

1868

John Wesley Hardin

1. Background:

- A) Born – May 26, 1853 – Bonham, Texas.**
- B) Named after the founder of the Methodist Church.**
- C) Father is a Lawyer, School Teacher, and Methodist Preacher.**
- D) 1868 – At age 15 – Washington County, Texas:**
 - I. Young black man named “Mage” attacks him with a large stick.**
 - II. Hardin shoots him 3 times killing him.**
 - III. Knows he will not receive a fair trial.**
 - IV. Hides out at his brother’s.**
 - V. 3 Union Soldiers arrive to arrest him.**
 - VI. From ambush he kills all 3.**
 - VII. Squad of Union Soldiers come after him.**
 - VIII. He and his cousin, Simp Dixon, ambush them killing 2.**
- E) January 1869 – Teaches at a country school for a short period of time.**
- F) Physically:**
 - I. 5 feet 11 inches tall – ^{Blue}~~Blue~~ eyes – Black hair – Thin – Becomes a fancy dresser.**
(160 pounds)

- 2. Becomes friends with a bunch of Gamblers:**
 - A) Plays cards.**
 - B) Shoots dice.**
 - C) Bets on horse races.**
 - D) Spends most of his spare time with Prostitutes.**

- 3. Becomes very fast with a hand-gun.**

- 4. Gambling argument with Professional Gambler, Amos Bradley:**
 - A) Bradley pulls a Derringer:**
 - I. It misfires!**
 - II. Hardin shoots and kills him!**

- 5. Horn Hill, Texas - Gunfight:**
 - A) Kills John Robinson.**

- 6. Kosse, Texas – Argument with Alan Comstock:**
 - A) Over a card game & a woman:**
 - I. Hardin shoots him between the eyes with a .45 killing him.**

- 7. 1870 – The state of Texas offers an \$800 reward – Dead or alive:**
 - A) For the 17 year old, John Wesley Hardin.**

- 8. Longview, Texas – Arrested:**

A) To be escorted to Waco, Texas to stand trial:

I. The 2 Deputies escorting him, "Stokes" & Jim Smolly ($\frac{1}{2}$ White – $\frac{1}{4}$ Mexican & $\frac{1}{4}$ Black) have a reputation as "Killers!"

B) Hardin has a hidden gun in his armpit.

C) 2nd Evening on the road – Camp:

I. Stokes goes to find horse feed.

II. Hardin – Hidden gun – Shoots and kills Smolly – Gets away.

9. Between Belton and Waco, Texas – Arrested by 3 State Policemen:

A) Smith – Jones – Davis.

B) Night:

I. Jones and Davis sleep.

II. Smith is watching Hardin.

III. Smith falls asleep.

IV. Hardin grabs Davis' shotgun.

V. Shoots and kills Smith with 1 barrel!

VI. Shoots and kills Jones with the other barrel!

VII. Grabs Jones' .45 – Shoots and kills Davis!

10. 1871 – Early winter – Gonzales, Texas:

A) Visits relatives – The Clements Family.

B) Argument with a card dealer – Kills him!

11. February 1872 – Joins Manning, Gyp, Joe, and Jin Clements on a trail drive to Abilene, Kansas:

A) He becomes “The Trail Boss.”

B) Head up the Chisholm Trail.

C) Hardin kills 2 Indians of two different groups that have demanded beef to cross their territory!

D) Herd behind them under Trail Boss, Jose Guzman, “pushes” them:

I. Hardin warns him to “back off.”

II. Argument.

III. Guzman fires a rifle at Hardin – Grazes his hat.

IV. Rifle jams!

V. Both men ride at each other firing with pistols.

VI. Hardin kills him!

VII. Gunbattle between the 2 forces erupts.

VIII. Hardin kills 4 other men.

12. Spring 1872 – Herd reaches Abilene, Kansas:

A) Argument with a man named “Tatum”:

I. Hardin kills him!

B) Juan Bideno murders a cowboy named Bill Coren – Flees:

I. Hardin volunteers to go after him.

- II. He is given a warrant and deputized.**
- III. He and 3 other men trail Bideno for over 100 miles.**
- IV. Find him in the back room of a saloon eating.**
- V. He tries to draw a pistol under the table.**
- VI. Hardin shoots and kills him.**

C) Leaves Kansas and returns to Texas.

13. Gonzales, Texas – Grocery Store – 2 Black Policemen attempt to arrest him:

A) He kills 1 of them!

14. Posse trails him – He ambushes – Kills 3 of the members – Rest retreat.

15. March 1872 – Marries Jane Bowen:

A) Tries to settle down.

B) Will not work out.

C) Kills a Mexican bandit who attempts to rob him.

16. Saloon argument with Dudley Sublette:

A) Over a game of 10 Pins.

B) Sublette fires a shotgun into Hardin at close range badly wounding him:

I. Hardin fires back wounding Sublette.

II. Hardin undergoes an operation without anesthetic which saves his life!

C) Friends hide him while the State Police search for him:

I. 2 Policemen find him.

II. Gunfight.

III. Hardin kills 1 and wounds the other.

IV. Hardin is wounded again – This time in the thigh.

17. Decides to surrender to Sheriff, Dick Reagan, who he respects:

A) Posse arrives to arrest him:

I. Member panics – Shoots and wounds Hardin in the knee.

18. Gonzales, Texas – Jail – Bribes his way out.

19. Saloon - Argument with Pat Morgan:

A) Hardin shoots and kills him.

20. Argument with corrupt Sheriff, Jack Helms:

A) Shoots and kills him!

21. February 6, 1873:

A) 1st child is born:

I. Daughter, Molly.

22. May 26, 1874 – Comanche, Texas – Wins \$3 thousand at the horse races:

A) Goes to the Ace of Diamonds Saloon to celebrate.

B) Brown County Deputy Sheriff, Charles Webb comes in to arrest or kill Hardin and his friend, Jim Taylor:

I. Webb drinks with the two men.

II. Hardin turns his back.

III. Webb starts to pull a pistol.

IV. Hardin's cousin, Bud Dixon, yells a warning.

V. Webb fires hitting Hardin in the side.

VI. Hardin fires back killing Webb.

VII. Hardin gets away:

(1) Will wind up in Florida.

C) Later:

I. Mob lynches Hardin's brother, Joe.

II. Lynch Tom and Bud Dixon.

III. kill 2 of Hardin's friends.

23. Family accompanies him to Florida:

A) Lives under the name – “J.H. Swain.”

B) 2nd child is born – Boy.

C) Back in Texas – Reward of \$4 thousand is offered for him:

I. Dead or alive.

24. Moves to Pollard, Alabama:

- A) Tries different businesses.....Saloon, Cattle, Timber, and Horse.....all fail!**
 - I. 3rd child is born – Daughter – Callie.**

25. Texas Rangers learn of his whereabouts:

- A) Rangers, Jack Duncan and John Armstrong are sent to arrest him.**

26. August 23, 1877 – Pensacola Junction, Florida:

- A) Hardin and some friends board the train headed home to Alabama:**
 - I. Rangers confront the group.**
 - II. Struggle.**
 - III. One of Hardin's friends is shot and killed by Duncan.**
 - IV. Hardin is captured.**

27. Taken to Austin, Texas – Tried for the murder of Webb:

- A) Guilty – 2nd Degree Murder.**
- B) 25 years to life – Huntsville State Penitentiary!**

28. October 5, 1878 – At age 25 starts serving his sentence:

- A) Plots an escape:**

- I. Turned in by another prisoner.**
- II. Whipped 39 times.**
- III. Locked in a dark dungeon for 3 days with no food or medical attention.**
- B) Realizes a sentence can be shortened by “Good Behavior”:**
 - I. Works in the shoe shop.**
 - II. Studies the Bible.**
 - III. Studies Religion.**
 - IV. Studies History.**
 - V. Studies Politics.**
 - VI. Studies Mathematics.**
 - VII. Studies Science.**
 - VIII. Studies the Dictionary.**
 - IX. Studies every law book he can get his hands on.**
- C) Becomes very educated.**
- D) After 13 years of “Good Behavior”:**
 - I. Learns of another murder charge pending against him.**
 - II. Pleads guilty to 2nd degree murder:
(1) Why?.....Only 2 years are added to the sentence he is already serving!**

29. November 6, 1892 – Wife dies.

30. February 17, 1894 – At age 40 – After 15 years in prison – Released.

31. Gonzales, Texas – Becomes a Lawyer:

A) Business fails.

B) Moves to Karnes County, Texas.

32. January 8, 1895 – Marries Callie Lewis:

A) Barely older than his daughter:

I. After ceremony – She cries – Leaves with her parents!

II. She will never see him again!

33. Writes his own Autobiography.

34. Moves to El Paso, Texas:

A) Practices law:

I. Business flops!

B) Becomes a loud mouth!

C) Becomes a braggart!

D) Becomes a bully!

E) Drinks a lot!

F) Gambles heavily!

G) Insults people!

H) MANY women!

35. Meets Mrs. Beulah McRose:

A) Blonde and good looking:

I. Her husband, Martin, is in Mexico hiding from cattle rustling charges.

II. She asks Hardin to defend him.

- B) The two become lovers!**
- C) Need to get rid of her husband!!!**
- D) Hardin sets him and his pal, Vic Queen, up:
 - I. Makes a deal with the law.**
 - II. Lures the 2 back across the border into an ambush:
 - (1) Shootout!**
 - (2) Both men are killed by Deputy Marshal Jeff Milton, Deputy Marshal George Scarborough, and Texas Ranger Frank McMahan.******

36. August 1895 – Hardin is gone from El Paso for a couple of days:

- A) Beulah is arrested by Policeman, John Selman Jr. for being drunk and threatening people with a pistol!!**
- B) August 17, 1895 – Hardin returns to El Paso:
 - I. He is furious with young Selman!!!**
 - II. Accuses him of insulting Beulah.**
 - III. Hardin sends her to Arizona anticipating trouble.****

37. Constable of El Paso is John Selman Sr.:

- A) Father of Jr.**
- B) Civil War – Confederate Army.**
- C) Ft. Griffin, Texas – Deputy Sheriff.**

- D) Kills several men.**
- E) Becomes a suspect in cattle being stolen – Flees!**
- F) Lincoln County War in New Mexico.**
- G) Jailer at Ft. Davis, Texas – Releases some outlaw friends.**
- H) 1894 – Constable of El Paso.**
- I) Kills Bass Outlaw.**
- J) Fears Hardin will take action against his son!**

38. August 19, 1895 – Evening:

- A) Hardin and Sr. meet – Argument:**
 - I. Selman will later claim Hardin threatens him.**
- B) 11:30 – Night – Acme Saloon on San Antonio Street – Hardin is shooting dice – Has his back to the door:**
 - I. Sr. enters.**
 - II. From behind at arms length.**
 - III. Opens fire.**
 - IV. 1st – Hits him in the back of the head behind the right ear and comes out over the left eye.**
 - V. 2nd – Hits right arm and enters Hardin's chest.**
 - VI. 3rd – Misses.**
 - VII. 4th – Grazes the little finger on the left**

hand.

C) Hardin is dead at age 42 – 17 months after his release from prison!

D) Has spent 1/3 of his life in jail.

E) Has never robbed or stolen.

F) Has killed at least 40 men.

39. Selman Sr. is tried – Claims self-defense for the threat – Not guilty:

A) April 5, 1896 – 8 months after killing Hardin:

I. Shot and killed for rustling by Deputy Marshal, George Scarborough.

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The Moyer Brothers – Thieves/Killers

1. Brothers:

- A) Con Moyer.**
- B) Ace Moyer.**

2. 2 Brothers found the town of Laramie, Wyoming:

- A) Is the terminus of the Union Pacific Railroad.**
- B) They open a Saloon-Gambling House:
 - I. Has what will be an “Evil” Back Room.****
- C) Ace Moyer appoints himself Justice of the Peace:
 - I. Con Moyer is Marshal.**
 - II. Man called “Big Steve” is Deputy Marshal.****

3. Railroad Workers visit Saloon:

- A) Drink – Gamble – Those with money to Back Room:
 - I. Heads bashed in with iron bar.**
 - II. Bodies taken out to country in a wagon.**
 - III. Dumped for wolves to eat.****

4. 3 are suspected:

- A) Vigilante Committee formed.**
- B) Night.**
- C) 3 men are picked up.**
- D) Taken to incomplete log house.**
- E) 3 ropes over beams.**
- F) Nooses.**
- G) Stood on boxes.**
- H) Lynched.**

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Henry Andrews "Heck" Thomas - Lawman

1. Born – 6/5/1850 – Atlanta, Georgia:

A) Age 12 – Civil War – Confederate Army of Stonewall Jackson.

B) Emory College in Atlanta – Studies for the Ministry.

C) 1868 – Atlanta Police Force:

I. Wounded in both legs in the line of duty.

D) To Texas – Express Guard – Texas Central Railroad:

I. March 18, 1878 – Train held up by the Sam Bass Gang:

(1) Thomas hides \$22 thousand in a stove.

(2) Outlaws don't find it.

E) Becomes a U.S. Deputy Marshal:

I. Helps break up the Sam Bass Gang.

II. Helps break up the Doolin-Dalton Gang.

III. Helps break up the Cook Gang.

IV. Helps break up the Casey Gang.

V. November 3, 1892 – Leads group that kills Ned Christie.

VI. August 25, 1896 – Night – Kills Bill Doolin.

VII. April 1898 – Kills Dick West.

VIII. Captures the Lee Brothers:

**(1) State of Texas gives him a \$5 thousand
reward.**

2. Is one of “The 3 Guardsmen”:

A) With: Chris Madsen & Bill Tilghman.

3. Lawton, Oklahoma – Elected Chief of Police.

4. August 15, 1912 – Age 62 – Dies – Natural death.

OVER...U.S. Deputy

Marshals.....➤

U.S. Deputy Marshals

- 1. Mean as those they pursue.**
- 2. Operate out of Fort Smith, Arkansas.**
- 3. Not allowed to collect Federal Awards.**
- 4. Make an average of \$500.00 per year.**
- 5. Do not get a flat salary.**
- 6. Get 50 cents for serving papers.**
- 7. Get \$2.00 per arrest.**
- 8. Get \$1.00 per day while in pursuit of a wanted felon.**
- 9. Get an additional 6 cents per mile while in pursuit of a wanted felon.**
- 10. Get an additional 10 cents for bringing in a wanted felon alive! – Get nothing extra for bringing him in dead!!**
- 11. Get 75 cents per day to feed prisoners held in one's possession.**
- 12. Get 10 cents per mile to feed and transport a felon and himself!**
- 13. Furnish own arms, horses, and ammunition!**

February 1868 – 1870
(2 Years)
The Cheyenne War of 1868

- 1. February 1868 – Indians leave the Reservations:**
 - A) Start raiding.**

- 2. Summer 1868:**
 - A) 60 days.**
 - B) Cheyenne...25 raids.**
 - C) Kill 117 people.**
 - D) Kidnap 7 Women.**

- 3. July 2, 1868 – 14th Amendment is passed:**
 - A) Makes everyone in the United States equal.**
 - B) EXCEPT....the Indians!!!**

- 4. August 1868:**
 - A) Raid the Saline River settlement.**
 - B) Raid the Solomon River settlement.**
 - C) Twin Butte Creek...Kill 3 men...Steal 25 head of livestock.**
 - D) Near Fort Wallace, Kansas...Kill 2 men.**
 - E) Fort Dodge, Kansas...Kill a Herder.**

F) Cimarron Crossing...Attack a Wagon Train of 35 Wagons...Kill 2 men...Steal 25 head of Cattle.

5. August 10, 1868 to October 24, 1868 – Kansas:

A) Kill 79 Civilians & wound 9.

B) Kill 6 Soldiers & wound 10.

C) Take many captives.

6. Late August 1868 – Colorado – Major George “Sandy” Forsyth of the 9th Cavalry:

A) Ordered to employ 50 Scouts:

I. To deal with hostile Indians in Colorado and Western Kansas.

B) He recruits the 50.

C) His 2nd in Command is 1st Lt. Fred Beecher.

D) His Surgeon is Dr. John Mooers.

E) His 1st Sgt. Is W.H.H. McCall.

F) Scouts:

I. All ages.

II. Half are Civil War veterans.

III. Some are Buffalo Hunters, Gamblers, Trappers, Etc.

IV. All types of clothing:

(1) Only Forsyth, Beecher, & McCall:

a. Wear military uniforms.

V. 5 of the better known Scouts:

(1) Allison Pliley.

(2) John Donovan.

(3) Pierre Trudeau.

(4) 19 year old, Jack Stilwell.

(5) Abner "Sharp" Grover:

a. Guide – GREAT eyes & ears.

b. Married into the Sioux tribe.

c. KNOWS Indians.

G) Pay is \$75 per month...IF you furnish your own horse; \$50 if the Army furnishes the horse.

H) Army furnishes:

I. Food.

II. Equipment.

III. Horse Feed.

IV. Spencer – 7 Shot – Repeating Carbine.

V. Army Colt Revolver.

I) Group will become famous at the Battle of Beecher Island.

7. September 5, 1868 – Forsyth's Scouts are issued their equipment:

A) 2 Blankets.

