

The Colorado Lasaters

"Let me tell you how to buy cattle," said Tom Lasater. Lasater, patriarch of a legendary ranching family and maker of the Beefmaster breed has strong opinions. Everybody listened.

Some visitors at his house had offered a few ideas. Now Tom's grey eyes swept the room to take the measure of an audience that included his son Dale and grandson Tom.

"Get to know the seller before you look at his stock," he said. If you trust him, if you like his ideas and the way he runs his ranch, you'll like his cattle. You can't always tell how cattle will perform by looking at them. You're better off judging men."

That's why Beefmaster cattle carry the name of the ranch that bred them on all records of the breed associations. That's why the Lasaters don't bother sending cattle to the show ring.

Certainly everything about Tom's own personality, and his operation reflects the rigorous philosophy that created the great beasts that roam the green hills of his Matheson, Colorado ranch. And talking to any Lasater or walking over their ground should give any buyer reason to expect good cattle.

Other cattlemen have called Tom Lasater a "creative radical" for his absolute faith in Nature's power to do the right thing, and his willingness to apply that faith to every aspect of his life.

Hardly surprising then that Dale Lasater, who helps his dad a lot these days, would just as soon show off the grass on the ranch as the cattle when he takes people for tours. "This place was as barren as a tennis court when we came here in 1948," he says driving over the healthy turf where a good part of the 500 cow herd will summer. "Dad bought 10,000 acres when he came, then added on farms and ranches until he brought it up to 28,000.

"Ant infestations and every kind of weed took over the old ground, and the extension people recommended all kinds of pest control and seeding schemes, but Dad said no. And sure enough, the cattle concentrated on those trashy old fields, and in no time the grass came back. It was typical of Dad to trust nature and not look for short cuts. Now you can't even find the old fields. You can ride the whole ranch and not see ten ant hills."

But you will see good cattle that for sure boast the six virtues for which Tom has culled his herd now over 54 years—disposition, fertility, weight, conformation (from the packer's point of view), hardiness, and milk production.

The Lasaters don't offer detailed record books, pedigrees, or performance-on-feed tests to support that. "My records are on the left flank of the cow," said Tom. "The brand shows the year she was born, and if I still own her, she's raised a good calf every year since she was two on range conditions."

Tom Lasater began applying his tough culling practices in South Texas. His foundation herd, now 37 years in Colorado,

has adapted completely to cold climate. So has Tom Lasater. "I feel like I need a passport to even visit Texas now," says he. "And for sure Texans should have to get one to set foot in Colorado."



Dale & Janine Lasater's sons, Alex & Tom pose for picture with grandfather Tom Lasater.

But in fact the Lasaters and their Beefmasters wrote their own chapter of Texas history. Dale, for whom the writing pen and the weaning pen hold equal attraction, recently published a book called Falfurrias: Ed C. Lasater and the Development of South Texas. Ed. C. Lasater founded the town of Falfurrias with the ideal of establishing a deversified agricultural community in an untamed land. Dale's book gives a fascinating glimpse of his grandfather as a prime mover among the Kings, Kleburgs, Brakenridges, Bennetts, and Armstrongs who orchestrated the glory days of South Texas ranching. The book also demonstrates how the character of both the cattle and the men has been bred up to the present generation on range conditions.

Ed. C. pioneered Brahman cattle in South Texas and was among the first to cross them on Hereford and Short Horn cows. Others criticized him for risking good blood lines on Asian sires, but he made his point that hybrid vigor and Brahman resistance to heat and disease had a place in American ranching.

As Dale puts it now, however, "The Beefmasters might never have come to be, if Ed C. hadn't died broke (from over ambitious credit, not poor cattle) in 1930. If Dad had inherited a flush operation, he might have dabbled around and lived on Ed C.'s reputation, but he had to raise cows that made money. He began culling for the six essentials when he had borrowed money and leased land. Before too long his calves consistantly topped the San Antonio market, and buyers started driving

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Editor's Memo's

Dear Mrs. Wilkinson:

Noble Foundation of Ardmore, Oklahoma has a 140 day gain test for all breeds of bulls in which no grain is fed. The bulls are grazed on a good winter pasture of rye, ryegrass, and legumes.

