26	79	57	68	.0	clear
27	87	59	68	.0	cloudy
28	79	55	67	.0	clear
29	80	55	67	.0	clear
30	79	55	67	.0	clear
Mean	78.0	54.4	66.2		

Mean atmospheric pressure 29.73.  
Highest pressure 30.15 Date 7  
Lowest pressure 29.45, Date 24.  
Mean temperature 66.  
Highest temperature 97, date 23  
Lowest temperature 39, date 6th.  
Greatest daily range of temperature 37, date 29  
Least daily range of temperature 9, date 9th.  
Mean temperature for this month, 1880, 66; 1880, 65; 1881, 65; 1882, 64; 1883, 70; 1884, 70; 1885, 63; 1886, 68; 1887, 63; 1888, 68; 1889, 67; 1900, 71; 1901, 66.  
Mean temperature for this month for thirteen years 67.  
Average deficy of daily mean temperature during month 1.  
Accumulated excess since January 1st, 23.  
Prevailing direction of the wind S.  
Total movement of the wind 7600 miles.  
Maximum velocity of the wind, direction and date, 42 miles, W, 8th day.  
Total precipitation 755 inches.  
Number of days with .01 inch or more of precipitation 12.  
Total precipitation (in inches) for this month in 1880, 2.80; 1880, 3.00; 1881, 6.30; 1882, 4.32; 1883, 4.32; 1884, 2.37; 1885, 2.53; 1886, 4.43; 1887, 1.68; 1888, 2.11; 1889, 2.63; 1900, 1.24; 1901, 7.85  
Average precipitation for this month for 13 years 3.54 inches.  
Total excess in precipitation since Jan. 1st 1.21 inches.  
Accumulated excess in precipitation since January 1, 1.71 inches  
Number of clear days 13, partly cloudy days 11, cloudy days 7.  
Light none  
Heavy None.  
Killing, None.  
D. C. GRUNOW,  
Obs'r Weather Bureau.

**J R Wallingford**  
Kennedy, Neb.  
Cattle branded same as cut; also some branded UI on left hip.

**C. H. Little.**  
Merriman, Ne  
On either side of hip. Also BZ  
Range—Lake Creek S D

**Charles C. Tackett**  
Rosebud, S. D.  
Range head of Antelope near St. Marys mission  
Horses branded on left thigh

**Wm. Bordeaux.**  
P. O. Address, Rosebud, S. D.  
Brand—Same as cut on both sides of cattle.  
Range—Little White River

**H A BUCK**  
Postoffice address  
Hyannis, Neb  
Branded on left side  
Range eighteen miles north of Hyannis

**FRANK A GALLIGO**  
Postoffice address  
Manderson, S. D.  
Left side and on young stock. On stock ranged left side.  
Horses thigh left  
Range—Rock Springs Basin

**Robert Emery**  
Rosebud, S. D.  
Cattle branded on both sides. Horses on left thigh.  
Range on Cut Meal creek.

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Chop corn	... 80c	\$15.00 "
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