

# Rodeo Winnings Go To McNeese College

Texas Aggies had to be content with two firsts, two seconds, three fourths, a fifth and a sixth place in the average placings at the seventh annual A&M National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association rodeo Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Taking home the hand-tooled saddle that marked him best all-around cowboy of the rodeo was Ira Akers of Sam Houston State College.

McNeese College of Lake Charles, La., captured the trophy for the first place team.

Winners by events of the rodeo were: Bull riding: Eddie Farris, Aggie from Llano; Robert Penny of McNeese; Dick Burks of the University of Houston; Gayle Thomas of Texas A&I; Carl Martin of McNeese College; and Rodney Butler, Aggie from Sulphur, La.

Barrel race: Virginia Davidson, Lou Ann Parsons; Evelyn Knebel of Sam Houston; and Sandra McClinton.

# Ag Eco Students Make Inspection

Thirty-nine senior and graduate agricultural economics and rural sociology students are in the Houston area today inspecting shipping methods and discussing agricultural and rural problems.

Dr. T. R. Timm, head of the Department of Agricultural Economics and Rural Sociology; R. J. Hildreth, assistant professor of Farm Management; and B. H. Nelson, associate professor of Rural Sociology are also making the trip.

The group left by bus at noon today. They will visit the Port of Houston, Shamrock Hilton Hotel, Rice Hotel, and the new Englewood Freight Yards of the Southern Pacific Railroad, and return to College Station tomorrow night.

Four of the students will be on KPRC-TV tomorrow morning at 6:45. They will discuss "What's New in Agricultural Economics and Rural Sociology" and the opportunities available to students in the field.

Aggie from Sweeney; and A. G. Ollre, Aggie from Houston.

Steer wrestling: Cotton McKinney of McNeese; Lowie Rice, Aggie from College Station; Jerry Crittenden of East Texas State; and John Kiker, Aggie from Beaumont.

Ribbon roping: Jack Bridges, Aggie from Glen Rose; Anthony Salinas of Southwest Texas State; Grady Allen of Texas A&I; and Billy Steele, Aggie from Streetman.

Tie-down roping: Grady Allen; Jack Hennig of Southwest Texas State; Jim Greene of Sam Houston State and Don Turner, Aggie from Gatesville.

Saddle bronc riding: Clyde May of McNeese; A. G. Ollre, and Ira Akers.

Winners in the girls' events were:

Goat tying: Lou Ann Parsons of Texas A&I; Sandra McClinton of Sam Houston State; and Virginia Davidson of Texas A&I.

Barrel race: Virginia Davidson, Lou Ann Parsons; Evelyn Knebel of Sam Houston; and Sandra McClinton.

# Judges Selected For Engr. Drawing

J. G. McGuire, office of the Dean of Engineering; Warren Rice, Mechanical Engineering Department; and E. P. Segner, Civil Engineering Department have been selected to judge the A&M Engineering Drawing Contest to be held Saturday.

Winners in the various classes of the contest will be announced and prizes awarded at a convocation to be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, May 2, in the Assembly room of Anchor Hall.

Professor Spencer Buchanan, Civil Engineering Department, will be the principal speaker.

All contestants and their friends, members of the staff and faculty and their families are invited to attend the ceremonies, according to Ralph Davey Jr. of the Engineering Drawing Department.

# Ambassadors Will Visit Here Saturday Morning

Twenty ambassadors representing Latin-American countries will be on the campus Saturday as part of a three-day tour of Texas. They will be honor guests for a military review of the Corps of Cadets at 10:30 that morning.

Traveling in an Air Force Convair plane, the ambassadors, accompanied by several Texas congressmen including Olin E. Teague, congressman from the Sixth District, will arrive at 8:30 a.m. from Dallas and will be met by Dr. David H. Morgan, college president; Col. Joe E. Davis, commandant, and an A&M student from each of the countries represented by the ambassadors. An honor guard, consisting of the Freshman Drill Team, will be provided at the airport.

The ambassadors will go on a conducted tour of the college farms and campus proper, returning to

the Memorial Student Center at 9:30 a.m. for coffee as guests of Dr. and Mrs. Morgan. At 10:15 a.m. the ambassadors will be in the reviewing line as the corps of cadets pass in review, then will board their plane at 11:30 a.m. for Houston.

During their three-day visit to Texas, the ambassadors, to be equipped with "genuine Texas hats" before leaving Washington, will also visit the campuses of Southern Methodist University, Rice Institute, University of Houston and the University of Texas.

