

# TUSCO TIMES

**OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF THE TUSCO LONG RIDERS**

*"The Shooting Makes It Fun, the People Make It Special"*

July, 2025

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**Next Shoot:  
August 2, 2025**



Thank you to everyone who joined us on a Hot July day at Tusco!  
Congrats to **Gray Hare** our Top Overall Shooter and to **BDOC** our Top Ladies Shooters on the day!

Appreciate those of you who filled in for me after I left to take my boy home who wasn't feeling well.

He is fine now..

**Scores are up, check them out:**

**<https://www.tuscolongriders.com/2025>**

**Get those High Noon apps in as soon as possible!**

**<https://www.tuscolongriders.com/high-noon>**

Buckaroo Bubba & Prairie Dawg

## Tusco Long Riders July Monthly Match Results -- 7/5/2025

1. Gray Hare	Wrangler	145.19	
2. Hooligan Howes	Gunfighter	150.58	CLEAN
3. Cheyenne Culpepper	Gunfighter	152.74	
4. John Barleycorn	Gunfighter	156.61	CLEAN
5. Bdoc	Lady Gunfighter	163.17	
6. Gray Squirrel	49er	176.37	CLEAN
7. Yippy Yiyo Kiyay	Cattle Baron	178.23	
8. Mad Eye Mark	Duelist	185.18	
9. Cheatin Charlie	Cattle Baron	185.27	
10. Laramie Leadslinger	ES Gunfighter	188.65	
11. Sixgun Seamus	Classic Cowboy	191.38	
12. Lifer	Josey Wales	192.46	
13. N.A. Custer	SS Gunfighter	196.44	
14. Angie Oakley	Lady Gunfighter	215.77	
15. La Porte Lefty	Duelist	217.36	
16. Thunder Creek Kid	Senior Gunfighter	225.19	
17. Stone Creek Drifter	FC Gunfighter	225.60	CLEAN
18. Thaddeus Jones	Silver Senior	229.01	
19. Duke Hunter	Senior Gunfighter	231.55	
20. Moosetracks	Senior Duelist	233.77	CLEAN
21. Frontier Lone Rider	Cattle Baron	252.91	
22. Tug River Kid	El Patron	256.37	CLEAN
23. Led McSlingin	Cowboy	275.03	
24. Flint N. Steele	Silver Senior	278.73	CLEAN
25. Ricochet Eddy	Silver Senior	279.12	
26. Cayenne Kay	Classic Cowgirl	295.06	
27. Blue Hare	Lady Duelist	301.77	
28. Marshal Coal Run Willey	Cattle Baron Duelist	317.54	
29. Prairie Dawg	Elder Statesman	327.49	
30. Lil JB	Buckaroo	341.90	
31. Zeke Moregunz	Buckaroo	414.19	
32. Dancin Dan	Silver Senior	417.52	CLEAN
33. Buckaroo Tracks	Buckaroo	DNF	
33. Buckaroo Bubba	Duelist	DNF	
33. Coffinmaker	CBFC GunFighter	DNF	



# Prairie Dawg's Old West Chronicles

## A Compendium of Useful Information

### July, 2025

#### Old West Range Wars -- Part 4

#### The El Paso Salt War



**The El Paso Salt War**, also known as the **Salinero Revolt** and the **San Elizario Salt War**, began in the late 1860s.

It was a struggle between El Paso, Texas, businessmen to acquire title to the salt deposits near the base of the Guadalupe Mountains. The political and legal struggle extended to an armed conflict waged by the Mexican and Tejano residents, living in the communities on both sides of the Rio Grande.

**Left: The Guadalupe Mountains, as seen from the west.**

Upon approaching the Guadalupe Mountains while traveling from the El Paso area, visitors pass through a landscape of barren beauty. The salt deposits of western Texas are remnants of ancient seas that dried up, over a million years ago. Rains in the Guadalupe Mountains drained mineral-laden water into basins in the Rio Grande Valley. Shallow salt lakes, called salinas, eventually dried up, forming a salt crust, which grew a little thicker each year. At the end of the last ice age, approximately 10,000 years ago, the lakes permanently dried up, when the climate became more arid. The salt deposits are situated at the base of the Guadalupe Mountains, and extend to San Elizario, southeast of El Paso. For centuries, the salt deposits were an essential resource for people native to the region. Salt was considered sacred to Native American tribes, who used it in tanning animal hides and as a condiment and preservative.

In 1692, Diego de Vargas, governor and captain general of Nuevo México, led an expedition in search of salt deposits in and around the Guadalupe Mountains. An Apache prisoner led de Vargas and approximately 20 Spanish soldiers through the Hueco Mountains, eventually arriving at the base of the Guadalupe Mountains, after a four-day trek across the desert. After discovering the salt beds, de Vargas collected a sample of the salt, and returned to Mexico. He reported that their salt crusts were so thick that they had to be chipped away with a pick and that they re-formed within a few days of being removed, so that the salt could be continually mined. This expedition helped pave the way for future Spanish expeditions to the Guadalupe Mountains.

The salinas of Lake Lucero and the Guadalupe Mountains were used initially by the silver miners of Parral, but by the 18th century the people of the El Paso area were using them too. Residents in the Rio Grande Valley were granted community access rights to these salt deposits by the King of Spain. By the 18th century, the area's people made regular journeys to haul the salt to the El Paso Valley communities of Ysleta, Socorro, and San Elizario. Individual carts and wagons were utilized for smaller quantities of salt, and large caravans of salt gatherers often included as many as 16 wagons pulled by 60 yokes of oxen. Roads were soon blazed between the large salt deposits connecting the Salt Flats west of the Guadalupe Mountains, with San Elizario, and another salt trail extended from El Paso northward into New Mexico. After Mexico obtained its independence from Spain, the common rights of the use of salt were grandfathered to the communities in the area. They remained so when the region became part of the United States after the Mexican- American War.