- B) A Rope.**
- C) A Picket Pin.**
- D) 5 days ration of Food.**
- E) A Canteen.**
- F) A Haversack.**
- G) A Knife.**
- H) A Tin Plate & Cup.**
- I) 150 rounds of Rifle Ammunition.**
- J) 30 rounds of Revolver Ammunition.**

8. September 10, 1868 – Forsyth's Scouts...51 Men:

- A) Leave Fort Wallace...Headed for Sheridan.**
- B) Have 2 Pack Mules carrying:**
 - I. Spare Supplies.**
 - II. Extra 4,000 rounds of Ammunition.**
- C) Start trailing what they think is a War Party:**
 - I. Will turn out to be 725 Cheyenne, Arapaho, and Sioux:**
 - (1) Led by:**
 - a. Cheyenne Chief, Roman Nose.**
 - b. Cheyenne Chief, Bull Bear.**
 - c. Cheyenne Chief, Tall Bull.**
 - d. Cheyenne Chief, White Horse.**
 - e. Sioux Chief, Pawnee Killer.**

9. September 15, 1868 – Battle of Big Sandy Creek:

A) Kansas.

B) 100 Cheyenne vs. 36 Troopers of the 10th Cavalry under Captain George Graham.

C) Battle at close range.

D) Night – Ends:

I. Cheyenne lose 9 killed & 14 wounded.

II. Soldiers lose only 1 wounded.

10. September 15, 1868 – Farther North:

A) 60 Cheyenne vs. 10 Troopers of the 10th Cavalry.

B) Fight – Indians retreat.

11. September 17th to 27th, 1868 – The Battle of Beecher Island:

A) Just inside Northeastern Colorado.

B) Monday - September 16th:

I. Evening – Forsyth's Scouts make camp.

II. On the South Bank of the Arickaree Fork of the Republican River.

III. In a small valley...2 miles long & 2 miles wide.

IV. Men are tired and rations are low.

V. River Bed is 140 yards wide:

- (1) Sandy.**
- (2) Very little water running.**
- (3) In the middle of the River Bed is a low, narrow, Island.**

VI. The Island:

- (1) 20 yards wide.**
- (2) 90 yards long.**
- (3) Covered with Plumb Brush.**
- (4) Single Cottonwood Tree at the North end.**
- (5) Water runs 5 yards wide and 1 foot deep around it.**

C) Indians know where they are:

- I. Have been trailing them for 2 days.**
- II. Are ready to wipe them out.**

D) Grover scouts the Island:

- I. Finds it to be an excellent defensive position if needed.**

E) Tuesday – Sept. 17th:

- I. Before dawn...8 Warriors stampeded thru the horse herd:
 - (1) Run off 2 Horses & the 2 Pack Mules.****
- II. Men grab weapons:
 - (1) Put the Horses at the South end of the Island.****

(2) At the North end...Make a circle of packs and saddles:

a. Take cover inside the circle.

III. 1 mile away...Warriors start charging:

(1) At 50 yards...Scouts fire a massive volley!

(2) Charge splits...Goes around both sides of Island.

(3) All of the Horses are killed.

IV. Men work in pairs:

(1) 1 digs a rifle pit.

(2) Other fires.

(3) Rotate.

V. Indians gather their dead & wounded:

(1) Retreat.

VI. On foot – Indians open fire on the Island:

(1) Some try to charge and are killed.

(2) There are Indian dead within 6 feet of the Island.

VII. Bullet hits Forsyth in the right thigh:

(1) Few minutes later...Bullet smashes into his left shinbone!

VIII. 2nd mounted charge by the Indians:

(1) George Culver is shot thru the head and killed.

(2) Sgt. McCall is wounded in the neck.

(3) Charge is repulsed!

IX. It is now 9:45 – Morning – 3rd charge – On foot:

(1) Hit both ends of the Island.

(2) Bill Wilson is shot and killed.

(3) Forsyth is hit a 3rd time:

a. Glancing bullet to the head.

b. Causes a slight skull fracture.

(4) Charge is repulsed.

X. Indians surround the Island...Open a siege.

XI. Beecher is wounded badly in the chest.

XII. Mooers is shot in the forehead:

(1) Is almost dead!

XIII. 2:00 – Afternoon – 4th charge:

(1) Repulsed.

XIV. Stilwell, Trudeau, and 3 others:

(1) Go to the South end of the Island.

(2) Dig a deep rifle pit for better firing.

XV. 4:00 – Afternoon – 5th charge:

(1) Led by Roman Nose.

(2) At Stilwell's Southern end position.

(3) Before battle...Bad Medicine...He has killed a skunk & eaten from iron utensils:

- a. Roman Nose believes he will be killed!
- (4) Stilwell fires – Hits Roman Nose in the back:
 - a. Bullet enters just above his hips.
 - b. He falls from the horse.
- (5) Charge is repulsed!
- (6) Roman Nose crawls over the River Bank.

XVI. Night:

- (1) Roman Nose dies.
- (2) Beecher dies.

XVII. Situation:

- (1) Scouts are 122 miles from Fort Wallace.
- (2) Are surrounded.
- (3) Forsyth asks for volunteers to go for help.
- (4) Stilwell & Trudeau volunteer.

F) Wednesday – Sept. 18th:

I. Few minutes after midnight:

- (1) Stilwell & Trudeau head out on foot.
- (2) Barefoot...On foot...With blankets.
- (3) Travel by night...Hide by day.

II. 7th charge:

- (1) Repulsed.

III. 8th charge:

(1) Repulsed.

IV. 9th charge:

(1) Repulsed.

(2) One Scout is wounded.

V. To avoid gangrene...Forsyth...Cuts bullet out of his own thigh with a straight razor!

G) Thursday – Sept. 19th:

I. No charges.

II. Exchange of gunfire.

III. Night – Dr. Mooers – Dies.

IV. Stilwell & Trudeau travel on.

V. Forsyth asks for 2 more volunteers to carry a written message for help:

(1) Donovan & Piley volunteer.

(2) Head out.

H) Friday – Sept. 20th:

I. No firing.

II. Stilwell & Trudeau are now traveling day and night:

(1) Indians...Hide...Rattlesnake...Tobacco Juice.

I) Saturday – Sept. 21st:

I. Indians start to leave.

II. The 4 Volunteer Scouts are in different areas...Travel on.

J) Sunday – Sept. 22nd:

I. Out of food.

II. Maggots into wounds on purpose...Stops gangrene.

III. 2 Troopers of the 10th Cavalry:

(1) Out of Fort Wallace.

(2) Run into Stilwell & Trudeau.

(3) Get story...Go for help.

(4) Stilwell & Trudeau reach Fort Wallace...

Tell story.

K) Tuesday – Sept. 24th:

I. Donovan & Pliley reach Fort Wallace.

L) Wednesday – Sept. 25th:

I. 10th Cavalry, led by Donovan & Pliley.

II. Reach the Island.

III. Forsyth is reading “Oliver Twist.”

IV. 5 dead defenders:

**(1) Beecher – Mooers – Culver – Wilson –
and Lewis Farley:**

a. Dead are buried.

b. Island is named after Beecher.

V. 17 wounded.

VI. Indians lose 26 killed & 100 wounded.

M) Friday – Sept. 27th:

I. Head back for Fort Wallace.

II. One of the wounded amputees dies of gangrene...Making 6 killed!

III. Will take Forsyth 2 years to recover from his wounds.

12. October 14, 1868 – Indians ambush a company of the 5th Cavalry:

A) 1 Soldier killed & 1 wounded.

13. October 18, 1868 – Battle of Beaver Creek:

A) Northwest Kansas.

B) Captain Lewis Carpenter & 10th Cavalry.

C) Attacked by 375 Cheyenne.

D) All day fight.

E) Soldiers are spaced 50 yards apart:

I. Armed with the 7 shot, Spencer Repeaters.

F) Indians retreat:

I. Have lost 10 killed and many wounded.

G) Soldiers lose 3 wounded.

14. November 19, 1868 – Fort Larned, Kansas:

A) 10 Troopers of the 10th Cavalry.

B) 20 mile running fight with Cheyenne.

C) 2 Indians killed.

15. Cheyenne Dog Soldiers:

A) 1860's & 1870's.

B) Fiercest.

C) Most Daring.

D) Have own:

I. Dances.

II. Songs.

III. Costumes.

IV. Insignias.

V. Medallions.

VI. Taboos.

**16. November 26, 1868 – Lt. Colonel George
Armstrong Custer & 850 men:**

**A) Find the winter village of Cheyenne Chief,
Black Kettle:**

I. On the Washita River in Oklahoma:

(1) 51 lodges.

(2) Sheltered in a wooded bend of the river.

**II. Cheyenne – Arapaho – Kiowas – Comanche
– and Kiowa Apache.**

III. Primary Chiefs:

(1) Black Kettle.

(2) Little Robe.

(3) Little Rock.

IV. 2,000 Warriors.

B) Night – Village surrounded:

I. 4 columns to hit at dawn from all directions.

II. Columns commanded by:

(1) Custer...From the North.

(2) Captain Myers.

(3) Captain Thompson.

(4) Major Joel Elliott.

17. November 27, 1868 – Battle of the Washita:

A) Cold – Snow.

B) Dawn.

C) Shot from an Indian rifle.

D) Trumpet.

E) Cavalry charges.

F) Band plays “Garry Owen.”

G) Chaos!!

H) Thru the village from 4 directions.

I) Men, women, and children are ridden down, shot or sabered to death.

J) Many run naked into the frozen river:

I. Razor sharp ice cuts them to pieces.

II. River literally runs red with blood.

K) Black Kettle and his wife are killed.

L) A few Warriors fight a rear-guard action:

- I. All are killed.**
- M) 17 Warriors take up a position in a shallow ravine and fight till all are killed!**
- N) 38 Warriors by the river fight until all are killed!**
- O) Captain Louis Hamilton...Grandson of Alexander Hamilton...Is Killed.**
- P) Indian Woman runs from a lodge:
 - I. Dragging a small White Boy.**
 - II. Cuts his throat with a knife.**
 - III. She is shot and killed.****
- Q) Small boy fires 3 times at Captain Benteen:
 - I. Benteen is forced to kill the boy.****
- R) Major Joel Elliott & 18 men take off down the river:
 - I. Chasing Indians.****
- S) In 10 minutes the worst of the fighting is over!**
- T) 10:00 – Morning – “Clean-Up” starts:
 - I. Start burning the Village.**
 - II. Start burning 1,000 Buffalo Robes.**
 - III. Scatter 500 pounds of Powder.**
 - IV. Melt down 500 pounds of Lead.**
 - V. Break 4,500 Arrows.**
 - VI. Kill 825 Indian Ponies. (In 90 minutes)****

U) Soldiers have lost 6 killed & 14 wounded.

V) 2 Captive White Children killed.

W) 103 Indians killed:

I. Custer reports "103 Warriors killed."

II. In reality...Half of the dead are NOT Warriors!

X) Custer doesn't realize that the village he has hit is NOT the large Camp:

I. It is 3 miles away!

II. Over 1,000 Warriors head for Custer's Position:

(1) Led by Satanta & Little Raven.

Y) Custer is notified that Elliott has not returned.

Z) He is also notified that the Indian force is also on the way:

I. Custer orders a retreat to his base camp.

II. Officers protest leaving without Elliott.

III. Custer overrides them.

18. December 7, 1868 – Custer – Back to look for Elliott.

19. December 9, 1868 – Elliott's Command is found:

- A) 2 miles from the Village.**
- B) In a circle – Bodies – Have been surrounded.**
- C) Dismounted.**
- D) Fight in a circle.**
- E) Naked – Frozen – Stripped – Shot full of arrows – Scalped:**
 - I. Heads bashed in or severed.**
 - II. Limbs cut off.**
 - III. Genitals cut off.**
 - IV. Organs cut out.**
 - V. Throats slit.**
- F) Elliott has been one of Benteen's closest friends:**
 - I. Benteen takes death hard.**
 - II. Will NEVER forgive Custer for leaving them.**
 - III. Writes an anonymous letter to a Missouri Newspaper:**
 - (1) Critical of Custer's actions.**
- G) When Custer finds out about Newspaper Article:**
 - I. Calls an Officer's Meeting.**
 - II. Has a riding crop in his hand.**
 - III. Demands to know who wrote it!**
 - IV. Says he will horsewhip the Author.**
 - V. Benteen steps forward!!!!**

VI. Custer walks away!!!!!!!

20. December 1868 – 10 Troopers of the 2nd Cavalry – Under Lt. Kidder:

- A) Carrying dispatches.**
- B) Ambushed.**
- C) All killed.**

21. December 25, 1868 – Battle of Soldier Springs:

- A) North Fork of the Red River.**
- B) Indians lose 1 killed & several wounded.**
- C) Soldiers lose 1 killed 1 wounded.**

22. End of 1868 – Kansas:

- A) 157 Killed.**
- B) 57 Wounded.**
- C) 29 taken Captive.**
- D) 1,627 Horses, Mules, and Cattle stolen.**
- E) 24 Ranches destroyed.**
- F) 11 Stagecoaches attacked.**
- G) 4 Wagon Trains wiped out.**

23. May 30, 1869 – Spillman Creek – Lincoln County, Kansas:

- A) 50 Cheyenne under Tall Bull.**

- B) Raid the settlements.**
- C) Kill 13 Ranchers.**
- D) Take 2 Women captive:**
 - I. One has a baby.**
 - II. Allowed to keep it.**
 - III. Few days later...Crying...Annoys.**
 - IV. Warriors kill the baby!**

24. May & June 1869 – Kansas:

- A) Daily raids.**
- B) Scores of settlers killed.**
- C) 500 Horses and Mules stolen.**

25. July 11, 1869 – Battle of Summit Springs:

- A) Near Sterling, Colorado.**
- B) 200 Troopers of the 5th Cavalry under Major Eugene Carr:**
 - I. And...Scouts William F. “Buffalo Bill” Cody, Major Frank North, and Captain Luther North.**
- C) Find Tall Bull’s Village of 85 lodges.**
- D) 1,000 Cheyenne & Sioux.**
- E) Battle.**
- F) White female captive is tomahawked to death.**

- G) Tall Bull & 13 Warriors are trapped.**
- H) Major Frank North shoots Tall Bull thru the head killing him.**
- I) All 13 Warriors are killed.**
- J) Soldiers lose 1 wounded.**
- K) Indians lose 52 killed & 117 captured.**

26. May 31, 1870 – Bear Creek – 30 miles South of Fort Dodge, Kansas:

- A) 35 Arapaho attack the Mail Station.**
- B) 2 Soldiers are killed.**

27. 1870 – Raiding fades and stops.

28. Custer, Cooke, and some Scouts enter Cheyenne village:

- A) Chief and Custer smoke peace pipe.**
- B) Custer promises peace.**
- C) Medicine Man...Prophecy...If he breaks his oath...He and his entire Command will die!**

1868 - May

1. May 30, 1868 – 1st observance of Memorial Day.

1868 - June

1. June 23, 1868 – Christopher Sholes:

A) Patents the Typewriter.

B) 1873 – Sells the Patent – To Remington.

1868 - November

1. November 3, 1868 – Presidential Election:

A) 1st Term.

B) Republican, U.S. Grant.

C) 18th President.

1869

1. Baseball becomes a Professional Spectator Sport:

A) Cincinnati Red Stockings:

I. Go on tour.

II. Charge admission.

1869 – 1876

(7 Years)

The Olive – Yegua Notch Cutters War

1. Williamson County, Texas:

A) 30 miles Northeast of Austin.

2. Olive Family:

A) James – Father.

B) 5 Sons:

I. Print – Jay – Ira – Bob – Marion.

C) Ranching Empire:

I. Between Yegua Creek & Brushy Creek.

3. Cattle Thieves called “The Yegua Notch Cutters”:

A) By 1869 the Olive Family is in a full-blown war with them!

4. 1870 – Print Olive – Kills Cattle Thief, Dave Fream.

5. 1876 – Bob Olive – Kills Cattle Thief, Lawson Kelley.

6. March 1876 – Olives catch James Crow & Turk Turner:

A) Disposing of dead, stolen, cattle.

B) Kill both men!

I. Sew the bodies inside the hides of the stolen cattle they have butchered as a warning!

7. July 1876 – Bob Olive – Kills a Cattle Thief who has been sent to kill him!

8. August 1, 1876 – Night – 17 Cattle Thieves attack the Olive Ranch:

A) Olives are barricaded inside.

B) Long, terrific, gunfight.

C) Thieves retreat.

D) Several wounded on both sides.

E) Days later...Jay Olive...Dies of wounds.

9. September 1, 1876 – Bob Olive – Kills Cattle Thief, Dock Kelley:

A) Becomes an all out war!!

10. September 6, 1876 – Round Rock, Texas – An

Olive Cowboy – Kills a Cattle Thief!

11. September 7, 1876 – Print Olive:

- A) Is at home.**
- B) 2 Black Cattle Thieves, “Banks” and “Donaldson” – Try to kill him.**
- C) He kills Banks and wounds Donaldson.**
- D) Few days later – Print Olive – Kills Cattle Thief, “Smith.”**

12. December 1876 – Austin, Texas – Iron Front Saloon:

- A) Gunfight.**
- B) Bob Olive kills Cattle Thief, Cal Nutt.**

13. Olives finally get fed up:

- A) Move.**
- B) Settle in Custer County, Nebraska.**
- C) More....Later....!**

1869

Thomas “Bear River” Smith – Lawman

1. Born – 1830 – New York:

A) Irish descent.

B) Well educated.

C) 5 feet 11 inches tall:

I. 170 pounds.

II. Blue Eyes.

III. Light colored hair and mustache.

IV. Well Mannered.

V. Soft Spoken.

VI. VERY Brave.

VII. Nickname – “Bear River”:

**(1) From bloody fight he’s involved in at
Bear River, Wyoming.**

2. Colorado – Is a Law Officer for Kit Carson.

3. 1869 – Abilene, Kansas – City Marshal:

A) \$250 per month.

B) Uses fists...Primarily...To enforce the law.

C) Pistol in a Shoulder Holster.

