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FOUNDATION FACTS

Pride in FBA

I am proud to be a member of the Foundation Beefmaster Association. It embodies a lot of things I think are important.

Membership is open to anyone that owns Beefmaster Cattle and is willing to abide by a few simple rules.

All our conventions, committee meetings, directors meetings and membership meetings are open to anyone interested in attending.

We do not have hidden agenda.

Everyone feels welcome at our office in Denver. Mary makes us all feel at home.

We do not require a pedigree. The integrity of the breeder is our guarantee of quality.

We do not have association inspectors. Each breeder decides the quality of his or her cattle.

Our name is a permanent part of every animal we produce. So we have to produce a good product if we attract those people that strive to improve their cattle.

We do not discriminate. Each person that belongs to FBA is accepted as an important member with all the rights and privileges of any other member.

We enjoy a fellowship of love and respect for each other that is not found in many other groups. Each of us can say that some of our best friends are other FBA members.

We have the best cattle anywhere, period. We have a lot of pride in trying to improve an excellent product handed to us by Tom Lasater.

The large breeder and the small breeder works together for the betterment of the breed, with a friendly respect for each other's opinions. We disagree agreeably.

We have members from 35 states and 6 foreign countries, but when we get together it is hard to tell any difference. Except I think Jim Gowan's speech is a little different.

If you do not attend convention sales and field days of FBA you are missing some excellent cattle, the fellowship of some mighty nice people and a lot of fun.

Plan now to go to Phoenix in November, and join a satellite, or two or three.

It is time to send me your NCA-PAC checks for 92.

O.C. Rampley



Editor's Mail

FBA MEMBERS PHONE CALL

I got a call last week from one of "my" breeders . . . this is how it went.

"Mary this is _____. I just wanted to tell you I can't make it to the field day after all. I'm having bad problems with creditors!"

I wondered why he was telling me his financial problems. Then he went on to say "it was so bad that 'creditors' were running through his front yard. At this point I realized he had not said "creditors" but had said "predators."

Dear Mary,

As always it was great fun in Colorado and in Arkansas. I have begun to look more into Holistic Resource Management Training as I continue more intensely with the Lasater book. I went to a three day Holistic Resource Management course last week taught personally by Allan Savory; it was very inspiring.

Just for your information, up until the Foundation Herd began implementing HRM 5-6 years ago, their herd performance had not varied more than a pound or two on average both at weaning and yearling for almost 15 years; they were very consistent with performance. With the addition of Holistic Resource Management, as introduced by Dale Lasater, the herd performance has risen nearly 30 percent. It looks like managing the land is as critical as managing the cattle; good cattlemen are good grass growers a little food for thought.

Take care and God bless

Scott Middleton

Dear Mary,

It has been quite sometime since one of Baxter Black's poems have appeared in the Foundation Facts. The poem below is for all those friends made over the years in FBA, and to those buyers that we have had the opportunity of doing business with.

Take Care of Yer Friends

Friend is a word that I don't throw around
Though it's used and abused, I still like the sound.
I save it for people who've done right by me
And I know I can count on if ever need be.

Some of my friends drive big limousines
Own ranches and banks and visit with queens.
And some of my friends are up to their neck
In overdue notes and can't write a check.

They're singers or ropers or writers of pose
And others, Gold bless'em, can't blow their own
nose!

I guess bein friends don't have nothin' to do
With talent or money or knowin' who's who.

It's a comf'terbul feelin' when you don't have to
care

'Bout choosin' your words or bein' quite fair
'Cause friends'll just listen and let go on by
Those words you don't mean not bat an eye.

It makes a friend happy to see your success.
They're proud of yer good side and forgive all
the rest

And that ain't so easy, all of the time,
Sometimes I get crazy and see to go blind!

Yer friend just might have to take you on home
Or remind you sometime that you're not alone.
Or ever so gently pull you back to the ground
When you think you can fly with no one around.

A hug or a shake, whichever seems right
Is the high point of givin', I'll tell ya tonight,
All worldly riches and tributes of men
Can't hold a candle to the worth of a friend.

by Baxter Black

Hope to see you in Phoenix for the annual
convention in November.

Roy Schoenbeck, Director



Central Texas Beefmaster Breeders



CTBB held their annual field day June 6 at the Clifton Marek Ranch, south of Lexington, Texas. A crowd of 200 spent the day touring the pastures and viewing the 130 bulls on forage testing.

An October 17, 1992 Sale at Brenham, Texas is planned and each bull will sell with complete performance evaluation to include: adjusted 205 day w.w., yearling weights, gain weights, weight per day of age, rations, rib-eye measurements and scrotal circumference.

