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Editorial Comments...

Jill Bayers Hotchkiss



Jill Hotchkiss

Earlier this fall we were thrilled to find out dad, Byron Bayers, had been selected for the American Hereford Association's Hall of Fame! What a wonderful surprise for a very deserving man who has spent his entire life raising Hereford cattle and working for the breed and the breeders.

Our immediate family plus several extended family members and two friends were able to travel to Kansas City together and take part in the events. This was an experience of a lifetime for our family, made even better by having family and friends

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Byron Bayers



Byron Bayers

On Veteran's Day all the Veterans in our valley were invited to the Twin Bridges school for a Veteran's Appreciation Day. We had Veterans attending that had been in the service during every war from World War Two to the present. I am one of two in the valley still surviving from the Korean War.

When we arrived at school we were taken to our seats in the gymnasium at the high school. One side of the gym was filled with all the grade school students and part of the high school students, including the senior class. We were each introduced to the students and told of the war in which we served. The girls Glee Club, who

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Highest Honors for Two Hereford Breeders, Two Industry Leaders: *Hereford America's Bayers Inducted into Hall of Fame*



Pictured at the Hall of Fame induction ceremony were (left to right) Terri Barber, retiring AHA president, Mary Ann and Rich Bayers, Byron Bayers, Kathy Bayers, Jill and Marc Hotchkiss and AHA director Jim Bellis.



Lester Schafer of Buffalo Lake, MN, was inducted into the Hereford Hall of Fame Oct. 27, at the 2017 Hereford Honoree Reception during the AHA Annual Meeting and Conference in Kansas City, MO. Pictured, left to right are Terri Barber, 2017 AHA president, Laurie Schroeder, Kathleen Schafer, Lester Schafer, Carla Greenwood, Mary Chicos and Jim Bellis, AHA board member.

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(Hall of Merit on pages 14 and 20)

Elkington Polled Herefords and South Devons

Presents the 2018 Efficiency Experts Range Raised Cattle Sale

Friday, February 2, 2018 12:30 p.m.

At the ranch 7 miles east of Idaho Falls On Sunnyside Rd.

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Lot 201D • EPHR ELKER STOCK BROKER 201D

- Piper's Show bull. He showed very well this summer - Grand Champion at the Idaho Jr. Hereford Show, Grand at Idaho Jr. Beef Expo, Division winner at the Eastern Idaho State Fair after breeding some heifers. A great, complete son of Stock Broker.
- Dark, thick and good.
- A heifer bull with awesome ratios.
- One of the heaviest weaning weight we have ever had at 800 lbs.
- BW 77 lbs., Ratios: WR 155, YR 125, REA 108, IMF 129



Lot 204D • EPHR ELKER SURE BET 204D

- A son of Churchill Sure Bet.
- A heifer bull.
- Goggle eyed and red necked.
- A grandson of the great 6A cow.
- BW 73, Ratios: WR 11.4 YR 105, REA 99, IMF 111.



Lot 206D • EPHR ELKER BLAZER 206D

- A show bull with a ton of thickness and meat.
- This is a special bull.
- A heifer bull.
- BW 79 lbs., WW 127, YR 118, REA 119, IMF 154.



Lot 232D • EPHR ELKER REDEEM 232D

- Big, thick and meaty.
- This is a performance bull with power.
- BW 90 lbs.



Lot 309D • EPHR ELKER PATHFINDER 309D

- A 4G son with tons of growth.
- Goggle eyed, red necked and neat.
- A heifer bull.
- BW 74 lbs. Ratios: WR 98, YR 10.6 REA 98, IMF 133.



Lot 346D • EPHR ELKER KIRK 346D

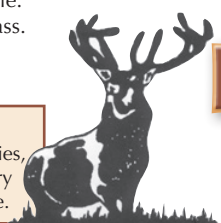
- A great performance bull with tons of style.
- Dam is a great young cow.
- BW 80 lbs. Ratios: WR 102, YR 101, REA 120, REA 101.



Lot 286D • EBS ELKER 1121 286D

- A good, big, black South Devon bull.
- A bull we used this summer, he has power and style.
- Should add pounds to his calves with plenty of class.
- BW 84 lbs., WW 625, YW 1210.
- BW 1.9 WW 47 YW 87 M 28 SC 0.0 MWW 52.

Delivery: Free delivery on bull purchases of \$4,000 or more west of the Mississippi; we'll pay half on deliveries, east of the Mississippi. Heifers: Will pay half of delivery on purchases of \$4,000 or more on heifers nationwide.



Testimonials

Dixon Farms - We have been buying bulls from the Elkington sale for years. Their bulls are very gentle and sound. We have never had an issue with health or longevity. They have deeply improved the genetics of our herd for steers that will sell and heifers you want to keep. Overall the whole buying experience is honest and worth your bottom line's time. Buy one, get a dog for free!

- Paul Dixon

Judy Ranch - Elkington Polled Herefords have made a positive impact on our cowherd. When we sorted our replacement heifers, most of the Hereford cross calves retained were sired by Elkington Bulls. They are high volume, deep ribbed females that will make moderate-framed, easy fleshing cows that we appreciate in our family operation. We plan to add more Elkington Bulls this year.

- Judy Ranch, Blackfoot, ID.

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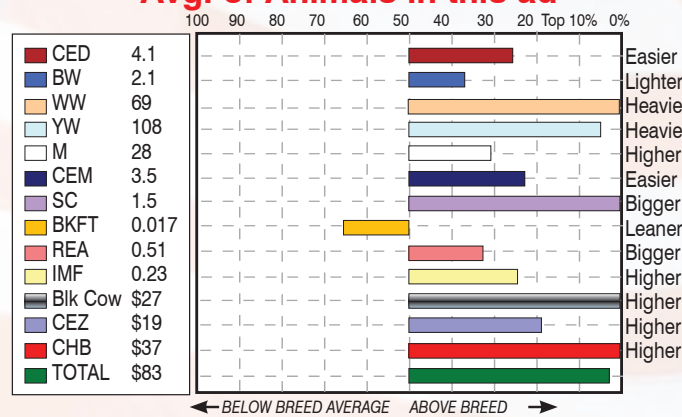
Lot 1 - R SPARTAN 4417

RN: 43814451 - DOB: 3/24/2017

Sire/Dam: Spartan / On Target

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	CEM	SC
5.4	2.5	74	117	32	4.0	1.5
BKFT	REA	IMF	Blk Cow	CEZ	CHB	Total
-0.016	0.56	0.19	\$26	\$20	\$41	\$87

Avg. of Animals in this ad



Volume Selection from Sire Evaluation Program
See www.RauschHerefords.com



Lot 5 - R BONANZA 5377

RN: 43814547 - DOB: 4/6/2017

Sire/Dam: Bonanza / A1

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	CEM	SC
4.5	1.5	72	115	38	4.0	1.7
BKFT	REA	IMF	Blk Cow	CEZ	CHB	Total
-0.009	0.47	0.28	\$27	\$19	\$41	\$87



Lot 6 - R 4EVER 5217

RN: 43814531 - DOB: 4/3/2017

Sire/Dam: 4Ever / Vision

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	CEM	SC
3.9	2.3	68	106	22	3.6	1.8
BKFT	REA	IMF	Blk Cow	CEZ	CHB	Total
0.015	0.37	0.37	\$32	\$20	\$39	\$91



Lot 25 - R ENCORE 4137

RN: 43814423 - DOB: 3/8/2017

Sire/Dam: Leader / New York

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	CEM	SC
5.4	0.7	69	109	25	3.8	1.5
BKFT	REA	IMF	Blk Cow	CEZ	CHB	Total
0.035	0.57	0.23	\$27	\$20	\$36	\$83



Lot 51 - R NEW YORK 4116

RN: 43711574 - DOB: 3/5/2016

Sire/Dam: New York / Windsor

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	CEM	SC
3.0	3.3	71	96	21	2.6	1.3
BKFT	REA	IMF	Blk Cow	CEZ	CHB	Total
0.020	0.41	0.27	\$27	\$18	\$36	\$81



Lot 76 - R 3RD REVOLUTION 4426

RN: 43711609 - DOB: 3/23/2016

Sire/Dam: Revolution / On Target

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	CEM	SC
3.1	3.1	60	94	32	2.6	1.3
BKFT	REA	IMF	Blk Cow	CEZ	CHB	Total
-0.002	0.51	0.11	\$22	\$18	\$31	\$71



Lot 151 - R MISS NEW YORK 017

RN: 43815129 - DOB: 3/6/2017

Sire/Dam: New York / 936

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	CEM	SC
5.1	1.2	76	114	22	3.6	1.6
BKFT	REA	IMF	Blk Cow	CEZ	CHB	Total
0.013	0.45	0.24	\$29	\$20	\$40	\$89



Lot 152 - R MISS ENCORE 177

RN: 43815223 - DOB: 3/11/2017

Sire/Dam: Leader / Vision

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	CEM	SC
4.1	1.6	56	93	23	4.2	1.4
BKFT	REA	IMF	Blk Cow	CEZ	CHB	Total
0.018	0.54	0.14	\$25	\$20	\$29	\$74



Lot 153 - GR MISS ENCORE 627

RN: 43820790 - DOB: 3/26/2017

Sire/Dam: Encore / Revolution

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	CEM	SC
3.2	1.7	66	112	26	3.3	1.4
BKFT	REA	IMF	Blk Cow	CEZ	CHB	Total
0.063	0.63	0.30	\$25	\$18	\$35	\$78



Lot 156 - R MISS ON TARGET 407

RN: 43815391 - DOB: 3/24/2017

Sire/Dam: 936 / Revolution

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	CEM	SC
3.4	2.8	76	121	34	3.5	1.7
BKFT	REA	IMF	Blk Cow	CEZ	CHB	Total
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January		18	River Run Hereford Sale Mobridge, SD
10	National Western Stock Show (NWSS) Junior Hereford Show Denver, CO	22	Delaney/Atkins Herefords Sale Lake Benton, MN
11	NWSS Bull Show Mile High Eve Frozen Genetics Sale Denver, CO	23	Churchill Cattle Co. World Class Bull Sale Manhattan, MT
12	NWSS Carload & Pen Show Mile High Night National Sale Denver, CO	25	Sioux Empire Farm Show Hereford Show & Sale Sioux Falls, SD
13	NWSS Hereford Female Show Denver, CO	27	Carswell-Nichols Bull and Female Sale Alton, KS
13-21	Knippling & Sons Online Bull Sale www.TheLivestockLink.com	27	Melcher Bull Sale Page, NE
15	Van Newkirk Herefords Oshkosh, NE	31	Black Hills Stock Show and Sale Rapid City, SD

February		9	Topp Polled Herefords Grace City, ND
1	Ridder Hereford Ranch Production Sale Callaway, NE	10	Baker Herefords & Amdahl Hereford/Angus Sale Rapid City, SD
1	Stroh Herefords Bull Sale Killdeer, ND	10	Hillsview Herefords Open House and Sale Eureka, SD
1	Larry Larsen Cow Sale O'Neill, NE	10	Hula Herefords Bull Sale Creston, NE
2	Dvorak Herefords Bull Sale Lake Andes, SD	11	Mrnak Herefords Bull Sale Bowman, ND
2	Baumgarten Herefords Belfield, ND	12	BB Cattle Co. Bull Sale Connell, WA
2	Elkington Polled Herefords Production Sale Idaho Falls, ID	12	Logterman Family Bull Sale Valentine, NE
3	Upstream Ranch Sale Taylor, NE	12	Fawcett's Elm Creek Ranch Ree Heights, SD
5	Cattlemen's Choice Bull Sale (Pelton) Halliday, ND	13	Thorson Herefords Bull Sale Philip, SD
6	Watertown Winter Show Hereford Show and Sale Watertown, SD	13	Holloway Farms Bull Sale Castor, AB
		14	Friedt Herefords Bull Sale Dickinson, ND

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15 Olson's Red Power Sale
Argusville, ND
15 Lowell Fisher Family Sale
Spencer, NE
16 Durbin Creek Ranch
Bull Sale
Thermopolis, WY
16 Hoffman Ranch Bull Sale
Thedford, NE
16 Blacktop Farms Bull Sale
Mitchell, SD
17 Carmichael Herefords
Bull Sale
Meadow, SD
19 Rausch Herefords
Production Sale
Hoven, SD
20 Bar JZ Ranches Bull Sale
Holabird, SD
20 Ulrich Herefords Bull Sale
Lethbridge, AB
21 Nebraska Cattlemen's
Classic Show & Sale
Kearney, NE
21 Shaw Cattle Co. Bull Sale
Caldwell, ID
23 Jamison Hereford Ranch
Bull Sale
Quinter, KS
23 Gant Polled Herefords

24 and Angus Bull Sale
Geddes, SD
24 Kreth Herefords Bull Sale
Mt. Vernon, SD
26 Colyer Herefords Bull Sale
Bruneau, ID

March

1 Calgary Bull Sale
Calgary, AB
1 Jensen Bros. Bull Sale
Courtland, KS
3 Ravine Creek Ranch Sale
Huron, SD
3 McIver's Happy Acres
Bull Sale/Open House
Farwell, MN
5 Harrell Cattle Co.
Bull Sale
Baker City, OR
6 S&S Polled Herefords
Bull Sale
Guide Rock, NE
7 L Bar W Cattle Co.
Production Sale
Absarokee, MT
7 Sachtjen-Gibson Bull Sale
Ogallala, NE

10 Ft. Keogh Line One Sale
Miles City, MT
10 1-29 Bull Run
Sioux Falls, SD
12 Tegtmeier Polled Herefords
Production Sale
Burchard, NE
12 Holden Herefords
Bull Sale
Valier, MT
13 Cooper Hereford Ranch
Bull Sale
Willow Creek, MT
14 Vin-Mar Cattle Co.
Bull Sale
Rushville, NE
15 Englehaupt/Tucker
Bull Sale
Butte, NE
16 Starmak Cattle Co.
Bull Sale
Tea, SD
19 B&D Herefords Bull Sale
Claflin, KS
19 Wagner Herefords Bull Sale
Redfield, SD
24 Sandhill Farms Bull Sale
Haviland, KS

26 Oleen Bros. Bull Sale
Dwight, KS
27 Frenzen Polled Herefords
Bull Sale
Fullerton, NE
28 Ned and Jan Ward Sale
Sheridan, WY
31 DaKitch Hereford Farms
Production Sale
Ada, MN

April

6 Wilson-Lees Sale
SK
12 Larry Larsen Bull Sale
O'Neill, NE
14 Knoll Crest Farms
Red House, VA
14 Thorstenson Herefords
Production Sale
Selby, SD
20 Bartling Herefords
Production Sale
Burke, SD
20 Morgan Ranch Bull Sale
Burwell, NE
21 Stuber Ranch Sale
Bowman, ND

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WW 68
YW 99
M 23
M+G 57
REA .48
Marb .59

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Marb .36

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**Churchill Trident 742E**

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EPDs in the new run! Will be used heavily at Churchill! BW
84, WW 779.