Hispanic populations of the El Paso Valley region depended on salt from the Salt Flats. After the signing of the treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo in 1848, ending the American-Mexican War, over 75,000 Mexicans chose to remain in the United States as U.S. citizens.



Approximately 5,000 Mexican Americans lived in the El Paso valley region, formerly part of Mexico. They subsisted primarily by farming and livestock grazing. In order to supplement income from farming, Mexicans and Mexican Americans from the El Paso Valley communities would make a 70-mile, two day journey from San Elizario to the salt beds. The salt would then be transported by mule drawn wagons south to Chihuahua and Sonora, where it was an important trade item. In addition to traditional uses, in Chihuahua the salt was used in the smelting of silver.

### **Ownership of the Salt Flats -- The crux of the problem:**

Prior to 1848, the salt beds, under Spanish law, were common land not owned by any one individual. After 1848, under American law, these were unclaimed lands, available to anyone who filed there. The Mexicans, believing that everybody had the right to the salt, never thought to file claims to the salt beds in the name of any one individual or group.

The El Paso Salt War began in the late 1860's as a struggle between El Paso businessmen W.W. Mills, Albert J. Fountain, and Louis Cardis, in an attempt to acquire title to the salt deposits near the base of the Guadalupe Mountains. Mexican Americans of the valley communities, who had for years collected salt there for free, were now faced with the threat of being charged salt collection fees.

Mills filed his own claims to the salt beds, and formed a group that became known as the Salt Ring. Fountain, who had a falling out with Mills, later became the leader of the opposing Anti Salt Ring. He was elected to the Texas Senate, with the expectation of securing title to the salt



deposits for the people of the El Paso area. Cardis and Mills soon joined forces with Charles Howard, a Missouri lawyer. Cardis helped secure Howard's election to district attorney, but later became bitter enemies with him, after Howard filed on the salt lakes for himself. These actions outraged Mexican citizens, who considered the lakes public property, under the terms of the Treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo. Cardis later joined forces with Father Antonio Borrajos, an Italian priest who served the Mexican communities, to oppose Howard.

In September 1877, Howard started a riot, when he arrested two San Elizario residents who attempted to go for salt. An angry mob captured and held Howard for three days at San Elizario. He finally gained his freedom by vowing to give up claim to the salt beds, and leave the country. He retreated to Mesilla, New Mexico, but quickly returned to murder Cardis in an El Paso store. Angry Mexicans demanded Howard's arrest. Howard was arraigned for Cardis' murder and placed under bond to appear in court in March.



In early December, a wagon train of Mexicans from both sides of the border, left the valley, headed for the salt lakes.

Howard brought suit, and left for San Elizario to press charges.

In San Elizario, he and a handful of Texas Rangers were besieged by an angry mob, and held up for four days in the rangers' fort.

On the fifth day Howard gave himself up.

**A Mexican Carreta carrying salt to El Paso**

The rangers also surrendered, believing that

Howard was to be freed. On December 17th, Howard, his agent John E. McBride, and John G. Atkinson were shot by a firing squad composed of Mexicans. The rangers from the fort were allowed to leave after forfeiting their arms.

Within a few days, several detachments of troops and a posse of American citizens, arrived in San Elizario, killing and wounding an untold number of people. Most of the mob had already fled to Mexico, and no one was ever arrested or brought to trial. The short-lived war very nearly led to an armed confrontation between the U.S. and Mexico. The unfortunate consequence of the Salt War was that Mexicans from both sides of the border were robbed, assaulted, and murdered. An exodus of Mexican families from the San Elizario area immediately followed the event. Eventually, the Salt Flats were claimed, and the Mexican community was forced to pay for the salt they once collected for free.

For the Hispanic people of the El Paso Valley region, the Salt War was a struggle against Anglo attempts to exploit natural resources, believed by the Mexican culture to be on communal land. The transformation of the salt beds from communal to private ownership threatened the very survival of the Mexican border population. They had constructed the road to Salt Flat, and therefore had a vested interest in the future of the salt beds. The El Paso Salt War was not merely a quarrel over control of the salt beds, but rather a struggle for the economic and political future of the area.

## **Salt Trade, Trails, and Wars -- General Thoughts:**

Few would believe that the desert surrounding El Paso contains a resource so valuable that people would travel hundreds of miles to utilize it, and that two wars would be fought over access to it. Salt is taken for granted today, but for much of human history, it was taxed, monopolized, regulated, fought over, and even used as a medium of exchange. As the oldest and most continuously produced mineral in the state, it overshadows the Texas oil industry.

Carts, wagons, and, later on, trucks, transported loads of this mineral along trails and roads through the rugged Chihuahuan desert in the northwestern Trans-Pecos region. Routes from the salt lakes and salinas, or natural mineral deposits, connected the Salt Flats west of the Guadalupe Mountains with San Elizario. Another historically known salt trail extended from El Paso northward into New Mexico. In recent years, archeologists have discovered remnants of these trails, historic routes of commerce over which this important mineral was carried.