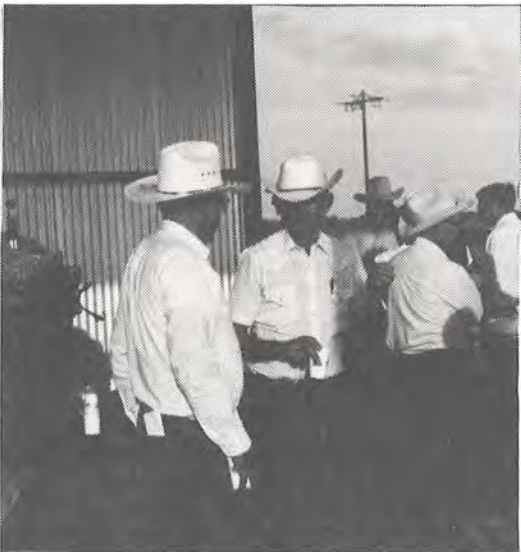
More details available next month.



O.C. Rampley and Larry Buster look over Bulls on test.



Some of the 130 bulls on test.



Laurie Lasater visits with Clifton Marek.



Visiting the bulls



Left: Bev Sparrowk, FBA President addresses the crowd.

**More Satellite News
on Page 4**



Sierra Pacific Beefmaster Breeders

On April 25, 1992 we had a business meeting at Harris Ranch in Coalinga, California

Members present: Bev Sparrowk, Clements, California
FBA President

Jeffery Blair, Soledad, California
Blair Farms Beefmasters

Mike & Geraldine Carstons, Indian Springs, California
Beefmasters, Clovis, California

Officers present: Carson Scheller, President
Ward Burroughs, Vice President
George N. Cominos, Secretary/Treasurer

Absent Officers: James Wells, Three Rivers, California, Director
James North,, Santa Barbara, California, Director
Ernest Patjens, The Dalles, Oregon, Director

First Business:

Field Day

Field Day Date: August 29, 1992. Location is, Mr. George Denny's **Goose Valley Ranch**, Burney, California

Confirmed Speakers: Dr. Scott Middleton, Phd. Speaking on AG & Cattle related subjects. F.B.A. President Bev Sparrowk. We have two more speakers, but they have not confirmed yet.

Door Prizes

1st Prize: \$500.00 discount on any **Sierra Pacific Beefmaster Breeders** Bull or Female. (Reimbursement from F.B.A. Satellite Field Day money.

2nd Prize: Original artwork by George N. Cominos.

3rd Prize: Set of 4 Drinking Glasses with F.B.A. logo on them.

Viewing of Cattle: Mr. Denny will have cattle to display.

Bar-B-Que: There will be a free Bar-B-Que for everyone in attendance

Field Day Headquarters:

We will be staying at the Charm Motel, in Burney, California. We've reserved a block of rooms for our stay. Please call me to confirm a room for yourselves. (408) 678-2503, George N. Cominos. You can also make your own reservations, Charm Motel, P.O. Box 50, Burney, California, (916) 335-2254. 37363 Main St., Burney, California 96013. Confirmation should be as soon as possible, so that we let the motel know how many rooms we need and for whom. We can always cancel, but if they are booked we'll be out of luck, August is the areas' busy season. Redding has an airport and Hertz Rent-A-Car. Again plan ahead. There's 3 Best Westerns in Redding. Approximately 1 to 1 1/2 hours from Burney.

Press Release

H.O.A. - April 11, 1992 • Mt. Vernon, MO Top Selling Bulls:

Lot 36 (shown left sale weight 1,770 lbs.) Bred and consigned by Ziler Beefmaster, Mike and Patsy Ziler of Reeds, Mo sold to Charles Edel of Springfield, MO for \$1,900.00.

Lot 22 consigned by Morgan-Gibbons sold for \$1900.

Ziler Beefmaster also bred and consigned the 3rd place Futurity heifer which was purchased by Bill Bishop, El Dorado Springs, MO for \$1,000.



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HOWARD BEEFMASTERS

J.D. Howard
Rt. 1, Box 195
Tibbie, AL 36583
205-847-3337
Rendition: 25
Reinstatement

La Ventana Cattle Co.
Duke Phillips

LA VENTANA BEEFMASTERS

3550 36th Lane
Avondale, CO 81022
719-948-2289
Rendition: 34
Origin: Lasater Ranch

G. Scott & Joyce Middleton, PhD

3224 Heatherside Dr.
Dublin, OH 43017
614-846-1061 Business
614-792-9848 Resident
Associate Member
(Address Change)

Glenn Kersey

G & J BEEFMASTERS

Rt. 5, Box 224
Claremore, OK 74017
918-341-7473
Rendition: 8
Origin: Larry Buster