One of my Polled bulls gained three pounds a day while on test and weighted 1020 pounds at the end of the test. He was a year and thirteen days old at the time. This was the best Beefmaster gain. There were eleven Beefmasters on the test but four were taken out before the last weighing.

Sincerely, Roy Cotulla

FBA OFFICE NEWS:

She did what? She is going where? Kathy got married and is moving to Miami, Florida. Most of you have met or talked to Kathy when you called the office. Kathy has worked in our office for four years and we are sorry to see her go. Her new husband's job is taking them to Florida and Kathy insisted that she must go with him. I tried to get her to spend her two week vacation with him every year and stay here but she was sure it wouldn't set too well with Doug!

Kathy has been a very dependable and dedicated employee and we will miss her very much. I'm sure all of you join me in wishing her a very happy future.

We have a new "heifer" to replace the "old cow" that moved on to greener pastures. Maria Tarin joined our forces and we feel she will be a friendly and reliable addition to our staff.

Mary M. Wilkinson Executive Secretary

Farmer's Prayer*

As Farmers and Ranchers, Dear God, please give us wisdom and patience to understand why a pound of T-Bone steak at \$2.50 is high, but a three ounce cocktail at \$1.75 is not. And, a fifty cent cup of soft drink at the ball game is cheap but a fifteen cent glass of milk for breakfast is inflationary. And, Lord, help me to understand why five dollars for a ticket to the local movie is a bargain, but \$3.35 for a sixty pound bushel of wheat is unthinkable. Cotton is too high at sixty cents a pound, but a twenty dollar cotton shirt is on sale for \$18.50. And corn is too steep at two cents worth in a box of flakes, but the flakes are just right at fifty cents a serving. And also, Lord, help me to understand why I have to give an easement to the gas company, so they can cross my property with their gas lines, and then double my price for their gas. And also, Dear God, help me to understand the consumer, who drives by my field and scoffs at me for driving a seventy thousand dollar piece of equipment, that he built, so he could make money and drive down that right-of-way that they took from me to build a road, so that he could go hunting and skiing. Thank you God, for your past guidance and help, and please help me to make sense of it all.

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- 2. Scale: 1 in. = 1 ft.
- 3. Background: PMS 342 (dark green)
- 4. Red is PMS Warm Red.

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After a great deal of research and putting the job out for bids we have selected a company who will manufacture and ship

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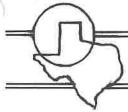
In order to obtain this special low price we must place orders in lots of 25 at a time. The initial order would take two weeks for the master signs and one week to personalize them. If personalized orders are received individually, a one day turn around would be typical.

All signs would have three holes drilled across the top and three across the bottom for mounting. Signs will be made of 24 gauge steel with baked enameled paint. There can be no changes or different colors. The colors being used are those used by FBA in all advertising and logos.

If you would like to order a sign for your ranch please fill out the coupon below and send it with your check to the FBA office. Only member interest will keep this offer available.

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Newsletter #4 May 3, 1985



PANHANDLE BEEFMASTER BREEDERS ASSOCIATION

O. C. and Faye Rampley hosted a Brunch and Business Meeting for the Panhandle Beefmaster Breeders Association in their home near Silverton on Saturday, April 27, 1985, at 9:00 a.m. Other members attending were Luther and Dolly Nelson, Amarillo; Jerry and Mary Hicks, Matador; Gale and Lindy Stafford, Roaring Springs; Stuart and Frances Dixon, Matador; and John and LaQuetta Schott, Silverton.