**Churchill Big Horn 7172E ET**

CED 4.5, BW 4.4, WW 66, YW 105, MM 35, REA .84, Marb .15
Powerful HH 5044C son out of the \$60,000 Miles cow 4161! Top 5% WW, YW, SC, MM Teat,
CW, REA and CHB! Unique horned genetics! BW 84, WW 835.

**Churchill Mark Dom 776E**

CED 11.1, BW 1.8, WW 58, YW 100, MM 34, REA .70, Marb .37
New, unique calving ease bull with power and quality! Mark Domino out of a Churchill A1
two year old. Top 5% CED, SC, MM, Udder, Teat, REA, Marb and CHB! BW 78, WW 827.

**Churchill ILR Sensation 740E**

CED 10.9, BW -1.3, WW 55, YW 79, MM 42, REA .74, Marb .19
Bigger Sensation with class and style! Dam is a terrific CL
1 0130 two year old. Huge birth to weaning spread! BW 72,
WW 793.

**Churchill Advance 706E ET**

CED 12.4, BW 0.0, WW 62, YW 96, MM 32, REA .53, Marb .39
Cowboy kind! 5044C out of the BW and Marb super cow,
284Z! Top 5%, CED, BW, MM, Teat, CW Marb! BW 86, WW 776.

**Churchill Toro 736E**

CED 10.2, BW 0.4, WW 60, YW 92, MM 32, REA .54, Marb .19
Very elite calving ease with tremendous power and growth!
Unique genetics — Toro out of Red Bull with perfect udder!
BW 68, WW 790.

**Churchill Lady 207Z ET**

CED 3.2, BW 3.7, WW 49, YW 85, MM 31, REA .42, Marb -.02
Incredible donor by 955W. Special Sale Feature! Straight
horned genetics! Tremendous revenue potential!

**Churchill Lady 6311D**

CED 7.5, BW 0.6, WW 56, YW 82, MM 42, REA .51, Marb .22
Selling all our fall born open yearling heifers. This one is a
donor prospect out of Sensation and a Bakken cow! Ideal
numbers!

**Churchill Lady 6461D ET**

CED 9.5, BW 0.8, WW 51, YW 79, MM 29, REA .45, Marb .43
Elite donor prospect out of HH 4075B and the BW and Marb
super cow, 284Z. A maternal sister was our top bred heifer in
September at \$20,000.



Churchill Jefferson 6330D ET

CED 7.7, BW 2.1, WW 61, YW 117, MM 27, REA .94, Marb .20
Polled calving ease with power and carcass! New polled genetics — Mark Domino out of Ladysport 2205! Top 10% in 9 traits including top 1% CHB! BW 82, WW 817.



Churchill Hyalite 789E ET

CED -2.7, BW 4.2, WW 70, YW 117, MM 27, REA .90, Marb -.18
Incredible power bull! Stud out of Ladysport 2205! Homozygous polled! BW 96, WW 893.



Churchill Kickstart 761E

CED 2.9, BW 0.6, WW 45, YW 72, MM 27, REA .39, Marb .15
Elite Kickstart son! Pigment, power and calving ease! Homozygous Polled. BW 82, WW 723.



Churchill Torque 765E

CED 4.6, BW 2.0, WW 56, YW 92, MM 27, REA .30, Marb .01
Powerful Kickstart son with tremendous body capacity, thickness and pigment! Homozygous Polled. Mom is a DOD! BW 80, WW 790.



Churchill Wildcat 754E

CED -4.7, BW 4.4, WW 67, YW 102, MM 31, REA .95, Marb .21
Great looking Wildcat son from an elite Outcross cow! A full sister topped our 2016 Female Sale! Top 2% in all Dollar Indexes. BW 84, WW 757.



Churchill Wildcat 7212E

CED -0.7, BW 3.4, WW 65, YW 111, MM 33, REA .54, Marb .28
Homozygous Polled Wildcat out of ideal Outcross cow! Pigment, style, genetics and numbers! Top 5%, WW, YW, SC, MM, Udder, Teat, CW, Marb, BMI and CHB! BW 84, WW 721.



Churchill Leader 7239E

CED 3.5, BW 2.3, WW 64, YW 103, MM 28, REA .58, Marb .14
Super good Leader son with quality and performance. Top 10% in 10 traits! BW 66, WW 757.



Churchill Leader 7261E

CED 3.4, BW 3.5, WW 68, YW 111, MM 29, REA .55, Marb .14
Powerhouse Leader son out of an Outcross cow with ideal udder! BW 85, WW 838.

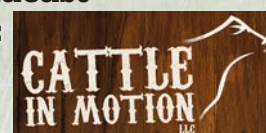


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Bayers, Schafer AHA Hall of Fame Inductees

Lester Schafer, Buffalo Lake, MN, and Byron Bayers, Twin Bridges, MT, were inducted into the Hereford Hall of Fame Oct. 27, in Kansas City, MO, during the American Hereford Association (AHA) Hereford Honorees Reception during the AHA Annual Meeting and Conference.

The Hall of Fame honor annually recognizes breeders who have dynamically influenced the direction and advancement of the Hereford breed.

Schafer was raised on the farm where

he currently resides. The registered Hereford herd Schafer runs was originally started by his aunt and uncle in 1917. The farm received century farm status in 2000. He purchased a scale and began collecting weaning weights on calves in 1960. When the AHA established the Whole Herd Total Performance Records (TPR™) program a few years later, Schafer was one of the first to sign up.

Throughout the years, he has remained active in the Minnesota Here-

ford Association, Minnesota Hereford Breeders and the Minnesota State Cattlemen's Association. Schafer served as the secretary for the Minnesota Hereford Association for 25 years and has been inducted into the Minnesota Hereford Breeders Hall of Fame and the Minnesota Livestock Hall of Fame. Schafer also received the Century Breeder award for 100 years in the Hereford business at the Hereford Honorees Reception.

Bayers runs Bayers Hereford Ranch,

the oldest continuous running Hereford herd in the state of Montana. After graduating from the University of Montana in 1952, Bayers served as an officer in the United States Air Force before returning to the ranch in 1955.

He served as president of the Montana Hereford Association in 1958, 1960 and 1970, and was elected president of the AHA in 1976. In the 1960s and early 1970s, he judged at almost

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43689380 Polled, Actual BW-96
EPD's: BW 3.5, WW 43, YW 59, M 21, SC 1.1, REA .28, MARB .05



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Lot 229 SIRE BAKKEN

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Lot 164 SIRE 215Z

BW 1.8 WW 64 YW 107 M 34 M&G 66 REA .49 IMF .18 CHB 33



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Dietz, Sims Inducted into Hereford Hall of Merit in Kansas City

Eddie Sims, Elgin, OK, and Dwayne Dietz, Billings, MT, were inducted to the Hereford Hall of Merit Oct. 27 at the American Hereford Association (AHA) Hereford Honorees Reception during the AHA Annual Meeting and Conference in Kansas City, MO. Hall of Merit inductees have greatly influ-

enced the Hereford breed and cattle industry.

Sims began his career in the Hereford breed as a fieldman for the American Polled Hereford Association. Since then, he has dedicated his life to promoting Hereford cattle. Sims established National Cattle Services

in 1968 and quickly became one of the industry's leading auctioneers. Through National Cattle Services, he has sold and managed purebred cattle sales in 44 states and seven Canadian provinces. As an auctioneer and sale manager, Sims has been instrumental in influencing the value and quality of

Hereford cattle for the past 50 years.

Dietz became a fieldman for the AHA in 1979. His territory covered Montana, Wyoming, Colorado, Idaho and parts of Alberta, Canada. It was during his years at the AHA that he became recognized as one of the best cattle marketers in the country. Dietz's passion and excitement for the Hereford breed was infectious. His commitment to serving those around him has influenced industry professionals across the country.

"Sims and Dietz are great friends of the Hereford breed and the AHA is honored to induct them into the Hereford Hall of Merit," says Jack Ward, AHA executive vice president.

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Hall of Fame

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every major Hereford show in the U.S. including the National Western Stock Show, Chicago International, Fort Worth, Houston and Phoenix.

Bayers was given the University of Montana's Distinguished Alumni Award in 1976 and was inducted into the Montana State Fair Pioneer Hall of Fame in 1981. In 2008, Byron received the Canadian Ambassador Award from the Canadian Hereford Association.

"We congratulate both of these men for the impact they have made on the Hereford breed," said Jack Ward, AHA chief executive officer. "Their dedication to the breed is inspiring and I am honored to induct them into the Hereford Hall of Fame."

Pyramid Homegrown 4151



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Dam: NJW 81U 3027 Spirit Queen 69X
BW 0.3 WW 50 YW 91 MM 37

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MM: 32 • M&G: 60

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Sire: BCD 345S WACHTER 998W



BW: 5.1 • WW: 60 • YW: 99
MM: 28 • M&G: 58

LOT 623

MH HOMETOWN 623 1ET

Sire: NJW 73S W18 HOMETOWN 10Y ET



BW: 1.0 • WW: 58 • YW: 89
MM: 37 • M&G: 66

LOT 6100

MH 4119 ADVANCE 6100

Sire: MH 2239 ADVANCE 4119



BW: 2.7 • WW: 59 • YW: 115
MM: 31 • M&G: 60

LOT 6150

MH HOMETOWN 6150 1ET

Sire: NJW 73S W18 HOMETOWN 10Y ET



BW: 2.9 • WW: 60 • YW: 102
MM: 32 • M&G: 62



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reg # 43854555
sire: PONCA KINGPIN 204
dam: PONCA 0145X DOMINETTE 285



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dam: PONCA SPENCERETTE 667

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PONCA 589C DOMINO 709
reg #43860338
sire: CL1 DOMINO 589C
dam: PONCA 930 MORTGAGE LIFTER LADY 246



PONCA 589C DOMINO 733
reg #43860339
sire: CL1 DOMINO 589C
dam: PONCA KING PIN LADY 063

They all sell February 15th at the ranch!



PONCA 314A DOMINETTE 754
reg #43860340
sire: CL 1 DOMINO 314A
dam: PONCA 0145X DOMINETTE 553



PONCA 589C DOMINTTE 791
reg #43860341
sire: CL1 DOMINO 589C
dam: PONCA MEGAN 466



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dam: PONCA 0145X DOMINETTE 285

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His mother is a daughter of UPS DOMINO 3027. He is Homo Polled!



9033D

BW 1.6 WW 60 YW 108 MILK 21 REA .51 MARB .44 CHB\$ 38

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AHA Hall of Merit Recipients

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Dwayne Dietz of Billings, MT, was inducted into the Hereford Hall of Merit Oct. 27, at the 2017 Hereford Honoree Reception during the AHA Annual Meeting and Conference in Kansas City, MO. Pictured (left to right) are Terri Barber, 2017 AHA president, Dwayne and Janet Dietz and Jim Bellis, AHA board member.



Eddie Sims of Elgin, OK, was inducted into the Hereford Hall of Merit at the 2017 Hereford Honoree Reception during the AHA Annual Meeting Pictured (left to right) are Terri Barber, 2017 AHA president, Eddie and Ruth Sims and Jim Bellis, AHA board member.



The awards pictures weren't all serious! Looks like Terri got a good one over on Dietz.

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Byron's Editorial...

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are very accomplished, in fact they are so good that they sang the Star Spangled Banner at one of our major colleges this year, sang God Bless America. All of us then pledged Allegiance to the Flag, and after that, several members of the students and staff read patriotic poems about Veterans.

At the end all of the kids sang a song to us. As these festivities were occurring, I couldn't help but notice how this was affecting so many of the Veterans. Tears were dripping down the faces of many

of us guys, who had lost close friends in the various wars in which they served.

When I went to college just before the Korean War, I was put in a room at the dormitory with eight different freshmen, one who became a good friend of mine and probably one of the closer friends that I had in college, by the name of Jerry Wright from Salmon, Idaho.

He had come from a logging family and they were the kind of people that really knew how to work hard. His ambition was to go to college and get a degree in Forestry and then go home and work in the forestry industry in Idaho. At that time all of us had to make the

decision as to whether to go in to the ROTC program or to take a chance on being drafted before our college days were done.

We had a lot of World War Two veterans around us in college and most of them gave us younger guys advice to get into the service area that you would like. Jerry and I signed up for four years of training in the ROTC program, I chose the Air Force, but Jerry chose the Army unit, because he felt like his experience on the ground would be much more to his abilities than possibly flying in the Air Force.

Upon graduation I was sent to San

Antonio, Texas and Jerry was sent to Fort Ord, California. We were so busy we did not communicate with each other during our service days but in my second year in the Air Force I got thinking about Jerry and I thought I should try to contact him. I wrote a letter to his Salmon, ID address, but it came back unclaimed. I knew his brother, who also lived in the Salmon ID area, so I wrote to him and told him I was wondering about Jerry, because the letter I had sent to Jerry was returned. I heard back from Jerry's brother within a month notifying me that First Lieutenant Jerry Wright had been killed in action in Korea, on a major assault by the American army, ascending a mountain in Korea in 1953.

That is about the same time that I was notified of a young rancher friend of mine, that lived about three miles from us, that had been killed at sea. We Veterans that are still alive and were able to return home from the Military were the lucky ones. Veteran's Day honors all of us Veterans but we really honor the most, those who did not come home. The kids and school did a nice job of honoring us at our school, but we all felt saddened that day as we left the school, because of the memories of our fallen friends.

The AHA announced the BOLT this week. Several things were unfortunate in that the computer glitch that occurred the day of the announcement kept everybody in wonderment about what had happened. In the next several days as those glitches were corrected you could start to make more sense in some of the results.

While I was in Kansas City for the AHA convention, I sat in on a seminar where a major discussion was held on the BOLT activities that would basically change all the EPD data as we knew it. I have only been able to search data on 50 head or so, but the data in most cases shows major changes in some of the EPDs.

This is a major change for the industry because people have worked for so many years on getting their cattle with the EPDs that were advantageous to the operation, and the breeders, for breeding and selling the cattle. Then came along the "50K test" which was proclaimed to be something of the future to foresee what our cattle would be at a younger stage in their life, or it would solidify the data on older cattle that we were using.

Most breeders throughout the industry, I believe, felt like this system was getting pretty solidified and it was something they could go on with. Now BOLT has created a new technology introduction into the Hereford breed for our EPD system.

Many people with the right animal will prosper and many people who thought they had the right animals, but whose EPDs fell dramatically, will obviously be hurt. Some people are worried

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BW	WW	YW	Milk	M&G	FAT	REA	MRB	CHB\$
2.6	45	70	24	47	.006	.10	.15	27

A deep Bodied 489B son with a lot to offer. This guy has a lot of muscle and is nice and square. His dam, 26, has a beautiful udder. This bull definitely should sire a great set of feeder cattle without sacrificing the need for females.