4. Becomes a Deputy U.S. Marshal.

5. November 2, 1869 – 12 miles Northeast of Abilene, Kansas:

- A) Goes to arrest Andrew McConnell & Moses Miles.**
- B) Live in a Dugout House.**
- C) He goes in after them.**
- D) McConnell shoots him and Miles hits him with an axe, almost cutting his head off!**
- E) Dead at age 39!**

1869 (February)

1. February 2, 1869 – James Oliver:

A) Invents the Chilled Iron Plow.

1869 (March)

- 1. March 4, 1869 – Inauguration – 18th President – 1st Term – 46 year old, Republican, Hiram Simpson Ulysses Grant:**
 - A) Born – 4/27/1822 – Point Pleasant, Ohio.**
 - B) Subscription School education.**
 - C) Father nicknames him “Useless!”**
 - D) 1843 – West Point – 21 out of a class of 39!**
 - I. NEVER liked West Point.**
 - E) Mexican/American War.**
 - F) 8/22/1848 – Marries – Julia Dent.**
 - G) 5 feet 8 inches tall:**
 - I. Full Beard.**
 - II. Easy going.**
 - III. Good sense of humor.**
 - IV. Chain smokes cigars.**
 - V. “Binge” drinker...Drinks most when bored or away from wife.**
 - VI. Sight of blood makes him physically sick!**
 - H) 1854 – Resigns from Army.**
 - I) Farming.**
 - J) Real Estate.**
 - K) Civil War – Union Army – Supreme Commander.**
 - L) 4/9/1865 – Appomattox, Virginia:**

- I. Accepts Lee's surrender.**
- M) Only President.....Wrong Name!**
- N) 1st President.....Mustache.**
- O) 1st President.....Speeding Ticket:**
 - I. Horse & Buggy.**
 - II. Been Drinking.**
 - III. Black Policeman.**
 - IV. \$5 fine.**
- P) Suffers...Severe Migraine Headaches.**
- Q) Rated...Terrible...Scandals!**
- R) 7/23/1885 – Age 63 – Dies – Throat Cancer.**

1869 (May)

1. May 10, 1869 – Transcontinental Railroad is completed:

A) Promontory Point, Utah.

B) Central Pacific & Union Pacific Railroads meet.

C) Atlantic & Pacific Oceans are connected!

2. May 15, 1869 – National Women's Suffrage Association is formed:

A) New York.

B) Elizabeth Cady Stanton.

C) Goal...Women's Suffrage by Constitutional Amendment!

1869 (July)

1. July 13, 1869 – San Francisco, California:

A) Street Riots.

B) Against Chinese Laborers.

1869 (September)

1. National Prohibition Party is founded:

A) Chicago, Illinois.

1869 (November)

1. November 6, 1869 – 1st Intercollegiate Football

Game:

A) Rutgers vs. Princeton.

B) Rutgers wins!

1869 (December)

1. December 10, 1869 – Wyoming Territory:

A) Grants full suffrage to women!

1870

1. Population – 39,188,410!!!

2. J.H. Rainey – South Carolina:

A) Elected – U.S. House of Representatives.

B) America's 1st...Black representative.

3. Hiram Revels – Mississippi:

A) Elected – U.S. Senate.

B) America's 1st...Black Senator.

4. Foot & Mouth Disease in Cattle:

A) 1st appears in America.

1870

Out West

1. The Reservation System for Indians is a dismal failure:

A) Is difficult to enforce.

B) Full of corruption.

C) Corrupt Agents constantly cheat the Indians and the Government!

2. Western Lands:

A) Southwest:

I. Harsh & Dry for most crops.

B) Great Plains:

I. Sod is so hard and packed that only Steel Plows can penetrate it!

II. Very LITTLE wood!

III. Houses are Dugouts or Sod Houses:

(1) Damp...Infested with all kinds of vermin.

IV. Weather: Blizzards – Rain – Wind – Heat.

C) Barbed Wire & Windmills will come later.

1870

The Slaughter of the Buffalo

- 1. Considered sacred by the Indians:**
 - A) Considered to be a “Brother Creature.”**
 - B) Respect...Sioux call: “Uncle.”**
 - C) No Part Will Go Unused!!**
 - D) Meat:**
 - I. Eaten fresh.**
 - II. Smoked or Dried into Pemmican.**
 - E) Brains:**
 - I. Used to Tan Hides.**
 - F) Hides:**
 - I. Clothing.**
 - II. Robes.**
 - III. Beds.**
 - IV. Shelter.**
 - V. Lodge Covers.**
 - VI. Shoes.**
 - VII. Shields.**
 - G) Bones:**
 - I. Sleds.**
 - II. Utensils.**
 - III. Axes.**

IV. Needles.

V. Etc.

H) Intestines:

I. To make sausages.

I) Bladder:

I. "Canteen."

J) Hooves:

I. Glue.

K) Horns:

I. Ladles.

II. Spoons.

III. Drink Containers.

L) Tendons:

I. Sewing String.

II. Bow Strings.

M) Tail:

I. Fly Swatter.

2. Lt. General Phil Sheridan:

A) Urges the total annihilation of the Buffalo!

B) Says:

"Protect the Buffalo, hell! The hide hunters have done more to solve the Indian problem than the Army has done in 30 years. Let them kill, skin, and sell until the Buffalo is

exterminated, it's the only way to bring about a lasting peace and let civilization advance. Destroy the Indian commissary and you'll destroy him."

3. Primary Hide-Hunting Centers:

A) Texas Panhandle & Western Kansas.

4. Years later...Bones used to make Buttons.

5. 1870 to 1875:

A) 12.5 million Buffalo...Slaughtered for their hides:

I. Average of 2.5 million per year!

II. Carcasses left to rot.

6. By 1899.....Only 541 left alive.

7. Irony:

A) White Man can massacre the Indian food source for hides or fun!

B) BUT, let an Indian kill one White-Owned steer or cow and he's branded a criminal and hunted down!

**The Whyos Gang
1870 - 1900**

- 1. Very vicious street gang in New York City.**
- 2. Involved in everything from petty theft to murder.**
- 3. Name comes from a “call” between gang members.**
- 4. 500 members at one time – ALL are Irish!**
- 5. Rule Manhattan:**
 - A) Dominate the 4th Ward on the lower east side:**
 - I. Headquarters is Mulberry Bend.**
 - B) Often raid Greenwich Village on the west side.**
 - C) Primary drinking area is called “The Morgue.”**
 - D) Most notorious members are:**
 - I. “Big” Josh Hines.**
 - II. Hoggy Walsh.**
 - III. Bull Hurley.**
 - IV. Fig McGerald.**
 - V. Baboon Connolly.**
 - VI. Piker Ryan.**
 - VII. Googy Corcoran.**
 - VIII. “Red Rocks” Farrell.**
 - IX. Slops Connolly.**

X. Dorsey Doyle.

XI. Mike Loyd.

E) Mandatory for a new member to kill someone before becoming a full-fledged member of the gang.

F) Gang has a PRINTED price list for "jobs":

I. Punching.....\$2.

II. Blacking both eyes.....\$4.

III. Breaking the nose and jaw.....\$10.

IV. Knocking out with a blackjack.....\$15.

V. Chewing an ear off.....\$15.

VI. Breaking an arm or leg.....\$19.

VII. Shooting in the leg.....\$25.

VIII. Stabbing.....\$25.

IX. Murder.....\$100 and up!

6. 1883 – Mike McGloin attempts to rob a west 25th street saloonkeeper named, Louis Hanzier:

A) Kills Hanzier.

B) Caught – Tried – Hanged on March 8, 1883.

7. July 5, 1887 – Danny Lyons gets into a gunbattle with gangster, Joseph Quinn:

A) Over prostitute, Kitty McGowan.

B) Lyons kills Quinn.

C) Caught – Tried – Hanged on August 21, 1888.

8. 1888 – Denny Driscoll gets into an argument with John McCarthy:

A) Over prostitute, Beezy Garrity.

B) Both men start shooting.

C) One of Driscoll's shots kills the girl.

D) Caught – Tried – Hanged on January 23, 1888.

9. “Dandy” John Dolan is the inventor for the gang:

A) Special boots for stomping victims.

B) Tools to gouge out eyes etc.

C) Summer of 1876 – Robs a store owned by James Noe:

I. Crushes Noe's skull with an iron bar and gouges out both eyes!

(1) Carries both eyes around in his pocket for a week as souvenirs!

D) Tracked down by Police Detective, Joseph Dorcy:

I. Finds the stolen jewelry.

II. Dolan is tried – Hanged on April 21, 1876.

10. Turn of the century – Gang fades out.

1870 (January)

1. January 15, 1870 – Thomas Nast:

A) Cartoonist.

B) Harper's Weekly.

C) 1st ...Depiction...Donkey...Symbol...Democratic Party.

1870 (February)

1. February 9, 1870 – Congress – Creates:

A) U.S. Weather Bureau.

2. February 12, 1870 – Territory of Utah:

A) Full suffrage to Women.

1870 (March)

1. March 30, 1870 – 15th Amendment:

A) All males in America...Right to vote.

1870 (June)

1. June 22, 1870 – Congress – Creates:

A) Department of Justice with an Attorney General.

1871

Clay Allison

1. Background:

- A) Born – 1840 – Wayne County, Tennessee.**
- B) Son of a Preacher:**
 - I. Always a deep abiding respect for them.**
- C) Quick tempered.**
- D) Racist:**
 - I. Hates Blacks!**
- E) Civil War...Confederate Spy:**
 - I. Captured.**
 - II. Sentenced to be shot.**
 - III. Kills 2 guards and escapes.**
- F) Physically:**
 - I. 6 feet 1 inch tall.**
 - II. 175 pounds.**
 - III. Black hair.**
 - IV. Pale blue eyes.**
 - V. Considered to be handsome.**
- G) Becomes an alcoholic.**
- H) Good with a pistol.**
- I) Loves black horses.**
- J) Appearance:**
 - I. Black frock coat.**
 - II. White shirt.**
 - III. Black string tie.**

IV. Black boots.

V. Wide brimmed hat.

2. 1871 – Settles in northeastern New Mexico in Colfax County:

A) Buys a cattle ranch.

B) Becomes known as a “hell raiser” around Elizabethtown and Cimarron.

3. Becomes known as “A Killer of Bad Men!”

4. Settles near Otero – 12 miles east of Cimarron.

5. Famous “Grave Duel”:

A) Argument.

B) Duel is arranged.

C) Grave dug.

D) Allison and other man enter grave with knives!

E) Fight – Allison kills him!

F) Bury!!!!

6. The Dentist Incident:

A) He goes to Dentist.

B) Dentist is drunk – Pulls wrong tooth!

C) Allison forces him into chair.

D) Pulls his uppers 1 by 1!!!!

7. The Parson Tolby Murder:

A) Parson F.J. Tolby:

- I. Methodist Minister from Indiana.**
- II. Circuit Preacher around Cimarron and Elizabethtown.**
- III. Has been in Cimarron for 18 months.**
- IV. Good friend of Clay Allison's.**

B) Trouble:

- I. The corrupt Santa Fe Ring controls all of New Mexico EXCEPT Colfax County.**
- II. The Lucien B. Maxwell Land Grant & Railroad Company controls 1,714,765 acres.**
- III. The Ring is trying to extort money from the Company.**
- IV. The Company is trying to evict settlers to raise money pay the extortion demanded by the Ring!**
- V. Tolby uses newspaper editorials to speak for the settlers against the corrupt practices of both the Company and the Ring!**
- VI. Tolby names the people involved.**
- VII. He is helped by Editor, William Morley.**
- VIII. Allison supports the 2 men and the settlers!**

C) Allison organizes a Vigilante Committee:

- I. Leads night raids against Railroad**

outposts.

D) September 14, 1875 – Night:

I. 33 year old, Tolby is traveling through Cimarron Canyon.

II. Shot twice in the back and killed!

III. Has been killed by mistake:

(1) Mistaken for Morley!!!

E) Tolby's friends demand the arrest of the men responsible:

I. Evidence points to the Ring.

II. The Ring blames the Land Grant Company.

III. The Land Grant Company blames the Ring!

F) Evidence points to.....Cruz Vega as the killer:

I. Sheriff, Isaac Rinehart.....a Ring man, refuses to arrest Vega!

G) October 1, 1875 – Night:

I. Allison and William Low capture Vega.

II. He confesses to being involved:

(1) Ring has ordered the murder of Morley!

(2) Mistaken identity!

(3) Governor, S.B. Axtell is involved!

(4) Lawyer, M.W. Mills is involved.

(5) Dr. R.H. Long is involved.

(6) Manuel Cardenas has actually pulled

the trigger.

III. Allison and Low lynch him!

H) Vega's cousin, Pancho Griego, hears of the lynching:

I. Swears to kill Allison.

I) November 1, 1875:

I. Griego is in Cimarron drinking.

II. Allison confronts him.

III. Gunfight – Allison kills him!

J) Long and Mills flee to Fort Union for protection!

K) Cardenas flees to Taos.

L) Allison "Deputizes" himself – Goes to Taos:

I. Arrests Cardenas.

II. Tried in Cimarron:

(1) Trial is "fixed!"

(2) Released!!!

III. That night – Escorted by 2 Deputies:

(1) Allison steps out of an alley.

(2) Shoots Cardenas to death!

8. March 1876 – Allison shoots and kills 3 Blacks.

9. 1877 – Buys a ranch at 7 Rivers in New Mexico.

10. July 1877 – Gets drunk:

A) Driving a freight wagon.

- B) Horses run away.**
- C) Thrown beneath the wheels.**
- D) Neck is broken.**
- E) Killed instantly.**
- F) Dead at 37 years of age.**
- G) Has killed 18 men in his life.**

1871 (February)

1. February 21, 1871 – Congress – Creates:

**A) Territorial Government for the District of
Columbia.**

March 1871
“The Bloody Benders”
Thieves & Murderers

- 1. March 1871 – Family arrives in Southeast Kansas – Small Railroad town of Cherryvale.**

- 2. Family:**
 - A) John – Father – 60 years old – East European immigrant.**
 - B) Mother – 42 years old.**
 - C) John Jr. – Son – 27 years old – Half-Wit!**
 - D) Kate – Daughter – 25 years old – Ugly!**
 - I. Incestuous relationship with Brother.**

- 3. House is 2 miles South of town:**
 - A) 1 big room.**
 - B) Cut in half by a curtain.**
 - C) Appears to be an Inn for travelers.**
 - D) In reality...Wholesale murder for profit!!!**
 - I. Travelers...Meal...Back to curtain.**
 - II. Father...Behind curtain...Brains with a Sledge Hammer.**
 - III. Son or Daughter slit throats to make sure!**

IV. Robbed.

V. Bodies buried in an orchard.

4. 1871 to 1873 – Murder 11 people:

A) Male & Female...All ages.

B) Steal approximately \$5 thousand.

5. 1873 – Suspected:

A) Flee.

B) None ever caught.

C) Today...Cherryvale...Bender Museum.

**The 1st Korean War
1871**

MAY

1. Korea is called “The Hermit Kingdom”:

A) Ruler is Yi Ha-Ung.....known as “Taewongun”

“Prince of the Great Court”:

I. Wants the west kept out of Korea.

II. Forbids trading with the foreigners.

2. August 16, 1866 - The merchant ship “General Sherman” enters the Korean, Taedong River:

A) August 28th - Members of the crew kidnap a Korean official.

B) Four day battle:

I. Ship is set afire on September 2nd.

II. Most of the crew abandons ship.

III. Some choose to burn to death.

IV. Those who have chosen to swim to shore - Near

Pyongyang - 27 of them - Most are Chinese:

*****Beheaded or beaten to death.**

*****Entire crew killed!**

3. 1870 - President U.S. Grant decides to take decisive action:

A) Will send the U.S. Asiatic Squadron to Seoul, Korea:

I. U.S. Ambassador to China, Frederick Low will accompany the fleet:

*****Find out what happened to the “General Sherman” and her crew.**

*****Stop the Koreans from hunting down and murdering Christian missionaries.**

*****Secure a treaty with Korea guaranteeing the safety of shipwrecked seamen.**

*****Secure a trade treaty with Korea.**

4. May 16, 1871 - Five American warships with 85 guns and 1,230 Sailors and Marines leaves Nagasaki, Japan:

A) Under the command of 58 year old, Rear Admiral John Rodgers.

5. May 30, 1871 - Anchor off Jayak Island near Inchon:

A) June 2, 1871 - Two American ships, "Palos" and "Monocacy" sail up the Han River on a surveying expedition:

I. Kanghoa Island - Forts open fire on boats:

*****2 Americans are wounded.**

II. Two ships fire back silencing the Forts:

*****Kills many of the Koreans in the Forts.**

B) Low demands an apology from the Korean government:

I. None comes!

II. Insults are traded!

III. No apology!

6. Rodgers decide to launch a Punitive Expedition!

7. June 10, 1871 - Twenty longboats land 546 Navy Bluejackets and 105 Marines.....651 men total.....on Kanghoa Island:

A) Armed with breech loading rifles and have 7 howitzers.

B) Under the command of Marine captain McLane Tilton.

C) 1:00 - Afternoon start bombarding Forts:

I. Take 2 Forts.

8. June 11, 1871 - American force marches to the north end of the Island:

A) Assault Sondolmok Fort - Led by Navy Lt. Hugh McKee and Marine Captain McLane Tilton:

I. Inside - Bloody hand-to-hand fighting for 20 minutes.

II. McKee is run thru with a spear and killed.

III. Koreans lose 243 killed, 100's wounded, and 20 taken

prisoner.

IV. U.S. loses 3 killed and 10 wounded.

B) Assault Kwangsong Fort, called “The Citadel”:

I. Circular - Made of rock and mud - Sits atop a 150 foot high hill - Contains 143 artillery pieces - Defended by an elite Korean force called “The Tiger Hunters”.