The following decisions were made:

- The 1986 cattle sale will be held the middle of April at the Amarillo Auction Arena. Schott and Hicks will make the livestock arrangements.
- Jack Howell, auctioneer at the March 30, 1985, cattle sale, will receive an additional \$100 for the excellent job he did for PBBA. He will be asked to serve as auctioneer at the April, 1986 sale.
- 3. Rampley will send advertising for 1/4-page ad in the new FBA publication. Each member should send him 8 names to receive PBBA correspondence by May 11, 1985.
- 4. Jerry Hicks and Luther Nelson will be in charge of advertising.
- 5. Dixon will secure someone to sift the sale cattle.
- Schott will make arrangements for a central feeding location for 60 to 75 days before the sale. Three pens will be needed for yearling heifers, yearling bulls, and two-year-old bulls.
- 7. A heifer will be given away at the April cattle sale.
- 8. Everyone that registers at the Seminar will receive a drawing chance and each buyer will receive additional chances for each \$100 that he spends at the sale.
- 9. The Gale Staffords will host a combination cook-out and PBBA meeting in Roaring Springs the latter part of July.
- There will be a meeting on Saturday, December 7, 1985, at the Barn in Amarillo at 2:30 p.m., followed by a dinner with the wives at 6:00. Hicks will make room and dinner reservations.
- 11. PBBA members pledged their continued support of this active organization.

Sincerely, O.C. Rampley, Sec.-Treas. Box 597, Silverton, TX 79257 (806) 823-2476 (office) (806) 847-2635 (home)

WORTHY THOUGHTS...

"Miracle medicine is not so new. Moses had two tablets that could cure the world."

"When God measures man, He puts the tape around the heart."

Central Texas Beefmaster Breeders To Host Beefmaster Cattle Seminar

The Central Texas Beefmaster Breeders will be sponsoring its Second Annual Beefmaster Cattle Seminar, Saturday, July 13, at the Brenham Livestock Auction Facility in Brenham, Texas.

The Central Texas Beefmaster Breeders is a satellite organization of the Foundation Beefmaster Association and is hosting the seminar to share information of great interest to Texas beef producers.

The featured speaker at the seminar will be Larry Boleman, Ph.D., Beef Cattle Specialist at Texas A&M University, who will speak on bull selection. Also speaking will be Steve Hammack, Ph.D., Beef Cattle Specialist at Stephenville, Texas, who will talk about genetics and crossbreeding. Both specialists will use live cattle during their presentation. Shelby Phillips of Deming, New Mexico, will talk about "Bull Power; What a Commercial Cattleman Can Afford to Pay for a Bull," and Richard Springs of Adrian, Oregon, will talk about crossbreeding with Beefmasters. All speakers will be available for questions throughout the day.

Registration begins at 9:00 a.m. and will last until 9:45 a.m. A \$5.00 registration fee will be collected and that will cover the cost of a barbeque lunch and give the attendee a chance for a drawing that will be held to give away a 16 to 20 month old certified Beefmaster bull. The seminar will begin at 10:00 a.m. breaking for lunch at noon and then continuing until 3:00 in the afternoon.

For further information regarding the seminar, contact Gary Frenzel, Route 3, Box 280, Temple, Texas 76501, or call (817) 983-2901.

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FBA has purchased a limited quantity of Dunbrooke big leaguer windbreaker jackets. They are orange nylon with FBA logo and "Beefmasters—The Breed You Need" silk screened across the back. Jackets are available in adult small, medium, and large sizes; and we now have the same jacket available in children's sizes small (6-8), medium (10-12), and large (14-16). Price of the jackets is \$19 each for unlined and \$21 each for flannel lined (plus postage). They are very comfortable and will be an attractive way to advertise. To order, simply fill in the order form below and return it to FBA.

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out to his ranch to reserve individual animals. He considered it good money to get \$50 a head, \$15 over the slaughter market.

"He started with Ed. C.'s Brahmans and Herefords. The Herefords were unique because against all custom of the time, Ed C. had selected for milk production and a red, pink-eye resistant eye ring. The family's Shorthorns had gone to settle the estate so he bought shorthorn bulls to get the three way cross."

