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**Bulletin** 

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# DEXTER CATTLE

A breed from the past, for the present, and the future.

# AMERICAN DEXTER CATTLE ASSOCIATION Rt. 1, Box 378 Concordia, MO 64020

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		Cows up to 1 yr old	\$10.00	
President		Bulls up to 2 yrs old		
Wes	Patton	Cows over 1 yr old	\$20.00	
Route 1, Box 1347		Bulls over 2 yrs old	\$20.00	
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916	865-7250	Cost of transfers:		
Vice President		Regular transfers	\$10.00	
		Inner-herd transfers	\$ 5.00	
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603-795-2606		New membership in ADCA(for individuals		
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	cordia, MO 64020	ships)	\$20.00	
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# AGENDA 1994 AMERICAN DEXTER CATTLE ASSOCIATION MEETING, SHOW AND SALE

## JUNE 10, 1994 (FRIDAY)

2:00 PM - CATTLE IN PLACE (UNIVERSITY FARM)

4:00 PM - TOUR OF GLENN LAND FARM; BARBEQUE

8:00 PM - DIRECTORS MEETING; APPROVAL OF AGENDA

## JUNE 11, 1994 (SATURDAY)

8:00 AM - ANNUAL MEETING

12:00 NOON - LUNCH

1:30 PM - DEXTER CARCASS EVALUATION (CSUC MEATS LAB)

3:00 PM - ADCA SHOW - VIDEO PORTION; PREJUDGED

4:00 PM - ADCA SHOW - LIVE ANIMALS

7:00 PM - BARBEQUE

8:00 PM - RESULTS OF PICTURE CONTEST

# JUNE 12, 1994 (SUNDAY)

8:00 AM - DIRECTORS MEETING (UNIVERSITY FARM)

11:00 AM - SALE (LIVE, VIDEO, SEMEN & EMBRYOS)

2:00 PM - LOAD OUT LIVE ANIMALS

Bill & Miriam Acquaviva RD 4, Box 464 West Brattleboro, VT 05301 8024-464-2823 LIVEWATER FARM

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Anthony & Peggy Wayne 901 Wingham Drive Columbia, MO 65202 314-442-4396 BR'ER PATCH FARM

Martha & Robert Wiegers 460 Hwy O Fayette, MO 65248 816-248-3537 WIEOWEN The following is a reprint from the February 1994 issue of "U.S. Beltie News", the official publication of the Belted Galloway Society, and is well worth knowing about.

If you are shipping animals out of state, you may find the computerized Voice Response Service (VRS) useful. Sponsored by the Centers for Epidemiology and Animal Health, the 24 hour service permits you to obtain information about state regulations by dialing (800) 545-USDA (8732) on a touch tone phone.

Press 2 (state regulations), then the code for the state to which you are shipping (see below), then press 1 (cattle) to receive a rundown on the state's bovine health requirements along with the phone number for obtaining a permit. Here's a list of the states' access codes:

AL-25	HI-44	MA-62	NM-66	SD-73
AK-25	ID-43	MI-64	NY-69	TN-86
AZ-21	IL-45	MN-66	NC-62	TX-89
AR-27	IN-46	MS-67	ND-63	UT-88
CA-22	IA-42	MO-66	OH-64	VT-88
CO-26	KS-57	MT-68	OK-65	VA-82
CT-28	KY-59	NE-63	OR-67	WA-92
DE-33	LA-52	NV-68	PA-72	WV-98
FL-35	ME-63	NH-64	RI-74	WI-94
GA-42	MD-63	NJ-65	SC-72	WY-99

I've tried it and it works. Actually, this service deals with other categories as well - one being Emergency Notices that may be in effect at any time in a particular locality.

John Hays Director, Region IX

EDITOR'S NOTE
The deadline for the next Bulletin is July 1,1994.