SHR L1 DOMINO Z 6137

BW	WW	YW	Milk	M&G	FAT	REA	MRB	CHB\$
2.0	44	74	26	48	.026	.35	.14	29

Here is a bull with a good genetic package. 6137 is out of CL1 Domino 2142 who has worked well within our program. His dam, 121, is a great Rancher daughter who comes from a solid line of brood cows. 6137 himself is a long bodied, deep bull with loads of eye appeal and pigment.



SHR KING NAVARRO 639

BW	WW	YW	Milk	M&G	FAT	REA	MRB	CHB\$
3.4	55	86	17	44	.016	.35	.16	28

A stout 140X son with a lot to offer. 639 is a bold sprung individual with a lot of length of body. He is out of a great old cow who consistently raises them right. This bull is smooth made with good performance figures. As these notes are being written he qualifies for the CHB Marketing Program.



SHR SENSATION 6202

BW	WW	YW	Milk	M&G	FAT	REA	MRB	CHB\$
2.4	48	81	32	56	.026	.14	.18	30

Here is a bull that is sure to knock your eyeballs out when walking the pens on sale day. 6202 has a lot of good about him, long bodied, deep sided, and Muscle Muscle, Muscle. This 2053 son is about as good as they come phenotypically. 6202 has 13 of 19 traits in the top 50% of the Hereford breed and comes from a great line of cows. Dam, 221, has had sons come through the sale before even as a first calf heifer.



SHR PRAIRIE XPRT 612

BW	WW	YW	Milk	M&G	FAT	REA	MRB	CHB\$
3.7	47	73	27	50	.006	.45	.20	24

A stout 327 son with a lot of depth and width. 612 is an easy fleshing bull that is out of a productive young cow. This bull has a lot to offer genetically being in the top 50th percentile of the Hereford breed for 12 out of 19 traits. He is in the top 10 percent of the breed for marbling, which makes him perfect for the rancher who collects data off of their calves. At the time these notes are written, 612 qualifies for the CHB Marketing Program through the American Hereford Association.



SHR DESERT XPRT 688

BW	WW	YW	Milk	M&G	FAT	REA	MRB	CHB\$
3.5	53	82	30	56	.016	.61	.17	32

688 is a short, deep, heavily muscled 327 son that will catch your eye as you walk the pens on sale day. This bull is where genotype and phenotype meet. 688 has 16 of 19 traits in the top 50th percentile of the Hereford breed. 688 has a lot of great genetics behind him even going back to /S Mr. MOM 7745, a bull who left a mark on our program. Another thing to consider with this bull is that he is +32 on CHB which means his calves will qualify for the CHB Marketing Program.



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Byron's Editorial...

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that their program was devastated, going back three generations, and it will be hard to recover.

It is my firm hope that the current BOLT numbers will prove to be extremely accurate, and that we can build or rebuild our breed on that data. In my lifetime in the Hereford breed we have forged through a lot of problems even though in some cases it has been very difficult. I hope this program will prove to be very good and we can get all of the current glitches removed in a very short time and the breed can go on its way.

As we were cruising along at 35,000 feet at over 600 miles an hour on our way from Bozeman to Minneapolis aboard a Delta Airbus 320, I couldn't believe that I was going back to Kansas City. Sitting around me were Marc and Jill Bayers Hotchkiss, Kathy Bayers, Rich & Mary Ann Bayers and Rick & Lynn Terry, Lynn who is my office and cow manager, also with us was my nephew Howard Lemm.

I was advised in a call from Jack Ward a few weeks earlier that I was to be inducted in the Hereford Hall of Fame, at the Hereford Convention,

and we were now on our way. I really didn't realize that hardly anyone knew, besides our family about the honor, but the two flight attendants got wind of the honor and three times during the flight congratulated me. I must say we were treated extremely nice by all of the Delta employees on our way to Kansas City.

Unbeknownst to me, until we were on our way, that another group of my family had been invited, and six of them were in attendance at the ceremony.

I had not been to Kansas City for the annual meeting for 15 years and yet I was amazed at how many people that were in attendance, I still knew. However, many new faces were also in attendance and I was fortunate to meet many of them. Our family was treated very well by Jack Ward, Shane Bedwell, Julie Mais and the staff of the *Hereford World*. I had worked closely through the years with most of the other Honorees and so it was enjoyable to see them honored too.

I would like to again thank the Board and Staff of the American Hereford Association for bestowing on me the most prestigious award that can be given to a member of the American Hereford Association. I am highly honored.

— BB

Jill's Editorial...

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along to share in the experience.

In my mind receiving this great award is the pinnacle of the Hereford business. Our family is so greatly honored and humbled by the experience and we are so proud of dad for being selected.

Also inducted to the AHA Hall of Fame was Lester Schafer from Buffalo Lake, MN. At 91 or 92 years old, Lester has experienced many things in his lifetime and the common thread of dedication to Herefords is certainly true in his life's work. (See article on Schafers in our Nov/Dec issue).

Congratulations to these two men who are well deserving of the honor bestowed on them by the AHA.

Rounding out the big awards were two inductees into the Hall of Merit.

This award is given to those in associated businesses, not necessarily a breeder. Congratulations to Dwayne Dietz, Billings, MT, who served as AHA field man in the 1970s and 1980s. After leaving AHA he served in the capacity of consultant and livestock photographer for several breeders, order buying. He eventually got back into the publishing world, and currently works in advertising for *Western*

Ag Reporter out of Billings.

Auctioneer Eddie Sims was the other Hall of Merit recipient. Known for many years as the voice of the Denver Hereford sale as well as many other prominent sales, Eddie has been an auctioneer for 50 years and is very active in a number of Hereford events.

Congratulations to these four men on these distinguished awards.

The awards ceremony was impressive. There was \$147,500 in scholarships presented plus 10 awards for the inaugural Fed Steer Shootout. The calibre of young people coming up through the ranks is high and I'm sure we will hear more of them in the future.

We'd like to wish all of you a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

Next month, BOLT and the new EPD system. We'll see how everything shakes out.

— JBH



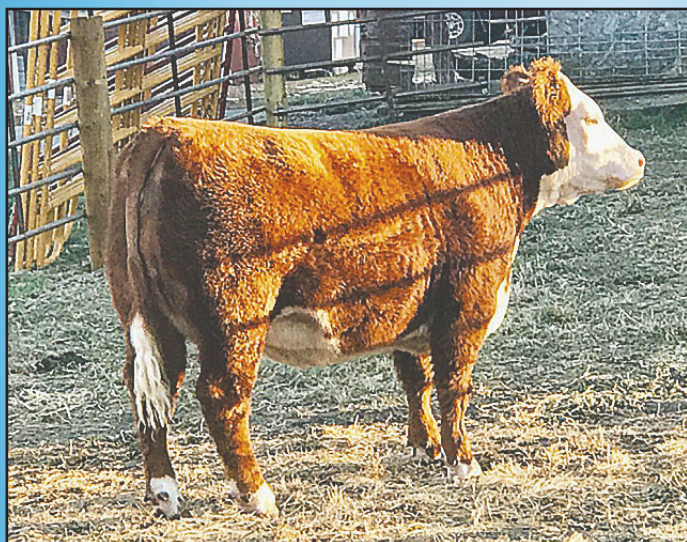
A bit of comic relief from my brother Rich was in order prior to dad's speech.

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REA .58
MRB .11
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Sire: H REDLINE 513 ET

DOB: 2/11/17 BW 93 • WW 766

CE -0.4
BW 4.5
WW 64
YW 106
M 26
MG 58
SC 1.1
REA .58
MRB .11
CHB\$ 33



BCC MACHO 707E

Sire: BCC MACHO 5117

DOB: 1/22/17 BW 78 • WW 789

CE 6.7
BW 2.2
WW 51
YW 88
M 39
MG 64
SC 0.9
REA .55
MRB .04
CHB\$ 30



BCC DEMAND 765E

Sire: BCC L1 DOMINO 489B

DOB: 2/16/17 BW 85 • WW 756

CE 3.6
BW 2.3
WW 53
YW 83
M 39
MG 65
SC 1.1
REA .33
MRB .01
CHB\$ 22



BCC L1 DOMINO 702E

Sire: CL 1 Domino 412B

DOB: 1/17/17 BW 81 • WW 809

CE 6.2
BW 1.1
WW 52
YW 87
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Owned with Harrell Cattle Co., Illinois

CED	BW	WW	YW	Milk	M&G	REA	Marb	BMI\$	CEZ\$	BIIS	CHBS
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UPS Undisputed ET :: Reg #P43430925 :: Polled
SHF Wonder M326 W18 ET x SH Diamond 881
Owned with Paradocs Farm, Virginia

CED	BW	WW	YW	Milk	M&G	REA	Marb	BMI\$	CEZ\$	BIIS	CHBS
4.4	2.2	59	93	29	58	0.20	0.25	24	20	19	31



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Final Farewell

Marvin F. Fisher

Marvin F. Fisher, age 88, of Riceville, IA, died Sunday, November 5, 2017 at Faith Lutheran Home in Osage.

Marvin was born June 5, 1929 on the family farm near Ackley, IA, the son of Joe and Amelia (Siemers) Fisher. He attended school in Grundy County, Iowa. On September 18, 1949, he married Doris Tesch at St. John's Lutheran Church, west of Osage. Marvin farmed and raised cattle in the Riceville area. He was a member of Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Osage, the American Hereford Association and the American Angus Association.

Marvin enjoyed his grandchildren



Marvin Fisher

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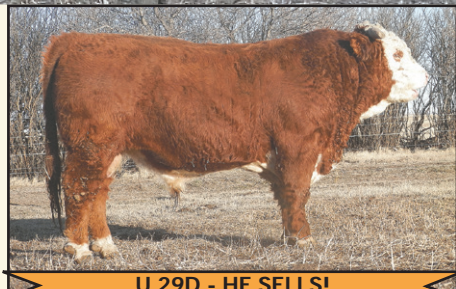


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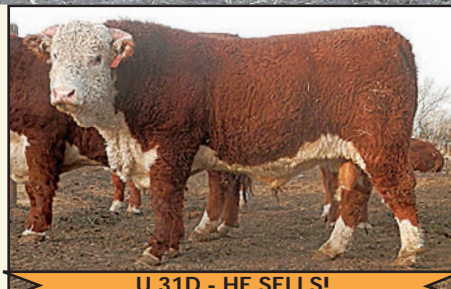
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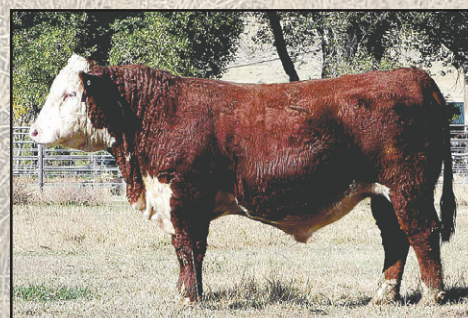
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BW: 4.3
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YW: 103
MM: 26
REA: .82
IMF: .07

DCR 199B Cowboss 6075



BW: 3.6
WW: 54
YW: 87
MM: 28
REA: .72
IMF: .03

DCR 428B Manhattan 6009



BW: 2.1
WW: 53
YW: 82
MM: 26
REA: .44
IMF: .17

DCR 42B Manhattan 6017



BW: 3.0
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MM: 26
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CED 4.7 BW 0.9 WW 53 YW 79 M 24 REA .39 MRB .10



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LOT 34 – BAR JZ GRINDSTONE 271E

HOMOZYGOUS POLLED — DOB: 3/20/17
 HEARTHSTONE x INDEPENDENCE

CED 5.5 BW 2.6 WW 67 YW 102 M 24 REA .61 MRB .01



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LOT 23 – BAR JZ SILVERADO 245E

HOMOZYGOUS POLLED — DOB: 3/17/17
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CED 9.7 BW 1.2 WW 62 YW 94 M 25 REA .42 MRB .15



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Final Farewell

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and great-grandchildren, raising cattle, traveling out west, and watching Westerns.

Marvin is survived by his wife, Doris Fisher of Osage; his children, Duane (Becky) Fisher of Mt. Auburn, Vernon (Kathy) Fisher of Garner, Donna (Jim) Emerson of Urbandale, Barbara (Reid) Klapperich of Stacyville, Beverly Klapperich of Whitefish, Montana, David (Lisa) Fisher of Ankeny, Connie (John) Holmen of Riceville, and Carol (Wayne) Hicok of Nashua; 22 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; sister, Shirley Sadler of Arizona; and brother, Lee Fisher of Minnesota.

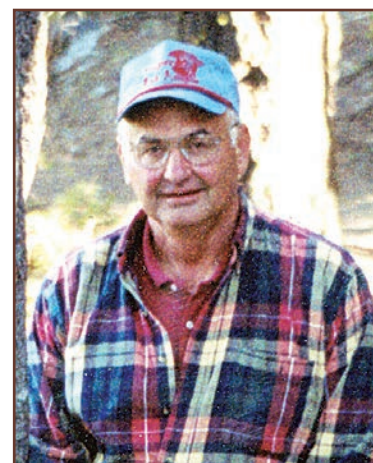
He was preceded in death by his parents; brother, Harold Fisher; sister, Lois Frerichs; son-in-law, Barry Klapperich; and granddaughter, Julie Klapperich.

Marvin Fink

We think it is fair to say that Marvin George Fink wasn't one to enjoy a great deal of sentimentality. He wasn't a person who enjoyed being the center of attention or too many romantic notions. He was, however, a good man who worked hard, liked to laugh, and enjoyed nothing more than a lively philosophical debate with his family or a good road trip.

Marvin was born in Valley Township, Douglas County, SD on July 10, 1939. He was the third of seven children born to Emil and Gertrude Fink, nee Grosz. He was baptized, confirmed, and married at St. Peter Lutheran Church, rural Armour, South Dakota. He died on December 15, 2017 after being married to Margaret (Maggie) Lois Baird for 52 years. He was father to four children and grandfather to seven.

Marvin's formal education ended after graduation from Armour High School when he began farming, married our gift of a mother, and started his family. Even so, he sent all four children to college and made sure we never got too big for our britches. Our dad loved toddlers, chocolate cake with peanut-butter frosting, tinkering with old engines, inventing things, and making (and eating) homemade ice cream with his grandchildren. Each of his children



Marvin Fink

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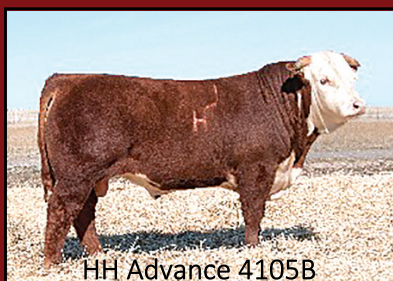
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Priefert Named Outstanding Hereford Woman of the Year

KANSAS CITY, MO — Jean Priefert, Priefert Farms, Fairmont, NE, was recognized as Hereford Woman of the Year during the National Hereford Women (NHW) annual meeting in Kansas City, MO.