II. Battle will last less than an hour.

III. Savage hand-to-hand fighting.

IV. 12:00 - Noon - Over!

V. 350 Koreans are killed or commit suicide.

VI. 3 Americans are killed and 10 wounded.

VII. Americans blow up the Fort.

9. U.S. force will stay for another 3 weeks:

A) No apology from the Korean government!

B) No trade treaty!

C) No treaty to protect shipwrecked seamen!

D) Finally, sail away!!

1871 (October)

1. October 8, 1871 – The Great Chicago Fire:

- A) Chicago, Illinois.**
- B) O’Leary’s cow – Lantern – Shed?? Bull!!!**
- C) Chimney Sparks blown by wind!!!**
- D) Lasts 24 hours!**
- E) 2,124 acres burnt...3 ½ square miles.**
- F) 17,450 buildings destroyed.**
- G) 85,000 will be left homeless.**
- H) 225 killed.**
- I) \$199 million in damage.**

2. October 24, 1871 – Los Angeles, California – Anti-Chinese Riots:

- A) 15 Chinese are lynched.**

1872

1. Montgomery Ward & Company:

A) Chicago, Illinois.

B) 1st Mail Order House.

C) Their 1st Catalog...1 sheet!!!!

1872 (March)

- 1. March 1, 1872 – Congress – Creates:
A) Yellowstone National Park.**

1872 (November)

- 1. November 5, 1872 – Presidential Election – Republican, Grant – 2nd Term.**

November 1872 – 1873

(1 Year)

The Modoc Indian War

(The Modocs)

1. Located – Northern California:

A) Tule Lake & Klamath Lake Basins.

2. Call themselves “Maklaks”:

A) Means.....The People.

3. Some traits:

A) Nomadic.

B) Hunt & Fish.

C) Gather Roots.

D) Live in Wickiups:

I. Like an inverted Bird’s Nest.

E) Cruel.

F) Own Slaves.

G) Most of the time...No morals!

H) Will sell or bet their Women into Prostitution:

I. One of those is...Winema...Called “Toby”:

(1) Captain Jack’s cousin.

(2) At age 24...Is the Mistress of 37 year old, Frank Riddle.

(1830's thru 1859)

- 1. 1830's – Attack Wagon Trains illegally traveling thru their lands.**
- 2. 1847 – Whites INTENTIONALLY give the Modocs smallpox!!**
 - A) Kills half of them.**
- 3. 1848 – 100,000 Indians in California:**
 - A) 1859...Only...30,000 left!**
- 4. 1849 – The Bloody Point Massacre:**
 - A) California.**
 - B) Wagon Train of 18 Emigrants.**
 - C) Wiped out by the Modocs.**
- 5. 1850 – Miners, Stockmen, and Farmers:**
 - A) Start entering the Great Basin.**
 - B) Demand complete and immediate removal of Indians from the land!**
 - C) Miners pollute the streams.**
 - D) Traders change the Indian economic way of life.**
 - E) Settlers simply take land.**
 - F) Religious teachings:**

I. Change religious and ethical way of life for the Indians.

6. 1851 – Major Phil Kearny:

- A) Fight s a short campaign against the Modocs.**
- B) Defeats them.**
- C) Takes 30 prisoners.**

7. May 1852 – Bloody Point – California:

- A) Modocs kill 6 Settlers.**

8. August 1852 – 65 Prospectors & Miners:

- A) Head into Modoc country.**
- B) Are ambushed.**
- C) 34 are killed.**
- D) Wagons are burnt.**
- E) 2 young Women...Ages 14 & 16...Captured:
 - I. Later...Killed!****
- F) Ben Wright, with 15 followers seeks revenge:
 - I. Hunt the Modocs for a year.**
 - II. Kill a few.****

9. Mid-November 1852 – The Wright Massacre:

- A) Wright & his men camp near a village of Modocs.**

- B) Flag of truce.**
- C) Invite the Modocs to a feast.**
- D) 50 come to eat.**
- E) Meat...Strychnine!!!**
- F) Roll on ground in pain.**
- G) Wright's men shoot, scalp, and mutilate!**
- H) Kill 41 of the 50 Modocs...9 get away:**
 - I. One of the 9 is Kientepoos:**
 - (1) He will never forget.**
 - (2) He will always hate Whites.**
- I) Wright becomes a California hero!!**

10. Modoc Chief, Schonchin, makes Northern California a bloodbath!

11. Modocs will be lied to and fooled into signing treaties.

12. Many Modocs start "adopting" the White Man's ways:

A) One who does is...Kientepoos...BUT, only to learn the ways of his enemies!!

I. Whites call him.....Captain Jack.

13. Whites nickname many of the Modocs:

- A) Curly Headed Doctor.**
- B) Bogus Charley.**
- C) Boston Charley.**
- D) Shacknasty Jim.**
- E) Scar-Faced Charley.**
- F) Ellen's Man George.**
- G) One-Eyed Watchman.**
- H) Hooker Jim.**
- I) Old Tail.**
- J) One-Eyed Mose.**
- K) Old Chuckle Head.**

14. January 1854 – Lower Klamath Lake region:

- A) Trouble starts.**
- B) 4 Men are killed on the Emigrant Road.**

15. February 1856 – Modocs kill Ben Wright and 1 other Man:

- A) Start killing any White they come into contact with.**

16. Summer of 1856 – Californians attack the Modocs.

17. April 12, 1857 – Two of the Modocs:

- A) Who have killed Ben Wright.**
- B) Are caught.**
- C) Lynched.**

18. September 1857 – Goose Lake – Wagon Train:

- A) Is attacked.**
- B) 8 Men are killed.**

19. June 1859 – Bloody Point – California:

- A) Wagon Train.**
- B) Ambushed by the Modocs.**
- C) All the Men & Women are killed.**
- D) Children are taken captive.**
- E) 2nd – Well-Armed – Wagon Train – Approaches:
 - I. Rather than give the Children up...Modocs kill them all!****

(1860 thru 1871)

1. August 27, 1861 – Goose Lake – California:

A) Wagon Train is ambushed.

B) 3 Men are killed & 1 wounded.

2. 1864 – Most of the Modocs are on reservations in Southern Oregon:

A) Captain Jack signs a treaty:

I. Cedes Indian lands.

II. Agrees to live on a reservation.

3. 1865 – Settlers want all the Indian land:

A) Start taking it!

B) Captain Jack knows war is unavoidable!!

I. Proclaims himself...Chief:

(1) This splits the Tribe!

(2) Half will go with him!

(3) He leads his followers back to Lost River.

4. 1865 – President U.S. Grant:

A) Appoints Alfred Meacham Indian Superintendent for Oregon.

B) VERY religious man:

I. Attitude:

**(1) The less he has to do with the
Indians, the better!**

II. Forbids gambling.

III. Forbids slavery.

IV. Forbids polygamy.

V. Wants to do away with the Modoc Shaman:

(1) Medicine Man or Witch Doctor.

5. Captain Jack complains to Meacham:

**A) Modocs can't live on the same reservation
with the Klamaths:**

I. The two tribes DON'T get along!

B) Meacham does nothing!

I. Will make promises but will not keep them!

II. Avoids Captain Jack.

III. Tells Jack not to bother him.

**C) Captain Jack knows...War is the only
solution!**

**6. April 1870 – Meacham cuts off all food to the
Modocs:**

A) Tells them to go out and find their own food!

B) Captain Jack calls a meeting:

I. Decide to leave the reservation.

II. Demand to be allowed to live at Lost River.

7. April 25, 1870 – Captain Jack & 371 followers leave the reservation:

A) Go to Lost River.

8. Summer 1871 – Are brought back:

A) Placed back on the reservation with the Klamaths!

9. Captain Jack, 50 Warriors, 125 Women & Children leave:

A) Go to the Lava Beds at Tule Lake, California.

B) Agent orders them back.

C) Refuse.

10. Washington issues orders to the Army Commander in California, General Edward Canby:

A) Put the Modocs back on the reservation.

11. Canby:

A) 53 years old.

B) Seminole Indian War.

C) Mexican-American War.

D) Civil War.

E) Has treated the Indians fairly.

(1872)

- 1. Meacham is replaced by T.B. Odeneal.**

- 2. Summer 1872 – Odeneal gets orders:**
 - A) Take the Modocs to the reservation, peacefully or forcefully!**

- 3. November 1872 – Force to move the Modocs leaves Fort Klamath:**
 - A) Captain James Jackson.**
 - B) 40 Troopers of the 1st Cavalry.**
 - C) Pack Train.**
 - D) 5 Packers.**
 - E) 15 Ranchers.**

- 4. November 28, 1872 – Battle of Lost River:**
 - A) Indians know of the force.**
 - B) Indians are prepared.**
 - C) Firing erupts.**
 - D) After 5 minutes...Over...Force retreats!**
 - E) Soldiers lose 3 killed & 7 wounded.**
 - F) Modocs lose 2 killed & 8 wounded.**

- 5. 14 Modoc Warriors go on a raiding party around Tule Lake:**

A) Kill 14 Settlers.

6. Captain Jack takes refuge in "The Lava Beds":

A) Natural Fortress.

B) South shore of Tule Lake.

C) Beds are 12 miles long.

D) Jack is located in an area called "The Stronghold":

I. Is ½ mile by 1,000 feet.

E) Jack is joined by Shacknasty Jim and his band.

F) Jack now has 165 people of which only 50 are Warriors!

7. In ratio to Indians involved:

A) Most costly, lives & money spent, Indian War fought by the United States!

8. December 21, 1872 – Lava Beds – Modocs kill 2 Soldiers.

(1873 – January & February)

1. Wednesday - January 16, 1873 – Over 350

Soldiers surround the Lava Beds:

A) Firing.

B) Modocs wound 4 Soldiers.

2. Thursday – January 17, 1873:

A) 6:30 – Morning – Foggy.

B) 350 Soldiers assault the Lava Beds:

I. From the East & West.

C) Advance blindly in the fog for 3 ½ miles:

I. Firing...At What??!!

D) Modocs...See...Fire...Take a toll!!

I. Know the terrain.

II. Move around.

III. Operate in 2's and 3's.

E) Takes the Soldiers 6 hours to advance 1 mile!

F) Late evening – Soldiers retreat:

I. Have lost 9 killed and 30 wounded.

II. Have abandoned much equipment and weapons which the Modocs capture.

G) Modocs haven't suffered a single casualty!

3. 700 Soldiers now surround the Beds.

4. February 20, 1873 – Peace meetings start:

A) Go on for 2 months.

B) No results.

(1873 – March & April)

1. April 10, 1873 – Four Modocs come to the Army camp:

A) Ask for a Peace Meeting the next day.

B) To be held in a tent in “no man’s land”:

I. Half-Way between the 2 forces.

C) Canby accepts.

D) Winema “Toby” Riddle warns Canby that it is probably a trap!

I. Canby won’t listen.

2. Night of April 10, 1873 – Modoc camp:

A) Debate about actions the next day.

B) Most want to kill the Peace Commissioners.

C) Jack is not in favor of it!

D) He is insulted by the Warriors:

I. Thrown to the ground.

II. Dressed in Women’s clothing.

E) He is forced to go along with the plan.

3. Good Friday – April 11, 1873 – The Peace Commission Massacre:

A) EARLY morning:

I. 2 Modocs.....Barncho & Slolux...Take rifles:

(1) Hide them 100 yards from the tent.

- B) Peace Commission arrives...Taken to the Tent by Bogus Charley & Boston Charley:**
- I. General Edward Canby.**
 - II. L.S. Dyar.**
 - III. Alfred Meacham.**
 - IV. Reverend, Eleasar Thomas.**
 - V. Frank Riddle.**
 - VI. Winema "Toby" Riddle.**
- C) Waiting at the Tent are:**
- I. Captain Jack.**
 - II. John Schonchin.**
 - III. Hooker Jim.**
 - IV. Ellen's Man George.**
 - V. Black Jim.**
 - VI. Shacknasty Jim.**
- D) 11:45 – Morning – Talks start.**
- E) 12:12 – Jack gives a verbal signal:**
- I. Barncho & Slolux run out of the tent.**
 - II. Grab rifles...Hand them out.**
- F) Captain Jack yells "A-ta"...Attack!!!**
- I. At a distance of 3 feet...Jack...Pulls a pistol ...Shoots Canby in the face below the left eye!**
 - (1) Canby falls.**
 - (2) Staggeres to his feet in shock.**

(3) Staggers almost 40 yards...Falls:

a. Ellen's Man George – Shoots him with a rifle.

b. Jack stabs him in the throat killing him.....Then, puts on Canby's coat!

II. Boston Charley shoots Thomas in the chest:

(1) Falls to his knees.

(2) Boston Charley...Rifle butt...Knocks him over.

(3) Another Modoc...Rifle to head...BOOM!

(4) Dead!

III. Meacham...:

(1) Shot goes thru his whiskers!

(2) Shot takes off part of one ear!

(3) Shot glances off a rock...Hits him in the forehead...Knocks him senseless.

(4) Boston Charley starts to scalp him.

(5) BUT, Dyar runs for the Army camp yelling...Riddle runs for the Army camp.

(6) PLUS...Winema is knocked down, but starts yelling "The soldiers are coming!"

(7) These actions save Meacham's scalp and life because:

a. Modocs panic and flee!

- 4. Same day...Same time...Opposite side of the Lava Beds:**
 - A) 3 Modocs enter the Army camp:**
 - I. Miller's Charley.**
 - II. Curly Headed Doctor.**
 - III. One other.**
 - B) Ask to speak to the Officer in charge.**
 - C) Lt. William Sherwood comes out of his tent.**
 - D) They shoot him...And, then get away.**
 - E) Sherwood dies 3 days later.**

- 5. Canby...1st...And, ONLY General to be killed by the Indians!**

- 6. Tuesday – April 15, 1873 – Assault on the Lava Beds:**
 - A) 1,000 Men & 4 pieces of Artillery.**
 - B) 6 hours of fighting.**
 - C) Modocs stop the assault cold!**
 - D) Soldiers lose 3 killed and 6 wounded.**

- 7. Wednesday – April 16, 1873 – More fighting:**
 - A) In an area the size of a football field.**

B) Night – Soldiers retreat.

C) Modocs...1 dead...Warrior tries to remove fuse from artillery shell with teeth:

I. BOOM!.....Head gone!

D) Under cover of darkness...Modocs escape.

8. Saturday - April 26, 1873 – The Thomas & Wright Defeat:

A) Captain Evan Thomas and Captain Thomas Wright:

I. Lead 63 men into an ambush.

II. Set up by Scarfaced Charley and 24 Modocs.

B) All day fight.

C) Soldiers are routed!

I. Lose 23 killed...Two of them are Thomas & Wright...And 19 wounded.

(1873 – May thru September)

1. May 10, 1873 – Battle of Dry Lake:

- A) Military is camped.**
- B) Dawn.**
- C) Captain Jack and 33 Modocs attack.**
- D) Ellen's Man George is killed.**
- E) Modocs will be forced to withdraw:
 - I. Forced to abandon a lot of much needed supplies.****
- F) Soldiers lose 5 killed and 8 wounded.**

2. Dissension among the Modocs:

- A) Hooker Jim, Curly Headed Doctor, and 14 Warriors take their families and leave:
 - I. Jack now has only 33 Warriors.****

3. May 22, 1873 – Several Modoc Leaders & their followers surrender:

- A) Bogus Charley.**
- B) Steamboat Frank.**
- C) Hooker Jim.**
- D) Shacknasty Jim.**

4. Due to fatigue, hunger, and hopelessness:

- A) More Modocs surrender.**

5. June 1, 1873 – Captain Jack surrenders.

6. June 7, 1873 – 5 Modocs surrender:

A) 4 of them are murdered and 1 wounded.

7. June 14, 1873 – Army starts escorting the Modocs to the Fort Klamath stockade:

A) Night.

B) Rather than hang...Curly Headed Doctor:

I. Steals a Guard's gun.

II. Shoots himself thru the head committing suicide.

8. July 1, 1873 – Trials start for the murders of Canby & Thomas at the Peace Massacre:

A) Captain Jack – Schonchin John – Boston

Charley – Black Jim – Barncho – and Slolux:

I. Lasts 10 days.

II. Guilty.

III. Death by hanging.

9. President Grant:

A) Commutes sentences of Barncho & Slolux:

I. Life.

II. Sent to Alcatraz.

(October 1873 to the End)

- 1. Friday – October 3, 1873 – 10:28 – Morning:**
 - A) The 4 condemned Modocs are hanged!**
 - B) Night:**
 - I. Jack's body is dug up.**
 - II. Embalmed.**
 - III. On exhibit for 10 cents a look.**
 - C) Eventually – Surgeon General – Washington, D.C. – Reduces to skeleton – Exhibited.**

- 2. Late 1873 – 155 Modocs – Men, Women, and Children:**
 - A) Shipped to the Indian Territory.**

- 3. Barncho & Slolux:**
 - A) 5 years in prison.**
 - B) Pardoned.**
 - C) Sent to the Indian Territory.**

- 4. 1909 – Those in Oklahoma who desire to return to California & Oregon are allowed to:**
 - A) Many do so.**

- 5. Late 1800's and early 1900's – Most of those involved in the war die:**

A) Last to die...Winema "Toby" Riddle:

I. May 30, 1932 – Memorial Day.

II. Fort Klamath Reservation.

**6. War has cost the United States...Over \$550
thousand!!**

1873

1. Indians posses only 150 million acres of land:

A) By 1887...Shrinks to 139 million acres.

2. Remington Firearms Company:

A) Start manufacturing the Typewriter.