### North American Livestock Census Is Now Available.

The American Livestock Breeds Conservancy announces the publication of Taking Stock: The North American Livestock Census. The book presents an inventory of North American breeds and describes the status of livestock diversity. genetic Taking Stock includes discussion of asses, cattle, goats, horses, sheep and swine, with registration numbers for all breeds the species, graphs within illustrate genetic status, and breed association addresses. Appendices describe the past extinctions of breeds and present data American on feral livestock populations.

Taking Stock identifies seventy seven breeds as conservation priorities. Nearly thirty of these conservation breeds are globally unique, found only in North America. They include American Mammoth Jackstock, Milking Devon cattle, Fainting Goats, Spanish Mustangs, Navajo-Churro sheep and Ossabaw Island swine. Also of great importance are those globally "international" endangered breeds which the North American population is a significant portion, such as Red Poll cattle, Cotswold sheep, and Tamworth swine.

Taking Stock: The North American Livestock Census is available from the American Livestock Breeds Conservancy for \$14.95 plus \$2 for shipping. Send check or money order to ALBC, PO Box 477, Pittsboro, NC 27312, or call 919-542-5704 with Master Card/Visa orders

For more information, please contact Don Bixby or Carolyn Christman, ALBC, 919-542-5704. Aphotograph of the book cover is available upon request.

### NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS:

Price of advertising is as follows: \$5.00 per 2" ad, per issue, or \$25.00 per year.

#### FOR SALE

### INDIANA

Irish Dexter Herd Reduction Sale. 3 bred cows, ages 2-5 years. Choice: \$800.

Duane L Siders 640 Cement Ave Lagro, IN 46941 (219)782-2312

#### KANSAS

Oklahoma Panhandle: Free Yearling Bulls with my option to buy yearling heifers @ \$500 per head. Very nice small fine bone & heavy bone bulls. Will send picture, height, & pedigree on request. Will meet  $\frac{1}{2}$  way for delivery.

Smiling Johnson Ranch Dexter Headquarters P.O. Box 441 Elkhart, KS 67950 (405) 696-4836

#### MASSACHUSETTS

For Sale: Registered, dehorned black Dexters. Bred cow born 3/17/89 due 7/29/94. Cow born 12/14/88. Cow born 7/12/91. Heifer born 6/18/92. All halter broken.

Sandy Brown 58 River Rd. Gill, MA 01376 (413)863-8243

#### MICHIGAN

Registered Dexter bulls for sale: (1) Black, tall proportionate type. Born 3/17/91. \$1000. (2) Black, 32", born 5/24/93. \$600.

DINSMORE FARM
Ron and Gail Brinkley

5455 U.S.12 West Buchanan, MI 49107 (616) 695-5320

#### MICHIGAN

Registered Dexter bull for sale. Black, 39", born 4/7/92. \$1000.

SPRUCE GROVE FARM John Potter 2524 W. Elm Valley Rd. Galien, MI 49113 (616) 545-2455

#### MISSOURI

For sale: 5 red/dun bulls. Your choice \$900 each.

4 black bulls with red genes. Your choice \$500 each. Some select heifers and cows bred to red bull.

Rainbow Hills Dexter Farm Jerry Starnes Route 2 Box 75 Poplar Bluff, MO 63901 (314)785-2719

#### MISSOURI

For sale: 2 cows. #3320 Emerald Dandie and #4267 Rock Erin. Rock House Farm Louise Bequette P.O.Box 8 Renick, MO 65278 (816)263-9221

#### NEBRASKA

Bill and Charlie Ward would like to buy 3-15 head of Dexters-either cows or heifers. Would buy whole herd if possible.

> Charlie Ward Box 426 Valentine, NE (402)376-3440

#### NEW YORK

1994 calves. One red/dun heifer; one red/dun bull - good herd sire prospect; One black bull with red/dun genes. All will be small. Sire has thrown 8 red/duns out of 12. All inquiries welcome. Call evenings.

K-RO Acres, Bob and Kathy Smith R.D.#3, Box 107A Fort Plain, NY 13339 (518)993-2823

#### NORTH CAROLINA

For sale - 2 possible herd bulls. Black with dun genes. Others of all ages. Pictures available.

