

# Newsletter

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Photo was taken from office looking towards the pens.



## From John's Desk:

- Well we can't complain about being dry anymore. El Nino has hit the Texas panhandle with a bang. We have had snow and rain every week for awhile now. The pens are muddy and soupy in places. We have been continuously bedding the receiving area with cotton burrs. In coming heifers seem to be comfortable and in good health. Feed quality has been pretty good throughout this wet spell and the heifers are doing well, but muddy. Temperatures range from low teens to the 60's. Here lately the norm seems to be high 20's at night and high 40's during the day.
- With all this moisture the spring wheat should be of good quality and tonnage. We anticipated a wet spring and planted everything we could last fall in wheat silage.

## From Justin's Desk:

- We received about 1700 heifers in January and shipped out around 1800. We have started looking into a shute side/medicine tracking program. Once we get this installed we will be doing all the processing and treatment entries on this program. We will still use Dairy Comp for breeding and preg check information. Hopefully we get some dry and windy weather the next couple of weeks to dry things up.