3. Bethlehem Steel Works is established:

A) Pennsylvania.

4. Mt. Whitney in the Sierra Nevada Mountains:

A) Climbed for the 1st time.

1873

**The Earp Brothers and
John Henry “Doc” Holliday**

1. Wyatt Berry Stamp Earp:

A) Born – March 19, 1848 – Monmouth, Illinois.

**B) Age 16....Family moves to San Bernardino,
California.**

**C) Stagecoach Driver between San Bernardino
and Los Angeles.**

D) Arizona....Stagecoach Driver.

**E) Utah....Salt Lake City area....Stagecoach
Driver.**

**F) Wyoming....Hires out his own wagons to the
Railroad.**

G) Marries....Wife dies of typhus.

H) Kansas....Buffalo Hunter.

I) May 25, 1871....Indian Territory:

I. Helps steal 2 horses.

II. Arrested.

III. Posts the \$500 bail.

**IV. Skips bail....Goes on the run....Charges
are eventually dropped.**

**J) August 18, 1873....City Marshal of Ellsworth,
Kansas.**

**K) May 1874....City Marshal of Wichita,
Kansas.**

L) Winter of 1877-1878....Fort Griffin, Texas:

I. First meets John Henry "Doc" Holliday and Kate Fisher.

M) 1878....Dodge City, Kansas....City Deputy Marshal:

I. Meets Doc Holliday and Kate Fisher again.

II. Outside The Long Branch Saloon.

III. Wyatt gets into an altercation with some drunken cowboys.

IV. Doc pulls gun and protects his back saving his life.

V. Become the best of friends.

2. Virgil Earp:

A) Born....1843....Kentucky.

B) Brother to Wyatt, Morgan, Warren, and James.

C) Civil War....Union Army.

D) 1877....City Marshal of Prescott, Arizona.

3. Morgan Earp:

A) Born....1851....Pella, Iowa.

B) City Deputy Marshal....Dodge City, Kansas.

C) Butte, Montana....Deputy Sheriff.

D) Brother to Wyatt, Virgil, James, and Warren.

4. James and Warren Earp:

A) Brothers to Wyatt, Virgil, and Morgan.

5. John Henry “Doc” Holliday:

- A) Born....August 14, 1851....Valdosta, Georgia.**
- B) Cleft Palate....Closed with surgery.**
- C) October 3, 1870....Philadelphia, Pennsylvania....Enters the Pennsylvania College of Dental Surgery.**
- D) August 1872....At age 21....Doctor of Dentistry.**
- E) In Philadelphia he learns to like drinking and gambling.**
- F) 1872....St. Louis, Missouri....Meets Kate Fisher:
 - I. Real name....Mary Katherine Harony.**
 - II. Whore in a Saloon.**
 - III. She will later drop the name “Fisher” and become....Kate Elder.**
 - IV. She will become his life-long, on and off, mistress and companion.****
- G) 1872....Doc learns his constant coughing is Pulmonary Tuberculosis:
 - I. Called “Consumption.”**
 - II. Told he has 2 years to live.****
- H) It is at this time he learns to deal the card game, “Faro.”**
- I) Physically:
 - I. 5 feet 10 inches tall.****

II. Slim.

III. 130 pounds.

IV. Blue eyes.

V. Sandy colored hair and mustache.

VI. Handsome.

J) Characteristics:

I. Typical southern racist....hates Blacks.

**II. Can handle a pistol, rifle, sawed-off
shotgun, or knife very well.**

III. No fear of death....Why?....He is dying!

IV. Won't back down from a fight.

V. Quick-tempered when he is drinking.

VI. Doesn't choose the best of friends.

**VII. Drinks way too much....Mostly to ease
the TB!**

**VIII. Makes gambling his chosen means of
making a living:**

**(1) Practices Dentistry only when he
has too.**

K) 1873....Goes west to Texas for his health:

I. Gambling.

**L) Dallas, Texas....Gambles, drinks, and
whores.**

M) 1875....Fort Griffin, Texas....Gambles.

N) 1875....Denver, Colorado....Gambles.

O) March 3, 1876....Fort Griffin, Texas:

I. Gambles.

II. Shoots and kills AWOL soldier, Private

Jacob Smith.

- P) July 1876....Denver, Colorado....Gambles:**
- I. November....Card game.**
 - II. Badly cuts up another gambler, Bud Ryan.**
- Q) January 1877....Dallas, Texas....Gambling:**
- I. July....Canes gambler, Henry Kahn:**
 - (1) Later in the day....Kahn shoots and wounds Doc:**
 - a. Kahn gets away.**
- R) September 1877....Fort Griffin, Texas:**
- I. Gambles.**
 - II. Meets up again with Kate Elder.**
 - III. Become a “pair.”**
- S) 1877....Doc and Kate....Eagle Pass, Texas:**
- I. Gambles and opens up a Dental Practice for a short time.**
- T) Winter of 1877-1878....Doc and Kate:**
- I. Fort Griffin, Texas....Gambles.**
 - II. First meets Wyatt Earp.**
- U) May 1878....Doc and Kate....Dodge City, Kansas:**
- I. Gambles and runs a part-time Dental Practice.**
 - II. Meets up again with Wyatt Earp.**
 - III. August....Saves Wyatt’s life outside the Long Branch Saloon.**
- V) December 1878....Doc’s health gets worse:**

I. He and Kate go to Las Vegas, New Mexico.

II. Gambles and a part-time Dental Practice.

W) March 1879....Doc by himself....Back to Dodge City, Kansas:

I. Gambles.

X) April 1879....Back to Las Vegas, New Mexico:

I. Meets up again with Kate.

Y) July 1879....With Kate....The two go to Prescott, Arizona:

I. Meets up with Wyatt again.

II. Gambles.

III. Kate HATES all of the Earps....Why?

(1) Jealous of Doc's relationship with them.

6. September 1879....James & Bessie Earp, Wyatt & Mattie Earp, Doc & Kate....Arrive in Tombstone, Arizona:

A) Silver Mining boom town!!

B) Named by miner, Ed Schieffelin.

C) Consists of:

**I. Huts....Cabins....Tents....Saloons....
Gambling dens.**

II. The Golden Eagle Brewery.

III. The Crystal Palace.

IV. 2,000 people.

D) Doc becomes a Faro Dealer in the Alhambra Saloon.

E) Wyatt gets a job riding shotgun for the Wells Fargo Company.

7. January 1880....Morgan Earp and his wife arrive in Tombstone:

A) He goes to work as a shotgun guard for Wells Fargo Company.

8. Virgil Earp and his wife arrive.

9. There is a large outlaw element in the Tombstone area:

A) Are called "The Cow-Boys."

B) A primary leader is Newman Haynes "Old Man" Clanton:

I. Ranch is a haven for rustlers, thieves, robbers, and murderers.

II. Has 3 sons:

(1) Phineas....Called "Fin."

(2) Billy.

(3) Isaac....Called "Ike":

a. Quick tempered.

b. Boastful.

c. Always runs with a rough crowd.

C) Other "Cow-Boys":

I. Robert Findley "Frank" McLaury and his

- brother Thomas Clark "Tom" McLaury.**
- II. Joe Hill.**
 - III. Frank Patterson.**
 - IV. Pony Deal.**
 - V. Frank Stilwell.**
 - VI. Jim Hughes.**
 - VII. Zwing Hunt.**
 - VIII. Hank Swilling.**
 - IX. Johnny Barnes.**
 - X. Milt Hicks.**
 - XI. Bill Hicks.**
 - XII. "Rattlesnake" Bill Johnson.**
 - XIII. Florentino Cruz:**
 - (1) known as "Indian Charlie."**
 - XIV. Jake Gauze.**
 - XV. Charlie Snow.**
 - XVI. Bud Snow.**
 - XVII. Alex Arnett.**
 - XVIII. Charlie Green.**
 - XIX. "Tall" Bell.**
 - XX. Charlie Thomas.**
 - XXI. Jim Crane.**
 - XXII. Luther king.**
 - XXIII. Harry Head.**
 - XXIV. Billy Claiborne.**
 - XXV. William Graham:**
 - (1) Known as "Curly Bill" Brocius.**
 - (2) Born.....1840....Texas.**

- (3) Good with a pistol.**
- (4) Wounded 12 times in gunbattles.**
- (5) Kills with NO feelings!!!**

XXVI. Johnny Ringo:

- (1) Born....1844....Iowa.**
- (2) Cousin of the Younger Brothers.**
- (3) Real name....John Ringgold.**
- (4) California....Texas:**
 - a. Texas....1876....Mason County War.**
 - b. 1877....Huntsville, Texas....Will escape from jail.**
- (5) Is a "Gunfighter":**
 - a. Fast and accurate with pistols.**
- (6) Well-read.**
- (7) Well-mannered.**
- (8) Excellent use of the English language.**
- (9) Carries, reads, and can quote:**
 - a. Best in literature and poetry.**
- (10) Heavy drinker.**
- (11) Very moody.**
- (12) 6 feet 2 inches tall....Handsome.**
- (13) Can be sarcastic, ruthless, cruel, and bloodthirsty.**
- (14) 1879....Arrives in the Tombstone area.**

D) And scores more!!!

10. Territorial Government of Arizona....Located at Prescott, Arizona....Creates a new County:

A) Cochise County.

B) Tombstone becomes the new county's seat.

C) Johnny Behan....Friend of the Cow-Boy faction....Wants to becomes Sheriff of the new county:

I. Promises Wyatt Earp, who is an acting Deputy Sheriff, if he helps him get elected he would make him his Deputy.

11. Eventually the Earps and their supporters will be backed by "The Tombstone Epitaph":

A) Is owned and edited by John Clum.

12. The Behan/Cow-Boy faction will be supported by "The Tombstone Nugget":

A) Is owned and edited by Behan's Undersheriff, Harry Woods.

13. The two Newspapers will support or attack their friends or opponents respectfully!

14. Wyatt Earp quits Wells Fargo:

A) Is an acting Deputy Sheriff of Cochise County and becomes a U.S. Deputy Marshal.

B) Becomes part owner of The Oriental Saloon:

I. Bat Masterson and Luke Short deal cards for him.

15. October 27, 1880....Some of the Cow-Boys are in Tombstone drinking heavily:

A) Ike Clanton....Billy Clanton....Frank McLauryTom McLaury....Pony Deal....Frank Patterson....and “Curly Bill” Brocius.

B) Wyatt Earp and City Marshal, 32 year old, Fred White have been patrolling the streets.

C) Into the wee minutes of October 28th – 12:30:

I. “Curly Bill” Brocius is drunk and firing his pistol in the air.

II. Fred White heads to the sound of the gunfire.

III. Wyatt Earp leaves a card game at The Bank Exchange Saloon and heads for the sound of the gunfire.

IV. Wyatt meets Morgan on the way.

V. Fred White approaches Brocius and demands his weapon.

VI. Brocius starts pulling his pistol out of it’s holster.

VII. Wyatt grabs Brocius from behind.

VIII. White grabs the pistol from “Curly Bill’s” hand....It goes off....Bullet tears

into White's groin and enters his guts.

IX. Wyatt pistol-whips Brocius over the head....He is arrested and taken away:

(1) Along with the others with him.

X. 2 days later....White dies:

(1) On his deathbed....White says it was an accident:

a. Brocius will be released....Grounds are accidental homicide.

D) Hard feelings between the Earps and the Cow-Boys:

1. Some of the Cow-Boys swear revenge.

16. Virgil Earp is appointed City Marshal of Tombstone to take Fred White's place:

A) he is also a U.S. deputy Marshal.

17. November 9, 1880....Wyatt Earp resigns as Acting Deputy Sheriff of Cochise County.

18. Wyatt is replaced by Johnny Behan.

19. November 12, 1880....Virgil Earp is defeated in an election for City Marshal of Tombstone.

20. Wyatt Earp has one of his horses stolen:

A) February 2, 1881....Recovers it from Billy

Clanton!!!

21. March 15, 1881....Night....The Wells Fargo Stage out of Tombstone is headed for Benson:

A) Stopped outside of Contention by robbers:

I. Robbers open fire.

II. Driver, Bud Philpot is killed.

III. Passenger, Peter Roerig is killed.

IV. Bob Paul, guard, fires back wounding one of the robbers.

V. Horses bolt and run.

B) Word to Tombstone....Posse is formed:

I. Johnny Behan.

II. Bat Masterson.

III. Marshal Williams, a Wells Fargo Agent.

IV. Because of U.S. Mail on the coach.... Wyatt and Virgil Earp.

C) Tracks at the scene indicate 4 robbers.

D) Luther King is caught:

I. Confesses to only holding the horses.

II. Taken to Tombstone by Behan, and placed in jail.

E) Wyatt suspects Bill Leonard, Jim Crane, and Harry Head as the other 3!

22. Wells Fargo offers a reward for the other 3 robbers.

23. March 28, 1881....King “escapes” from the Tombstone jail:

A) Simply walks out the back of the jail to a waiting horse!

B) Behan and “The Tombstone Nugget” claim the Earps have helped him escape:

I. Why?....To protect Doc Holliday, their friend, who was in on the robbery!!!

C) Behan claims Kate Elder has signed an affidavit saying Doc was one of the robbers.

D) The Earps and Doc claim this charge is absurd!!!!

24. June 1881....Wyatt Earp meets with Ike Clanton, Frank McLaury, and Joe Hill:

A) Offers them a proposition:

I. Wyatt wants to be Sheriff.

II. If he can capture the robbers, he can be elected.

III. Offers them \$1,200 each for Leonard, Head, and Crane....Dead or alive!

25. June 10, 1881....Ike Clanton and others kill Leonard and Head for the money!

26. June 11, 1881....Oriental Saloon....Johnny Tyler, a gambler and Cow-Boy supporter, is causing trouble:

- A) Wyatt bodily throws him out of the saloon:**
 - I. Doc covers Wyatt's back against some of Tyler's supporters.**

27. July 4, 1881....Virgil Earp is elected City Marshal, or, Chief of Police of Tombstone.

28. July 5, 1881....Johnny Behan arrests Doc Holliday for being one of the robbers and the 2 murders:

A) Hearing is held:

- I. Kate says she was drunk and mad at Doc, and none of what she said was true!**

- II. Says she didn't even know what the paper she signed said!!**

- III. Wyatt testifies Doc was in town dealing Faro at the time of the robbery.**

- IV. Doc is freed.**

29. At this time....Josephine Sarah "Sadie" Marcus shows up in Tombstone for a short period of time:

A) Is Johnny Behan's woman.

B) Irony....Later becomes Mrs. Wyatt Earp!

30. July 1881....The Skeleton Canyon Massacre:

A) Peloncillo Mountains....Northeast of Douglas, Arizona.

- B) “Old Man” Clanton, Brocius, Ringo, and 9 others set up an ambush:**
- I. Target....Mexican Mule Train carrying \$75 thousand in silver:**
 - (1) Escorted by Don Miguel Garcia and 19 Vaqueros:**
 - a. Strung out....Single file.**
- C) Trap is sprung....Gunfire....Vaqueros are shot from their horses:**
- I. Only 1 of the Vaqueros, a 16 year old boy, manages to hide and watch:**
 - (1) Two of his brothers are killed.**
 - (2) Wounded are “brained” to death!**
 - (3) The boy will not forget who is responsible.**

31. Ike Clanton is very upset at Wyatt Earp:

- A) Accuses him of telling others of the “deal” between them to get the Benson Robbers:**
- I. Wyatt denies it!**
 - II. Ike says Doc told him!!**
 - III. Wyatt says he will ask Doc!!!**

32. August 13, 1881....The Guadalupe Canyon Ambush:

- A) “Old Man” Clanton and others are driving a herd of 300 stolen Mexican cattle from Mexico to the Clanton Ranch:**

**I. William Lang – Dixie Lee Gray – Jim Crane
– Charles Snow – Billy Byers – and Harry
Earnshaw.**

B) Camp for the night.

**C) Have been followed by a Mexican Vaqueros
led by the 16 year old survivor of the
Skeleton Canyon Massacre!**

D) Dawn....They hit the Cow-Boy camp:

**I. Only Earnshaw and Byers(wounded)
survive:**

(1) Rest are killed.

**33. September 8, 1881....Night....The Wells Fargo
Stage to Bisbee is robbed by 2 men:**

A) Get \$3,100.00!!

B) Two posses are formed:

**I. One....Wyatt, Virgil, Morgan, Marshal
Williams, and Fred Dodge:**

**(1) Trail and capture Behan's Deputy
Sheriff, Frank Stilwell and Pete
Spence:**

**a. Bring them in to Tombstone on
September 11th.**

**C) Both....Have charges against them
dropped!!**

**34. October 25, 1881....Ike Clanton and Tom
McLaury arrive in Tombstone at 10:30 in the**

morning:

A) Ike starts drinking!

B) Evening:

I. Ike is very drunk.

II. Doc confronts him with the lie he has told Wyatt about Doc telling him Wyatt has "talked."

III. Doc challenges him....Morgan Earp breaks up the confrontation.

IV. Ike goes to the Occidental Saloon:

(1) Gets into an all-night poker game with....Virgil Earp, Tom McLaury, and Johnny Behan:

a. Will not end until daybreak.

35. October 26, 1881....The Gunfight at the O.K.

Corral:

A) Daybreak....The poker game ends:

I. Ike tells Virgil Earp to tell Doc he must fight him....THEN....He threatens Virgil:

(1) Virgil goes home and goes to bed.

B) 8:00 – Morning – Ike Clanton picks up his rifle and pistol that he has checked in at the West End Corral:

I. Starts looking for Doc or any of the Earps.

II. Ned Boyle, bartender at the Oriental Saloon, goes to Wyatt's quarters and warns him.

C) 12:00 – Noon:

I. Ike Clanton goes to Fly's Boardinghouse:

II. Looking for Doc:

(1) Is where Doc lives.