James A. Gibson

JAMES A. GIBSON BEEFMASTERS

2105 Bonnie Brae
Fort Worth, TX 76111
817-834-4622
Rendition: 11
Origin: Lewis G. Jones

L.G. Rawl

RAWL RANCH BEEFMASTERS

George Helmcamp, Rep.
Rt. 1, Box 303
Smithville, TX 78957
512-839-4695
Rendition: 40
Origin: Grover Shade & Clifton
Marek

Henderson & Sons

Charles, Jennie, Charles R. & Ronnie
Henderson
BAR H BEEFMASTERS
Route 2, Box 176 D
Omaha, TX 75571
903-884-3046
Rendition: 4
Origin: J.C. & Mary Beth Flanagan

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Cullman, AL 35055

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Buyers' and Sellers' Guide

CALIFORNIA

Dispersal Sale: 16 bred fall calvers; 8 spring pairs; 1 3 year old bull; 1 18 mo. old Lasater bull

DAISY CREEK RANCH

17715 State Hwy. 89
Hat Creek, CA 96040
916-467-5376
916-335-3689 (Evenings)

MISSOURI

For Sale: 20 Beefmaster Bulls, yearlings to 3 year olds. Some polled, good dispositions. Acclimated to fescue pasture and cold winters.

RS RANCH BEEFMASTERS

Roy and Tanya Schoenbeck
Rt. 1, Box 158
Bourbon, Missouri
314-732-4590

For Sale: 10 yearling bulls, 3 two year olds

SQUIRES BEEFMASTERS

Paul C. Squires
Hwy 47, P.O. Box 117
Hawk Point, MO 63349
314-528-8120 (Res)
314-338-4591 (Office)

For Sale: 20 Yearling Bulls. Performance tested with birth weight and ratios. These are the top end of our bulls. 10 Short Yearling Heifers.

ZILER BEEFMASTERS

Mike Ziler
Rt. 1, Box 106B
Reeds, MO 64859
417-246-5604

MONTANA

WANTED: A polled solid red, exceptional heavy weaning weight, growth & muscling with minimum sheath, good disposition.

Kenneth A. Coulter & Sons COULTER BEEFMASTERS

HC 60, Box 36
Brusett, MT 59318

406-557-6240

406-557-2517

SOUTH DAKOTA

For Sale: 15 Bulls - 9 months to 2 years old, Lasater genetics.

Paul Juel

CROWN JUEL BEEFMASTERS

R.R. 3, Box 21
Canton, SD 57013
605-987-5872

TEXAS

For Sale: Good selection quality Beefmaster bulls. Bangs free herd #5135

Kenneth Adams

CIRCLE FIVE RANCH

Dorchester, TX 75459
903-476-5821 or 214-437-6100 (Dallas)

For Sale: 40 performance tested yearling bulls;
75 bred cows to calve in fall

MARTINEZ BEEFMASTERS

HCR 03, Box 48
McLean, TX 79057
806-2371

VIRGINIA

For Sale: Certified red Beefmaster bull. Lasater line. Seven years old. Selling only because have numerous daughters in herd.

MOUNT AIR FARM

Crozet, VA 22932
804-823-5725

WASHINGTON

For Sale: Extra fancy yearling Beefmaster heifers for sale.

Lasater/Evans breeding.

SUNSET H BEEFMASTER RANCH

Rt. 2, Box 1110
Ellensburg, WA 98926
509-968-4293

CORRAL OF EVENTS

- August 1, 1992** South West Beefmaster Breeders
Annual Field Day will be held at Shiprock, New Mexico – Details available at later date.
- August 29, 1992** Sierra Pacific Beefmaster Breeders
Satellite will hold a field day at George P. Denny III's Goose Valley Ranch, Burney, CA
Contact Carson Schuller at 805-344-5901 or George Cominos 408-678-2503
- September 8-9-10** Lasater Ranch Retired Herd Sire Auction, Sept. 8 at 4 pm
Contact Dale Lasater for details 719-541-2855.
- September 9-10, 1992** Lasater Ranch Bull Delivery - Matheson, Colorado – Details available at later date.
- September 19, 1992** Heart of America Beefmasters Breeders Field Day
Ft. Scott, Kansas – Details available at later date
- October 3, 1992** Isa Cattle Co. annual Bull Sale. San Angelo, TX
For details contact Laurie Lasater 915-949-3763.
- October 17, 1992** 6th Annual Beef "On" Forage bull sale - Brenham, Texas, more later.
- October 24, 1992** Arkansas Beefmaster Breeders Sale, details later. (Siloam Springs, AR)
- November 5-7, 1992** FBA Annual Convention - Scottsdale Hilton, Phoenix, AZ

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