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Editorial Comments...

Jill Bayers Hotchkiss



Jill Hotchkiss

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year! It seems like 2014 flew by. What a great year it was for those of us in the Hereford business. I think everyone will agree the tremendous cattle market has made a lot of us look at things differently. Finally ranchers feel like they are making good money and not working for pauper's wages. It's about time!

Demand and prices for Hereford cattle continue to increase and I think we will see that continue. We continue to see a shift in our area in respect to commercial cattlemen

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Byron Bayers



Byron Bayers

2014 is about to come to a close and as I look back it's been an unbelievable run. The commercial cattle industry has been as high as I have ever seen it in my lifetime. I have distant memories of going to Nebraska with a carload of calves and getting 17 cents a pound. The bankers that I have talked to are smiling from ear to ear and saying, "It's sure good now, but we are telling our people to put some away and don't get to extravagant with your purchases." Most of the ranchers are driving trucks and trailers that run around 100 thousand dollars and a new tractor for the average rancher is 150 thousand now. I talked

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Stuber Inducted into Hereford Hall of Fame

Roger Stuber, Bowman, ND, was inducted into the Hereford Hall of Fame Oct. 31, 2014. He was recognized at the Hereford Honoree Reception during the American Hereford Association (AHA) Annual Meeting in Kansas City, MO. The Hall of Fame honor annually recognizes breeders who have dynamically influenced the direction and advancement of the Hereford breed.

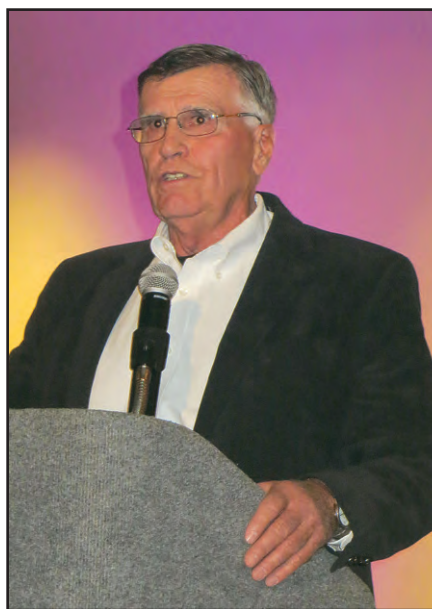
Roger operates Stuber Ranch on the same land where he was born in 1940. His grandfather established the ranch there in 1909. After graduating from the University of Wyoming in 1962 he joined his brother, Richard, and father fulltime on the ranch.

Today, the operation is run by Roger, Richard's son, Duane, and his wife, Dana and their children, along with Richard's widow Laureen. Other family members include Laureen's daughter Wendy and her son Garrett Kidd.

The ranch includes about 1,000 head of cattle, with a third of them regis-

tered. Since 1969 the Stuber family has hosted an annual bull sale on the ranch the third Saturday of April.

"Without a doubt one of Roger's



Roger Stuber

Photo by B. Lynn Gordon

greatest attributes is his honesty and dedication to the Hereford breed," says Mark Cooper of Cooper Hereford Ranch, Willow Creek, MT. "Whether it is standing by the reputation of the Stuber program or in his dealings with the American cattle industry, Roger has been a very influential voice. He has been steadfast and non-compromising in his integrity."

Roger was elected to the AHA Board in 1972 and served as president in 1977. He served on the former National Cattlemen's Association (NCA) board and served as that organization's president in 1993.

As NCA president, Roger initiated the formation of an incorporated, nonprofit, legal-defense fund to wage precedent-setting cases of importance to the U.S. beef industry in the courts. For his instrumental role in establishing the CATL (Cattlemen Advocating Through Litigation) Fund, Stuber was

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Rausch Family Honored with Heritage Award

Rausch Herefords, Hoven, SD, was presented the American Hereford Association (AHA) Heritage Award for registering more than 10,000 head. Rausch Herefords is the fourth Hereford breeder to be recognized for reaching the 10,000 registrations milestone.

The Rausch family received the award commemorating this unprecedented level of commitment to the Hereford breed at the AHA's Honoree Reception Oct. 31 in Kansas City, MO, during the AHA Annual Meeting.

The Rausch Herefords headquarters is located near Hoven in north central South Dakota. Jerry and Vicki, Shannon and Sue, Vern and Sharon Rausch, and Joel Rausch operate the sale headquar-



Rausch Herefords, Hoven, SD, was presented the American Hereford Association (AHA) Heritage Award for registering more than 10,000 head. Pictured seated (left to right) are Vicki and Jerry, Hoven, SD; Vern and Sharon, Hoven, SD; Harlan and Mary, Tolstoy, SD. Standing (left to right), Nick Rausch (son of Vern and Sharon) Omaha, NE; and Burt Rausch, (son of Harlan and Mary Rausch), Council Bluffs, IA.

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Elkington Polled Herefords And South Devons

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Lot 607A EPHR VICTOR 719T 607A

(P43393172)

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- BW 87 lbs. Ratios: WW 111, YW 100, REA 100.

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	M&G	CEM	MCW
4.4	3.1	62	84	25	56	-1.1	86
SC	FAT	REA	MARB	BMI	CEZ	BII	CHB
0.7	-0.010	0.38	0.05	\$17	\$16	\$13	\$29



Lot 614A EPHR HOT POINT 614A

(P43388993)

- Herd bull prospect.
- Moderate thick and pigmented.
- Some of the best EPDs you will find.
- Heifer Bull BW 64 lbs.
- Ratios: WW 107, YW 104, REA 101, IMF 109.

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	M&G	CEM	MCW
4.2	0.4	51	87	23	48	4.0	90
SC	FAT	REA	MARB	BMI	CEZ	BII	CHB
0.9	0.006	0.46	0.12	\$20	\$19	\$16	\$27



Lot 657A EPHR FALLOUT 657A

(P43388947)

- Deep and smooth.
- Stylish with great ratios.
- Great feet set.
- BW 80 lbs. Ratios: WW 101, YW 105, REA 104, IMF 112.

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	M&G	CEM	MCW
2.4	1.9	52	89	15	41	3.5	100
SC	FAT	REA	MARB	BMI	CEZ	BII	CHB
1.5	0.034	0.34	0.15	\$26	\$19	\$24	\$26



Lot 679A EPHR HOT POINT 679A (P43424397)

- Smooth polled son of 860U out of our best cow 512M.
- Depth and style.
- Tons of thickness.
- EPDs in the Top 10% for Growth, Top 20% for Milk.
- BW 83 lbs. Ratios: WW 102, YW 112, REA 110, IMF 100.

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	M&G	CEM	MCW
1.8	2.5	54	98	26	53	2.0	106
SC	FAT	REA	MARB	BMI	CEZ	BII	CHB
0.4	0.031	0.40	0.09	\$12	\$14	\$7	\$26



Lot 655A EBE TRENTON 655A

(P43388943)

- Grand champion bull at the Bonneville county Fair.
- A great Danner son out of a spectacular cow.
- Will work on heifers.
- BW 81 lbs. Ratios: WW 115, YW 105, REA 103, IMF 120.

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	M&G	CEM	MCW
2.6	2.4	59	92	19	49	2.0	97
SC	FAT	REA	MARB	BMI	CEZ	BII	CHB
1.2	0.027	0.57	0.12	\$23	\$17	\$20	\$29



Lot 644A EBE LINDSEY 644A

(P43388865)

- Eric's show heifer, she is good.
- Broke to lead and calm.
- Tons of growth and potential.
- BW 80 lbs. Ratios: WW 107, YW NA.

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	M&G	CEM	MCW
3.7	1.5	52	76	17	43	4.0	81
SC	FAT	REA	MARB	BMI	CEZ	BII	CHB
0.4	0.013	.32	.00	\$16	\$18	\$12	\$23



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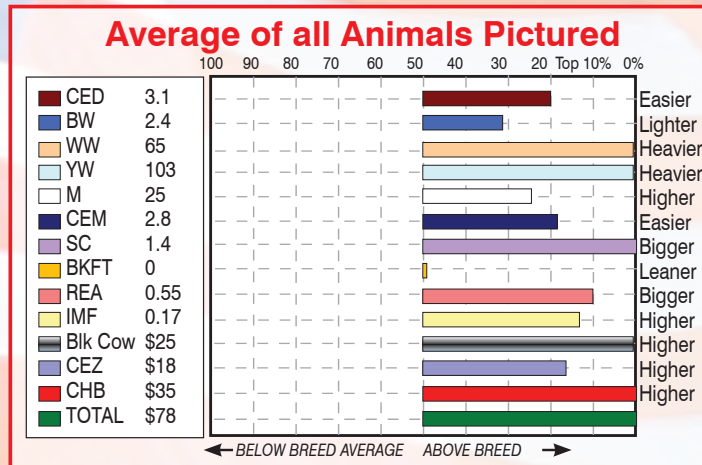
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Lot 1 - R ON TARGET 4374
Sire/Dam: On Target 936/Wideload
DOB: 03/21/2014 Reg: # 43499811

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	CEM	SC
+0.4	+4.0	+68	+116	+28	+1.5	+1.5
Fat	REA	Marb	BMI	CEZ	BII	CHB
+0.026	+0.58	+0.10	+22	+15	+17	+33



Lot 143 - R MISS NEW YORK 34
Sire/Dam: York 19H/On Target
DOB: 03/06/2014 Reg: # 43499698

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	CEM	SC
+4.1	+2.4	+76	+116	+24	+2.5	+1.5
Fat	REA	Marb	BMI	CEZ	BII	CHB
-0.010	+0.50	+0.20	+27	+19	+21	+41



Lot 2 - R A1 CENTENNIAL 4274
Sire/Dam: Churchill A1/Revolution
DOB: 03/13/2014 Reg: # 43525251

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	CEM	SC
+3.2	+1.7	+61	+95	+27	+3.4	+1.1
Fat	REA	Marb	BMI	CEZ	BII	CHB
+0.016	+0.66	+0.09	+21	+18	+16	+30



Lot 8 - R BONANZA 4164
Sire/Dam: Bonanza 11051/Revolution
DOB: 03/10/2014 Reg: # 43499790

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	CEM	SC
+6.2	-0.8	+62	+99	+31	+4.8	+1.6
Fat	REA	Marb	BMI	CEZ	BII	CHB
+0.008	+0.56	+0.23	+28	+22	+22	+35



Lot 94 - GR NEW YORK 23
Sire/Dam: York 19H/Revolution
DOB: 03/10/2013 Reg: # 43399643

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	CEM	SC
+4.5	+1.2	+65	+97	+23	+2.2	+1.3
Fat	REA	Marb	BMI	CEZ	BII	CHB
-0.009	+0.50	+0.31	+27	+19	+22	+37



Lot 144 - R MISS ON TARGET 344
Sire/Dam: On Target 936/Wideload
DOB: 03/14/2014 Reg: # 43499699

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	CEM	SC
+0.5	+4.1	+67	+117	+31	+1.8	+1.6
Fat	REA	Marb	BMI	CEZ	BII	CHB
0.002	+0.51	+0.08	+22	+15	+18	+34



Lot 4 - R ON TARGET 5914
Sire/Dam: On Target 017/Ribstone
DOB: 04/10/2014 Reg: # 43499558

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	CEM	SC
+2.3	+2.6	+69	+110	+25	+2.5	+1.6
Fat	REA	Marb	BMI	CEZ	BII	CHB
-0.013	+0.50	+0.15	+26	+17	+22	+36



Lot 51 - R ON TARGET 6403
Sire/Dam: On Target 017/Wrangler
DOB: 04/17/2013 Reg: # 43399512

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	CEM	SC
+2.0	+2.6	+71	+102	+18	+2.8	+1.6
Fat	REA	Marb	BMI	CEZ	BII	CHB
-0.009	+0.54	+0.23	+30	+18	+25	+38



Lot 142 - R MISS BONANZA 134
Sire/Dam: Bonanza 11051/Revolution
DOB: 03/11/2014 Reg: # 43499498

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	CEM	SC
+5.9	-0.3	+62	+98	+26	+4.9	+1.6
Fat	REA	Marb	BMI	CEZ	BII	CHB
+0.034	+0.58	+0.27	+29	+22	+23	+34



Lot 155 - R MISS REVOLUTION 544
Sire/Dam: Revolution/Navigator
DOB: 03/25/2014 Reg: # 43499723

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	CEM	SC
-0.4	+4.6	+65	+111	+23	+1.2	+1.2
Fat	REA	Marb	BMI	CEZ	BII	CHB
+0.024	+0.51	+0.19	+21	+14	+17	+33

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- 15-17 National Western Stock Show
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Jan. 15 — Juniors and Bulls
Jan. 16 — Carloads/Pens, Sale
Jan. 17 — Females
Hill Judge: Troy Thomas, Harold, SD
Associate judge: Brian Barragree,
Absarokee, MT
Yard Judges:
Bill Goehring, Libertyville, IA;
Paul Bennett, Red House, VA;
Ronny Morgan, Burwell, NE
- 17-25 Knippling Internet Bull Sale
19 VanNewkirk Herefords Sale
Oshkosh, NE
24 Middleswarth Bull Sale
Torrington, WY
25 Carswell-Nichols Bull Sale
Alton, KS
26 Atkins & Delaney Bull Sale
Lake Benton, MN
27 World Class Bull Sale
Churchill Cattle Co.
Manhattan, MT
29 Sioux Empire Hereford Show/Sale
Sioux Falls, SD

February

- 2 Topp Herefords Bull &
Female Sale
Grace City, ND

- 4 Black Hills Stock Show
Hereford Show & Sale
Rapid City, SD
5 Ridder Herefords Sale
Callaway, NE
5 Stroh Hereford Ranch Sale
Killdeer, ND
6 Baumgarten Hereford Sale
Belfield, ND
6 Dvorak Hereford Ranch Sale
Lake Andes, SD
6 Elkington Polled Herefords Sale
Idaho Falls, ID
7 Pelton Polled Herefords/Heins
Halliday, ND
7 Upstream Ranch Sale
Taylor, NE
7 JMF Bull Bid-Off and Open House
Holloway, MN
8 Mrnak Hereford Ranch
Production Sale
Bowman, ND
9 Fawcett's Elm Creek Ranch Sale
Ree Heights, SD
9 Logterman Herefords Sale
Valentine, NE
10 Thorson Herefords Bull Sale
Philip, SD
10 Watertown Winter Farm Show
Hereford Show and Sale
Watertown, SD
11 Friedt Herefords Sale
Dickinson, ND
14 Hillsview Farms Sale

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Baker Hereford Ranch/Amdahl
Angus Bull Sale
Rapid City, SD
16 Rausch Hereford Ranch Sale
Hoven, SD
17 Bar JZ Ranches Sale
Thomas Sale Facility
Holbird, SD
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Caldwell, ID
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Argusville, ND
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Worland, WY
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Mitchell, SD
20 Hoffman Ranch Bull Sale
Thedford, NE
21 Carmichael Herefords Bull Sale
Meadow, SD
22 Leddy Herefords & Red Angus
Production Sale
Twin Brooks, SD
23 Colyer Bull Sale
Boise, ID
24 Mill Creek Ranch Bull Sale
Manhattan, KS
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Platte Livestock, Platte, SD
27 Jamison Bull Sale
Quinter, KS
28 Kreth Cattle Co. Bull Sale
Mt. Vernon, SD

March

- 4-5 Calgary Bull Sale
Calgary, Alberta
7 Ravine Creek Ranch
Production Sale
Huron, SD
7 Ft. Keogh Livestock and Range
Research Lab Line One Sale
Miles City, MT
9 Holden Herefords Sale
Valier, MT
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LOT 3171

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BW: 3.4 - WW: 57 - YW: 101
MM: 29 - M&G: 58

LOT 3288

MH MONUMENT 3288

Sire: MH MONUMENT 3147



BW: 5.0 - WW: 61 - YW: 113
MM: 27 - M&G: 57

LOT 3194

MH RAMBO 3194

Sire: MH RAMBO 757 1ET



BW: 4.4 - WW: 66 - YW: 95
MM: 20 - M&G: 53

LOT 382

MH 9126J DOMINO 382 1ET

Sire: CL 1 DOMINO 9126J 1ET



BW: 2.6 - WW: 56 - YW: 92
MM: 29 - M&G: 58

LOT 3136

MH DAKOTA LAD 3136 1ET

Sire: MH DAKOTA LAD 6238 1ET



BW: 3.7 - WW: 45 - YW: 73
MM: 32 - M&G: 55

LOT 3191

MH MONUMENT 3191

Sire: MH MONUMENT 567



BW: 4.3 - WW: 68 - YW: 94
MM: 27 - M&G: 61



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Jill's Editorial...

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realizing the benefits of the Hereford breed especially temperament, mothering ability, efficiency and beef production.

The AHA stats tell us our industry is gaining momentum and strength. In our area all you have to do is go to a sale barn, production sale or look in the pastures to see it. I enjoy getting calls from my order-buyer friend say-

ing he went home empty handed because the Herefords brought too much money. That's great for the sellers!

The South Dakota Hereford Association's banquet had record attendance this year, serving 162 adults and 25 kids! It's always a fun event with a great group of Hereford people who are like family. Kudos to SDHA manager Phil Eggers and the SDHA board for hosting a wonderful event. The SD Excellence sale the next day was phenomenal with the highest average on heifer

calves in the history of the sale. I think we will see many record prices in the coming year.

As we have for quite a few years, we once again enjoyed Certified Hereford Beef prime rib for Christmas dinner. Marc is the chef for our beef and does an incredible job with it. From some of the pictures on FaceBook I don't think we are the only ones who have CHB prime rib for Christmas. I don't know that it can be beat for flavor, tenderness and overall quality.

Speaking of CHB, the program continues to grow and it's no surprise. This fall they announced that over 50 million pounds have sold. 2014 was a record growth year for the program. Since 2008 CHB sales increased 43%. The program is in its 19th year.

Recently the program hired Mark Layco as the new director of retail marketing for the CHB program. His previous experience was with Kroger's. We look forward to seeing him move the program forward.


With the revelry in finally being paid well for our product whether it be on the seedstock side or feedlot side or something in between we should take care to be conservative in spending and keep an eye on what is happening to the market AND the factors which affect beef prices.

