STOCK SHOW LUNCH
JANUARY 14-17, 1974

Expenses

Chairs, tables (Rental) ......................... $ 38.50
Cheese, pickles, olives ....................... 156.14
Ketchup, mustard, napkins ................... 18.64
Donuts, bread .................................. 163.02
Milk ............................................. 26.85
Coffee, cream, cups ......................... 95.40
Beef ........................................... 671.31
Cook and slice the beef ..................... 182.00

$1,351.86
January 30, 1974

TO: ALL CCFA MEMBERS IN GREELEY, AULT, EATON, LA SALLE AND WINDSOR DISTRICTS, AND ALL CCFA OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS.

FROM: NEIL SKAU, JR.

SUBJECT: ANNUAL "BEEF-EAT"

THEY'RE ALL SET TO FEED YOU AGAIN!

That collection of BEEF specialists, who for these many years have prepared roast BEEF and corned BEEF of outstanding flavor and eating quality, will be plying their trade again on Saturday, February 2, 1974 at 12 Noon.

All you need to bring to this event, to be held at the American Legion Hall in Eaton, is yourself, a friend, your best appetite and a buck, the $1.00 variety. You will then be fed to your fullest!

Mr. Forrest Bassford, Publisher of the Western Livestock Journal will have some interesting comments for you. Forrest is well-known in this area and has a wealth of knowledge at his fingertips.

Come and meet your friends and enjoy the afternoon.

We'll be looking for you!
# Directors and Past Presidents

## COLORADO CATTLE FEEDERS ASSOCIATION

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ATTENDANCE: President Jerry Robbe, 1st Vice-President Bill Webster, Vice-Presidents Hank Schnelder, Lloyd Kindsfater, Past Presidents M. S. Anderson, Maynard Sonnenberg, Julius Pluss, Bill Kirby, Jim Henry, Don Hamil, C. M. Harmon, George Reynolds, LeRoy Dalton and Martin Domke. Directors present were: Bob Alkire, Martin Allard, Dean Anderson, Glen Anderson, Ray Berg, Henry Bledsoe, Walt Dittmer, Dick Dixon, William R. Farr, Duane Flack, Bob Fritzler, Charles Genova, Jack Groves, Carl Haepke, Frank Kemp, Jr., Leonard Littenberger, Jim Reeman, Mike Spencer, Jim Svedman, Marvin Swanson, Terry Turner. Newly elected Directors present were Bill Broyles and Les Kuhlman.

PRESIDENT ROBBE'S REMARKS: President Robbe explained that this meeting of the Board was closed to all but members of the Board because of some "family affairs" that were to be discussed. He introduced two newly elected directors, Les Kuhlman and Bill Broyles and the CCFA's first president Martin Domke.

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT: Chairman Jim Henry read the resolutions and, following a discussion during which time some amendments were made, the report of the Resolutions Committee was adopted by the vote of the Board.

PUBLIC RELATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT: Chairman Jim Reeman announced that four people would be named as winners of the CCFA "Top Choice" award. They are Cecil Helbusch of Safeway Stores, Pete Peterson of the United Banks of Denver, Chuck Muller of KOA and Joe Tennessen of KFKA, Greeley. Plaques were to be awarded to these people at the Banquet.

BY-LAWS COMMITTEE REPORT: Chairman Wm. R. Farr stated that the Committee had worked long to up-date and modernize the CCFA By-Laws and he went over each and every change carefully, leaving that section dealing with the dues structure for Pres. Robbe and 1st V. P. Webster to handle. Pres. Robbe said that the Committee had recommended raising minimum dues to $50.00 and 10¢ per head, one-time capacity. Of this, $30.00 would go to ANCA, making each CCFA member a member of ANCA. Considerable resistance to the minimum dues, ANCA membership, and the per head assessment arose and following a lengthy and searching discussion during which time many members of the Board participated, it was moved and seconded that the minimum dues be set at $25.00 and the assessment at 8¢ per head of cattle marketed. The motion passed with 27 "for" and 10 "against". The matter of membership in the ANCA was left to the individual member but, it was agreed that CCFA would encourage membership in the ANCA. President Robbe thanked the By-Laws Committee for their efforts. The By-Laws were signed by the Board members present.

Meeting adjourned.
February 20, 1974

TO: CCFA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
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FRANK P. SEWALD
WM. R. FARR
ROBERT E. FRITZLER
LLOYD KINDSFATER
JAMES SVEDMAN
JULIUS PLUSS
M. S. ANDERSON

FROM: BILL WEBSTER

I would like to hold an Executive Committee meeting some time prior to the regular Board meeting and have selected Tuesday, February 26, 1974 as the date. The time will be 1:30 p.m. and the meeting will be held in the Board Room of the Greeley National Bank at 8th Ave and 8th Street in Greeley.

Please let me know if you can make this meeting.
FEBRUARY 27, 1974

TO: ALL OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS OF THE CCFA

FROM: NEIL SKAU, JR.