John Clouse Rocky Hill Farm 1873 Chatham Church Rd. Moncure, NC 27559 (919)542-3339

#### OHTO

Registered Dexter Cattle: Cows, Calves, and Bulls

Elmer E Templeton Rt 1 Box 65 Fleming, OH 45729 (614)373-4892

#### OHIO

Calve, cows and bulls. Embryos also available. All from certified and accredited herd by Ohio Dept. of Agriculture.

Briar Hill Farm James G. Johnson 4092 Broadview Rd. Richfield, OH 44286 (216)659-4861

#### OREGON

Good sized select herd of Dexter cattle, usually some for sale. Specializing under 40".

Kelvin Grove Stock Farms James H. Brown 15060 S.W. Hillsboro Hwy Hillsboro, OR 97123 (503)628-1116

#### OREGON

We sell Registered Dexter cattle, Dexter Supplies, and Semen. Contact us for all your Dexter needs! If we don't have what you want, we will try to help you find it.

THOMAS' DEXTERS/AL & Sandi Thomas P.O. Box 135 Antelope, OR 97001 Phone/Fax(503)763-2970

#### PENNSYLVANTA

Herd reduction sale. 14 head to choose from. Adult cows, heifers and calves.3 heifers born since Jan. 1994.

Ronald E. Kerr 22894 Spring Creek Rd. Titusville, PA 16354-9629 (814)827-1506 evenings

#### SOUTHEAST

Cattle in North Carolina and Florida. Bulls, cows and heifers. Red/dun and black. Delivery possible in South.

Jim Moody 555-B North 15th St. Immokalee, FL 33934 (813)657-3464 / (704)369-9442

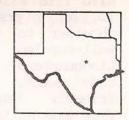
#### TEXAS

Black and red/dun registered cattle for sale. Proportionate conformation. Bulls, heifers (bred and open), and calves available.

Janellen and Ernie Cole JC FARM Grimes County, TX (713)522-6512 (409)874-2417 wknds

# Texas Registered Stock

 Both Types of Registered Dexter Stock Usually Available For Sale



• We need more breeders in Texas. Therefore, if we don't have the animal you want, we will help you find it from our Texas Breeders.

# Briscoe's DBL D Stock Farms

Doyle & Delmareen Briscoe P.O. Box 2368 Harker Heights, Texas 76543 817-939-6016

#### REGISTERED

- Miniature donkeys
- Miniature horses
- Dexter Cattle
- Pinzgauers Cattle
- Dexus <u>CROSSBRED</u> CATTLE
- Long fur mutation chinchillas



#### VERMONT

For sale. Dexter heifer, bred AI to Cluny, due to calve this fall. Sired AI by Jamie O'Callen. Exceptional animal and breeding. \$800. Call John before 8 pm.

Church Hill Farm
John Mears
R.R. 1, Box 222
S. Woodstock, VT 05071
(802)457-1008

# WEST VIRGINIA

For sale- 3 heifers, one bull. 14 months old.

Paul W. Baud P.O.Box 160 White Sulphur Springs, WV 24986 (304)536-1736

## SEMEN FORSALE

Please note - All advertising pertaining to the sale of Dexter semen in the Bulletin is required to state the height of the bull from the shoulder to the ground and the age at which the height was recorded.

HIYU TYEE #3365, black, 45" and 1000 lb. at 5 yrs. Non dwarf. Point of shoulder to tailhead-60".Outstanding well-muscled bull with excellent hindquarters, straight back, good body depth, short broad head and friendly disposition. Calves from Tyee are uniformly better than their dams. Same body depth and 6" longer than Saturn of Knotting.

Semen available from Carol Davidson, Bright Meadows, R.R.1, Ladysmith, B.C., Canada, VOR 2E0. Semen stored at All West/Select Sires, Burlington, WA, so no brokers fees.

