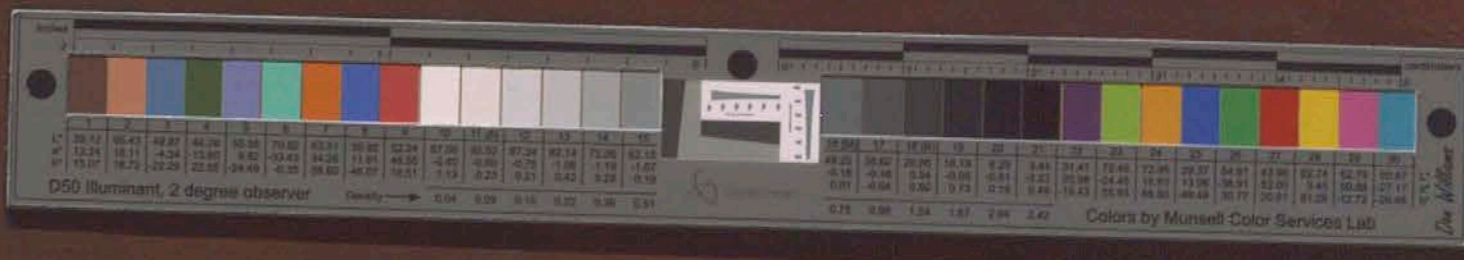




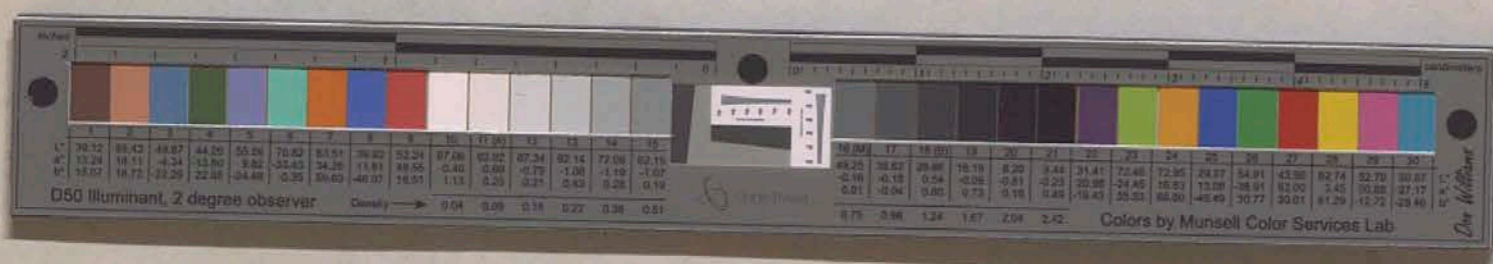
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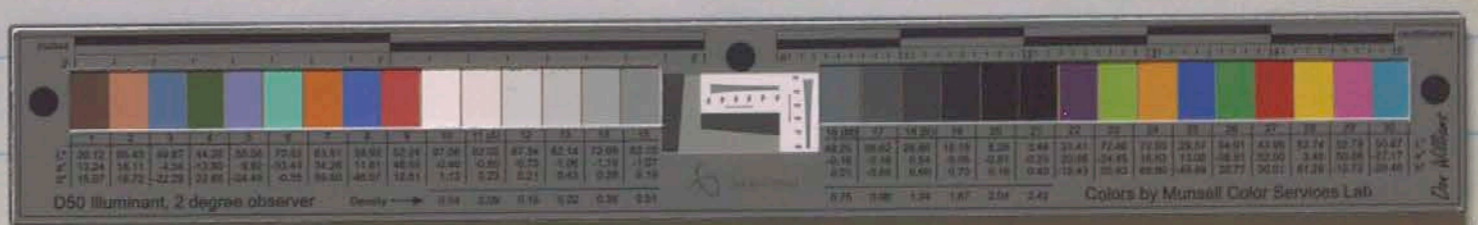
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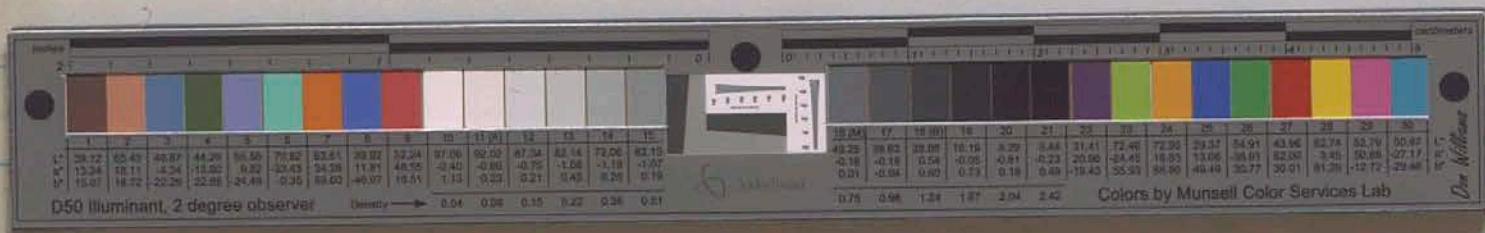
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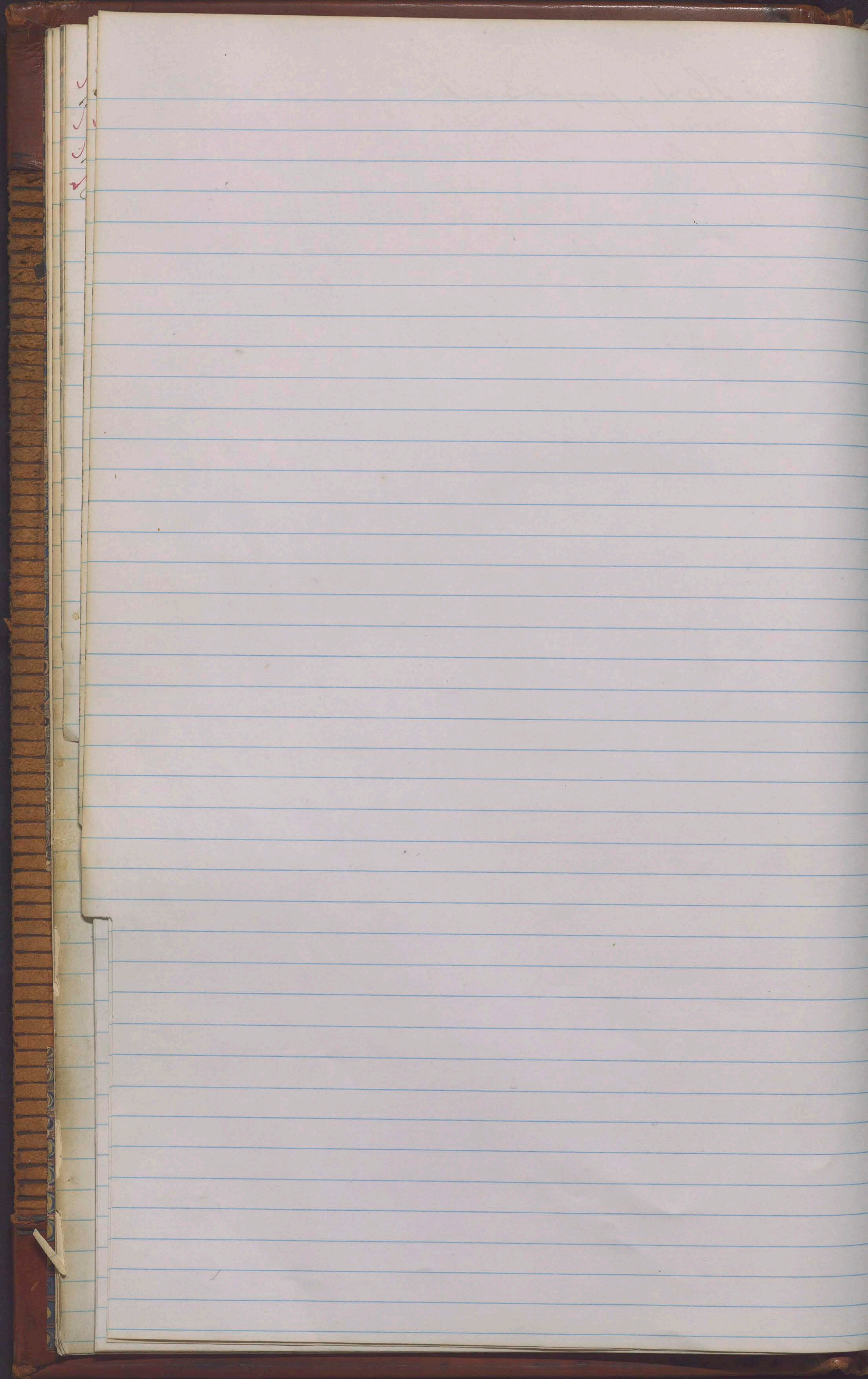
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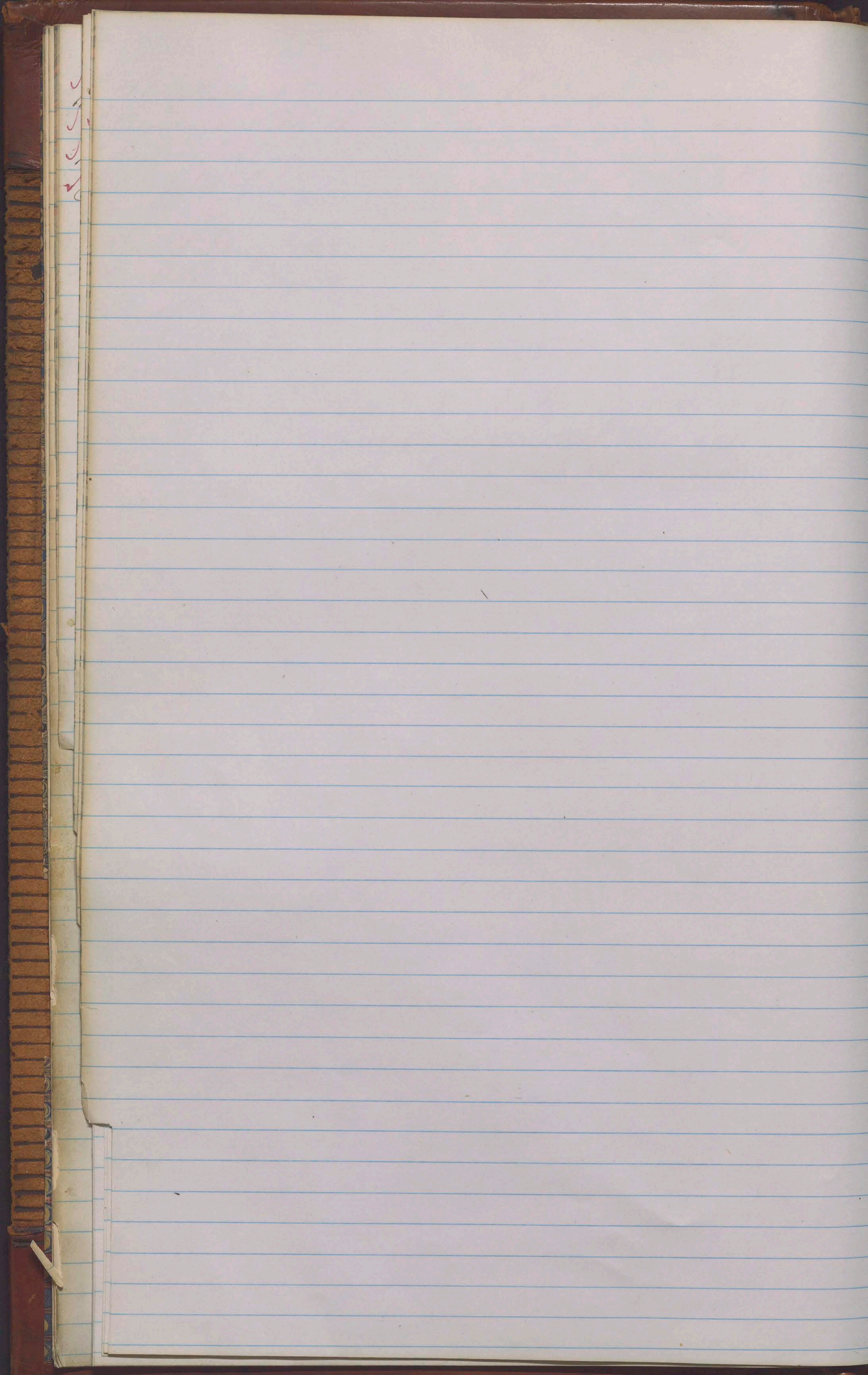


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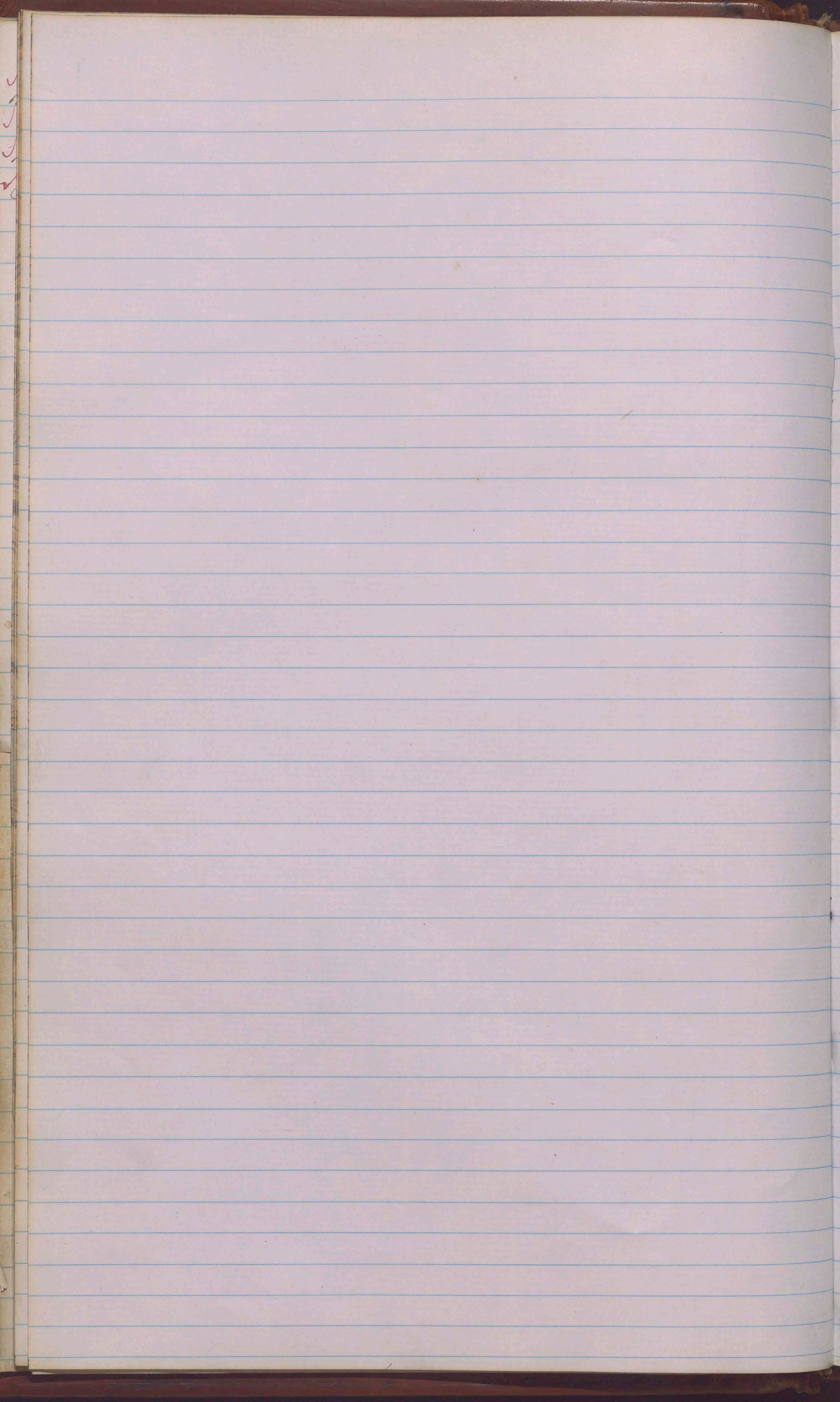


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✓ Joseph Garrison

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Nevada Territory
County of Washoe

I Joseph Garrison do solemnly swear that a certain Grey Mare is now running on my ranch described as follows about six years old and fifteen hands high with collar marks and branded H on her left hip and shoulder. That her brands have not been altered since she came to my premises this Mare has been on or about my Ranch since the 12th of May last and on the 20th of June I turned her in my Ranch and now proceed to post her according to Law

Joseph M. Garrison

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 5th day of July A.D. 1862

E. B. Fowl P.P.

Recorded July 12th 1862 at 6 O'clock P.M.

W. F. Riddle County Recorder

✓ Joseph Garrison

Nevada Territory
County of Washoe

I Joseph Garrison do solemnly swear that a Bay pony with saddle marks of a midling size branded F on the left hip very dark has been running in and about my Ranch since the 12th of May last and has been on the Ranch all the time since the 20th day of June last. That his brands has not been altered since he came to my Ranch. I hereby proceed to post him according to Law

Joseph M. Garrison

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
5th day of July A.D. 1862

E. B. Fowl P.P.

Filed for Record July 12th 1862 at 6 O'clock P.M.

W. F. Riddle

County Recorder

Joseph Garrison

Territory of Nevada }
County of Washoe }

I Joseph Garrison do solemnly swear that a certain Sore Horse with a white stripe in his face with two white hind feet and one white fore foot age unknown is running on my Ranch described as follows branded **WG** on the left hip has been on my Ranch since 23rd day of June last said Horse came thru with a band of Horses driven up by Grant of Carson City. That the brand on this Horse has not been altered since he came to my Ranch I hereby proceed to post him according to Law.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 5th day of July A.D. 1862

E. B. Foub J.P.

Filed for Record July 12th A.D. 1862 at 6 O'clock
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R. F. Riddle County Recorder

Joseph M. Garrison } Territory of Nevada }
Estrays } County of Washoe }

I Joseph M. Garrison do solemnly swear that the following Stray animals are on my ranch to wit:
One Grey mare with red ears branded thus **W** on the left hip and shoulder with a white stud colt a year old
And one white mare branded with **A** on the left hip with a mare colt a year old of a mouse color
And one mare branded **AK** with white feet and face and of a light bay color and has a young colt And by this act I do now

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proceed to post them according to
law. All of the animals herein described
came to my premises on or about the
23^d day of June 1862. And the brands
on none of these animals has been altered
since they came to my Ranch
So help me God

Joseph M. Garrison
Subscribed and sworn to before me
this the 14 day of July A.D. 1862.

E. B. Fowle J.P. Franktown
Filed for Record July 23rd at 11 O'clock
A.M. 1862.

R. F. Riddle County Recorder

H. L. Perkins }

Taken up as strays by H. L.
Perkins, living two miles south of Frank Town
County of Washoe Territory of Nevada and
posted before me a justice of the peace
of said county, one yoke of strays oxen
described as follows one a speckled stag
branded DYER vented on left horn flesh brand
but not discernable supposed to be six years
old one red five year old ox branded
vented on left horn flesh brand but not
discernable came to the said Perkins about
the first of June 1862. Appraised by George
Seitz & R. D. Sides. Described as follows one
alone back speckled ox white belly. Branded
thus DYER left horn about six or eight years
old & E A I flesh brands but not discernable
one red seven year old ox supposed to be about
that old branded K & L = DYER on left
horn flesh brands but not discernable
Apprais described and valued at \$120.00 by the
above Seitz and Sides. This the 19th day
of November A.D. 1862. This is to certify
that the above is a true statement of the color
marks and brands appraised value of the.

above yolk of Owens as taken from my
 Estray Book this the 28th day of November
 A.D. 1862. Elias Owens J.P. of Precinct No. 1

Recorded at the request of Elias Owens
 on the 28th Nov. A.D. 1862 at 8.0 clock P.M.
 P. E. Shannon
 County Recorder

✓ J. M. Garretson

Taken as stray by Joseph M.
 Garretson living 3 miles South of Frank Town
 and posted before Elias Owens a justice of the
 Peace in and for the County of Washoe and
 Territory of Nevada on this the 4th day of March
 1863 one white mare with glass eyes saddle
 marked no brands perceivable no alteration has
 been made in the marks since she came to my
 premises to the best of my knowledge came to my
 premises about the 22 day of February 1863
 Signed J. M. Garretson Subscribed and sworn
 to before me this the 4th day of March A.D. 1863

Elias Owens J.P. pre nol
 Appraised at \$40, by G. H. Pierce D.A. Knot and
 described as follows one white mare with glass
 eyes about six years old no marks or brands
 about 14 hands high appraised this the 4th
 day of March 1863

This is to certify the above is a full descrip-
 -tion of the above mare as given to me and now
 on my Estray Book this the 9th day of March
 1863

Elias Owens J.P.
 Filed for record at the request of E. Owens 12th
 March A.D. 1863 at 6 P.M.
 P. E. Shannon
 County Recorder

✓ J. M. Garretson

Taken up by J. M. Garretson living 3 miles south of Frank Town County of Washoe and Territory of Nevada and posted before me an undersigned Justice of the Peace of said County on this the 4th day of March 1863 one light bay mare mule supposed to be six years old Saddle or a perahue marks above named Garretson by one being duly sworn Say the above described mule came to his premises about the 22 day of February and further the marks or brand have not been altered since they came to his Ranch to the best of his knowledge

J. M. Garretson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 4 day of March 1863 Elias Owens J. P. No 1 Appraised at \$40 by H. O. Pierce and D. A. Kneals and described as being crippled in the fore feet Saddle marks about 14 hands high five or six years old appraised on the 4 day of March 1863 This is to certify the above is a full description of the above mule as taken from my Estray Book March 9th 1863

Elias Owens J. P.

Filed for record at the request of Elias Owens 13th March 1863 at 6 P.M.

P. C. Shannon
County Recorder

✓ G. Bryan

Taken up as estray by G. Bryan at his residence two miles South of Frank Town on the main road leading from Carson to Washoe City County of Washoe and Territory of Nevada and posted before me a undersigned Justice of the Peace of said County on this 20 day of March 1863 one bay or brown mare mule described as follows Saddle marks and collar mark on both Shoulders some white above left eye slit in left ear supposed to be 10 or 15 years old Came to the aforesaid premises about the first day of September and has been in my possession since about the 5 of January and

further the mark or brands have not been altered since she has been in my possession to the best of my knowledge. Signed B. Bryan
 Subscribed and sworn to this the day and year first above written Elias Owens

Justice of the Peace
 Appraised at \$35 by Morris Dick and Philip Condon and described as follows some Saddle marks and collar mark Spanish brand on left hip (signed) Morris Dick
 Philip Condon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the day and year first above written Elias Owens
 J. P.

This is to certify that the above is a full description given to me of the above described mule and the appraised value thereof as taken from my stray Book this the 26 day of March 1863
 Elias Owens J. P.

Filed for Record at the request of E. Owens on 26th March 1863

P. C. Shannon,
 County Recorder

D. A. Mass

Take up as Stray by D. A. Mass at his Ranch four miles South of Frank Town County of Washoe and Territory of Nevada Posted before me a Justice of the Peace of said County on this the 4th day of April A. D. 1863 One Bay horse supposed to be Six years old Described as follows Branded O on left hip Right hind foot White some white on the nose Saddle mark & came to the above name premises about one year been in my possession since the 20 of March 1863 and further the mark or brands have not been altered since he came to my premises to the best of my knowledge Signed D. A. Mass
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 4 day April 1863 Elias Owens J. P.

appraised at \$40 by J. M. Ganetson and George Clark this the 4th and year just above written and Described as above This is to be testify the above as a full Discription as give to me by them this the 13th Day of Apr. 1863
Elias Owens J. P.

Recorded at the request of E. Owens on 14th April A.D. 1863 at 9 A.M.
P. C. Shannon,
County Recorder

✓ D. A. Knass

Taken up by D. A. Knass at his Ranch four miles South of Frank Town County of Washoe and Territory of Nevada and Posted before me a justice of the peace of said County this the 4th day April A.D. 1863 one horse Colt. white feet Blase face collar brown about one year old The marks have not been altered since he came to my premises to the best of my knowledge Signed D. A. Knass Signed an. Sworn to this the Day and year just above written Elias Owens J. P. p. No 1
Appraised at \$5 by J. M. Ganetson and Geo-ge Clark this the 4th day of April 1863 and Described as above This is to certify the above is a full Discription and appraisal as give me and take from my estray Book this the 13th day of April 1863
Elias Owens J. P. p. No 1

Recorded at the request of E. Owens on 14th April A.D. 1863 at 9 A.M.
P. C. Shannon
County Recorder

✓ D. A. Knass

Taken up as estray by D. A. Knass at his Ranch four miles South of Frank Town County of Washoe and Territory of Nevada and Posted before me a justice of the peace of said County on this the 4th day of April A.D. 1863 one clay banked mare and Described as

follows Brand A. B. on left Shoulder left
hind foot white Saddle mark star in forehead
Came to the above named premises about
the 20 day of March 1863 and the mark
and Brand have not been altered since
they came to my premises to the best of my
knowledge Signed D. A. Mass Subscribed
and sworn to this the 4 day of April A.D. 1863
appraised at \$60 ^{Elias Owens J.P. pro no 1} by J. M. Garretson and George
George Clark on the 4 day of April 1863 and
Described as above This is to certify the
above is a true description as taken from
my Estray book and as given me by them
this the 13 day of April 1863

Elias Owens J.P. pro no 1
Recorded at the request of E Owens
on 4th April A.D. 1863 at 9 A.M.
P. E. Shannon
County Recorder

J. M. Garretson

Taken up as Estray by J. M. Garretson
son Residences 4 1/2 miles South East of Franktown
County of Washoe and Territory of Nevada and
Posted before me a Justice of the Peace of said
County on this the 14 day of May A.D. 1863.
Described as follows to wit one Black Horse
with base face saddle marks his feet all
white Branded Thus P.O. on the left stifel
joint came to the above premises about the
8 day of May 1863 and the marks and brands
have not been altered since he has been in my
possession to the best of my knowledge.