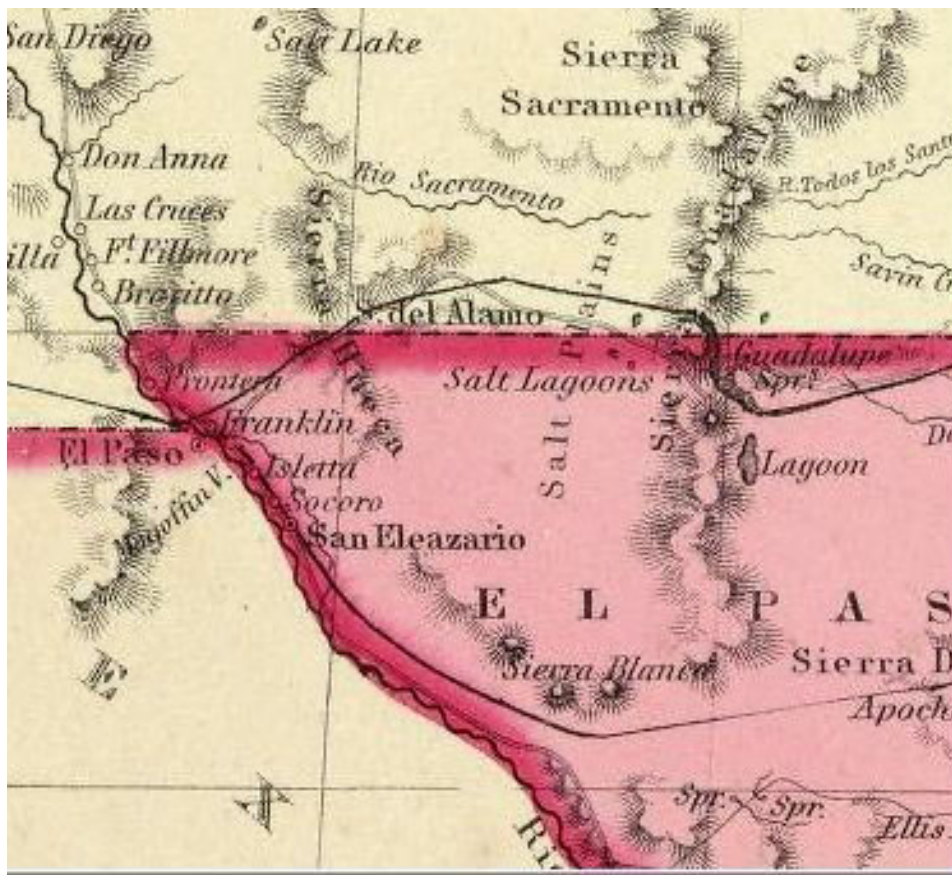
## **Why Salt Is Important:**

Salt is 39% sodium, a chemical element that is necessary for survival. Sodium controls blood volume, muscle contractions, the transmission of electrical nerve impulses, the contraction of blood vessels in response to nervous stimulation or hormones, the absorption of glucose, and the transport of glucose and other nutrients across membranes, especially the intestine. Humans obtain the salt they need primarily from meat and secondarily from plants and water. But these sources do not always provide the body with enough salt, forcing humans to seek it elsewhere.

Salt also has uses for humans other than physiological ones. Before the advent of refrigeration, salt was used to cure and preserve meat. Because herbivorous (plant-eating) animals are attracted to salt licks and salt springs, Native Americans often lay in ambush at such places, or created artificial salt licks to lure the animals. In colonial New Spain, salt was necessary for treating leather, stabilizing dyes, and, above all, mining silver.

The roots of the Salt Wars came from the enduring historical threads of two great colonial empires, Spain and Britain, each with very different world views as codified in laws that governed rights to the salt. The Salt Wars occurred during the ebb and flow of historical influences as the political and cultural boundaries of the United States and Mexico, inheritors of the colonial legal systems, were being resolved.

According to Spanish law, the title to all mines and minerals (including salt) belonged to the government, and the king had long ago granted the inhabitants of New Spain the right to freely gather it. When Texas, which initially included eastern New Mexico, became part of the United States in 1848, the law changed to British common law, which dictated that the title to minerals belonged to the owner of the land on which they sat. Several influential Texans took advantage of this turn of events and formed a partnership to exploit the salinas of Lake Lucero, which they thought could prove to be very lucrative. The Mexicans, believing that everybody had the right to the salt, never thought to file claims to the salt beds in the name of any one individual or group. So began the conflict which became known as the El Paso Salt War!