A good friend who has been successful in both an oil-related business as well as the cattle business told me a couple of years ago that cattle prices follow oil prices. With the recent fall in oil and gas prices he talked to me about this again and expressed concern especially for younger people in the business who may not have experienced the down side of the cattle business yet, only the up side. Even those of us who have been in it for a long time should pay attention to this idea while we are euphoric about cattle prices and looking to the future, we

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402B Reg. # 43460767 • 1/5/14
N 028X Sensation 402B
 Sire: Churchill Sensation 028X
 Dam sired by: H Payback 807
 BW 2.9 WW 62 YW 90 M 35 M&G 66
 Fat .021 REA +.47 Marb .10

301A Reg. # 43401884 • 1/4/13
N 400 Domino 301A
 Sire: F 9126 Domino 400
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K 88X RIBEYE 459

Sire: NJW 98S R117 RIBEYE 88X ET {CHB,DLF,HYF,IEF}
Dam's Sire: GO ABE T32 {CHB,DLF,HYF,IEF}

BW	WW	YW	M	M&G	SC	FAT	REA	MRB
0.7	57	80	34	62	0.9	-.039	.32	.05



K 88X RIBEYE 471

Sire: NJW 98S R117 RIBEYE 88X ET {CHB,DLF,HYF,IEF}
Dam's Sire: GO ABE T32 {CHB,DLF,HYF,IEF}

BW	WW	YW	M	M&G	SC	FAT	REA	MRB
2.0	65	93	36	69	0.9	-.027	.28	.04



K 88X RIBEYE 475

Sire: NJW 98S R117 RIBEYE 88X ET {CHB,DLF,HYF,IEF}
Dam's Sire: CL 1 DOMINO 04011 {CHB,DLF,IEF}

BW	WW	YW	M	M&G	SC	FAT	REA	MRB
0.4	56	75	25	52	0.9	-.037	.30	.06



K 88X RIBEYE 484 ET

Sire: NJW 98S R117 RIBEYE 88X ET {CHB,DLF,HYF,IEF}
Dam's Sire: CL 1 DOMINO 482P 1ET {CHB,SOD,DLF,IEF}

BW	WW	YW	M	M&G	SC	FAT	REA	MRB
1.9	62	93	30	61	1.1	-.012	.36	.11



K 88X RIBEYE 4142

Sire: NJW 98S R117 RIBEYE 88X ET {CHB,DLF,HYF,IEF}
Dam's Sire: CL 1 DOMINO 482P 1ET {CHB,SOD,DLF,IEF}

BW	WW	YW	M	M&G	SC	FAT	REA	MRB
2.0	63	92	32	64	1.0	-.005	.28	.08



K SENSATION 4193 ET

Sire: CHURCHILL SENSATION 028X {CHB,DLF,HYF,IEF}
Dam's Sire: CL 1 DOMINO 482P 1ET {CHB,SOD,DLF,IEF}

BW	WW	YW	M	M&G	SC	FAT	REA	MRB
-0.1	59	87	35	64	1.4	.037	.42	.14

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713's mother.



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BW: 0.8 WW: 57 YW: 89 Milk: 22 M&G: 50 SC: 0.9 Fat: -0.018
 REA: 0.65 Marb: .08 BMI: 21 CEZ: 17 BII: 17 CHB: 30



LOT 1

DCR 713 KOOTENAY 301

BW: 3.0 WW: 51 YW: 81 Milk: 19 M&G: 45
 SC: 1.0 Fat: -0.009 REA: 0.54 Marb: 0.11
 BMI: 21 CEZ: 16 BII: 19 CHB: 26



LOT 2

DCR 713 ICONIC 312

BW: 2.5 WW: 61 YW: 109 Milk: 25 M&G: 56
 SC: 1.0 Fat: -0.003 REA: .53 Marb: 0.14
 BMI: 18 CEZ: 13 BII: 14 CHB: 32



LOT 3

DCR 713 KOOTENAY 302

BW: 2.6 WW: 47 YW: 82 Milk: 17 M&G: 41
 SC: 0.7 Fat: -0.012 REA: 0.53 Marb: 0.07
 BMI: 17 CEZ: 14 BII: 15 CHB: 25



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Jill's Editorial...

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need to be cautiously optimistic but not get too carried away with purchases. This is sound practice in any business. Ah, if we only had a crystal ball. It sounds like the National Western Stock Show in Denver is shaping up to be a record breaker in terms of Hereford numbers. That's really a wonderful thing for our breed. The exposure and added promotion will go far. I look forward to seeing many of you there.

In closing, I want to thank all of our advertisers for making this such a large issue. It's the biggest one we have had in almost 20 years of printing *Hereford America*.

Thanks as well to our small crew for going the extra mile getting this big issue produced and to the printer. It takes countless hours, early mornings and late nights, missed holidays and missed family events, to get each of our issues out but this one, as you can see, is special. Not only did we work on this but we also produced two state Hereford directories and a half dozen sale catalogs at the same time.

This work load often leaves me questioning my sanity. It's sort of like being on perpetual night-calving duty!

With all the late ads this last month I need to remind all of you we set deadlines for a reason and that is so we can get things done on time. After all, you wouldn't want your ad or catalog out after your sale. In case you don't know, the deadline for our February issue is Jan. 5th.

I thank all of you advertisers in advance for being on time.

Have a happy and prosperous New Year!

—JBH

Rausch Family...

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ters today, with plenty of help from their children and grandchildren.

Harlan and Mary Rausch, Rick and Linda Rausch, and Gary and Twila Rausch operate separate ranches and provide additional animals to the headquarters for marketing.

Rausch Herefords has topped the list

for the most Dams of Distinction each year since 1980. To date, more than 600 Rausch cows have been named Dams of Distinction.

To qualify as a Dam of Distinction a female must produce a healthy, growthy calf every year; she should calve as a 2-year-old, and she should cause her owner absolutely no problems. A Dam of Distinction is the standard by which all Hereford cows can be judged. The cow must do her job, but also her owner

must manage the herd correctly to give her the opportunity to excel.

Founded in 1946, Rausch Herefords was started when William and Alice Rausch helped their oldest children sell their 4-H sheep and purchase registered Hereford heifers. At that time it was called Wm. Rausch & Sons. In 1959 the family hosted its first annual bull and female sale.

More than 200 bulls and 300 females are sold each year in the February sale

at the ranch plus the ranch has private treaty offerings throughout the year. Each year only the top-third of Rausch bull calves are marketed. Those remaining are finished as steers and carcass data is collected to track and improve ribeye and marbling expected progeny differences (EPDs).

The Rausch breeding program annually utilizes more than 50 herd sires plus artificial insemination (AI) to constantly make genetic progress. They have been performance testing since the late 1950s when portable scales became available and have remained on the cutting edge in collecting data as more technology is developed. They were one of the first Hereford breeders in America to utilize live Internet bidding in production sales.

In 2007 Rausch Herefords was named the South Dakota Hereford Association Seedstock Producer of the Year.

Each Rausch generation has been actively involved in Hereford association activities. William Rausch was inducted into the AHA Hall of Fame in 1986. Four of his sons — Duane, Harlan, Vern and Jerry — served on the South Dakota Hereford Association board. Three of his granddaughters, Cindy, Kay and Jodi, served as South Dakota Hereford Queen.

Jerry and his wife,

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6 HORNED BULLS TO CALGARY BULL SALE

SALE: Thursday, MARCH 5
On-line bidding with DLMS

Sire: LBH 40W Ribstone 24Y
Dam: BP 38T Standard Lady 43X
BW: 98 lbs
WW Index: 108 YW Index: 109

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	MAR
6.5	54.4	90.3	26.8	0.10	0.09

6 POLLED BULLS TO MEDICINE HAT BULL SALE

SALE: Wednesday, MARCH 18
On-line bidding with DLMS

Sire: Anchor 44U
Dam: Standard 68L Dom Lady 113T
BW: 98 lbs
WW Index: 111 YW Index: 116

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	MAR
5.3	57.7	108.3	15.2	+0.21	-0.03



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Source: Dictionary of Word & Phrase Origins



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Byron's Editorial...

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to a local contractor this week who does a lot of work with his excavator for the local ranchers and he said that he really needed a new excavator but that one that he wanted was priced at 490 thousand dollars, so he said that he had to go with the alternative and find a better used one. The future looks bright for several years to come in the cattle business, but as most of older people would say "now is a real good time to get your house in order".

I attended the Montana Hereford Association 2014 Feeder Calf Sale last month. This sale has been a good event and the calves of all weights sold for prices that were commensurate with calves of all breeds that sold in the auction barns around the state at that time. It makes a tremendous difference when Hereford and Hereford cross calves can be offered at one location in this state.

In most of Montana's auction barns a smaller group of Herefords will get discounted, but when about 1,000 head are offered for sale at one facility the price structure equalizes, and it certainly did at the sale in Three Forks this year.

I have to give a lot of credit to the Montana Hereford Association people that were instrumental in putting this sale together. Eastern Montana Hereford breeders also have a feeder calf sale that they put on in Miles City, I was unable to attend that event, but reports to me are that the sale was very successful too, and it is very apparent to me that anyone the has straight Hereford calves to market should consign them to one of these sales.

The Hereford crossbred calves, especially the Black Angus cross, seem to sell very well wherever they are offered. However, it seems that when Herefords are crossed with other breeds, the buyers have to be fully advised as to the exact breeding of the animal before they are willing to pay the full market price. We saw this very example two years at one of the large ranches here in southwest Montana, they sell thousands of steers and had crossed a group of their Hereford cows with a Red Angus bull, when the private treaty buyers came to the ranch to buy the steers they wanted to cut that group out or discount them. The ranch manager said "No, I won't let you cut them out or discount them, I will take them to the Montana Hereford Association Sale." Those same Hereford - Red Angus cross calves topped the sale!

Ernesto Delgado is my neighbor, he came from Mexico to the US about 20 years ago and Ernesto received his American citizenship several years ago. Ernesto works for one of the largest ranches in the valley and he is a key employee for them. Ernesto is my closest ranch neighbor and a friend. About 10 days before Christmas, Ernest came

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Friedt Herefords

Annual Production Sale

Wed., February 11, 2015

1 p.m. Stockmen's West • Dickinson, ND

Auctioneer Scott Weishaar

Selling:

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10 - 2 year old Bulls

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400

FH L1 DOMINO 400 MD

BD: 1/01/14 • Reg#: 43514852

Act. BW: 89lbs

BW 3.4 | WW 54 | YW 96 | M 30

M&G 56 | REA .24 | Marb .16 | CHB \$27

Black Hills Stock Show entry. A typical bull sired by the Harrell Hereford Ranch sire 156. Long, thick, and clean made. Dam is a very productive Harland daughter.



415

FH L1 DOMINO 415 LC

BD: 1/16/14 • Reg#: 43514862

Act. BW: 88lbs

BW 3.2 | WW 56 | YW 99 | M 27

M&G 55 | REA .29 | Marb .20 | CHB \$28

Another stout 156 son. Well marked and out of a Harland daughter.



433

FH L1 DOMINO 433

BD: 1/29/14 • Reg#: 43511845

Act. BW: 85lbs

BW 2.7 | WW 56 | YW 84 | M 28

M&G 56 | REA .19 | Marb .08 | CHB \$24

An attractive son out of our old 695 herd bull. He sired productive daughters with good udders. This bull's dam is more moderate and really produces.



438

FH SENSATION 438

BD: 1/30/14 • Reg#: 43514881

Act. BW: 90lbs

BW 1.8 | WW 48 | YW 75 | M 32

M&G 56 | REA .16 | Marb .13 | CHB \$24

Our only Sensation son but a good one. His dam comes from one of our best cow families.



439

FH 2185 DOMINO 439 MD

BD: 1/31/14 • Reg#: 43514839

Act. BW: 88lbs

BW 3.0 | WW 59 | YW 102 | M 23

M&G 52 | REA .22 | Marb .26 | CHB \$29

The first son of the high selling Harrell Hereford Ranch 2185 bull. This bull has volume and thickness with an outstanding EPD package.



446

FH NAVARRO 446

BD: 2/2/14 • Reg#: 43514932

Act. BW: 85lbs

BW 3.7 | WW 63 | YW 104 | M 27

M&G 59 | REA .53 | Marb .13 | CHB \$34

One of our favorites from a home raised Navarro son from a top 902 daughter. He is everything we are trying to breed for: length, thickness, depth, pigment, and docility.



451

FH L1 DOMINO 451 AF

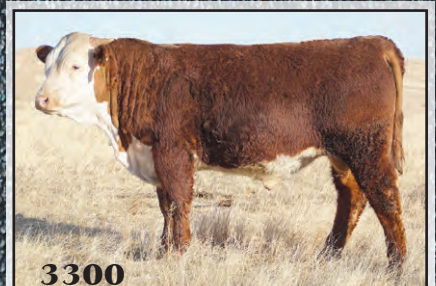
BD: 2/3/14 • Reg#: 43514853

Act. BW: 90lbs

BW 3.9 | WW 59 | YW 97 | M 24

M&G 53 | REA .43 | Marb -.01 | CHB \$29

Thick with a lot of volume. He is typical of the sons 902 produces. We sold a Navarro daughter out of this dam to Fred Baker, in Illinois.



3300

FH YANKEE 3300

BD: 12/21/13 • Reg#: 43514916

Act. BW: 85lbs

BW 4.4 | WW 55 | YW 85 | M 20

M&G 47 | REA .39 | Marb .10 | CHB \$28

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Lot 192

BW -1.0 WW 50 YW 69 M 33 M&G 58 REA .26 IMF .18



Lot 177

BW 2.4 WW 61 YW 96 M 34 M&G 64 REA .47 IMF .14 CHB 32



Lot 125

BW 3.9 WW 69 YW 113 M 33 M&G 68 REA .19 IMF .22 CHB 34



Lot 123

BW -1.3 WW 52 YW 72 M 33 M&G 59 REA .30 IMF .14 CHB 24



Lot 64

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Lot 7

BW 3.5 WW 62 YW 108 M 30 M&G 60 REA .63 IMF .12 CHB 36

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to visit me and said, "I brought you a poem about the way I feel about living here in Twin Bridges, Montana." I thought maybe you would like to read the poem, here it is.

Under Montana Sky By Ernesto Delgado

I saw the full moon
I saw the beautiful mountains
And I saw the sky blue

Under Montana sky.
The rivers run like a deer
The fish hiding from the eagles
I saw that when I drank my beer.

Many hunters get excited
When the hunting season comes
They think they will be happy
If they got a big buck.

And the winter is so cold
And the summer is so hot
But who cares about that
When the season's already gone.

The valley is so green
The mountains are so blue
The water is so clear
The valley is just for you.

The ranchers working hard
Moving cattle through town
And some people get mad
Cause they have to stop the car.

The wildflowers come back
In May, June and July
When the rain take care
And the beautiful colors come up.

You can breathe fresh air
You can walk in the street
Everybody knows you
In the little town of Twin.

I know one day I will die
Thus no worries for me.
I am the happy guy
Cause I live in my town, Twin.

Here is all my life
Sometime I will be out of here.
Beautiful place to die.
In my little town of Twin Bridges,
Montana.

I appreciate all of the calls and letters that I receive concerning my varied articles and even though I try to respond to all of you, I realize that I fail in that regard, so please forgive if I have not answered your letters or calls. It's always very interesting to me to see the response that I get to the certain things that I write about, some articles that I think will get a lot of response don't have many responses from you folks, but I know that Marc and Jill get a lot of the responses. I do like to know what you think about my articles. It has been a good year for Hereford America and we thank you people for your support of us. As we go forward worldwide and nearly every state in the Union, we hope that you have had a Joyous Christmas and that you will have a good healthy and prosperous New Year ahead of you in 2015.

— BB

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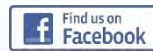
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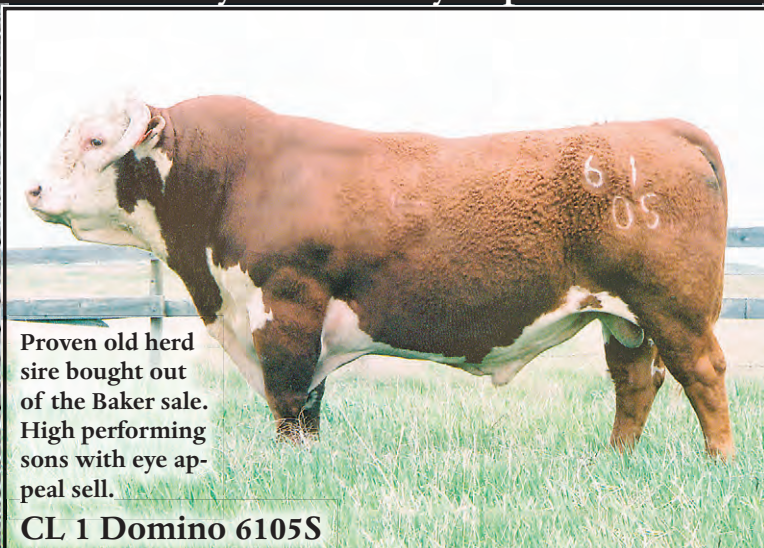
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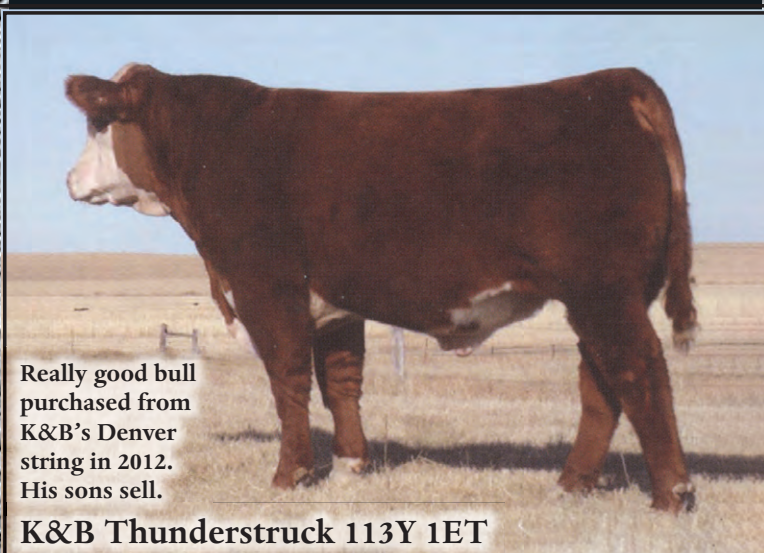
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John Ascuaga Inducted Into Hereford Hall of Merit

John Ascuaga was inducted into the Hereford Hall of Merit at the AHA's annual meeting in Kansas City. He was recognized at the Hereford Honorees Reception.

John owned John Ascuaga's Nugget Hotel and Casino in Reno for more than 50 years. The casino has hosted the Western Nugget National Hereford Show for more than 45 years.

The son of a Basque immigrant sheepherder, John is a self-made man who built an entertainment empire in Reno as well as a large ranching enterprise.

His father emigrated from Spain in 1914 — his wife joined him two years later — and they raised John and his three siblings on a farm in Idaho. John started in the hotel industry as a bellman in McCall, ID, while attending college.

He followed family friend, Dick

Graves to Nevada. Graves opened the Nugget in 1955, and three years of growth later, moved it across the street to its current location.