Signed J. M. Garretson
Subscribed and sworn to before me this the
14 day of May 1863

Elias Owens J.P.
and appraised under oath at \$60 Dollars by
John Rochenow and Erwin Williams this the
14 day of May 1863

This is to certify the above is a full description

and appraise value as given me and take from
my Estray Book this the 22 day of May A.D. 1863.

Elias Owens, J.P.

Recorded at the request of E. Owens on 23 May
1863 at 1 P.M.

P. E. Shannon,
County Recorder

J. M. Garretson

Taken up as Estray by J. M.
Garretson and posted before me a Justice of
the Peace in and for the County of Washoe
and Territory of Nevada on this the 24 day
of May A.D. 1863 one brown or bay mare no
brands of (blaze) or star in forehead snip on
nose hind feet white the marks have not
been altered since she came to my premises
was take in my possession about the 8 day
of May 1863 since that time she has brought
a fold or (colt) Signed

J. M. Garretson
and appraised at \$50 - Dollars under
oath by John Ronchourner and Edwin
Williams on the 14 day of May 1863

This is to certify the above is a full descrip-
tion give me and the appraised value of
the above mare as take from my Estray
Book. this the 22 day of May 1863

Elias Owens, J.P.

Recorded at the request of E. Owens on 23rd
May 1863 at 1 P.M.

P. E. Shannon
County Recorder

William R. Musgrove

Taken up as Estrays by William
R. Musgrove Residence two miles South of Franktown
County of Washoe and Territory of Nevada and Posted
before me a Justice of the Peace in and for said County
on this the Eleventh Day of Jun A.D. 1863 two Mares and
three Colts Described as follows One a Dark Dapple
Gray Mair Seven or Eight years old pony built Spanish
brand on Right Stifel All of the above Horse and colts
came to the above Ranch about the 20 day of May last

and the marks or brands have not been altered
 Since they came to my Premises to the best of my
 knowledge and they were taken up on my Ranch

Signed

W. R. Musgrove

Sworn and Subscribed to before me this the 11
 Day of June A.D. 1863.

Elias Owens J.P. No. 1.

Appraised at \$40 by J. M. Garretson and Robert L.
 Thompson and Described as above on the Day and
 year first above mentioned

Elias Owens J.P. No. 1.

Recorded at the request of E. Owens on 19 June 1863 at 3 P.M.
 P. C. Shannon County Recorder

Also one Sorrel mare with white face one white fore
 and hind foot no brand or marks no alteration made
 in the hair since she came to my ranch to the
 best of my knowledge and she was taken up on my
 premises.

Signed

W. R. Musgrove

Sworn and Subscribed to before me this the 11
 Day of June 1863 (Elias Owens J.P.)

Apprais at \$50. by J. M. Garretson and R. L. Thompson
 and Described as above on the 11 day of June A.D.
 1863.

Elias Owens J.P.

Recorded at the request of E. Owens 19 June at 3 P.M.

P. C. Shannon

County Recorder

One Sorrel mare colt with blaze in the face one
 year old the fore feet white and right hind foot
 Came to the described premises the time as first
 written, there has been no alteration in the mark
 line it came to my premises to the best of my
 knowledge and she was taken up on my premises
 about the 20 of May last.

Signed

W. R. Musgrove

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the Eleventh
 day of June A.D. 1863.

Elias Owens J.P.

Appraised at \$30. by J. M. Garretson and R. L. Thompson
 and described as above on the 11 day of June 1863

Elias Owens, J.P.
 Recorded at the request of E Owens on 19th June 1863
 at 3 P.M. P.E. Shannon
 County Recorder

Also one brown two year old mare left hind foot
 white no brands no alteration made in the colt
 since she came to my premises to the best of my
 knowledge came to my premises about the 20
 of May last and was take up on the same place
 and day. Signed W.R. Musgrove.
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 11 Day of
 Jun A.D. 1863

Elias Owens J.P.
 Appraised at \$30 by J.M. Garretson and R.L. Thompson
 on this the Eleventh day of Jun A.D. 1863
 Elias Owens

Recorded at the request of E Owens Esq
 on 19th June 1863 at 3 P.M. P.E. Shannon
 County Recorder

Also one Bay or brown two year old Mare colt
 no brands or marks Discernible came to my
 premises about the 20 of May last there has been
 no alteration made with the animal to the
 best of my knowledge said colt was taken up
 on my Raneth at the time and place described
 Signed W.R. Musgrove.
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 11
 Day of Jun A.D. 1863

Elias Owens J.P.
 Appraised at \$30 by J.M. Garretson and R.L.
 Thompson and Described as above on this the
 11 Day of Jun 1863
 Elias Owens, J.P.

This is to certify that I have give a full description and appraised
 value of the five head of horses as give to me on the Eleventh day of
 Jun 1863. This the 19 day of Jun 1863.

Elias Owens J.P.
 Recorded at request of E Owens on 19th June 1863 at 3 P.M.
 P.E. Shannon. County Recorder

J. M. Garretson

Take up by J. M. Garretson and posted before me this the first day of July 1863 one head Red Ox Described as follows branded Dire banded on left horn DIRE Right horns of bob tail F. B. 10 on left hip flesh brand on right hip came to my premises on the 25 of June 1863 and the marks and brands have not been altered since he came to my premises to the best of my knowledge he was taken up on my premises

Signed J. M. Garretson.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 1 day of July A. D. 1863.

Elias Owens, J. P.

Appraised at 75 Dollars by William Sides and A. Melvin and Described as above on this the 15 day of July 1863

Recorded at request of E. Owens on 11 July 1863 at 6 1/2 P. M.

J. M. Garretson

Taken up as Estrays by J. M. Garretson on the 21 day of June 1863 and posted before me a Justice of the Peace in and for the County of Washoe and Territory of Nevada 3 head of work Oxen Described as follows. One a pale Red about seven years old branded W. O. on Right horn A. B. on Right hip Double brass on the end of horns came to my premises about the 28 day of June 1863 and the marks and brand have not been altered since he came to my premises to the best of my knowledge and he was taken up on my premises.

Signed J. M. Garretson.

Subscribed and sworn to on this the 1 day of July 1863 before me a Justice of the Peace

Elias Owens, J. P.

Appraised at 75 Dollars by William Sides and A. Melvin the day and year first above written and Described as above.

Signed

William Sides

A. Melvin

Recorded at request of E. Owens on 11 July 1863

at 6 1/2 P.M.

P. E. Shannon,
County Recorder

Taken up by J. M. Garretton and posted before me this the first day of July 1863 one deep red
Or Discribed as follows banded Dire banded on
left horn DIRE Right him of bob tail F.R.T.O
G.L. on left hip flesh brand on right hip came
to my premises on the 25 of June 1863 and the
marks and brands have not been altered
since he came to my premises to the best of my
knowledge he was taken up on my premises
Signed J. M. Garretton.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 1 Day
of July A.D. 1863.

Elias Owens, J.P.

Appraised at 75 Dollars (by William Sides
and A. Melvin and Discribed as above on this
the 15 day of July 1863.

Recorded at request of E. Owens on 11 July 1863 at 6 1/2 P.M.

P. E. Shannon,

County Recorder

Taken up as Estray by J. M. Garretton at
his Ranch on the 17 day of June 1863 and posted be-
fore me a Justice of the Peace in and for the county
of Washoe and Territory of Nevada One Red and
White Spotted Ox about 10 years old banded
K.A. on left horn and heart on left shoulder
came to my premises about the 21 day of June
and the marks and brands have not been
altered to the best of my knowledge. Signed
J. M. Garretton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the
1 Day of July A.D. 1863

Elias Owens, J.P.

and Appraised at 65 Dollars (by William Sides
and A. Melvin on this the 1 Day of July A.D.
1863.

This is to certify that I have give a full Dis-

creption of the three head of Oxen as post before
me by J. McGarrett the collar and marks and
brands as given to me by the appraisers and taken
up Franktown July the 10 1863

Elias Owens J.P.

Recorded at the request of E. Owens on 11 July 1863 at
6 1/2 P.M.

P. E. Shannon,
County Recorder

✓ Taken up as stray by Ross Lewers at his resi-
dence two miles South of Franktown and Posted
before me a Justice of the Peace in and for the
County of Washoe and territory of Nevada, One
Ox described as follows; A Medium size sup-
posed to be 8 years old, Red with white spots on
flank, belly and face. Came to the aforesaid prem-
ises about the first of July 1863, and branded
with ~~CT~~ on left rump an deponant further
says that said Ox was taken up on his premises
and the marks and brands had not been
altered to the best of the knowledge of the
taker up. Signed

Ross Lewers

Subscribed and sworn to wit the 17 day of
September A.D. 1863, before me a Justice of the
Peace

Elias Owens J.P.

And appraised at \$45 by James Davenport
and Nelson Souligny and described as above
this the 17 day of September, 1863.

This is to Certify that the above is a full
description as give me the valuation thereof
as is now on my estray book this the 22 day
of September A.D. 1863.

Elias Owens. J. P.

Recorded at Request of E. Owens Esq on 22 Sep
1863 at 5 P.M.

P. E. Shannon
County Recorder

Territory of Nevada }
 County of Washoe } ^{ss.} George C. Fisher being duly
 sworn deposes and says that a sorrell Horse. Ball
 face Branded J. C. on the left hip. Two white hind
 legs. Two white spots in the forehead about 7 years
 old. Came upon my premises about the 1st of Septem-
 ber and further that the Brands have not been
 altered since it came upon my premises,
 Subscribed and Sworn } George Fisher,
 to the 1st day of Dec A.D. 1863.

J. L. Bennett. Justice of Peace
 In the matter of the Estray
 Horse taken up by Fisher } We the undersign-
 ed the appraisers in this matter duly appoin-
 ted by J. L. Bennett Justice of the Peace of this
 County do Certify that on the 20th day of Nov-
 1863 we proceeded to view the said horse and
 we find him according to our best knowledge
 and judgment of the Value of Thirty dollars
 or thereabouts.

George W. Hepperly

James Winfrey

Recorded at Request of J. L. Bennett on 21. Jan'y
 1864 at 30. Min 2 P. M.

P. E. Shannon
 County Recorder

Description of Animals Estrayed and taken up by Theo Winters of Washoe Co. N.T.

- 2 White Spotted Oxen
- 1 Dun Cow "S" on right hip
- 1 Red " " " " " left "
- 1 " " White spotted do
- 1 " " " " Steer 4 years old
- 1 " " " " " Star in face 5 years
- 1 " " " " " Wht face 5 "
- 1 line backed " " Star in face 5 "
- 1 Dk Red " " " 4 "
- 1 Spotted Ox " " " 6 "
- 1 Wht Cow red neck
- 1 Roan " & Calf
- 1 Wht Fleifer
- 1 Red & Wht Cow & Calf
- 1 Brindle ox Wht face

The above described Animals came of the premises between the of Nov & 1st day of Jan and that the marks and Brands have not been altered since they came upon his premises

Subscribed and sworn } Theo. Winters
to Feb 6 A.D. 1864 } pr Geo J Saunders

In the matter of the } Washoe County N.T.
Estray Animals taken } District No. 2
up by Theodore Winters } J. L. Bennett, J.P.

Before me and made affidavit to certain Estray Animals found upon the Premises of T Winters in this District and which affidavit has been truly filed by me, I do hereby appoint Frank Mc Govern & Felix Stores appraisers they being resident householders of this County to appraise and describe said animals

Jesse L Bennett
Justice of the Peace

Winters Ranch Feb 5, 1864
We the undersigned Appraisers appointed

by Justice J L Bennett Justice of the Peace of Town
Ship No 2. Washoe Co N.T. do hereby Value the fol
lowing stock, to wit

- 2 Whit spotted oxen one with broken horn Valued at \$ 20. pr yoke
- 1 Dun Cow Marked S on right hip " " 8.
- 1 Red Cow branded with horse shoe on left hip " 10.
- 1 Red & Whit Spotted Cow " 10
- 1 " " Steer 2 1/2 yr old " 20
- 1 " Star in face do 5 " " " 25
- 1 " Whit faced " 5 " " " 25
- 1 " line backed " 5 " " Star in forehead " 25.
- 1 Ok Red " 4 " " " 20
- 1 Spotted Ox 6 " " " 25
- 1 Whit Cow Red neck " 10
- 1 Roan Cow & Calf " 10
- 1 Whit heifer & Calf " 10
- 1 Red & Whit Cow & Calf " 10
- 1 Bundle of whit-face " 10

Frank Mc Govern
Felix Stone

Jess Devolt } Appraisers.

Recorded at Request of Geo Saunders Feb 6th A
D 1864 at 4. O'clock. P.M.

P. C. Shannon,
County Recorder

Territory of Nevada }
County of Washoe } ss. J. P. West being duly sworn
says that one work of Pale red and white face left
horn broken seven or eight years old came upon his
premises in this County on the 1st day of July A D
1863. also one dark red ox with some white spots
visable. Branded on the left hip about seven
years old came upon his premises at the same
time and place as the first mentioned and that
the brands have not been altered since they came
upon his premises

Sworn before me Nov 30, 1863

John P West

J L Bennett
Justice of the Peace, District No 2, Washoe County

In the Matter of the Estray $\frac{2}{3}$ Washoe County N.T.
Oxen taken up by J.P. West $\frac{2}{3}$ District No 2,

We the undersigned the appraisers in this matter duly appointed by J.L. Bennett, Justice of the Peace of this County do certify that on the 1st day of December 1863. We proceeded to view the said oxen and we find according to our best knowledge and judgement that the said oxen are of the value of seventy five Dollars or thereabouts.

John McCown
E. C. Everett

In the Matter of the Estray $\frac{2}{3}$ Washoe County N.T.,
Oxen taken up by J.P. West $\frac{2}{3}$ District No 2,

J. L. Bennett, J. P.

J.P. West having this 30th day of Nov 1863 appeared before me and made affidavit as to two oxen found upon his premises in this County on the first day of July 1863 which affidavit has been duly filed with me I do hereby appoint John McCown and E. C. Everett appraisers they being resident householders of this County to appraise and describe said animals

J. L. Bennett, Justice of the Peace

Recorded at Request of J. L. Bennett on 26th February
1864 at 2. P. M.

J. C. Fraunon,
County Recorder

R. F. Riddle $\frac{2}{3}$ Taken up as estray by R. F. Riddle at his Ranch on the east side of Washoe Lake 4 miles south of Washoe City and posted before me a Justice of the Peace in and for the County of Washoe and Territory of Nevada. One Bay Horse 15 $\frac{1}{2}$ hands high and about 13 years old with short mane and tail, small star in his forehead and white slip on the end of his nose, some saddle marks. Said horse came to the aforesaid premises about the 25th day of February 1864 and deponent further says that said horse was taken up on his premises and that the marks and brands

has not been altered to the best of his knowledge since taken up. signed R F Riddle

Subscribed and sworn to before me a Justice of the Peace in and for Washoe Co N T. this 1st day of March A D 1864.

J L Bennett Justice of the Peace R F Riddle having this day 1st March A D. 1864 appeared before me a Justice of the Peace of Washoe County and made affidavit concerning and Estray horse which came upon his premises and taken up by him in this County on the 25th day of February which affidavit has been duly filed with me I do hereby appoint J S Dickey and A Dickey appraisers they being resident householders of this County to appraise said animals

J L Bennett Justice of the Peace In the Matter of the Estray } Washoe County Horse taken up by R F Riddle } Nevada Territory

We the undersigned appraisers in this matter duly appointed by J L Bennett Justice of the Peace of this County do Certify that on the 28th Feb A D 1864, We proceeded to describe and appraise said horse to wit a Bay 15 1/2 hands high and about thirteen years old with short mane and tail, small star in his forehead white slip on the end of his nose and some small saddle marks, and find the said horse is of the value of \$60, Sixty Dollars or thereabouts

John S Dickey } appraisers
A R Dickey }

Recorded at Request of R F Riddle on 7th day of March 1864 at 9 A M.

J E Shannon
County Recorder

John Mc Caleb ³ Taken up as Estrays by John Mc Caleb
 living three miles South east of Franktown on the 20th
 day of February and posted before me Elias Owens a
 Justice of the Peace in and for the County of Washoe
 and Territory of Nevada on the 3^d day of March A.D.
 1864, and described as follows under oath by the aforesaid
 John Mc Caleb, One a Dun horse left eye out-
 left hind foot white. Shoos on ball face been in the
 neighborhood about six months he further states
 that he was taken up on his ranch and the marks
 have not been altered to the best of his knowledge
 since he came to his premises; Appraised at \$15.00
 by John Rouchevour and D A Finess and described
 as above Except a Spanish brand on left hip, All of which
 was sworn and subscribed to, on this 3 day of March
 before me. E. Owens, J. P.

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R. F. Riddle ³
 Estray Taken up as Estray by R F Riddle at
 his Ranch on the east side of Washoe Lake 4 miles
 south of Washoe City and posted before me a Justice
 of the Peace in and for the County of Washoe and Terri-
 tory of Nevada. One small bay mare about 14 hands high
 and about 10 years old Right hind foot white, Spanish
 brand on the right thy thus ~~It~~. One Yellow Dun
 Gelding horse 4 years old about 15 hands high black
 main and tail both hind feet white and left fore
 foot white blaze in his face. One brown gelding horse
 about 6 years old and about 14 hands high both hind
 feet feet white star in the forehead small scrip on
 the nose branded low down on the left thy with small
 M. And also one Grey mare about 7 years old and about
 15 hands high and branded C on the left thy said
 horses came to the aforesaid premises about the 14th day
 of April A. D. 1864 and deponent further say that
 said horses was taken up on his premises and that the
 marks and brands has not been altered to the best of
 his knowledge since taken up. Signed - R F Riddle

subscribed and sworn to before me a Justice of the Peace
in and for Washoe Co N.T. this 18th day of April A.D. 1864.

J. L. Bennett, Justice of the Peace
R. F. Riddle having this day the 18 April A.D. 1864
appeared before me a Justice of the Peace of Washoe
County and made affidavit concerning 4 Estray horses
which came upon his premises and taken up by him
in this County on the 14th day of April which affidavit
has been duly filed with me. I do hereby appoint
John S. Dickey and L. L. Gasper appraisers they be-
ing resident householders of this County to appraise said
animals

J. L. Bennett, Justice of the Peace
In the Matter of the Estray ^{Washoe County}
Horses taken up by R. F. Riddle ^{Nevada Territory}

We the Undersigned appraisers in this mat-
ter duly appointed by J. L. Bennett Justice of the Peace
of this County do Certify that on the 19th day of April A.
D. 1864 We proceeded to describe and appraise said
horses "to wit", One small bay mare about 14 hands
high and about 10 years old right hind foot white
Spanish brand on the right thigh thus \mathcal{H} , One yellow
Dun gelding horse 4 years old about 15 hands high
Black man and tail both hind feet white and
left fore foot white blaze in his face. One Brown geld-
ing horse about 6 years old and about 14 hands high
both hind feet white star in the forehead, small snip
on the nose, branded low down on the left thigh with
a small M. and also one grey mare about 7 years old and
about 15 hands high and branded C on the left thigh and
find that said horses is of the value "to wit":

Bay Mare is of the value of, \$ 20.00.

Dun Gelding Hores is of the value of, \$ 40.00.

Brown Gelding horse is of the value of, \$ 30.00

Grey Mare is of the value of, \$ 30.00.

John S. Dickey } Appraisers
L. L. Gasper }

Recorded at Request of R. F. Riddle on 20th April A.D. 1864 at 1/2
past 1. P.M.

P. E. Shannon
County Recorder

John McCaleb
 Estrays Taken up as Estrays by John McCaleb
 living three miles South east of Franktown on the 2nd
 day of February and posted before me Elias Owens a
 Justice of the peace in and for the County of Washoe and
 Territory of Nevada on the 3 day of March A.D. 1864,
 and described as follows under Oath by the aforesaid
 J McCaleb. One a Dun horse left eye out, left hind
 foot white shoo on ball face been in the neighborhood
 about six months he further states that he was taken
 upon his Ranch and the marks have not been altered
 to the best of his knowledge since he came to his prem-
 aces. Appraised at \$15.00 by John Rouchenow and D.
 A. Kneass and described as above except a Spanish brand
 on left hip. All of which was sworn and subscribed
 to on this 3 day of March before me

E. Owens. J. P.

Also one sorrel Mare Blas face four white feet brand
 that is P which is a J and D joined. He also swears that
 the said Mare was taken up on his premises and the
 marks and brands had not been altered to his knowledge
 since she came to his premises. Appraised at \$50. dollars
 by John Rouchenow and D. A. Kneass and described
 as above. Sworn and subscribed to before me Elias
 Owens J. P. this the 3 day of March A. D. 1864. also
 one yearling Colt roan Collor a hors Coat of Blas in
 the face. left fore foot white no brands he also being
 duly sworn says said Colt was taken up on his ranch
 and the mark have not been altered to the best of his
 knowledge. Appraised at four dollars \$4. by John Rouch-
 enow and D. A. Kneass and described as above. all of which
 was subscribed and sworn to before me Elias Owens
 Justice of the Peace, this is to certify that the above is
 a true copy of the description and appraised value
 of the three animals as was given me and as taken
 from my stray book on this the eleventh day of March
 A. D. 1864.

Elias Owens. J. P.

Recorded at Request of J McCaleb at 15 min past 8. o'clock

A. M.

P. C. Shannon. County Recorder

✓ D. A. Kneass

Estrays } Taken up as Estrays by D. A. Kneass
 living three miles south of Franktown two Mares and
 was posted before me on the third day of March A.D. 1864
 and described as follows to wit one gray or Iron gray
 Mair pony built no marks or brands only some saddle
 marks came to his premises about about the middle
 of February 1864 and the marks or brands had not
 been altered since she had been in his possession
 and she was taken up on his ranch. signed

D. A. Kneass

Subscribed and sworn to before me Elias Owens
 J. P. on this the 3 day of March A.D. 1864.

Appraised at forty Dollars \$40.00 by J. M. Garretson
 and James S. Norcross and described as above on this
 the third day of March A.D. 1864. Also one dark bay
 Mair tipped in her right hip star in forehead snip
 on nose Spanish brand was taken up about the
 middle of February 1864. and posted about the 3.
 day of March followin and said mare was taken
 up on his premises and the marks and brands had
 not been altered to the best of his knowledge. signed

D. A. Kneass

Subscribed and sworn to before me Elias Owens J.
 P. on this the 3 day of March 1864, and appraised
 at twenty dollars by J. M. Garretson and James S.
 Norcross and describe as before on this the 3 day of
 March A.D. 1864.

Subscribed and sworn to } J. M. Garretson
 } J. S. Norcross
 before me this the 3 day of March A.D. 1864.

Elias Owens, J. P. in

and for the County of Washoe and Territory of Nevada
 this is to certify that the foregoing is a full description
 and appraised value as given me and are now on my
 stray book. Given under my hand at Franktown March
 the 10th 1864.

Elias Owens, J. P.

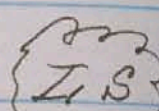
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 20 min past 8. O'clock A.M.

P. C. Shannon,
 County Recorder

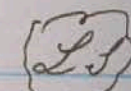
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Estrays

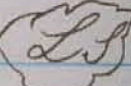
In Justice Court Ophir
Township, Washoe County

On this third day of May A. D. 1864. before me Henry L Fish a Justice of the Peace duly appointed and sworn in and for said County came E. Owens who being duly sworn deposes and says that on or about the 25th of April he took up a horse on his ranch at Franktown of the following description viz A dapple grey, about six years old about fifteen hands and one half high - a scar from a wound on the end of the right shoulder blade also very thick in the neck at the throat-latch, not branched.

Elias Owens 

Also Aaron Denis and M. H. Wilson two disinterested persons appointed to examine and appraise said Animal who depose and say that said horse is a light iron Grey - about eight years old - no brands, but a scar on the top of the right shoulder blade appraised at fifty dollars (\$50.) by us.

Aaron Denis 

M. H. Wilson 

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of May A. D. 1864.

Henry L Fish, Justice of the Peace
Ophir Township.