SUBJECT: MONTHLY BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the COLORADO CATTLE FEEDERS ASSOCIATION will be held on Wednesday evening, March 6, 1974 at 6:30 p.m. at the Victor Candlin Post of the American Legion, 2008 54th Ave. Greeley, Colorado.

This will be the initial meeting under President Bill Webster and several important items will be discussed. Please plan to attend.

Minutes of the February meeting are enclosed.
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COLORADO CATTLE FEEDERS ASSOCIATION
BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3, 1974

ATTENDANCE: President Bill Webster, Immediate Past President Jerry Robbe, First Vice President Frank Sewald, Vice Presidents Wm. R. Farr, Lloyd Kindsfater, Jim Svedman, Past Presidents M. S. Anderson, Julius Pluss, and the following members of the Board: Bob Alkire, Dean Anderson, Les Kuhlman, Dick Dixon, Bill Laramore, Jim McKay, Leonard Litzenberger, Edwin Anderson, Martin Allard, Glen Anderson, Duane Flack, Frank Kemp, Jr., Jim Reeman, Marvin Swanson, Don Thompson, Jack Groves, Charles Genova. Guests were Herb Hansen, Weld County assessor and F. M. "Mike" Loustalet, Weld County treasurer, Charles Bradley, CCA President and Don Willis, Colorado Beef Board. This meeting was an out-state meeting held at the Ramada Inn, east of Longmont and included members from the Johnstown and LaSaile District. A heavy snow storm prevented Directors from the eastern edge of the State from attending.

PRESIDENT'S REMARKS: President Webster introduced the members of the Board who were in attendance and noted that the CCFA was off to a good start as new ideas were being studied. It is planned that alternate monthly meetings will be held out-state in order to get better acquainted with members in the various districts. The West Slope is now represented by a Director. He also reported on his participation on an ANCA team that visited New York retailers to encourage greater beef promotional efforts. Other teams visited retailers all over the U. S.

CONSUMER GROUP MEETING: Frank Sewald reported that the Secretary and he had attended a meeting involving several consumer groups who wanted to see "lower food prices for the poor". He was impressed how little these people knew of what went into the cost of production of a pound of beef, or other food, for that matter. He felt some little benefit had been derived from the meeting.

PUBLIC RELATIONS COMMITTEE: Don Thompson, Chairman of the Committee noted that only a couple of feeders' cars had Colorado Beef stickers on them. His committee proposed that 1) the industry explore the cost of TV advertising and giving beef away as prizes at the Bronco home games, 2) Feeders should encourage home ec classes to visit their feedlots and maybe have someone put on a cutting demonstration for the class, 3) make greater use of the CCFA speakers bureau and attempt to get greater numbers of requests for appearance by feeders on local "talk shows". President Webster noted that getting on talk shows was not difficult. The Secretary is to notify the radio stations of the State that CCFA will provide people to take part in these shows.

NUTRITION AND RESEARCH COMMITTEE: President Webster said the Nutrition and Research Committee had met and were looking into new ideas and he reported that a Research Foundation fund was to be established in the CCFA, more to come of this later.

ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITTEE: Committee Chairman Dick Dixon reported that the EPA was noted interested in feedlots (at the present) with capacities of more than 1,000 head but that the National Resources Defense Council had filed suit against EPA demanding that they control ALL lots regardless of size. It was moved and seconded that the CCFA register as a "friend of the court" in this matter and support the EPA in the suit with NRDC. Motion carried.
TAX AND LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE: President Webster called on Committee Chairman Martin Allard and thanked the members of this committee for their weekly attendance at the meetings of this "most active committee". Martin commented on the great joint effort of the Colorado Cattlemen's Assn. and the COLORADO CATTLE FEEDERS ASSOCIATION and the solid front they have maintained at the legislative level. Martin introduced Herb Hansen, Weld County Assessor and Mike Loustalet, Weld County Treasurer. Hansen said that the Assessor simply carries out the law and that now cattle are inventory and taxable at 13% of actual value instead of 30% of actual value. Most Weld County feeders have been on an inventory basis. He believes that the inventory method is most fair. Mike Loustalet said that in the past out-of-state owners of cattle fed in Colorado avoided taxes and the county was forced to sue for its taxes. Now, a reciprocal agreement between counties makes a suit unnecessary and taxes are collected or the county can go against the cattle for the taxes owed.

President Webster thanked the guest speakers and the members of the two Districts as well as the officers and Directors who attended the meeting.

Meeting adjourned.
April 24, 1974

TO: ALL MEMBERS OF THE CCFA BOARD OF DIRECTORS

FROM: NEIL SKAU, JR.

SUBJECT: MAY BOARD MEETING

The May meeting of the COLORADO CATTLE FEEDERS ASSOCIATION Board of Directors will be held on May 1, 1974 at the Victor Candlin Post of the American Legion in Greeley at 6:30 p.m.

Please make an attempt to attend this meeting as we have several important items to discuss that will affect the Association's future.

Minutes of the April meeting are enclosed.
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