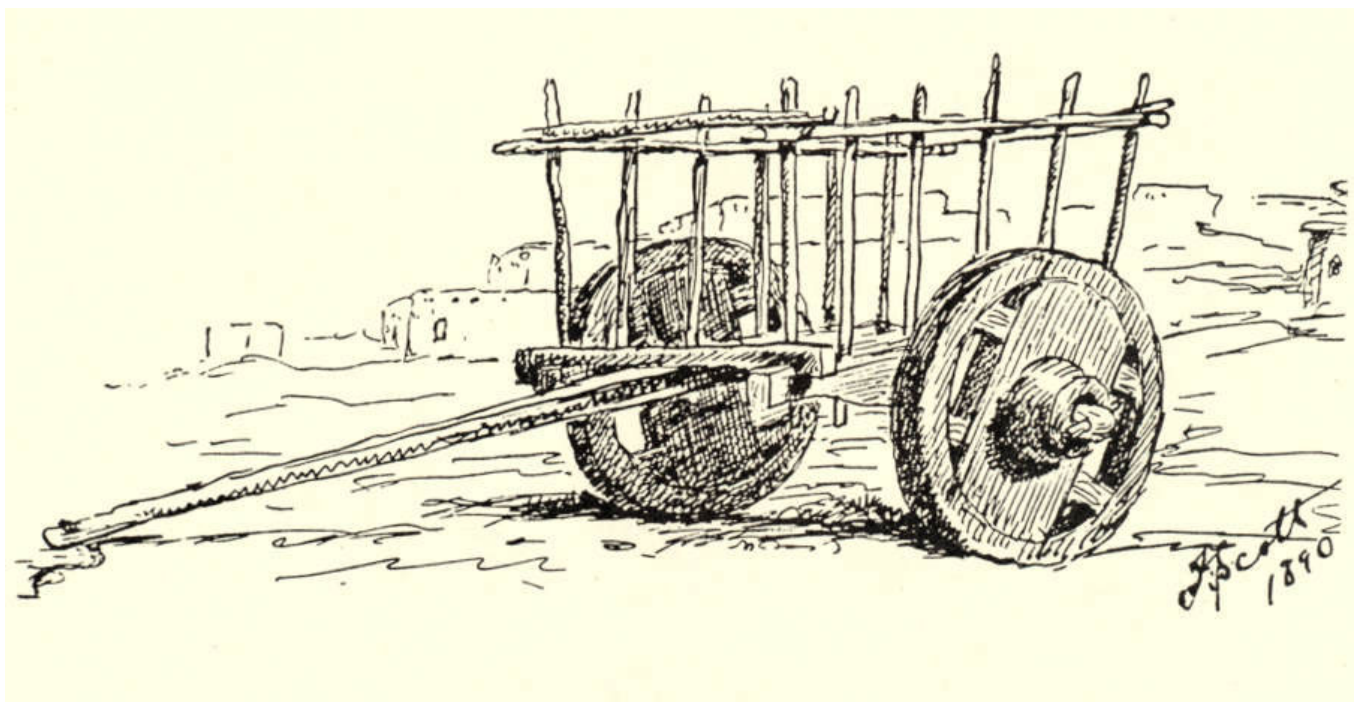


Inset of 1865 map of Texas by J. H. Colton, showing location of Salt Lake in New Mexico and Salt Lagoons and Salt Plains west of the Guadalupe Mountains.

Sadly, only a few short years after the people of the El Paso area had died trying to defend their right to freely gather salt during the El Paso Salt War, the salinas of Lake Lucero and the Guadalupe Mountains fell into disuse.

In 1881, the arrival of the railroad in El Paso meant that goods from all over the United States could be easily and cheaply shipped to the area.

Cheap salt from Kansas put a temporary end to the ancient tradition of gathering salt from the salinas of the El Paso area.





During the 1940s and 1950s, miners again dug for salt in the Guadalupe salinas, but irrigation on ranches in the area lowered the water table and diminished returns from the flats.



## ***July 2025 Cowboy Swap Meet***

***Contact the seller for pictures and price negotiation***

**Seller: Prairie Dawg** AKA Lou Polsinelli LPOLSI@yahoo.com. 216-334-9749

1. A Pair of USFA Rodeos in 38 Special

Long Hunter purchased these from USFA, so they have "LH" Serial numbers  
5-1/2-inch

These were my secondary revolvers for many years, as I mostly shot cap guns

They have been shot with both smokeless and black powder

They have good bores, and wear on the "bluing", if you can call their blackish finish that  
It has taken on a grayish patina

Used, but not abused

**\$2700 Face-to-Face (no FFL, no shipping)**

2. An UNFIRED EMF (Pietta) Great Western II Buntline in 45 Long Colt 12-inch Round barrel, smooth light  
hammer spring, coil/plunger hand spring.

I gave it to Coffinmaker & he filed the bolt, so they properly fit the cylinder bolt notches, and checked the  
timing. Never Fired

**\$600 Face-to-Face (no FFL, no shipping)**

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### **COWBOY CLOTHES**

**Frontier Lone Rider**

**([chasv1948@hotmail.com](mailto:chasv1948@hotmail.com))**

**JULY 2025**

***I prefer Face-to-Face at TUSCO***

Cleaning out some closets this Spring.

**SHIRTS ALL 2XL \$10.00 each**

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|-------------|-----|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| 1. WRANGLER | 2XL | Large Black & Blue Vertical Stripes | 100% Cotton |
| 2. SCULLY   | 2XL | Bluish Gray w/ Swirls               | 100% Cotton |

3. SCULLY	2XL	Light Red w/ Swirls	100% Cotton
4. FRONTIER CLASSICS	2XL	No Collar Blue w/ white Collar Ring	100% Cotton
5. ROPER	2XL	Black w/ Little Tear Drop Shapes	100% Cotton
6. FRONTIER CLASSICS	2XL	Yellow	<b>FREE</b> 100% Cotton

## PANTS

Waist

**\$20.00 each**

1. Saddle Pants (no Brand)	44	Light Brown w/Dark Brown Saddle Seat
2. FRONTIER CLASSICS Saddle Pants	44	Blue w/ Small Brown Stripes & a Light brown Saddle Seat
3. FRONTIER CLASSICS Saddle Pants	44	Light Brown w/Dark Brown Saddle Seat
4. FRONTIER CLASSICS Saddle Pants	46	Blue w/ Small Brown Stripes & a Light brown Saddle Seat
5. FRONTIER CLASSICS Saddle Pants	46	Dark Blue w/Tiny Brown Stripes/a Light brown Saddle Seat
6. Saddle Pants (no Brand)	46	Light Brown w/Dark Brown Saddle Seat
7. Saddle Pants (no Brand)	48	Blue w/Dark Blue Saddle Seat
8. Solid Black, no Sizing Tag?	<b>FREE</b>	

## VESTS ALL Black, Never Worn

1. Black Leather Lamb Skin, Light Weight Vest	Never Worn	2XL	In Original Shipping Wrappings	<b>\$20.00</b>
2. Black Leather Genuine Buffalo	Never Worn	2XL	In Original Shipping Wrappings	<b>\$25.00</b>
3. WAH Frontier Black Cloth	Never Worn	2XL	Made in USA	<b>\$20.00</b>

## 2 Australian Oilskin Dusters

**Black Australian Heavy Oilskin Duster** I wore this one once. I kept this behind the seat in my truck to throw on my firearms when it started to rain. No holes or tears. Only scuffs from being stored in the truck. (I am not sure of the size, should be XL or XXL) made by, KAKADU Traders Australia, Lined). **\$40.00**

Black Leather Guide Gear Full Length, Long, Australian Oil Skin Duster Never Worn w/tags 2XL **\$45.00**

## Cowboy Boots

Pr Saddle Tramp, 12W, 7 inch Tall, Black, with Zippers, Leather Upper & Lining.	Never Worn	<b>\$25.00</b>
Pr 11 ½ D, 13 inch Tall From Heel, Black, Cushioned Insole.	Never Worn	<b>\$35.00</b>
Pr 12 E, 15 inch, Brown.	Like New	<b>\$35.00</b>

## Leather JACKETS NEVER WORN Both XXXL Heavy

Both made by Eagle Wear. Size: 3XL Chest Size 50-52, Jackets' Chest will be 54" with 27" Sleeves

1. Men's Western Cowboy Black Suede Fringe Jacket w/ Blue Beads Native American	<b>\$65.00</b>
2. Men's Western Cowboy Black Suede Fringe Jacket w/ White Piping Trim Native American	<b>\$65.00</b>

## Australian Oilskin Dusters

**2 black Australian Heavy Oilskin Dusters** (1) I wore the Long One once and never wore the (2) Short One. I kept these behind the seat in my truck to throw on my firearms when it started to rain. No holes or tears in either. Only scuffs from being stored in the truck. **\$40.00 Either one.**

Long One: (I am not sure of the size, should be XL or XXL) made by, KAKADU Traders Australia, Lined.