By 1960, Graves was ready to retire and sold the business for \$3,775,000 to John, who at the time was only 34 years old. He put nothing down on the loan and still managed to pay it off in seven years.

In 2007, John was honored as the Lifetime Cattleman by the Western States Hereford Association during the Western Nugget National Hereford Show and Sale in Reno.

Cheryl Thomas, Western States Hereford Association secretary/treasurer, says, "John is the reason the Western Nugget National Hereford Show and Sale takes place. It all started with a Hereford bull sale in a tent in

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recognized with the Trailblazer Award presented by BEEF magazine in 1995.

Roger served on the North Dakota Stockmen's Association board of directors for eight years, with two years as president. He also served on the North

Dakota Beef Commission and the founding board North Dakota Natural Beef.

Roger was named Agriculturalist of the Year in 1980 by the North Dakota State University Saddle & Sirloin Club and in 2007 by the Bowman Chamber of Commerce. In 2011, he was inducted into the North Dakota Cowboy Hall of Fame.



Pictured (left to right) are Craig Huffhines, AHA executive vice president; Duane and Dana Stuber, Roger Stuber, Bowman, ND; Steve Lambert, 2014 AHA president, Oroville, CA; and Eric Walker, 2015 AHA president.

Rausch Family...

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Dakota junior advisors. Vern served on the American Hereford Association board and in 2001 was elected the first President of Certified Hereford Beef LLC. Vern's wife, Sharon, served on the American Hereford Women board.

Also involved in the South Dakota Hereford Women were Janice, Sharon and Vicki who all served on the board as officers. Many of the grandchildren were officers in the South Dakota Junior Hereford Association and two of the grandchildren, Joel and Nick, served on the National Junior Hereford Association board.



Vern Rausch accepting the award for the family.

Photo by B. Lynn Gordon

Ascuaga...

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John, and his wife of 56 years, Rose, live at their Jacks Valley Ranch, 50 miles south of Reno near Carson City, Nev. That ranch is one of three originally owned by John. At one time they had 1,700 head of Hereford-based commercial cows and a small flock of sheep. Today the ranch includes 300.

In Cheryl's nomination she quoted John's son Stephen writing, "Dad is 89 years young and still continues to be actively involved with ranch activities including checking cattle and changing water. Although the casino was the reason many know dad's name, ranching has always been his passion and the foundation of it all."

As of Jan. 1, 2014, the Ascuaga family sold the Nugget to Global Gaming & Hospitality. Under John's leadership, the casino had grown into one of the largest northern Nevada hotel casinos with more than 1,600 hotel rooms, 75,000 sq. feet of casino gaming, nine restaurants and much, much more.

"Even though I missed John's tenure in the registered Hereford business with Jacks Valley Ranch, it has been a pleasure to get to know him," says Mark Holt, AHA western region fieldman. "Watching his face fill with pride as the curtain rises, and the Nugget stage is filled with Herefords, has been one of my more memorable moments the last 12 years while serving as fieldman. John's dedication to the Hereford breed in the West is second to none."

John and Rose have four children — Camille, Michonne, John and Stephen.

John Ascuaga, Carson City, NV, was inducted into the Hereford Hall of Merit in Kansas City, MO. Pictured (left to right) are Eric Walker, 2015 AHA president, Morrison, TN; Craig Huffhines, AHA executive vice president; John Ascuaga; Michonne Ascuaga, John's daughter, Reno, NV; and Steve Lambert, 2014 AHA president, Oroville, CA.



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WWR 120. Dam WW 2@107 YW 2@107



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BW 4.4 WW 71 YW 105 M 24 SC 2.0
REA 0.78 MARB 0.17 BMI \$30 CHB \$34
WWR 129. Dam WW 3@121 YW 2@104



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BW 3.7 WW 62 YW 97 M 26 SC 0.6
REA 0.42 MARB 0.20 BMI \$16 CHB \$31
WWR 111. Dam WW 4@103 YW 3@101



/S RED BULL 44445 ET

BW 2.7 WW 65 YW 100 M 19 SC 1.0
REA 0.41 MARB 0.17 BMI \$21 CHB \$32
Dam WW 4@114 YW 3@109 MARB 2@126



/S RED BULL 33592

BW -1.2 WW 53 YW 87 M 26 SC 1.0
REA 0.25 MARB 0.12 BMI \$21 CHB \$27
BWR 90 WWR 107 YWR 103 & IMF 102.



/S THOR 33646

BW 4.1 WW 61 YW 100 M 24 SC 1.6
REA 0.61 MARB 0.19 BMI \$26 CHB \$31
WWR 115 YWR 116. Dam BW 3@99
WW 3@108 YW 3@110



John Ascuaga, Carson City, NV, is a true American success story, being the son of immigrants, and building several highly successful businesses including a large Hereford herd. The Hereford sale held at John Ascuaga's Nugget is like no other in the world. The event is made up of a big Hereford family from across the country. Sale goers are oftentimes greeted by Nugget host Mr. Ascuaga himself.

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Morgan Named Hereford Woman of the Year

Kay Morgan, Burwell, NE, was recognized as Hereford Woman of the Year during the National Hereford Women (NHW) annual meeting in Kansas City on Nov. 1.

Each year the NHW recognizes and honors one woman for her achievements and dedication to the Hereford breed.

Kay has greatly impacted the Hereford breed by her leadership and service through the Hereford Women of Nebraska and NHW organizations. She contributed to the successful merger of the American Hereford Women and National Organization of Poll-ettes in 2009 and served on the NHW board during the transition. During this time, Kay was also Hereford Women of Nebraska president.

"Kay is passionate about the purpose of NHW and the Hereford Women of Nebraska," says Vawn Hula, Hereford Women of Nebraska president. "After being elected to the board of directors, I knew I could go to Kay with any question I had about the association, the breed or how to manage life as a ranch wife."

Growing up on her family's Hereford farm near Waverly, NE, Kay says she remembers always having an interest in the Hereford breed. She was on the Nebraska Junior Hereford Association board of directors and met her hus-



Kay Morgan, Burwell, NE, was named the 2014 Hereford Woman of the Year. Pictured at the awards presentation (left to right) are Lauren Echols, NHW Woman of the Year committee co-chair; Kay and Ronny Morgan; and Suzanne Matheny, NHW Woman of the Year committee co-chair.

band, Ronny Morgan, while showing Herefords at the state fair. While being a part of Morgan Ranch, they had four children — Carrie, John, Patrick and Roger — all who inherited her passion for Herefords and later came together to form Morgan Cattle Partners.

Kay has spent her adult life giving back to the Hereford breed and has served as Nebraska Hereford Association secretary and Nebraska Junior Hereford Association advisor for nearly 30 years. Kay and the Morgan

Ranch co-sponsor a belt buckle for the Nebraska Hereford Queen and have hosted numerous cattle shows, sales and other events. She is also involved in her community as an active member of United Methodist Women and volunteers time toward 4-H as a judge for cooking and crafts projects.

The Hereford Women of Nebraska concluded its recommendation letter by writing, "She is a role model to many and is unquestionably deserving of this award."

Nolles Crowned National Hereford Queen



Katie Nolles, Bassett, NE, was crowned the 2014-15 National Hereford Queen during the 2014 American Royal National Hereford Show in Kansas City Nov. 2.

A fifth generation Hereford breeder, Katie will spend the next year in her new role as the face of the Hereford breed and an agriculture advocate setting a positive example for young women.

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Embryos For Sale



CED	BW
-0.4	5.0
WW	YW
60	94
M	M&G
27	57
CEM	MCW
2.4	120
SC	FAT
1.3	0.019
REA	MARB
0.45	0.06
BMI	CEZ
\$20	\$15
BI	CHB
\$17	\$27

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REA	MARB
0.45	0.13
BMI	CEZ
\$19	\$15
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Nebraska's Nolles Crowned 2015 National Hereford Queen

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"I will never forget being a little girl who researched the National Queen program and closely monitored the woman in white," Katie says. "What an impact she made on my life. I plan to uphold the excitement that young ladies have by investing personally in each one whom I interact with and always showing that I am excited to be wherever this journey may take me."

Katie competed against nine other young women from across the U.S. for the title. The National Hereford Queen program is managed by the National Hereford Women. Queen candidates are evaluated on their involvement with and knowledge of the Hereford breed, behavior, attitude, appearance and interaction with producers, as well as their résumés and interviews. Judges look for a responsible, well-rounded young lady who is willing to spend an entire year traveling all over the country to represent the Hereford breed to her best ability.

First runner-up honors went to Bailey McKay, Marysville, KS; Jordan Spindle, Moriarty, NM, was named second runner-up; and Kagney Collins, Flanagan, IL, was selected as Miss Congeniality.

Katie is the 17-year-old daughter of Mike and Trudy Nolles, who live on a



Outgoing 2014 National Hereford Queen Brooke Jensen places the crown on Katie Nolles head as the new 2015 National Hereford Queen.

Hereford ranch in the Nebraska Sandhills. At the age of 10, Katie committed to becoming a leader in the Hereford breed and has since attended seven Junior National Hereford Expos (JNHEs) and two Program for Reaching Individuals Determined to Excel (PRIDE) Conventions. She has participated in numerous contests at the JNHE and was a member of the 2012 Champion Senior Team Marketing and the 2014 Champion Hereford Bowl teams. She has also placed first in illustrated speech in both the junior and interme-

diate age divisions. Katie is a member of the Nebraska Junior Hereford Association and is currently in her second term on its board of directors. She is very involved in 4-H and FFA and has held offices in both organizations in addition to participating in contests on the local, state and national level.

Katie is a senior at Rock County High School and plans to attend the

University of Nebraska-Lincoln to major in animal science and agriculture education and minor in leadership and entrepreneurship. Hereford cattle remain in Katie's future as she intends to return to her family ranch to raise registered Herefords, teach agriculture and one day have a career as a leadership coach for an agriculture based company.



Hereford royalty honored during the 2014 American Royal (left to right) are Brooke Jensen, Courtland, KS, 2013-14 National Hereford Queen; Katie Nolles, Bassett, NE, 2014-15 National Hereford Queen; Bailey McKay, Marysville, KS, first runner-up; Jordan Spindle, Moriarty, NM, second runner-up; and Kagney Collins, Flanagan, IL, Miss Congeniality.



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RE	MB
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BW3.9 WW57 YW102 MM31 M&G 60
 Sire: CL 1 Domino 0145X 1ET Dam: Montana Miss 032X
 A long spined, deep bodied, high performance 0145 son. A real rancher type bull.



BW4.5 WW60 YW101 MM29 M&G 59
 Sire: UPS About Time 0138 Dam: HH Miss Jetset 1128
 A member of our State Fair winning Get of Sire and Best 6 Head groups. Last year as a first calf heifer 1128 raised my pick of the heifer calves and followed her up with this great son. A 3/4 brother to 1407.



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Nash, Deewall Families Honored as Century Breeders

In celebration of 100 years in the Hereford business, Franklin Nash & Family Herefords and Mike Deewall Family Herefords, Coldwater, KS, was honored as a Century Hereford Breeder Oct. 31. Craig Huffhines, American Hereford Association (AHA) executive vice president, presented the award to Jane Nash Deewall along with her husband, Mike Deewall; sister, Julie Nash; brother, Jeff Nash and his wife, Sherry; daughter, Dr. Kelly Deewall Shupe, and husband, Nathan; and son, Kent Deewall, and wife, Mary, at the Hereford Honorees Reception during the AHA Annual Meeting in Kansas City.

Jane's grandfather, Walter C. Nash, purchased the operation's first registered Hereford cattle in 1914. At that time the ranch was located northwest of Canon City, CO. Those cattle were of Gudgell & Simpson breeding. Walter Nash and his son, Franklin, made key purchases in the 1930s of Dominant Mischief from W.N Balyney and Advance Domino 84 from Fred C. DeBerard. Today's Deewall cattle still trace back to these two influential bulls.

Franklin Nash, Jane's father, was considered an expert in linebreeding. With the exception of his military service during WWII he spent his life working to improve the herd. One large ranch in Saguache, Colo., purchased Nash Ranch bulls for 60 straight years. That fam-

ily still buys bulls today from Jane and Mike.

Jane and Mike attended Oklahoma State University, were on the livestock judging team and graduated with animal science degrees. Mike held several positions over the years, working for Turner Ranch, Oklahoma State University, Higgins Herefords, Middleswarth Herefords and LeForce Herefords.

In 1991, Mike and Jane started purchasing cattle from Jane's family. Then in 1998, they settled on the Deewall ranch south of Coldwater that had been in Mike's family since 1892. Eventually, all the Nash Herefords found their way to Kansas. Mike and Jane also run a commercial Hereford herd based on his family's cow herd genetics.

Mike worked as the Comanche County Extension Agent for eight years but recently retired, and Jane works part time for Stalcup accounting in addition to operating Nash Originals LLC, a food gift box company.

They have two children, Kelly and Kent. Kelly is a veterinarian, practicing in nearby Ashland, KA. She will continue the Nash/Deewall Hereford operation. Kent lives in Norman, OK, and is the account manager for Quality Beverages.

Today, Deewall Herefords focuses on producing easy-keeping, genetically dependable, problem free cattle with longevity. They sell bulls private treaty.



Franklin Nash & Family Herefords and the Mike Deewall Family Herefords, Coldwater, KS., was honored as a Century Hereford Breeder. Pictured sitting (left to right) are Jeff Nash, McCloud, KS; Mike and Jane (Nash) Deewall, Coldwater, KS; and Julie Nash, Colorado Springs, CO. Back row (left to right) are Eric Walker, 2015 AHA president, Morrison, TN; Sherry Nash, McCloud, KS; Mary and Kent Deewall, Norman, OK; Nathan and Dr. Kelly (Deewall) Shupe, Ashland, KS; and Steve Lambert, 2014 AHA president, Oroville, CA.



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CED	4.1
BW	0.5
WW	48
YW	77
M	29
M&G	53
Fat	.014
REA	.35
Marb	.21

*See
her in
Denver!*

Sire: K&B SENTINEL 007X - Dam: ERNST MS RELOAD 909
Lot 25. A paternal granddaughter of the great 3027 bull, 332 is a real deep sided female that carries great natural thickness yet has a BW EPD of 0.5. 332 is member of our class winning pen at last year's National Western Stock Show! Confirmed bred to KT Built Tuff 1010 for an early February calf.

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ERNST 167 CHALLENGER 365



CED	-1.8
BW	3.3
WW	55
YW	87
M	24
M&G	52
Fat	-.016
REA	.53
Marb	.02

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in Rapid
City!*

Sire: ERNST 916 CHALLENGER 167 - Dam: ERNST MS 916 NITRESS 152
Lot 26. 365 is another rugged 2 year old bull out of an outstanding young dam. Sired by the 8619U bull, his sons have proven their value in the commercial industry for several years. 365 is one of three outstanding 2 year olds we are selling at the Black Hills Stock Show.

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Walker Elected American Hereford Association President

Eric Walker of Morrison, TN, was announced as the new president of the American Hereford Association (AHA) during the Annual Membership Meeting, Nov. 1, 2014, in Kansas City, MO.

In 1981 Eric purchased his first registered Hereford, and now, 30 years later, he owns and manages a herd of 125 registered Hereford cows along with his wife, Rhonda; son, Cody; and stepson, Casey.

"It will be a great honor and privilege to serve as AHA president," Eric says. "We have a great team of board members and staff who go above and beyond to make this association successful. We are all enjoying some great times in the cattle industry. The Hereford breed is positioned to move forward and hopefully take more market share with its ability to add

heterosis and efficiency to a cross-breeding program."

Eric's farm has hosted 18 production sales since 1986 and Walker genetics have been sold in 32 states, as well as Canada, Mexico and the United Kingdom.

The Walker cow herd utilizes approximately 500 acres of his total 1,100-acre farming operation. The remaining 600 acres are used for the production of shade and ornamental trees and shrubs that supply products for Walker Nursery Co. Eric is the sole proprietor of Walker Nursery Co., and he sells and markets his products to the landscape and retail green industry, shipping to 35 different states.

Eric says, as with most organizations, increasing membership is a top priority. "I would also like to see an upward trend in registrations and trans-

fers, and we can never have too much data and performance statistics," he adds. "I hope to see all the research and performance projects we have going on continue to provide information that will help breeders produce cattle that are needed in the beef industry."

Eric is a member of the Middle and East Tennessee Hereford Associations, as well as a member of the Tennessee and Warren County Cattlemen's Associations. He has been a director and president of the Tennessee Polled Hereford Association. He is also a past president of the Tennessee Nursery and Landscape Association and currently serves as secretary for the Regional Planning Commission Board for the town of Morrison.

Selected to serve as the 2015 Vice President was Sam Shaw, Caldwell, ID. Sam is a third generation Hereford breeder. The Shaw family owns and operates Shaw Cattle Co. and has been in Hereford business for 68 years.

The Shaws currently run more than 1,250 cows including registered Herefords, Angus and Red Angus. The Shaws host an annual production sale in the spring and market 500 bulls and females. They also sell bulls and females private treaty throughout the year.

They have an extensive artificial insemination (AI) program. All females are synchronized once and then heat detected for a second cycle. They also collect feed intake data using the GrowSafe program. The entire crop of bulls from their fall calving herd is placed in the program.

Sam and his wife, Janel, have three children.

Completing their terms on the

AHA Board were outgoing president Steve Lambert, Oroville, CA; Dale Venhuizen, Manhattan, MT; and Keith Fawcett, Ree Heights, SD.

Delegates elected three new directors during the membership meeting. Jim Mickelson, Santa Rosa, CA; Kevin Schultz, Haviland, KS; and Bob Thompson, Rolla, MO, will serve four-year terms on the 12-member Board.

Jim Mickelson

California Hereford breeder Jim Mickelson and his family own and operate Sonoma Mountain Herefords, Santa Rosa. The Sonoma Mountain herd currently includes 175 head of registered Hereford cows.

In 2003 Sonoma Mountain Herefords got its start with the purchase of the remainder of the Kunde Herefords herd, which dated back to the 1940s.

Jim and his wife, Marcia, oversee the operation, while their son, Bobby, along with his wife, Heidi, is in charge of day-to-day activities and is the ranch's herdsman. Jim and Marcia's daughter, Jamie, is involved as well; she's responsible for the show string. The Mickelson family shows cattle at local, regional and national shows including the National Western Stock Show in Denver.

