

Charles A. Schreiner, III

This history consists of two interviews of Charles Schreiner, III, better known as Charlie III. In the first one, by Don Hedgpeth, Charlie III talks about how his grandfather, Captain Schreiner, got started in the cattle business, expanding his ranches and starting other businesses as well. Charlie talks about the cattle drives, droughts and other aspects of running a ranch in those early years. He talks about moving cattle from Texas to Montana during a particularly long drought in the '50s. He compares the ranching business today to that time, discussing the differences and how ranchers are adapting.

In the second interview, conducted by Judge William Stacy, Charlie continues his discussion of ranching, explaining that the hunting business has taken the place of cattle, goats and sheep on many area ranches. He also discusses the future of ranching in Kerr County and what it will take to preserve this way of life.

Cross References:

Ranching in early Kerr County
South Fork Ranch
James River Ranch
YO Ranch
Black Ranch
Shiner Ranch
Red Sole Ranch
Cattle Drives

Names:

Captain Charles Schreiner	John Light
Walter Richard Schreiner	Jack Hyde
August Schreiner	Shanghai Pierce
Myrtle Barton Schreiner	Sylvester Ayala
John Lytle	