Dale himself, like his brother Laurence in Texas, means to make it in cattle by his own rights. He began his own herd in 1970 while working full time in Houston for Stratford of Texas, an Agribusiness conglomerate, and kept it up while managing a big feedlot in Ulysses, Kansas. In 1981 he bought land south of Yoder and moved his 100 mother cows back to Colorado. Since 1971 he and Laurence have maintained a partnership to market semen from selected bulls from the Foundation herd. Dale's own small herd doesn't make him a living yet, but he doesn't believe compromising traditional Lasater culling practices will get him there quicker. Any cow that doesn't settle in 55 days is bred back and sold. Thus, cows that don't wean a calf still return cash to the business through their own sale. Any weaner that doesn't eat from Dale's hand after three days goes out.

"I think I have a lot to say to the guy who's working full time and trying to get started in the cattle business, because I've been there," says Dale. "He can use an exotic bull to get 600 pound weaner steers, but I can sell him one that will give him that plus perfectly adapted heifers that will produce for him and thrive in this country. Some of the exotics may prove out in time, but we've been adapting our herd to Colorado for nearly 40 years. Beefmasters are the only purebred cattle that have been consistantly selected for commercial production. In fact, if I had a commercial herd, I would cull and manage exactly the same way."

But Dale does not talk only of cattle. Like his grandfather Ed C. whose personal mission included establishing a whole

civilization in South Texas, and like his father Tom, who enlisted all the powers of Nature in his ventures, Dale takes a broad view of his cattle, his land, and his future.

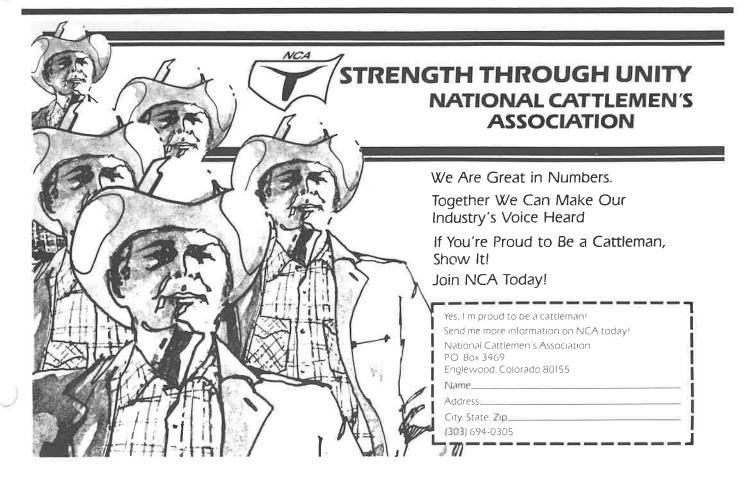
He and his Spanish wife Janine (She taught him Spanish in Peace Corps Training) look on the breeding of cattle as only one aspect of a balanced life. Dale's writing is more than a hobby. And improving the land engages their energy as much as improving the herd.

Last October the two of them attended Allan Savory's school in Holistic Resource Management which teaches that people, family life, money, cattle, and the powers of nature must all be considered together.

"I think that philosophy is the most exciting thing anyone in livestock or agriculture generally can expose himself to," says Dale in retrospect. "Allan promotes a great many ideas that Dad sensed intuitively, but he has expanded and organized them. Whether or not you accept all his conclusions, for sure his thinking made us see our operation in a new light. If you analyze your whole operation according to his model you will almost certainly change the way you do things even if you don't go out and build fences and grazing cells."

Dale and Janine have not decided to build grazing cells yet, but they do plan for harmony between their lives and their environment. Even when the environment may be harsh.

As Janine explained this traditional Lasater principle not long ago, she noticed a large bull snake slithering up a tree beside the butane tank outside. The snake dropped from the tree and disappeared into the vent housing atop the tank. Janine rushed outside because she knew a pair of blackbird nests were there. But already the snake had seized a chick and dropped into the shadows below to gulp it down. A visitor offered to kill the snake. "No," said Janine. "This is a Lasater ranch, and we don't kill snakes." That's called adapting to range conditions.



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