Bulls are marketed each year as long yearlings or 2-year-olds in the ranch's production sale, held in conjunction with Lambert Ranch for the past eight years. Select bulls are consigned to the Red Bluff Bull Sale, where Sonoma Mountain has had several champion and reserve champion bulls. Just recently the Mickelsons have begun marketing females to commercial and

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*See these bulls on
the Hill and in the Yards*

**National Western Stock Show
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404 ET (Bert)

March 14, 2014

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408 ET

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2015 American Hereford Board



Pictured is the 2015 American Hereford Association (AHA) Board of Directors. Seated (left to right) are Eric Walker, Morrison, TN, president; Sam Shaw, Caldwell, ID, vice president; Fred Larson, Spring Valley, WI; David Trowbridge, Tabor, IA; and Craig Huffhines, Kansas City, MO, executive vice president. Directors standing (left to right) are Bob Thompson, Rolla, MO; Joe VanNewkirk, Oshkosh, NE; Jim Mickelson, Santa Rosa, CA; David Bielema, Grand Rapids, MI; Kevin Schultz, Haviland, KS; Curtis Curry, McAlester, OK; Johnny Harris, Screven, GA; and Terri Barber, Austin, TX.

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BOYD STOUT 1094 ET (43186793)
G DOMINO 442 (42534749)
TG RED DIAMOND 0139 (43086277)
MH MONUMENT 909 (43019669)
KB L1 DOMINO 665 (42674365)
KB L1 DOMINO 454P (42523485)
PF ABOUT TIME 0031 (43150574)
LCX MD KEEPSAKE 113 ET (43167933)
DVOR 665 9175 DOMINO 150 (43185217)
TH 89T 755T VICTOR 468Z (43279203)
BKR SANDERSON 73C 60S (42696328)
KB RB LINER 122L ET B631 (42539303)



DVOR 1094 153 STOUT 3207
(43375931)
BW 3.0, WW 55, YW 93, M 32, REA .22, MARB .19



DVOR 1094 143 STOUT 3222
(P43375867)
BW 0.4, WW 56, YW 101, M 29, REA .33, MARB .21



DVOR 454 811 DOMINO 395
(43375911)
BW 3.3, WW 54, YW 90, M 35, REA .34, MARB .09



DVOR 454 7123 DOMINO 3105
(43375886)
BW 2.6, WW 46, YW 81, M 34, REA .34, MARB .12



DVOR 0031 5112 HIGHPLAINS 3139
(P43375890)
BW 3.2, WW 45, YW 62, M 23, REA .34, MARB -.09



DVOR 665 133 DOMINO 3196
(43375869)
BW -.7, WW 44, YW 90, M 33, REA .08, MARB .26



TMR SANDERSON K302 {DLF,HYF,IEF}
(P43422435)
BW 1.5, WW 54, YW 91, M 25, REA .24, MARB .11



TMR PRINCE LINER B312
(P43422432)
BW 4.1, WW 50, YW 88, M 18, REA .40, MARB .15

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**Churchill Jim Dandy 4158B ET**

BW 2.3 WW 59 YW 99 MM 32 REA .71 MARB .22
BW 83; WW 825.
A1 son out of a Outcross cow.

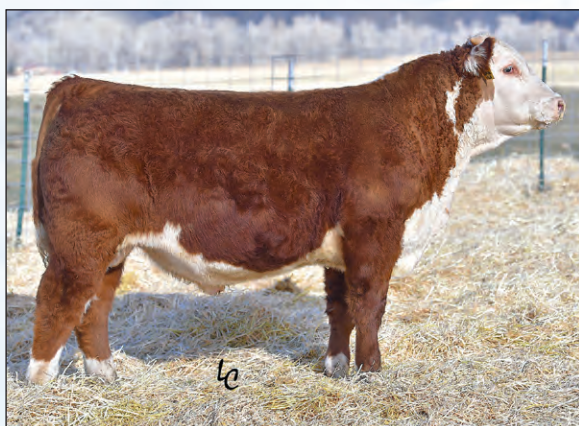
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1:00 PM - At the ranch - Manhattan, Montana

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**Churchill LHF Domino 4141B ET**

BW 3.7 WW 66 YW 101 MM 38 REA .34 MARB .14
BW 84; WW 762.
955W out of a 03571 cow.

**Churchill Sensation 4280B ET**

BW 0.9 WW 55 YW 82 MM 31 REA .41 MARB .23
BW 87; WW 720.
Sensation out of a 501 cow.

**Churchill LHF Bakken 4150B**

BW 4.7 WW 70 YW 108 MM 36 REA .38 MARB .21
BW 98; WW 859.
Bakken out of a 03571 cow.

**Churchill Domino 4102B**

BW 3.3 WW 72 YW 112 MM 42 REA .41 MARB .20
BW 90; WW 804.
955W out of a Sensation heifer.

**Churchill Red Bull 426B**

BW 2.2 WW 73 YW 117 MM 34 REA .84 MARB .17
BW 86; WW 777.
Churchill Red Bull out of a 719T heifer.

**Churchill Domino 4203B ET**

BW 5.2 WW 66 YW 108 MM 39 REA .80 MARB .08
BW 93; WW 802.
955W out of an Outcross cow.

**Churchill Blairs Triumph ET**

BW 0.8 WW 53 YW 77 MM 31 REA .36 MARB .10
BW 80; WW 725.
Maternal brother to Sensation by 88X.

**Churchill A1 4165B ET**

BW 1.6 WW 56 YW 91 MM 37 REA .31 MARB .30
BW 79; WW 724.
A1 out of Cooper cow 1177 by 955W.

**Churchill A1 4160B ET**

BW 1.0 WW 55 YW 89 MM 38 REA .29 MARB .33
BW 79; WW 728.
A1 out of a Cooper cow 1177 by 955W.

100 Hereford Bulls and 26 Open Commercial Hereford Heifers Sell Jan. 27



Churchill Manhattan 428B ET
BW 0.7 WW 61 YW 96 MM 37 REA .64 MARB .20
BW 79; WW 783.
Lot 1 by Sensation out of Outcross cow, 002X.



Churchill Ribeye 4154B ET
BW 3.7 WW 58 YW 88 MM 31 REA .39 MARB .18
BW 94; WW 836.
88X out of an Outcross cow.



Churchill Sure Bet 4195B ET
BW -0.1 WW 57 YW 88 MM 35 REA .64 MARB .18
BW 70; WW 701.
Sensation out of Outcross cow, 002X.
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Churchill Red Bull 457B
BW 2.4 WW 68 YW 107 MM 32 REA .76 MARB .10
BW 84; WW 863.
Churchill Red Bull out of a Ribeye cow.



CCC Grand Larceny 4294B ET
BW 5.4 WW 66 YW 107 MM 28 REA .83 MARB .08
BW 85; WW 785.
Outcross out of a Sooner.



Churchill Gamer 4258B ET
BW 4.3 WW 56 YW 97 MM 19 REA .53 MARB .14
BW 89; WW 706.
A maternal brother to the Krebs heifer and sired by Game Changer. Out of a polled Yankee.

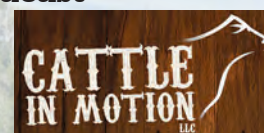


Churchill Gamer 4179B ET
BW 2.7 WW 55 YW 90 MM 26 REA .53 MARB .01
BW 94; WW 716.
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registered breeders.

Sonoma Mountain Herefords has been a Gold Total Performance Record (TPR) Breeder for several years. In 2007 the operation was selected as the California Beef Cattle Improvement Association Seedstock Producer of the Year.

To educate the public, the Mickelsons operate sustainable tours in conjunction with their winery operation so that the public can see firsthand how the cattle are raised, including during calving season.

Jim not only operates Sonoma Mountain Herefords but also serves as president of Kunde Family Vineyards, is on the Kunde Family Winery board of directors and is president and chief operating officer of Jerry and Don's Yager Pump and Well, a water well pump and drilling business, which he purchased in 1984.

Jim recently served as one of the spokespersons for the CHB program. He has also served as the California-Nevada Hereford Association president and was on the merger committee for that association. He has been a junior advisor for the California-Nevada Junior Hereford Association and has served as the Western States Hereford Association show and sale director and as a director and president of the Sonoma Marin Fair. He was

also a member of the AHA nominating committee.

Kevin Schultz

Kansas Hereford breeder Kevin Schultz, Haviland, KS, manages his family's Sandhill Farms, a seven-generation, diversified farming and cattle operation. His family has a deep history in the Hereford business as Hereford cattle have been bred on their land since the mid-1900s.

The farming operation consists of dryland and irrigated corn, soybeans and wheat.

The cow herd includes about 300 cows. With the maturity of Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) acres, the Schultz family is in an expansion phase. Through the use of ET, approximately 200 of the calves are registered, and the balance will be purebred commercial. The commercial cows have been purebred Hereford since the mid-1940s.

The family has fed out its steers at commercial feedlots for the past 15-20 years. Feedlot performance data, as well as individual carcass data, have been collected and tracked.

The registered program was started after Kevin graduated from Kansas State University in 1986, and from then until 2008, all Sandhill bulls were sold private treaty. In 2008 the family started a spring bull sale. In the sale all 5-year-old cows that are pregnant with heifer calves sell. The Schultz family also sells commercial open heifers and

customer-owned black baldy heifers each year in the sale.

Sandhill genetics have been part of the National Reference Sire Program (NRSP) and the Circle A Ranch heterosis project. Kevin uses these programs to increase the accuracy and predictability of his bulls and to identify outliers that will help move the breed in the desired direction. Sandhill Farms is a Gold TPR Breeder; the family has been whole-herd reporting since the beginning of its registered cattle program.

Kevin's goals are to provide genetics to his customers that will enhance their profits and their satisfaction of the Hereford genetics that Sandhill provides. In the past two sales, 70% of the bulls were sold to commercial buyers, and the other 30% to registered breeders.

For the last 19 years, Sandhill Farms has exhibited a pen of bulls at the National Western Stock Show in Denver.

Kevin was a longtime member of the Kansas Polled Hereford Association, serving multiple terms on the board and as president. He is a current member of the Kansas Hereford Association. In 2004 he was AHA's nominee to the National Cattlemen's Beef Association (NCBA) Young Cattlemen's Conference. Sandhill Farms was honored with the Beef Improvement Federation (BIF) Seedstock Producer of the Year Award in 2010.

Kevin has served on numerous local and state boards, being an officer in most. These include church, school, groundwater management, Extension, Farm Bureau, the Kansas Livestock Association and others.

Kevin and his wife, Vera, have three children — Brooke, Tyler and Courtney.

Bob Thompson

Involved in production agriculture all his life, Bob Thompson along with his wife, Gretchen, own and operate Glengrove Farm near Rolla, MO.

The farm was a registered Jersey dairy farm from 1926 until the mid-1960s. Bob's family has owned the land since 1903, and the Thompsons started their registered Hereford herd in 1974.

They began performance testing through the University of Missouri Livestock Extension Service and the American Polled Hereford Association in 1976. The current Glengrove herd consists of approximately 50 cows and has been developed through the extensive use of AI and, in recent years, the use of ET. Their production goals center on producing diversified genetics that will meet the needs of their purebred and commercial customers and perform in their environment on fescue grass.

The Thompsons market cattle through the Show-Me Hereford Classic sales in April and November. They also consign to the "Missouri Opportunity" state sale. In addition to the

Hereford cattle, they own a corn and soybean row cropping operation in north Missouri near Princeton.

Bob and Gretchen are also part owners in a small investment group that has recently broken ground on a new backgrounding feedlot to add value for local feeder calf producers.

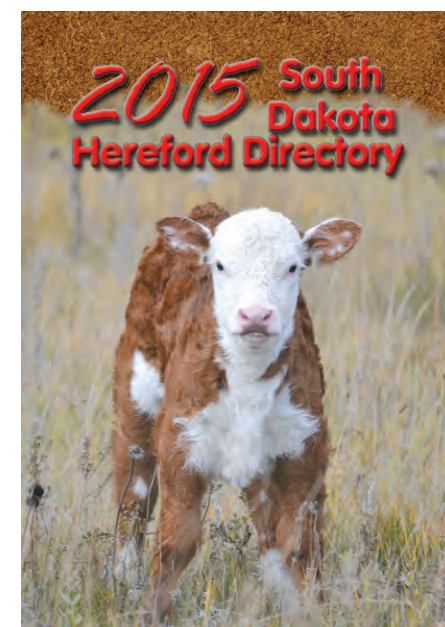
Bob is a past president of the Missouri Hereford Association (MHA) and was inducted into the MHA Hall of Fame in 2011. Glengrove Farm was honored with the MHA Purebred Breeder of the Year award in 2012. He and Gretchen donate in support of the Missouri Junior Hereford Association, the Hereford Youth Foundation of America and National Hereford Women.

Bob is also involved in his community. He currently serves as chairman of the Missouri State Fair Foundation. He's on the University of Missouri College of Agriculture's Foundation Board of Directors, and he's an advisory board member to that university's research farm. He and Gretchen belong to the First United Methodist Church in Rolla, and he's a director of the Greater Rolla Area Charitable Enterprise. He's a past president of the Rolla Area Chamber of Commerce and the Rolla Kiwanis Club and a former chairman of the local Boy Scouts of America district and vice president and finance chairman of the Ozark Trails Council.


He serves on the board of directors for the Central Federal Savings and Loan in Rolla. He is a former president and chief executive officer of the U.S. Bank in Rolla and a former chief financial officer and agriculture director of the Missouri Enterprise Business Assistance Center.

Bob is a Missouri 4-H Foundation Heritage League member and a Missouri FFA Alumni Foundation member. He's a former member of the Governor's Advisory Council on Agriculture and was a recipient of the Governor's Award for Agriculture Achievement in 2012.


He served his country in the U.S. Army in Vietnam and was awarded a Bronze Star.



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{CHB,DLF,HYF,IEF}
- CL 1 DOMINETTE 440P 1ET
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- CL 1 DOMINO 637S 1ET {CHB}
- CL 1 DOMINETTE 5142R {DOD,DLF,HYF,IEF}
- CL 1 DOMINO 9126J 1ET {SOD,CHB,DLF,IEF}
- CL 1 DOMINETTE 974J
- L1 DOMINO 03396 {CHB,DLF,IEF}
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- CL 1 DOMINETTE 810H
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- HH ADVANCE 629F {CHB}
- CL 1 DOMINETTE 543E

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PONCA 0145X DOMINO 410 ET

Just another super calf from 157, Mortgage Lifter's mother. 157 had a 108.6 weaning index on 10 of her natural calves and produced 50 embryos along the way. 157 is also the dam of 862 the Ponca Valley Cadillac.

BW	WW	YW	M
5.1	52	94	28
M&G	REA	IMF	CHB
54	0.20	0.01	\$22



PONCA 0145X DOMINO 411

This calf is as thick as anything we have ever produced. The dam of 411 is an ideal Mortgage Lifter daughter that is solid marked, red eyed, and has a perfect udder.

BW	WW	YW	M
4.2	56	100	27
M&G	REA	IMF	CHB
55	0.38	0.03	\$25



PONCA 0145X DOMINO 400 ET

A great ET calf that gets better each day. We call his dam the Ponca Valley Cadillac, 862 has a 110.3 weaning average on her natural calves.

BW	WW	YW	M
5.3	60	109	29
M&G	REA	IMF	CHB
59	0.37	0.05	\$27



PONCA 0145X DOMINO 408

This calf is consigned to the Nebraska Cattlemen's Classic. 408 is deep, thick, and solid marked. His dam 963 is a Dam of Distinction and each of her four calves have been in our Denver carload.

BW	WW	YW	M
3.9	57	98	31
M&G	REA	IMF	CHB
60	0.25	0.12	\$25

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Final Roundup...



Brice Dean Anderson

Brice Dean Anderson was born on Oct. 15, 1993, in the Burley Mini-Cas-sia hospital to the parents of Johanna and John Anderson. Brice returned home to his loving Heavenly Father on Sunday, Sept. 21, 2014, in Buhl, ID.

Brice graduated in 2012 from Buhl

High School. He then attended Lincoln Tech College in Denver, CO, for welding, where he excelled at the top of the class. Brice was very outgoing and loved spending time with his family and friends. Brice had a big personality and a wild smile that could lite up any room he walked into. Brice was a great

strength to his family and friends that will never be forgotten.

Brice had a passion for raising and showing cattle where he excelled on a state and national level. He was a member of the Idaho State Junior Hereford Association and National Hereford Association. He had a passion for agriculture and loved to work on the ranch farming. He was very athletic and loved to play baseball. Ever since Brice was a little boy he could be found out on the ball field. His love for baseball continued all through his high school career. Brice was a true Redneck through and through, you could find more grease

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under Brice's knuckles then on any car, or truck around. He could tell you how to fix anything around. He had a true passion for tinkering with any tool. Brice was an avid sportsmen who loved to hunt and fish with his family and friends. Brice loved to hunt anything from ducks to deer. You could always find Brice's dog KC by his side. She was his greatest companion and best friend, he would always take her out and buy her cheeseburgers, it got so bad he had to start calling them CB's when she was around. He could never turn the windshield wipers on in the truck when she was in there because she hated them so bad. Brice was the greatest strength and protector to his mother, Johanna, and sisters, Sallie and Bailey. He loved them very much and would do anything for them.

He is survived by his father, John (Stephanie) Anderson of Rupert, ID; his mother, Johanna (John) Gomez of Buhl; his sisters, Sallie and Bailey Anderson of Buhl, ID; step siblings, Janelle (Mike) Lyman, Amanda (James) Blankenchip, all of Washington, Jonathon Gomez of Buhl, ID; grandparents, Jearlyn Nelson, Del Barnes, Marlin (Liz) Nelson; aunts and uncles, Arlin (Jennifer) Nelson, Ted Nelson, Mike (Catherine) Nelson, Bruce (Tara) Anderson, Les Anderson; cousins, Boeden and Treven Nelson and other cousins who greatly loved him; dearest friends, Oren Carlton and Devin Silva.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Keith and Sallie Anderson, Frank and Elva Garner, and Al and Jeanive Applen.

Bob Rathwell

Robert (Bob) Arthur Rathwell passed away at the age of 69 at Abbotsford Regional Hospital on October 27, 2014. Bob was born on January 29, 1945 in Dauphin, Manitoba. He moved with his family after the Second World War to Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan where he started elementary school and then moved to Swift Current, Saskatchewan where he finished his education.

Bob always liked the ranching lifestyle and entered Washington State University graduating with a degree in animal sciences. He started a long career in the cattle industry in 1970 in Abbotsford, BC working for Copper-tone Farms. Bob thoroughly enjoyed helping Spud and Jean Huestis operate a Champion purebred Polled Hereford operation.

In 1974 Bob moved to Alberta to start his own purebred operation but returned to Coppertone Farms in 1979 to carry on with cattle and subsequent hog operations.

Bob looked forward to sharing his knowledge and skill with many farms in the area and especially enjoyed assisting 4-H Clubs in the area. He was well liked in the area with many contacts in the Canadian Hereford and Canadian Cattlemen's Associations. The

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love and support from Patrick and Karen Huestis did much to enable Bob to enjoy his life as much as possible and is very appreciated by all that knew Bob.

