Greetings CARMeRs!

The sun is shining, the techs are sampling, and grass is growing, all is well at CPER.

Let's Recap!

Pasture Stats:
- Sandy Soils
- Cool Season Grass Dominated
- Vegetation Threshold 550 pounds/acre
What's in our cup?

We're sitting well soil moisture wise, with 20% in Elm.
Available Forage in Elm

NOTE: Empty (E) is set at 550 lbs/acre

834 lbs/acre
3.6cm

Cowboy Report

Cattle are happy & content, grazing across the whole pasture in small groups.
The scales require a 14-21 days of training, a period of slowly reducing the gap next to the scale that encourages the yearlings to walk over. Once a confident group of yearlings are using the scale, we close the gap completely.

**Weekly Herd Average**
Tech Note:
- Spring has arrived.
On behalf of the USDA-ARS Rangeland Resources & Systems Research Unit, I thank you all for your continued participation in this project.