and have made my
arrangements with the
Greene Cattle Co to
work through with
them during the fall
round-up.
It will be about the
middle of June before
I can start for my
home in Texas.
Yes, address me Bonham,

Boston, Mass 5/15/09.

Dear Gov. Thomas:

Please pardon
my long delay in
answering your letter
of April 25.
The other day I met
a man who knew
the O.R. range well,

or if you should happen to to write in July address me Brt. Blanco, Texas. c/o H.B. Smith. I am unable to say just now what my course will be before I hunk up with the O. R. outfit, but if possible will make use of your letters of introduction which you so kindly sent me.

It has only been possible for me to get one copy of the January "World's Work," which I mailed to Mrs. Pankey, but possibly when I reach my home

has its local brand register, these old registers having marks and brands dating back from the time of its origin many years ago.

Thanking you very much for your courtesy, I am,

Yours sincerely,

Erwin E. Smith.

I may be able to pick up another, if so I will do as you advise and send to Henry Moore.

The Cattle-mens Association of Texas got out a brand book, covering all present day brands, and each county