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

A “die-hard Hereford breeder,” Jean has promoted Hereford cattle, supported Hereford youth and welcomed new breeders to the Hereford family for many years.

Jean and her husband, Neil, got their start in the Hereford business with a wedding gift. In the 1950s when they got married, Jean’s parents offered her a choice between a registered Polled Hereford cow or an electric automatic washer and dryer — Jean chose the cow and set the foundation for their Hereford operation.

While attending numerous shows and sales, Jean saw a vision for a Hereford women’s organization that would

serve Hereford breeders by promoting the breed, fostering opportunities to support youth programs and provide a means of fellowship and networking for women in agriculture.

Jean was one of the 12 founding members of the National Organization of Poll-ettes. She served, chaired and co-chaired numerous committees including the ways and means and cookbook committees. Jean served as president of the Nebraska Poll-ettes from 1968-1969 and stayed active during the mergers of the women’s Hereford organizations at the national and state level.

“One thing I have counted on with Jean is that she is always willing to lending a helping hand to promote Herefords and beef to the public,” said Melissa McGee Buehler of Valley Creek Ranch in Fairbury, NE.

Jean was instrumental in developing the hospitality booth at the Nebraska State Fair, and at Husker Harvest Days she has helped serve Certified Hereford Beef (CHB®) to the public.

In her local community, Jean is a 50-

year member of the Fairmont Community Church and has held offices in the Fairmont Federated Women’s Club. She continues to serve as the beef editor for the Women Involved in Farm Economics

quarterly newsletter to help educate women in the group about the beef industry.

Today, you will still see Jean at most cattle events in Nebraska and Kansas talking with new and potential Hereford breeders and promoting beef to the public.



Jean Priefert, Fairmont, NE, was honored as 2017 Hereford Woman of the Year. Pictured left to right are Suzanne Matheny, Mays Lick, KY, National Hereford Women board member, Jean Priefert, and Donna Riffel, longtime Hereford friend.

Lori Riffel Hambricht of Kanza Cattle & Vineyards, Chapman, KS, said, “Jean is not one for spotlights, but a steady, loyal supporter who has made big differences today’s people in agriculture benefit from.”

Fink and Valerie Marsh, Owen, Oscar, and Greta; Marcia Fink and Mark Skaff; Sarah Fink and Mike Clifton, Benjamin and Anne.


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know the meaning of hard work because we did an awful lot of that. But, we also know how to make a smart remark, appreciate mountains, and speak

up for what we believe, even when it isn’t popular. Our dad taught us how to use a hammer, show cattle, make popcorn, and drive a tractor — all things that have served us well. His children will remember him as an adventurer,

inventor, historian, photographer, and Polled Hereford man.

Marvin is survived by his wife, Maggie, his four children, their spouses and grandchildren, Molly and John Flaspohler, Lydia and Claire; Mike



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3.4	67	104	20	0.68	0.21	2/9



TH 792A 358C PIONEER 265E

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
3.5	77	116	20	0.60	0.20	2/9



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BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
2.4	62	94	24	0.66	0.16	1/30



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BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
2.3	57	92	20	0.40	0.22	1/28



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BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
3.4	65	102	25	0.65	0.13	1/11



TH 13Y 358C PIONEER 206E

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
4.8	81	122	26	0.71	0.10	2/1



TH 506B 358C PIONEER 531E

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
4.6	72	116	25	0.54	0.14	1/25



TH 228A 358C PIONEER 83A

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
3.6	68	105	21	0.59	0.17	1/11



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TH 188A 358C PIONEER 63E

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3.8	69	107	21	0.50	0.17	1/7



TH 61A 358C PIONEER 242E

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
4.8	73	109	25	0.58	0.11	2/4



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BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
2.2	61	95	21	0.49	0.15	1/9



TH 95W 7B START ME UP 238E

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
2.8	54	89	25	0.37	0.20	2/4



TH 100A 121C GENTRY 158E

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
3.7	55	90	20	0.44	0.11	1/28



TH 287B 121C GENTRY 234E

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
5.3	64	105	25	0.43	0.09	2/4



TH 38B 456B RED POWER 111E

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
2.3	56	93	28	0.68	0.10	1/20



TH 469Z 704X XCEED 275E

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
3.6	51	77	23	0.30	0.04	2/13



TH 136A 427 DOWNTOWN 128E

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
1.3	57	89	28	0.46	0.11	1/25

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Merchants, the Shining Star of the Southeast

By Connie Sieh Groop
Freelance Ag Writer

When Chef Alex Tinkle first tried samples of the Greater Omaha's Classic Hereford strips, ribeyes, and tenderloins in 2005, he was wowed with his very first bite! Alex was a chef in Jackson, MS, and his distributor at the time brought in Hereford product from Greater Omaha on a trial basis. Alex was so impressed with the product that he switched everything in the restaurant over to Hereford.

When Merchant's Foodservice, headquartered in Hattiesburg, MS, got the license from Certified Hereford Beef® to sell Classic Hereford Beef, Alex started buying it from Merchants, and continued buying it for 4 years.

Eventually his salesperson saw the passion that Alex, as a chef, had for beef, especially Hereford beef. He convinced Alex to work at Merchant's Foodservice as a Center of the Plate Specialist in 2009, working directly with the sales team to promote their

beef line. Sales climbed for the Hereford Beef business from a mere 1,200 lbs. a month to 60,000 lbs. per week. Merchants is also the 6th largest food service distributor in the United States.

Alex Tinkle accepted the CHB Foodservice Distributor of the Year award on behalf of Merchant's Foodservice at the annual AHA awards reception in Kansas City on October 27th, 2017.

Merchants Foodservice distributes wholesale food products in 12 South-eastern states with state-of-the-art dis-



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tribution and warehousing centers in Jackson, MS; Clanton, AL; and Newberry, SC.

"I think the Classic Hereford Beef has really started to change the way our customers think about the beef they are using," Alex said. "In past years they had to accept what they were being offered, but with the Classic Hereford Beef from Greater Omaha they are able to experience the exceptional beef taste."

Merchant's offers the 1881 Omaha Hereford Beef to some of their customers as well. The Classic is USDA Select or Higher or rather a "Blended" Program, focused on selling the breed not the grade. The 1881 is the top two-thirds Choice from a Black Baldy.

Alex was at the Greater Omaha plant on a tour when the company produced the very first run of 1881 product. He was thrilled to watch it go through the fab line and finally into a box on its way to Merchant's Foodservice.

Alex states, "Although the Classic Hereford Beef performs exceptionally well, we have those chefs that are stuck on high marbling. Even if the steaks eat like butter, they need to see the marbling so we have the 1881 to fall back on to satisfy everyone."

Greater Omaha, a family owned company, provides great customer service along with exceptional yield, quality, and value.

"It's awesome to have a packer that you can talk to at any time to resolve issues within minutes," Alex said. "The staff is readily available. Steve Dear, the sales person for all of the Merchants locations as well as the manager of the Value-Added Facility at Greater Omaha, is instrumental in making this program successful. Field Specialists June Dunn, Brad Ellefson, and Jan Ellefson come to sales meetings to promote the

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beef. They are a complete team and do a better job than any other packer I have ever worked with to satisfy customers. Integrity, at a level of 100%, is evident in everything they do."

Alex recounts a few of his notable success stories. "I called on a local restaurant called The Parker House. Andy Cook is the owner and chef. I showed the Hereford product, he loved it and started using all Classic Hereford in his restaurant. His former meat sales person tried to salvage the business with five different labels offered, including USDA Prime. They cooked around 20 different cuts and offered the meat at a blind cutting." Alex said everyone in the room, including the competitor, chose the Hereford steaks as the favorite.

Another example is at "Country Meat Market" in Brookhaven, MS. Danny Smith, the owner, used IBP as a supplier for 50 years. He said he would not switch to anything else as he thought what he was using the best he could get. Danny grew up raising Herefords and showed cattle through 4-H, earning many purple ribbons. Alex brought the Hereford to him to try. Danny said he would never leave IBP, but when they did a cutting, he could see the difference. Danny has used Greater Omaha's Classic Hereford Beef since that day.

A cutting compares the product that the customer is currently using by cooking it next to another product so the customer can decide which one they like better. This is usually done "blind" in other words, in the kitchen someone will cook both and put them on a plate

unmarked so no one knows which is which.

"Every single time we do a cutting on Greater Omaha Hereford Ground Beef, we win!" Alex said. "This happens even with customers who have never talked to us. They wouldn't consider using our



Country Meat Market, Brookhaven, MS, switched from using IBP beef to Greater Omaha's Classic Hereford Beef.



Merchants Foodservice display including the traveling, inflatable Hereford which attracts a great deal of attention.

product as they think ours is too expensive. They take one look at the ground beef and don't even have to taste it or cook it, to switch." Alex said this has happened no less than a dozen times in the last few months. Showing them the Greater Omaha Hereford Ground Beef compared to what they are currently using makes a statement that's hard to refute.

Dar Fresh is an innovative packaging that allows cut steaks to age in the package, refrigerated at 36 degrees or less for up to 30-45 days. This is used for export customers and now for food-service and retail as well.

This innovation for the "value-added cut steaks" is awesome, according to Alex. Steve Dear, manager of the Value-Added Facility, says the Dar Fresh packaging further extends the fresh shelf life beyond regular packing. The product continues to age in the packaging. This is very beneficial to retail and food service.

"When dealing with smaller cut shops, the integrity level just isn't there," said Alex, "I trust everything I get from Greater Omaha, and know I can count on the quality and consistency."

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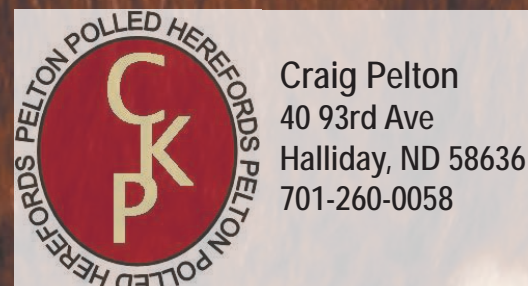
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KB LI Domino 731E ET

Sire: CL I Domino 269Z IET • Dam: CL I Dominette 2143Z

BW	WW	YW	Milk	M&G	REA	Marb
4.0	55	93	28	56	.59	-.08

731 is a powerful Herd Bull Prospect. He is an exciting bull out of the great 269Z and elite 2143 Donor Cow.



KB LI Domino 660D

Sire: CL I Domino 269Z IET • Dam: HH Miss Advance 3247A ET

BW	WW	YW	Milk	M&G	REA	Marb
2.0	50	92	32	57	.46	-.11

660 has been a standout since birth. A fall bull with extreme length, depth and phenomenal mother. We used her last year's son on first calf heifers.



KB LI Domino 762E ET

Sire: HH Advance 3006A • Dam: Montana Miss 239Z ET

BW	WW	YW	Milk	M&G	REA	Marb
3.4	67	102	37	71	.32	.11

Definite Herd Bull with terrific genetics and EPDs. His mother is one of our very best cows.



TA LI Domino 726E

Sire: HH Advance 5039C • Dam: Montana Miss 207Z

BW	WW	YW	Milk	M&G	REA	Marb
3.1	53	92	40	66	.34	-.05

726 is one of the great bulls to sell in 2018. He has it all, pedigree, EPDs and total package.



TA LI Domino 732E

Sire: CL I Domino 420B IET • Dam: KB II Dominette 1156Y

BW	WW	YW	Milk	M&G	REA	Marb
1.7	49	78	24	48	.27	.25

732 has caught our eye since birth. He is a heavyweight with mass, muscle and style with a highly productive mother.



TA LI Domino 708E ET

Sire: CL I Domino 215Z • Dam: KB LI Markette 243

BW	WW	YW	Milk	M&G	REA	Marb
0.7	52	77	25	51	.24	.16

708 and his full brothers are all good. Sired by the great 215 and Dam 243 was a great Donor that was in the herd 15 years.



Amdahl's Landmark 712

BW 79 • 205 wt 852 • 11/6/17 wt 1282

This outstanding Herd Bull prospect sells. His birth weight was below average and weaned at a heavy ratio of 112 and has kept growing. He had an actual wt of 1282# at 299 days of age. His sire, Amdahl's Block Party 557, is a maternal brother to Amdahl's All American. Amdahl's Block Party 557 weaned at 862# and ratio'd at 115. And 557 has a yearling wt of 1608#. He was a member of our Champion Pen of Bulls at the 2015 Central States Fair. He sold to Chauncey Labrier, Murdo in our 2016 Bull Sale. Amdahl's Landmark 712 will also leave a mark as a Herd Sire.



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BW 73 • 205 wt 830

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CL I Domino 215Z
CL I Domino 5110R
CL I Domino 9126J IET
CL I Domino 420B IET
CL I Domino 412B
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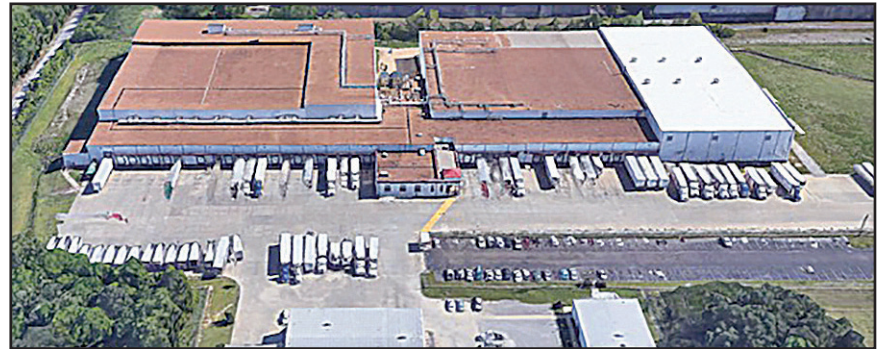
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That experience pushed Bill to make a change too. “Eight years ago I took a job with Merchants,” Bill said. “I went to see Nick and I was delighted to finally be able to offer him the beef that had been kicking my butt all those years.”

Nick’s original location has since closed but he is still using Greater Omaha’s Classic Hereford Beef at the Mermaid Café north of Jackson, MS. He has used the product for 11 years.

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Connie Sieh Groop is a freelance ag journalist.

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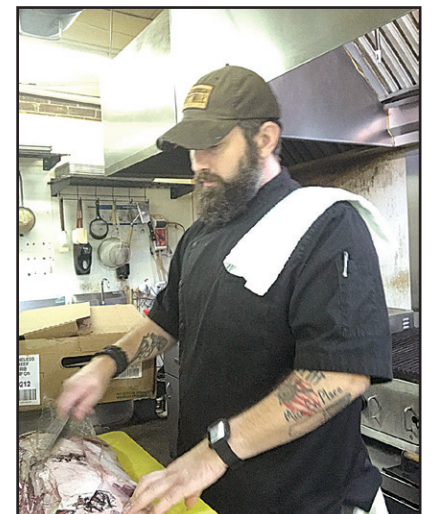
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Third Annual Nebraska Hereford Crossroads

Nebraska continues working towards a Hereford museum through the efforts of the annual Hereford Crossroads and its organizers Dick Brown, Linda Teahon, Geri Monahan, Terri Licking, Dixie Hoffman, Ken Stephens and Dale Spencer.