Bob was predeceased by his father Lloyd Rathwell and mother Aileen Rathwell. He will be remembered by his brother Jim Rathwell (Patricia) and nephew Patrick Rathwell all of Calgary and Cameron Rathwell (Julie) of Vancouver, BC. Bob will also be remembered by his sister Patti Blower and niece Jennifer (Jason) Booth of Victoria and niece Kristin (Ryan) Payne of Chicago, IL.

Mary Lou Boehnke

Mary Lou Boehnke, age 85 of Bottineau, ND, died Oct. 20, 2014 at a Bottineau hospital. Mary Lou Boehnke, a daughter of Russell and Mary "Lena" (Tuchscherer) Hoynes, was born on October 24, 1928 at Mapes, ND. She lived with her family at Michigan, ND, Mapes, ND and Guthrie, ND before moving to Towner in 1936. She later graduated from Towner High School and began working at the McHenry County Courthouse. On November 26, 1952, she married Robert Boehnke at Towner. They made their home on the Boehnke farm near Upham where they raised registered Hereford cattle. Robert passed away on September 27,

1998. Mary Lou moved into Bottineau in 2000 and has resided there since.

She was a member of St. Cecilia Catholic Church in Towner and later St. Mark's Catholic Church in Bottineau where she was a member of the Altar Society. She was also a member of the Heartwarmers Club, Upham Birthday Club, McHenry County 4-H and the McHenry County Homemakers. She also volunteered at the Bottineau Good Samaritan Center and St. Andrew's Hospital in Bottineau. She also sang in the Good Samaritan Choir.

She is survived by two sons, Jeffrey (Vicki) Boehnke of Kramer and Matthew (Missy) Boehnke of Tucson, AZ; three grandchildren, Jared (Jessie) Boehnke of Kramer, Chelsea (Nate) Jaeger of Horace, ND and Lexie (Gabriel) Prado of Seneca, MO; great-grandchildren, Bobbi Jo Boehnke, Easton Jaeger, Tristen Alequin, Mya Rodriguez and Alyssa Prado; brothers and sisters, Francis "Red" Hoynes of Fargo, Cecilia Kossan of Las Vegas, Carolyn (Phillip) Aubol of Las Vegas and Jim (Monica) Hoynes of Bismarck; sister-in-law, Sadae Hoynes of Las Vegas and numerous nieces and nephews.

In addition to her husband and parents, she was preceded in death by a brother, Clarence; sister-in-law, Charlotte Hoynes and brother-in-law, Paul Kossan.

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BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
1.5	55	88	19	0.41	0.14	1/29



TH 129X 0220 MASTERPIECE 419B

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
4.2	53	88	27	0.35	0.21	2/9



TH 25Z 145Y PROSPECTOR 20B

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
2.4	64	102	26	0.35	0.11	1/8



TH 71U 719T VICTOR 2B

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
1.4	54	78	29	0.46	0.10	12/17



TH 69S 409X CONQUER 451B

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
4.0	54	86	24	0.39	0.07	2/18



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BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
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50B

TH 93U 17Y LAMBEAU 50B

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
-0.6	30	58	21	0.16	0.12	1/18



526B

TH 22U 409X CONQUER 526B

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
4.5	55	87	24	0.31	0.09	3/4



144B

TH 95W 17Y LAMBEAU 144B

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
0.0	49	88	21	0.20	0.19	2/11



154B

TH 29Z 145Y PROSPECTOR 154B

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
1.1	58	92	27	0.20	0.18	2/13



60B

TH 455Y 0220 MASTERPIECE 60B

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
4.9	57	93	25	0.47	0.11	1/21



49B

TH 512X 145Y PROSPECTOR 49B

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
1.2	60	100	23	0.29	0.17	1/18



4A

TH T90 11X ADVANCE 4A

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
1.9	50	82	27	0.37	0.05	12/17

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161A

TH 134U 11X LORETTA 161A

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
3.8	58	92	27	0.57	-0.07	2/10

Fall Bred Heifer Sells. Due Sept. 10th, 2015



88B

TH 612 17Y LAMBEAU 88B

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
0.9	44	77	16	0.13	0.13	1/24

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Final Roundup...



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William "Bill" Pankratz

William Pankratz, 67, of Marion, SD, died Wednesday, November 12, 2014 at his home.

William David Pankratz was born on November 27, 1946 at Marion, South Dakota to Harold and Charlotte (Muhmel) Pankratz. He grew up near Marion where he graduated from Marion High School in 1964. He attended South Dakota State University in Brookings where he was on the livestock judging team, graduating with a BS in animal science in 1968. After serving in the US Army he was united in marriage to Linda Dahlgrad on June

15, 1973 at Lennox, SD. He farmed and raised cattle just north of Marion. He was a member of Emmanuel Presbyterian Church where he served as an elder, a 4-H Leader for over 25 years, member of the Hereford Association, and served on the Monroe Township Board.

Grateful for having shared his life are his wife Linda; 2 sons, Dave (Anne) and Marc (Jennifer), all of Marion; 6 grandchildren, Gavin, Odalite, Madison, Shelby, Riley, and Clayton; 2 sisters, RoseMary (James) Christenson, Katy, TX and Helen (Tom) Harty, Phillip, SD; and 2 aunts, Mildred (Ted) Schaeffer, Viborg, SD and Donna

Muhmel, Scotland, SD.

Dennis R. Geffert

Dennis R. Geffert, age 64, of Reedsburg, WI, died November 2, 2014 in his home. He was born on January 8, 1950 in Reedsburg, the son of Robert and Helen (Steinhorst) Geffert.

Dennis was a 1968 graduate of Webb High School. On October 21, 1972, he was married to the former Kathryn A. Marshall. He was a lifelong farmer in the town of Westfield. Dennis was a man of strength, integrity, grace, patience and most of all love. The gentle kindness he showed all living things in nature and his livestock illustrated how he was one of God's angels sent to nurture all living things. He and his brothers operated Geffert Hereford Farms for many years. He was especially proud of their accomplishments including having won the Champion Carload at the National Western Stock Show in Denver, CO.

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Dennis was a lifelong member of St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Loganville. He had also served on the Board of Directors for the Westfield Mutual Insurance Company. One of his greatest joys in life was the time spent with his children and grandchildren.

Survivors include his wife, Kathy; two children: Melissa Geffert of Oconomowoc, WI and Shea Geffert of LaValle, WI; five grandchildren: Noah, Olivia, Lily, Brooks and Isaac; two brothers: David (Jan) Geffert, of Reedsburg and Dan Geffert, and his partner, Laura, of Reedsburg; one sister: Rita (Eric) Leis, of North Freedom; his father-in-law: Paul Marshall, and his partner, Lorraine Traeder, of Reedsburg; nieces, nephews, many other relatives and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents; his mother-in-law: Lillian Marshall and his brother-in-law: Doug Schultz.

In lieu of flowers, memorials to St. Peter's Window Restoration Fund would be appreciated.

Kurt William Gilmore

Kurt Gilmore, beloved husband of Maxine, passed away on December 18, 2014 as a result of cancer, at the age of 65 years.

Kurt was born March 4, 1949 in Lincoln, NE to parents Keith and Betty Jo Gilmore. Not long after his birth, his family moved to Callaway, NE to one of the original farms owned by his paternal grandfather and the original home of his father. In his early years, he walked (on good days) with his older brother, Kent to attend the Redfern County School. The family moved to Calgary in June of 1956 so that his father could assume management of *The Canadian Hereford Digest*.

While in junior high school, Kurt developed an interest in competitive swimming and by the time he finished high school was a nationally rated competitor. Kurt was offered an athletic scholarship at Washington State University and entered there in the fall of 1967 majoring in animal science. After one year, he decided to work for the university farm and moved to and managed their beef production test facility for three years.

Between college terms he worked two summers on the Budd Hereford Ranch in Wyoming and his future in the registered Hereford business was assured. Following graduation in 1971, he joined the field staff of *The Canadian Hereford Digest*, and visited breeders throughout Alberta and British Columbia. In 1980, he purchased the publication from his father.

Following the death of his father in 1987, Kurt took a keen interest in the promotion and success of the Keith Gilmore Foundation which provides agricultural scholarships to worthy young farm students from throughout Canada. He served as its chief fundraiser for many years and was elected as a trustee in 2009.

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BR UPWARD 437 B

Sire: Sitz Upward 307R

BW: 96 • Adj. 205: 880

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	MRB
I+3.3	I+57	I+107	I+31	I+.48	I+.31



AMDAHL COMMAND 510

Sire: Bushs Command 710

BW: 92 • Adj. 205: 819

BW	WW	YW	M	MRB	RE	\$B
3.6	58	92	22	.40	0.22	75



AMDAHL BLOCK PARTY 413

Sire: CB Block Party 156

BW: 75 • Adj. 205: 723

BW	WW	YW	M	MRB	RE	\$B
2.2	65	101	28	.41	0.57	81



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Sire: G A R Prophet

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BW	WW	YW	M	MRB	RE	\$B
-1.6	65	114	31	.98	.61	104



KB L1 DOMINO 415 B

Sire: HH Advance 1038Y ET

BW: 94 • Adj. 205: 742

BW	WW	YW	M	M&G	REA	MRB
3.4	42	75	29	50	0.09	-0.02



KB L1 DOMINO 406B

Sire: HH Advance 1038Y ET

BW: 70 • Adj. 205: 751

BW	WW	YW	M	M&G	REA	MRB
0.0	40	65	29	49	0.10	-0.05



KB L1 DOMINO 408B

Sire: HH Advance 1038Y ET

BW: 79 • Adj. 205: 798

BW	WW	YW	M	M&G	REA	MRB
2.9	50	77	23	49	0.36	-0.08



KB L1 DOMINO 409B

Sire: CL 1 Domino 2215Z 1ET

BW: 74 • Adj. 205: 800

BW	WW	YW	M	M&G	REA	MRB
2.8	50	77	32	57	0.13	0.03



KB L1 DOMINO 453B

Sire: HH Advance 2036Z ET

BW: 83 • Adj. 205: 722

BW	WW	YW	M	M&G	REA	MRB
1.2	49	76	33	58	0.19	0.06



KB L1 DOMINO 413B

Sire: HH Advance 1038Y ET

BW: 94 • Adj. 205: 814

BW	WW	YW	M	M&G	REA	MRB
6.6	54	90	29	56	0.26	-0.11



KB L1 DOMINO 449B

Sire: CL 1 Domino 2215Z 1ET

BW: 86 • Adj. 205: 862

BW	WW	YW	M	M&G	REA	MRB
5.5	63	101	32	63	0.09	0.07



KB L1 DOMINO 456B ET

Sire: CL 1 Domino 2121Z

BW: 92 • Adj. 205: 831

BW	WW	YW	M	M&G	REA	MRB
2.8	55	90	33	61	0.18	0.19



KB L1 DOMINO 463B ET

Sire: HH Advance 9027W

BW: 90 • Adj. 205: 813

BW	WW	YW	M	M&G	REA	MRB
2.7	50	81	31	56	0.13	0.03



KB L1 DOMINO 3187A

Sire: KB L1 Domino 454P

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In 1998, he met Maxine Williams, the love of his life, which led to their marriage on June 28, 2002. They lived for five years at their acreage north of Cochrane and then moved to Calgary in the fall of 2003.

They spent many wonderful and happy years together, often travelling on vacation as well as business. Kurt and Maxine loved all of their grandchildren and attended their sporting events and competitions, Christmas concerts and many family and holiday

get-togethers. Those were special times when any of the grandchildren came for a "sleepover" with "Gramma" and "Poppa".

Kurt enjoyed good food and loved to cook. Maxine and Kurt loved hosting dinner parties for family and friends at their home on a regular basis.

One of the highlights of springtime was always his annual fishing trip with close friends in search of Walleye at lakes in northern Saskatchewan. As official camp cook, his co-fishermen never lacked for prime rib, crab or steak with all the fixings.

Kurt was honoured for his long time service to the Calgary Bull sale by the Alberta Cattle Breeders in 2009 and was inducted to the Alberta Hereford Association Hall of Fame in 2010. In 2013, he was admitted as a member to the Canadian Hereford Association Honour Roll.

Following the sale of *The Canadian Hereford Digest* to The Canadian Hereford Association in 2009, Kurt took on a new career in real estate sales with CIR Realty and worked closely with his friend of over 40 years, Perry Wilkes.

Kurt is survived by his loving wife,

Maxine; three children Julie (Chad) Smith, Jeanie (Mike) Colling, and Kevin (Catherine) Gilmore; stepson Kevin (Carrie) Williams; brothers Kent and Karl (Alyda); sister Karen (Norris) Graham; seven grandchildren Evan, Easten, Kaden, Avree, Sydney, Kylie and Chase; nephews and nieces Tom (Melissa) Graham, Marianne (Jeff) Shigematsu, Steven (Chelsey) Gilmore, Nicole Gilmore, and Christy (Clark) Camp. Kurt was predeceased by his parents Keith and Betty Jo Gilmore and by his first wife Virginia Gilmore.

It was Kurt's special request that in lieu of flowers, donations be made to the Keith Gilmore Foundation Scholarship Fund, 5160 Skyline Way NE, Calgary, AB, T2E 6V1, www.keithgilmorefoundation.com.

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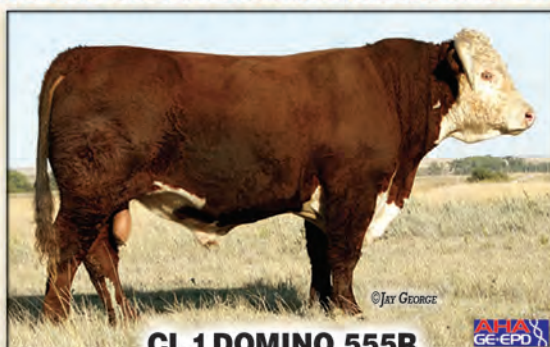


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The following questions are answered by Dr. Sheila Schmutz, with additional commentary and deductions by the author, with Schmutz's guidance.

Dr. Schmutz is a considered a leader in the field of animal genetics. She is a professor in the Department of Animal and Poultry Science at the University of Saskatchewan and is a researcher of international acclaim. Areas of interest and specialty include genetics of horns and scurs in cattle.

If cattle are scurred, does that mean they are horned?

"No."

Can a horned animal also be scurred?

"Well....yes....A horned animal can have the gene that says it should have scurs but since horns and scurs grow in exactly the same location, if the animal already has horns, then it can't grow scurs too."

Can a polled animal be scurred?

"Yes. That's why some cattle people prefer to say "smooth polled" (in the absence of scurs) to be clear that the animal is polled, without scurs."

What is a heterozygous polled or horned animal?

"The term "heterozygous" means that the animal carries only one copy of one allele and one copy of the opposite allele. A heterozygous polled or horned animal would therefore be labeled (P/p)."



Photo courtesy of Mrnak Ranch, Bowman, ND.

The animal may or may not have scurs. But only heterozygous polled cattle ever grow scurs. Two scurred al-

leles are required in females and only one in males, making this a sex-influenced trait.

A heterozygous polled animal is polled but still carries the horned allele and can therefore pass horns along to progeny. On the other hand, a heterozygous horned animal is also polled but can influence its progeny to be either polled or horned.

What is a homozygous polled or horned bull?

The term "homozygous" means that the animal carries two copies of one allele (either the polled or horned), ensuring that genetically, that animal is absolutely polled or absolutely horned. If an animal is known to be either homozygous polled (P/P) or homozygous horned (p/p), it will not have scurs but each can still have one or two alleles for scurs.

A homozygous polled animal can only influence its progeny to be polled while a homozygous horned animal can only influence its progeny to be horned (keeping in mind that progeny's horned status is also influenced by the dam or sire on the other side of the equation).

Some ranchers use the term "double polled" to mean that the animal is descendent from two polled parents. But this does not ensure the progeny will be homozygous polled, or even polled at all.

However, mating two homozygous horned animals will ensure homozygous horned progeny (p/p x p/p can only result in p/p offspring).

HORNS

According to an early study of fetal anatomy in Germany, horns seem to begin growth at four months gestation. But in many breeds, horn buds are very tiny at birth. If left unremoved, horns continue to grow in size throughout the life of the animal.

POLLED

Polled is an autosomal dominant trait in cattle. Autosomal genes are

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genes present on any chromosome other than the sex chromosome. And because it is dominant, it only requires that one parent has passed it on, in order for it to be expressed in progeny.

The gene causing the absence of horns is at the top of cattle chromosome 1.

Scientists use the term “epistatic.” Epistasis is the suppression of one gene by the effect of another gene. The homozygous polled genotype (P/P) is completely epistatic to the gene for scurs in both sexes.

SCURS

The gene for scurs is located on a completely different chromosome (chromosome 19), than the gene for polled.

Scurs typically do not appear until about four months of age and stop growing at a few inches, if left on.

“If dehorning occurs too early, scurs

can be missed,” says Schmutz.

Some scurs, often called “scab scurs” are never much bigger than a thumbnail. Horn growth makes it impossible for scurs to develop at the same spot but horned animals can carry the gene for scurs.

Traditionally, the scurred trait has been reported as sex-influenced. Male cattle need only one allele for scurs to exhibit the trait, whereas females need two alleles.

All female cattle that have scurs are considered to be homozygous scurred (Sc/Sc). But males can either be homozygous scurred (Sc/Sc) or heterozygous scurred (Sc/sc), if they have scurs.

ASSOCIATED PERFORMANCE TRAITS

As Larry Thomas reported in the December 2000 Canadian Cattlemen magazine, University of Alberta professor Mick Price and others looked

back on historic records of its Kinsella synthetic beef herd, comparing polled and horned cattle on growth, carcass

and reproductive traits. “These and other studies found no major differences,” he says.

Definitions:

Polled

The name for the absence of horns in cattle.

Scurs

Small horn-like growths on the frontal bone in the same locations where horns would grow. Scurs are referred to as “wiggle horns” in German and indeed, most are movable and are not attached firmly to the skull.

Allele

One of two or more alternative forms of a gene that arise by mutation and are found at the same place on a chromosome.

Examples for the polled gene and scurred gene:

P = polled allele
p = horned allele
Sc = scurred allele
sc = allele for no scurs

AHA Releases New Udder EPDs

With the release of the spring 2015 Pan-American Cattle Evaluation (PACE), the American Hereford Association (AHA) has released two new expected progeny differences (EPDs) for udder quality.

The two traits — udder suspension (UDDR) and teat size (TEAT) — were first released on the web. You can find them by going to Hereford.org and clicking on “EPD Search.” They are located in the EPD trait box positioned right after mature cow weight (MCW). This first release will be the trait by itself with no correlations to other traits, and there will not be a genomic impact with genomic enhanced-expected progeny differences (GE-EPDs).