Short or Waist One (XXL): **(Sold Pending Funds)** Short Oilskin Duster, Lined, the Trading Company.

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Men's Western Cowboy Black Suede Fringe Jacket Beaded Native American Jacket with Black Fringe  
Size: 3XL Chest Size 50-52, Jackets' Chest will be 54" with 27" Sleeves ~~\$129.99~~ New Now **\$65.00**

Men's Western Cowboy Brown Suede Fringe Jacket Native American Jacket with Brown Fringe  
Size: 2XL Chest Size 48-50, Jackets' Chest will be 52" with 26.5" Sleeves ~~\$129.99~~ New Now **\$65.00**

## Cowboy Gear:

### 45-70

45-70 Government Brass **~~\$50.00~~ per bag of (50)** (I have two bags of 50)

45-70 Gov't Brass with Winchester Primers, installed **\$70.00** (I have a bag of 50)

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**Three leather Wrist Roping Sleeves/Cuffs. **\$25.00** each**

### Bullets

(3) Three **500 pc unopened Boxes** of Badman Bullets **\$40.00 per Box**  
Caliber: 44/40 FP, Grains 180, Dia. .428"

(5) Five **500 pc unopened Bags** of Appalachian Bullet Co. Bullets **\$35.00 per Bag**  
(Doc Adams) 44 Caliber, 200 grain RNFP, .428" Dia.

**HORNADY - LOCK-N-LOAD SONIC CLEANER in unopened Box.** 100-010-327WB  
LOCK-N-LOAD SONIC CLEANER 2L - 110 VOLT, *Mfr Part: 043320* **\$75.00**

### Revolvers

**Ruger Vaquero** 57-37510 **Vaquero 45 Long Colt** Revolver Stainless Steel  
**USED** Ruger Vaquero Catalog Number KBNV-45, Model Number 00555, 6 shot,  
**7 1/2 inch** Barrel, High Gloss-Stainless Steel with **Rosewood Grips**, ejector rod. Mfd: 1999.  
**~~\$700~~ \$650**

**Ruger Vaquero** 58-29684 **Vaquero 45 Long Colt** Revolver Stainless Steel  
**USED** Ruger Vaquero Catalog Number KBNV-45, Model Number 00555, 6 shot,  
**7 1/2 inch** Barrel, High Gloss-Stainless Steel with **Rosewood Grips**, ejector rod. Mfd: 2002.  
**~~\$700~~ \$650**

**Ruger New Model** 650-42808 **Single Six SSM 32 H&R Mag** Revolver Stainless Steel  
**USED** Ruger New Model Single-Six revolvers in .32 H&R Mag, **4 5/8** inch Barrel, High Gloss-Stainless Steel with **Faux Ivory Grips**, ejector rod and Fixed Sights. Nice revolver, it is used and has been fired, but overall it is in nearly minty shape with very minor handling wear.  
**~~\$850~~ \$800**

**Ruger New Model** 650-49327 **Single Six SSM 32 H&R Mag** Revolver Stainless Steel  
**USED** Ruger New Model Single-Six revolvers in .32 H&R Mag, **4 5/8** inch Barrel, High Gloss-Stainless Steel with **Faux Ivory Grips**, ejector rod and Fixed Sights. Nice revolver, it is used and has been fired, but overall it is in nearly minty shape with very minor handling wear.  
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**Ruger Blackhawk** 87-59085 **Blackhawk 44 Mag/44 Special** Revolver Stainless Steel  
**USED** New Model Super Blackhawk Single Action revolver, .44 Magnum, **Stainless Steel**,

Adjustable sights, 6 Shot Unfluted Cylinder with Walnut grips and a 6 1/2" barrel. The **\$625** revolver is in excellent, clean condition throughout and looks as if it hasn't been fired much.

**Ruger Blackhawk 85-11464 Blackhawk 44 Mag/44 Special Revolver Stainless Steel**

**USED** New Model Super Blackhawk Single Action revolver, .44 Magnum, **Stainless Steel**, Adjustable sights, 6 Shot Unfluted Cylinder with Walnut grips and a 6 1/2" barrel. **\$625**

**A. UBERTI UG7478 1873 Cattleman II 44-40 Revolver Brass**

**NIB** **Uberti 1873 Cattleman II NM Brass 5 1/2" .44-40 Stock No.:** 17-1500 Single Action Revolver. **Description:** Uberti/Stoeger 1873 Cattleman II NM Brass 5 1/2" **Barrel (Frame Finish:** Blue, Case-Hardened Frame), It has a Brass backstrap and Trigger guard. Improved Retractable Firing Pin, **UPC:** (356310), **Caliber:** .44-40 (.427), **Brand:** Uberti/Stoeger, **Grips:** 1-pc Walnut. Replaced the stock grips with Black Plastic Berretta Stampede Grips from Dawg. **Installed Wolf Springs, bought New, used in two Matches.** 26 JAN 2019 **\$500.00**

**A. UBERTI UG7625 1873 Cattleman II 44-40 Revolver Brass**

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## Pistols

**GLOCK MVB920 G22-G3 40mm Pistol Matte Black**

**USED** Glock G22-Generation 3, chambered in 40mm. Made in Austria & Lifetime warranty! This is a spectacular find. It shows some signs of being fired a few times, but it mostly looks like it was carried [and based on the amount of lint inside the barrel] and not cleaned frequently. The only significant wear I could find was on the slide release. With an adjustable rear sight. 10 MAR 2017 **\$425.00**