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of affidavits &c

Henry L Fish, J. P. Ophir Township
Recorded at Request of H. L. Fish on 3rd May 1864 at
6 P. M.

J. C. Shannon
County Recorder

James H. Sturtevant
Estrays

Taken up and posted as stray

by James H. Sturtevant on this the 4th day of May 1864 before me Elias Owens a Justice of the Peace of Washoe County, one milk white Spanish Horse Spanish brands on both lips and Shoulders deponent further state under oath that said

horse came to his Ranch about the first day of December 1863 and the brands has not been altered to his knowledge, all of which was sworn and subscribed to before me on this the 4 day of May A.D. 1864

Elias Owens, J. P.

Said horse was appraised at \$40. Dollars and described as above by F. A. Eurt and C. Miller on this the day and date above written. I hereby certify that the above is a true statement as was given me and is taken from my Estray book this the 12 day of May A.D. 1864.

E. Owens, J. P.

Recorded at Request of E. Owens 13 May 1864 at 9 AM

P. O. Shannon,
County Recorder

✓ H. S. Savage

Estrays

3 Taken up as Estray by H. S. Savage residence two miles South east of Franktown on the Carson Road and posted before me Elias Owens a Justice of the Peace of Washoe County on the 17 Inst. One Black Cow and described as follows to wit. Eight or nine years old, point of left horn off, white bag; end of tail white know brands or year marks Came to the above named premises about the 15th day of May deponent said he has known said Cow to be in the Neighbourhood about five months he further says, the marks have not been altered since she came to his premises to the best of his knowledge and belief and appraised at thirty dollars \$30. by Henry White and T. Bryan and described as above. Subscribed and Sworn to before me on this the 17 day of May A.D. 1864

Elias Owens J. P.

I. Hereby Certify that the above is a full description and Appraise Value as is take from my Estray book May the 23. day of May A.D. 1864.

Elias Owens J. P.

Recorded at Request of E. Owens, May 25, 1864 at 1/2 past 7 AM.

P. O. Shannon
County Recorder

✓ Samuel McFarland

Estrays

Taken up as an Estray by Sam McFarland in the Town of Washoe City and posted before me a Justice of the Peace in District No 2, Washoe County, Territory of Nevada One Red ox Branded with a star on the right hip. Said ox came to the aforesaid premises on or about the 12 day of May 1864, and deponent further says that said ox was taken up on his premises and the Mark and Brands have not been altered since he came upon his premises, Subscribed and sworn to before me a Justice of the Peace in and for Washoe County Nevada Territory this the 18th day of May 1864.

J. L. Bennett, J. P.

Saml McFarland

Sam McFarland having this day appeared before me a Justice of the Peace of Washoe County and made affidavit concerning an Estray Ox which came upon his premises and taken up by him in this County on the 18th day of May 1864 which affidavit has been duly filed with me. I do hereby appoint John Hobby, Ephraim Punit Appraisers; They being resident householders of Washoe County to appraise said Ox. We the undersigned appraisers in the matter of the Estray Ox taken up by Sam McFarland and duly appointed by J. L. Bennett a Justice of the Peace of this County do Certify that on the 18th day of May 1864, we proceeded to appraise and describe said Ox, to wit; a red ox Branded with a star on the right hip and that said ox is of the value of Fifty five Dollars or thereabouts

E. Punit

J. Hobby

} Appraisers

Recorded at Request of Saml McFarland on 7th day of June 1864 at 25 min past 3. P. M.

J. E. Shannon
County Recorder

✓ L. H. Dixie }
 Estray } Taken up and posted by L. H. Dixie
 at Mill Station, Washoe County N. T. on this the
 10 Day of Jun 1864. One brown Mare Banded "M.
 C. on left Shoulder deponent further says, the brand
 have not been altered since she came to his premises
 to his knowledge and that she came to his premises
 about the 5 day of May with a halter on and was
 taken up thereat - Signed
 Sworn and subscribed L. H. Dixie
 to before me this the 10 day
 of June A. D. 1864

Elias Owens, J. P.

Appraised at \$40. dollars by E. B. Towel and
 Samuel Boies and described as above.

Swor and subscribed to
 before me Elias Owens, Justice of the Peace of Washoe
 County on this the 10 day of June 1864.

I hereby Certify that I have given a full dis-
 cription and the appraised Value of the above des-
 cribed Mare as is now on my book of Estrays,
 this the 16 day of June A. D. 1864.

Elias Owens J. P.

Recorded at Request of E. Owens June 17, 1864
 at six O'clock P. M.

P. E. Shannon
 County Recorder

✓ William Sides }
 Estrays }
 State of Nevada }
 County of Washoe }
 William Sides at his Ranch between Ophir and
 Franktown two Estray animals and described
 as follows to wit One a Sorrel Pinto mair supposed
 to be 12 years old Spanish Brand on left hip
 came to his premises about the first of September
 1864 and has been there ever since that time de-
 ponant further says that he has given a full
 description of said animal and the marks

and brands have not been altered to his knowledge signed William Sides Subscribed and sworn to before me Elias Owens Justice of the Peace this the 5 day of Dec A.D. 1864

E. Owens J.P.

and appraised at \$5.00 by Phillip London and J. M. Gregory and described as above

The other an iron gray horse and described as follows left hind foot white right hind foot white suppose to be 5 years old last spring came to the afo said premises about the first of October and further he has been there ever since and the marks and brands have not been altered to his knowledge, ^{William Sides} subscribed to and sworn to before me this the 5 day of December A.D. 1864

Elias Owens J.P.

And appraised at \$10.00 by P. London and J. M. Gregory and described as above

Thereby certify the above is a full description and appraised value as taken from my stray book this the 5 day of December A.D. 1864

Elias Owens

Justice of the Peace of Frankston

Precinct No. 1 of Washoe County

Filed for Record at the request of E. Owens Dec 13th A.D. 1864 at 30 min. past 3 P.M.

Geo. G. Cabot,
County Recorder.

John Shiffles

Stray

Stray Notice

Taken up by John Shiffles near the Town of Ophir Washoe County Nevada on the first day of December A.D. 1864 one light bay horse black mane and tail small white streak in the forehead hind feet white branded with double spade on the left hip some saddle marks supposed to be eight years old about thirteen hands high and valued at twenty five dollars by S. M. Cheeny and H. A. Kendall

Subscribed and sworn to before me
Ophir December 16th 1864

R. M. Davis
Justice of the Peace

Filed for Record at the request of Judge Davis
this 19th day of Dec. A. D. 1864 at 20 min. past 10.
A. M.

Geo. C. Cabot,
County Recorder.

✓ M. Norton
Extray

Extray Notice

Taken up by M. Norton at the Town of Ophir
Washoe County State of Nevada on the 16th
day of December. A. D. 1864. One iron grey mare,
white feet, three, or four, years old no marks
or brands perceivable long dark iron grey
man and tails valued at twenty dollars, by
J. W. Jones, and John Shiffler subscribed
and sworn to before me this 26th day of
December A. D. 1864

R. M. Davis
Justice of the Peace

Filed for Record at the request of Jacob Gunther
Jan'y 4th. A. D. 1865 at 15 min. past 2. P. M.

Geo. C. Cabot,
County Recorder.

✓ Lawson Hughes
Extray Cow

Description of Cow taken up

by Lawson Hughes A Red cow white spots on
both sides white belly branded on both hips
old faded brown ear marks crop and under
bit in right ear left ear cut off hoofs on fore
feet grown out very long supposed to be eight
years old and valued at ten dollars by
J. R. Bunge and A. Storms sworn and
subscribed before me this 21st day of
February 1865

R. M. Davis
Justice of the Peace

Ophir Nevada February 21st 1865

Filed for Record Feb'y 24th A.D. 1865 at 45 mins
past 10 A.M.

Geo. C. Capob.
County Recorder.

J Z. Bryan.
Estrays.

State of Nevada
County of Washoe } Taken up as Estrays by
Z. Bryan and posted before the undersigned
a Justice of the peace of said County the said
Bryan being by me duly sworn deposed and
says about the first day of April he took
up at his Ranch a light gray mare and
yearling Iron gray colt no marks or brand
discernable he further says he saw them
about the 1st or about the first day of January

Z. Bryan Esq.
Appraised at \$40 (forty dollars) by George Has-
burn and Alvan Gould who are disinterested
Persons appointed and sworn by me to apprais
and describe said mare and colt and are
Resident Home Holders of Washoe County they
described them as above George Hasburn Alvan
Gould

Subscribed and Sworn to this the 15 day of
April A.D. 1865 before me Elias Owens Justice
of the peace of said County

This is to certify the above as a true descrip-
-tion of said mare and colt as was given
me by the aforesaid Bryan and the ap-
-praised value by the appraisers this the
22^d day of April A.D. 1865

Elias Owens J.P.

J George Hasburn
Estray.

State of Nevada
County of Washoe } Taken up as Estrays by George
Hasburn and Posted before me a undersigned
Justice of the peace of said Washoe County one
Gray Horse Branded CD on left shoulder and

left flank supposed to be eleven or twelve years old
 he further says that said horse was taken up on
 his premises about the first day of April and
 the marks and brands had not been altered
 to his knowledge since in his possession first
 noticed him about the first of January

George Washburn (Seal)

Appraised at \$30. (thirty Dollars) by J. Bryan and
 Alva Gould two Disinterested Person, Residents
 and Householders appointed and sworn by me
 to appraise and describe the afore said horse
 they described him as Described above this 15
 day of April A.D. 1865

J. Bryan (Seal)

Alva Gould (Seal)

This is to certify that the foregoing is a true
 copy as taken from my Estray Book this the
 22^d day of April A.D. 1865

Elias Owens J.P.

Filed for Record this the 22nd day of April
 A.D. 1865 at 30 min. past 5 P. M.

Geo. C. Cabot,
 County Recorder.

Lawson Hughes

Estray.

Taken up by Lawson
 Hughes near the Ophir works in Washoe
 valley Washoe County Nevada one light
 red cow with brindle nose branded
 H. O. on left hip ear marks crop off the
 right ear an swallow fork in the left
 supposed to be seven years old valued
 at thirty five dollars by Myron
 Howard and S. R. Brown subscribed
 and sworn to before me this 15th day of
 July 1865 R. M. Davis Justice of the Peace
 Filed for Record July 24th A.D. 1865 at 9
 o'clock A. M.

Geo. C. Cabot,
 County Recorder.

John Swaddle. ~~3~~
 Estray Ox. ~~3~~

State of Nevada ~~3~~

County of Washoe. ~~3~~

On this the 29 Day of August A.D. 1865 before me Elias Owens a Justice of the Peace of Washoe County came John Swaddle of Franktown being duly sworn deposes and says that on or about the first day of July 1865 there came to his Rancho one pale red Ox and broke threw his fencing into his field he drove him out frequently but he would continually break in again and this 29 of August he drove him in to his correll for the purpose of having him posted Said Ox is Discribed as follows to wit Small Star in forehead White Strp on Shoulder and left side and flank. but more White on right side than there is on the left some white on loin wide betwee horns figure 3 on left horn and this deenant further says the marks or brand have not been altered since he came to his premaces to the best of his knowledge

John Swaddle [Seal]

And appraised at forty Dollars \$40.00 and Discribed as above by F.A. Ent and William two Disinterested Householders appointed by me and sworn to appraise and describe the above Estray Ox

F.A. Ent [Seal]

William Thompson Seal

Sworn and subscribed to before me a Justice of the Peace of said County this the 29 Day of August A.D. 1865

Elias Owens

Justice Peace Precinct No 1

Filed for Record at the request of Elias Owens Sept. 4th A.D. 1865. at 10 o'clock A.M. and Recorded Sept. 4th. 1865.

Geo. C. Cabots

County Recorder.

John Swadelle,

Stray Brown Mare Mule.

State of Nevada 3rd

County of Washoe 3rd Taken up as Estray by John Swadelle on his Ranch at Frankton of said County and posted before me Elias Owens, a Justice of the Peace One Brown Mare Mule and described as follows to wit S. on right, Thy. Spanish Brand on right Shoulder and Spanish Brand on left; Thy. and small white Spot on left flank. Saddle and Harness marks, Shoes on; Deponant further says that said mule came to his Ranch and broke threw his fencing into his meadow about the first day of September A.D. 1865 and further that he saw said mule frequently before that time, and he further says that the marks and brands have not been altered to the best of the knowledge of this Deponant since the afore said mule came to his ranch

John Swadelle (Seal)

and Appraised at One Hundred Dollars by F. A. Cent and William D. Newton two Disinterested Householders of said County appointed to apprais and describe said mule and described as above F. A. Cent (Seal) William D. Newton (Seal) All of which was sworn and subscribed to before me on the 14 Day of September A.D. 1865 This is to certify that the foregoing is a true copy from my Estray Book this 22 day of September A.D. 1865

Elias Owens Justice of Peace
of Frankton Dist No. 1

Filed for Record at the request of Elias Owens Sept 22nd. 1865 at 2.0'clock P.M. and Recorded Sept 22nd. 1865.

Geo. C. Cabot,
County Recorder.

John Davis. 3
Stray Cow & calf. Taken up by John Davis
 two miles north west of Ophir in Washoe County
 Nevada. One small black side & white line
 back cow marked under bit in right ear
 about 12 years old has a young calf valued
 at twelve dollars by R. P. Stevens and William
 Burton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th
 day of Dec 1865

R. M. Davis J.P.

Filed for Record at the request of R. M. Davis
 Dec. 29th A. D. 1865 at 55 min. past 11. A. M.

Geo. C. Gaby,
 County Recorder.

Theodore Hinters by 3
 his Agent George Green. 3
Two Stray Oxen. Taken up by Theodore
 Hinters through his Agent George Green Two
 Oxen, one a white of about 6 or seven years
 old no Brands nor marks, the other a light
 of with small black spots, Branded on the
 horn with a double heart and a Baker Brand
 on the side about 6 or seven years old The above
 described Animals came upon the premises
 between the 20th of Nov and 30th Dec 1865
 An further that the marks & Brands have
 not been altered since they came upon said
 premises

Subscribed and sworn 3 G. A. Green
 to this 30th day of Dec 3
 A. D. 1865 3

J. L. Bennett
 Justice of the Peace

In the matter of the Stray 3 Washoe County
 Animals taken up by Theodore Hinters 3 Nevada Dist. No. 3
3 J. L. Bennett

Justice of the Peace
 George Green came before me and made

Affidavit to certain Estray oxen found upon the premises of Theodore Winters in this District and which Affidavit has been duly filed by me I do hereby appoint Nathrop & John Ornil Appraisers they being residents of this County to appraise and describe said

J. L. Bennett
Justice of the Peace

Winters Ranch Dec 30th 1865

We the undersigned Appraisers appointed by J. L. Bennett a Justice of the Peace in District N. 3 Washoe County Nevada do hereby value the following stock to wit Two oxen one a white of no mark nor Brand the other a light of with small black spots Branded on the horn with a double heart and Anchor Brand on the side about 6 or 7 years old and find the same to be of the value the white of thirty dollars \$30⁰⁰ or thereabouts the black and white of five dollars \$5⁰⁰

Heiler Northrop } Appraisers
John Ornil }

Filed for Record at the request of Mr Green Jan. 5th. A.D. 1866 at 30 min. past 6 P.M.

Geo. C. Gabob,
County Recorder.

✓ J. H. Gries.
Four Estray Steers.

J. H. Gries } in Justice Court Dist N3
in Estray } Taken up by J. H. Gries living
near Washoe City Washoe County and State
of Nevada and posted before me a Justice
of the Peace for said county on the 17th day
of Feb 1866 No 1 one red steer Branded J.R.
on left the left Horn Value \$1500 No 2 one
Brindle Steer Branded J.R. on the left

Horn White in the face and some white spots on Body Value \$15.00 crop of the Right ear and underbit of the left Brand on left hip not intelligible No 3 one Brindle Steer crop of the left ear no Brands visible value \$15.00 No 4 one Roan Steer with red sides Branded P.H. on left Horn value \$15.00 J. H. Gries being duly sworn says the above stock came into his enclosure about the 10th of Feb. 1866 and that the Brand or Marks have not been altered since they came to his premises Subscribed and Sworn before me this 17th day of Feb 1866 F. H. Burroughs J.P.

B. F. Hoxey and James Pierson were appointed appraisers of the above stock and appraised them at fifteen dollars per head and described as above B. F. Hoxey James Pierson F. H. Burroughs Justice of the Peace Filed for Record at the request of F. H. Burroughs Feb 28th. A. D. 1866 at 30 min. past 9. A.M.
Geo. S. Gaby,
County Recorder.

J. H. Gries.

3 Estrays.

J. H. Gries in Justice Court Dist No 3 an Estray Before F. H. Burroughs J.P. Taken up by J. H. Gries living near Washoe City Washoe County Nevada and posted before me a Justice of the Peace of said County on the 9th day of March A. D. 1866 one White Horse Spanish Brand on the left thigh a lump on the left side of Neck 10 or 11 years old Value twenty dollars one light Brown Mare Small Star in the face left fore foot White Right hind foot White 5 or 6 years old value thirty dollars one Small Grey Mare Mule 7 or 8 years old no Brands visible ^{value thirty dollars} J. H. Gries being duly sworn says the above described stock came to his Enclosure the last of Feb 1866

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and that the Brand or Marks have not been altered since they came to his Enclosure signed J. H. Gries Saml Crozes and F. Hoxie were appointed appraisers who appraised as above stated

F. H. Burroughs
Justice of the Peace

Filed for Record at the request of F. H. Burroughs
March 14th A.D. 1866, at 20 min past 2 P.M.

Geo. C. Gabot,
County Recorder.

✓ Myron Woodard.

Two Estray Bulls.

We the Appraisers of two read bulls taken up by Myron Woodard as stray animals do find that they are worth Seventeen dollars and fifty cents per head said bulls are about two years old no marks or brands in sight Ophus July 2nd 1866

J. H. Sturtevant
Wm. A. Young

Sworn and subscribed before me this July 2nd A.D. 1866

R. M. Davis

Justice of the Peace

Filed for Record at the request of R. M. Davis July 9th, A.D. 1866 at 30 min. past 6 P.M.

Geo. C. Gabot,
County Recorder.

✓ J. Bryan.

Two Estray Oxen.

State of Nevada

County of Washoe

Taken up as Estrays by J. Bryan and potted before me Elias Owens a Justice of the Peace On the 8th day of August A.D. 1866 two head of work Oxen and Described as follows to wit One Branded with figure 3 on left Rump white face crop and Slits in both ears also

Brand with 21 on left Horn one a brindle
 Ox described as follows Point of both Horns
 cut off Branded on the right rump thus on
 the bush cut off the End of tail 3 Bryan being
 by me duly sworn depose and says that said
 Oxen came to his Ranch about the 17th Day
 of May 1866 and that he has give a full Dis-
 creption of the color marks and brands and
 the mark and brands have not been altered
 to the knowledge of this deponant since
 they came to his premises, } Signed Z. Bryan
 Sworn and Subscribed to before me this 8th
 day of August 1866) Elias Owens, JP
 Appraised by Richard D. Sides and William
 Thomps the former Appraised at Sixty five
 Dollar the latter at forty dollar and Described
 as above This is to certify that the foregoing
 is a full and true Discreption of the afor-
 going Oxen as take from my Estray book
 and as give me by the taken up also the
 appraised value thereof Elias Owens a
 Justice of Peace at Frankton Dist No 1
 Filed for Record at the request of Elias
 Owens August 13th A. D. 1866 at 15 min past
 4. P. M.

Geo. C. Cabot,
 County Recorder.

George Washburn

One Estray Horse

State of Nevada

County of Washoe

3⁸⁵ Taken up as Estray by
 George Washburn live in five miles South East
 of Franktown and Potted before me a up-
 designed a Justice of the peace of Washoe
 County one bay Horse described as follows
 to wit blaze face branded with letter O
 and Spanish brands on left shoulder also
 Spanish brand on left hip some white on
 top of neck done by collar; Supposed to be 10

or eleven years old deponent being by me duly sworn says that he has given a full description of said horse and the marks and brands has not been altered to his knowledge since he came to his premises to his knowledge and he further says that he came to his premises about the first day of May 1866 signed George Washburn Sworne and Subscribed to before me this 14 day of August A.D. 1866 Elias Owens Justice of Peace of Franktown Dist No 1 Said Horse was appraised at thirty Dollars by C. B. Towle and J. A. Huntres two Disinterested Resident Horse holders duly appointed and swore to appras and Describe said Horse Described as above

Elias Owens J.P

Filed for Record at the request of Elias Owens Aug. 21st. A.D. 1866 at 20 min. past 6. P.M.

Geo. G. Cabot
County Recorder.

✓ Albert Rob.
One bay horse.
State of Nevada
County of Washoe Taken up at Citray by Albert Rob living at Mill Station in said Washoe County and Posted before me a sworn designed Justice of the Peace on the 8th day of September 1866 and Described as follows to wit a bay horse with white hairs slate face left fore foot white about four or five years old. no marks or brands Albert Rob being duly sworn deposes and says that the above Described horse came to his premises about the first day of March 1866 that he has given a full Discription of the color and the time of taken up and that there has been no chang made in any way whatever

Albert x Rob
Sworne ^{his mark} and subscribed to before me this 8th
day of September A.D. 1866

Elias Owens Justice Peace

Frankton Dist N^o 1

Appraised at at twenty seven dollars and
fifty cents by George, N. Ross and C. B. Fowl two
Disinterested Householders Duly appointed
and Sworne by me to apprais and Describe
the above Describe horse Described as above

Elias Owens J.P.

Filed for Record at the request of Elias Owens,
Sept 14th, A. D. 1866 at 30 min past 3 P. M.

Geo. C. Leabots
County Recorder.

L. Hughes.

One Betray cow. We the undersigned appraisers
duly appointed to appraise a certain
cow found on the premises of L. Hughes do
find that said cow and calf is worth ac-
cording to our best judgment forty dollars
and no more We find the said cow and
calf be of the following description, the
is pale red with fur white feet and white
spot in the forehead branded on the left
hip (P) thus and on the right hip (R) thus

Washoe County Nevada Oct 6th A. D. 1866

M. A. Young
J. R. Burge

Subscribed and sworn to before me this Oct
8th 1866 R. M. Davis Justice of the peace

Filed for Record at the request of R. M. Davis
Oct. 17th, A. D. 1866 at 30 min. past 9 A. M.

Geo. C. Leabots
County Recorder.

Rev. Recv.
Stamp. 5cts.

U.S. J. Recv.
Stamp. 5cts.

[Handwritten scribbles]

Myron Woodard.

One Estray Cow.

U.S. J. Rec
Stamp. 5cts

We the undersigned appraisers duly appointed by R. M. Davis Justice of the Peace, to value and describe a certain cow found on the premises of Myron Woodard do find that the said cow according to our best judgment is worth the sum of Fifty Dollars. is a dark red marked with a crop and half crop in the left ear and split in the right. Branded on the left hip WH and on the thigh thus 3 supposed to be six years old

Ophir Nov 16th 1866

L. Hughes

J. Burge

Sworn and subscribed before me this November 16th 1866

R. M. Davis

Justice of the Peace

Filed for Record at the request of R. M. Davis Nov 19th A. D. 1866 at 5 o'clock part 1. P. M.

Geo. C. Cabot,

County Recorder.

J. H. Sturtevant.

One Estray Ox.

State of Nevada

County of Washoe

U.S. J. Rec
Stamps. 6cts.

Taken up as Estray by James H. Sturtevant at his Ranch on the first day of December A. D. 1866 and posted before me

Elias Owens a Justice of the Peace of said County on this 10th day of December one brown

and white also white star between horns, horns large suppose him to be 15 years old no brands came to the afore

said premises about the first day of November last the marks have not been altered since that time to the knowledge of this

deponent signed J. H. Sturtevant

Appraised at 25 dollars by William Cides and Michael Cranley and Described as

follows One Brindle Ox Star in forehead
White under belly heavy horned coraps off of
years the left year being cropped deeper than
other signed William Sillis Michael Cronley
Sworn and subscribed to before me this 18th
day of Dec A.D. 1866

Elias Owens

Justice Peace Washoe County
Filed for Record at the request of E. Owens
Dec. 18th A.D. 1866 at 4 o'clock P.M.

Geo. G. Cabot,
County Recorder.

Joseph Frey,

One brindle Ox,

State of Nevada

U.S. Int. Rev. County of Washoe^{3rd} Taken up as Estray by Joseph
Stamp. 5 cts. Frey at his Ranch in Washoe County on the 14th
Day of December 1866 and posted before me Elias
Rev. Revenue Owens a Justice of Peace on the 24th inst and des-
Stamp. 5 cts. cribed as follows to wit One brindle Ox white
face also some white between shoulders white
under belly branded thus on left horn, 10/10
and swallow fork off of each year one flesh mark
on left hip not discernable Deponant sworn by me
duly sworn depose and says that he has given
a full discription of the color mark and brand
and the same had not been altered to his
knowledge since he came to his premises and
he first noticed said Ox on or about the first
day of September 1866

Signed, Joseph Frey

Appraised at twenty dollars by Conrad Stary
and J. A. Hunter and described as above
Signed Conrad Stary J. A. Hunter

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 24th Day
of Dec A.D. 1866 Elias Owens J.P.