The first event was held in 2015 in Thedford and featured many current and former Hereford breeders along the Thedford-to-Valentine Hwy 83 route long known as Hereford Alley. Last year Hereford Crossroads was held in Alliance and this year Hereford enthusiasts met at the Loup County Community Center in Taylor.

Among the 75 guests were four descendants of the Mousel Brothers, a prominent Hereford family who settled in Nebraska in 1876 and who made 150

appearances in major livestock shows including the Royal and National Western Stock Show, garnering 25 grand champions along the way. A proclamation by Governor Pete Ricketts was read, honoring the gathering during the state's Sesquicentennial (150th) year.

Inducted into the Hereford Crossroads Hall of Fame were Alanson (Lance) Jones, DVM of Broken Bow and Alfred Meeks, Upstream Ranch of Taylor. They joined previous inductees Jerome and Charlie Warner of Warner Hereford Farms, Waverly; John W. Cooksley of Bow Hereford Ranch, Broken Bow; Wilbur Drybread, J Bar Ranch of Valentine; and Samuel R. McKelvie, By the Way Ranch of Valentine.

The dream of a Nebraska Hereford

Museum has already been partially realized. Thanks to a three year agreement, an exhibit is included in the Sandhills Heritage Museum at Dunning.



Final Farewell

Clifford J. "Cliff" Handel

Clifford was born on August 5, 1926, on a farm four miles east of Menno, SD to William and Annetta (Heckenlaible) Handel. He was baptized and confirmed at Ebenezer Reformed Church. He attended school at Knodel School and Menno High School. He then began farming and raising purebred Hereford cattle. He married Helena Katherina Mettler on September 15, 1946. They farmed east of Menno until 1981, when they moved to Menno and acquired Handel Insurance Agency.

He was one of the founding members of the Hutchinson County Soil Conservation District and served as a supervisor from 1963-2004. Clifford and Helen celebrated 61 years of marriage, until her death in May of 2008.

He married Donna Johnson on September 19, 2009. He entered Menno Olivet Care Center in December 2015.

Cliff loved working on the farm, with his cattle, and particularly harvest time. He served as Molan Township Supervisor; on the Consistory of Peace Reformed Church. He enjoyed traveling. He sold the insurance business following a debilitating stroke in 2001. Through his determination, he continued to enjoy and remain active at the farm.

Cliff is survived by his wife, Donna; his children: Katherine Handel (Lynn Pennington) of Paoli, OK; Bruce (Mary) Handel of Menno, SD; John (JoLynn) Handel of Dry Ridge, KY; grandchildren: Deaun Maas Steed, Stean (Raissa) Maas, Jeremy (Denise) Handel, Justin (Joanie) Handel, Hayden, Holten and Halena Handel; great-grandchildren: Tyler, Avery and Grant Handel, Austin and Hailey Handel, and Jaeyla Maas Steed. Cliff is also survived by his brother-in-law, Ray Mettler; sisters-in-law: Bernice Handel, Carol Mettler and Pat Mettler; as well as, nieces and nephews.

Cliff was preceded in death by his parents, wife, Helen; his brothers, Harvey and Duane.

Memorial contributions may be made to Peace Reformed Church Mission Fund, 306 North High, Menno, SD 57045.

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Sale Roundup

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**Next Generation Genetics/MGM
Polled Herefords
Oct. 15, 2017
Endeavor, WI**

Auctioneer: Eddie Burks

**27 Females — \$3,845
3 Embryos — \$500**

Top Females:

LW 55S Laura 32A ET, 2/14/13 by THM Durango 4037 and a March heifer calf by UPS Sensation 2504 ET consigned by MGM Polled Herefords, Hartford, WI to Next Generation Genetics, Endeavor, WI, \$8,000.

Westcrest Ronda X11, 11/7/10 by CRR About Time 743 and an October heifer calf by KCF Bennett Encore Z311 ET to John Strieter, Watertown, WI, \$6,600.

MGM Gloria Made 32X, 11/15/10 by BR Moler ET to David and Benjamin Hodgden, Oxford, IA, \$5,300.

MGM Belle 21B, 7/31/14 by MGM Belle Ringer S 22 to Mill Wheel Farm, Johnson Creek, WI and a January heifer calf by KCF Bennett Summit B261 ET to Slayton's Bear Dance, Bedford, PA, \$5,100.

**Berry Herefords
Cheyenne, WY
Oct. 16, 2017**

Auctioneer: Lynn Weishaar

58 Coming 2-Year-Old Bulls — \$4,280

Top Lots:

B Pi Domino 18D, 3/23/16 by CL 1 Domino 314A to Empire Ranch, Moorcroft, WY, \$8,750.

B Anchor 84D, 4/16/16 by Anchor 11X to Warren Ranch, Cheyenne, WY, \$7,000.

B Pi Domino 31D, 3/26/16 by CL 1 Domino 314A to Empire Ranch, \$6,750.

B 52X Domino 59D, 4/6/16 by CL 1 Domino 052X 1ET to Schaffer Livestock, Rock River, WY \$6,250.

B Breaking Out 67D, 4/16/16 by Anchor 11X to Bill Bohman, Iron Mountain, WY, \$6,250.

B Pi Domino 21D, 3/25/16 by CL 1 Domino 314A to Graves Ranch, Wheatland, WY, \$6,250.

B Real Deal 15D, 3/18/16 by B 22S On Target 11A to Julie Gentle, Cheyenne, WY, \$6,250 (retained interest).

B Pi Domino 20D, 3/25/16 by CL 1 Domino 314A to Graves Ranch, Chugwater, \$6,250.

B 52X Domino 59D, 4/6/16 by CL 1 Domino 052X 1ET to Schaffer Livestock, Rock River, WY, \$6,250.

B Breaking Out 67D, 4/12/16 by Anchor 11X to Bonham Ranch, Cheyenne, WY, \$6,250 (retained interest).

**Strang Herefords
and Black Angus
Oct 17, 2017
Meeker, CO**

Auctioneer: Roger Jacobs

**30 Coming 2-Year-Old
Hereford Bulls — \$3,592
13 Coming 2-year-old
Angus Bulls — \$3,769**

Top Herefords:

SH 2Y Mark Lad 624D ET, 3/10/16 by SYV Mark Lad 2Y to Hammond Ranch, Gunnison, UT, \$5,500.

SH 217Z Ribstone Lad 633D, 3/14/16 by SH 157K Ribstone 217Z ET to Moeller Ranch, LLC, Antonito, CO, \$5,000.

SH 217Z Ribstone Lade 662D, 3/28/16 by SH 157K Ribstone 217Z ET to Hammond Ranch, \$4,750.

SH 217Z Ribstone Lad 623D, 3/9/16 by SH 157K Ribstone 217Z ET to J.T. Benes, Fairplay, CO, \$4,750.

Top Angus:

SBA 1V Cedar Ridge 601D, 3/25/16 by Cole Creek Ridge 1V to Bob Swift, Walden, CO, \$6,000.

SBA 1V Cedar Ridge 607D, 3/3/16 by Cole Creek Ridge 1V to Bob Swift, \$5,500.

SBA 251Z Travelodge 613D, 3/8/16 by SBA Travelodge 251Z to Bob Swift, \$5,000.

**Hereford Harvest
October 20, 2017
Vibank, Saskatchewan**

**Auctioneer: Chris Poley
Sale Management: T Bar C Cattle
Co. Ltd.**

**17 Heifer Calves — \$3,338
20 Bred Heifers — \$3,453
1 Cow/Heifer Calf Pair — \$6,100
1 Cow/Bull Calf Pair — \$6,200
2 Cows — \$2,675
10 Embryos — \$735
41 Lots — \$3,627**

High Selling Heifer Calves:

Lot 31, HMS HFC 305 Elizabeth Swan 27E by TCF JVJ 11X The Goods 305A to JRP Herefords, Fillmore, SK, \$6,250.

Lot 43, M-R 4C Shiraz 44E by M-R 27A 403A Powerplay 4C to Lone Pine Cattle Services, Vibank, SK and Kirby Polled Herefords, Belwood, ON, \$5,750.

High Selling Bred Heifers:

Lot 30, HMS Hi-Cliffe 10Y Daffodil 7D sired by NJW 73S W18 Hometown 10Y ET to MJT Cattle Co., Edgerton,

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High Selling Cow/ Heifer Calf Pair:

Lot 4 & 4A, Kirby-Lone Pine Sybil 813Y by GH LD Wildcard 61P to Airress Acres, Wadena, SK and her calf Kirby-Lone Pine Sybil 813E by ANL A XLP Action ET 75Z to Torch View Cattle Co., White Fox, SK, \$6,100.

High Selling Cow/ Bull Calf Pair:

Lot 3 & 3A, XLP HH 1131W Nadia 539Z, by MHPH 2N Webster 1131W to Rock N Roll Herefords, Kendal, SK and her calf XLP 707B Fame 593E by XLP KPH LCPH Tribute ET 707B to Lost Valley Ranch Ltd., Ponteix, SK, \$6,200.

High Selling Cows:

Lot 5, MC 306U Ringleader 1116 by Harvie Ringo ET 306U to Flyer Cattle Co., Brandon, MB, \$3,250.

Lot 54, Square-D Tanya 793 by GHR Taurus 4J 42T to Square-D Polled

Herefords, Langbank, SK, \$2100.

**ANL Polled Herefords & Guests
Production Sale
October 21, 2017
Steelman, Saskatchewan**

**Auctioneer: Chris Poley
Sale Management: T Bar C Cattle
Co. Ltd.**

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Lot 41, Blair's AXA Nellie 20E by UPS Hutton 4258 ET to RSK Farms, Brandon, MB and Steven Knutson, Wapella, SK, \$16,000.

Lot 6, ANL C HAR 420A Melissa 53C 5E by TH 71U 17Y Mountaineer 420A to Craig & Tricia Wilgenbusch, Midale, SK, \$6,500.

Lot 50, BNC Glenlees 80B Chelsea 86E by TH 809T 14Z Playmaker 80B to Day Maddox, Carmel, IN, \$5,500.

High Selling Bred Heifers:

Lot 26, ANL 425X Elsie 58A 51D by TH 89T 743 Untapped 425 ET to Crittenden Brothers Polled Herefords, Imperial, SK, \$9,250.

Lot 19, ANL 17A Stacey 3536A 122D by TH 133W 11X Hi-Tech 17A to Blairs Ag Cattle Co., Lanigan, SK, \$9,000.

Lot 43, AXA X51 Ultimate 522D by KCF Bennett Revolution X51 to A.X.A Polled Herefords, Hampton, NB, \$9,000.

High Selling Cow/ Heifer Calf Pair:

Lot 52 & 52A, BNC 14Z Playtoy 233C by TH 512X 719T Playmaker 14Z to KTCT Polled Herefords, Portage La Prairie, MB and her calf BNC Glenlees 156 Playtoy 4E by NJW 103Y 174X Diablo 156C ET to Jim Rosploch, Lake Villa, IL, \$9,000.

Lot 11 & 11A, ANL C 23Z Astrid 43A 88C by ANL 521X Victor 65U 23Z to Troop Herefords, Grace City, ND and her calf ANL C 420A Astrid 88C 43E by TH 71U 17Y Mountaineer 420A to Rockeman Herefords, Donnybrook, ND, \$6,000.

Lot 12 & 12A, ANL 425X Ms Extra 92A by TH 89T 743 Untapped 425X ET by Brost Land & Cattle, Irvine, AB and her calf ANL 80C Miss Extra 92A 38E by ANL 17A Hi Tech 58W 80C to Spring Mountain Farm Ltd., Beaverlodge, AB, \$5,200.

High Selling Cow:

Lot 46, SVF Zippedy 8Z by CRR About Time 743 to Dan Dick, Abbotsford, BC, \$2,500.

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"Take The Next Step" Sale
October 21, 2017
Kisbey, Saskatchewan**

**Auctioneer: Chris Poley
Sale Management: T Bar C Cattle
Co. Ltd.**

50 Live Lots — \$3,650**High Selling Heifer Calves:**

Lot 3, C&T KL 106A Dahlia 26E by MHPH 521X Action 106A to Medonte Highlands Polled Herefords, Mississauga, ON, \$7,500.

Lot 16, McCoy 53A Connie 108E by McCoy 70Y Skyfall 53A to Church Ranch, Calgary, AB, \$6,250.

High Selling Bred Heifers:

Lot 20, McCoy 641Z Golden Girl 160D by McCoy W18 Champaign ET 641Z to RSK Farms, Brandon, MB and Steven Knutson, Wapella, SK, \$7,500.

Lot 15, C&T 106A Babs 43D by MHPH 521X Action 106A to Remitall West, Olds, AB, \$7,000.

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CHB	\$44




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M	37
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REA	.87
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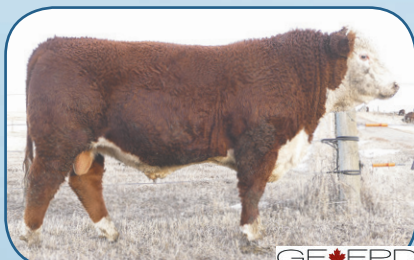
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M 30.9; MG 58.2; REA 0.16; MRB 0.27



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Lot 14, C&T KL 218Z Dahlia 71D by MHPH 118U Zappa 218Z to Phantom Creek Livestock Ltd., Swift Current, SK, \$6,500.

High Selling Cow/ Calf Pair:

Lot 26 & 26A, KLR Janice 2C by MHPH 521X Action 106A to Medonte Highlands Polled Herefords, Mississauga, ON and her calf KLR Janice 8E by MHPH RCY 10Y Bentley 2181B to C & T Cattle Co., Arcola, SK for \$6,800.

**Blair-Athol
Haroldsons & Friends
October 22, 2017**

**Arcola, Saskatchewan
Auctioneer: Chris Poley
Sale Management: T Bar C Cattle
Co. Ltd.**

19 Heifer Calves — \$8,739
42 Bred Heifers — \$5,293
3 Embryos — \$1,400
61 Lots — \$6,366

High Selling Heifer Calves:

Lot 48, Haroldson's WS Lassie 21C 37E by Haroldson's Renegade ET 21C to Arthur Polled Herefords, Alida, SK, \$32,000.

Lot 53, Haroldson's Marvel ET 57E by R Leader 6964 to Steven Knutson, Wa-

PELLA, SK, \$31,000.

Lot 2, Blair-Athol 0124 Ramona ET 44E by RST Time's A Wastin' 0124 to Kris Gordon, Kisbey, SK, \$15,250.