**GLOCK WHT163 G22-G3 40mm Pistol Matte Black**

**USED** Glock G22, chambered in 40mm. Made in Austria & Lifetime warranty! Adjustable rear sight. Matte black slide, polymer frame, 3 Magazines and Textured Grip & Reversible Mag Catch in Factory Box. It is in excellent condition with minimal signs of cosmetic wear. There are a few light scratches here and there but they are not noticeable or significant. The bore is in great shape, it's nice and shiny and the rifling looks good. All the Mags and Extras are in great shape as well. **\$425.00**

## Rifles

**Rossi R92 7CR012717M MODEL 92 357 Mag Lever Action Blue**

**NIB** This Rossi Legendary Performance Rossi MODEL R92 (WINCHESTER 1892) **38/357** with a **20 inch** round barrel is **new in the original box.** 11 NOV 2019 **NEVER FIRED \$650**

**Rossi PUMA M92 SS092399 MODEL 92 45 Long Colt Lever Action Stainless Steel**

**NIB** PUM52011 PUMA M92, (1892), Caliber 45 Long Colt, **24 Inch Octagon** Stainless Steel Barrel, 37 1/2 Inch, 10 Round Capacity (10 + 1), Dark Wood Stock, imported by LSI (Legacy Sports). 45 Colt Lever Action w/ Walnut Stock. Specifications: Trigger: Single Stage, Safety: Thumb Safety, Weight: 6.1 lbs. **NEVER FIRED \$700**

- Rossi PUMA M92 66062164 MODEL 92 45 Long Colt Lever Action Brass/Stainless Steel**  
**NIB** Puma 92 Octagon **Stainless / Brass 24"** 45 LC NEW! Factory New & unfired Puma M-92, still in the Box, Stainless Octagon barrel/ Brass receiver lever-action rifle in .45 Long Colt. **24" Octagon** SS bbl w/ adjustable rear & steel blade front sights. Straight hardwood rifle stock. part # 52012 PUM52012 PUMA M92, (1892), Caliber 45 Long Colt, **24 Inch Octagon**. 37 ½ Inch, 10 Round Capacity (10 + 1), Dark Wood Stock. **NEVER FIRED \$700**
- Rossi PUMA M92 SS092394 MODEL 92 45 Long Colt Lever Action Stainless Steel**  
**USED** PUM52011 PUMA M92, (1892), Caliber 45 Long Colt, **24 Inch Octagon** Stainless Steel Barrel, 37 ½ Inch, 10 Round Capacity (10 + 1), Dark Wood Stock, imported by LSI (Legacy Sports). 45 Colt Lever Action w/ Walnut Stock. Specifications: Trigger: Single Stage, Safety: Thumb safety, Weight: 6.1 lbs. **\$650**
- A. Uberti Sporting Rifle "Yellowboy" W52378 1866 38 Spl Lever Action Brass & Blue**  
**Cody-Matic NIB** Model "66" Short Rifle **"Yellowboy Sporting Rifle" imported by Taylors.** Type - Lever action repeater, Caliber - .38 Special, Tube Magazine capacity - 10, **Barrel - 20" Full Octagon** with Blue Finish, Sight - adjustable Buckhorn rear with Blade Front Sight, Finish – Brass Receiver and Buttplate; color case hardened finger lever and hammer; polished blue magazine, loading gate, trigger, and all screws, Straight Walnut Stock and fore-end with gloss finish, Weight 7.59 Lbs. (Sporting Rifle), **Number of Grooves: 6 Twist: Right. Slicked-up by Don Jones AKA: Cody Conagher, Berkeley Springs, WV. Fabricated a Short Stroke Lever Action and replaced the Front Sight.**  
**NEVER FIRED \$1300**
- HOWA B159144 1500 22-250 REM Bolt Action Stainless**  
**USED** HOWA Model 1500 22-250 Rem. **Laminated Stock with a 24 inch Heavy Stainless Steel Barrel.** A very nice rifle with a great bore. Shows very little hunting use.  
10/23/2013 **\$1000.00**
- Remington S6395066 700 VLS 22-250 Bolt Action Stainless**  
**USED** REM 700 VLS. Overview: Built on the famous Model 700™ cylindrical action, Remington® **Varmint** rifles are the most accurate production rifles Remington produces. The Model 700™ VLS (Varmint Laminated Stock) delivers tack-driving, varmint rifle accuracy with a handsome, resin-impregnated, laminated stock. Includes Monte Carlo cheekpiece, and a wide, flat, beaver tail shape fore-end for enhanced stability. The rigid Model 700™ action is mated with a vibration-dampening 26-inch stainless steel heavy varmint barrel. Key Features: 26" heavy contour barrel (0.820" muzzle O.D.) for the ultimate in long-range accuracy. Concave target-style barrel crown. Laminated stock with beavertail fore-end. Bought 28 March 2015 from Ray at the Morgantown Gun Show. **~~\$1300.00~~ \$1000.00**
- Traditions Pedersoli R011693 Rolling Block 45-70 Gvt Single Shot CC & Blue**  
**NIB** Traditions (made by D. Pedersoli) Rolling Block Sporting Rifle chambered in 45-70. This gun is new and has never been fired. The guns exterior is in great shape. The guns' metal finish as-well-as the walnut stock look great. This rifle has a 30" Octagonal Barrel and being a new gun the bore is in great shape. Includes factory plastic gun case and papers.  
**NEVER FIRED \$1000.00**
- A. Uberti S06986 1885 Hi-Wall 45-70 Govt Lever Action Case-Hardened & Blue**  
CAT. 1017 Uberti **1885 Hi-Wall 45-70, 30"** Octagon Barrel and an adjustable Trigger. This rifle is in very good shape. It has a tang sight and a front Uberti Globe Sight. It is marked Stoeger Accokeek MD.  
**\$1250 \$1000**