Filed for Record at the request of Elias Owens Dec.
31st A.D. 1866 at 35 min. past 1. P.M.

Geo. G. Cabot,
County Recorder.

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George Green } In Justice Court Dist. No 3.
vs } Before F. H. Burroughs, J. P.
Estray Mule.

Now comes Geo. Green and files his affidavit that he did on the first day of March A. D. 1867, take up a Stray Mule on his premises, lying one mile south of Washoe City, in Washoe County, Nev.

Description of Appraisers.

One dark Brown Mule, Blind in right eye, collar & Bridle marks, ten years old, and appraised at fifteen dollars signed B. S. Dudley.

W. P. L. Winham,

Who were appointed by me as appraisers, George Green being duly sworn deposes and says, that he did on 1st day of March 1867, take up one Dark Brown Horse Mule, Blind in right eye, aged 10 years, and he further says, no Brands or Marks have been altered or changed since he came into his possession.

F. H. Burroughs J. P.

Recorded at request of F. H. Burroughs
March 27th 1867, at 11. a. m.

Henry L. Fish,
County Recorder.

Albert Robb } State of Nevada }
One Brown Horse } County of Washoe }
\$3

Taken up and posted by Albert Robb living at Mill Station. One Brown Horse supposed to be 3 years old and described as follows - branded 2 on left thigh - star in forehead snip on nose, - left hind foot white, came to the premises of said Robb about the 1st day of May 1867, and the marks or brands have not been altered since to the knowledge of this deponent. Swore to.

Signed. Albert Robb.

Appraised at \$40. by Henry Noice
and Asa L Aldrich two disinterested
householders duly appointed and
sworn by me to appraise and describe
said horse and described as above.
Subscribed & Sworn to before $\frac{3}{3}$ Henry Noice
me this 23rd day of May 1867 $\frac{3}{3}$ Asa L Aldrich
Elias Owens J. P.

May 29 Washoe County

Recorded at request of Elias Owens.

May 31st 1867.Henry L. Fish
Co. Recorder

Abraham Loaraby } State of Nevada }
One Gray Horse Mule } County of Washoe }
Taken up and Posted as

Estray by Abraham Loaraby living at Mill
Station. One light gray horse mule and
described as follows, to wit; branded with
Spanish brand in shape of figures 8 and
S on left shoulder, the hoof on left foot
broken or torn off or crooked over. - taken up
and posted on this 14th day of June 1867.
came to the premises about the 15 of May
- first saw said mule in the neighborhood
last fall. Said mule is also spavined in
both legs. the marks and brands have not
been altered to the best of my knowledge
since he came to my premises.

Signed A. Loaraby.

Appraise at \$10.⁰⁰ by James Wheaton and
Asa L. Aldrich and described as above
- disinterested residents and householders
duly appointed and sworn to appraise
and describe said mule.

Signed James Wheaton
Asa L. Aldrich

Sworn and subscribed to $\frac{3}{3}$
this 14th day of June A.D. 1867 $\frac{3}{3}$

Elias Owens Justice of 45
the Peace of Washoe County.

Recorded at request of Elias Owens June 21st
at 2. P.M.

Henry L. Fish.

County Recorder.

James Wheaton. State of Nevada
One Brown Mare. County of Washoe

Taken up as Estray and Posted before me
a undersigned Justice of the Peace of said
County by James Wheaton, one brown or
bay mare with blaze face, brand on
left hip with figure (2) in a circle, left
hip down, left knee spring, about 18
years old. came to the premises about
the 1st day of May 1867. taken up about
the 8th inst. and the marks and brands
have not been altered she came to the
premises to the knowledge of the taker up

Signed James Wheaton
appraised at \$20. dollars by William
Thompson and A. Laraby, disinterested
householders and residents of Washoe
County duly appointed and sworn to
appraise and describe said Estray describe
as above.

William Thompson
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th June
1867. Elias Owens J.P.

Recorded at request of Elias Owens June 22nd
1867.

Henry L. Fish.

County Recorder.

G. Bryan State of Nevada
One Bay Colt. County of Washoe

Taken up as Estray by G. Bryan of Washoe
County and Posted by me Elias Owens
a Justice of the Peace of said County, one
Bay Yearling Colt, no marks or brands,
came to the premises last October, being
by me duly sworn deposes and says

that said colt was taken up on his premises
 Signed G. Bryan.

Appraised at Twelve Dollars and $\frac{50}{100}$
 of a dollar by R. B. Moore and H. H. Porch
 resident householders of said county duly
 appointed and sworn by me this 29th day
 of July A.D. 1867. Signed R. B. Moore
 Sworn and subscribed to H. H. Porch
 before me this 29th day of
 July A.D. 1867.

Elias Owens Justice of the
 Peace of said County and Dist No. 1.
 Recorded at request of Elias Owens Aug 8th 1867,
 at 30 min. past 9, a.m. H. L. Fish.
 County Recorder.

John Beck vs. John Beck. vs. Estray mare
 One Grey mare Before F. H. Burroughs Justice
 of the Peace Dist No 3 Washoe Co.

John Beck being duly sworn deposes and
 says that on or about the 6th day of August
 1867, he took up a stray mare about three
 years old, at his ranch in Pleasant Valley
 Washoe County, Nevada. Said mare is a
 light iron grey branded J. B. or J. G. on
 left shoulder, and that the marks or brands
 have not been altered since she came
 into his possession or premises.


Geo. S. Smith and Wm D. Holding were
 appointed appraisers and returned the
 following description and appraisement.
 This Estray is a low heavy set mare, light
 iron grey, with a white stripe in the face
 white under lip, dark mane and tail,
 a small white spot on the left hip, the
 left fore & hind legs are white with J. C.
 branded on the left shoulder, is about 3
 years old and worth thirty dollars.

Aug 24th 1867. G. S. Smith
 Wm D. Holding

Recorded at request of F. H. Burroughs
Aug 26th 1867.

F. H. Burroughs J. P.

H. L. Fish.
County Recorder.

John P. Phillips State of Nevada
One Bay Horse. County of Washoe
Taken up as Estray by John P. Phillips
living at the South East end of Washoe
Lake and posted before me a undersigned
Justice of the Peace of Washoe County
one bay horse, described as follows, to wit:
branded thus  on left hip, dim Spanish
brand, also on left hip. - shod all around
- saddle and collar marks.

Came to the premises about the first
day of September A.D. 1867. taken up in
the field of this deponent about the 2nd day
of October, and the marks and brands have
not been altered to the knowledge of this
deponent since he came to the aforesaid
premises

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day
of October A.D. 1867. Elias Owens J. P. Dist. No 1.
John P. Phillips appraised at twenty
dollars by George Washburne and
M. K. Little resident
householders duly appointed and sworn
to appraise and describe said horse,
described as above. - George Washburne

Signed - M. K. Little
Subscribed and sworn to before me this
8th day of October A.D. 1867.
E. Owens J. P. Dist. No 1.

Recorded at request of Elias Owens Oct. 15th
1867.
Henry L. Fish.
County Recorder.

John P. Phillips. State of Nevada }
 One Sorrel Horse. County of Washoe } S.S.

Taken up as Estray by John P. Phillips living at the South East end of Washoe Lake and posted before me a undesignated Justice of the Peace of said County, one sorrel horse, described as follows, to wit, - blaze face, branded O on right hip, saddle marks, - shod all around, supposed to be nine or ten years old, came to the premises of this deponent about the second day of September 1867, taken up on the first day of October in his premises, and the marks and brands have not been altered to the knowledge of this deponent, since he came to his premises, signed. John P. Phillips, Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of October A.D. 1867.

Elias Owens Justice of the Peace
 Franktown, Dist. No. 1.

and appraised at \$30, by George Washburne and W. K. Little, resident householders of said county, duly-appointed and sworn to appraise and describe said animal, and described as above and said horse is badly foundered.

George Washburne
 W. K. Little.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of Oct. A.D. 1867.

Elias Owens Justice of the Peace
 Dist. No. 1.

Recorded at request of Elias Owens Oct 15,
 1867.

Henry L. Fish.
 County Recorder.

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Joseph Noyes. State of Nevada
One Iron Gray Horse. County of Washoe

Taken up as Estray by Joseph Noyes, near Mill Station. - One Iron Gray Horse, about sixteen hands high, stiff from being foundered, his feet have grown out of shape from the effect of said foundering came to the premises of the aforesaid Noyes about the 8th day of May 1867. - no marks or brands perceivable, about 8 or 9 years old. - been running on and about my ranch ever since. - taken up about 28th day of January 1868.

Signed. Jos. Noyes
\$40.⁰⁰ appraised at forty dollars by J. N. Noyes and John Marshall two disinterested resident householders of Washoe County, duly appointed and sworn to appraise and describe said horse, described as above.

Signed J. N. Noyes
all of which was sworn John Marshall
and subscribed to before
me on the 4th day of February
A.D. 1868.

Elias Owens Justice of the Peace
Frankton Dist No. 1.
Recorded at request of E. Owens Feby 12th
A.D. 1868 at 1. P.M. H. L. Fish,
County Recorder.

G. Bryan. State of Nevada
1 Bay Horse. County of Washoe

Taken up as Estray by G. Bryan, on his ranch near Mill Station, one small bay horse, branded thus D on left shoulder and A on left hip. - saddle marks, small star in forehead. - left hind foot white, large belly. - some white spots on belly and stifle. came to the premises of this

deponent about the middle of July. Taken up on the 29th day of August. The marks and brands have not been altered to the best knowledge and belief of this deponent, since he came to his premises.

Sworn and Subscribed of Squire G. Bryan.

to before me this 7th day
of Sept. a. D. 1868.

E. Owens J. P. of Franktown

appraised at \$25 dollars by F. A. Eert. and C. Cobb resident householders of Washoe County, duly appointed and sworn to appraise and describe said horse described as above.

Signed F. A. Eert.
C. Cobb.

Sworn and subscribed before me Elias Owens a Justice of the Peace on this 7th day of September a. D. 1868.

Elias Owens J. P.

Recorded at request of E. Owens Sept. 14 1868. at 9 a. m.

Henry L. Fish.
County Recorder.

John Baber }
one sorrel Horse }
one Bay Horse }
me this 26th day of Oct. 1868. }
In Justice Court 11th Precinct
Washoe Co. Nev. Oct. 26th 1868.
Personally appeared before
John Baber who
by me being duly sworn deposes and says
that on or about the 1st day of Aug. 1868.
there came to the ranch of O. J. Reed in
Sierra Co. California, one stray Chestnut
sorrel horse, supposed to be seven years
old, a white spot on his face, saddle
marks on each side, a scar on his neck
said horse being 13 1/2 hands in height.
Also one Bay Horse 14 hands high 10 years
old, branded on the left hip thus F right
hind foot white, a star in his forehead

and saddle marks. The affiant further states that he knows of no cause why said above described horses came to said ranch and that the marks and brands have not been altered since the horses came into the possession of said affiant, and that he claims them as estrays, he the affiant not knowing the owner or owners thereof, signed - John Baber. Sworn and subscribed to before me this 26th day of Oct. 1868.

J. K. Lovejoy J. P.

In accordance with the requirements of the statute of the State of Nevada, in such cases made and provided I have this the 26th day of Oct. 1868, appointed and by these presents do hereby appoint as viewers and appraisers of the above described property N. J. Foxwell and John G. Newington, resident householders of said 11th Township, who proceeded on the 30th day of Oct. 1868, to view and appraise said horses as above described and who made the following report: -
 Crystal Peak, Washoe County, State of Nevada, Oct. 30th 1868. The undersigned appointed as appraisers and viewers of two certain stray horses, by J. K. Lovejoy J. P. said horses being in possession of John Baber, do hereby certify that we find that one of the horses is a bay in color 14 hands high, 10 years old, branded thus F on the left hip, right hind foot white a star in his forehead, and saddle marks and that we value said horse at Forty five dollars, in gold coin of the United States, also one chestnut sorrel horse about 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ hands high, a star in his forehead, seven years old, a small scar on the left side of his neck, said horse being valued at Fifty dollars, U. S. gold

com. signed N. J. Foxwell. John G. Newington
sworn and subscribed to before me this
30th day of October A. D. 1868.

J. N. Lovejoy J. P. 11th Prec.
Washoe Co.

I hereby certify the above to be a true Trans-
cript from my Estray Book.

J. N. Lovejoy J. P.

Recorded at request of J. N. Lovejoy. Nov.
14th 1868 at 20 min. past 8 a. m.

Henry L. Fish
County Recorder

Jas. R. Burge } State of Nevada }
one mare. } County of Washoe } 3rd S.

On this the 26th day of May A. D. 1869, per-
sonally appeared J. R. Burge, before
me Jesse Atwell, a Justice of the Peace
of Washoe County, District No. 1, being by
me duly sworn, deposes and says, about
the first day of May, A. D. 1869, he caught
up on his ranch, one stray mare des-
cribed as follows, to wit: about three years
old, - sorrel - with a white stripe in her
face. - no brands perceivable -

J. R. Burge
appraised at Twenty five dollars by
James Hooper and R. Montrose, who are
disinterested persons, and who are by
me duly sworn.

Jesse Atwell
J. P.

Recorded at request of Jesse Atwell, filed
June 5th A. D. 1869, at 35 min. past 6. P.
m.

Henry L. Fish
County Recorder.

D. S. Dearbun
Two Horses.

State of Nevada
County of Washoe

Personally appeared before me Jesse Atwill, a Justice of the Peace, in and for Dist. No. 1, Washoe County, Nevada, on this July 24th A. D. 1869, D. S. Dearbun, who being duly sworn deposed and said, that on or about the 14th day of July A. D. 1869, came to his premises near Mill Station, the following described animals, to wit: One Black Horse about eight years old, branded A. G. on right hip, and W. on right fore shoulder. Also came One Blue-Roan Horse about 11 years old, branded U. S. on left hip, and U. S. on left shoulder, & brand supposed to be an anchor on left shoulder, - that said brands have not been altered since they came to his premises - that the animals, belong to parties unknown to him, Having without delay appointed W. M. Musgrove and H. P. Hayes, two disinterested resident householders as appraisers, they appraised the Black Horse at \$25.⁰⁰ and the Roan Horse at \$50.⁰⁰ and described them as above. Witness my hand this 24th day of July A. D. 1869.

Jesse Atwill.
J. P.

Recorded at request of Jesse Atwill, filed Aug. 6th 1869. at 5. P. M.

Henry S. Fish,
County Recorder.

Geo. Winters.
State of Nevada
County of Washoe
Affidavit of Description
of Estray Animals.
And now comes George D. Winters, who being first duly sworn, on oath states, that he is

Before Roger Tower a Justice of the Peace in and for Washoe Township Washoe County, Nevada.

the son and agent of Theodore Winters, and that he has charge of the stock and ranch of his said Father Theodore Winters in the County of Washoe, and State of Nevada, situate South of Washoe City, and known as the Winters ranch. That there is and has been on the said ranch the following described stock which are Estrays, the owners thereof being unknown to the affiant: to wit- One mouse colored Mule, branded "G" on the left hip, came upon or was first observed on the said ranch about the first day of October, 1869. One white Cow speckled on the neck and shoulders, right ear - branded on left shoulder, could not make out what the brand is. One brown lame Horse - small star on forehead, brand W. on left shoulder. One sorrel Stallion, three (3) white feet, branded "G" on left hip, rope on his neck. One brown Mare, stripe on two white feet - branded either "P" or "I" on left hip. One black Mare Mule, spanish - branded on left hip. All of which above described stock is now on the said ranch, to whom no owners are known to affiant, and he further states that the marks and brands have not been altered, since the above stock came on the said ranch. The above statement was subscribed by George D. Winters and sworn to before me this 30.th day of November, A. D. 1869.

R. Power Justice of the Peace
in and for Washoe Township.

State of Nevada. }
County of Washoe. } Before Roger Power Justice
Oath of Appraisers of } of the Peace in and for Washoe
Estray stock on Winters Ranch. } Township Washoe County.
To P. E. Shannon and John Milne, you are hereby
appointed appraisers of the stock taken up on the
ranch of Theodore Winters as Estrays, and of
which there has been a description thereof

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under affidavit filed in my office this 30th
day of November 1869. and you are required
to proceed to - ranch, and find the value
of said stock, and with a faithful description
thereof, return your doings to me at my office
in Washoe City. Given under my hand this
1st day of December. A. D. 1869.

R. Power J. P.
Washoe Township.

Mr. P. E. Shannon and Mr. John Milne, being
first duly sworn, on oath state, each for
himself and not one for the other, that I am
a householder in the County of Washoe, and
State of Nevada, and a citizen and resident
thereof. That I will faithfully appraise, to the
best of my knowledge, this stock taken up as
Estrays on the ranch of Theodore Winters as shown
to us by the taken up, and will return a faithful
description to R. Power a Justice of the Peace in
and for Washoe Township.

P. E. Shannon.

John Milne.

Subscribed and Sworn to before me at my office
in Washoe City this 1st day of December A. D.
1869.

R. Power J. P.
Washoe Township.

State of Nevada. §
County of Washoe. § 3

On this 1st day of December
A. D. 1869. John Milne and P. E. Shannon having
been duly sworn as appraisers of the following
Estrays - proceeded to the ranch of Theodore Winters
and appraised the following stock, to wit:

One (1) mouse Col ^d mare mule -	35. ⁰⁰
One white Cow speckled on neck and shoulder -	40. ⁰⁰
One brown lame Horse small star on forehead, branded W. on left shoulder -	20. ⁰⁰
One sorrel stallion, 3 white feet branded C on left hip -	30. ⁰⁰
One brown mare, stripes in forehead, two white feet -	40. ⁰⁰

One black mare Mule. Spanish-
branded on left hip —
Total appraisement —
on the (6) head of animals.

25.⁰⁰\$190.⁰⁰

Justice's fees 4.45

2 appraisers fees 15.00

Including mileage
for appraisers \$22.45

P. E. Shannon

John Milne } Appraisers.

Sworn and subscribed before me this 1st day
of Decr. 1869.R. Power, J. P.
Washoe Township.U. S. J. Rev.
Stamp 5^{cts}Rev. Rev.
Stamp 5^{cts}

This is to certify that the above and foregoing
is a true and correct copy of all entries
made in my Estray Book in relation, or in
any wise appertaining to the six animals
now held as Estrays on the ranch of Theodore
Winters, near Washoe City, in Washoe Township
Washoe County, and State of Nevada, together
with which I hereby send all the papers filed
in my office in relation to the above mentioned
Estrays. Given under my hand this 2nd
day of December, A. D. 1869.

R. Power, J. P.
Washoe Township

Recorded at request of Wm Webster, filed
Dec. 4th A. D. 1869. at 45 min. past 1. P. M.

Henry L. Fish.
County Recorder.

State of Nevada } S. S.
County of Washoe }

On this the 2^d day of May A. D.
1870 personally appeared before me Jesse Stowell a
Justice of the Peace in and for Franktown Township
Washoe County Mrs L. S. Bowers and being duly
Sworn deposes and says that she took up on her
Ranch April the 23^d A. D. 1870. One Estray horse
about 5 year old, light Bay, hind feet white, small
star in forehead, Branded B on the left shoulder.

Mrs. L. S. Bowers.

Appraised at \$40⁰⁰ Dollars by E. B. Torole and James
M. Donald who are disinterested persons and who.

are by me duly sworn and described as above.

James W. Mc Donald
E. B. Towle

J Atwell
Justice of the Peace

Recorded at request of Jesse Atwell filed May 11th
A.D. 1870 at 5 minutes past 2 P.M.

Henry L. Fish

County Recorder

By J B Boyd Deputy

Wm R. Musgrove,
One Black mare
One Sorrel Horse

State of Nevada,
County of Washoe.

On this the 26th day of September A.D. 1870. per-
-sonally appeared W. R. Musgrove, before me
a Justice of the Peace in and for Franktown
Township, County of Washoe, and being duly
sworn, deposes and says, that he has two
Horses on his ranch, which he desires to post
and described as follows. - One Black mare
- both hind feet white, and left forward foot
white on the inside, with a white strip on
face. - two saddle marks on left side, and
three on the right side. - no brand - 9 or 10 years
old. - first saw her about 25th of July 1870.
And one Sorrel Gelding, with blaze face - brand-
-ed on left shoulder 10 (appearing to be upside
down) - 7 or 8 years old - brand has not been
changed or altered since I first saw him.
I first saw him about 15th of August, 1870.

(Signed) W. R. Musgrove

Subscribed and Sworn to before me a Justice of
the Peace, in and for County of Washoe, State
of Nevada.

J. B. Hickey J.P.

J. T. Walker and Ross Levers, being resident
householders in Washoe County, and State
of Nevada, and disinterested parties, were

appointed appraisers and being duly sworn
do appraise the Black mare, Thirty (\$30.)
Dollars. and the Sorrel Horse at Twenty (\$20.)
Dollars. (Signed) Ross Seivers,
J. T. Walker.

Sworn ^{and} Subscribed to before me a Justice of the
Peace in and for Franktown Township, County
of Washoe, and State of Nevada.

J. B. Hickey, J. P.

Recorded at request of Jno. B. Hickey, filed
Sept. 26th A.D. 1870. at 20 min. past 1. P. M.

Henry L. Fish,
County Recorder.

R. W. Russell.

One stray Cow.

State of Nevada, County of } Before Geo. Montgomery
Washoe. Affidavit of description } a Justice of the Peace
of Stray Cow. } in and for Washoe County.

And now comes R. W. Russell, who being duly
sworn on oath states that he lives in the
town of Ophir in Washoe County, State of
Nevada. that on or about the seventh day
of January A.D. 1871. that an stray Cow
came to my ranch. the owner of said Cow
is unknown to me. the description of said
Cow is as follows. - dark red - about seven
years old - some white on her belly - branded
on the right horn P thus - marked with a
crop off the right ear. - with a blotched brand
on the left hip. the said cow is still on my
ranch and the owner is unknown to me
and that the brands have not been altered
since said Cow came to my ranch.

The above statement was subscribed and
sworn to before me this 18th day of January
A.D. 1871.

George Montgomery, J. P.

State of Nevada }
County of Washoe } B. Justice of the Peace in and
for Washoe Township

Oath of Appraisers of Estray Cow
on R. W. Russell's Ranch

To George H. Douglas
and S. Smart.

you are hereby appointed apprais-
ers of the estray Cow, taken up on the ranch of
R. W. Russell, of which there has been a description
thereof and affidavit filed in my office in
Washoe City this 18th day of January A. D. 1841,
and you are required to proceed to said
ranch and find the value of said Cow
and with a faithful description thereof return
your doings to me at my office in Washoe City,
given under my hand this 18th day of Janu-
ary A. D. 1841. Geo. Montgomery J. P. Washoe
Township.

Mr. George H. Douglas and S. Smart being first
duly sworn on oath state each for himself
and not one for the other, that I am a house-
holder in the County of Washoe and State of
Nevada, and a citizen and resident thereof
that I will faithfully appraise to the best of
my knowledge this Cow taken as estray on
the ranch of R. W. Russell, as shown to me
by the taken up and will return a faithful
description to Geo. Montgomery a Justice of
the Peace in and for Washoe Township.
Geo. H. Douglas. S. Smart.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at my office
at Washoe City this 18th day of January A. D.
1841. Geo. Montgomery J. P. Washoe Township.

State of Nevada
County of Washoe

On this 23rd day of January

A. D. 1841. Geo. H. Douglas and S. Smart
having been duly sworn as appraisers of
the following estray Cow, proceeded to the
said ranch of R. W. Russell, and appraised
the said Cow, being branded on the right
horn I thus, marked with a crop off the

right ear. with a blotched brand on left
hip. Valued at \$40.⁰⁰.

Geo. Montgomery. J. P. Washoe Township.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing
is a true and correct copy of all entries
made in my Estray Book in relation
to, or in any way appertaining to the above
entitled cause.

Given under my hand in Washoe City
this 30th day of January A. D. 1871.

George Montgomery J. P.
Washoe Township.

Recorded at request of George Montgomery
filed January 30th A. D. 1871. at 3 min. past
3 o'clock P. M.

Henry L. Fish.
County Recorder.

G. R. Holcomb. } State of Nevada }
Two Estray Cows. } County of Washoe }
Grove R. Holcomb being by me duly sworn
says, that on his farm in Truckee Meadows
Washoe County Nevada, there are now two
stray cows. One is a roan color, branded
P. on left horn and the letter J. on left hip
The other is a dark brindle Cow, branded P.
on left horn and a figure 7 on left shoulder
also the figures 77 of right side, and an
anchor brand on right hip, and another
on right side. That said cows 1st came up
with affraints cattle last fall about Sept^r
1870. and continued to run with them until
winter when they came into affraints fields
and were fed by him until spring. That he
supposed for a long time said cows belonged
to persons in the Truckee Meadows, but after
making diligent inquiry cannot find the
owners, and now believes they are estrays, &
prays they may be posted. That the marks

and brands have not been changed in any manner since they came to his farm as aforesaid. Subscribed and Sworn to before me this 28th day of July A.D. 1841. G. R. Holcomb. C. W. Cullins Justice of the Peace District No 5. Recorded August the 3^d A.D. 1841. by C. W. Cullins J. P. page 212. Dock. Book. Filed July 28th 41 in Justice Court District No 5. Washoe County Nev.