Lot 54, Haroldson's Marvel ET 58E by R Leader 6964 was to Remi Mitchell, Francis, SK, \$13,000.

Lot 51, Haroldson's SCC Lassie 21E by R Leader 6964 to Ottawa Valley Hereford Farm, Olds, AB, \$10,500.

High Selling Bred Heifers:

Lot 58, Haroldson's HLV Marvel 38B 82D by Haroldson's Apothic 521X 38B to Steve Knutson, Wapella, SK for \$14,500.

Lot 55, Haroldson's SCC Marvel 200Z 1D by Churchill Red Bull 200Z to LV Farms, Midale, SK and Lost Valley Ranch, Ponteix, SK, \$14,000.

Lot 56, Haroldson's Tory 704X 73D by AXA Golden-Oak Xceed ET 704X to Medonte Highlands Polled Herefords, Mississauga, ON, \$13,500.

Lot 10, Blair-Athol GMPH 475 Bailey 2D by TH 89T 755T Stockman 475Z to Kevin Boll, Fillmore, SK, \$10,000.

Lot 12, Blair-Athol CS Ava 4D by Churchill Stud 3134A to Medonte Highlands Polled Herefords, Mississauga, ON, \$10,000.

**Nelson-Hirsche Purebreds
Del Bonita, AB**

Nov. 4, 2017

Auctioneer: Bob Balog

102 Total Bulls — \$6,400
20 Hereford Bull Calves — \$13,150
32 Hereford Coming Twos — \$4,800
13 Angus Bull Calves — \$3,900
28 Angus Coming Twos — \$4,400
9 Char. Bull Calves — \$6,750

227 Total Heifers — \$2,800
20 Hereford Heifers — \$5,000
5 Angus Heifers — \$4,050
2 Charolais Heifers — \$6,875
200 Commercial Bred Heifers — \$2,575

Top Hereford Bull Calves:

Lot 1, GH 377X Eclipse 27E, 1/12 /17 by GH Adams Nitro Design 377X to Kurt Sandburg and Wade Carol, CO, \$150,000.

Lot 4B, GH Houdinis Excel 83E, 1/25/17 by RG 406X Houdinis Shadow 4185B to Chris Roppel, SK, \$9,500.

Lot 16, MBP Britisher Express 66E to Sandy Warburton, Fort Macleod AB, \$8,500.

Top Hereford Coming Two-Year-Old Bulls:

Lot 68, MVP Lucky Lad 39D to Sandy Warburton, Fort Macleod AB, \$13,500.

Lot 104, Kilo Dash 220D to Parkview Farms, Falun AB, \$9,250.

Lot 91, Arrow Standard 168D to Morton Ranch, Cardston AB, \$7,750.

Top Hereford Heifers:

Lot 21, Overdrive Elise 5E to Kevin Fraser, Cochrane, AB, \$11,500.

Lot 29, 4185B Shadow Maiden 28E to Kym Jim, BC, \$10,500.

Lot 23, Overdrive Gala Eve 10E to Oakridge Farms, BC, \$9,000.

Top Angus Bull Calves:

Lot 123, T.O.D Journey 10E to Oldland Brothers, Colorado, \$7,000.

Lot 176, NHP Stubby 49E to Brad Helgeson, Magrath AB, \$5,000.

Top Angus Two-Year-Old Bulls:

Lot 148, Hanson Bell L Ranches, Airdrie AB, \$9,000.

Top Charolais Bull Calf:

Lot 204, Domino 23Z Embargo 303E to Greg Romeril, Raymond AB, \$20,000.

**South Dakota Excellence Sale
Nov. 11, 2017
Brookings, SD**

Auctioneer: Chisum Peterson

27 Heifers — \$2,948
1 Bred Heifer — \$2,900
20 Steers — \$2,130

High Selling Heifers:

Lot 14, ECR WF Gabbie 7527 ET, 4/3/17 by BR Nitro Aventus 3116 E from Fawcett's Elm Creek Ranch, Ree Heights, SD to Reed Prickett, Parkston, SD, \$6,750.

Lot 15, ECR WF Gabbie 7632 ET, 4/16/17, by BR Nitro Aventus 3116 E from Fawcett's Elm Creek Ranch to Will Frecking, \$5,750.

Lot 26, Sleepy Rita 708, 2/12/17 by RV Thunderstruck 4239 from Sleepy Hollow Farm, Centerville, SD to Dakota Border Boys, Herreid, SD, \$5,250.

Lot 27, SPH OCC Miss Sensation 58E, 4/8/47 by UPS Sensation 2296 ET from Springwater Polled Herefords, Garretson, SD to Easton Williamson, Pipestone, MN \$4,750.

Lot 13, ECR WF Gabbie 7547 ET, 4/4/17 by BR Nitro Aventus 3116 E from Fawcett's Elm Creek Ranch to Dakota Border Boys, \$4,000.

Lot 20, LP Sultana 703E ET, 4/4/17 by CRR109 Catapult 320 from Lane Peterson, Holabird, SD to Tracey Johnson, Bruce, SD, \$3,800.

Lot 11, ESF 8Y Cassie 722 ET, 3/24/17 by NJW 73S W18 Homegrown 8Y, from Eggers Southview Farms, Sioux Falls, SD to Sam Schlim, Carthage, SD, \$3,400.

Lot 1, Blacktop Missy 746, 2/11/17 by Blacktop Rolex 4912 ET from Blacktop Farm, Mitchell, SD to MNM Acres, Canton, SD, \$3,200.

Top Bred Heifer:

Lot 36X, RCR Miss Trust 1637, 4/21/16 by RCR Trust 1407 from RCR Polled Herefords, Lake Andes, SD to Sam Schlim, \$2,900.

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Top Bred Steers:

Lot 38 from Blacktop Farms, 3/3/17 by JDH Victor 719T 33Z ET to Jacobson Farm, Howard, SD, \$2,900.

Lot 46, Muller Ranch, Davis, SD to Kelly O'Connor, Vermilion, SD, \$2,900.

Iron Clad Genetics IV Sale**Nov. 11, 2017****Athens, TX****Sale Management/Auctioneers:****Dustin Layton,****Layton Auction Services****Robbie Schacher****Schacher Auction Services****54.66 Live Lots — \$7,558****13 Bulls — \$6,465****41.66 Females — \$7,898****23 Embryos — \$907****59 Units of Semen — \$109****Top Yearling Bulls:**

Lot 50, ILR 1L Sooner 6119 ET, 11/26/16 by DM BR Sooner to Tond-

ara Hereford Stud, Australia, \$20,000, half int., half poss..

Lot 49, ILR U201 Sooner 6112 ET, 11/10/16 by DM BR Sooner to Six Mile Creek, Yukon, OK, \$7,500, half int., half poss.

Top Two-Year-Old Bulls:

Lot 53, ILR Smiles U201 5137 ET, 12/19/15 by C Miles McKee 2103 ET to Guy Bros. Farms, Castlewood, VA, \$15,500.

Lot 61, ILR Powerball 8129 5148 ET, 12/27/15 by WLB Winchester Powerball 27A, to Champion Industries, Huntington, WV, \$4,400.

Top Open Heifers:

Lot 3B, ILR 156T Lady Beth 6111 ET, 11/9/16 by CMR GVP MR Maternal to Pablo Martin Herrera, Argentina, \$25,500.

Lot 16, ILR 357 Lady Smiles 725, 2/28/17 by C Miles McKee 2103 to Guy Bros., \$25,000.

Lot 5, ILR U201 Lady Sooner 6115 ET, 11/13/16 by DM BR Sooner, \$21,000.

Lot 6A, ILR 3196 Lady Regal 6121 ET, 12/10/16 by C CJC ILR Regal 3174 ET to Ground Zero Ranch, Si-loam Springs, AR, \$21,000.

Lot 15, ILR 72C Lady Vicky 762 ET, 3/21/17 by NJW 79Z 22Z Heavy Duty to Six Mile Creek, \$10,500.

Lot 6B, ILR 319 Lady Regal 6123 ET, 12/14/16 by C CJC ILR Regal 3174 ET to 125 - Knox Brothers Herefords, San Angelo, TX, \$10,000.

Lot 21, LF ILR 525 T/X 2217E, 2/2/17 by ILR H Miles 4140B ET to Ehlke Herefords, Townsend, MT, \$10,000.

Top Spring Bred Heifers:

Lot 1, ILR Sooner 1L 5150 ET, 12/27/15 by DM BR Sooner to Sierra Ranches, Modesto, CA, \$42,500.

Lot 26, ILR 6964 Lady Patti ET, 3/29/16 by R Leader 6964 to Champion Industries, \$5,250.

Top Fall Pairs & Heavy Breds:

Lot 29, CCF 8Y Temptress 5554, 10/3/15 by NJW 73S W18 Homegrown 8Y ET to Champion Industries, \$6,750.

Mohican West Bull Sale**Nov. 13, 2017****Laurel, MT****Auctioneer: Joe Goggins****43 Bulls — \$3,860****Top Lots:**

Mohican Shelf 126D, 3/17/16 by Mohican Top Shelf Z1 to Smith Ranches, Melrose, MT, \$6,000.

Mohican Print 98D, 2/25/16 by Mohican Blueprint 69B to Smith Ranches, \$5,500. Mohican Taken 200D, 8/17/16 by Mohican Take Charge 417A ET to Warren Dunn, Buffalo, SD, \$5,250.

Mohican Taken 216D, 8/31/16 by Mohican Take Charge 417A ET to Breeden Ranch, Ten Sleep, WY, \$5,250.

Mohican Blue 56D, 2/13/16 by Mohican Blueprint 69B to Keltner Ranch, Terry, MT, \$5,000.

Mohican Taken 207D, 8/22/16 by Mohican Take Charge 417A ET to Herzog Farms, Rapelje, MT, \$5,000.

Mohican Taken 217D, 9/1/16 by Mohican Take Charge 417A ET to Keltner Ranch, \$5,000.

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Lot 4, L3 347 Desert Comfort 631, 3/27/16 by L3 King Comfort 347 to Don Meyers, Hamilton, CO, \$7,500.

Lot 3, L3 229 King Comfort 629, 3/25/16 by L3 King Comfort 229 by Star L3 Gerber Vision 053 to Diamond S Ranch, Hyattville, WY, \$6,250.

Top Fall Bulls:

Lot 92, SH MR Trust 622, 9/14/16 by by NJW 73S M326 Trust 100W ET to Stroh Herefords, Killdeer, ND, \$8,500.

Lot 82, L3 405 Desert Gear 700, 7/1/16 by L3 Desert Gear 405 to Dyer Ranch, Crawford, NE, \$6,750.

Top Bull Calf:

Lot 1, Desert Explosion 728, 2/10/17 by L3 Direct Vision 485 to Ledbetter Cattle Co., Okmulgee, OK, \$8,000.

Top Heifer Calf:

Lot 118, L3 508 Queen Comfort 742, 3/16/17 by L3 Desert Comfort 508, to Karla Blom, Modesto, CA, \$6,250.

Fenton Ranch Bull and Quarter Horse Sale**Irma, AB****Auctioneer: R.C. (Bob) Balog****47 Long Yearling Bulls — \$6,250****41 Bred Heifers — \$3,780****97 Commercial Heifers — \$2,500****6 Geldings — \$9,750****14 Foals — \$1,350****High Selling Hereford Long Yearling Bulls:**

Lot 95D, ZZB 78A Red K Lad 95D, by RUT 10X Amigo Lad 78A to JoNomn Hereford Ranch, Clyde, AB, \$15,000.

Lot 92D, ZZB 78A Red K Lad 92D by RUT 10X Amigo Lad 78A to Parkview Farms, \$15,000.

Lot 78D, ZZB 78A Red K Lad 78D by RUT 10X Amigo Lad 78A to Parkview Farms, \$13,000.

High Selling Bred Heifer:

Lot 297D, FE 232Z Empress 297D by FE 43T Emperor 232Z to Shane Trubey, CO, \$7,000.

Lot 68D, FE 18Y Red Ribstone 68D by FE 8T Red Ribstone 18Y to Misty Valley Farm - Maidstone, SK, \$6,500.

Lot 153D, FE 33A Silver Amigo 153D by SGC 324U Silver Amigo 33A to Crone Herefords, Irma, BC, \$5,750.

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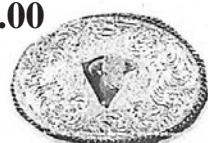
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Bar Pipe Herefords
Okotoks, AB
Nov. 28, 2017

Auctioneer: Bob Balog

35 Long Yearling Bulls — \$5,933
34 Bred Heifers — \$2,378
1 Border Collie — \$6,750

High Selling Bulls:

Lot 1, BP 78B John Wayne 126D by BBSF 465Y Boyd 78B to Holloway Farm, Castor, AB, \$13,000.
 Lot 15, BP 247 Kootenay 37D by DCR 713 Kootenay 247 to Lievaart Land & Livestock, Nanton, AB, \$8,000.
 Lot 2, BP 78B John Wayne 23D by BBSF 465Y Boyd 78B to Rainy Creek Cattle Co., Bentley, \$7,500.
 Lot 3, BP 78B John Wayne 17D by BBSF 465Y Boyd 78B to Peter King, Fort St. John, BC, \$7,500.
 Lot 11, BP 78B John Wayne 93D by BBSF 465Y Boyd 78B to Vegreville Colony, Vegreville, AB, \$7,500.
 Lot 17, BP 247 Kootenay 40D by DCR 713 Kootenay 247 to Springfield Ranch, Williams Lake, BC, \$7,000.
 Lot 18, BP 247 Kootenay 53D by DCR 713 Kootenay 247 to Wayne Ritchie, Turner Valley, AB, \$7,000.
 Lot 10, BP 78B John Wayne 64D by BBSF 465Y Boyd 78B to Lievaart Land & Livestock, \$7,000.

High Selling Bred Heifers:

Lot 44, BP 118A Vice Admiral Lady 35D by BP 18Y Vice Admiral 118A to Hills Galore Farm, Alvin Pawlitz, Hazlet, SK, \$4,250.
 Lot 45, BP 38T Standard Lady 52D by Standard 68L Dom Lad 38T to Brock-off Cattle Company, Edberg, AB, \$3,100.
 Lot 46, BP 78B Miss Wayne 104D by BBSF 465Y Boyd 78B to Cessford Lazy M Enterprises, Cessford, AB, \$3,000.

Border Collie:

Lot 43, Blue, a three year old working male Border Collie, ABCA 411957, to Jim Barss, Irma, AB, \$6,750.

Jamison Herefords
Fall Female Sale
Quinter, KS
Dec. 1, 2017

Auctioneer: Lynn Weishaar

41 Spring Bred Heifers — \$3,488
29 Fall Cow/Calf Pairs — \$3,845
104 Commercial Bred Herefords — \$1,985
97 Commercial Bred Black-Baldies — \$1,767

Top Spring Bred Heifers:

Lot 10, JA L1 Dominette 6202D, 2/05/16 sired by HH Advance 4082B to Casey Perman of SD, \$6,000.

