

Retention and Classification Report

Agency: Territorial Recorder of Marks and Brands (98)

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23567	*Brand certificates
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AGENCY: Recorder of Marks and Brands

SERIES: 23567

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TITLE: Brand certificates

DATES: 1874.

ARRANGEMENT: Chronological by date.

DESCRIPTION:

These certificates certify that specified brands have been recorded. The certificates give the brand owner's name, the brand and its placement, signature and date of recorder, and the fee.

RETENTION AND DISPOSITION AUTHORIZATION:

These records are in Archives' permanent custody.

FORMAT MANAGEMENT:

Paper: Retain in State Archives permanently with authority to weed.

APPRAISAL:

These records have historical value(s).

This disposition is based on the limited number of these existing in archival holdings.

PRIMARY DESIGNATION:

Public

REVIEW AND UPDATE STATUS:

This report was reviewed and updated on 06/2017.

AGENCY: Recorder of Marks and Brands

SERIES: 597

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TITLE: Brand registers

DATES: i 1849-1921.

ARRANGEMENT: Chronological.

DESCRIPTION:

Brand registers contain a record of marks (tattoos or cuts on the ear) and brands (burn scars on the hide) used by livestock owners to identify their stock. Owners were required to apply for the brand or mark with the county clerk. Each brand was then registered with the State Recorder of Marks and Brands, which later became the Livestock Board.

Marks and brands are recorded separately within each register. Entries record applicant and place of residence, illustration of brand or description of where symbol appeared on the animal, date of registration, and line number.

RETENTION AND DISPOSITION AUTHORIZATION:

These records are in Archives' permanent custody.

FORMAT MANAGEMENT:

Paper: Retain in State Archives permanently after microfilming.

Microfilm master: Retain in State Archives permanently.

Microfilm duplicate: Retain in State Archives permanently with authority to weed.

Microfiche master: Retain in State Archives permanently with authority to weed.

Microfiche duplicate: Retain in State Archives permanently with authority to weed.

APPRAISAL:

These records have historical value(s).

This disposition is based on the historical value to researchers interested in the cattle industry in Utah.

AGENCY: Recorder of Marks and Brands

SERIES: 597

TITLE: Brand registers

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PRIMARY DESIGNATION:

Public

REVIEW AND UPDATE STATUS:

This report was reviewed and updated on 08/2015.

AGENCY: Recorder of Marks and Brands

SERIES: 601

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TITLE: Brands letterbooks

DATES: 1901-1914.

ARRANGEMENT: Chronological.

DESCRIPTION:

These books are correspondence from the Recorder of Marks and Brands verifying the certificate and purchase of brands and marks. Information includes the design, position and cost.

RETENTION AND DISPOSITION AUTHORIZATION:

These records are in Archives' permanent custody.

FORMAT MANAGEMENT:

Paper: Retain in State Archives permanently with authority to weed.

APPRAISAL:

These records have historical value(s).

These are historical as they document the use of brands and marks for livestock in Utah.

PRIMARY DESIGNATION:

Public

REVIEW AND UPDATE STATUS:

This report was reviewed and updated on 04/2016.

AGENCY: Recorder of Marks and Brands

SERIES: 600

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TITLE: Livestock pedigree registers

DATES: 1880-1909.

ARRANGEMENT: Alphanumerical.

DESCRIPTION:

Found October 1992 in collections: Record of Pedigrees of Horses,
Record of Pedigrees of Horned Stock, both Utah Territory.

RETENTION AND DISPOSITION AUTHORIZATION:

These records are in Archives' permanent custody.

FORMAT MANAGEMENT:

Paper: Retain in State Archives permanently with authority to
weed.

APPRAISAL:

These records have historical value(s).

Livestock pedigree registers from the territorial period have
artifactual and evidentiary value.

PRIMARY DESIGNATION:

Public

REVIEW AND UPDATE STATUS:

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