III. Is told Doc is not there....He leaves.

IV. Mollie Fly warns Kate Elder:

(1) Kate wakes up Doc and warns him.

(2) Doc dresses with intentions of finding and confronting Ike!

V. Same time:

(1) Virgil Earp is up and heads downtown.

(2) Meets Morgan and James Earp.

(3) He asks them if they've seen Ike Clanton.

VI. Same time:

(1) Wyatt is in the Oriental Saloon.

(2) Walks out and meets Virgil and Morgan.

(3) They split up to look for Ike.

D) Morgan & Virgil spot Ike:

I. He is armed with his rifle and pistol.

II. Virgil grabs his rifle.

III. Ike reaches for his pistol.

IV. Virgil pistol-whips him to his knees.

V. He is arrested for carrying firearms within the city limits.

VI. He is taken to Police Court.

E) It is now 1:00 – Afternoon:

I. Court....Proceedings....Fined \$25 & court

**costs....Ike shoots his mouth off about
having a gun and killing all of the Earps!**

**II. The Earps have had enough of the
threats!**

**III. Morgan offers Ike a pistol to carry out
his threat!**

IV. Ike won't take it!

V. Wyatt leaves the courtroom in a rage!!

VI. Wyatt bumps into Tom McLaury.

VII. Exchange harsh words.

**VIII. Wyatt slaps him....Then....Pistol-whips
him to the ground.**

IX. Wyatt walks off.

X. Tom McLaury goes to the Capitol Saloon.

**XI. Wyatt goes to Hafford's Saloon....Buys a
cigar....Smokes it to cool off!**

**XII. Back in court....Ike is told he can pick
up his guns at The Grand Hotel.**

F) Meanwhile....Frank McLaury and Billy

Clanton have arrived in town:

I. Go to the Grand Hotel bar.

II. Find out what has happened.

**III. Leave....Start leading their horses in the
direction of the O.K. Corral.**

IV. They meet Billy Claiborne.

V. The 3 head to find Ike.

G) The 3 Cow-Boys meet up with Ike Clanton and Tom McLaury:

I. They head down to Spangenberg's Gun Shop.

II. Tie horses and go in to buy ammunition and some more arms.

III. Frank McLaury's horse walks up onto the sidewalk....Against the law.

IV. Wyatt sees this....Walks across the street....Starts backing the horse off....Frank McLaury sees this....Rushes out.

V. Grabs the bridle....Tense moment between the 2 men....Both walk away.

H) At the same time....Virgil Earp steps into the Wells Fargo Office:

I. Grabs a sawed-off, double barreled, 10 gauge shotgun.

I) Now....2:30....Afternoon:

I. Outside Hafford's Saloon at the corner of 4th and Allen Streets.

II. Virgil Earp is joined by Wyatt & Morgan Earp and Doc Holliday.

J) The 4 men head for Fremont Street:

I. Doc is whistling....He greets people he knows along the way.

II. Man runs up and tells them that the 5 Cow-Boys are at the rear of the O.K.

Corral and plotting trouble.

III. Virgil Earp hands Doc the shotgun and tells him to hide it under his coat:

(1) Doc removes one arm from a sleeve and does so.

(2) Doc gives Virgil his cane.

K) The 5 Cow-Boys are at the back of the O.K. Corral in the 18 foot wide vacant lot between Fly's Photograph Gallery & Boardinghouse:

I. And on the other side is Harwood's small house on Fremont Street.

L) As the Earps and Holliday approach they see Johnny Behan talking to the Cow-Boys:

I. Behan rushes up to the Earps and Holliday.

II. Tries to stop them.

III. Tells them he's "been down there to disarm them."

IV. They take it to mean he HAS disarmed them....Which he has not!

V. They continue on past Behan:

(1) Virgil's pistol is in his pants on his left hip.

(2) Wyatt's pistol is in his overcoat pocket.

M) It is now 2:45 - Afternoon - As the Earps and Holliday approach.

I. The 5 Cow-Boys back off Fremont Street into the vacant lot.

N) Two groups confront each other:

I. Doc stands a little to the rear of the Earps in the street.

II. Wyatt sees the 5 men are armed:

(1) Says out loud: "Son-of-a-bitch!"

III. Virgil raises the cane and tells them:

"Throw up your hands boys. I intend to disarm you."

IV. Frank McLaury says something back in return....He steps forward putting his hand on the pistol on his hip.

O) Sequence of the Gunfight:

I. Billy Clanton reaches for his gun.

II. Tom McLaury throws open his overcoat to clear the way to get his guns.

III. Wyatt pulls out his pistol.

IV. Doc raises the shotgun and cocks both barrels.

V. Virgil Earp yells: "Hold! I don't mean that!"

VI. Frank McLaury starts drawing his pistol.

VII. Wyatt fires hitting Frank McLaury in the stomach.

VIII. Virgil reaches for his pistol.

IX. Frank McLaury clutches his stomach, stumbles, fires....Hits Virgil in the calf of

**the right leg....Goes clear through
knocking Virgil down.**

X. Billy Clanton fires at Wyatt and misses.

**XI. Ike Clanton runs up to Wyatt yelling
something and wrestling with him:**

(1) Wyatt shoves him away.

**(2) Ike and Billy Claiborne run into Fly's
Boardinghouse, out, into another
vacant lot, and into town.**

XII. Billy Clanton is firing.

**XIII. Frank McLaury is staggering into
Fremont Street firing.**

**XIV. Billy Clanton is hit in the wrist by
Morgan Earp....Shifts the gun to the
other hand fires:**

**(1) Hits Morgan at the point of the right
shoulder....Bullet travels in a
straight line under the skin across
his back, nicks a vertebrae, and
exits at the point of the left
shoulder:**

**a. Impact of the bullet knocks
Morgan down.**

**XV. Tom McLaury has jumped behind his
horse and is trying to pull his rifle from
the saddle-boot:**

(1) The horse bolts and runs.

(2) McLaury starts around the corner of

the Harwood House.

(3) Doc blasts him with both barrels of the 10 gauge sawed-off shotgun....12

buckshot hit him:

a. McLaury staggers 75 feet down the sidewalk to the corner of 3rd and Fremont Streets.

b. Collapses next to a telegraph pole.

XVI. Doc throws down the shotgun and draws his pistol.

XVII. Wyatt and Virgil (From his knees) both fire at Billy Clanton....Both hit him in the chest:

(1) He is knocked against the Harwood House....Collapses....Rises to his knees....Begs people who come to see about him for more bullets!

XVIII. Frank McLaury is in the middle of the street:

(1) Raises pistol and aims at Doc and fires.

(2) Doc and Morgan (From his knees) both fire at him at the same time:

a. Doc hits him in the chest.

b. Morgan's shot hits him in the side of the head:

****Falls dead!**

c. McLaury's shot has gone through Doc's overcoat and barely grazed his hip.

P) Over:

I. Has lasted for 30 seconds.

II. 34 shots total have been fired....17 shots by each side:

(1) 11 of the 34 shots have hit someone killing or wounding.

III. Frank McLaury, Tom McLaury, and Billy Clanton are carried into the house at the corner of 3rd and Fremont Streets next to the Harwood House:

(1) Frank McLaury is dead....hit by 3 bullets.

(2) Tom McLaury dies without speaking... Hit by 12 buckshot.

(3) Billy Clanton....Says he has been murdered....Dies....Hit once in the wrist and twice in the chest.

IV. 3 men are wounded:

(1) Doc....Hip....But just barely.

(2) Virgil Earp....Calf of the right leg.

(3) Morgan Earp....Shoulders and back.

36. October 27, 1881:

A) Frank McLaury, Tom McLaury, and Billy Clanton are buried:

- I. HUGE procession!!!**
- II. Over 300 people!!!**

37. October 28, 1881....Coroners Inquest is held.

38. October 29, 1881:

A) Warrants are issued for the arrest of:

- I. Wyatt Earp.**
- II. Virgil Earp.**
- III. Morgan Earp.**
- IV. Doc Holliday.**

39. October 31, 1881:

A) 3:00 – Afternoon – Inquest starts:

I. Will go on thru November 30, 1881.

B) 2:00 – Afternoon – November 30, 1881:

I. Judge reads decision....Not guilty of murder....Released!!

40. The Cow-Boys will plot revenge!!!

41. December 28, 1881 – 11:30 – Night:

A) Virgil Earp leaves the Oriental Saloon.

**B) Is headed for his quarters at the
Cosmopolitan Hotel.**

**C) Passes a construction site of a new water
building at the southeast corner of 5th
Street:**

- I. 5 shotgun blasts fired at him....Knocks him down!**
- D) Gets up....Staggers back to the Oriental Saloon....Tells Wyatt he's been shot....Collapses!**
- E) Wyatt carries him to the Cosmopolitan to his room....Doctors arrives:**
 - I. Has been hit in the left side.**
 - II. Thigh, liver, kidney, and spinal column have been slightly damaged....No permanent or fatal damage.**
 - III. Left arm is badly shattered....Doctors want to amputate it....He won't let them!!**
 - IV. The Doctors remove 5 1/2 inches of shattered bone from the arm.**
 - V. Will be a useless arm for the rest of his life....Partial cripple.**

42. Who???????

- A) Frank Stilwell, Behan's Deputy, has been seen in town carrying a shotgun and later entering the construction site:**
 - I. Ike Clanton's hat is found in the construction site.**
 - II. Ike Clanton, Johnny Ringo, and Hank Swilling have also been seen in town carrying shotguns.**

43. Wyatt deputizes a group of men to protect his brothers and wives:

A) Morgan Earp – Warren Earp – Doc Holliday – Sherman McMaster – “Texas Jack” Vermillion – “Turkey Creek” Jack Johnson – Dan Tipton – Charlie Smith.

44. January 17, 1882 – Night:

A) Allen Street in front of the Oriental Saloon.

B) Johnny Ringo confronts Wyatt and proposes the 2 men fight it out:

I. Doc Holliday intervenes.

II. Is broken up before Ringo and Holliday shoot it out.

45. February 2, 1882:

A) Wyatt and Virgil Earp offer to resign as U.S. Deputy Marshals:

I. Officials refuse to accept the resignations.

46. Saturday night – March 17, 1882:

A) Campbell & Hatch’s Saloon and Billiard Parlor.

B) Morgan Earp is playing Bob Hatch in a game of Billiards.

C) Wyatt Earp is sitting at a table watching the game.

D) 2 shots are fired through the glass panes of the door:

I. 1st bullet hits Morgan in the back to the left of the spinal column and goes clear through his left kidney and liver, then, exits on his right side and goes on to wound spectator, George Berry in the thigh!

(1) The 2nd bullet hits the wall just above Wyatt's head!

E) Takes Morgan 40 minutes to die a very painful death:

I. His last request is for Wyatt to get the men who have killed him:

(1) Dies!!

47. Through questioning and investigation Wyatt finds out that the assassins have most likely been:

A) Deputy Sheriff, Frank Stilwell – Frederick Bode – Hank Swilling – Johnny Ringo – “Curly Bill” Brocius – and Florentino Cruz, alias “Indian Charley.”

48. Sunday – March 18, 1882:

A) Is Wyatt's 34th birthday!

B) He and friends escort Morgan's body to Contention, Arizona:

I. James Earp will escort the body by train home to their parents.

49. Monday – March 19, 1882 – Wyatt Earp, Warren Earp, Doc Holliday, Sherman McMaster, and “Turkey Creek” Jack Johnson escort Virgil & his wife to Tucson:

A) Are to catch a train for Colton, California.

B) Wyatt gets word:

I. Frank Stilwell, Ike Clanton, and 2 other Cow-Boys are in Tucson watching the trains to kill Virgil.

C) Wyatt loads Virgil and his wife on a train.

D) Wyatt and Doc spot Stilwell talking to Ike Clanton.

E) They follow Stilwell into the darkness:

I. Shots ring out!!!

F) Next day....Stilwell’s body is found by the tracks:

I. Shot to pieces:

(1) Both barrels of a 10 gauge shotgun!

(2) 4 rifle bullets!!

50. Wyatt and his men start after the Cow-Boys.

51. March 22, 1882 – Catch up to Florentino Cruz, alias “Indian Charley”:

A) Is shot 4 times and killed!

B) Wyatt claims that before being killed he has named the killers of Morgan:

I. Himself....He has held the horses.

II. Johnny Ringo....Curly Bill Brocius....Frank Stilwell....and Hank Swilling.

52. March 24, 1882 – At Iron Springs outside Tombstone:

A) Wyatt – Doc – Sherman McMaster – “Turkey Creek” Jack Johnson – and “Texas Jack” Vermillion:

I. Ambushed by a group of Cow-Boys under “Curly Bill” Brocius:

(1) Wyatt....Blasts Brocius almost in two with a shotgun killing him!

53. Others of the Cow-Boys are hunted down and killed:

A) Ike Clanton leaves the area.

54. April 1882 – Wyatt’s group reaches Trinidad, Colorado:

A) They all part company:

I. Wyatt and Doc part.

55. May 1882 – Doc is in Pueblo, Colorado:

A) Gambles.

56. Wyatt goes to California with Mattie:

A) She is a Laudanum Addict:

I. Get a divorce.

57. Wyatt meets – Josephine Sarah “Sadie”

Marcus...Again:

A) Get married.

58. Virgil Earp – Colton, California – Becomes a Law Officer.

59. June 1882 – Doc is in Gunnison, Colorado:

A) Gambles.

60. July 14, 1882 – Morse’s Canyon – Sulpher Springs Valley – Chiricahua Mountains – Found in a sitting position beneath an Oak Tree:

A) Body of – 38 year old, Johnny Ringo:

I. One shot from a .45 pistol has blown out one side of his head.

II. Powder burns....Pistol to side.

B) Evidence.....Suicide:

I. Has been depressed.

II. Has been on a 2 week drinking spree.

C) NOT killed by Doc, Wyatt, or any of the others!

- 61. Summer of 1882 – Denver, Colorado – Hotel Lobby – Wyatt & wife, Josephine – Run into Doc:**
- A) Long visit – Part company – Never see each other again!**
- 62. May 1883 – Glenwood Springs, Colorado – In failing health – Doc checks himself into the TB Sanitarium:**
- A) It has sulphur springs for treatment.**
- 63. November 8, 1884 – 10:00 – Morning – Age 36 – John Henry “Doc” Holliday dies of Pulmonary TB:**
- A) Doesn’t say a word for the last 24 hours of his life.**
- 64. 1887 – Ike Clanto – Shot & Killed by a Posse after stealing some cattle.**
- 65. Wyatt & “Josie” go to the Klondike Region of Alaska:**
- A) Run the Dexter Saloon.**
- 66. They go to Needles, California:**
- A) Mining Industry for awhile.**
- 67. They go to Kern County, California:**

A) Develop Oil Lands.

68. October 19, 1906 – Goldfield, Nebraska – At age 65 – Virgil Earp dies of pneumonia.

69. Wyatt & “Josie” go to Los Angeles & Hollywood:

A) January 13, 1929 – Age 80 – Los Angeles, California:

I. Wyatt Earp dies.

1873 – 1928

(55 Years)

The Hatfield-McCoy Feud

1. Border of Kentucky and West Virginia.

2. Two Families are only 7 ½ miles apart:

A) Hatfield's live in West Virginia.

B) McCoy's live in Kentucky.

3. The Hatfield Family:

A) William Anderson "Devil Anse" Hatfield:

I. Mid 40's.

II. Former Captain in Confederate Army.

III. 6 feet tall.

IV. Excellent shot.

V. Father of 12.

B) Johnson "Johnse" Hatfield:

I. Oldest son.

II. Good natured.

III. Nice "dresser."

IV. A "Romeo."

C) William "Cap" Hatfield:

I. 2nd oldest son.

II. Excellent shot.

III. Can be cruel and vindictive.

D) Jim Vance:

I. Great Uncle.

E) "Blood" Relatives:

I. The Chafin Family.

II. The Mahon Family.

III. The Vance Family.

IV. The Ferrell Family.

V. The Staton Family.

4. The McCoy Family:

A) Randolph "Rand'I" McCoy:

I. Mid 60's.

II. Father of 13.

B) Floyd McCoy:

I. Considered by some to be a coward.

C) Jim McCoy:

I. Early 30's.

II. Married.

III. Level-Headed.

IV. Likeable.

D) Tolbert McCoy:

I. 1882...31 years old.

I. Bad temper.

II. Will fight over almost anything.

E) Calvin McCoy.

F) Phamer "Dick" McCoy.

G) Randolph McCoy Jr.

H) "Blood" Relatives:

I. The Soward Family.

II. The Norman Family.

III. The Stuart Family.

IV. The Coleman Family.

V. The Gates Family.

VI. The Rutherford Family.

5. 1873 – Rand'l McCoy accuses Floyd Hatfield of claiming one of his pigs:

A) Reverend, Anderson Hatfield – Acts as Judge:

I. Cousin of "Devil Anse" Hatfield.

B) Both clans show up.

C) Jury is 6 Hatfield & 6 McCoy:

I. Vote is split until.....:

(1) Selkirk McCoy, married to a Hatfield:

a. Votes in favor of Hatfield!

b. Causes HARD feelings!

6. Shortly afterward...Bill & John Staton are poling up river:

A) Meet Floyd & Calvin McCoy poling down river.

B) The 2 boats land on opposite banks.

C) Open fire on each other!!!

I. Goes on for hours.

II. Nobody hurt.

7. Short time later...Bill Staton is beaten with a club:

A) In retaliation...He beats up every McCoy supporter he comes into contact with!