Lot 27, BT L1 Dominette 6000D, 1/25/16 sired by CL 1 Domino 216Z to Kevin Dietz of ND, \$5,750.
 Lot 44, CTR L1 Dominette 6064D, 3/01/16 sired by CL 1 Domino 386A to Sunburst Herefords of UT, \$5,750.

Fall Cow/Calf Pairs:

Lot 61, JA L1 Dominette 5621C, 4/19/15 sired by JA L1 Domino 1602Y to Justin Miller of KS, \$6,500.
 Lot 56, JA L1 Dominette 5154C, 2/17/15 sired by JA L1 Domino 2110Z to Oleen Bros. of KS, \$5,000.
 Lot 60, JA L1 Dominette 5430C, 2/18/15 sired by HH Advance 2181Z to Keefe Burt of AL, \$4,750.
 USA Ranch of NM purchased 31 Commercial Hereford Heifers for an average of \$2,392 per head.

Brost Land & Cattle
49th Annual Production Sale
Irvine, AB

Dec. 1, 2017

Auctioneer: Bob Balog

18 Bull Calves — 7,014
17 Yearling Bulls — \$6,129
10 Bred Heifers — \$5,700
2 Polled Heifer Calves — \$3,875
40 Commercial Heifers — \$2,622

High Selling Polled Bull Calves:

Lot 30, Bar-RZ 37C Everest 32E by J-

Bar-B 106A Captivate 37C, to Durbin Creek Herefords and Chestmere Herefords, \$27,000.

Lot 31, Bar-RZ 23B Everett 37E by ANL C HAR T100 TAHOE 86 ET 23B to Myalta Farms, Westlock, AB, \$10,500.

High Selling Polled Yearling Bulls:

Lot 18, BBSF 680Y Decline 76D by JNHR Unique Stockton 680Y, to Lost River Ranch \$10,000.
 Lot 16, BBSF 33A Debate 107D by Remitall-West Havana ET 33A to Earl Kading, \$7,250.

High Selling Polled Bred Heifers:

Lot 34, Bar-RZ 20Z Diamond 77D by Bar-RZ 85U Zeus 20Z, to King Ranch \$7,500.
 Lot 28, BBSF 76A Cindy 20D by BBSF 719T Adeem 76A to Sunshine Hill Farms, \$7,000.

High Selling Horned Yearling Bulls:

Lot 41, BBSF 383 Dividend 295D by MH 9126J Domino 383 1ET, to Bruce Geigle, \$13,500.
 Lot 42, BBSF 95Z Dunmore 254D by LBH 162W Sterling 95Z to Pipeline Grazing, \$8,000.

High Selling Horned Bred Heifers:

Lot 50, BBSF 383 Naomi 280D by MH 9126J Domino 383 1ET to Scott Lewington, McKenzie & Wildbear, \$7,250.

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Lot 52, BBSF 95Z Domino 404D by LBH 162W Sterling 95Z to Braun Ranch, \$6,750.

Pyramid Beef Annual Sale Spearfish, SD Dec. 2, 2017

Auctioneer: Roger Jacobs

32 Hereford Two's — \$4,992
90 Angus Two's — \$5,425
69 Commercial Bred Heifers — \$1,711

Top Hereford 2-yr-old Bulls:

Lot 117, Pyramid Domino 6107, 3/17/16 sired by UPS Domino 3027 to Thorstenson Ranch of Selby, SD, \$16,000.

Lot 118, Pyramid Domino 6112, 3/18/16 sired by UPS Domino 3027 to Ned & Jan Ward of Sheridan, WY, \$10,000.

Lot 122, Pyramid Catapult 6149, 4/19/16 sired by CRR 109 Catapult 322 to Gant Polled Herefords of Geddes, SD, \$8,000.

Lot 139, Pyramid Mr. Hereford 6136, 4/05/16 sired by Pyramid Mr. Hereford 3122 to Hilda Brimmer of Biddle, MT, \$7,750.

Lot 125, Pyramid Catapult 6116, 3/19/16 sired by CRR 109 Catapult 322 to Justin Edwards of Gillette, WY, \$6,750.

Angus 2-yr-old Bulls:

Lot 1, Pyramid Capitalist 6032, 3/20/16 sired by S A V Resource to Michael Rourke of Gillette, WY, \$16,500.

Lot 34, Pyramid Roughrider 6432, 5/12/16 sired by Ellingson Roughrider 4202 to Marty Edwards of Gillette, WY, \$15,000.

Lot 33, Pyramid Roughrider 6448, 2/04/16 sired by Ellingson Roughrider 4202 to Bootheel Seven Livestock of Lusk, WY, \$12,500.

Lot 12, Pyramid Priority 6401, 2/04/16 sired by S A V Priority 7283 to Marty Edwards of Gillette, WY for \$12,000.

Lot 67, Pyramid May Day Jay 6433, 5/10/16 sired by Pyramid May Day Jay 4406 to Diamond J Ranch of Canonball, ND, \$11,000.

ZSC of Spearfish purchased 15 bred commercial Angus heifers from Pyramid customer Haiar Enterprises for \$1,800 each.

Chad Mackaben of Belle Fourche, SD purchased 15 bred F1 Baldies from Pyramid customer Doolittle Wagner, LLC for \$1,750 each.

The Pyramid Beef Sale was held this year at the Frederickson Ranch west of Spearfish in their new barn. What a nice facility! Congratulations Pyramid!

North Star Classic Hereford Sale Valley City, ND Dec. 2, 2017

Auctioneer: Andy Mrnak

12 Heifers — \$2,271
2 Steers — \$1,425
3 Breds — \$2,833

High Selling Heifers:

Donated Heifer, Lot 1, OHR Belle CT 154 B 158D, 11/3/16 by Dakitch MDK Caretaker 51 consigned by Olson Herefords, Argusville, ND (Heifer was won by Gary Friedt, Mott, ND and he donated back to NDHA to resell) \$2000 + \$5100 tickets.

Lot 6, TTFL 6U 0924 Lady Tundra 1712, 2/26/17 by CKP About Time 092, consigned by Friesz Livestock, New Salem, ND sold to Lacey Wolfekuhle, Wolverton, MN, \$5,500.

Lot 7, TTFL 910 338 Jane 1718, 3/2/17 by VIN-MAR TCC BPF Red Baron 33 consigned by Friesz Livestock sold to Elizabeth and Kaleb Neshem, Berthold, ND, \$3,600

Lot 8, TTFL 1314 338 Patty 1726, 3/6/17 by VIN-MAR TCC BPF Red Baron 33 consigned by Friesz Livestock sold to KT Cattle Co., Cogswell, ND, \$2,400.

Lot 15, TTFL 021A 0924 Amy 1745, 4/1/17 by CKP About Time 092 consigned by Friesz Livestock sold to Addison Neshem, Berthold, ND, \$2,300.

Top Bred Heifers:

Lot 20, TTFL 1202 338 Jane 1630, 3/11/16 by VIN-MAR TCC BPF Red Baron 33 from Friesz Livestock to Aaseth Family, \$3,300.

Lot 19, TTFL 0640 338 MIRADA 1610, 2/25/16 by VIN-MAR TCC BPF Red Baron 33, Friesz Livestock to Seefeld Polled Herefords, Harvey, ND, \$2,700.

Lot 18, TTFL 1231 338 Dance 1606, 2/20/16 by VIN-MAR TCC BPF Red Baron 33 consigned by Friesz Livestock sold to Aaseth Family, Velva, ND, \$2,500.

Top Steers:

Lot 24 from Friedt Herefords, Mott, ND to Emily Huber Family, Jud, ND, \$1,600.

Lot 21, from Schimming & Sons, Enderlin, ND to Lynzee Schepp, Minot, ND, \$1,250.

British Connection Bull Sale Dec. 2, 2017 Lethbridge, AB

Auctioneer: Bob Balog

39 Horned Hereford Bulls — \$6,934
13 Polled Hereford Bulls — \$6,653
28 Black Angus Bulls — 7,521

Top Horned Hereford Bulls:

Lot 42, FA 10A Britisher 84D by JEN



Gopher the Purple Sale in Hutchinson, MN.

Photo by Jaime Sorenson

Silver Brit 10A, to Ayrey Herefords, SK \$14,500.

Lot 45, FA Sunshine Britisher 99D by YV 30U MR Stan Sunshine ET 31A, to Evergreen Farms, St. Paul, AB \$11,250.

Lot 69, JEN Red STD 44D by JNHR All Red 290A to Lost River Ranch, Manyberries, AB, \$11,000.

Lot 29, BJ'S 56B Advance 1098Y 1D by HH Advance 1098Y to Leeuwenburgh Angus, \$10,500.

Lot 37, FA 3077 Britisher 52D by UU Sensation 3077 to Clint & Darryl Brost, \$10,000.

High Selling Polled Hereford Bulls:

Lot 73, J-Bar-B 37C Excaliber 10E by J-Bar-B 106A Captivate 37C to Lost River Ranching, \$9,500.

Lot 86, J-Bar-B 37C Everett 59E by J-Bar-B 106A Captivate 37C to Beckman, \$9,500.

Lot 71 - J-Bar-B 37C Excel 4E by J-Bar-B 106A Captivate 37C to Reese, \$9,000.

High Selling Angus Bull:

Lot 28, BJ'S Evolution 723 by S A V 004 Density 4336 to Baintree Angus - Rockyford, \$16,500.

37th Annual Go-Pher the Purple Sale Hutchinson, MN Dec. 2, 2017

Auctioneer: Jim Birdwell
Sale Mgr.: Steve Wolff

29 Heifer Calves — \$2,253
19 Bred Females — \$3,873
5 Bull Calves — \$2,600

Top Bull Calves:

Lot 3, Dakitch MDK 125Y Leader 20E, 1/24/17 by R Leader 6964 from Dakitch Hereford Farms to Tiffany Vorlicek, Silver Lake, MN, \$3,500.

Lot 6, KPH 7Z Victor 1741, 2/27/17 by JDH Victor 719T7Z ET from Krogstad Polled Herefords to Joy Clobes, Fairfax, MN, \$3,000.

Top Cow/Calf Pair:

Lot 9, CKP Buttercup 5019, 2/27/15 by Hometown 10Y from Pelton Polled Herefords to Easton Williamson Pipestone MN, \$3,000.

Lot 9A, CKP Buttercup 7115 by Anodyne from Pelton Polled Herefords to Jared Carlson, Murdock, MN, \$1,900.

Top Heifer Calves:

Lot 19, JDH MS 13Y Spot On 21C 7E ET, 1/21/17 by JDH 618 Spot On 2040 21C ET from Delaney Herefords to Huso and Sons, Aneta, ND, \$5,000.

Lot 36, MS Dakitch MDK Mack Liz 188E, 4/22/17 by Dakitch 28Y Mr Right 23A, Dakitch Farms to Kelly Timm, Hanley Falls, MN, \$4,000.

Lot 26, MS Dakitch MDK156B Felina 127E, 3/13/17 by DPH 6129 Take Off 502 ET from Dakitch Farms to Russell Hackett, St. Cloud, MN, \$3,100.

Top Bred Heifers:

Lot 53, WF Miss Mario 96 ET, 4/21/16 by CRR About Time 743 from Will Freking to Chesney Effling, Highmore, SD, \$10,500.

Lot 44, KLS Trust Maid 31D, 3/5/16 by NJW 73S M326 Trust 100W ET from Kevin Stork to Huso and Sons, Aneta ND, \$5,500.

Lot 43, CKP KH Nancy 6011 ET, 2/22/16 by NJW FHF 9710 Tank 45P from Kent Heins to Dakitch Hereford Farms, Ada, MN, \$3,600.

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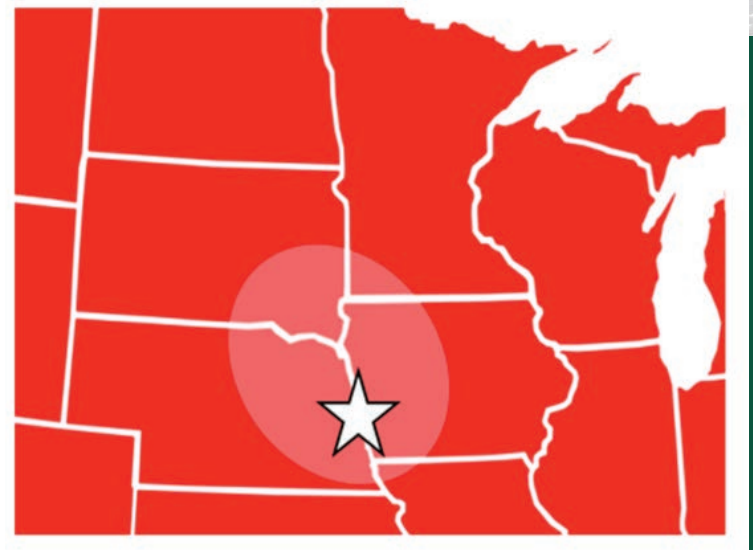
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Hereford Youth Awarded in Inaugural NJHA Fed Steer Shootout

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Hereford youth gained invaluable cattle feeding and industry education experience through the inaugural National Junior Hereford Association (NJHA) Fed Steer Shootout.

“We are proud of the growth of our junior program and the benefits it brings to our younger breeders,” says Jack Ward, AHA executive vice presi-

dent. “Over the years, the NJHA has had a strong focus on leadership and education. We are excited to offer an opportunity for our junior membership to become more directly involved with the beef industry outside of the show ring.”

In its first year, 29 youth from 11 states entered 72 steers in the Fed Steer

Shootout program. Participants estimated feed yard performance and carcass merit, and then compared the information to actual performance data. They also had the opportunity to measure and compare the profitability of their animals during the contest. The steers were fed at Gregory Feedlots in Tabor, Iowa, in partnership with David

Trowbridge and the Gregory Feedlots.

The Hereford Research Foundation sponsored \$5,000 in cash awards and Anderson Bean Boot Company provided handcrafted boots for winners. Program sponsors include UltraInsights Processing Lab, Inc., GeneSeek®, Allflex USA, Greater Omaha Packing Co., Inc. and Zoetis Animal Health.



Trevor and Tate Johnson, Centerville, SD, consigned the highest marbling score steer with their commercial calf; Lauren McMillan, Tiskilwa, IL, consigned the largest ribeye area steer with her Hereford calf; and Mallory and Regan Carlson, Murdock, MN, consigned the highest average daily gain steer with a calf out of their Hereford Pen-of-Three in the 2017 NJHA Fed Steer Shootout. Pictured (left to right) at the 2017 Hereford Honoree Reception during the AHA Annual Meeting and Conference in Kansas City, MO, are Tate Johnson; Kevin Shultz, 2018 AHA president; Trevor Johnson; Mallory Carlson; Steven Green, NJHA chairman; Trey Befort, AHA director of commercial programs; and Annah Dobson, National Hereford Queen. Not pictured are Lauren McMillan and Regan Carlson.



