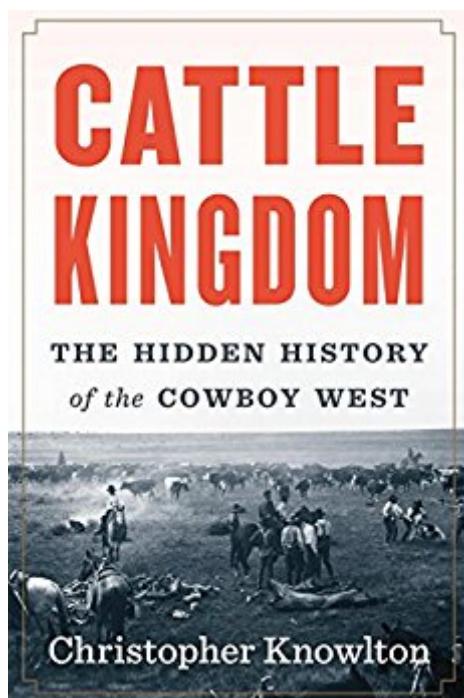


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Cattle Kingdom: The Hidden History Of The Cowboy West



Synopsis

Â A revolutionary new appraisal of the Old West and the America it made The open range cattle era lasted barely a quarter-century, but it left America irrevocably changed. These few decades following the Civil War brought America its greatest boom-and-bust cycle until the Depression, the invention of the assembly line, and the dawn of the conservation movement. It inspired legends, such as that icon of rugged individualism, the cowboy. Yet this extraordinary time and its import have remained unexamined for decades. Cattle Kingdom reveals the truth of how the West rose and fell, and how its legacy defines us today. The tale takes us from dust-choked cattle drives to the unlikely splendors of boomtowns like Abilene, Kansas, and Cheyenne, Wyoming. We venture from the Texas Panhandle to the Dakota Badlands to the Chicago stockyards. We meet a diverse array of playersâ "from the expert cowboy Teddy Blue to the failed rancher and future president Teddy Roosevelt. Knowlton shows us how they and others like them could achieve so many outsized feats: killing millions of bison in a decade, building the first opera house on the open range, driving cattle by the thousand, and much more. Cattle Kingdom is a revelatory new view of the Old West.

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This book needs a good editing by someone familiar with the cattle industry. It is full of little mistakes. For example, it says cattle are branded with a "red hot" iron (not so). It says that cowboy became unhappy having to do "hay bailing (sic)". Hay balers were barely invented by the 1880s and hardly common in the west. Many more mistakes can be found, which makes one wonder about whether the author did adequate research and whether the publisher edited thoroughly. None the less, it is an interesting read..

I'm just in the middle of it and it is WONDERFUL. So interesting how it was really was -- the "cowboys" and how they lived and what really was happening at that time. Not your movie characters!!

It's a good read that provides many insights not only to the cattle industry but speculative investing mentality. The author is good at putting you back in time.

An amazing recount of the development of the American West around the cattle industry, Full of factoids about foreign investors, wall street involvement and more.

Learned a lot about the west's cattle era. Was surprised with the number of barons from Europe. Well written and kept my interest.

This bookies exciting puts you right in the Saddle. What a time.

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