According to Jack Ward, AHA chief operating officer and director of breed improvement, there were around 200,000 udder observations included in the first evaluation, and the heritability for both UDDR and TEAT is about .34, which makes this trait fairly highly heritable, so genetic progress can be made rather quickly.

“The correlation between the two scores and one is .72, so it makes all udder scores useful in this evaluation,” Ward says. “This EPD can be used the same as other EPDs and will allow you to compare animals and, most importantly, has the potential to change udder quality between sire groups.”

In July 2008 the Beef Improvement Federation (BIF) adopted a two-score system for evaluating udders. The AHA Board of Directors followed suit and adopted the same system during its August 2008 meeting. See the “Udder Scoring Fact Sheet” posted in the Hereford.org “Education Center.”

Scores of 1 to 9 are used for both traits with 9 being more close to ideal. “This scoring system is not concerned with milk flow or production; those will be measured with the weaning weight (WW) and milk and growth

(M&G) EPDs,” Ward explains. “All we are looking at with this trait is the type of udder and teat.”

Udder suspension

Scores range from 9 (very tight) to 1 (very pendulous) and represent assessments of udder support. Weak udder suspension results in pendulous udders that make it difficult for a calf to nurse.

Weak suspension in the udder indicates a lack of support in the ligament that ties the udder to the cow’s body wall. Over time, weakness in this ligament will allow the udder to hang down too far from the body and may subject the udder to serious problems and increased potential for injury.

UDDR EPDs are reported on the scoring scale. Differences in sire EPDs predict the difference expected in the sires’ daughters’ udder characteristics when managed in the same environment.

For example, if sire A has a UDDR EPD of 0.4, and sire B has a UDDR EPD of -0.1, the difference in the values is 0.5, or one-half of a score. If daughters of sires A and B are raised and managed in the same environment, you would expect half a score better udder suspension in daughters of sire A, compared to sire B.

Teat size

Scores range from 9 (very small) to 1 (very large, balloon shaped) and are subjective assessments of the teat length and circumference. Oversized teats are difficult for newborn calves to nurse, and the calf may not receive adequate colostrum. This could lead to a higher incidence of scours or decreased immunity levels in the newborn calf.

TEAT EPDs are reported on the scoring scale. Differences in sire EPDs predict the difference expected in the

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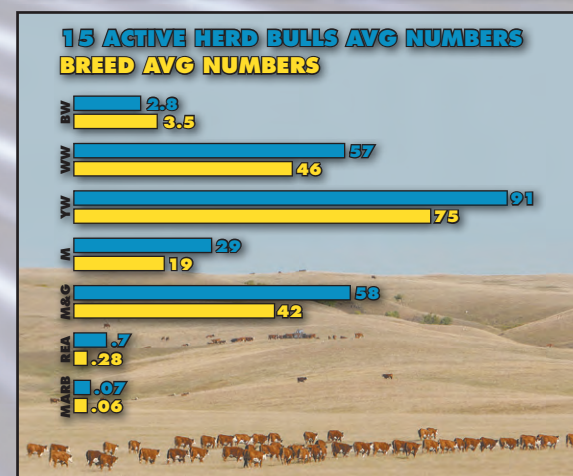
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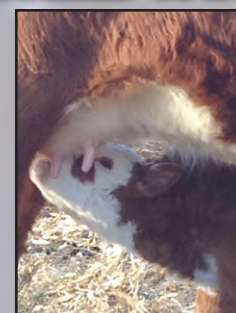
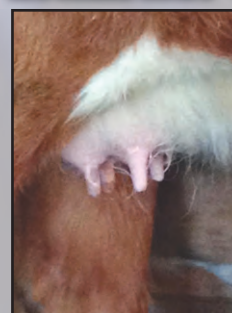
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For example, if sire A has a teat size EPD of 0.4, and sire B has a teat size EPD of -0.1, the difference in the values is 0.5, or one-half of a score. If daughters of sires A and B are raised and managed in the same environment, you would expect half a score smaller teat size in daughters of sire A, compared to sire B.

Just like with the scoring system, the higher the EPD the better for both traits.

"These are important traits to analyze because commercial producers demand genetics that are problem-free," Ward says. "The loss of time, longevity and calf performance due to a poor quality udder cannot be tolerated."

With the release of spring 2015

EPDs, the updated Trends, Traits and Distributions report is now also available online at Hereford.org.

"The Association's role is to give our members tools to make improvement in beef production," Ward adds. "Udder EPDs are the next phase in breed improvement strategies that will allow our members to continue to improve the genetics they produce."

For more information about AHA's suite of EPDs or breed improvement programs, contact Jack Ward at 816-842-3757 or jward@hereford.org.

Submitting scores

Hereford breeders record udder scores on the Registration Application/Birth Information Worksheet (Form 1).

According to Jack Ward with the new system, breeders will list the score in the same field used previously, but instead of recording one score, they will input the two digits. The first digit will be the udder suspension (attach-

ment) score, and the second digit will be teat size. For example, if a cow has an attachment score of 7 and a teat size of 5, the breeder will record 75 in the "dam udder score" column.

Research shows udder and teat characteristics are heritable; thus, change can be made through selection.

Udder quality represents one of the most important convenience traits in commercial beef production. Some would argue that udder quality represents an economic trait as poor udders require additional labor inputs and thereby decrease profitability.

Seedstock producers should manage udder quality closely, says Bob Weaber, University of Missouri Extension beef genetics specialist. "Your commercial customers expect trouble-free cattle when they make a purchase at your farm or ranch. Don't give your customers a reason to buy genetics from another source to 'clean up' udders produced by your bulls."

Cows with good udder quality not only take less labor but also may have improved longevity due to lower incidence of mastitis or injury. "Poor udders, especially large teat size, may delay timely colostrum intake by calves, resulting in poorer transmission of passive immunity," Weaber explains.

Hereford breeders are encouraged to report udder scores to the American

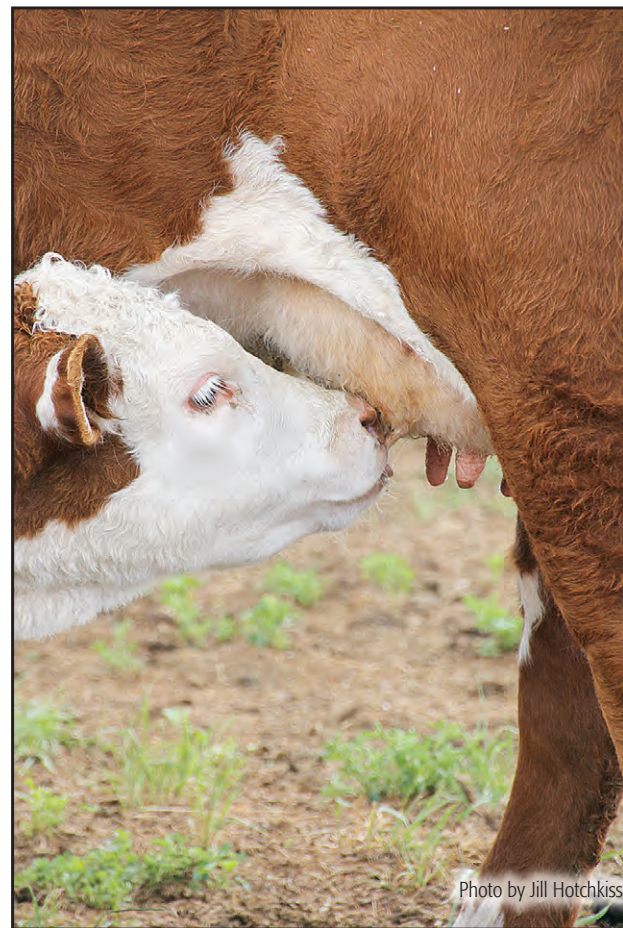


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Hereford Association (AHA) to be utilized in genetic evaluation. "Consistent and steady progress can make dramatic improvements in udder quality," Weaber says. "Help yourself and your customers by selecting for and culling on udder quality. Improving and monitoring udder traits will pay dividends in the long run."

(Submitting scores is from the AHA website. See udder photos and scoring at www.hereford.org/seedstock/udder-scoring)



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KJ HVH 33N REDEEM 485T ET

[CHB,DLEHYE,IEF]

— HVH OKSANA 4L 33N [DLEHYE,IEF]

— ALLENDALE ROBIN HOOD [SOD,DLEHYE,IEF]

ANL SH RH ETTE 14T

[DLEHYE,IEF]

— ANL SBS 23N TARA 132R

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BW 3.8; WW 58; YW 102; MM 33; M&G 62;

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HH Miss Advance 9102W —
Dam of Lots 4082B and 4104B



HH ADVANCE 4059B ET

Sire: HH Advance 1038Y • MGS: HH Advance 3196N

BW 4.0 WW 49 YW 86 MM 23 M&G 48; REA 0.29 MARB -0.02

• Big butted, smooth moving and extra fancy herd bull prospect out of the maternal grandam to Lots 4082B and 4104B. One of five full brothers to sell.

HH ADVANCE 4104B ET

Sire: HH Advance 1098Y • Dam: HH Miss Advance 9102W

BW 4.0; WW 60; YW 99; MM 33; M&G 63; REA 0.47; MARB -0.01

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CE -2.7 BW 6.4 WW 50 YW 88.8
M 34.0 M&G 59.0 REA 0.04 MRB 0.32



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CE 2.2 BW 2.7 WW 56.3 YW 89.2
M 12.6 M&G 40.8 REA 0.04 MRB 0.32



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CE -2.0 BW 4.3 WW 43.6 YW 72.8
M 26.9 M&G 48.7 REA -0.01 MRB 0.36



LBH 39T STERLING 162W

CE 1.7 BW 2.7 WW 54.9 YW 85.9
M 31.2 M&G 58.7 REA 0.30 MRB -0.10



LBH 157K RIBSTONE 198T

CE 1.4 BW 5.8 WW 66.6 YW 105.7
M 28.1 M&G 61.4 REA 0.17 MRB 0.14



LBH 268P STANDARD 106T

CE 1.4 BW 3.9 WW 59.8 YW 81.8
M 23.9 M&G 53.8 REA .45 MRB 0.05

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Woodcrest Farms Wins South Dakota Seedstock Producer of the Year

By B. Lynn Gordon

Stability in the breed and stability in their family has kept Del and Ruth Wood active in the Polled Hereford cattle business for over 65 years. This longevity and success was recognized by their peers at the South Dakota Hereford Association Annual Meeting (SDHA) and Banquet, Nov. 9th, in Brookings, SD. The Wood family was honored with the 2014 SDHA Seedstock Producer of the Year. Woodcrest Farms joined the South Dakota Hereford Association in 1958 and are American Polled Hereford Association and the American Hereford Association life-time members. Del and Ruth were also instrumental in forming the Mid-Dakota Polled Hereford Association in 1966 and Del served as its first president.

Long-time love for Herefords

Del always had a soft spot in his heart for Polled Hereford cattle. His dad raised commercial Polled Herefords but Del had it in his mind that when he was old enough to start his herd it was going to be a registered herd.

That started at a young age of 14 in 1947. He wanted to show Polled Herefords in 4-H and started to build a small herd until he went off to college, then he served in Japan from 1955-1957. During this time Rol Odland, a neighboring Polled Hereford breeder, kept his small herd intact. Del couldn't wait to get back to South Dakota to build a cow herd, which he did by purchasing females from reputable registered Polled Hereford breeders.

At this time Del noticed a fellow 4-Her and sister of a long-time friend who also had a soft spot for cattle. Del and Ruth were married in 1963. From that point on the two had so much pride for the Polled Hereford cattle they can't imagine what their life would have been like

without the people they met and the pride they had in raising good cattle. For most of their years in the business their herd consisted of 100 cows and today, that number is just slightly lower due to them trying to slow down a little bit at their age.

Foundation herd sires included: Silver Beau 1st who was purchased from Grass Lake Ranch, Mansfield, SD; GH Beau Perfect 33rd, from Gullickson Herefords, Bath, SD; and Choice Gold, from Harry Witt, Butler, SD. These sires were the basis of the Woodcrest herd and resulted in producing a cowherd with longevity and quality.

Disposition and milking ability were two of the main parameters they selected for over the years. They culled hard for these traits and it paid off

because their bull buyers came back year after year to purchase Woodcrest bull's with that great disposition. For years, the Woods continued sold bulls private treaty. They built up their reputation by attending many of the state Hereford sales in communities such as Huron, Watertown, Brookings, Aberdeen, Mitchell, Rapid City selling their genetics and buying a few from fellow breeders as well.

In 1977 they held their first bull and female sale on the ranch. They did this for four years, but went back to the private treaty sales, because they could keep costs down and still had enough demand to sell directly off the ranch. In Del's 1977 sale catalog welcome letter he emphasized how active they had been with performance testing, doing so with Guide Lines records since 1958.

When the continental cattle were introduced to the U.S., the Woods did see a decline in demand for Hereford cattle. "Everyone wanted to try new genetics," Ruth says. But in time, those breeders were soon back selecting bulls at Woodcrest because they missed the disposition, the longevity and the adaptability of the Polled Herefords. Their major source of income is from their cattle, so as Del explains, times were tough when Herefords were not as popular, but we held on and it paid off. They prefer to sell bulls at two years of age as they believe in giving the bulls a chance to grow out before they are used in a herd and their customers found this to be the case too. They are also proud to have sold semi loads of registered female's private treaty all over the nation.

In the 1980s they bred the top 20-30% of their herd A.I. to try out some new and popular bloodlines. One bull heavily used in their program was Jus-

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Ruth and Del enjoying a sunny day checking the cattle and have done so together since 1963.



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ta Banner and many of the females in the herd from that point on went back

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Wood Family, Children and Grandchildren — (Back row, left to right) Grandchildren, Andrew, Sam and Alex Aman; Zack, Hunter and Nick Wood; Jana and Vaughn Thorstenson. (Middle row, left to right) Darwin and Cindy Aman (daughter); Ruth and Delano Wood; Rene and Steve Wood (son); Kendra, Wendy (daughter) and Kara Thorstenson. (Front row, left to right) Seth Wood, Gina Thorstenson.

to Justa Banner. Prior to that Woodcrest culled hard in their program and offered the top bulls to their customers, kept enough bulls to breed their own herd and then sold the remaining bulls as steer calves in January after backgrounding them out for 90 days.

Current herd sires are sons of Felton's Legend 242; Cracker Jack 26U; Cash Flow 245; NJW Traildust 161J

Family involvement runs deep

The Woods raised three children, two girls and one boy. "We can proudly say that all our children went to college at South Dakota State University, all stayed in South Dakota and all are raising cattle today," Del says. The children were a lot of help with chores and managing the cattle until they went off to college, Ruth says, and now today with us getting older, son Steven and his four boys do all the fieldwork and help us out with the chores of bigger tasks when we need them. Del and Ruth took the children to many junior shows over the years and they attended a couple National Junior Shows with cattle and once when daughter Wendy was queen.

Daughter Cindy married Darwin Aman and they have three boys. The Amans raise Polled Herefords under the name of Hillview Farms at Eureka. Cindy currently serves on the board of directors of the SDHA.

Daughter Wendy married Vaughn

Thorstenson of Selby and they have a large registered Gelbvieh/Balancer/Angus herd and four daughters. They mainly show Gelbvieh and Angus cattle now in 4-H, but Wendy always loved her Polled Herefords.

Son Steven is married to Rene and they have four boys. Steven lives nearby the home ranch and helps out his parents often and even runs some of his cattle with Del and Ruth. Steven's boys are very interested in the cattle, especially Hunter and Seth. They assist regularly with maintenance of the herd.

What's ahead

"We feel pretty confident that the 5th generation will come along and take over the operation and keep the Woodcrest name active in the South Dakota cattle industry," says Del. "Yes, we hear talk of interest often from the younger generation," Ruth comments.

As for Del, so long as he has his John Deere Gator he can check the cattle on the cold winter days or travel out to the

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REA .25 MARB .17



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BW 3.5 WW 64 YW 111 MILK 28
REA .32 MARB .18



H5 Ms 465 Domet 9228
H5 9126 Domino 465
BW 2.5 WW 40 YW 73 MILK 36
REA .24 MARB .06



H5 Ms 408 Domet 0210
Harland
BW 2.8 WW 55 YW 83 MILK 28
REA .26 MARB .29

Wood...

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pasture and spend hours looking them over. Del goes nowhere without his Gator which allows him to get around due his health now. Ruth is not far behind, opening the gates or riding along

to study the progress of the herd.

For Del and Ruth, the years in the Polled Hereford business have been very rewarding and they said even above the cattle, they would have to say it was the people in the breed they met and worked with and fellow cattleman that has made the past 65 years so enjoyable.

South Dakota Hereford Association Breeder of the Year



Ruth and Del Wood of Woodcrest Farms, Cresbard, SD were selected as the South Dakota Hereford Breeders of the Year.

South Dakota Hereford Association Commercial Producer of the Year



Hermann Ranch from Lemmon, SD was selected as the Commercial Producer of the Year. Pictured are Bob, Connie, Ryan and Jamie Hermann.

South Dakota Hereford Association Enthusiast of the Year



Daniel Fawcett, Ree Heights, SD was selected as the Enthusiast of the Year.

North Dakota Hereford Association Breeder of the Year



Jimmy Carter (center) from Rocklake, ND was honored as the NDHA Breeder of the Year at the 2014 banquet. NDHA President Andy Mrnak (left) presented the award, AHA's Levi Landers, pictured right.

Winner of 2014 Donated Heifer



Pictured left to right: Princess Anna Lemm and Queen Elli Lemm with Linda and Jason Winter, winners of heifer and Craig Pelton who donated the heifer. Tickets were sold at the North Star Classic and a drawing was held to determine the winner.

2014-Heifer Grant Recipients



Pictured left to right: Bruce Klein, \$500 grant donor; Elli Lemm, Queen; Anna Lemm, Princess; Sidney Anderson, recipient of \$500 Klein Memorial Grant; Callie Olson, Jaime Lundquist, and Taylor Friesz, \$250 NDHA grant recipients.

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AT THE FAIRGROUNDS**

News Bits & Pieces from around the country...



Nebraska Queens — Newly crowned National Hereford Queen and outgoing Nebraska Hereford Queen Katie Nolles (left) and new Nebraska Hereford Queen Makayla Sheets.



South Dakota — Keith Fawcett (left), Ree Heights, SD was given a plaque in appreciation for his service on the American Hereford Association board. Keith completed his term in November. Presenting the award was Phil Eggers, SDHA manager.



Kansas — Brooke Jensen from Courtland, KS was the recipient of the Gary Bishop Memorial Scholarship (\$1,000) as well as the Tennessee River Music Scholarship (\$2,500). Pictured are Bob Kube, HYFA director, Brooke Jensen, Vicki Bishop Kern and Tami Bishop.