By request of Mr. G. R. Holcomb Mr. Thomas Lambuth and F. Reese man were appointed Appraisers by the Court this day to appraise said Cows as described in Record Book page 212. - July the 28th A.D. 1841.

C. W. Cullins, Justice P.
 Now comes said Thomas Lambuth and F. Reese man by appointment of Court, and under oath state they are householders and residents of Washoe County, State of Nevada and are the age of twenty one years, and that we have no interest in said Cows, as to their value or otherwise other than to appraise them as directed by the request of Mr G. R. Holcomb, and the direction of the Court, at what we believe to be is their true value and under oath says that the description of the two Cows is precisely as recorded in Record Book page 212. in Justice Court District No 5. Washoe County Nevada. By request of G. R. Holcomb, we have appraised said Cows as follows. Roan Color \$35.⁰⁰ Dark Bay \$35.⁰⁰ Total for the 2 Cows \$70.⁰⁰
 Thomas Lambuth F. Reese man.

Subscribed and Sworn to before me this 4th day of August A.D. 1841. C. W. Cullins. Justice of the Peace for Dist. No 5. Filed August the 4th day 41. Recorded August the 4th day /41 by C. W. Cullins Justice Peace. page 213.

Recorded at request of G. R. Holcomb. filed Aug. 9th A.D. 1841. at 30 min. past 4 o'clock P. M.

Henry L. Fish.

County Recorder

Theodore Winters

a Red Cow

A Brown Heifer

A Light Red Heifer

a Red & White Bull

State of Nevada

County of Washoe

Before Roger Power a Justice

of the Peace in and for Washoe

Township, Washoe County, Nevada.

Affidavit of description of Estray Animals
taken up on the Ranch of Theodore Winters

Now comes Geo. D. Winters

who being first duly sworn on oath states that he is the son and agent of Theodore Winters and that he has charge of the stock ^{and} ranch of his said Father Theodore Winters in the County of Washoe and State of Nevada, situated south of Washoe City, Washoe Township, County ^{and} State aforesaid and known as the Winters Ranch: that there is now and has been on the said ranch the following described stock which are Estrays, the owners thereof being unknown to the affiant, to wit:

A red Cow branded on ^{the} left hip thus U-crop off the left ear - swallow fork on the right ear, and marked with a dulap. One Brown Heifer three (3) or four (4) years old, crop off of each ear and branded on the left side - left hip and right hip, brands cannot be made out. One (1) light red Heifer (3) three or four (4) years old - crop off of the left ear, swallow fork on the right ear, branded on the left side - left hip and right side, brands cannot be made out. One (1) red and white speckled Bull - crop off the left ear, no brands or marks. 1 white Bull - slit in right ear, no brands - all of which stock have come upon said ranch within the last ten days.

The above statement was signed Geo. D. Winters, and sworn to before me October 11th A. D. 1841.

Roger Power Justice of the Peace, Washoe Township, Washoe County, Nevada.

State of Nevada)
County of Washoe) ss. Before Roger Power a Justice
of the Peace, in and for
Washoe Township Washoe County Nev.

Oath of Appraisers of Estray Stock
taken up on the Winters Ranch

To P. E. Shannon and John
Moilue.

You and each of you are hereby appointed
Appraisers of the stock taken up on the ranch
of Theodore Winters as Estrays, and of which
there has been a description under affidavit
filed in my office this 11th day of October A.D.
1841, and you and each of you are required
to proceed to said ranch and find the value
of said stock, and with a faithful description
thereof return your doings to me at my office
in Washoe City, Given under my hand this
11th day of October A.D. 1841.

Roger Power Justice of the Peace Washoe Township
Washoe County, Nev.

Now comes P. E. Shannon and John Moilue, who
being duly sworn on oath states each for
himself and not one for the other, that I am
a householder in the County of Washoe and
State of Nevada, and a citizen and resident
thereof, that I will faithfully appraise to the
best of my knowledge this stock taken up as
Estrays on the ranch of Theodore Winters as
shown to us by the taken up and will return
a faithful description to Roger Power a Justice
of the Peace in and for Washoe Township aforesaid.

P. E. Shannon.

John Moilue.

Subscribed and Sworn to before me this 11th day
of October A.D. 1841. Roger Power Justice of the Peace
Washoe Township, Washoe County, Nev.

State of Nevada)
County of Washoe) ss.

We the undersigned John
Moilue and P. E. Shannon having been duly

appointed appraisers by the Honorable Judge Roger Power of the Washoe City Precinct, to appraise some estrays taken up by George D. Winters, on this Eleventh day of October A.D. 1841, proceeded to the ranch or premises of said Theodore Winters, and there found the three (3) following described animals which we appraised, as follows, to wit: One (1) red Cow branded U. on the left hip - crop off of left ear - swallow fork in right - marked also with dulap. - lame in left fore leg - about 4 or 5 years old, valued at \$17.⁵⁰ Seventeen Dollars ^{and} half. One brown Heifer 3 or 4 years old - crop off of each ear, branded on left side - left hip and right hip. Cannot make out what the brands are - valued at Twenty five Dollars, \$25.⁰⁰ One light red Heifer, 3 or 4 years old - crop off of left ear and swallow fork in right - branded on left side - left and right hip - cannot make out what are the brands, valued at \$25.⁰⁰ Twenty five Dollars, also.

We the undersigned Appraisers, certify that the above is a just and true appraisement of the above mentioned stock, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

P. E. Shannon.

John Nolue.

Subscribed and Sworn to before me this 11th day of October A.D. 1841, Roger Power Justice of the Peace in and for Washoe Township Washoe County Nev.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true copy of all entries made in the Estray Book of Washoe Township, in relation or in any way appertaining to the above mentioned cause, and to the above mentioned Estrays given under my hand this 16th day of October A.D. 1841.

Roger Power, Justice of the Peace, Washoe Township, Washoe County, Nev.

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Recorded at request of Roger Power, filed October
18th A. D. 1871, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Henry L. Fish,
County Recorder.

Christopher Green, } State of Nevada }
One Bull, One Horse, } County of Washoe }
Before Roger Power a Justice of the Peace }
in and for Washoe Township, Washoe County, Nevada }
Affidavit of description }
of Estray Animals }
Now comes Christopher

Green, who being first duly sworn, on oath states that he occupies a ranch on the South East side of Washoe City, in Washoe County and State of Nevada. Known as the Lake Green ranch; that there is and has been on the said ranch the following described stock which are estrays, the owners thereof being unknown to the affiant: to wit: One (1) white and red spotted Bull two (2) or three (3) years old, branded on right shoulder (3) no ear marks. Said Bull came to said ranch about six weeks since and since that time has been several times driven off by the affiant. Also one (1) small sized sorrel Horse, with three white feet and white face - saddle marks on his back - branded (3) Said Horse came on said ranch about the 15th of April last and has been driven away many times, by the affiant, but still returning. The above described Bull and Horse have come upon said ranch the last time within ten days back from the date of this affidavit.

Subscribed and sworn to this 1st day of }
December, A. D. 1871, Roger Power } Christopher Green,
Justice of the Peace Washoe Township }
State of Nevada }
County of Washoe } Before Roger Power, a

Justice of the Peace in and for }
 Washoe Township Washoe County Nevada }
 Oath of Appraisers of Estray }
 stock on the Lake Green ranch }

Now comes W^m

Truley and P. E. Shannon, who being duly sworn, on oath states, each for himself and not one for the other, that I am a householder in the County of Washoe, and a citizen and resident thereof: that I will faithfully appraise to the best of my knowledge this stock taken up as estrays on the Lake Green ranch, which ranch is now occupied by Christopher Green (said stock to be shown to us by the said Green) and will return a faithful description of said stock to Roger Power, a Justice of the Peace in and for Washoe Township aforesaid.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this }

2nd day of December A. D. 1871. Roger } W^m Truley,

Power Justice of the Peace in and for Washoe } P. E. Shannon.

Township aforesaid }

State of Nevada } ss. Before Roger Power a Justice
 County of Washoe } of the Peace in and for Washoe
 Township, Washoe County, Nevada.

To W^m Truley and P. E. Shannon, you and each of you are hereby appointed appraisers of the stock taken up as Estrays on the Lake Green Ranch, by Christopher Green, the present occupant of said ranch, a description of said ranch under affidavit having been filed in my office, December 1st A. D. 1871, and you and each of you are required to proceed to said ranch and find the value of said stock and with a faithful description thereof return your doings to me at my office in Washoe City. Given under my hand this 2nd day of December A. D. 1871.

Roger Power, Justice of the Peace, Washoe
 Township, Washoe County Nevada

State of Nevada }
 County of Washoe } B.

We the undersigned W^m
 Truley and P. E. Shannon having been duly
 appointed appraisers by R. Power Justice of
 the Peace of Washoe City Precinct, to appraise
 estrays taken up by Chis Green. We this second
 day of December A. D. 1841. proceeded to the
 ranch or premises now occupied - said
 Green, and there found the two following describ-
 -ed animals which we appraised as follows
 to wit: One red and white spotted Bull brand-
 -ed on right shoulder ♀ - no ear marks, valued
 at Fifteen \$15.⁰⁰ Dollars (3 years old). One
 sorrel mustang Horse about seven years old
 - 3 white feet and white face and saddle marks
 - branded ♀ on left hind leg - valued at Fifteen
 \$15.⁰⁰ Dollars. We the undersigned appraisers
 hereby certify that the above is a just and true
 appraisement of the above mentioned stock
 or Estrays to the best of our knowledge and belief.
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th } P. E. Shannon
 day of December A. D. 1841. Roger Power } W^m Truley
 Justice of the Peace, Washoe Township }
 Washoe County Nevada. }

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a
 true and correct statement of all entries made in
 relation to or in any - aspect pertaining to the above
 mentioned cause in the Estray Book of Washoe
 Township, Washoe County, Nevada.

Roger Power Justice of the Peace in and for Washoe
 Township, Washoe County Nevada.

P. S. The above mentioned Bull was delivered to
 the owner Geo. Smith of Pleasant Valley, Decem-
 -ber 8th 1841. Roger Power J. P.

Recorded at request of R. Power. filed Dec. 9th
 A. D. 1841.

Henry L. Fish
 County Recorder

A. A. Longley.
 One red + white Cow.

Justice Court Reno Township
 Washoe Co. Nev. Saturday
 Dec. 30th 1841.

State of Nevada
 County of Washoe

A. A. Longley being duly sworn deposes and says, that on or about the First day of September A. D. 1841, there came upon his the said Longley premises - the same lying and being situate five or six miles South of Reno, on Truckee Meadows - an Estray animal described as follows, to wit: One red and white Cow with red neck - branded on the left hip - think it is figure eight (8) but cannot say positive as the brand is blotted - mark - crop off left ear - with slit in the same - about eight years old.

Subscribed & sworn to before me
 this Dec. 30th 1841 Jas. J. Kelly J.P.

A. A. Longley

The Court then appointed the following named residents and householders to act as appraisers of the above described Cow, who returned the following as their judgment therein: The the undersigned appraisers appointed to appraise the above mentioned Cow, do appraise her at Twenty Dollars, and find the marks and brands as follows: Crop off the left ear and slit in the same, and branded figure Eight we think - brand badly blotted.

Subscribed & sworn to before me
 this Jan 2nd 1842. Jas. J. Kelly J.P.

G. H. Warren.

R. J. Gammans

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of the Estray Book in my office.

Jas. J. Kelly J.P.

Recorded at request of Jas. J. Kelly, filed
 Jan. 6th A. D. 1842. at 20 min. past 3. P. M.

Henry Fish.
 County Recorder.

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George H. Warren. ³ Justice Court Reno Township
Owned ^{and} white Cow. ³ Washoe Co. Nev. Tuesday
Jan'y 2, A.D. 1872.

State of Nevada ³
County of Washoe ³ 23

And now comes Geo. H. Warren, who being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on or about the First day of April A.D. 1871. Came upon his premises in Tucker Meadows, County and State aforesaid, one red and white Cow, about four years old, branded B. on the right side, no other marks describable. Can find no owner thereof, and brands and marks on the same have not been changed since she came upon said premises.

Subscribed ^{and} Sworn to before me ³ G. H. Warren.
this Jan'y 2nd 1872. Jas. J. Kelly J.P. ³

The Court then appointed the following named residents and householders of the County and State aforesaid to act as appraisers of the value of the aforesaid Cow, to wit: A. A. Longley ^{and} R. S. Gammann who returned the following as their judgment thereon. - The the appraisers appointed to appraise a Cow on the ranch of G. H. Warren do appraise the said Cow at Twenty four (\$24.⁰⁰)

Subscribed ^{and} Sworn to before me ³ A. A. Longley
this Jan'y. 2nd 1872. Jas. J. Kelly J.P. ³ R. S. Gammann

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of the Estray Book in my office
Jas. J. Kelly, J.P.

Recorded at request of Jas. J. Kelly, filed
January 10th A.D. 1872. at 20 min. past
3 o'clock P. M.

Henry L. Fish,
County Recorder.

G. R. Holcomb. 3 State of Nevada and }
 One Bay Mare Colt. }
 One Soul Horse Colt. }

Rev. Rev.
 Stamp & etc

G. R. Holcomb appearing before me, and being duly sworn says, that three came to his farm in Truckee Meadows some time in July last, two Colts - one is a bay mare, two or three years old - a little white in the face - no brands - slight lameness in left hind leg; the other is a sorrel horse colt - two or three years old - white strips in the face - branded thus L on the right stifle - two or three white feet. Affiant further says, that he has made diligent enquiry and has failed to find the owners, and prays that they may be posted, believing them to be Strays. The brands have not been changed since they came to his place as aforesaid.

G. R. Holcomb

Subscribed ^{and} sworn to before me this 1st day of Oct. 1872. C. W. Bullius, J. P.

By request of G. R. Holcomb, W. F. Everett and J. W. Lyell were appointed appraisers by the Court.

Endorsed - Filed October the 1st day 1872.

By request of Mr. Holcomb Mr. J. W. Lyell and W. F. Everett were appointed appraisers by the Court this day Oct. 1st /72 to appraise said horses as described in Record Book pp. 260. Oct. 1st 1872.

C. W. Bullius Justice.

Now said J. W. Lyell and W. F. Everett by appointment of the Court and under oath state they are householders and residents of Washoe Co. State of Nevada, and are the age of twenty one years, and that we have no interest in said horses as to their value or otherwise other than to appraise them as directed by

by the request of G. R. Holcomb, and the direction of the Court, at which we believe to be is the true value, and under oath say that the description of the horses is precisely as recorded in Record Book, page 260. in Justice Court District No 5. Washoe Co. Nev. by request of G. R. Holcomb, we have appraised said horses as follows - Bay mare three years old - no brand - Thirty dollars (\$30.00) Sorrel horse - two years old, brand thus I - Twenty dollars (\$20.00) Total Fifty dollars (\$50.00)

J. W. Lyell.
W. F. Everett.

Subscribed ^{and sworn} to before me this 9 day of October A. D. 1872. C. W. Cullins, Justice of the Pe for Dis. No 5.

Endorsed - Filed October the 9th day 1872.

Recorded at request of C. W. Cullins filed Oct. 15th A. D. 1872. at 5 min past 9 o'clock A. M.

H. L. Fish
County Recorder.

Lawson Hughes,
one Red Heifer
one Red Roan "
one Red "
" " "
" " "
" White + Black "
" " + Red "
" " " " Yearling
" " " " "

State of Nevada)
County of Washoe)

Taken up as Estrays by Lawson Hughes, and posted before me E. Owens, a Justice of the Peace of Franktown Township
True head of one year old Heifers, one year old last

Nev. Rev.
Stamp 5^{cts}

Spring, The aforesaid Lawson Hughes came personally before me on the 3rd day of December A. D. 1872. being by me duly sworn, says that he had taken up said yearlings heifers on his premises, on the 2nd day of December 1872. and describes them as follows, to wit: 1. one a

- red. marked in the ears, with crop off the right, and a slit in the left, no brands discernable
2. one a red roan yearling past with a white face, crops off the right ear, and slit in the left, no brands discernable
- 3^d one a red and white spotted yearling heifer marked in the ears, with a crop off the right ear and slit in the left, no brands discernable
- 4th one with red sides, line back, white belly ^{and} white face, one year old last spring, marked in the ears, with crop off the right and slit in the left, no brands discernable
- 5th one a red one with a white face, and white belly, ears marked with crop off the right and slit in the left, no brands discernable, one year old last Spring.
- 6th one, a white and black spotted heifer, one year old last Spring. Ears marked with crop off the right, and a slit in the left, no brands discernable.
- 7th one a white and red heifer, one year old last Spring. Ears marked with crop off the right ear and a under half crop off the left, no brands discernable
- 8th one a red and white yearling heifer, one year old last Spring, ears marked with crops off the right, and slit in the left, no brands discernable
- 9th one, a red and white yearling heifer, one year old last Spring, ears marked with crops off the right and slit in the left, no brands discernable
- And the Lawson Hughes further swears that the above and foregoing heifers first came to his premises about the First of June last, and have been there, on and off, ever since, and the marks have not been altered since they came to his premises to the best of his knowledge and belief.
- All of which he subscribed his name and sworn to before me on the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1872

Elias Owens, J. P.

The foregoing Estray Heifers were appraised at One Hundred and thirty eight Dollars, and described

as by the latter up by James Hope and M. Hamilton who are disinterested resident householders in Washoe County, who were duly appointed, ^{and sworn} by me to appraise the Estrays without partiality or favor to any one, and to describe the same.

All of which was subscribed and sworn to before me on the 4th day of December A. D. 1872.

Elias Owens J. P.
of Franktown Township

Recorded at request of E. Owens. filed December 13th A. D. 1872 at 45 min. past 3. P. M.

Henry L. Fish.
County Recorder.

John Leutz. State of Nevada
Light Bay Mare. County of Washoe

New. Rev.
Stamp 5^{cts}

On the 9th day of December, personally came John Leutz, before me. Elias Owens a Justice of the Peace: being by me duly sworn says that he has taken up on his premises an Estray: light bay Mare. Supposed to be about 4 years old: star in her forehead: branded ^{with} over left stifle. He further swears that said Estray animal first came to his premises about the first of April last, and the marks and brands had not been altered since she came to his premises to the best of his knowledge and belief. All of which was subscribed and sworn to before me on the 9th day of December, A. D. 1872.

Elias Owens Justice of the Peace, Franktown Township.

The above Estray Mare, was appraised at Thirty Dollars, by James Hope and N. Northhope, who are disinterested resident householders of Washoe County, who were appointed by me and sworn to appraise and describe the aforesaid Estray Mare, who described her as did the taker up. They each of them subscribed their names to their

appraisement and description by them given and sworn to the same before me on the 9 day of December, A.D. 1872.

Elias Owens, Justice of the Peace
of Franktown Township

Recorded at request of Elias Owens, filed
December 13th A.D. 1872 at 46 min. past 3
o'clock, P. M.

Henry L. Fish,
County Recorder.

Theodor Winters 1 Light Red Steer 1 Red & White Spots Heifer 1 Light Brindle Cow 1 Dark Red " 1 White Face & White tail Steer Animals <u>3</u>	State of Nevada } County of Washoe } ^{SS} Before Mayor Power a Justice of the Peace in and for Washoe Township Washoe County Nevada Affidavit of description of Estray
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Van Buren
Stamp 5^{cts}/₁₁

Now comes George D. Winters who being duly sworn on oath states that he is the Son and agent of Theodor Winters and that he has charge of the Stock and Ranch of his Father Theodor Winters in the County of Washoe and State of Nevada, said Ranch being situated a little south of Washoe City in the Township of County and State aforesaid and being known as the Winters Ranch. Affiant states that there is and has been on the said Ranch the following described Stock which are Estrays the owners thereof being unknown to affiant to wit:— One (1) light red Steer about three (3) years old branded S on left hip marked with under half crop in each ear white belly, white flank, and half of face white, and also marked with ³duplap. One (1) deep red Cow five (5) or six (6) years old no ear marks, Brand O on left hip. Affiant afterwards discovered a small slit and a small under bit on each ear. One (1) red Steer about three (3) years old star in forehead, four (4) white feet marked two (2) slits in left ear Branded ■ on left hip. 4th One (1) light Brindle Cow eight (8) or nine (9) years old under half

Crop in left ear Branded with two (2) letters on left hip cannot make it out think the first letter is either G or C. 5th One (1) light red heifer, small white spots on flanks + hips, under bit in left ear two (2) years old, cannot see any Brand. The above three cows have been on the Ranch about ten days to the best of my knowledge and belief, and the steers above named have been in and driven out a number of times during the last six weeks.

Subscribed and Sworn to before } Geo D Winters
me this 10th day of February A.D. 1873 }
Roger Powers Justice of the Peace
in and for Washoe Township Washoe
County Nevada

State of Nevada } ss Before Roger Powers a Justice
County of Washoe } of the Peace in and for Washoe
Township Washoe County Nevada

Oath of Appraisers of Estray Stock on the Ranch of }
Theodore Winters South of Washoe City Washoe County Nevada }
Now come Wm Turley and John Cronin who being
duely sworn on Oath State each for himself and
not one for the other that he is a householder
in the County of Washoe and State of Nevada and
a Citizen and Resident thereof and that he will faith-
fully appraise to the best of his skill and knowledge
certain Stock taken as Estrays on the above
named Ranch of Theodore Winters by his son and
agent George D Winters said Stock to be shown
to them by the said George D Winters and that they
will return a faithful description of the said Stock
to Roger Powers a Justice of the Peace in and for
Washoe Township afore said

Subscribed and Sworn to } Wm Turley
before me this 10th day of } John Cronin
February A.D. 1873 }

Roger Powers a Justice of the Peace in and for
Washoe Township afore said
State of Nevada }
County of Washoe } ss Before Roger Powers a Justice

of the Peace in and for Washoe Township
Washoe County Nevada

Order of Appraisement of Estrays

Stock on the Ranch of Theodore Winters.

To Wm Turley and John Cronin you and each of you are hereby appointed appraisers of the stock taken up as Estrays on the Ranch of Theodore Winters in Washoe Township Washoe County Nevada, a description of said stock under affidavit having been filed in my Office February 10th 1873, by Geo. D. Winters Son and Agent of the above named Theodore Winters and you and each of you are hereby required to proceed to the said Ranch and find the value of the said stock and with a faithful description thereof return your doings to me at my Office in Washoe City Given under my hand and dated this 10th day of February A.D. 1873.

Roger Powers Justice of the Peace
in and for Washoe Township Washoe
County Nevada

State of Nevada

County of Washoe

We the undersigned Wm Turley and John Cronin having been duly appointed appraisers by Roger Powers Justice of the Peace for Washoe Township to appraise Estrays taken up on the Ranch of Theodore Winters we on this 10th day of February proceeded to the said Ranch and there found the following described animals which we appraised as follows to wit:

One light red Steer three years old Branded on left hip a black Brand ■ two white hind feet star in forehead valued \$20⁰⁰/₁₁

One two year old heifer red top of head white white spots on the flanks no marks or Brands visible valued \$20⁰⁰. One light Brindle Cow Branded on left hip G R as near as can be found and bit in left ear about six or ten years old valued \$20⁰⁰. One dark red Cow about seven years old Branded on left hip ⊙ with circle with Brand in the circle both ears split

and small under bit in each ear Value \$40⁰⁰
 One steer three years old top part of face white,
 white tail and flank Branded on left hip & marked
 under half crop in each ear and dulap Value \$20⁰⁰
 We the undersigned appraisers hereby certify that the
 above is a just and true appraisement of the above
 mentioned Stock or Estrays to the best of our knowledge
 and belief

Subscribed and Sworn to before } Wm Turley
 me this 11th day of February A.D. 1873. } John Corwin
 Roger Power Justice of the Peace }
 in and for Washoe Township aforesaid }

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is
 a correct copy of all entries made in the Estray
 Book of Washoe Township in relation to the above
 mentioned Estrays.

Roger Power Justice of the
 Peace in and for Washoe Township
 aforesaid

Recorded at request of Roger Power filed February 13th
 A.D. 1873. at 20 min past 11 o'clock A.M.

C. Richardson
 County Recorder

John Lantz }
 One Bay Mare }

State of Nevada }
 County of Washoe }

Franktown May 26th 1873.

I hereby certify that John Lantz died on the 16th day
 of May A.D. 1873, Post before One Bay Mare year
 Old Mare he being by me first duly sworn, says
 on oath that said Mare came to his premises on
 or about the 15th day of November 1872 and has
 been upon his premises and was taken up there on
 and that there is no marks or Brands discernable
 all of which was duly subscribed and sworn to
 before me on the 16 day of May A.D. 1873.

And I further certify that M. Hamilton and James
 Wapp who are disinterested house holders and
 residents of Washoe County who were duly
 appointed and sworn to describe and appraise

The Estray Mare without parenality or favor,
 She was described as before to wit; A Bay three
 year old Mare and she was apprais at \$27.⁵⁰/₁₀₀
 On the Sixteenth day of May A.D. 1873.

Elias Owens J. P.
 of Washoe County Franklinton Township

Recorded at the request of Elias Owens filed May
 27th A.D. 1873. at 30 min. past 9. A.M.