\$20 U.S./straw, plus \$50 U.S. flat fee for shipping and handling.

BEDFORD ROMARC RAMBLER #5449 (Cdn 543) - black, 42" and 814 lbs. at 22 months. Non-dwarf.

If you want good looking, totally unrelated bloodlines, and an animal to improve feet, this is the bull for you. Mr. Kellogg imported his own Dexters from Lady Loder's herd in 1949. Other than two bulls brought into the herd from Clove Brook, this has been a closed herd since the early 50's. Rambler is from the first cow sold out of the herd since 1962. Cows from this herd are very fine boned and good tempered.

Semen available from Carol Davidson, Bright Meadows, R.R.1, Ladysmith, B.C., Canada VOR 2EO. Semen stored at All West/Select Sires, Burlington, WA, so no broker's fees.

CANADIAN PURCHASERS NOTE: In Canada, semen sold direct through Independent Breeders, Box 3608, Ardrie, Alta, T4B 2B8.

\$20 U.S./straw plus \$50 U.S. flat fee for shipping and handling; or \$25 Cdn/straw, payable to Independent Breeders, plus s & h (billed direct to your AI unit).

WEE GAELIC MR. O'TOOLE #5741 - dun, 45" and 1020 lb. at 3 years. Non-dwarf.

By Hiyu Tyee (3365) out of Hiyu Thistledown (3836). This bull is well muscled, long and lean. Currently owned by a veterinarian who is very pleased with him. Has sired lots of really nice calves.

Semen available from Universal Genetics, Box 910, Cardston, Alta, TOK OKO. Semen stored at Universal, Great Falls,MT, so no broker's fees. Canadian orders shipped from Cardston. \$20 U.S./straw, plus s & h, billed direct to your AI unit; or \$25 Cdn/straw plus s & h, billed direct to your AI unit.

RIVERHILL SATURN'S GALAXY #5255EX (Cdn 489) - black, 43" and 900 lbs.

at 26 months. Non-dwarf.

Simply the best. This bull should mature at  $45-45\frac{1}{2}$ " and in good condition weigh 1100 lbs. Excellent depth, length, docile muscling, temperment, better udders.

Semen available from Independent Breeders, Box 3608, Ardrie, Alta, Canada T4B 2B8. Semen stored at Nokota Genetics, ND, so no broker's fees. Canadian orders shipped from Ardrie.

\$20 U.S./straw plus s & h, billed direct to your AI unit; or \$25 Cdn/straw plus s & h, billed direct to your AI unit.

PURCHASERS PLEASE NOTE: Galaxy has no cross-breeding anywhere in his background. The EX suffix comes from his purebred grand dam, who was registered late and so was penalized according to the English rules of the day.

# ALBERTA, CANADA

Use Lucifer of Knotting, #3182, 45" at 3 yrs, if you are looking for a top bull with red genes (not dun) to improve udders and milk production in your herd. Loaner video available and commercial inquiries invited.

> Paul and Judy Taylor P.O.Box 125 Colinton, Alberta Canada, TOG ORO (403) 675-3831

#### CALIFORNIA

1993 California State Fair Exhibitor GLENN LAND MAGIC #5232 - black, 45", 950 lbs. at 2 yrs. Very gentle. Outstanding prospect for heifers of all breeds. He has already sired 3 Dexfords. Commercially frozen by JLG Enterprises. \$20/straw plus shipping and handling.

Green River Ranch Bill and Dusty Kirkland 8636 Berry Rd. Wilton, CA 95693 (916) 687-7986

#### COLORADO

Collected from Diplomat O'Briar Hill #3780, 43" 1050# at 3 years of age. Collected from Sir William #4321 42 ", 750 at 18 months of age.

R.S. & Mary A Springer Green Valley Farm 708 Inverness Road Ft. Collins, CO 80524 (303)484-2711

#### OHIO

Collected by COBA/Select Sires from Jamie O'Callen #1949. Black, proportionate type. Excellent disposition, 42" tall, 1007 lb. at 39 months.