**A. Uberti/Cimarron S05231 1885 High-Wall 45-70 Govt Lever Action Case-Hardened & Blue**

Cat. #10178 An Uberti **1885 High Wall** .45-70 Winchester single shot rifle with a falling block action and **Double Set Triggers**. This firearm has a **30"** octagon barrel with an excellent bore and a storage compartment in the end of the walnut stock. The wood has some dings and scratches. Metal shows some very light finish wear. The barrel has been Drilled & Tapped near the end of the barrel for a scope block. **\$1100**

**A. Uberti/Cimarron S08298 1885 Low Wall .22LR Lever Action Case-Hardened**

1885 Low Wall, Cat: 12670, single shot rifle manufactured in Auberti, Italy by Uberti for **Cimarron** Repeating Arms and chambered in .22LR. It is a Copy of an 1885 Winchester with a **30"** octagon barrel. Case hardened receiver. Crescent butt plate. Mint condition. **\$850**

**Taylor's & Co. SH5197 #138D - 1874 Sharps Sporting Rifle 45-90 WCF SS CC & Blue by ARMI SPORT "Old Faithful" Buffalo Rifle, Sliding Breechblock**

Sharps with a 34 inch Octagon barrel. **Double set triggers**. Like new, excellent bluing, wood is great. Hartford Style Pewter Tip. Ladder-type rear sight, blade front. Added Taylor's and Company, ACC5506A, Long Range Creedmore style tang sight, Case Colored, 2 ¼ in Base and Front Globe Sight. **\$900**

**Henry Repeater 168076H H001 22 S-L-LR Lever Action Blue**

Henry Model H001 Lever Action Rifle, American Walnut Stock, 18 1/4" Barrel, .22 features side ejection, an adjustable rear sight, a hooded front sight and the receiver is grooved for a scope mount. The blued steel barrel features multiple groove rifling, making the Henry Lever Action .22 extremely accurate. The barrel length is 18 1/4", the overall length is 36 1/2", and it weighs only 5.5 pounds. The magazine capacity 22 S-L-LR is 15 rounds (LR), 17 rounds (Long), and 21 rounds (Short). The action is exceptionally smooth. **The bluing and wood are in excellent condition.** **\$300**

**Savage K893201 12 308 Win Bolt Action Black Matte**

**USED** **Savage Arms Model 12 in 308 Win.** The Savage Arms Model 12 308 Win features a 26-inch carbon steel **bull barrel**, Black Matte Finish, fiberglass stock, no sights, Target Accu-Trigger, topload detachable box magazine and an oversized bolt handle. **\$1000.00**

**Remington G6842930 700 SPS 243 Win. Bolt Action Matte Blue**

**USED** Remington Model 700 **SPS Varmint**, bolt action rifle chambered in .243 Win. This rifle features a matte blued finish on the **Varmint (heavy barrel)**, receiver, trigger guard and hinged floor plate, a 26 inch heavy barrel, the receiver is drilled and tapped for scope mounts and has a 2 piece set of "Weaver" scope mount bases installed, a black synthetic stock with textured gripping surfaces and a vented beavertail forend, a 4 round internal magazine with a hinged floorplate, a rubber recoil pad and sling swivel studs are installed. The finish on the barrel shows a couple light scuffs and a light scratch on the right hand side about 3 inches down from the muzzle, the floor plate and trigger guard show some light nicks in the finish, the stock shows a few dents, dings and handling marks scattered throughout, the bore is in excellent condition. **\$800.00**

**Remington** G7058241 **700 BDL** **243 Win.** Bolt Action Matte Blue

**USED** Remington Model 700 **SPS Varmint**, bolt action rifle chambered in .243 Win. This rifle features a matte blued finish on the **Varmint (heavy barrel)**, receiver, trigger guard and hinged floor plate, a 26 inch heavy barrel (with some scratches), the receiver is drilled and tapped for scope mounts. It has a **black synthetic stock** with textured gripping surfaces and a vented beavertail forend, a 4 round internal magazine with a hinged floorplate, a rubber recoil pad and sling swivel studs are installed. Originally the bolt was black, but someone tried to remove the paint to make the bolt silver. (They did not do a good job). **\$800.00**

**Rhoner Sportwaffer Wiesbach** 16288 **22 LR** Bolt Action Blue

**USED** Rhoner Sportwaffer Wiesbach 22LR. An Anschutz competitor that was put out of business by Anschutz. The barrel is 23.5", it has an adjustable trigger set at 8oz. There are weights installed in the stock under the rail. It shoots like an Anschutz Gun, is like new and comes with a Tasco 24x scope. **\$850.00**

## Shotguns

**HUGLU for CZ** 05C0908 **Durango** **12 Ga** SXS Double Wide Blue

HUGLU Durango 12GA Coach Gun manufactured by Huglu in Turkey and Imported by CZ. Double BBL SXS shotgun with a 3" chambers and has screw in choke capability. The stock is in good condition with no major scuffs or scratching. The blued finish is in good condition with no wear spots. This shotgun has been thoroughly inspected but not test fired.

