## Basic Detail Report

This kind I know they are almost Extinct now a foot he was mighty near harmless but with a horse under him he wase morer lame he is not used much these days but in days before the wires the west needid him your modling looked good stay with it its a lot easyer than draw ing

## I Never Knew a Cowman To Ware Anything But Silk

**Date** 1924

**Primary Maker** Russell, Charles Marion

Medium watercolor and ink on paper

## Description

Illustrated, four-page, folded letter, written and illustrated by Charles M. Russell to Walter Coburn, about West he remembered and cited changes he did not like; p. 2 with color drawing, at center of page, of caricature of contemporary, paunchy cowhand/puncher in bib

overhauls and cap; p.3 with color drawing, at top center of page, of ideal "old West" cowboy, standing at right next to his horse

## Dimensions

sheet: 6 3/8 × 11 in. (16.2 × 27.9 cm)