> Briar Hill Farm James G. Johnson 4092 Broadview Rd. Richfield, OH 44286 (216) 659-4861

#### OREGON

THOMAS REU' GRANDE' #3847 Black w/Red Genes, 40" @ 3 years \$20 per straw +S&H. Approved Inter-National Export, from US or Canada.

THOMAS' MAGIC PRIDE #3848. Black w/Red Genes, 40" @ 3 1/2 years. \$20 per straw + S&H. THOMAS' DEXTERS Al & Sandi Thomas P.O. Box 135 Antelope, OR 97001 Phone/Fax (503)763-2970

#### WASHINGTON

Collected from Glencara Paddy #3864EX. Black, 44 1/2 " tall, 1050 lbs at 4 years old. \$20 per straw plus S & H. \*\*Note his off-spring does not carry EX.

Evelyn Colclough 10418 - 16th Street East Puyallup, WA 9837 (206) 927-4608

> DEXTER CATTLE by John Hays - USA \$7.95 per copy

plus \$1.55 postage and handling

# THE DEXTER COW AND CATTLE-KEEPING ON A SMALL SCALE

by Dr. William Thrower - England \$9.00 each, post paid \$25.00

# KERRY AND DEXTER CATTLE and other ancient Irish breeds A History

Patrick Leonard Curran
Lecturer, Faculty of Agriculture,
University College Dublin
Member of Council, Royal Dublin
Society. ROYAL DUBLIN SOCIETY 1990
ORDER ALL BOOKS FROM:
Rosemary Fleharty, ADCA Secretary
Route 1, Box 378
Concordia, MO 64020

# DEXTER HEIFER GOES TO SCHOOL

My name is Karla Moxley, and I am in my first year with 4-H. I chose to go into the Dairy Club with my Dexter heifer because I wouldn't have to "poof" her tail. My teacher set time aside for other kids to bring their pets to school, so when I asked to bring my heifer, she okayed Maddie coming to class for the afternoon. This was Maddie's first trip away from home, and she acted the perfect lady. The other kids were thrilled to have a real calf in class with them, and were even understanding about her not being housebroken. Many of them had never even seen a calf before, and were nervous to start with. By the end of the afternoon, I had several new recruits for 4-H. My classmates agreed that Dexters were just the right size, and that if they are all as smart and friendly as Maddie, they must be a very special breed indeed.

#### DEXTERS - MY SON'S EXPERIENCES

This story is taken from a letter from Rhonda Lee, Anacoco, LA.

At the age of eight, Daniel decided to enter the world of cattle raising. He requested a calf to bottle feed for his birthday. He was given two, two bottles and a manure fork. I thought he would get tired of this task, but he raised and sold calves for two years, saving his money to

purchase a Registered Dexter.

He had read about Dexters somewhere, and loved their size. He had saved \$500 by raising and selling his calves, so we began to look for a Dexter to purchase. Since there were none in Louisiana, we called a nice lady in Texas. Soon, Woody Creek Ashley came into our lives. She had not been worked with, so I watched my son work with her to gain her trust and halter break her. Daniel was told that he shouldn't enter her in 4-H competition because of her size, but he did anyway. We entered Leesville Fair, and then went on to the Louisiana State Fair. He placed 4th at state, in A.O.B., the last place out of 4. After showing, he entered into his first showmanship competition and placed fifth out of over thirty. I was a proud parent to say the least. We then entered in a "prettiest cow" contest. Daniel won dressed as a poor man and Ashley dressed in garbage can makeup. We also made a sign that said "I used to weigh over 2000 lbs before Hillary took over" that Daniel hung from a manure fork. With his empty pockets out, mismatched boots and hair all messed up, he won.

Our thanks to the Association for the pamphlets that my son handed out to every person who stopped by to see the smallest cow in the barn. He told everyone about Dexters. Also, thank you for the assistance in locating a breeder. I am proud of my son's decision to buy a Dexter instead of a heavy beef breed.