G. Richardson
 County Recorder.

James P. Winfrey
 A Sorrel Horse

State of Nevada
 County of Washoe

Before Roger Pomer
 a Justice of the Peace in and for Washoe City, Township Washoe
 County, Nevada.

Affidavit of description
 of Estray Annular

Shew on this 16th day of
 June A.D. 1873. Comes James P. Winfrey, who being duly sworn
 on oath, states that he is the owner and occupant of a ranch in
 Steamboat Valley, Steamboat Township, Washoe County Nevada
 known as the Winfrey Ranch. Affiant states on oath, that on or
 about the 8th day of June A.D. 1873, a certain horse came on his
 said ranch, and has continued to remain on said ranch up to this
 time. said horse is an estray, his owner not being known to affiant.

The description of said horse is as follows. He is a light
 Sorrel, slim built. Splint on the left fore leg, white on the left hind
 foot up to the ankle joint. Branded on the left hip thus DL
 apparently, very wild, and about four to six year old.

James P. Winfrey

Subscribed and sworn
 to before me this 16th day
 of June A.D. 1873

Roger Pomer

Justice of the Peace, Washoe City
 Township, Washoe County, Nevada.

State of Nevada }
County of Washoe } Before Roger Power a Justice of
the Peace in and for Washoe City Township
Washoe County, Nevada.

Oath of Appraisers of an Estray
Horse taken up on the Ranch of
James P. Winfrey, Steamboat Valley
Washoe County, Nev.

Now comes P. E. Shannon and
W. E. Henn, who being duly sworn on oath, states each for himself
and not one for the other, that he is a householder in Washoe
County State of Nevada and a citizen and resident thereof, and
that he will faithfully and honestly appraise to the best of his
skill and knowledge a certain Horse taken up as an estray
on the said ranch of James P. Winfrey, Steamboat Valley County
and State above named, and that they will return a faithful de-
scription of the said horse, to Roger Power a Justice of the Peace
in and for said Township County and State, said horse to be
shown to the Appraisers by James P. Winfrey.

Subscribed and sworn to before
me this 16th day of June A. D. 1873.

Roger Power
Justice of Peace, Washoe City Township
Washoe County Nevada

P. E. Shannon
W. E. Henn

State of Nevada }
County of Washoe } ss. Before Roger Power a Justice of
the Peace in and for Washoe City
Township Washoe County, Nev.

Order of Appraiment
an Estray horse on the Ranch
of James P. Winfrey, Steamboat
Valley Washoe County Nevada

To P. E. Shannon and W. E.
Henn, you and each of you, are hereby appointed appraisers
of a certain horse, taken up as an estray on the Ranch of James
P. Winfrey, Washoe County Nevada, a description of said horse under
affidavit having been filed in my office June 16th A. D. 1873, by the
above named James P. Winfrey, and you and each of you are
hereby required to proceed to the said Ranch and find the value
of said horse, and with a faithful description thereof, return

your doings to me at my office in Washoe City
 Given under my hand and dated this 16th day of June A.D. 1873
 Roger Power J.P.
 Washoe City Township
 Washoe County, Nevada.

State of Nevada
 County of Washoe } ss.

We the undersigned having been duly appointed appraisers by Roger Power Justice of the Peace for Washoe City, Township, to appraise an estray horse taken up on the Ranch of James P. Winfrey. He on this 16th day of June A.D. 1873, proceeded to the said Ranch, and there found the above mentioned estray horse, and his description is as follows. he is about 16 hands high about six years old, his left hind foot is white, and he is of a light sorrel color, branded on the left leg below the hip D.P. and that we have this day appraised the said estray horse, at seventy five Dollars. We the undersigned appraisers do hereby certify that the above is a just and true appraisement and description of the above mentioned estray horse, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to
 before me this 16th day
 of June A.D. 1873.

P. E. Shannon
 A. E. News

Rodger Power

Justice of the Peace in and for
 Washoe City, Washoe County Nev.

I do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full true and correct copy of all entries made in the estray Book of Washoe City Township, in relation to or in any way appertaining to the above entitled cause.

Given under my hand and dated in Washoe City this 16th day
 of June A.D. 1873.

Roger Power J.P. for Washoe City Township
 Washoe County, Nev.

Recorded at the request of Roger Power filed June 19th at 2 min
 past 2 P.M.

Chas A. Richardson County Recorder
 By J. C. Smyler Deputy

Re G Holcomb
Estray Horses

Justice Court, Reno Township Washoe County

State of Nevada
County of Washoe } ss

July 14th 1873, George R Holcomb being duly sworn says, that on or about the first of April 1873 he found upon his premises in Washoe County one half breed iron gray horse branded this S on left hip about four or five years old also one sorrel horse with white strip in the face branded the same as the other and about the same age that he has made diligent enquiry throughout his neighborhood to ascertain the ownership of said stray horses but has not been able to learn anything whatever in regard to the same deponent further states that the said brand upon said horses has not been altered since they came upon his premises nor has any other brand or mark been put upon them since said horses came upon the premises of deponent that they have been in his possession care and keeping and that it is the desire of deponent to take up and post the said animals.

Re G Holcomb

Subscribed and sworn to
before me this 14th day of July

J J Poor J P

In the matter of the stray
Horses posted by G R Holcomb }

We the undersigned the appraisers in this matter duly appointed by J J Poor Justice of the Peace of this County do certify that on the 19th day of July 1873 we proceeded to view the said horses and we find according to our best knowledge and judgement that one of the said horses is a sorrel horse with strip in the face and three white feet, branded S on left hip and about 4 or 5 years old and one iron gray horse branded the same, as the other, on the left hip and about the same age, and the sum of the value of seventy dollars or thereabouts.

J W Lyle

George Potts

County of Washoe } ss

J W Lyle and George Potts persons named in the above certificate being duly sworn each for himself says that the matters therein set forth are true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 21st day of July A D 1873 }

J J Poor J P.

Recorded at the request of J J Poor filed August 5th A D 1873 at 25 mins past 11 A M
Chas A Richardson
County Recorder by J C Smyce Deputy

S H Perkins
an Estray Horse

State of Nevada
County of Washoe }^{ss}

Taken up and
Estray by S H Perkins on his Ranch and in his enclosure
on the 1st day of September 1873 one black horse described
as follows to wit. Black with white star in forehead. Brand
PH on left shoulder some white about root of tail
Came to the Ranch of the taker up about the 20th day
of August also some white on hind feet. and was duly
posted before me on the 18th day of September A.D 1873.

S H Perkins being by me duly sworn, says that the
above statement and description is true and correct
and the marks and brand have not been altered of
his own knowledge since. she came to his premises
signed S H Perkins

All of which was sworn and subscribed to before me
on the 18th day of September A.D 1873.

Elias Owens J.P

of Frankloun Township.

Appraised at thirty five dollars (\$35.00) by E B Tombs
and Nathaniel Holmes resident house holders in
said County duly appointed by me and sworn to describe
and appraise the Estray horse without partiality favor or
affection, described as above which they each subscribed
and swore to before me on the 18th day of September
1873)

signed E. B Tombs

" Nat Holmes

E Owens

Justice of the Peace

Frankloun Township

I hereby certify that the above is a full description as
was given me, also the valuation to be the same as was
given to me by the Appraisers, this 24th day of September
A.D 1873.

Elias Owens J.P.

Recorded at the Request of E Owens filed September 25
A.D 1873 at 16 min past 8 a.m.

Chas A Richardson

County Recorder by
Jesmyes Deputy

John Swaddle }
One White Horse }

State of Nevada }
County of Washoe }^{8/51}

Taken up as

an Estray by John Swaddle on the nineteenth day of September A.D. 1873 and posted before me the undersigned a Justice of the Peace of Washoe County, One white Horse, described as follows, to wit: about 16 hands high, branded 76 on left thigh. He being by me duly sworn, says that the horse came to his premises about the last of June, and broke into his enclosure, his reasons for not posting sooner, he supposed it to belong to some neighbor, and he further swears that the Brands have not been altered since he came to his premises to the best of his knowledge, Sworn and subscribed to } John Swaddle
before me this 27. day of September }
A.D. 1873.

Elias Owens J. P.
Franktown Township

Appraised at 40 dollars by C M Cobb and E Swaddle who are disinterested Residents, Householders of Washoe County who were duly appointed and sworn to describe the Estray; described as follows, a white Horse, Branded 76 on left thigh about 16 hands high.

Signed } C M Cobb
 } E. Swaddle

I hereby certify that the foregoing description is correct as given to me by the taker up and appraisers October 6th 1873.

Elias Owens J. P.
Franktown

Recorded at request of E. Owens filed Oct. 6th A.D. 1873 at 11 min past 10 A.M.

C. Richardson
County Recorder

E. B. Fowl
 Estray horse

State of Nevada }
 County of Washoe } ^{ss}

Taken up as Estray by E. B. Fowl one light bay horse with 3 white feet white face some white about root of the tail. Branded S, on left shoulder about six or seven years old, he further swears that the above said horse came to and was found on his premises about the tenth day of December A. D. 1873 and the marks and brands have not been altered since he came to his premises to the best of his knowledge and belief (sworn) E. B. Fowl sworn and subscribed to before me this 3rd day of December A. D. 1874. Elias Owens J. P.

And was duly appraised at \$25 by C. M. Cobb and J. J. Donney Residence house holders and who were disinterested, who were duly appointed to appraise and described the above Estray Horse, described as above, all of which was sworn and subscribed to before me this 3rd of January A. D. 1874. signed

Elias Owens J. P.

Franktown Township.

Recorded at Request of E. B. Fowl filed Jan'y 5th A. D. 1874 at 55 min past 10 A. M.

C. A. Richardson

County Recorder by
 J. Smyles Deputy

W. C. Sides
 Estray Colt

State of Nevada }
 County of Washoe } ^{ss}

On this the 3rd day of February A. D. 1874 personally appears W. C. Sides being by me duly sworn disposes and says that he had taken up as an Estray on his premises and in his enclosure One estray Colt described as follows. A Sorrel horse colt about two years old right hind foot white a long tail roman nose no brand came to the premises about the first day of December 1873 and has been there ever since and the marks and brands have not been altered since he came to his premises

Signed, W. C. Sides

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 3rd day of Feb'y 1874 E. Owens Justice of the Peace at Franktown Washoe

County.

Feb 10th 1874

Appraised at \$25 dollars by John Traddale and
 to Mc Cobb, Resident householder duly appointed to
 appraise and describe the stray animal, described
 by them as follows, One Small Colt 2 years old
 right hind foot white a long tail with roman nose
 no brands discernable

signed, John Traddale
 to Mc Cobb

subscribed and sworn to before me the 3rd day of February
 A D 1874,

Elias Owens

J.P.

Recorded at Request of E Owens Filed February
 12th A D 1874 at 45 min past 9 A.M.

C.A. Richardson

County Recorder by
 J.C. Smyles
 Deputy

Re Jones

Estray Horses

State of Nevada

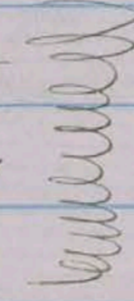
Washoe County } ss

Re Jones being

duly sworn says that on or about the first day of June
 1873 he found on his premises at Little Truckee Sierra
 Township Sierra County Cal two horses, one being a small
 blue face no brand that was visible about seven years old
 the other one an iron grey horse saddle marks no visible brand
 and 7-8 years old both being half bred geldings, that he does
 not know the cause of said animals coming to his premises
 except to run with his other horses, that he has made diligent
 enquiry through out his neighborhood to ascertain the ownership
 of said stray horses, but has not been able to learn anything
 whatever in regard to the same and that the marks and brands
 have not been altered since they came to his farm or premises

that on the fifth day of November 1873 owing to the scarcity
 of feed for his horses and depth of snow he was compelled
 to drive his horses and the aforesaid Estrays to A J Clark's
 Ranch in Reno Township Washoe County Nevada where
 they still are kept, that deponent had been under the belief

that the said horses had come to his premises from Washoe County Nev and for that reason has made and caused to be made diligent enquiry in said Washoe County to ascertain the owner of said horses but has hitherto been unable to do so. That for the aforesaid reason and also to save expense and costs to the owner of said horses he has not posted the same owner as the value of the said horses does not exceed the sum of fifty dollars each and also because he is a resident of said Reno Township Washoe County and State aforesaid. Wherefore deponent prays that appraisers be appointed to appraise the value of said horses and to describe the same and to perform all and every thing in regard thereto necessary and proper to be done, deponent will ever pray etc.


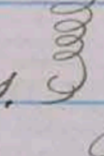
Subscribed and sworn to  R. Jones
before me this 11th day
of February 1874

Witness my hand and official Seal
Thos E Hayden

A Notary Public in and for Washoe
County State of Nevada.

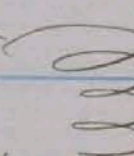
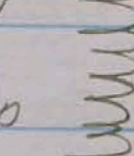
Filed February 11th 1874

J J Poor

In the matter of the Estray 
Horses taken up by R Jones.  State of Nevada Washoe
County Reno Township
J J Poor J P

R Jones having this 11th day of Feb 1874 appeared before me and made affidavit as to two certain horses one a small white faced and the other an iron grey horse, found on his premises in Little Truckee Sierra Township Sierra County Cal. and now in the Ranch of A J Clark at Reno Township Washoe County Nevada, which affidavit has been duly filed with me, I do hereby appoint A J Clark and E S McDellan of Washoe County Nev. appraisers they being resident householders of this County and disinterested persons to appraise and describe said animals

J J Poor.

In the matter of the 
Estray horses taken up
and kept by R Jones  Appraisement of Estrays

At the undersigned the appraisers

in this matter duly appointed by J. J. Poor Esq Justice
of the Peace of Reno Township Washoe County Nevada do
Certify that on the 12th day of February A D 1874 we pro-
ceeded to view the said two horses and we find according
to our best knowledge and judgement as follows to wit.

One of the horses a sorrel color and white face about sixteen
hands high no brands visible. is a gelding aged about
five years and of the value of about fifty Dollars U S
Coin. The other horse is of an iron grey color about fifteen
hands high no brands visible is a gelding aged about
eight years old and of the value of about fifty Dollars
U S Coin

Done this Feb 12th 1874
Town of Reno
Washoe County

B. S. McSellen
A. J. Clark

Reno Township Washoe
County State of Nevada

In the matter of the Estray horses
of A. Jones

Filed February 13th 1874

J. J. Poor
J. P.

J. S. Dolls Justice Court Reno
Estray mare and Colt Township Washoe County
State of Nevada } ss Feb 9th 1874
County of Washoe }

J. S. Dolls being duly sworn says
that on or about the 13th day of December A D 1873 He
found upon his premises in Washoe County One sorrel
mare and colt with a small star each in the fore head
said mare about four years old that he has made diligent
enquiry throughout his neighborhood to ascertain the
ownership of said Estrays mare and colt but has not
been able to learn anything whatever in regard to the same
deponent further states he had not discovered on either
of them and that no brands or marks had been put on them
since they come upon premises of deponent that they have
been in his possession care and keeping and that it is the
desire of said deponent to tattoo up and mark said animals.

Subscribed and sworn
to before me this 9th day
of Feb 1874

J J Poor J.P.

In the matter of the Estray mare and Colt posted by
J S Dolles

J S Dolles having this 9th day of Feb
1874 appeared before me and made affidavit as to a
Certain mare & Colt found upon his premises in this
Township on or about the 15th day of December 1874
which affidavit has been duly entered. I do hereby
appoint T W Norcross and J C Smith appraisers they
being resident householders of this County to appraise
and describe said animals

J J Poor
J.P.

In the matter of the Estray
mare & Colt posted by J S Dolles

We the undersigned
appraisers in this matter duly appointed by J J Poor
Justice of the Peace of Reno Township Washoe County
do certify that on the 12th day of February 1874 we
proceeded to view the said horses and we find according
to our best judgement is that the mare is a purebred mare
in color with a small star in the forehead the colt is of
a bay color and about 7 or 8 months old with a S with
a star in the forehead and no visible brands on either
the mare or colt said mare & colt are of the value of forty
dollars thereabouts.

J C Smith

T W Norcross

County of Washoe 3ss

J C Smith & T W Norcross the appraisers
named in the above certificate being duly sworn each for
himself says that the matter therein contained set forth are
true.

Subscribed and sworn
to before me this 17th day
of February 1874

J J Poor
J.P.

L. A. Perkins
 Estray Sorel Horse

} State of Nevada } Before E Owens
 } County of Washoe } J.P.

On this 18th day of November A. D. 1874

Personally appears before me L. A. Perkins being by me duly sworn deposes and says that he had taken up on his premises a Sorel roan Horse with white face, right-hind foot white light roan spot on left hind leg near the hock also white spot on right-hip, Branded XX on neck, with saddle marks taken up about the 9th of November 1874, and he further swears that he came to his premises about the 1st of June 1874 and the marks and brands have not been altered since he came to his premises to the best of his knowledge and belief

Signia L. A. Perkins.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of November 1874

E. Owens J.P.

Franklin Township, Washoe County,

Appraised at 20. dollars by E. Trudde and S. M. Pace of Washoe County, Residence Horseholder & duly appointed and sworn to appraise and describe the Estray horse described as follows to wit: One Sorel roan Horse, Branded XX under the mane on right-side of neck, white face white spot on right hip white on left hind leg above the hock white spot under chin

Signia E. Trudde

S. M. Pace

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a correct description and appraised value of the above described Estray Horse, as given me.

Franklin Nov 25, 1874

E. Owens J.P.

Recorded at request of E. Owens filed November 27th
 A. D. 1874 at 9 o'clock A.M.

L. A. Richardson
 County Recorder

W. E. Price } State of Nevada } Refm
 Cuman Edwina Man Colt } County of Washoe } ss E. Owens J. P.

On this 24th day of November A. D. 1874 Personally appeared before me W. E. Price being by me duly sworn says that he had taken up on his premises an Estey three year old Colt described as follows to wit; a light-cream colored man Colt with black mane and tail, black legs no marks or brands perceivable came to his premises about the 1st of March 1874 Taken up about the 14th day of November 1874, and the marks and brand have not been altered since she came to his premises to the best of his knowledge and belief

Signed W. E. Price

Appraised at \$25. dollars by Robt. Sampson and Hugh Montgomery, Resident Household of said County duly appointed and sworn to appraise and describe the Estey and described as follows. A light-cream color three year old black mane and tail, black legs no marks or brands visible.

Signed Robt. Sampson

Hugh Montgomery

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of November A. D. 1874
 E. Owens J. P.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full description of said Estey as taken from my Estey Book and the Valuation thereof

E. Owens J. P.

Franklin Nov 25th 1874

Recorded at Request of E. Owens filed Nov 27th A. D. 1874 at 9 o'clock A. M.

C. A. Richardson
 County Recorder

Thos G. Herman } State of Nevada }
 Two Milch cows } County of Washoe } ss

On this 23rd day of September A. D. 1874 came Thos G. Herman who being duly sworn deposes & says that on the 23rd day of August A. D. 1874 there came to his premises two (2) Milch cows of which the following is a correct description One (1) a light red with white belly and white hind feet and slit in right ear no other brand or marks. One (1) a dark red white belly half crop on left ear and half crop and upper bit on right ear (Dunited A. H. on

on left hip and H on the back, also branded thus
 O on right hip and thus on thigh. That said
 marks and brands have not been altered since the said
 Cows came to his premises. That on or about the date before
 mentioned the owners of said Cattle were not aware of
 their whereabouts but up to this time they have failed
 to claim or release their said Milk Cows therefore
 prays that appraisers be appointed according to law
 Thereupon the Jury men G W Sawyer were appointed
 appraisers

Abm Moger
 Justice of the Peace Washburn Township

Recorded at Request of Abm Moger filed Dec 29th 1874 at 9 o'clock AM
 C. H. Chapman County Clerk
 By W. B. Brown Deputy

Washburn Nov 9 1874

As the undersigned having been appointed appraisers by
 Justice, A Moger, to put a valuation on two cows
 now on the ranch of Mr H. Herman do agree to
 the value of one cow to be seventy eight dollars another
 other cow to be forty five Dollars making the sum total
 to the two cows to be One Hundred and twenty three Dollars

Agreed
 G W Sawyer
 Wm Gle
 J N Casey
 True copy of appraisement report
 A Moger JP

Recorded at the request of Abm Moger filed Dec 29th 1874 at
 5 min past 9 AM
 C. H. Chapman County Clerk
 By W. B. Brown Deputy

M. S. Browne } State of Nevada }
 Esq. } Heifer } ss M. S. Browne

being duly sworn, says that on or about the first day
 of August 1874 he found upon his premises in the
 Truckee Meadows in Washoe County State of Nevada
 One two year old past Heifer of a Shore color branded
 E on right-hip. That he has made diligent inquiry
 throughout his neighborhood to ascertain the ownership
 of said Heifer, but has not been able to learn any
 thing whatever in regard to the same. Dependant further
 says that said E Brand has not been altered since
 she came upon his ranch nor has any other brand
 or mark been put on said Heifer since coming

on his premises and that the said heifer has been in his possession care and keeping and that it is the desire of said Deponent to take up and post said heifer

Subscribed and sworn to before me }
this 16th day of December 1874 } J. J. Poor

On the matter of the Estay Heifer above spoken of and posted by M. S. Brown he having this 16th day of December 1874 appeared before me J. J. Poor a Justice of the Peace of Reno Township Washoe County Nevada made affidavit as to a certain Heifer found on his premises in this County on or about the first of August 1874 which affidavit has been duly filed in my office. I do hereby appoint J. P. Johnson and W. Perkins as appraisers they being resident householders in this County to appraise and describe said Heifer.

In the matter of Estay Heifer posted by M. S. Brown the undersigned appraisers in this matter duly appointed by J. J. Poor Justice of the Peace of Reno Township Washoe County Nevada do certify that on the 17th day of December 1874 we proceeded to view the said Heifer and we find according to our best judgement that the said Heifer is two years old past and that she is branded E on the right hip and a shorn color and of the value of Seventeen Dollars or thereabouts

Isaac P. Johnson
William Perkins

County of Washoe }
State of Nevada } J. P. Johnson and Wm Perkins sworn to
in the above Certificate being duly sworn each for himself says that the matter therein set forth are true to the best of their knowledge and belief

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of December 1874
J. J. Poor, J.P.

Recorded at the request of J. J. Poor. filed December 31st 1874 at 25 min past 2 P.M.

E. A. Richardson County Clerk
By M. Brown Deputy

E. Traddle
Red Heifer Calf

Office of Justice of the
Peace, Franktown, Jan'y
21st, 1875.

Strayed upon the premises of E. Traddle about the middle of November, 1874, one Red Heifer Calf, about six months old, under half crop on right ear, a square crop and under half crop on left, Dewlap under neck, Star in forehead, Brand V on left hip. The above described animal valued by the undersigned appraisers at five dollars, \$5.00.

Appraisers { A. H. Perkins
D. H. Lodge

Taken up E. Traddle

Filed this 23rd day of January, 1875.

C. A. Lee, J. P.

Recorded at request of C. A. Lee. Filed Jan'y 29th
A. D. 1875 at 5 min past 9 a. m.

W. J. Williams, County Recorder

Lawson Hughes
Brown Steer

Franktown Jan'y 22, 1875,
Strayed upon the premises
of W. Lawson Hughes,

about the 10th of January, 1875, one three year old Steer, brown with white spots on body, with crop on the right ear, and straight split on the left ear. No brand visible. The above animal valued at \$15.00 by the undersigned appraisers.

Appraisers { M. Hamilton &
John A. Lancaster

Taken up Lawson Hughes,

C. A. Lee, Justice of the Peace.

Filed this 23rd day of Jan'y, 1875

C. A. Lee J. P.

Recorded at request of C. A. Lee. Filed Jan'y 29th A. D.
1875 at 6 min past 9 a. m.

W. J. Williams, County Recorder

H. L. Perkins,
Brown Horse.

Justice Court, Franktown,
Jan'y 22^d, 1875.

Strayed upon the premises of H. L. Perkins about the 10th of January 1875 one Brown Horse, about 15 years old, with Star in forehead, black mane and tail, white hind feet, with saddle marks, splint on each foreleg. Brand XX on right side of neck under mane. Valued by the undersigned appraisers at Twenty five dollars \$25⁰⁰.

Appraisers } C. A. Perkins
 } C. M. Cobb

Taken up H. L. Perkins.

C. A. Lee, Justice of the Peace.

Recorded at request of C. A. Lee. Filed Jan'y 29th A. D. 1875 at 7 min past 9 a.m.

W. B. Williams, County Recorder.

E. Traddle.

Red Heifer Calf

State of Nevada }
County of Washoe } ss.

Franktown Township } On this

9th day of February, A. D. 1875, Personally appears W. E. Traddle before me, a Justice of the Peace of the State and County aforesaid, by me being duly sworn deposes and says, he has taken up on his premises one red heifer calf about six or seven months old, with the following marks and brands - underbit on right ear, half crop on the left, dewlap under the neck, brand U on left hip; and the marks or brand have not been altered since she came onto my premises to the best of my knowledge and belief. Was first seen on my premises about the middle of November, A. D. 1874, and has remained there ever since. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of February, A. D. 1875.