Photo by Lynn Gordon



Texas — Jack and Lynn Chastain with grandson Jackson at Farm Week at his school.



South Dakota — Kelsey Repenning, Mitchell, SD received the \$2,500 Bar One Scholarship during the annual AHA meeting in Kansas City. Pictured are Bob Kube, HYFA Director, Warrenton, VA; George Sprague, HYFA director, Eugene, OR; Kelsey Repenning; Karen Sprague, Eugene, OR; Nancy Keilty, HYFA director, Cedar, MI. George and Karen Sprague of Bar One Ranch, Eugene, OR, made a generous donation to HYFA in 2011 so that an annual scholarship could be awarded in honor of Ken Tracy, a fellow Hereford breeder who lost his battle with cancer.

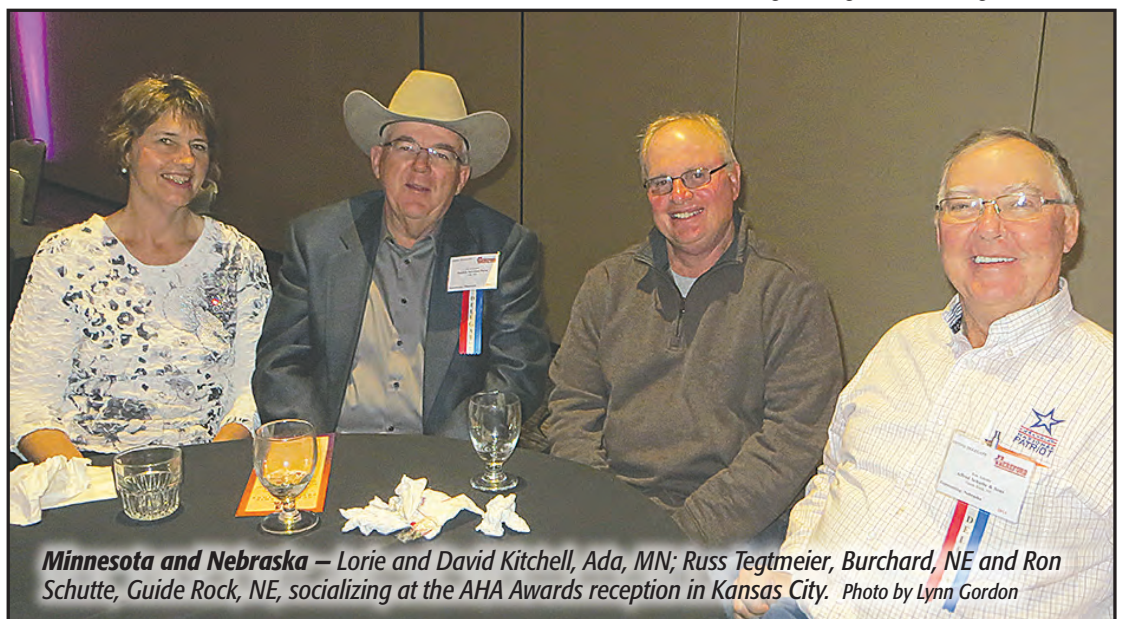
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Wyoming — Mark Largent, Kaycee, WY, welcomed a capacity crowd to their sale which had a record-setting average for the Largents.



North Dakota — ND Hereford Queen Elli Lemm (left) and ND Hereford Princess Anna Lemm.



Minnesota and Nebraska — Lorie and David Kitchell, Ada, MN; Russ Tegtmeier, Burchard, NE and Ron Schutte, Guide Rock, NE, socializing at the AHA Awards reception in Kansas City. Photo by Lynn Gordon



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2015 Hereford Consignments

Warner Ranch	Riverton, WY	307-857-4240	Female	WR 202 SHARON 414	4/20/2014	Polled	BAR M CLASS ACT 202	bwarner@wyoming.com
Friedt Herefords/Dukart	Mott, ND	701-824-2300	Female	FH L1 DOMINO 412 MD	1/15/2014	Horned	H5 9131 YANKEE 156	gfriedt@hotmail.com
Tesch Bros	Watertown, SD	605-881-9710	Female	HPH 9500 ADALYN 120A	3/15/2013	Polled	H WCC/WB 668 WYARNO 9500 ET	c_tesch30@hotmail.com
Muller Cattle	Agar, SD	605-359-0667	Female					mullercattle@venturecomm.net
RCR Polled Herefords	Lake Andes, SD	605-487-7406	Bull	RCR TS STOCKMAN 1409	3/8/2014	Polled	TH 89T 755T STOCKMAN 475Z	jsimmermon@hcinet.net
Ernst Herefords	Windsor, CO	970-381-6316	Bull	ERNST 167 CHALLENGER 365	05/15/2013	Horned	ERNST 916 CHALLENGER 167	info@ernstherefords.com
Ernst Herefords	Windsor, CO	970-381-6316	Bull	ERNST S109 ADVANCE 362	04/24/2013	Horned	GO 3196 ADVANCE S109	info@ernstherefords.com
Engelhaupt Herefords	Butte, NE	402-775-2588	Bull	EH L1 DOMINO HH 312	03/17/2013	Horned	UPS DOMINO 9186	engherefords@nntc.net
Frank Herefords	Columbus, MT	307-631-6012	Bull	AFH 1161 Crosshair 1411	4/12/2014	Polled	Snowshoe 37W Trijicon 61Y	arffrank@yahoo.com
Chesney Effling	Highmore, SD	605-769-0142	Bull	CHEZ OUTCROSS 492B ET	4/11/2014	Polled	GOLDEN OAK OUTCROSS 18U	ckeffling@venturecomm.net
Kegley Farms	Burlington, WI	414-254-2379	Bull	KF KENNEDY 214B	4/6/2014	Horned	KF STOCK DRIVER 19 ET	kjkegley@yahoo.com
Hanson's Polled Herefords	Conde, SD	605-382-5868	Bull	HPH 13Z Buster 172UB	3/30/2014	Horned	NJW 41T Trust 13Z	hanson_herefords@hotmail.com
Warner Ranch	Riverton, WY	307-857-4240	Bull	WR 202 CLASS ACT 436	3/23/2014	Polled	BAR M CLASS ACT 202	bwarner@wyoming.com
Hanson's Polled Herefords	Conde, SD	605-382-5868	Bull	HPH 10Y Bentley 7122B	3/10/2014	Polled	NJW 73S W18 Hometown 10Y ET	hanson_herefords@hotmail.com
Eichler/Weller	Kadoka, SD	605-209-8556	Bull	E W MR RED BARON	3/10/2014	Polled	VIN-MAR TCC BPF RED BARON 338	weller-ranch@hotmail.com
Warner Ranch	Riverton, WY	307-857-4240	Bull	WR 202 FIRST CLASS 435	3/7/2014	Polled	BAR M CLASS ACT 202	bwarner@wyoming.com
Fawcett's Elm Creek Ranch	Ree Heights, SD	605-870-6172	Bull	ECR 2029 DOMINO 4056	3/3/2014	Horned	HH ADVANCE 2029Z ET	danfawcett869@hotmail.com
Kegley Farms	Burlington, WI	414-254-2379	Bull	KF PERFECT TIME 104B	2/24/2014	Polled	LCC BACK N TIME ET	kjkegley@yahoo.com
Diamond Ring Ranch	Taylor, NE	308-942-6065	Bull	WS REVENGE 415 ET	2/24/2014	Horned	H PAYBACK 807 ET	whitneysteckel@icloud.com
Beguhl Farms	Kansasville, WI	262-721-5134	Bull	BEGUHL SWEET EMOTION	2/14/2014	Polled	TFR CYRUS 225 ET	RBEGUHL@GMAIL.COM
Double Heart Diamond	Berwyn, NE	308-631-4250	Bull	DHD Bold 4130B	1/30/2014	Horned	DHD Bandit HH 2112 ET	goertzherefords@yahoo.com
Muller Cattle	Agar, SD	605-359-0667	Bull	MC Cowboy 4128 ET	1/28/2014	Polled	NJW 73S M326 TRUST 100W ET	mullercattle@venturecomm.net
Muller Cattle	Agar, SD	605-359-0667	Bull	ECR MC Who's First 41ET	1/17/2014	Polled	ECR WHO MAKER 210 ET	mullercattle@venturecomm.net
Muller Cattle	Agar, SD	605-359-0667	Bull	SM MR. Obvious 40et	1/4/2014	Polled	TH 71U 719T MR HEREFORD 11X	mullercattle@venturecomm.net
Lietzau Hereford Farm	Sparta, WI	608-633-2875	Bull	LPH BRYCE 1B	1/2/2014	Polled	NJW 73S M326 TRUST 100W ET	hlietbau@centurytel.net
Friedt Herefords/Dukart	Mott, ND	701-824-2300	Bull	FH L1 DOMINO 400 MD	1/1/2014	Horned	H5 9131 YANKEE 156	gfriedt@hotmail.com
Lietzau Hereford Farm	Sparta, WI	608-633-2875	Bull	LPH ACE 42A ET	10/8/2013	Polled	CRR ABOUT TIME 743	hlietbau@centurytel.net
Hanson's Polled Herefords	Conde, SD	605-382-7477	Bull	HPH 66S Duster 89A	4/11/2013	Polled	NJW 131A Duster 66S ET	hanson_herefords@hotmail.com
Stenberg Herefords	Colman, SD	605-997-2594	Bull	SQCF UTMOST 325	4/10/2013	Polled	TH 12L 63N TUNDRA 62T	audrey@svtv.com
Engelhaupt Herefords	Butte, NE	402-775-2588	Bull	EH L1 DOMINO HH 306	3/14/2013	Horned	UPS DOMINO 9186	engherefords@nntc.net
Ernst Herefords	Windsor, CO	970-381-6316	Bull	ERNST 8619 DOMINO POWER 340	3/1/2013	Horned	JA L1 DOMINO 8619U	info@ernstherefords.com
Double Heart Diamond	Berwyn, NE	308-631-4250	Bull	RH Mr. Gold 3213A	2/13/2013	Horned	DHD Turbo HH 1103	goertzherefords@yahoo.com

Sale Roundup

Hoffman Ranch Fall Sale September 29, 2014 Thedford, NE

Auctioneer: Rick Machado

- 29 Bred Hereford Heifers — \$5,500**
- 4 Hereford Donor Cows — \$20,500**
- 3 Hereford Flushes — \$9,667**
- 60 Hereford Heifer Calves — \$14,642**
- 3 Spring Calving Hereford Cows — \$10,433**
- 2 Hereford Heifer Calves — \$3,400**
- 5 Hereford steer calves — \$2,780**
- 1 Angus bull calf — \$80,000**
- 1 Angus female pick, 1/2 embryo interest — \$100,000**
- 22 Angus heifer calves — \$18,773**

Top Herefords:

Lot 1, B H MS 5139 Advance 4007 ET, 1/13/14 by NJW 98S R117 Ribeye 88X ET to Iron Lake Ranch, Athens, TX, \$180,000.
Lot 8, H BL Miss Spice 405 ET, 2/24/14 by CCR About Time 743 to Skiles Ranch, TX, \$98,000.

Top Angus:

Hoffman Big Ten 4056 ET, 1/14 by AAR Ten X 7008 SA to Pollard Farms, Enid, OK; Deer Valley Farms, Fayetteville, TN; Silvera Bros., Firebaugh, CA; Flying G, Brenham, TX; XL Angus, Casper, WY; Blue Drifter Ranch, Horizon Hay, Ellensburg, WA; Triple R Farm, Genevieve, MO; Randy Ward, McAlester, OK, \$80,000.
Lot 80, H Miss Jackie 4031 ET, 1/24/14 by AAR Ten X 7008 SA to Express Ranches, Yukon, OK, \$100,000.

Strang Hereford and Angus Sale Oct. 21, 2014 Meeker, CO

Auctioneer: Roger Jacobs

- 41 Hereford Bulls — \$4,158**
- 7 Angus Bulls — \$3,407**

Top Lots:

SH 33U Frontline 332A ET, 3/8/13 by FE 153S Frontline 33U to Hammond Ranch, Gunnison, UT, \$7,500.
SH 501R Domino 329A ET, 3/7/13 by CL1 Domino 501R to Bill Fales, Carbondale, CO, \$7,000.
SH 33U Frontline 312A ET, 3/3/13 by FE Frontline 33U to Fenton Herefords, Irma, AB, \$7,000.
SH 739T Domino 331A, 3/8/13 by CL1 Domino 739T to Miller Ranch, Granby, CO, \$6,000.

SH 816U Domino 3104A, 4/26/13 by SH 501R Domino 816U to Hammond Ranch, \$5,750.

South Dakota Excellence Sale November 8, 2014 Brookings, SD

Auctioneer: Chisum Peterson

- 24 Heifers — \$4,796**
- 23 Steers — \$2,570**
- 1 Bred Heifer — \$5,000**

Top Heifers:

Lot 14, JWG Meg 1444B, 3/26/14, by Blacktop Zues 0330 ET; Gerlach Herefords, Stickney, to Blacktop Farms, Mitchell, SD, \$9,750.
Lot 11, ECR Lady Sport 4511, 5/2/14 by H BK CCC SR Game Changer ET; Fawcett's Elm Creek Ranch, Ree Heights, SD to MNM Acres Canton, SD, \$9,250.
Lot 8, LCX Anser Zahara 8B, 3/8/14 by WLB Winchester Anser 90X 10Z; Larry Crane, Mitchell, SD to RCR Polled Herefords, Colton, SD, \$7,500.
Lot 23, SM Mary's Anser, 3/26/14 by WLB Winchester Anser 90X 10Z; Muller Cattle, Davis, SD to Caden & Mason Bottum, Tulare, SD, \$6,350.
Lot 7, LCX Answer Keepsake 4B, 3/1/14 by WLB Winchester Anser 90X 10Z; Crane to Klages Herefords, Ortonville, MN, \$6,000.
Lot 2, Bar JZ Zoey 185B, 3/23/14 by MSU Xerox 20X; consigned by Bar JZ Ranch, Holabird, SD to the Loewe Sisters Lennox, SD, \$5,250.
Lot 24, TSR SH Blair B357 ET, 3/15/14 by Harvie Raftsman 16R; from TSR Cattle Company to Okoboji Cattle Company, Okoboji, IA, \$5,250.
Lot 9, ECR Lady Outcross 4046, 2/23/14 by KJ HVH 33N Redeem 485T ET; from Fawcett's Elm Creek Ranch to Tricky's Herefords, Winfred, SD, \$5,000.
Lot 6, BHR Miss Star 451, 5/10/14 by ECR Cash Flow 2001; from Bones Hereford Ranch, Parker, SD / Monte Plucker, to Long Creek Herefords, Chancellor, SD, \$5,000.
Lot 1, Bar JZ Tappen 121B, 3/15/14 by Hyalite On Target 936; from Bar JZ Ranches to Rausch Herefords, Hoven, SD, \$5,000.

Top Bred Heifer:

Lot 28, SPH 484P Miss Cracker 33A, 2/26/13 by SPH 5134 Cracker Jack 1X; Springwater Polled Herefords, Garretson, SD to Rainbow Herefords, Volin, SD, \$5,000.

Top Steers:

Lot 31, Steer 4262, 3/9/14; Blacktop Farms to Kelly O'Conner, Vermillion,

SD, \$4,700.

Lot 30, Steer 4253, 1/20/14, Blacktop Farms to MNM Acres Canton, SD, \$4,700.

Lot 50, Steer 1040, 4/14/14; from Schuette Land & Cattle, Highmore, SD to Kenidey Effling, Highmore, SD, \$4,400.

Lot 45X, Steer 231, 5/22/14, Muller Cattle to Tate Miller, Winfred, SD, \$4,000.

Lot 43, Steer 5805, 4/6/14; from Muller Cattle to Paul Jensen, Wakonda, SD, \$3,300.

Bowling Ranch Hereford & Red Angus 2014 Production Sale November 11, 2014 Newkirk, OK

Auctioneer: Justin B. Stout

- 30 Hereford Bulls — \$4,833**
- 7 Red Angus Bulls — \$5,786**
- 8 Hereford Spring Pairs — \$5,931**
- 3 Red Angus Spring Pairs — \$5,500**
- 6 Hereford Fall Pairs — \$4,358**
- 6 Red Angus Fall Pairs — \$4,983**
- 11 Hereford Spring Bred Females — \$3,682**
- 11 Red Angus Spring Bred Females — \$3,423**
- 1 Hereford Spring Heifer Calf — \$2,200**
- 1 Hereford flush — \$3,500**
- 84 total registered lots — \$4,635**
- 13 commercial fall pairs — \$3,600**
- 70 Commercial Spring Bred Heifers — \$2,698**

Top Hereford Bulls:

Lot 12- BH Jury 317A sold for \$8,000 to Stan Crowder, Cherokee, OK.
Lot 6- Bowling Sensation Via UPS 347A sold for \$7,500 to River Ranch, Medford, OK.
Lot 3- BH Advance 334A sold for \$7,000 to Stan Crowder, Cherokee, OK.

Top Red Angus Bulls:

Lot 33- BRA Red Bull 3015 sold for \$7500 to River Ranch, Medford, OK
Lot 34- BRA Red Bull 3002 sold for \$6500 to Freeman Ranch, Ponca City, OK
Lot 36- BRA Red Bull 3012 sold for \$6500 to Rex Hoyt, Burden, KS

Top Hereford Females:

Lot 52- Bowling Lady 631 2006Z sold for \$5750 to Dwaine Waite, Winfield, KS.
Lot 60- Bowling Lady 319A sold for \$5000 to Cabin Creek Farms, Cushing, OK.
Lot 55- EE MS Advance 530 6146 8246 sold for \$4750 to Carswell-Nichols Herefords, Alton, KS.

Top Red Angus Females:

Lot 75- Lonk Lana U830 sold for \$5800 to CV Ledbetter, Okmulgee, OK.
Lot 74- Lonk Prinola U821 sold for \$5750 to CV Ledbetter, Okmulgee, OK.
Lot 77- BDEE Grand Lass 809 sold for \$5250 to Galen Gerlach, Peck, KS.