In hard case. **\$850** **\$850**

**Stoeger** Receiver Serial No. 468457 **12 Ga** Side/Side Double Barrel Blue

Stoeger **Coach Gun (Gaucha IGA)**, 12g, **18 Inch Blue**. Gauge: 12, Trigger: Double, Front sight: Brass Bead, 3 Inch Chamber. E. R. EMANTINO on Made in Brazil, imported by Benelli. Added Stoeger Recoil Pad. 14 AUG 2020. **\$500** **\$450**

**Stoeger** **522853-04** **Uplander** **12 Ga** Side/Side Double Barrel Stainless & Blue

E.R. AMANTINO STOEGER UPLANDER SXS COACH GUN 12GA. **Uplander Supreme Shotgun**, Brushed Silver Receiver and **26 Inch Blue Barrels**, Trigger: Double, Front sight: Brass Bead, 3 Inch Chamber. This firearm shows just some very light signs of use and just a few super light dings on the wood and really nothing major and is in excellent cosmetic and working condition with no issues or problems. NICE OCT 2022 **\$550.00** **\$500**

**EEA ASTRA** 19-03-017-98 **Bounty Hunter/Coach Gun** **12 Ga** Side by Side/Double Barrel Blue

**EAA Bounty Hunter, SXS, 12ga, Hammered Coach shotgun** 22" barrels and bead front sight chambered for 2 3/4" – 3" shells with a Metal Butt Plate. Lockup is tight and the bores are bright & shiny. Completely Stock. **\$500**

**EEA** 994327904 B **Bounty Hunter/Coach Gun** **12 Ga** Side/Side Double Barrel Blue

**Baikal Hammered** (Rabbit Eared), Model IZH-43K. Blue 20" Coach Gun Side-By-Side Double Barrel Shotgun, 12 GA with Cylinder Bore Chokes, Butt Pad. A very good condition Baikal Hammered double 12ga SxS **Bounty Hunter** shotgun. Has a LASERED Engraving of a Cowboy on the right side of the stock and decorative Side Plates with a Bull Rider on each side. Has Light Wood Furniture. From James Peoble with Johnny Meadows at Camp Verde Gun and Repair. Completely Stock. **\$500**



**Winchester**      46243      **Model 12**      **12 Ga**      Pump      Blue

Winchester Model 1912 Pump Action Shotgun Manufactured in **1914**. Has handling marks. The barrel is about **28 inches, Full**, with choke compensator (Poly Choke) and a Black Shock Absorber. **\$500**

**Winchester**      "D" 385001      **1897**      **12 Ga**      Pump      Blue

An ORIGINAL **Winchester 1897 Takedown Model Pump Shotgun** Mfg in **1908**. This gun is used but in good condition. It has been re-blued and the wood has been refinished. The **Full Choke** barrel has been cut down to 25-1/2" and the LOP is 13-1/4". The stock has dents and dings but no cracks. The action is tight and feeds from the magazine tube. **\$700**

**Winchester**      109543      24      **12 Ga**      Side/Side Double Barrel      Blue

Winchester Model 24 SXS Shotgun. 2-3/4" chambers Full Choke and Modified. Mfg date: **1952**. The Model 24 competes with the Stevens 311 and Savage/Fox Model B as an affordable, utility SXS and a total of over 116,200 were Mfgd. The Model 24 is a true hammerless gun, as opposed to having concealed hammers like most double guns, since it is striker fired. It was produced only as a field grade gun with blued receiver and barrels, wide 7/16" raised solid rib, smooth black walnut stock with lacquer finish, double triggers, and spring powered extractors that elevates the shells when the gun is opened. The forged steel receiver body of the Model 24 is rounded. The Model 24 was designed with two lumps, one centered beneath each barrel, leaving a tunnel of space between the two lumps. It has a clean breech face and is held closed by a single underbolt that engages a notch in the double barrel lumps. In the area between the 24's dual lumps is a cocking slide and the extractor. The Model 24 is about as wide through the breech and receiver as a SXS gun can be. The weight is about 7-1/2 pounds. It is a 12 Ga gun with 30" barrels. It measures 46-1/2" in overall length and has a 14-1/4" length of pull. Approximate drop is 1-1/2" at comb and 2-1/2" at heel. **\$500**

### **Hornady Shell Plates for the AP Lock-n-Load Progressive Press \$40.00 each**

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- # 16   Never Used      #1 through #45 in original Case
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### **RCBS Used Reloading Dies: 223 Rem, .44Mag, .357Mag, & 25/06 \$20.00 each**

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- Pacific Durochrome **38 Spl**              **\$50.00**
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- Redding **45-70** Titanium Carbide **\$75.00**
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- LEE 8MM Mauser 8 X 57 **\$50.00**
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## News & Notes

### Six Stages

We shoot six stages at Tusco. A few people have told us that they drive a good distance to shoot at Tusco and would like to shoot as much as possible.

Obviously we only have room for five shooting bays. So what we do is shoot the first stage you start on twice. Consider it a warm up stage. Only five stages will be scored. You can take your best time on your first stage. If you don't want to shoot it twice you do not have to. This would provide more shooting for our shooters.

### New SASS Magazine

With the new release of the SASS Quarterly Cowboy Chronicle, I once again would like to start collecting any unwanted issues of the magazine. We will use these for our promotional events, like our Tusco Long Riders' Day at Kames Sports. Please either black out or cut off your name and address or I will do it before they are passed out. Thank you!

### Facebook Page

When you make a post about Tusco or share pictures on Facebook, include #TuscoLongRiders. Let everyone see what we are all about.

## News & Notes

### New Shooters Shoot for Free at Tusco

The Tusco Long Riders will be offering **FREE SHOOTS** to **ALL FIRST TIME SHOOTERS AT TUSCO**. This is **ONLY** for a shooter's first ever shoot at Tusco. (\*this is only for monthly matches, excluding High Noon 3-day Shoot in October, and the Charity Shoot in November.)

### Cowboy Swap Meet at Monthly Shoots

As a reminder, feel free to bring your old Cowboy Gear, Guns and Equipment to sell at our monthly shoots. It's a good opportunity to sell some of your unwanted stuff to your fellow shooters. Your items are your responsibility.

### Pre-Paid Shoots

Looking for that perfect Gift for your Cowboy Friends and Family? How about a Pre-paid Shoot to a Tusco Monthly Match. They cost \$10.00 each at a shoot or they can be mailed for \$10.50. Contact Buckaroo Bubba at [pittfandwr@aol.com](mailto:pittfandwr@aol.com) or 330-348-5637 if you would like to purchase them.

### Help Wanted at Tusco

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