C. A. Lee, J. P. }

E. Traddle

The foregoing described Heifer calf was appraised at \$5. by C. M. Cobb and H. L. Perkins, who are resident householders in Washoe County and State of Nevada, and are neither of them interested in any way with the aforesaid E. Traddle, and were duly appointed by me to appraise the said heifer calf, and sworn to appraise her at her full value, without partiality fear or favor, and to give a full description thereof. Described as follows: underbit on right ear, half crop on the left, dewlap under the neck, brand U on the left hip. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of February A. D. 1875.

C. M. Cobb.
 H. L. Perkins
 C. A. Lee, J. P. }
 Recorded at request of C. A. Lee, J. P. Filed Feb 7 A. D. 1875 at 48 min past 10, A. M.
 W. B. Williams, County Recorder

H. L. Perkins	State of Nevada	} ss. This 9 th day of February, A. D. 1875,
Brown Horse	County of Washoe	

personally appears W. H. L. Perkins, before me a Justice of the Peace in Washoe County and Franktown Township. H. L. Perkins being by me duly sworn deposes and says, that he has taken up on his premises one Brown Horse, about fifteen years old, with star in forehead, black mane and tail, white hind feet, with saddle marks, splint on each fore leg. Brand X on right side of neck under the mane. And the marks or brands have not been changed since he came to my premises to the best of my knowledge. Was first seen on my premises about the 10th of January, 1875, and has been there ever since.

H. L. Perkins
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of February, A. D. 1875.
 C. A. Lee, J. P.

The foregoing described horse was appraised at \$25⁰⁰ by C. M. Cobb and E. Traddle, who are resident householders in Washoe County and State of Nevada, and are neither of them interested in any way with the aforesaid H. S. Perkins, and were duly appointed by me to appraise the said horse, and sworn to appraise him at his full value, without partiality, fear or favor, and do give a full description thereof. Described as follows: about 15 years old, brown with white hind feet, star in forehead, black mane and tail, splints on each fore leg, braided x x on the right side of the neck under the mane. Sworn and subscribed to before me this 9th day of February, A.D. 1875 }
 C. A. Lee, J. P. } E. Traddle
 C. M. Cobb

Recorded at request of C. A. Lee, J. P. Filed Feb 17 A.D. 1875, at 49 min past 10, a.m.
 W. D. Williams, County Recorder

Lawson Hughes } State of Nevada }
 Red & White Steer } County of Washoe } SS.
 Frankton Township } On this 16th day of February, A.D. 1875, personally appears W. Lawson Hughes, before me, a Justice of the Peace of the State and County aforesaid, by me being duly sworn deposes and says, he has taken up on his premises one red and white Steer, three years old, with the following marks and brands, to wit, crop on right ear and split in left, No brands visible. And the marks and brands have not been altered while in my possession. Came on to my premises about the tenth of January 1875, and been in my possession ever since. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of February, A.D. 1875. }
 C. A. Lee, J. P. } Lawson Hughes.

The foregoing described animal is appraised by W. Hamilton and John Lancaster at \$15⁰⁰, fifteen dollars, who are resident householders in Washoe

County, State of Nevada, and are neither of them interested in any way with the aforesaid Lawson Hughes, and were duly appointed by me to appraise the said Steer, and sworn to appraise him at his full value, without partiality, fear or favor, and to give a full description thereof. Described as follows: one dark red steer with white spots on the body, spotted face, smooth crop on right ear, and split or swallow fork on the left. No brand discernable. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 16th day of February, A. D. 1875.

C. A. Lees, J. P. }
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John H. Lancaster
 W. Hamilton x

Henry Weston
 Light Red Cow

In Justice Court
 Reno Township
 State of Nevada
 County of Washoe } ss

Henry Weston being duly sworn deposes and says, that on or about the 23^d day of January, A. D. 1875, came upon his premises in Truckee Meadows, County and State aforesaid, one light red cow, about eight years old, marked with short square crop off of right ear, and a slope or half crop off of left ear, with considerable white in both flanks, with no perceptible brands, and can find no owner. Marks not changed, and said deponent is desirous of posting the said cow.

Subscribed and sworn to
 this 3^d day of February A. D. 1875
 Jno J. Gilson, J. P.

State of Nevada } ss.
 County of Washoe }
 Township.

In Justice Court, Reno and H. Stephens, both real estate owners and residents of Washoe County, appraisers to appraise the value of an estray cow on the Ranch of Henry Weston in Washoe County.

Jno J. Gilson, J. P.

In Justice Court

Reno Township } We the undersigned, appointed
to appraise a cow posted by Henry Weston in the
Tuckee Meadows, Washoe County, do find according
to our best judgment, that said cow is about
nine years old, light red, marked short square
crop off of right ear, and a slope or half crop
in left ear, and of the value of about twenty
dollars.

Henry Whisler
Heister Stephens.

County of Washoe }
State of Nevada } ss.

The parties whose names
are subscribed to the above certificate being duly
sworn each for himself say, that the matter
set forth therein is true, to the best of their belief
and knowledge.

Jno J. Gilson, J.P.

Feb 27. 1875

Recorded at request of J. S. Gilson. Filed March 11th A.D.
1875, at 45 min past 9 A.M.

W. J. Williams, County Recorder.

James Mayberry.

Three Horse Colts.

State of Nevada } Affidavit
County of Washoe } on Estrays.

In Justice's Court, in and for Reno Township,

Personally appeared before me James Mayberry,
who being sworn, says: that on or about the 25th
day of January, A.D. 1875, he found upon his premises
in the County and State aforesaid, to wit, on what
is known as the Hunter Ranch, two one year old
and one two year old colts, all horses, one bay,
one brown and one roan. No visible marks or
brands. And that after diligent inquiry that
he has been unable to find any owner thereof.
Deponent further says that the brands and marks
upon said colts have not been added to or changed
since they came into his possession, and
that it is the desire of said deponent to take

up and post said colts
Subscribed and sworn to }
before me this first day
of March, A.D. 1875

James Mayberry.

Geo J. Gilson, Justice of the Peace of said Township.
Endorsed: Filed March 1, A.D. 1875, Geo J. Gilson,
Justice of the Peace.

State of Nevada }
County of Washoe }

In Justice's Court, Reno Township.
I hereby appoint H. Padgett and J. W. Butcher
as appraisers, to appraise the value of two one
year old and one two year old horse colts, as to
per affidavit estrays in the possession of James
Mayberry. In Witness Whereof I hereunto set
my hand this first day of March, A.D. 1875

Geo J. Gilson,

Justice of the Peace for said Township.

Endorsed: Filed Mar 13, 1875. Geo J. Gilson, J. P.

State of Nevada }
County of Washoe }

In Justice's Court, Reno Township.
We, the undersigned appraisers, appointed on the
first day of March, A.D. 1875, to appraise the
value of certain one and two year old horse
colts found on the ranch of James Mayberry,
find that said colts are worth fifteen dollars.

Subscribed and sworn to }
before me this 13 day of }
March, A.D. 1875

H. Padgett,
J. W. Butcher.

Geo J. Gilson, Justice of the Peace for said Township
Endorsed: Filed Mar 13, 1875. Geo J. Gilson, J. P.
Recorded at request of J. S. Gilson. Filed March
15, A.D. 1875 at 5 min. past 10, A.M.

W. B. Williams, County Recorder

A. F. Kinney
one Red Roan Horse
One Buckskin Roan do.

State of Nevada } Affidavit
County of Washoe } on Estrays.
In Justice's Court in and for
Reno Township. Personally

appeared before me A. F. Kinney, who being sworn says, that on or about the fifth day of July, A.D. 1875, he found upon his premises in the County and State aforesaid one red roan horse, white strip in face, branded O.R. on left thigh and T under the O.R. One Buckskin roan horse branded C. on left shoulder and 69 on left thigh. And that after diligent enquiry he has been unable to find any owner thereof. Deponent further says that the marks and brands upon said horses above described have not been added to or changed since they came into his possession, and that it is the desire of said deponent to take up and post said horses.

Subscribed and sworn to } A. F. Kinney.
before me this twenty first }
day of July, A.D. 1875. } Jno. S. Gilson

Justice of the Peace of said Township
Endorsed: Filed July 21, A.D. 1875. Jno. S. Gilson, Justice of the Peace
State of Nevada }

County of Washoe } In Justice's Court Reno Township.
I hereby appoint A. J. Clark and R. Jones as appraisers to appraise the value of one red roan horse, white strip in face, branded O.R. on left thigh & T under the O.R., and one buckskin roan branded C on left shoulder and 69 on left thigh, strays in the possession of A. F. Kinney. In Witness Whereof I hereunto set my hand this twenty first day of July, A.D. 1875.

Jno. S. Gilson, Justice of the
Peace for said Township.

State of Nevada }
County of Washoe } In Justice's Court, Reno Township.
We the undersigned appraisers appointed on the twenty first day of July, A.D. 1875, to appraise the value of certain horses in the possession of A. F. Kinney, found on the ranch of A. F. Kinney, and find that said horses are worth the sum of Forty dollars.

Subscribed and sworn to before } A. J. Clark and
me this third day of August } R. Jones.
A.D. 1875. } Jno. S. Gilson, Justice of the Peace for said Township.
Recorded at request of J. S. Gilson. Filed August 21

A. D. 1875, at 45 min past 10 A. M.

W. B. Williams, County Recorder.

J. H. Allen
Light Sorrel Horse.

In Justice Court } May 15,
Wadsworth Township, } 1875

Personally appeared before me and being duly sworn deposes and says that he has in his possession an Estray horse, small, of a light sorrel color, light mane and tail, branded T on left hip. Said horse came in over the sand hills east into the town of Wadsworth on or about the 12th day of May, 1875. The owner of which is unknown to affiant.

Subscribed and sworn to } J. H. Allen.

before me this 15th day of }

May, 1875. J. F. Gladding, Justice of Peace.

I appoint James A. Ferguson and John Lee to act as appraisers of the above horse, and also to describe such animal according to law.

J. F. Gladding, Justice of Peace.

The appraisers appointed placed a value of Twenty five Dollars upon said horse as above.

J. F. Gladding, Justice of Peace.

Recorded at request of J. F. Gladding. Filed Sept 6, A. D. 1875, at 37 min past 10, A. M.

W. B. Williams, County Recorder

John Traddle
Two Cows, One Calf.

State of Nevada }
County of Washoe } ss.
Frankton Township.

On this seventh day of January, A. D. 1876, personally appears before me, a Justice of the Peace of Frankton Township and Washoe County aforesaid, W. John Traddle by me being duly sworn deposes and says that he has taken up on his premises about the first of January, A. D. 1876, Two cows and one calf; cow deep red, calf white with red ears. Also one red and white heifer about three years old, Brand M, and thick C on left hip. The foregoing animals came on ranch about

the first of January A.D. 1876.

C. A. Lee, J. P. } John Traddle,
I hereby certify that this is a true copy of
Estray book, C. A. Lee, J. P.

The foregoing described animals are appraised
by Elias Owens and C. M. Cobb, who are resident
householders in Washoe County and State of Nevada,
and are neither of them interested in any way
with the aforesaid John Traddle, and were duly
appointed by me to appraise the said cows and
calf, and sworn to appraise them at their full
value, and to give a full description thereof.
Described as follows (to wit): One deep red cow
with white under belly, about six years old,
branded V on left hip, crop off left ear and
half crop off right ear, with white calf with
red ears; both appraised at Twenty Dollars \$20⁰⁰.
Also one red and white 3 year old heifer, white
face brand MC on left hip. Appraised at fifteen
dollars. \$15⁰⁰.

C. A. Lee } Elias Owens,
J. P. } C. M. Cobb.

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of Estray
book.

C. A. Lee, J. P.

Recorded at request of C. A. Lee. Filed January 14th A.D.
1876, at 30 min past 9, A.M.

W. B. Williams, County Recorder

Joseph Frey } State of Nevada }
Two Sorrel Mules. } County of Washoe } ss.

Frankton Township. On this 7th
day of January, A. D. 1876, personally appears before
me, a Justice of the Peace of Frankton Township and
Washoe County aforesaid, W. Joseph Frey, by me being
duly sworn deposes and says, that he has taken
up on his premises Two (2) Sorrel mules, very old,
one a little lighter sorrel than the other; branded
(S) on the left shoulder. One with rat tail, with
harness marks on rump, and the marks or brand

have not been changed since they came into my possession. The above described mules came upon my ranch about the middle of November, A.D. 1875.

C. A. Lee, J. P. } Joseph Frey.

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of Estray book.

C. A. Lee, J. P.

The foregoing described mules are appraised by C. M. Cobb and Elias Owens, who are resident householders in Washoe County and State of Nevada, and are neither of them interested in any way with the aforesaid Joseph Frey, and were duly appointed by me to appraise the said mules and sworn to appraise them at their full value without partiality, fear or favor, and to give a full description thereof. Described as follows, to wit: Both sorrel, one light sorrel and the other darker, with collar marks on each of them. No brands visible. Ages not less than twenty years. The foregoing mules are appraised at Twenty five dollars each, and formerly owned by Antoine Mussey.

C. A. Lee }
J. P. }

C. M. Cobb
Elias Owens.

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of Estray book.

C. A. Lee, J. P.

Recorded at request of C. A. Lee. Filed Jan. 14, A.D. 1876, at 3^{1/2} min. past 9, A.M.

W. P. Williams, County Recorder

Andrew Gray
Ten head of stock
& 7 sucking calves.

State of Nevada }
County of Washoe } ss
Franktown Township }

On this 31st day of January, A.D. 1876, personally

appears W. Andrew Gray before me, a Justice of the Peace of Franktown Township and Washoe C. aforesaid, by me being duly sworn deposes and says, That on the 26th day of January, A.D. 1876, he has taken up on his ranch Ten (10) head of stock (to wit), Nine head of cows and one steer, of the following marks and brands, to wit, One white and red spotted cow, three years old, with smooth crop off left ear, brand

W.H on left hip (1). One red and white cow, three years old, underbit out of left ear, brand M.C. on left hip (2). One light red cow four years old, some white under belly, underbit out of left ear, brand M.C. on left hip (3). One red roan cow, three years old, no marks or brands (4). One roan cow, underbit out of left ear, brand M.C. on left hip (5). One deep red cow, star on forehead, underbit out of left ear, no brand visible (6). One roan cow, underbit out of left ear, brand M.C. on ^{left} hip (7). One roan four year old cow, underbit out of left ear, brand M.C. on left hip (8). One red bull calf, one year old, some white under belly, crop and underbit, crop and slit on right, no brand visible (10). Also seven (7) sucking calves running with seven of the cows.

Andrew Gray.

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of my Estray book.

C.A. Lee, Justice of the Peace, Frankton Township

The foregoing described animals are appraised by Elias Owens and C.A. Perkins, who are resident house holders in Washoe County and State of Nevada, and are neither of them interested in any way with the aforesaid Andrew Gray. And were duly appointed by me and sworn to appraise them at their full value, without partiality, fear or favor, and to give a full description thereof. Described as follows, to wit: One white and red spotted cow, smooth crop off of left ear, brand W.H. on left hip (with red calf), appraised at \$12.⁰⁰. One roan yearling Bull, crop and slit out of right ear, underbit out of right ear, appraised at \$6.⁰⁰. One red and white cow, 3 years old, with red and white calf, cow brand M.C. on left hip, underbit out of left ear, appraised at \$14.⁰⁰. One deep red cow, four years old, with red bull calf, cow underbit out of left ear, brand M.C. on left hip. Appraised at \$15.⁰⁰. One light red four year old cow with light red heifer calf, cow marked underbit in left ear, brand M.C. on left

hip, some white under belly, appraised at \$18⁰⁰. One roan four years old, cow and calf underbit in left ear, brand M.C. on left hip, appraised at \$16⁰⁰. One red roan three year old cow, with red roan heifer calf, cow no marks or brands. Appraised at \$10⁰⁰. One roan cow with spotted calf, cow branded M.C. on left hip, underbit out of left ear. Appraised at \$12⁰⁰. One deep red three year old cow, star in forehead, underbit out of left ear. Appraised at \$12⁰⁰. One roan three year old cow, brand M.C. on left hip underbit out of left ear. Appraised at \$12⁰⁰. I hereby certify that this is a true copy of Estray book.

C. A. Lee, Justice of the Peace.
Recorded at request of C. A. Lee. Filed Feb 14, A.D. 1876, at 57 min. past 9, A.M.
W. B. Williams, County Recorder.

James Gatewood	State of Nevada	} ss.
6 Head of Cattle	County of Washoe	

Franktown Township. On this 14th day of February, A. D. 1876, personally appears Mr. James Gatewood before me, a Justice of the Peace of Franktown Township, State and County aforesaid, and on his oath deposes and says, that on or about the tenth (10th) day of January, A. D. 1876, he has taken up on his ranch six (6) head of cattle, with the following marks and brands, and that the marks or brands have not been changed while in his possession, to wit, One light red cow, with underbit out of right ear, swallow fork out of left, and calf running with her. No brand (1). One red cow, some white on left hip and under the belly, slit and underbit out of right ear, with a red calf (2). One brindle cow and brindle calf, cow has crop off of left ear and slit in right ear (3). One red one year old steer, star in forehead. No marks or brands (4). One lined back red heifer, one year old past, slit in right ear (5). One clear red

cow, crop off of left ear and slit in the right.
No brands visible (6).

James Gatewoods,
I hereby certify that this is a true copy of
my Estray book.

C. A. Lee, Justice of the Peace,
Franktown Township, Washoe Co.
State of Nevada }
County of Washoe } ss.

Franktown Township. The foregoing described
cattle are appraised by H. H. Beck and Andrew
Gray, who are resident householders in Washoe
County and State of Nevada, and are neither of
them interested in any way with the aforesaid
James Gatewood, and were duly appointed by me
to appraise the aforesaid cattle, and sworn to
appraise them at their full value, and to give
a full description thereof without partiality, fear
or favor. Described as follows, to wit, One light
red cow and white calf, cow under bit out of
right ear and swallow fork out of left. No
brand visible. Appraised at \$15⁰⁰ (1). One red
cow, with some white and under the belly, with
red calf, cow with slit and under bit out of right
ear (2) appraised at \$18⁰⁰. One brindle cow and
calf, cow with crop off of left ear and slit in
right. Appraised at \$12⁰⁰ (3). One line back
heifer one year old past, with slit in right ear,
Appraised at \$7⁰⁰ (4). One red one year old steer,
with star in forehead. No marks or brands. Appraised
at \$6⁰⁰ (5). One clear red cow with crop off of
left ear, and slit in the right. Appraised at \$6⁰⁰

H. H. Beck

Andrew Gray.

I hereby certify this is a true copy of Estray book.

C. A. Lee, Justice of the Peace,
Franktown Township.

Recorded at request of C. A. Lee. Filed Feb'y 22, A. D. 1876,
at 5 min. past 9 a. m.

W. J. Williams, County Recorder.

G. R. Holcomb } State of Nevada }
 Dark Red Bull. } County of Washoe } In Justice's Court
 in and for Reno Township. Personally
 appeared before me G. R. Holcomb, who being sworn,
 says, that on or about the 1st day of September, A.D.
 1875, he found upon his premises in the County and
 State aforesaid, one dark red Bull, about two and
 half years old, with white spot in forehead and
 small white spot on the left flank, and branded
 on the right hip with the figures (71), and small
 overbit on left ear, and that after diligent enquiry
 he has been unable to find any owner therefor.
 Deponent further says that the brands and marks
 upon said above described Bull have not been added
 to or changed since he came into his possession,
 and that it is the desire of said deponent to take
 up and post said Bull.

Subscribed and sworn to } G. R. Holcomb.
 before me this twenty ninth }
 day of January, A.D. 1876.

Wm. S. Gibson, Justice of the Peace of said Township
 State of Nevada }
 County of Washoe } In Justice's Court Reno Township.
 I hereby appoint J. W. Lyle and George Potts as ap-
 praisers, to appraise the value of a Bull, an Estray,
 in the possession of G. R. Holcomb. In Witness Whereof,
 I hereunto set my hand this 29th day of January,
 A.D. 1876.

Wm. S. Gibson Justice of the Peace for said Township.
 State of Nevada }
 County of Washoe } In Justice's Court, Reno Township.
 We the undersigned appraisers, appointed on the 29th
 day of January, A.D. 1876, to appraise the value of
 a certain Bull found on the ranch of G. R. Holcomb,
 do find that said Bull is a dark red, three years
 old, white spot in forehead and on left hip, and worth
 Twenty five \$25 dollars.

J. W. Lyle and Geo. Potts.
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this second day

of February, A.D. 1876.

Wm. S. Gilson, Justice of the Peace for said Township.
Recorded at request of J. S. Gilson. Filed Feb 25, A.D.
1876, at 30 min past 10, A.M.

W. S. Williams, County Recorder

Charles Rager et al. State of Nevada } Affidavit on
5 mares, 2 Horses. County of Washoe } Estrays.

In Justice's Court in and for Reno Township. Personally appeared before me Charles Rager and J. L. Roberts, who being sworn say, that on or about the 15th day of December, A.D. 1876, they found upon their premises in the County and State aforesaid one (1) sorrel mare with two white hind feet and white strips in face, no brand. One (1) sorrel mare three (3) years old, no brand. One (1) Strawberry roan mare four (4) years old, no brand. One (1) white horse ten (10) years old, right ear split and hole through left ear. One (1) cream colored mare four (4) years old, no brand. One brown horse, white star in forehead and right hind leg white up to ankle, branded H on left thigh, Spanish brand under. One (1) bay mare four (4) years old, block brand on left shoulder. And that after diligent inquiry they have been unable to find any owner thereof. Deponent further say, that the brands and marks upon said animals have not been added to or changed since they came into their possession, and that it is the desire of said deponents to take up and post said Horses and Colts.

Subscribed and Sworn to Charles Rager
before me this 9th day of Jan^y, J. L. Roberts,
1877. C. A. Richardson, Justice of the Peace of said Township,
State of Nevada }

County of Washoe } In Justice's Court, Reno Township,
I hereby appoint Antoine Rager and W. W. Turner as appraisers, to appraise the value of Seven head of horses and colts, estrays in the possession of Charles Rager and J. L. Roberts. In Witness Whereof, I hereunto set my hand this 9th day of January, A.D. 1877.

C. A. Richardson, Justice of the Peace for said Township

State of Nevada

County of Washoe } In Justice Court, Reno Township

We, the undersigned appraisers, appointed on the 9th day of January, A.D., 1877, to appraise the value of certain stray animals. (The above description is correct except one (1) sorrel mare three years old, no brand, and one (1) cream coloured mare four (4) years old, no brand, which we could not find) found on the ranch of Charles Rager and J. L. Roberts, and find that said horses and colts are worth thirty (\$30⁰⁰) dollars.

Subscribed and sworn to

before me this 19th day of January, A.D., 1877,

Anton Rager

J. W. M. Turner

C. A. Richardson Justice of the Peace for said Township.
Recorded at request of C. A. Richardson. Filed Jan'y 31, A.D., 1877,
at 5 min past 9, A.M.

W. P. Williams, County Recorder,

William Thompson

1 large work Ox

State of Nevada

County of Washoe } Frankton Township

Personally appeared before me, ^{Mr. Thompson}

and by me duly sworn, deposes and says he has taken up on his premises one stray ox described as follows, to wit: 1 Large Work Ox, nearly white with some red spots on face, has forward right foot split or sore, under bit in left ear, no visible brands. Came to his place about the 20th of January, 1877, breaking into his enclosure, marks and brands have not been altered since coming into his possession, about 5 or 6 years old.

Subscribed and sworn

to before me this 9th day of Feb'y, 1877

William Thompson.

J. H. Harcourt, J. P. in & for said County & Township,

Appraised at \$20, by W. R. D. Aloy and E. Covert, householders and residents of said Township, being by me duly appointed and sworn to appraise and describe the above, or who described him as follows: White with red feet, red ears, some red about neck and face, underbit out of one ear and upper ends

of other ear cut. Same in right fore foot, about 7 years old.

Subscribed & sworn to } R. D. Aloy & his mark
before me this 9th } Elias Owens.
day of Feb'y, 1877 }

J. H. Harcourt, J. P.

I certify the above and foregoing to be a true copy of my Estray Book.

J. H. Harcourt, J. P.

Franktown Feb'y 9th 1877.

Recorded at request of J. H. Harcourt, Filed Feb'y 3rd a.d. 1877, at 30 min. past 9 a.m.

Geo. P. Williams, County Recorder

N. E. Bidleman
20 Head of Stock

Madison Aug 9th '77.

Re Wm. Nicholls and J. G.

Herman being appointed appraisers to set a price on Estrays in the hands of N. E. Bidleman, find that the different stock are worth the amounts set opposite the description as follows:

Ten Head	3 without mark or brand, per head \$9.90.	
Two Steers	3 branded B. H. on left side, one marked, point of left ear cut off, cylinder bit; one marked notch on left and under bit on right.	\$20. 40.
One Spanish Cow	3 branded on left hip C. S., point of left ear cut off	10.
One Steer	3 branded figure 5 left hip, point of both ears cut off.	18.
One Steer	3 branded 2 on right hip, also another brand on left.	15.
		<u>\$ 73.</u>

The above being the entire number presented for appraisement.

