

I have / Who has – Cotton, Cattle, & Railroads

Directions: Teacher Start here

You will read the “I have” clue on this card.

- You can allow any student to try to answer who the clue is referring to OR FOR MORE OF A CHALLENGE: You can require ONLY the student who has the person referred to in the clue to answer.

Read to the class:

Who has the Hispanic cattlemen and ranch hands from Tamaulipas, Mexico, who played a significant role in the success of the King Ranch, whose descendants played an active role in the development of south Texas, and many of whom still work the ranch today?

Class Answer: Los Kineños

- When the class identifies the answer, the student with the answer “**I have**” on their card will respond, and then read their “**Who has**” clue
- The Activity continues until everyone has participated.
- If you have more students than clues, you can print 2 copies of some of them and the students can answer together. This can be helpful for struggling students.

I have Los Kineños

Who has the Texas-born cattleman and former Texas Ranger who established the Long S and Lazy S ranches, was the largest single taxpayer in Texas and one of the largest individual owners of land and cattle in the U.S., earning him the nickname, “the cattle king of Texas”?

I have Christopher Columbus Slaughter

Who has the Tennessee-born tenant farmer who played an active role in the Farmer’s Alliance as president of the Montague County chapter and state lecturer; who compiled a list of farmers’ grievances the platforms of both the Farmer’s Alliance and the Populist Party, and who worked to establish a potential third political party?

I have William Robert Lamb

Who has the first Texas-born governor who worked to establish progressive laws and reforms to benefit farmers and workers, including the establishment of the Railroad Commission to regulate railroad rates?

I have James “Jim” Hogg

Who has the Comanche chief who formed an alliance between Comanches, Apaches, Cheyennes, and Kiowas on the Texas Plains in order to defend Native land against Anglo incursions, bison hunters, and the U.S. Army, leading the tribes in the attack on bison hunters and Adobe Walls and during the Red River War?

I have Chief Quanah Parker

Who has the 9th and 10th Black Cavalry and the 24th and 25th Black Infantry in the U.S. military who were stationed on the west Texas frontier and played a significant role in the defense and development of the frontier during the era, earning nineteen Medals of Honor for their exemplary service?

I have the Buffalo Soldiers

Who has the Wisconsin-born newspaper editor, medical physician, cattle driver, lawyer, Methodist minister, and farmer who joined the Farmer’s Alliance, served as the chairman of the state executive committee and supported relief for farmers including the Farmer’s Alliance Exchange of Dallas and the subtreasury plan?

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I have Charles William Macune

Who has the Missouri-born teacher at the Rio Grande Female Institute who married a rancher in south Texas, helping him run the operations of the ranch, taking over the ranch upon his death, instituted new programs, paid off the ranch's debts, and played a significant role in the development of south Texas?

I have Henrietta Chamberlain King

Who has the Illinois-born former Texas Ranger, and cattle driver who helped establish one of the best-known cattle drive trails with partner Oliver Loving, and established the JA ranch in the panhandle with a British investor named John Adair?

I have Charles Goodnight

Who has the Tennessee-born man of Cherokee descent who worked as a trader and interpreter between Anglos and tribes in Oklahoma and Texas, playing a significant role in the establishment of many treaties between tribes and the U.S. government, and established one of the best-known cattle drive trails used during this era?

I have Jesse Chisholm

Who has the formerly enslaved man who became a successful cattle driver, working closely with Goodnight and becoming Goodnight's most trusted business partner; and later ran a farm in west Texas and took part in several conflicts with Plains tribes including Quanah Parker's Comanches.

I have Bose Ikard

Who has the Houston man who was born into slavery, freed by his enslaver/father, educated in the North, and worked on steamboats before becoming involved in Texas politics, joining the Union League to register Black voters, playing a significant role in the Texas Republican Party, serving as the first Black alderman in Houston, and supporting Black education alongside his wife, Adaline?

I have Norris Wright Cuney

Who has the Tennessee-born schoolteacher who worked alongside her husband to establish and run the JA ranch in the Texas panhandle, establishing her own herd under the Flying T brand, advocating for education, and working to save the endangered bison population on the Plains?

I have Mary Ann “Molly” Goodnight

Who has the New Yorker who worked as an indentured servant as a child before running away, becoming a steamboat pilot, establishing his own steamboat company on the Rio Grande, and finally establishing an enormous ranch in South Texas that is still in operation today as the largest ranch in the U.S., and employing expert Mexican ranch hands known as *los Kineños*?

I have Richard King

The End!