Nebraska Cornhusker Classic Heifer and Steer Sale November 11, 2014 Grand Island, NE

Auctioneer: Tracy Harl

- 23 Heifers — \$4,030**
- 17 Steers — \$3,044**

Top Heifers:

Lot 10, Frenzen Miss B42, 3/5/14 by KJ 968R Polled Solution 668Z ET; Frenzen Polled Herefords to Seth Ivey, Oxford, NE, \$8,000.
Lot 1, MCM Lady Flash 334A, 4/5/2013 by BBH TWJ 26U Jack Flash 118Y; from MCM Polled Herefords to Kian Morris, Wilber, NE, \$7,750.
Lot 17, S & S Miss Lamp 178B, 3/16/14 by SHF Yankee R117 Y52 ET; S&S Polled Herefords to Woolfolk Farms, Jackson, TN, \$6,250.
Lot 7, HH Miss Barretta, 2/7/14 by UPS About Time 0138; from Hula Herefords to Gabrielle Wythers, Fairmont, NE, \$6,000.
Lot 26, BNT Princess 405 ET, 5/4/14 by NJW 73S W18 Hometown 10Y ET; Tracy Cattle to Wiley and Madie Ziegler, Bloomfield, NE, \$5,750.
Lot 9, BAR M Davidson 413, 3/5/14 by TCC MR Davidson 81 ET; Bar M Herefords to Wiley and Madie Ziegler, \$5,750.

Top Steer:

Lot 30, Steer born 3/2/14, sired by UPS Uptown ET; Tracy Cattle to Josie Cox, North Platte, NE, \$5,000.

Largent & Sons Desert Mart Sale November 20, 2014 Kaycee, WY

Auctioneer: Joe Goggins

- 58 Two-Year-Olds — \$7,211**
- 19 Fall Bulls — \$6,737**
- 6 Bull Calves — \$5,125**
- 2 Herd Bulls — \$6,875**
- 10 Bred Heifers — \$4,175**
- 19 Heifer Calves — \$3,105**

Top Bulls:

Lot 4, L3 King Comfort 347, 4/5/13 by Desert Comfort 037 to Ott Ranch, Reed Point, MT, \$14,000.
Lot 8, JH Desert Vision 302, 3/16/13 by STAR L3 Gerber Vision 053 to Monty McFate, Callaway, NE, \$13,000.

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The “Brand That Works” PRODUCTION SALE

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MCR Trust Harland 364 ET {DLF,HYF,IEF}

43505413 — Calved: Sept. 2, 2013

Sire: NJW 73S M326 Trust 100W ET • MGS: CJH Harland 408

CE 0.0; BW 2.9; WW 58; YW 104; MM 34; M&G 63; MCE 3.5; MCW 126; SC 1.5; FAT -0.014; REA 0.76; MARB 0.28; BMI\$ 24; CEZ\$ 16; BII\$ 20; CHB\$ 35



- Act. BW 74 lb.; WW top 8%; YW top 2%; MM top 2%; CEM top 9%; SC top 2%; REA top 2%; REA ratio 13.54/106
- MARB top 4%; MARB ratio 110; BMI\$ top 5%; CHB\$ top 2%
- 364 puts it all together in a low birthweight, high performance ribeye and marbling package. A sure fire herd sire prospect.



MCR Bluestem Domino 426 ET

P43523951 — Calved: Jan. 10, 2014

Sire: MCR Bluestem 977

MGS: KCF Bennett 3008 M326

CE 2.6; BW 2.4; WW 60; YW 94; MM 21; M&G 51; MCE 2.9; MCW 82; SC 1.2; FAT 0.023; REA 0.57; MARB 0.09; BMI\$ 22; CEZ\$ 17; BII\$ 18; CHB\$ 29

- Act. BW 76 lb.; BW top 20%; WW top 5%; YW top 10%; CEM top 15%; SC top 8%; REA top 10%; BMI\$ top 10%; CHB\$ top 8%
- Our first offering of our Bluestem calves. As a sire group they are low in birth, high in performance, packed full of muscle and 426 will sure work as a herd sire.



MCR Harlands Domino 359 ET

43519525 — Calved: Sept. 1, 2013

Sire: CJH Harland 408

MGS: CL 1 Domino 9126J 1ET

CE 2.9; BW 2.7; WW 53; YW 89; MM 30; M&G 56; MCE 2.6; MCW 94; SC 1.5; FAT 0.003; REA 0.43; MARB 0.08; BMI\$ 23; CEZ\$ 18; BII\$ 19; CHB\$ 27

- Act. BW 81 lb.; BW top 20%; WW top 20%; YW top 20%; MM top 5%; CEM top 20%; SC top 2%; REA top 20%; REA ratio 13.3/105; MARB top 30%; BMI\$ top 7%; CHB\$ top 15%
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Lot 62, L3 Winn Diamond 400, 7/26/13 by L3 Desert Diamond 115 to Don and Phyllis Meyers, Hamilton, CO, \$11,000.

Lot 52, TP Mr Grizz 347, 4/1/13 by H W4 Grizzly 0146 ET to Brad Stewart, Roby, TX, \$11,500.

Lot 63, L3 Genetic Winn 406 ET, 9/9/13 by GK Genetic Explosion to Zambrozik Ranch, Haigler, NE, \$10,000.

Lot 31, L3 Desert Logic 341, 4/2/13 by KJ C&L J119 Logic 023R to Lagoski Ranch, Sheridan, WY, \$10,000.

Lot 51, TP King Comfort 337, 3/25/13 by Desert Comfort 037 to Peabody Ranch, Ekalaka, MT, \$9,750.

Lot 48, L3 Mr Rango 353, 4/12/13 by L3 Desert Rango 138 to Bauer Ranch, Union Center, SD, \$9,500.

Lot 6, L3 King Comfort, 4/20/13 by Desert Comfort 037 to Ed Roeder, Yorktown, TX, \$9,250.

Lot 16, L3 Desert Xpert 338, 4/1/13 by NJW 98S R117 Ribeye 88X ET, Brad Stewart, TX, \$9,000.

Lot 17, JH Desert Xpert 300, 4/2/13 by NJW 98S R117 Ribeye 88X ET, \$9,000.

Top Females:

Lot 98, L3 Desert Oasis 344, 3/29/13 by Churchill Outcross 1125Y to Steve Kroll, \$7,000.

Lot 93, L3 Lovely Vision 382, 5/2/13 by TP Desert Vision 137 to T-Bone Ranch, CO, \$5,000.

Montana Hereford Feeder Calf Sale

The Montana Hereford Association recently hosted a very successful 6th Annual Hereford Influenced Feeder Calf Sale. More than 1,000 head for a total gross revenue of \$1.54 million.

Average price per head was \$1,536. The white faced calves sold higher than their solid hided contemporaries in 10 of 12 weight breaks. Steers ranged from \$5.73 to \$17.99 higher. Heifers ranged from \$1.02 to \$8.38 higher. 600# white faced heifers sold even with the solid colored heifers, light weight heifers in the MHA sale sold lower.

The sale was held the morning of November 19th at the Headwaters Livestock Auction Yard in Three Forks, MT.

Headwaters Livestock sold almost 1,000 head at their premier feeder calf sale the same afternoon. MHA used the results of that afternoon sale to present market comparisons of the way the white faced calves sold compared to the solid colored calves.

In order to sell through the MHA Hereford Influenced sale, the calves need to be at least 50% Hereford; the other 50% being of British breeding (Angus, Hereford, Shorthorn, South Devon), dehorned and steered if applicable. Though not a requirement of the sale, producers are encouraged to have them weaned for 45 days with appropriate vaccination and worming protocol. Age and Source verification is also encouraged.

About 25 people attended a pre-sale social; sponsored by Nick Campbell, Zoetis.

6 loads went to CHB feedlots.

Perman Herefords Dispersal Sale December 9, 2014

Auctioneer: Scott Weishaar

71 Bred Cows - \$3,570

11 Bred Heifers - \$4,023

31 Bulls - \$4,287

4 Open Cows - \$1,863

38 Heifer Calves - \$3,180

155 Lots averaged \$3,606

Troy and Peg Perman of Streeter, North Dakota dispersed their registered Hereford herd due to health reasons. The sale was held at the Napoleon Auction Market in Napoleon, North Dakota with a full house of over 200 people supporting the Permans. Buyers and friends were encouraged to sign a horned Hereford bull skull that was presented to Troy and Peg prior to the sale.

Top-selling bull was Lot 17, PH Hometown JDM 4636, a 3/8/14 son of NJW 73S W18 Hometown 10Y ET purchased by Marilyn Hamilton of Bismarck, North Dakota for \$8,750.

Lot 4, PH Adonnis 3639, a 3/5/13 son of HH Advance 0184X ET, was purchased by Brandon Schweigert of Edgeley, North Dakota for \$7,000.

Lot 3, PH Tribute JDM 3654, a 3/9/13 son of Sparks Trend 2007, was

purchased by Jerry Moen of Lamoure, North Dakota for \$6,500.

Lot 12, PH Crusade JDM 3458, a 4/18/13 son of WLB Cruiser 83T 34W, was purchased by Valentine Gross of Streeter, North Dakota for \$6,250.

One of the top-selling females was Lot 100, PH Dottie 3631, a 2/26/13 daughter of UPS Domino 3027 and bred to KB L1 Domino 1152Y was purchased by Mark Ochsner of Kaylor, South Dakota for \$5,500.

Lot 113, PH Holly JDM 4619, a 3/8/14 daughter of NJW 73S W18 Hometown 10Y ET, was purchased by Reese Wagner of Redfield, South Dakota for \$5,500.

Lot 92, PH Heather BA 2518, a 3/18/12 daughter of CJH Harland 408, was purchased by Reese Wagner of Redfield, South Dakota for \$5,400.

People from five states, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, Nebraska and Iowa purchased all 155 lots offered in the sale.

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North Star Classic Sale Valley City, ND Dec. 6, 2014

by Joana Friesz, NDHA Sec.

A large crowd was on hand for the Hereford sale at the North Star Classic. 14 heifer calves were offered averaging \$3328. Top heifers that sold were Lot 8 from Olson Herefords, Argusville, ND selling to Christ the Rock Creek Farm, St. Croix Falls, WI for \$5500; Lot 13 from Pelton Polled Herefords, Halliday, ND sold to Alicia, Cody, and Brady Geuther, Volin, SD for \$4500; Lot 9 from Friesz Livestock, New Salem, ND sold to Sidney Anderson, Milnor, ND for \$4250. Other heifer calf selling \$3000 and higher included lots from Pelton, Olson, Friedt Herefords, Mott, ND; Rockeman Herefords, Donnybrook, ND; Larry Behm Family, Beulah, ND and Kuelbs Cattle Company, Hillsboro, ND. 4 Steer calves were offered averaging \$2275. High selling steer was Lot 20 from Friesz Livestock selling to Dave Donnelly, Farmington, MN for \$3000.

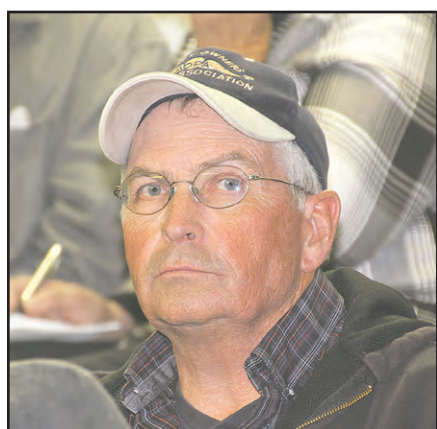
2 bred cows averaged \$3825.

Pelton Polled Herefords offered the donation heifer that was raffled off at the end of the sale selling total tickets for \$5550. The heifer was won by Jason and Linda Winter, Goodrich, ND.

Annual meeting and banquet was held December 5th. Newly elected directors were Craig Pelton and Todd Kuelbs. Retiring directors were Bill Klein and Bill Smith. Andy Mrnak re-elected to president, Steve Wolff, Vice president and Joana Friesz, sec./treas.

2014 NDHA Breeder of the Year was Jimmy Carter, Carter Polled Herefords, Rocklake, ND.

Queen presentation – queen to Elli Lemm and princess to Anna Lemm, Hillsboro – daughters of Randy and Julie Lemm.



Ott Ranch from Reed Point, MT purchased several of the top bulls at Largent's sale.



Brad Stewart from Roby, TX also made a long trip to buy bulls at Largent's.



Troy and Peg Perman were presented with a signed Hereford bull head at their dispersion, in honor of their years in the Hereford business. The head was signed by everyone who attended the sale.



It was a full house for the Perman Dispersion held in early December at the Napoleon Livestock Auction, Napoleon, ND.

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Hereford Faces and Places....



Marsha, Ashley and Jessica Middleswarth, Torrington, WY in Kansas City at the AHA Annual Meeting and Events.

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View from Above – The SD Excellence Sale in Brookings, SD, had a large crowd this year.



Northern Group – Pete Atkins (left), Tea, SD; Troy Williamson, Garretson, SD; Jerry Delaney, Lake Benton, MN; Craig Atkins; and Jerome Ollerich, Clearfield, SD at the awards reception in Kansas City.

Photo by Lynn Gordon



Early Start– Jayna Blume, daughter of Michael and Becky Blume, got to help dad in the sale ring at the SD Excellence Sale.

Deana Jak Farms Matches Donation to Support Hereford Youth and Future Junior National Hereford Expos

Doug and Jenny Howe of Deana Jak Farms presented \$85,000 to the Hereford Youth Foundation of America (HYFA) "Growing a Lasting Legacy" campaign during the Hereford Honorees Reception Oct. 31 in Kansas City. The campaign is designed to ensure the sustainability of future Junior National Hereford Expos (JNHEs) and leadership events for generations to come.

The Howes presented \$35,000 as chairmen of the 2014 JNHE host committee, which was a surplus of the fundraising from "A Sweet Family Tradition," in Harrisburg, Pa. The 2014 JNHE was hosted by Hereford breeders from Maryland, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, New York, Virginia and West Virginia.

"Because of the hard work and fundraising done by the six host states, the 2014 JNHE was one of the most profitable to date," says Amy Cowan, AHA

director of youth activities and foundation. "To help continue the 'family tradition' and support future JNHEs, the host committee contributed its remaining funds to HYFA's 'Growing a Lasting Legacy' campaign."

The Howe family of Deana Jak Farms, Wagontown, Pa., contributed an additional \$50,000 to support the campaign.

"Doug and Jenny have been supporting HYFA and Hereford youth for many years," Cowan says. "We can't thank the Howe family enough for their continued support and commitment to Hereford youth. Because of their generosity, generations of Hereford youth will continue to benefit from activities like the JNHE and the PRIDE Convention."

The Hereford Youth Foundation of America is a 501 (c) 3 not-for-profit.



Jenny and Doug Howe, Deana Jak Farms Inc., Wagontown, PA, are pictured with Amy Cowan, American Hereford Association director of youth activities and foundation. The Howes presented an \$85,000 check to the Hereford Youth Foundation of America's Growing a Lasting Legacy campaign. The Howe family contributed \$50,000 in addition to the \$35,000 contribution from the 2014 JNHE.

Red Meat Club Honors Carnahan Ranches

The Red Meat Club of Denver has announced that the coveted Friend of the National Western and Red Meat Industry award will be presented in 2015 to Carnahan Ranches, Inc. of Kiowa, CO. The award will be presented at the Red Meat Club's annual dinner promoting the red meat and livestock industry, which is set for Thursday, January 15, 2015 at the National Western Club.

While Carnahan Ranches traces its Elbert County, CO roots to an 1862 homestead and has a distinguished record as a commercial producer, they are being recognized by the Red Meat Club for their remarkable history as a National Western exhibitor, which traces back to the very first Stock Show held in 1906. Having missed only the war year of 1943 when no show was held, 2014 will mark an incredible 108 years of support.

In the inaugural 1906 Stock Show, family patriarch Jacob Dietrich and his son-in-law Allen L. Carnahan showed two-year old bulls. Both were actively involved in the organization and leadership of that first Stock Show, and in 1907 took third place in the two-year old steers division; the family still possesses that ribbon today.

"The good Lord willing, Carnahan Ranches is dedicated to continuing to show each year at the National Western Stock Show into the distant future," says Charlie Carnahan, who together with wife Jane and the assistance of Christopher and Ashley Carnahan presently manages the family-run business. Charlie and four other fourth-generation Carnahan's comprise the board of directors of Carnahan Ranches.

The featured speakers for the 2015 Red Meat Club dinner are John and Leann Saunders of Castle Rock, Colorado, who serve as CEO, President and co-founders of IMI Global. Founded 20 years ago, IMI Global is the industry's leading and most-trusted resource for third-party verification of food production practices. The company supports more than 10,000 farmers, ranchers, processors, retailers and restaurants with a wide variety of verification programs that provide for product traceability, source verification, non-hormone treated cattle, organic and grass-fed programs, and humane handling standards. IMI Global connects consumers to the sources of the food they purchase through their retail and restaurant labeling program, and will present on the latest in consumer demands trends that are shaping the red meat industry.

The Red Meat Club dinner begins at 5:30 p.m. on January 15, 2015 at the National Western Club. Tickets are \$35 per person and may be purchased by calling (303) 299-5556 or by emailing ahall@nationalwestern.com.



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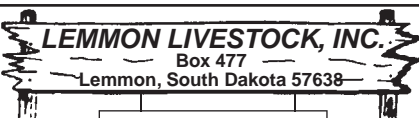
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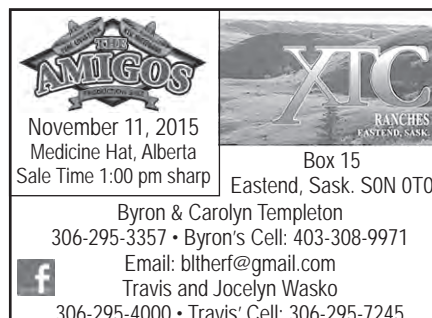
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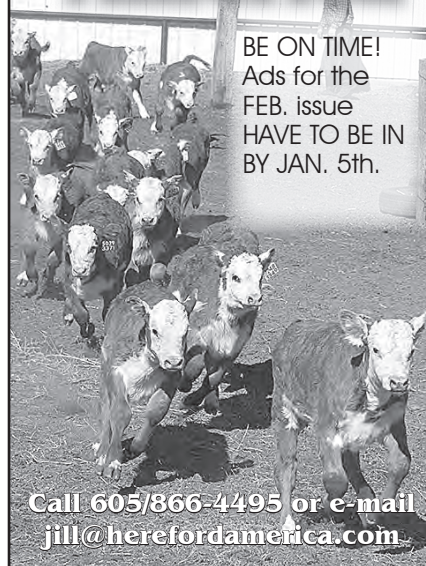
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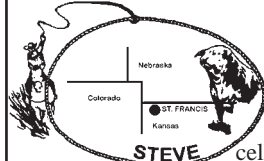
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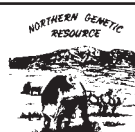
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Project Timeline

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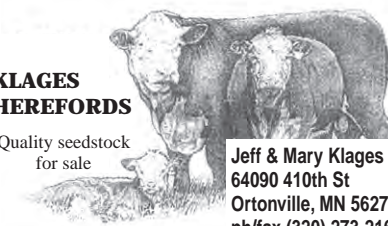
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