8. Result.....Bill Staton's body is found with his head almost completely blown off!!

A) Killed by Paris & Sam McCoy!

B) Tried...Not Guilty...Self-Defense.

9. Johnse Hatfield is arrested by Tolbert, Jim, & Phamer McCoy:

A) For selling Moonshine Whiskey in Kentucky.

B) Group is stopped by "Devil Anse" and many followers:

I. Take Johnse back!

II. No shots fired!

10. 1880 – Spring Election:

- A) People meet at Jeremiah "Jerry" Hatfield's.**
- B) To vote.**
- C) A day of eating, story-telling, & DRINKING!**
- D) Johnse Hatfield likes Rose Anne McCoy:
 - I. Tolbert McCoy's sister.****
- E) The two talk...Disappear...Screw all day:
 - I. Dusk...Return.****
- F) Everyone is gone!**
- G) Johnse takes her home to live with him.**
- H) "Devil Anse" refuses to let them marry.**
- I) McCoys are MAD!!**

11. Following months:

- A) Rand'l McCoy sends his younger daughters:
 - I. To try and persuade Rose Anne to come home.****
- B) 1881 – She returns home:
 - I. Father continually reprimands her!**
 - II. Father forbids her to see Johnse.**
 - III. She slips away and meets him anyway.****

12. One night...McCoy boys surround house where Johnse & Rose Anne are meeting:

- A) Are in bed together.**
- B) No violence.**

C) He is taken prisoner.

D) Tell him they are taking him to Pikeville:

I. To be turned over to the law.

E) Rose Anne rushes to "Devil Anse":

I. Tells him what has happened.

F) He, his sons, his brother Elias, and followers:

I. Overtake the McCoys.

II. No violence.

III. Liberate Johnse.

13. Rose Anne goes back to her Father:

A) Pregnant.

B) Measles...Miscarriage.

14. August 7, 1882 – Election Day in Kentucky:

A) Polls open near Jerry Hatfield's.

B) Preacher, Anse Hatfield, is one of the election officials.

C) Drinking all day.

D) Tolbert McCoy picks a quarrel with Elias Hatfield:

I. Over amount of money owed.

II. Tolbert is backed by 2 of his brothers:

(1) 19 year old, Phamer.

(2) 15 year old, Randolph Jr.

- E) Argument is broken up.**
- F) Late afternoon – Tolbert McCoy picks a quarrel with Ellison Hatfield.**
- G) Escalates...Tolbert swings at Ellison with a knife:**
 - I. Lays Ellison's stomach open!**
 - II. Ellison grabs Tolbert trying to get the knife away.**
 - III. Phamer & Randolph Jr. jump in and start stabbing Ellison Hatfield.**
 - IV. Preacher, Anse Hatfield, rushes over to break up the fight.**
 - V. Ellison grabs a rock to fight back.**
 - VI. Phamer shoots him in the back!**
- H) The 3 McCoy's take off!**
- I) Overtaken...Brought back as prisoners!**
- J) 4:00 – Afternoon – Preacher, Anse Hatfield, announces that Ellison will die:**
 - I. 26 knife gashes and 1 shot!**

15. August 8, 1882 – Large Hatfield force:

- A) Takes the 3 McCoy's across the Tug Fork River.**
- B) Abandoned schoolhouse.**
- C) Visited by:**

I. Sarah...Mother.

II. Mary...Tolbert's Wife.

D) 2 women are told to leave after visiting:

I. Wall Hatfield tells the women that if Ellison dies...The 3 will die!

16. August 9, 1882 – 3:30 – Afternoon – Messenger arrives at the schoolhouse – Ellison is dead!!

A) Night.....Group:

I. "Devil Anse" Hatfield.

II. Johnse Hatfield.

III. Cap Hatfield.

IV. Bill Hatfield.

V. Tom Hatfield.

VI. Alex Messer.

VII. Charley Carpenter.

VIII. Tom Mitchell.

B) Take the 3 McCoys to the Kentucky side of the river.

C) Are tied together – Told to pray.

D) Massive volley of shots...Then, 1 shot!!!

E) Late Night – Jim McCoy and followers:

I. Find the 3.....Shot to death!!

(1) Tolbert & Phamer are riddled!

a. Tolbert has one hand over forehead!

b. Bullet has gone thru his hand into his head!

(2) Randolph Jr. is in a kneeling position:

a. Entire top of his head blown off!

- 17. August 10, 1882 – Ellison Hatfield is buried.**
- 18. August 11, 1882 – The 3 McCoy's are buried.**
- 19. September 14, 1882 – Jury – Indicts 20 men for the murder of the 3 McCoy's.**
- 20. Warfare between the 2 Families and "Blood" Relatives on both sides breaks out!**
- 21. 1886 – Johnse Hatfield marries Harmon McCoy's daughter, Nancy.**
- 22. 1887 – Cap Hatfield & Tom Wallace kill Jeff McCoy.**
- 23. January 1888 – "Devil Anse" Hatfield, Cap Hatfield, and Jim Vance:
A) Hold a council of war.
B) Decide:**

I. Some of the “Kentucky people” have to be killed.

C) Organize an expedition:

I. Jim Vance.

II. Tom Chambers.

III. Ellison Mounts:

(1) 24 years old – Half-Wit!!

IV. Charles Gillespie.

V. French “Doc” Ellis.

VI. Cap Hatfield.

VII. Johnse Hatfield.

VIII. Bob Hatfield.

IX. Elliott Hatfield.

24. Dark...Group crosses into Kentucky.

25. Surround Rand'l McCoy's house:

A) Open fire!

B) Upstairs...Calvin McCoy fires back.

C) Downstairs...Rand'l fires back.

D) Johnse Hatfield is wounded in the shoulder.

E) Tom Chambers...3 fingers on one of his hands are blown off!

F) Daughter, Allifair McCoy opens door and goes outside:

- I. Shot and killed by Ellison Mounts.**
- G) Mother, Sarah McCoy tries to reach her daughter:**
 - I. Clubbed unconscious by Johnse Hatfield.**
- H) House is on fire.**
- I) Calvin McCoy runs for it...Shot and killed.**
- J) Rand'I McCoy gets away.**

26. Posse led by Frank Phillips crosses into West Virginia:

- A) To arrest those responsible for the raid on the McCoy home.**
- B) Track and corner Cap Hatfield & Jim Vance:**
 - I. On Thacker Mountain.**
 - II. The 2 men open fire on the posse.**
 - III. Gunfight.**
 - IV. Vance is wounded badly in the stomach.**
 - V. Cap Hatfield gets away.**
 - VI. Phillips – Up to wounded Vance – Blows brains out!**

27. For 3 days – Posse arrests Hatfield's and followers:

- A) Take them back to Kentucky.**
- B) To stand trial.**

28. January 19, 1888 – Phillips & 18 mostly McCoy men are at Grapevine Creek:

A) Looking for Hatfield men.

29. Same Day – Constable, J.R. Thompson & 13 mostly Hatfield men are looking for the slayers of Vance:

A) Stumble upon the McCoy group at Grapevine Creek!!!

I. Firing erupts!

II. Cap Hatfield wounds Bud McCoy.

III. Hatfield ally, Bud Dempsey goes down with a shattered leg:

(1) Phillips walks up to Dempsey:

a. Dempsey begs for mercy.

b. Phillips blows his brains out!

IV. Both sides retreat.

30. Following days:

A) More arrests of Hatfield's and their allies:

I. 12 are jailed in Pikeville, Kentucky.

31. 1888 – Hatfield supporter, Tom Wallace is killed by 2 Detectives.

32. 1888 – 4 are sentenced to life in prison for murder:

- A) Wall Hatfield.**
- B) Dock Mahon.**
- C) Plyant Mahon.**
- D) Alex Messer.**

33. 1888 – Ellison Mounts is tried for the murder of Allifair McCoy:

- A) Guilty.....Death.**

34. February 18, 1889 – Ellison Mounts...Hanged!!

35. March 1890 – Mike Lee shoots and kills Jerry Hatfield:

- A) Captured...Tried...Guilty...10 years in prison.**

36. “Devil Anse” and his followers literally hide Out:

- A) Later – He surrenders:**

I. Tried – Not guilty – Back to West Virginia.

37. 1891 to 1896...Period of peace.

38. November 1896 – Elections at Matewan:

- A) Cap Hatfield arrives with his 14 year old, stepson, Joe Glenn.**
- B) Already there is, McCoy relative, John Rutherford:
 - I. He and Cap Hatfield hate each other.****
- C) End of day...People start leaving.**
- D) John Rutherford, drunk, starts firing at the Hatfield's!**
- E) Cap Hatfield fires back!**
- F) John Rutherford falls dead!!!**
- G) McCoy supporter, Henderson Chambers, falls dying!!**
- H) Elliott Rutherford opens fire on the Hatfield's:
 - I. They fire back killing him!!****
- I) Cap Hatfield & Joe Glenn get away.**
- J) 2 days later...Both are captured.**

39. April 1897 – Both are tried for involuntary manslaughter:

- A) Guilty.....1 year each.**

40. July 1897 – Cap Hatfield escapes:

- A) Back to West Virginia.**

41. 1898 – Johnse Hatfield is captured:

A) Tried for murder:

I. Guilty.....Life in prison.

42. Humphrey “Doc” Ellis brags about being part of the group that has arrested Johnse Hatfield:

A) July 1899...Anse Hatfield’s 18 year old son, Elias, kills Ellis!

43. Later...Johnse Hatfield.....Pardoned:

A) Has saved the Warden’s life from an assailant!

44. 1899 to 1910.....Period of peace.

45. 1910 – Elias Hatfield & Troy Hatfield:

A) Liquor Territory dispute with an Italian.

B) Go to Italian’s cabin.

C) Huge gunfight.

D) All 3 men kill each other.

46. 1910 – Anse Hatfield & Cap Hatfield quit fighting.

47. At age 90, Rand’l McCoy dies a natural death.

48. May 19, 1920 – Coal Mining Troubles – Battle of Matewan:

A) Huge gunfight between:

I. Mine Owner's "Detectives."

II. Workers.

III. Locals.

IV. Local Law Officers.

B) 11 killed:

I. 7 "Detectives."

II. 3 Miners.

III. 1 Boy.

C) Sid Hatfield has killed at least 3 of the "Detectives."

D) Grand Jury investigates:

I. Key witness is Anderson Hatfield:

(1) He is killed from ambush before he can testify!

49. January 7, 1921 – At age 86, Anse Hatfield dies.

50. August 1, 1921 – Sid Hatfield, Ed Chambers, and their wives:

A) Go to the Welch Courthouse to answer questions.

- B) Sid has been warned not to go!**
- C) Starts up the steps.**
- D) From the top of a building:**
 - I. Barrage of bullets, lasting 15 seconds.**
- E) Hatfield & Chambers are both killed.**

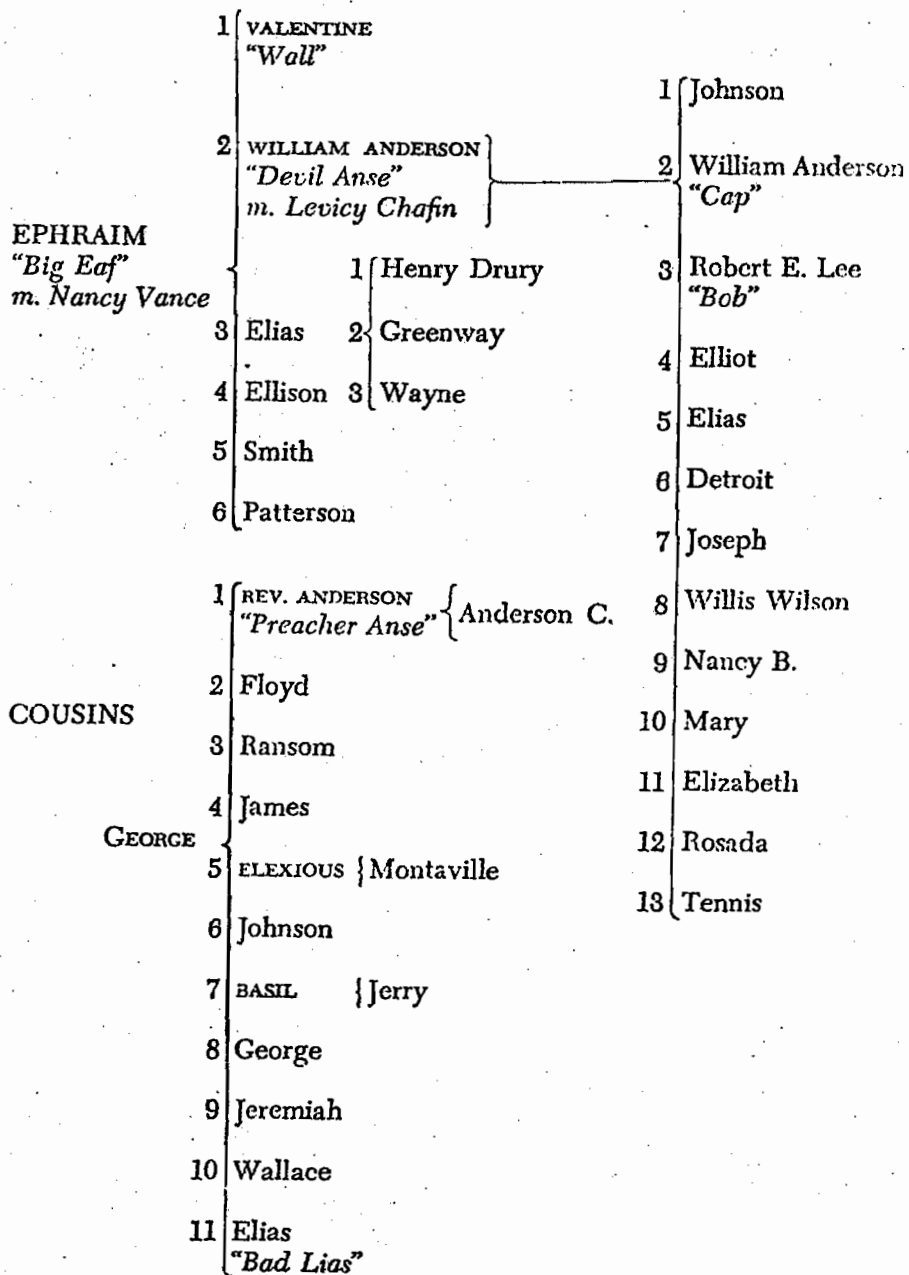
51. 1928 – Feud officially ends.

52. August 1930 – Cap Hatfield dies of brain tumor.

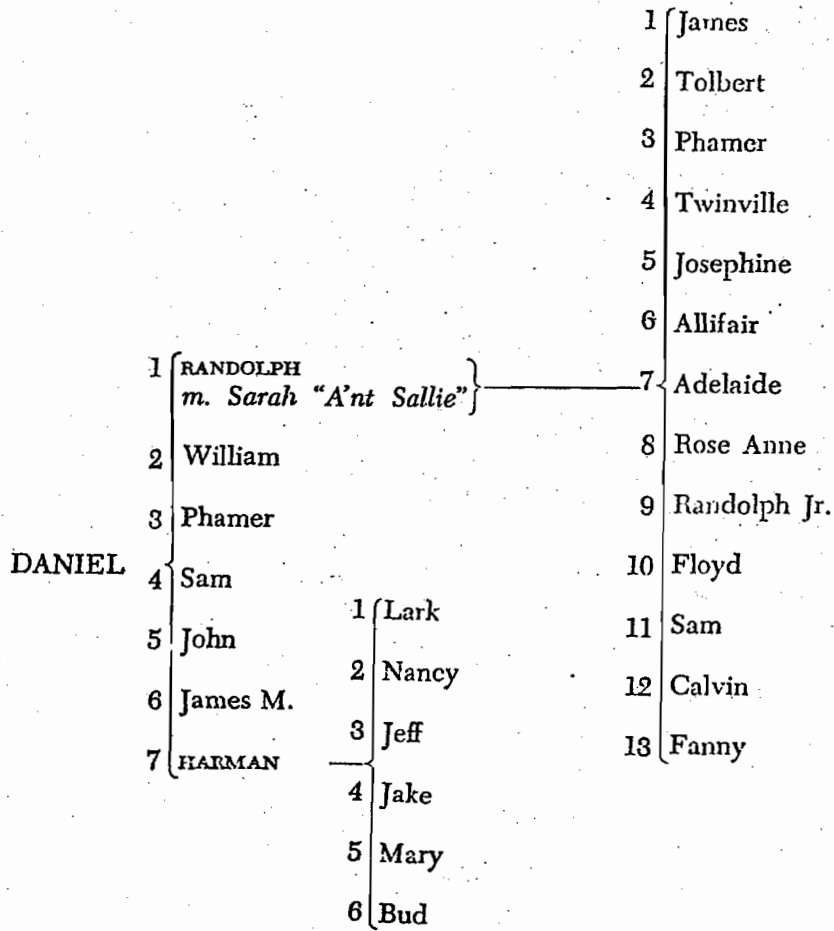
53. Wall Hatfield dies in prison.

54. Total number of dead.....UNKNOWN!

HATFIELD FAMILY TREE



McCOY FAMILY TREE



1873

Martha Jane Canary – “Calamity Jane”

1. Born – 5/1/1852 – Princeton, Missouri:

- A) “Hell Raiser.”**
- B) Curses.**
- C) Chews Tobacco.**
- D) Smokes.**
- E) Gambles.**
- F) Drinks heavily.**
- G) Lives with many men.**
- H) Wears men’s clothing.**
- I) Can handle a Colt .45**
- J) Good shot with a rifle.**
- K) Good horsewoman.**
- L) Looks like a “man.”**

2. 1872 – Joins General George Crook’s Army expedition in the Black Hills:

- A) As a Scout.**
- B) Everybody thinks she is a “man.”**
- C) Creek – Bath – DIFFERENT!**
- D) Ordered out of the Army.**

3. Railroad Construction Lines:

A) Works as a Teamster and Mule Skinner.