J. G. Herman
W. Nicholls.

Appraising two days - 5 ⁰⁰	10.00
Expense for fare each 2 ⁰⁰	4.00

Estrays.

Description of cattle as rendered by W. E. Bidleman, taken up as Estrays, to be posted.
 Two Mares & one bay, one cream color, branded C. R. on left hind quarter with two months colts.
 Two Steers & Five or six years old, branded on left side O. H. one marked, point of the left ear cut off, notched on lower side, color red and white stripe along the back and white head. One marked, left ear notched and piece cut out of the right on lower side, color red and white.

One Cow & Branded C. S. on the left hip, point of left ear cut off - white and black spotted. has yearling heifer and small calf.

One Stag & Black and white spotted, three or four years old, no earmark or brand.

One Stag & Red color, line back, white head - no ear mark or brand - age between five and six.

Three Steers & about five years old - one black with a white belly, branded with a slanting S on right hip, point of both ears cut off. One red and white spotted - branded R. C. on left hip - upper half right ear cut off, point off the left ear. One red and white spotted - white spot on forehead - branded R. C. on the left side - right ear upper half cut off - point cut off the left.

Seven Head & without brand visible. 1. one red and white spotted cow - white spot on the forehead - between six and seven years old. 2. one red and white spotted steer - white spot on forehead - is about four years old. 3. one red brindle steer about four or five years old. 4. one red and white spotted steer - white spot on forehead - three years old. 5. one two year old steer - dark red and white. 6. one two year old heifer - white with brown mouth and ears - has small calf of same color. 7. one

red and white spotted yearling.
 One Steer } white steer - red head and neck.
 Branded 2 on right hip. other brand on
 the left. about six years old. large wide
 horns.

One Cow } Yellow and white spotted
 branded C.L. & B on left hip. both ears notched

One Heifer } Dark brindle yearling with some
 white spots. Branded C.L. on left hip.
 both ears notched. with calf white and
 red spotted.

I certify this to be a correct copy of description
 of above cattle as filed by W. E. Bidleman,
 Wadsworth, August 13th, A.D. 1877.

E. Griswold.

Recorded at request of E. Griswold. Filed Aug
 14th, A.D. 1877, at 20 miles past 11 A.M.,
 W. Williams, County Recorder

J. O. Greenstreet	State of Nevada	Franktown
Light Bay Horse.	County of Washoe	Township.

Personally appeared before
 me, J. O. Greenstreet and being by me duly sworn
 deposes and says that he has taken up on his
 premises one light bay horse described as
 follows: Light Bay Horse ten or 12 years old.
 Roman Nose with few white hairs on nose.
 Stifled in left hind leg. Stifle partly out. Has
 harness marks. No other visible marks or
 brands. Marks or brands have not been altered
 since coming into his possession.

Subscribed and sworn to J. O. Greenstreet,
 before me this 9th day of

Oct. 1877. J. H. Harcourt, J. P.

Miss E. Owens and C. M. Cobb householders and
 residents of said township, being by me duly
 appointed and sworn to appraise and describe
 the above Horse, who appraised him at 15 dol-
 lars, and described him to wit: Light Bay
 Horse, 11 or 12 years old. Left stifle partially

thrown out. Some few white hairs in face and few saddle marks. No brands visible, small lump inside of left hind leg.

Subscribed and sworn to Elias Owens, before me this 9th day of Oct. 1877, J. H. Harcourt J. P. C. M. Cobb.

Recorded at request of Elias Owens. Filed Oct 13th A. D. 1877, at 5 min past 9 A. M. W. J. Williams, County Recorder.

R. N. Hill } Wadsworth, Jan 25, 1878, Sorrel Mare } I have in my possession

a stray mare sorrel star in her face - left pastern white four or five years old - branded on the left thigh with something like a three cornered brand. Came to my place two weeks since.

Subscribed and sworn to } R. N. Hill, before me this 25th day of January, 1878. E. Griswold J. P.

We the undersigned being appointed appraisers on the above Estray find on examination that she is a four year old mare as described above and is worth thirty dollars. Wadsworth, Feb 4th, 1878.

Joseph Felluagle Ben T. Hill.

Recorded at request of E. Griswold. Filed Feb 9th A. D. 1878, at 30 min past 9 A. M. W. J. Williams, County Recorder

Geo. H. Douglas } State of Nevada } ss. George Douglas One White Cow } County of Washoe } appearing before me, J. H. Harcourt,

a Justice of the Peace, this 17th day of January, 1879, deposes and says that he has this day taken up as an estray a cow, described as follows: One white cow, branded a plain circle on left rump, ear mark two underbits, one in each ear, with hip knocked down. Cause of animal coming supposed to be that

he formerly owned the cow, but deponent further says that he does not know the present owner and that the marks and brands have not been altered since they came into his keeping as an stray.

Subscribed and sworn } signed Geo. H. Douglass,
to before me this 17th }

January, 1879. John H. Harcourt, J. P. Franktown Township,
E. Owens and E. B. Towl, resident householders,
appointed appraisers in the foregoing stray
case, deposes and says that they have exam-
ined the above cow and find her to be as
follows. White cow about 7 years old, branded
with full circle on left rump, two underbits, one in
each ear, got white ears with reddish cast on out-
side, few small red spots on left side of neck. Val-
ued at \$15.

Subscribed and sworn to before } E. B. Towl
me this 17th day of Jan'y, 1879 } E. Owens.
J. H. Harcourt, J. P. Franktown Township.

I hereby certify the above a true and correct copy of
stray book now in my office. Franktown, January
17, 1879.

J. H. Harcourt, J. P.

Recorded at request of J. H. Harcourt. Filed Jan 18th A.D. 1879,
at 20 min past 1, P.M.

W. B. Williams, County Recorder.

G. R. Holcomb } In Justice's Court, Reno Township,
one brown horse. } Washoe Co., Nevada,

State of Nevada, County of Washoe, SS.

Affidavit on Estray. Personally appeared before me Gore
R. Holcomb, who being sworn says, that on or about
the 20th day of Sept. A. D. 1878, he found upon his premises
in the County and State aforesaid one brown colored
horse, with white face and three or four white legs,
small white spot on one side, and about five years
old, showing no brands and that after diligent inquiry
he has been unable to find any owner therefor. De-
ponent further says that the brands and marks upon

said horse have not been added to or changed since he came into his possession, and that it is the desire of said deponent to take up and post said horse.

Subscribed and sworn to } G. R. Holcomb
before me this 11th day of }
February, A. D. 1879.

Jno. S. Bowker, J. P. of said Township.
Thereupon on said 11th day of Feb'y, A. D. 1879, I did appoint Geo. Potts and J. L. Downs as appraisers to appraise the value of said horse, who were duly sworn on the 25th day of Feb'y, 1879, and on said day submitted their appraisement of the value of the above described horse to be fifteen (\$15-) Dollars.

Jno. S. Bowker, J. P. Reno Township, Washoe Co, Nevada,
State of Nevada }
County of Washoe } ss. I, Jno. S. Bowker, Justice of the
Peace in and for Washoe County, State of Nevada, do hereby certify the above to be a true and correct transcript of my docket in the matter of an Estay taken up by G. R. Holcomb on or about Sept 20/78. Witness my hand this March 2nd, A. D. 1879.

Jno. S. Bowker, J. P. Reno Township, Nevada.
Recorded at request of Jno. S. Bowker. Filed March 29th, A. D. 1879,
at 5 min past 12, P.M. J. S. Williams, County Recorder.

Chas H. Wilson }
agt. for Hugh Nugent }
One Bay Horse. }
Estray Notice.
Madeworth, April 15th 79. Taken up
by the undersigned on the 14th day of
April, 1879, an estray horse, on the
range of Hugh Nugent, a Bay color, about fourteen
hands high, white star in the forehead, branded B D
over left hip. First seen about two years since.

Subscribed & sworn to } Chas. H. Wilson
before me this 15th day } agt. for Hugh Nugent.
of April, 1879. } E. Griswold, J. P.

Recorded at request of E. Griswold. Filed May 17th, A. D. 1879,
at 10 min past 9, A.M. J. S. Williams, County Recorder
over-omitted.

Madeworth, April 24, 1879. We the undersigned, appointed to appraise a certain Estray horse taken up by Hugh Nugent on his range and marked as follows - bay color about fourteen hands high white star in the forehead, braided B.D. on left hip - do find that said horse is properly worth thirty dollars (\$30), no more nor less.

A. L. Gladding
David S. Ehler

W. W. Morton
2 mares, 1 colt.

Justice's Court, Reno Township,
Washoe County, Nevada.
W. H. Young, J. P.

W. W. Morton }
Affidavit }

Jan 15, A. D. 1880.

Personally appeared before me W. W. Morton who being sworn says, that on or about the 10th day of Jan A. D. 1880, he found upon his premises in the County and State aforesaid, Two (2) mares and one colt - colt about one year old, and that after diligent enquiries he has been unable to find any owners thereof. Deponent further says that the brands and marks upon said animals have not been added to or changed since they came into his possession, and that it is the desire of said deponent to take up and post said animals. The deponent thereupon moved the Court to appoint two disinterested persons as appraisers. The Court appointed as such appraisers Enoch Morrill and Geo. Deemer, they were duly sworn and made report, and that portion of their report of description and value of said animals is as follows: That they as such appraisers, appointed by said Justice of the Peace, did upon the 15th day of January, A. D. 1880, proceed to the Ranch of said W. W. Morton where the said stray property was kept, and found and appraised the same as follows: One (1) gray mare branded "J S" on the left shoulder - valued at \$20. One iron gray mare with an old dim brand of "vine"

cup shape" valued at \$15. one sorrel horse colt yearling, with three white feet and white stripe in the face, no brands, valued at \$10. - making a total valuation of the three animals at \$45. Estay notice was published in the Daily State Journal, and three notices were posted as required by law.

Wm. H. Young, J. P.

of Reno Township, Washoe County, Nevada.

I hereby certify the foregoing is a true copy as recorded in my office. Jan 19, a.d. 1880.

Wm. H. Young, J. P.

Recorded at request of W. H. Young, filed Jan 20, a.d. 1880, at 30 min past 10, a.m.

W. J. Williams, County Recorder

John Leathers in Matter of Estrays

Justice Court, Reno Township, Washoe County, Nevada.

July 26, 1880. Wm. H. Young, J. P.

Personally appeared this day before me, at my office, John Leathers, who upon oath made affidavit and filed the same in my office to the effect that on or about the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880 he found upon his premises in the County of Washoe, State aforesaid, on Mud Lake Slough, about 20 miles northerly from Madsworth in said County, two stray horses, one a sorrel horse about eight years old stocking legged, with a hat "□" brand on the left hip and figures "46" branded on same hip; the other a yellow horse about four or five years old, with star in forehead, and with the same hat "□" brand and "JP" branded on the left hip; That affiant had made dilligent inquiry and was unable to find the owner or owners thereof, and that the said marks and brands had not been added or changed since the said animals came into his possession; and that it was the desire and intention to take up and advertise and post the said horses as Estrays. Thereupon affiant John Leathers moved the Court to appoint two disinterested persons as appraisers. The Court thereupon appointed

Hugh Nugent and Benjamin Hill, two disinterested persons, residents and householders of said County, as such appraisers. August 2^d, 1880; Above named appraisers made return to wit: "That we repaired to the premises of said John Leathers on the 30th day of July, 1880, and there were pointed out to us by the said Leathers the said stray animals, to wit: 1 sorrel horse about eight years old, stocking legged, with hat "II" brand, and "46" branded on left hip; appraised and valued by us to be of the value of about \$15. The other horse, a yellow horse about four or five years old, star in forehead, with said "II" hat brand and "J P" branded on the left hip, and valued by us at \$20; and that the total value of the said two horses is about \$35; and that it is the judgment of your appraisers that the said marks and brands have not been made or changed since said animals have come into the possession of said John Leathers. (signed) Hugh Nugent, Ben Hill". Whereupon Estay Notice was caused to be published in "Reus Evening Gazette" and three notices posted according to law, by this Court. Wm. H. Young, J. P. This is a true copy of my record. Aug 12^d, 1880.

Wm. H. Young, J. P.

Recorded at request of Wm. H. Young. Filed Sep 20, a.d. 1880, at 30 min past 9, a.m.

M. J. Williams, County Recorder.

D. C. Martin
2 work horses.

Justice Court, Buffalo Meadows
Township, Roof County, Nevada.
J. F. Bonham, J. P. Sept 15, a.d. 1880.

Personally appeared before me, D. C. Martin who being sworn, says that on or about September 1st, 1880, he found upon his premises in the County and State aforesaid, 2 work horses branded J on the left shoulder; one horse is black, the other bay; age about 12 years; and that after diligent enquiry he has been unable to find any owners thereof. Deponent further says that the brands upon said animals have not been added to or

changed since they came into his possession, and that it is the desire of said deponent to take up and post, said animals. The court thereupon appointed as such appraisers Dennis Mulqueny and James Petto, and they were duly sworn, and made report, and that portion of their report of description and value of said animals is as follows: That they as such appraisers, appointed by said Justice of the Peace, did upon the 18th day of September, A.D. 1880, did appraise the above described horses, viz, one black horse, branded J on the left shoulder and valued the same at forty dollars. Also, one bay horse, branded dimly with J on left shoulder, and valued the same at forty dollars, making a total valuation of Eighty dollars. The required Estray notice was published in the Nevada State Journal, commencing November 6th, 1880. J. F. Bonham, Justice Peace of Buffalo Meadows Township, Roof County, Nevada. I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy, as recorded in my office Sept 1880.

J. F. Bonham, Justice Peace.

Recorded at request of J. F. Bonham. Filed Nov 6th, A.D. 1880, at 30 min. past 9, A.M.

M. S. Williams, County Recorder.

George Frazier
2 brown mares.

Estray Notice.

Wadsworth, Nevada, May 3rd 1884.

Personally appeared before me this third day of May, 1884, Geo. Frazier of Wadsworth, who says he has taken up two brown mares about 7 or 8 years old, marked with a brand on left thigh (EW). Was first seen about two years ago, and that he does not know the owner thereof. I do therefore appoint Dan Proctor and Joe Feluagle to appraise the said mares and report to me.

H. F. O'Leary, Justice of the Peace.

May 5. We the undersigned appointed to appraise the two mares, do find that one of

them is marked E. W. on left thigh, with this mark on right shoulder E. is about 14 hands high and about 8 years old. Is worth about \$25. The other is marked E. W. on left thigh, the same height and age, and worth about \$25.

Dan Proctor
Jos. Feluagle

I hereby certify the within to be a full, true and correct transcript from my Estray book of all proceedings in the matter of the taking up of two brown mares by Geo. Scazier. Witness my hand at Wadsworth, Washoe County, Nevada, this 9th day of May, 1884.

H. F. Peirson, Justice of the Peace.

Recorded at request of H. F. Peirson. Filed May 12, A.D. 1884, at 40 min past 9, a.m.

W. J. Williams, County Recorder

Elias Owens

Estray Notice.

1 brown mare.

State of Nevada

County of Washoe

ss. Elias Owens

of Franktown being duly sworn says that he has taken up for keeping one brown mare, branded with small letter K above left stifle joint, lame in left hind foot, caused by ring-bone. Had around her neck short rope. Came to his ranch about 10th of September, 1884. And the marks and brands had not been altered since she came to his premises.

Subscribed and sworn to }
this 26th day of Sept. 1884 }

Elias Owens.

C. M. Cobb, J. P.

Appraised at \$20 by D. H. Lodge and John Duwall, duly appointed by me to appraise and describe said animal. Describe as above, brown color, branded K above left stifle joint, lame in left hind foot, caused by ring-bone.

signed D. H. Lodge }
John Duwall } appraisers

C. M. Cobb, Justice of the Peace, Franktown Township.

Recorded at request of Elias Owens. Filed Sept 27, A.D. 1887,
at 40 min past 8, P.M.

W. B. Williams, County Recorder

J. H. Snodgrass
Three Horses,

Before W. H. Young, Justice
of the Peace of Reno Township,
County of Washoe, State of Nevada.

J. H. Snodgrass, in the matter of the Estray horses.
Personally appeared before me, W. H. Young, Justice
of the Peace of Washoe County, J. H. Snodgrass, who
duly made and filed with me under oath his
written affidavit showing that 3 horses des-
cribed as follows, to wit: One horse, with no
perceptible brands on him, about 7 or 8 years old,
light bay; the other a dark bay, 4 years old,
branded J A on left hip: A pony (mare) color
sorrel, branded on left shoulder with a big O,
badly saddle-marked, 10 or 12 years old. Came
upon his ranch near Reno in said County about
the 3rd day of December, A.D. 1887. That said
brands and marks have not been added to
or changed since they came into his possession
and that it is the desire of deponent to take up
and post said horses as estrays under the
estray laws of the State of Nevada. Wherefore,
I have appointed and do hereby appoint W. C.
Snodgrass and Saml. Reager, two disinterested
persons, residents and householders of Washoe
County, as appraisers of said horses above des-
cribed and delivered for publication to the pro-
prietor of the Reno Weekly Gazette, a newspaper
published at Reno County, aforesaid, to be pub-
lished by it each week for the space or time
of 2 months from this date. Said published
notice is hereto attached. The appraisers
above named on the 20th day of December, A.D.
1887, made and filed a sworn appraisement
of the above described horses, describing in
and appraising them at \$45. In ten days
thereafter I caused a copy of the affidavit of
said Snodgrass describing said horses to be handed

to the Recorder of Washoe County to be entered in Book of Estrays, and also a transcript of my docket.

signed, W. H. Young, J. P.
I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript of my docket in the matter of the estrays of J. H. Snodgrass, March 19, 1888.

W. H. Young, J. P.
Recorded at request of J. H. Snodgrass. Filed March 19, A.D. 1888,
at 2 o'clock past 4, P.M.

J. B. Williams, County Recorder.

George Alt. Before W. H. Young, J. P. of
Troy Steers, Reno Township, County of
Washoe, State of Nevada,

George Alt: In the matter of Estray steers:
Personally appeared before me, W. H. Young,
Justice of the Peace of Washoe County, George
Alt, who duly made and filed with me
under oath his written affidavit, showing
that two steers, described as follows, to wit:
Two steers, each branded J D connected, on
the right hip, ear marked, two under bits
on left ear, about two years old, color and
lined back and dark red and muly, came upon
his ranch at Glendale, about four miles from
the Town of Reno, known as the Ranch of George
Alt in said County, on or about the 16th day
of December, 1887; that said brands and marks
have not been added to or changed since
they came into his possession, and that it
is his desire and intention to take up and
post said steers as estrays, and have the same
disposed of under the stray laws of the State
of Nevada; therefore I have appointed and do
appoint Emmons Spencer and William Frost,
two disinterested persons, appraisers, who are
residents and householders of said County, to
appraise and describe each animal; that upon
such appointment and after return & appraisement

and description as before described, I caused a notice to be published in the Reno Weekly Gazette, a newspaper published in the Town of Reno, County aforesaid, to be published by it each week for the space or term of two months from this date. Said notice is hereto attached. The appraisers herein named on the 31 day of May, 1888, made and filed a sworn appraisement of the before described property, describing and appraising them at \$40. In few days thereafter I caused a transcript of the docket to be handed to the Recorder of Washoe County to be entered in Book of Eschaps. I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct transcript of my docket, containing a copy of the affidavit of George Aet in the premises and of all my proceedings therein. Dated this 31 day of May, A.D. 1888.

Wm. H. Young, J. P.
Recorded at request of George Aet. Filed July 24, A.D. 1888, at 50 min past 4 P.M.

Wm. B. Williams, County Recorder

Gardner Chesni 1 brown & 1 gray mare September 12, 1890.	Before W. H. Young, J. P. of Reno Township, Washoe County, State of Nevada.
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Personally appeared before me, Wm. H. Young, Justice of the Peace of Reno Township, Washoe County, State of Nevada, G. Chesni who duly made and filed with me under oath his written affidavit showing that two stray mares, one brown, age unknown, with small star in forehead, and branded "W" on right hip and shoulder, and with "J" on left shoulder and "A" on left hip, and the other a gray mare, age unknown, with left hind foot white, and branded "W" on left hip, came to his ranch about three quarters of a mile westerly from the town of

Reno, Washoe County, Nevada, on or about
 the 12th day of July, 1890, and were
 taken up and held by him as estrays.
 That he duly advertised the same in
 the Daily Gazette of Reno, for the owner
 or owners thereof, and made diligent
 enquiries therefor, but has been unable
 to learn the same, and that the marks
 and brands have not been altered on
 the said estrays since they came into
 his possession, and the said G. Chesin
 desired to have the said stray animals
 disposed of under the stray laws of
 the State of Nevada. Whereupon, I have
 appointed and do hereby duly appoint
 J. K. Symers and Wm. H. Carglin, two
 disinterested persons, residents and house-
 holders of Washoe County, as appraisers
 of the value of the said estrays, to ap-
 praise and describe the same, and
 have delivered a notice for publication
 to the proprietors of the Reno Weekly Gazette
 and Stockman Newspaper, a newspaper
 printed and published at Reno, Washoe
 County, Nevada, to be published in the
 said newspaper for the period of two
 months from the first publication
 of said notice and date thereof (a copy
 of which is herewith attached), once
 each week for the said period. That
 upon the 13th day of September 1890, the
 said appraisers, so appointed, returned,
 made and filed in writing under oath
 their appraisement of the said estrays
 giving the value of the same at \$60.00.
 That within ten days thereafter I caused
 a transcript of this docket to be delivered
 to the Recorder of Washoe County for record
 as required by law. Dated Sept. 18th 1890.

Wm. H. Young, J. C.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript and copy of my docket in the aforementioned Estray matter. Dated Sept 20, 1890.

Wm. N. Young, Justice of the Peace in and for Reno Township Washoe County, Nev.

Recorded at request of Wm. N. Young. Filed Sep 22, A.D. 1890, at 5 min past 11, a.m.

W. B. Williams, County Recorder

Estray Notice BY Jesse Harling.

State of Nevada,) COPY
County of Washoe.) SS. Jesse Harling being duly

sworn says: That on or about the 10th day of May 1909 one Dark brown Horse branded E on the right thigh, weight about 1000 lbs also vented E on the right shoulder, about 10 years old shod on 3 feet, 1 foot bare and One Bald faced sorrel Horse branded N on the left thigh, weight about 1050 lbs about 5 years old- shod all around, about the 17th day of May 1909, came to his Ranch near the Derby Dam and are now held as Estrays & that no brands or marks have been altered since coming into his possession.

(Signed) Jesse Harling

Subscribed & sworn to before me this 21st day of May 1909. David Washeim, Justice of the Peace.

F. S. Smith & Churchill Moss appointed Appraisers May 21/09
Notices Posted at Justices office- Derby & Derby Dam May 21/09
Dark brown Horse branded E Appraised at \$30.00)
Bald faced Horse branded N " at \$50.00) May 24/09
Advertized in Nev. State Journal May 27/09

David Washeim, Justice of the peace, Wadsworth Nev 5/31/09.

Estray Notice.

1 Dark brown Horse branded E on right thigh vented E on right

shoulder about 10 years old weight about 1000 lbs-
Shod on 3 feet, 1 foot bare came to Harlings Ranch near
Derby Dam about the 10th day of May 1909 also

1 Bald faced Sorrel Horse branded N on left thigh
weight about 1050 lbs about 5 years old shod all
around- Came to Harlings Ranch near Derby Dam about
May 17th 1909. Owner can have same by proving prop-
erty & paying charges.

Jesse Harling,

Wadsworth, Nev.

May 21/09

COPY

David Washeim, Justice of the Peace.
May 31/09.

Filing No. 8123

Filed for record at request of David
Washeim Jun-1-1909 at 10 min. past 10 o'clock A.M.

HMM. *Verified*

W. Stoddard
County Recorder

Estray Notice BY Franklin S. Smith.

State of Nevada,) Transcript.
) SS.
County of Washoe.) Franklin S. Smith being
duly sworn says, That on or about the 27th day of
April 1909 one Strawberry Roan Horse No brands
White strip in face 2 white Stocking feet on right
side weight about 750 pounds came to his place at
Derby Washoe County Nevada and is now held as an
Estray, and that no marks or brands have been altered
since coming into his possession.

F. S. Smith.

Subscribed & sworn to before me this 3d day of
July 1909.

David Washeim, Justice
of the Peace.

Notices posted at the Justices office and at Derby
Nevada.

D. V. Merrigan and H. E. McCarville appointed appraisers
Horse appraised at a value of twenty five (\$25.00) dollars

David Washeim, Justice of the Peace.
Wadsworth Nevada July 3d/09.

Estray Notice. Copy.

One Strawberry Roan Horse No brands White strip in face
Two white stocking feet on right side weight about 750 pounds.
Came to my place at Derby Nevada on or about the 27th day of
April 1909.

Owner can have same by proving property and paying charges.

F. S. Smith Wadsworth Nevada. July 3d 1909.

Filing No. 8359.

Filed for record at request of David Washeim
Jul-14-1909 at 30 min. past 9 o'clock A. M.

EMM. *Verified*

Chas. H. ...
County Recorder.

