

# RIO CYBORG

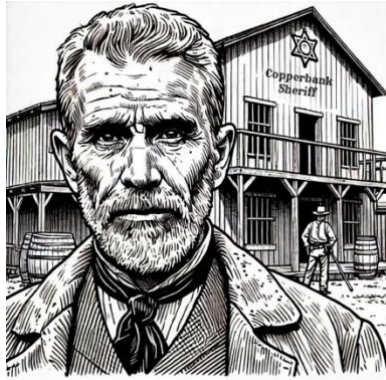
## CAST OF CHARACTERS

**Zestrum (Tom) Doniphon** – cyborg mercenary, former engineer/landscaper for the Consortium, a good man with a bad reputation who seeks peace after Emancipation. He comes to Copperbank for a job offer as ranch hand and finds a water war instead.



## THE LAW

**Sheriff Mitch Bodie** – Zestrum’s old friend, sheriff of Copperbank. He considers himself token law enforcement in this territory but maintains law and order the best way he can. He’s an older cyborg who’s sustained injuries and acquired wisdom in his long career.



**Deputy Ethan Edwards** – a Vestal addicted cyborg attempting to hold onto his sanity and his job as deputy. Once a good man with solid morals, he’s slipped in the past decade.

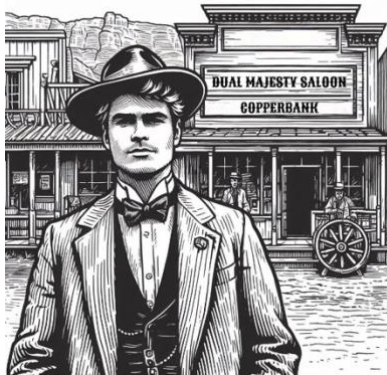


## CAROL BAKER & TERRY WILLEY

**Deputy Puzzle** – the old timer cyborg, he has a gammy leg but is feisty as hell. Good with a rifle, better with a verbal barb.



**Louisiana Hannigan** – a gunslinging cyborg, gambler, smartass but reliable. He worked security on the Eastern Seaboard, but his origins are mysterious.



## THE ENTERTAINMENT

**Doug McConnell** – owner of the popular casino showroom bar, the Dual Majesty Saloon. He works closely with the Etcheverry clan and has a personal interest in Angie.



**Victoria Barkley** – a beautiful cyborg songbird. She is the featured performer at the Dual Majesty, singer, dancer, and high-class saloon employee.



CAROL BAKER & TERRY WILLEY

## COLTON HOUSE

**Jessica Colton** – owner of the Colton House boardinghouse, Zestrum's landlady. She's a widow who's lost her entire family and figured she'd remain single. Zestrum's arrival changes her mind.



## THE RANCHERS

**Claude Etcheverry** – a prosperous landowner who has dammed the river running through his property so he can charge exorbitant prices to townsfolk for water. He dominates the Badlands like a foul fog.



## RIO CYBORG

**Chris Etcheverry** – Claude's oldest son, 30. He likes to gamble, whore, and fight. He's constantly in trouble and bailed out by his family influence.



**Angie Etcheverry** – Claude's daughter, 25, de facto lady of the house. She carries on the tradition of putting the family interests above all else.



**CAROL BAKER & TERRY WILLEY**

**Gabriel Etcheverry** – Claude’s son, 20. A passive-aggressive bully that commits his dirty deeds in a subtle, hard to prove manner.



**Johnny Etcheverry** – Claude’s hothead son, 14, who has always been a pain in the ass to everyone. He becomes fixated on Zestrum as an adversary—and mentor.





## RIO CYBORG

**Gerald Nowlin** – a wealthy landowner who owns the Easterbrook Ranch. He intends to build an aqueduct to water his spread.



**Aaliyah Nowlin** – Gerald's wife. An expert in raising Blanken Ox, she's frequently on the range with the ranch hands tending the cattle.





## CAROL BAKER & TERRY WILLEY

**Rachel Nowlin** – their daughter, 26, a formidable partner managing the ranch. She oversees the chicken coop and sells eggs to the markets and neighbors.



**Doc Hartman** – the local doctor who treats humans and cyborgs but is not an expert in all cyborg tech. He's a good general practitioner and a mediocre surgeon. He views his job as stabilizing surgery patients so they can be transported to a specialist.