4. Will live with or marry 12 different men in her lifetime!

5. 1876 – Deadwood, South Dakota – Friend of James Butler “Wild Bill” Hickok.

6. September 25, 1891 – Marries Clinton Burke:

A) 1895 – Separate.

7. August 2, 1903 – Terry, South Dakota – Short distance from Deadwood:

A) 27th Anniversary of Hickok’s death.

B) At age 51 – Dies of Pneumonia & Alcoholism.

C) Buried on Mt. Moriah Cemetery next to Hickok.

1873

Alfred Packer – Murderer/Cannibal

- 1. 1873 – 20 men set out from Salt Lake City, Utah:**
 - A) Head for the San Juan Mountains.**
 - B) To hunt for Gold.**
 - C) Winter hits...10 of the men return.**
 - D) 10 of the men go on:**
 - I. Follow.....Alfred Packer.**

- 2. Later...4 of the group turn back:**
 - A) Return.**

- 3. March 1874 – Packer turns up.....Alone:**
 - A) Exhausted.**
 - B) NOT starved!**
 - C) Has plenty of money.**
 - D) Says the other 5 men deserted him when he fell ill.**
 - E) Gets drunk...Story changes.**
 - F) He is suspected of foul play and arrested!**

- 4. April 2, 1874 – 2 Indians report of finding human flesh and meat:**

A) Packer is taken to the scene.

5. June 1874 – Near Lake Cristoval – 5 corpses are found:

A) 4 of the 5 men have been shot in the head.

B) 1 corpse is headless:

I. When head is found...Was crushed!!

C) Ribs are visible on all the corpses:

I. Have been EATEN!

D) Packer escapes.

6. January 29, 1883 – 9 years later – Caught:

A) Tried for manslaughter.

B) Guilty...Sentenced to 40 years.

C) After 18 years.....Pardoned.

7. 1909 – Near Denver, Colorado – Dies.

1873

The Truitt – Mitchell Feud

1. Texas:

A) Hood County – 30 miles Southwest of Fort Worth.

2. Truitt Family vs. Mitchell Family:

A) Are neighbors.

B) Land disputes causes hard feelings.

3. May 28, 1874 – Court session in Granbury:

A) Over – 2 Families head home.

B) Meet on the road.

C) Huge gunfight.

D) Killed are:

I. Sam Truitt.

II. Isaac Truitt.

4. Bill Mitchell fears for his life:

A) Flees.

5. Nelson Mitchell is arrested:

A) Tried...Convicted...Sentenced to hang.

6. October 3, 1875 – Jeff Mitchell:

A) Nelson Mitchell's teenage son.

B) Tries to smuggle poison into his father!

C) Caught by Guards...Gunfight.

D) Young Mitchell is shot to death.

7. October 5, 1875 – Granbury – Nelson Mitchell is hanged.

8. Next 11 years...Peace.

9. July 20, 1886 – Timpson, Texas – Bill Mitchell walks into Jim Truitt's house:

A) Shoots Truitt to death...In front of his wife!

B) Mitchell flees to New Mexico:

I. Lives under an alias.

10. 1907 – Arrested:

A) 1910 – Tried – Guilty – Prison.

B) 1914 – Escapes.

C) 1928 – Dies – Ends Feud.

11. Total.....5 violent deaths.

1873 (March)

**1. March 4, 1873 – Inauguration – U.S. Grant – 2nd
Presidential Term.**

Over →

Below is a list of the food and drink provided at the second inaugural ball for Ulysses S. Grant, March 4, 1873. Reporters got hold of the list after the affair, with resultant charges of "gross extravagance" and "inexcusable waste."

10,000 fried oysters
8,000 scalloped oysters
8,000 pickled oysters
63 boned turkeys of 12 pounds each
75 roast turkeys of 12 pounds each
150 capons stuffed with truffles
15 saddles of mutton
40 pieces of spiced beef of 40 pounds each
200 dozen roasted quails
100 game pâtés of 50 pounds each
300 tongues ornamented with jelly
200 hams ornamented with jelly
30 baked salmon
100 chickens
400 partridges
25 stuffed boars' heads
40 pâtés de foie gras of 10 pounds each
2,000 head-cheese sandwiches
3,000 ham sandwiches
3,000 beef-tongue sandwiches
1,600 bunches of celery
30 barrels of salad
2 barrels of lettuce
350 boiled chickens to be made into salad
2,000 pounds of boiled lobster for salad
6,000 boiled eggs
1 barrel of beets
2,500 loaves of bread
8,000 rolls
24 cases of Prince Albert crackers
1,000 pounds of butter
300 charlotte russes of 17 pounds each
200 moulds of wine jelly
200 moulds of blanc mange
300 gallons of ice cream
200 gallons of flavored ices
400 pounds of pastry
150 large decorated cakes
60 large pyramid cakes
25 barrels of Malaga grapes
15 cases of oranges
5 cases of apples
400 pounds of mixed candies
10 cases of raisins
200 pounds of shelled almonds
300 gallons of claret punch
300 gallons of coffee
200 gallons of tea
100 gallons of chocolate

1974

1. Tennis – Introduced into United States.

February 1874 – 1875
(1 Year)
The Cheyenne War of 1874

(1874 - February thru April)

- 1. February 12, 1874 – Oklahoma – Northwest of the Anadarko Agency:**
 - A) A Surveyor is killed by Indians.**

- 2. April 6, 1874 – Oklahoma – Battle of the Cheyenne Agency:**
 - A) All day fight – Cheyenne vs. Soldiers.**
 - B) Night – Indians flee:**
 - I. Have suffered 7 killed.**
 - C) Soldiers have lost 1 killed & 16 wounded.**

- 3. April 23, 1874 – Kansas – North Fork of Sappa Creek:**
 - A) 6th Cavalry attacks a Cheyenne Camp.**
 - B) 19 Warriors plus 8 Women & Children are killed.....Total of 27.**

(1874 – May thru July)

1. May – Near Medicine Lodge, Kansas:

A) Cheyenne kill 3 Men.

2. June 21, 1874 – Kansas:

**A) Cheyenne attack Colonel C.E. Compton, the
6th Cavalry & 2nd Infantry:**

I. Wound 1 Soldier and 1 Civilian.

**3. June 24, 1874 – Compton's force is attacked a
2nd time:**

A) Indians lose 4 killed.

4. July 2, 1874 – North of Darlington, Oklahoma:

A) Cheyenne kill a Civilian.

**5. July 3, 1874 – Hennessey, Oklahoma – 3 Wagons
hauling grain:**

A) Ambushed by Indians.

B) 3 Drivers killed & scalped.

C) Wagonmaster, Patrick Hennessey:

I. Alive.

II. Tied to a wagon wheel.

III. Buried under grain.

IV. Burnt alive.

- 6. General Phil Sheridan's plan to end the war:**
- A) Cover the Plains from every direction.**
 - B) Fight the Indians year-round.**
 - C) Don't give them time to regroup, hunt, rest, or steal horses.**
 - D) 5 Expeditions against them:**
 - I. Colonel Nelson Miles:**
 - (1) Southward out of Fort Dodge, Kansas.**
 - (2) Miles:**
 - a. Brilliant.**
 - b. Able.**
 - c. Pompous.**
 - d. Disrespectful.**
 - e. Self-Righteous.**
 - f. Ambitious.**
 - g. Brave.**
 - h. Makes fun of the accomplishments of others; ESPECIALLY senior officers.**
 - i. Marries in to the William T. Sherman Family.**
 - II. Major William Price:**
 - (1) Eastward out of Fort Bascom, New Mexico.**
 - III. Colonel Ranald MacKenzie:**
 - (1) Northward out of Fort Concho, Texas.**

IV. Lt. Colonel John Davidson:

(1) Westward out of Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

(1874 – August thru End of War)

1. August 19, 1874 – West of Fort Sill, Oklahoma:

A) Indians kill a Civilian.

2. August 22 & 23, 1874 – Battle of the Anadarko Agency – Oklahoma:

A) August 22nd – Noon – Fight breaks out:

I. Cheyenne vs. 10th Cavalry.

II. Lasts all day.

III. 5 Civilians killed.

B) August 23rd – More fighting:

I. Indians retreat...Losing 14 killed.

II. 7 Civilians killed.

III. 4 Soldiers wounded.

3. August 26, 1874 – The Lone Tree Massacre:

A) 6 miles South of Meade, Kansas.

B) Broad Valley...Single cottonwood tree.

C) Government Survey Party of 22 men.

D) 6 men are out surveying:

I. Ambushed by 25 Cheyenne.

II. All 6 men are killed, scalped, and mutilated.

4. August 30, 1874 – Battle of Red River:

- A) Nelson Miles' force.**
- B) All day running fight vs. 63 Cheyenne.**
- C) 1 Cheyenne killed.**
- D) 1 Soldier & 1 Scout wounded.**

5. September 1, 1874 – The German Massacre:

- A) Smokey Hill River in Kansas.**
- B) Emigrant, John German & Family.**
- C) Attacked by Cheyenne led by:
 - I. Medicine Water.**
 - II. Female Warrior, Mochi.****
- D) John German:
 - I. Shot in the back.**
 - II. Mochi buries an axe in his head killing him.**
 - III. Scalped.****
- E) Lydia German – Mother:
 - I. Tomahawked to death.**
 - II. Scalped.****
- F) Rebecca German – Daughter:
 - I. Raped & killed.**
 - II. Scalped.****
- G) Stephen German – Son:
 - I. Killed.**
 - II. Scalped.****
- H) Joanna German – 15 year old, Daughter:**

I. Killed.

II. Scalped.

I) 4 younger Daughters – Kate, Sophie, Julia, and Addie:

I. All...Gang-Raped.

II. Abused.

III. Worked as slaves.

J) November 8, 1874 – Lt. Frank Baldwin attacks Gray Beard's village:

I. Routs the Indians.

II. Re-captures, 7 year old, Julia German.

K) Later...March 6, 1875...Stone Calf will surrender his 820 followers:

I. Kate & Sophie German are turned over.

6. November 6, 1874 – McClellan Creek – South of Pampa, Texas:

A) Gray Beard & 100 Cheyenne Warriors.

B) Ambush 28 Troopers of the 8th Cavalry.

C) 2 Soldiers killed & 4 wounded.

7. November 29, 1874 – 8th Cavalry attacks 50 of Gray Beard's Cheyenne:

A) 2 Warriors killed & 2 wounded.

8. December 5, 1874 – Kingfisher Creek:

A) Captain Alexander Keyes & 10th Cavalry.

B) Attack a Cheyenne camp.

C) 13 Warriors & 13 Women captured.

9. December 28, 1874 – Keyes command captures 52 more Cheyenne.

10. January 1875 – Scores of Cheyenne are surrendering.

1874 (May)

1. May 8, 1874 – Massachusetts – 1st State:

A) 10 hour work-day for Women.

1874 (July)

1. July 4, 1874 – 1st Steel Arched Bridge:

A) St. Louis, Missouri.

B) Over the Mississippi River.

C) Designed & Built by James Buchanan Eads.

July 1, 1874
The Ross Kidnapping

1. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

2. Christian Ross:

A) Moderately successful grocer:

I. BUT, has had to declare bankruptcy.

B) 2 sons:

I. Walter...6 years old.

II. Charley...4 years old.

3. Two men are seen driving by the Ross Household in a carriage several times:

A) The two men in the carriage talk to the 2 Ross Boys.

4. July 1, 1874 – The 2 Ross Boys ask the two men in the carriage to buy them some fireworks for the 4th of July:

A) “OK.”

B) The 2 boys get into the carriage.

C) Drives off.

D) The men give Walter 25 cents:

- I. Send him to get fireworks.**
- E) He returns...Carriage is gone!**

- 5. July 3, 1874 – Family gets a letter:**
 - A) Concerns Charley.**

- 6. July 6, 1874 – Family – Ransom Note:**
 - A) \$20 thousand.**

- 7. Massive manhunt.**

- 8. Ross refuses to pay...Wife begs him to pay!!!**
 - A) He agrees.**
 - B) Meeting is arranged.**
 - C) he shows up with money.**
 - D) Nobody meets him.**

- 9. Months go by.**

- 10. December 14, 1874 – New York – House of Holmes Van Brunt is being burglarized:**
 - A) Van Brunt & 3 men react to the alarm.**
 - B) 2 men come out.**
 - C) Gunfight.**
 - D) Both men are hit fatally:**

I. William Mosher is dead.

II. Joseph Douglass is dying:

(1) Confesses.

(2) They kidnapped Charley Ross.

(3) Boy dies.

III. Douglass dies.

IV. Body of Charley Ross is never found!

11. 1st Kidnapping for Ransom in America.

1874 (November)

1. November 7, 1874 – Cartoonist, Thomas Nast:

A) Elephant...Symbol...Republican Party.

2. November 24, 1874 – Joseph Glidden:

A) Patents.....Barbed Wire.

1874 (December)

1. December 7, 1874 – Vicksburg, Mississippi:

A) Race Riots.

B) 75 Blacks are killed.

1875

1. Deadwood, South Dakota – Gold Discovered.

2. Louis Prang:

A) Engraves 1st Christmas Cards in America.

3. The Molly Maguires:

A) Secret Organization of Coal Miners.

B) Allegedly part of The Ancient Order of Hibernians:

I. Founded in Pennsylvania in 1871.

C) Name derives from original Irish Female Widow Leader in Ireland in the 1840's..... Molly Maguire.

D) 1874 -1875.....Long Coal Strike.

E) Pinkerton National Detective Agency is hired by:

I. The Philadelphia & Reading Railroad and Coal Mine Owner.

II. To put an end to terrorism and murder.

III. Detective, James McParlan, goes undercover inside the Molly Maguires.

F) 1875 – Charges brought against 24:

I. Terrorizing Coal Fields.

II. Preventing miners who want to return to

work from doing so.

III. Intimidating Coal Operators.

IV. Murder.

G) 10 hanged for murder:

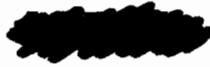
I. Others...2 to 7 year sentences.

H) Result:

I. Miner's Union is broken!

II. Strike ends!

1875



Jim Courtright & Luke Short

1. Jim Courtright:

- A) Born – 1848 – Iowa.**
- B) Civil War.**
- C) Army Scout in Arizona, Texas, and New Mexico.**
- D) Nickname is “Long Haired.”**
- E) Tall – Dark complected – Dark eyes – Shoulder length hair.**
- F) Fearless.**
- G) Good with weapons.**
- H) Ft. Worth, Texas – City Marshal.**
- I) Lake Valley, New Mexico – City Marshal:
 - I. kills 2 thieves.****
- J) American Valley, New Mexico – Ranch Foreman:
 - I. Trouble with “squatters.”**
 - II. 1884 – 2 Frenchmen “squat” on the ranch.**
 - III. Courtright and cold-blooded killer, Jim McIntyre, go to put them off.**
 - IV. Argument – Gunfight – Both Frenchmen are killed!**
 - V. Warrants for murder are issued against Courtright and McIntyre.****

- K) October 18, 1884 – Ft. Worth, Texas – Arrested:
 - I. Escapes.****
- L) Goes to South America – Returns – Turns himself in:
 - I. Tried – Not guilty.****
- M) Saloon Bouncer.**
- N) Ft. Worth, Texas – Opens The Commercial Detective Agency:
 - I. Is a cover for a “shake-down” racket against saloon owners and gamblers.**
 - II. Luke Short owns The White Elephant Saloon:
 - (1) refuses to pay Courtright!******

2. Luke Short:

- A) Born 1854 – Arkansas.**
- B) Cowboy.**
- C) Trader.**
- D) Gambler.**
- E) Small – 145 pounds – Soft voice – Handsome – Excellent dresser:
 - I. Coat with tails.**
 - II. Top hat.**
 - III. Cane.****
- F) A friend of the Earp Brothers:
 - I. Follows them to Tombstone, Arizona.**
 - II. Works for Wyatt as a card dealer in The****

Oriental Saloon:

(1) Kills gambler, Charlie Storms, in a gunfight outside the Saloon.

G) Dodge City, Kansas – Buys The Long Branch Saloon – Sells out and leaves.

H) Ft. Worth, Texas – Opens The White Elephant Saloon:

I. Refuses to be blackmailed by Courtright!

3. February 8, 1887 – 8:00 – Night:

A) Courtright is drunk.

B) Calls Short outside The White Elephant.

C) Tells him to pay up or else.

D) Short tells him to “go to hell!”

E) Both men reach for pistols.

F) Short shoots Courtright’s “hammer thumb” off.

G) Shoots him 3 more times killing him at the age of 38!

4. September 1893 – Kansas City, Kansas – Bed – Short dies at age 39.

1875-

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Alfred Allee

- 1. Born – 1855 – DeWitt County, Texas.**
- 2. Rancher.**
- 3. kills a few men – Always “justified.”**
- 4. Karnes County, Texas – Dance:
A) Kills a man.**
- 5. Moves to Frio County, Texas – Ranches.**
- 6. 1886 – Pearsall, Texas:
A) Gunfight – Kills Frank Rhodes.**
- 7. 1888 – Becomes a Deputy Sheriff:
A) Kills outlaw, Brack Cornett.**
- 8. Cotulla, Texas – Kills a black train Porter.**
- 9. August 19, 1896 – Laredo, Texas:
A) Stabbed to death by a Saloon Keeper at
the age of 41.**