Tava Gustafson, Junction City, KS, consigned the Grand Champion and highest retail value steer in the 2017 NJHA Fed Steer Shootout. Pictured (left to right) at the 2017 Hereford Honoree Reception during the AHA Annual Meeting and Conference in Kansas City, MO, are Kevin Shultz, 2018 AHA president; Tava Gustafson; Steven Green, NJHA chairman; Trey Befort, AHA director of commercial programs; and Annah Dobson, National Hereford Queen.



Molly Biggs, Dixon, IL., was named the 2017 Fed Steer Shootout Junior of the Year. Pictured (left to right) at the 2017 Hereford Honoree Reception during the AHA Annual Meeting and Conference in Kansas City, MO, are Kevin Shultz, 2018 AHA president; Molly Biggs; Steven Green, NJHA chairman; Trey Befort, AHA director of commercial programs; and Annah Dobson, National Hereford Queen.



Mackenzie Trowbridge, Tabor, IA, consigned the Champion Pen-of-Three Hereford Steers in the 2017 NJHA Fed Steer Shootout.



Madi Ridder, Marthasville, MO, consigned the Champion Pen-of-Three commercial steers in the 2017 NJHA Fed Steer Shootout.



Colton Stiefvater, Salem, SD, consigned the Reserve Champion Individual Commercial Steer in the 2017 NJHA Fed Steer Shootout.



Mallory and Regan Carlson, Murdock, MN., consigned the Reserve Champion Pen-of-Three Hereford steers in the 2017 NJHA Fed Steer Shootout.



Ben Ridder, Marthasville, MO, consigned the Reserve Champion Pen-of-Three commercial steers in the 2017 NJHA Fed Steer Shootout.



Katherine Krauss, Russell, KS, consigned the Reserve Champion individual Hereford steer in the 2017 NJHA Fed Steer Shootout.

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Schultz Elected AHA President, Atkins Vice President

KANSAS CITY, MO — Kevin Schultz, Haviland, KS, was announced as the new president of the American Hereford Association (AHA) during the Annual Meeting and Conference Oct. 28 in Kansas City, MO.

Schultz, along with his wife Vera, owns and operates Sandhill Farms, Haviland, KS. Sandhill Farms is a seven-generation, diversified farming and cattle operation with 300 cows.

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 Schultz family also sells commercial open heifers and customer-owned black baldie 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. Schultz 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™ (Total Performance Record) Breeder; the family has been whole-herd reporting since the beginning of its registered cattle program.

“Transparency is vitally important for the success of the members, the Association, board and staff,” Schultz said. “I want to continue with open communication of goals and ideas between the Association and the members. I also want to support the staff in implementing the programs that have been initiated, such as the new genetic evaluation and indexes and the new ideas and programs that will be used to implement the strategic plan.”

Atkins selected vice president

Selected to serve as the 2018 vice president was Pete Atkins, Tea, SD. Atkins and his wife, Laura, and three sons, Scott, Craig and Paul, own and operate Atkins Herefords, Tea, SD.

Pete was raised on a diversified cattle, hog and crop farming operation in southeastern South Dakota, where he and his wife live today. The Atkins family started collecting and reporting performance data in 1975 and have used artificial insemination (AI) since the late 1970s and embryo transfer (ET) for the past nine years.

Atkins Herefords' goal is to produce high-performing cattle with moderate birth weights that have eye appeal and will work for the commercial cattleman. Emphasis is placed on raising sound, trouble-free cattle, and udder quality in the cow herd is stressed heavily. Pete thinks it is important to use a balance of all tools available when selecting breeding stock.

Today, Atkins Herefords consists of a base herd of 25 registered cows, and it produces an additional 20 to 50 ET calves each year. Together with their good friends and partners, the Jerry



Pictured is the 2017-18 AHA Board of Directors. From left to right (sitting): Kevin Schultz, president, Haviland, KS; Pete Atkins, vice president, Tea, SD; Bob Thompson, Rolla, MO; Tommy Mead, Midville, GA; and Jack Ward, AHA executive vice president. From left to right (standing): Joe Waggoner, Carthage, MS; Nate Frederickson, Spearfish, SD; Mark St. Pierre, El Nido, CA; Joel Birdwell, Kingfisher, OK; Jim Bellis, Aurora, MO; and Bruce Thomas, Goldcreek, MT.

Delaney family, the Atkins' market bulls through a bull sale each year, and every other year they market females through a fall production sale. Atkins Herefords consigns bulls and females to the Mile High Night Sale and exhibits carloads of bulls and pens of heifers with the Delaneys each year in Denver.

Directors elected

Delegates elected three new directors during the membership meeting. Nate Frederickson, Spearfish, SD; Mark St. Pierre, El Nido, CA; and Joe Waggoner, Carthage, MS, will serve four-year terms on the 12-member Board. Completing their terms on the AHA Board were outgoing president Terri Barber, Channing, TX; Dave Bielema, Ada, MI.; and Joe Van Newkirk, Oshkosh, NE.

Nate Frederickson

Cattleman Nate Frederickson, Spearfish, SD, is co-owner and operator of Frederickson Ranch in the Northern Black Hills of South Dakota.

Nate, along with his wife, Jayna, two young sons, Teegan and Tiernan, and his parents, Mark and Mary Kay, run 450-500 head of registered Hereford, Angus and commercial cows, which are used in their ET program.

Frederickson Ranch markets bulls through a private limited liability company called Pyramid Beef, which was created seven years ago as a marketing outlet for the ranch's bulls and commercial females. Pyramid Beef has two outside partners and markets 150 bulls a year through the annual production sale, hosted at the bull development center on the ranch.

Frederickson Ranch strives to provide its customers efficient, low-maintenance genetics along with exceptional customer service and avenues to help them add value to their bottom line.

Prior to ranching full-time, Nate spent 14 years in the animal health industry working with veterinarians, distribution companies, feedlots and cow-calf operations.

Nate is currently serving on the board of directors for the South Dakota Hereford Association and is a member of Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Spearfish.

Mark St. Pierre

Mark St. Pierre is the beef manager at Pedretti Ranches in El Nido, CA. He is a member of the Pedretti family, and has worked in the family business for 36 years.

At Pedretti Ranches, Mark manages the Hereford herd, which consists of 200 registered cows with 100 calving in the spring and 100 calving in the fall.

The Pedrettis have long emphasized performance data in their Hereford herd with performance records dating back to the 1950s. While the ranch received recognition in the showring in the '70s and early '80s, including cattle shown on the Hill and in the carloads at the NWSS, the Pedrettis' goal has always been to produce cattle that work for the commercial cattlemen in California. Pedretti Ranches raises approximately 80 bulls each year, which are marketed by private treaty sales. With two calving seasons six months apart, the ranch always has the next set of bulls on test. Both Mark and his father-in-law, Gino Pedretti, work with commercial cus-

tomers. Pedretti Ranches focuses on sound cattle with balance EPDs, good disposition and udder quality.

Mark manages the day-to-day work including addressing herd health issues, vaccination schedules, feeding, pasture management, breeding and calving. He also works in the farming operation, which involves growing cotton, corn and hay, and has some limited duty on the family dairy.

Mark has served as a California-Nevada Hereford Association board member and has hosted numerous tours. He has been a Merced-Mariposa County Cattlemen's Association director, a member of the Chowchilla High School FFA ag advisory committee, a 4-H leader and a volunteer fireman. Mark has also served as a deacon and elder in his local church.

Mark and his wife, Kim, have two children — a daughter, Christy, and a son, Matt, and his wife, Leah — and one granddaughter.

Joe Waggoner

Hereford breeder Joe Waggoner, Carthage, MS, has been raising cattle all of his life.

Joe's youth was shaped by experiences in both beef and dairy judging and exhibiting livestock. He learned the business from his father, and now, 55 years after purchasing his first Hereford calf, he manages the seedstock division of his family's fourth-generation farm in central Mississippi — Waggoner Cattle Co. LLC. The family farm consists of a 150-head Hereford herd, a commercial herd and timber production.

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The purebred cattle are marketed regionally in the Southeast with partnerships for bull development and sales in Kansas while females are marketed private treaty. Joe works to improve herd genetics and performance through participation in the Mississippi Beef Cattle Improvement Association (MBCIA), AHA Whole Herd TPR and genomic testing.

Joe's father also influenced his decision to obtain degrees in civil engineering and law. In 1976 Joe and his wife, Allison, founded a civil engineering and management business in Jackson, Miss. For the last 40 years, growing this firm and expanding the family cattle business have formed Joe's professional career.

Joe joined the American Polled Hereford Association in 1964 and became a member of the AHA following

the merger of the polled and horned organizations. He has served as president, secretary and a board member of the Mississippi Polled Hereford Association and has sponsored field days at the farm.

He is a member of the MBCIA, the National Cattlemen's Beef Association and the Beef Improvement Federation. Joe is also involved in chambers of commerce, economic development districts, state and national bar associations, the Society of International Business Fellows, the National Society of Professional Engineers, the American Council of Engineering Companies and Habitat for Humanity. Joe and Allison have two grown daughters — Alex Ayres and Olivia Claire.



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Lot 21 and Lot 4 tied for the high selling lot. Lot 21 was consigned by Harrison Cattle Co., Arapaho, OK, and was bought by an Oklahoma buyer for \$14,000. Lot 4 was consigned by Bacon Cattle and Sheep, Siloam Springs, AR, and was bought by a California buyer for \$14,000.

The second high-selling heifer was Lot 5, consigned by Barber Ranch, Channing, TX. She sold for \$8,500 to a North Carolina buyer. The high selling embryo package was offered by Lowderman Cattle Company, Macomb, IL; Rhett J. Lowderman, Macomb, IL; and Foggy Bottom Farm, Taneytown, MD, and sold as Lot 25 for \$1,600. The package included three IVF sexed heifer calf embryo matings out of SRH Miss Kitty 1001 ET.

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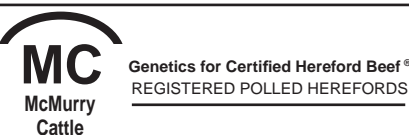
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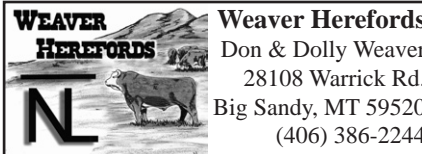
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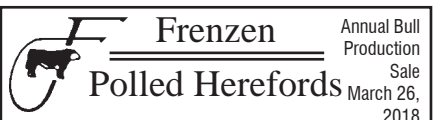
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Dec. 7, 2017, KANSAS CITY - The American Hereford Association (AHA) released the first updated expected progeny differences (EPDs) and corresponding accuracies using the Biometric Open Language Tools (BOLT) genetic evaluation software Dec. 4. The new genetic evaluation also includes two new traits, Sustained Cow Fertility (SCF) and Dry Matter Intake (DMI), and updated profit (\$) indexes.

"It's long been our goal to provide Hereford breeders the most advanced and reliable genetic evaluation possible," says AHA President Kevin Schultz. "This new genetic evaluation gives us one of the best tools to identify breed-leading genetics at a faster pace than ever before."

Due to the industry-leading Whole Herd Total Performance Records (TPR™) program, in its 17th year, and the current 53,000 Hereford genotypes on record, the AHA is poised for a stronghold in the DNA era, making Hereford cattle even more predictable.

Last year the Association pursued a genetic evaluation overhaul to allow for better use of genomics in its evaluation.

"BOLT provides a more robust eval-

uation by calculating true accuracy on animals," says AHA Chief Operating Officer and Director of Breed Improvement Shane Bedwell.

Utilizing BOLT, all factors associated with contemporary group makeup will be accounted for in the calculation of true accuracy. This genetic evaluation system moves away from a full multi-trait model, decoupling models to better estimate traits of interest. It also modifies contemporary group structure to allow for as much data as possible to affect the evaluation.

In addition, BOLT utilizes a cutoff strategy which only includes animals born after 2001 and animals related by three generations of pedigree.

"A genetic evaluation backed solely by Whole Herd TPR data strengthens the evaluation and takes out selection bias that occurred pre-Whole Herd TPR," Bedwell says.

Hereford breeder Jack Holden, Valier, MT, was a member of the advisory committee, comprised of cattlemen and the scientific community, who was tasked with reviewing the new genetic evaluation.

"The process of generating the new

genetic evaluation was really outstanding, and I feel comfortable with where we're at now," Holden says. "BOLT will give us better, more accurate indications of genetic potential in our animals. Any time we can identify that quicker, along with finding cattle that fit phenotypically, we can make faster genetic progress to improve our herd."

New traits and updated \$Indexes

Released with the new genetic evaluation are two new traits: SCF and DMI. The AHA's new SCF EPD is a prediction of a cow's ability to continue to calve from three years of age through 12 years of age, given she calved as a two-year-old. The EPD is expressed as a deviation in the proportion of the ten-possible calvings to 12 years old expressed as a probability.

"The new SCF EPD is a powerful tool," Schultz says. "In a commercial cow herd, longevity and fertility are profit drivers. We're providing a new tool for that purpose."

Feed intake records from AHA research projects and breeder data collection have been analyzed in a genetic

evaluation to predict DMI EPDs. Reported in pounds of feed consumed per day, this EPD characterizes genetics for intake, with a lower numeric value being associated with less feed consumed on a dry matter basis.

SCF and DMI will now be included in the AHA \$Indexes, along with other economically relevant traits (ERTs), including carcass weight (CW) and mature cow weight (MCW).

DMI and CW will be included in all three AHA \$Indexes to help predict the cost associated with feed inputs and measure the end-product pounds that are critical for profit.

"SCF will replace scrotal circumference as the predictor of fertility and be a large contributor to both maternal indexes," Bedwell says. "Adding these ERTs into the profit indexes will provide a more robust and comprehensive selection tool for commercial producers to select Hereford bulls to be used on Angus based cows."

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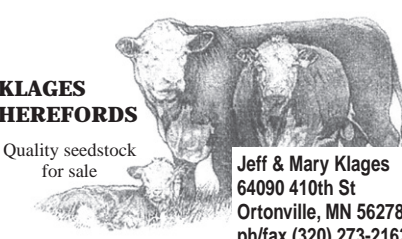
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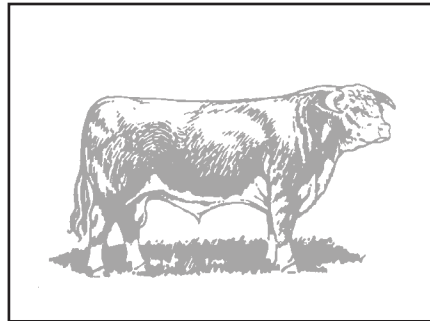
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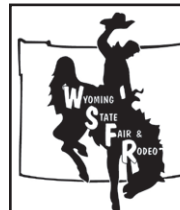
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