# Center Banquet Thursday Night

The Memorial Student Center Council and Directorate will hold their annual banquet Thursday night at 7 in the MSC according to Dick Wall, council vice-president.

The purpose of this banquet every year is to recognize members for outstanding service during the year and to install new members.

Bud Whitney, council president, will be the main speaker of the evening. Wall, next year's council president, will discuss plans for next year's council.

The theme of the banquet will be Hawaiian, with baked chicken in coconut shells being served.

President David H. Morgan will be present.

A&M has 87 students enrolled from 20 countries represented by the ambassadors. The ambassadors are Adolfo Vicchi, Argentina; V. Andrade, Bolivia; J. C. Muniz, Brazil; M. Rodriguez, Chile; Francisco Urrutia, Colombia; F. Fournier, Costa Rica; Dr. Miguel A. Campa, Cuba; Dr. Joaquim E. Salazar, Dominican Republic; B. Peralta, representing Jose R. Chiriboga V, ambassador from Ecuador;

H. D. Castro, El Salvador; Col. Jose L. C. Salazar; Guatemala; M. Sefhirin, Haiti; Sr. Don C. Izaguirre, Honduras; Don M. Tello, Mexico; Guillermo S. Sacasa, Nicaragua; Dr. J. J. Vallarino, Panama; Dr. Guillermo E. Velloso, Paraguay; Fernando Berckemeyer, Peru; W. P. Bernudez, Uruguay, and Dr. Cesar Gonzalez, Venezuela.

# MSC Council Adds Personnel Bureau

The Memorial Student Center Personnel Bureau has been added to the organizations of the MSC Directorate, according to Robert K. Glasgow, Bureau head.

Organized Feb. 17, through MSC Council president Bud Whitney, the Bureau will be responsible for organizing and coordinating other MSC groups. It will function as part of the Directorate to help groups with membership, attendance, and awards for service.

Glasgow said that one of the main duties of the bureau will be to see that awards of service are given to those who actually deserve them.

Other members of the bureau are Doyal Boring, Clark Holloway, Joe Philpott, Carl Pehnke, Thomas Smith, and John Jefferson.

The group has no special meeting date but will meet when necessary.

A moving sidewalk was shown at Chicago's Columbia Exposition in 1893.

# 100 Swine Breeders Expected for Monday

More than 100 Texas swine breeders are expected to attend the Texas Swine Breeders Association conference to be held here April 30 and May 1.

The Animal Husbandry Department of A&M will sponsor Swine Day in conjunction with the annual conference.

Outstanding breeders over the state will select the best barrow out of their respective herds and these animals will be judged alive, killed and carcasses evaluated. A standard cutting test will be performed on each animal to determine the final rating on the hogs.

# Handbook Given To Physics Dept.

The Physics Department has been given a copy of the current edition of the "Handbook of Chemistry and Physics," to be awarded to the sophomore student who has excelled in one of the sophomore physics courses.

The book will be presented at a ceremony prior to the final examinations at the end of the current semester, according to J. G. Potter, department head. Pre-medical students and students in the various sophomore physics courses, including those for engineers and physics majors, will be considered in determining the award.

Publisher of the handbook is the Chemical Rubber Company, which makes an annual event of presenting current editions of the book to outstanding beginning students in physics and chemistry in leading colleges and universities of the nation.

The winners of the contest will be given a certificate of participation and the Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion winners will receive banners and the top 10 animals will get ribbons.

A barbecue, sponsored by the Saddle and Sirlon Club at A&M, will honor the swine breeders at the Swine Center during the conference.

A new innovation in demonstrations will be used during the conference when Dr. O. D. Butler, of the Animal Husbandry Department, will show the carcasses of frozen hogs to the breeders. These animals will be selected for an example of a standard meat-type hog and one a chuffy, wasty, lard-type hog in the same weight range.

These carcasses will be scraped, disemboweled and frozen as close to normal standing positions as possible.

These carcasses will then be cut into three cross-sections to show the difference in the muscular tissue of the two types of hogs.

# Local Employment Climbs To 12,850

Non-farm employment in the College Station-Bryan area has climbed back to the Jan. 1 level of 12,850 persons.

There are 567 persons—316 men and 251 women—seeking employment through the facilities of the Bryan Texas Employment Commission office. The number of claimants for unemployment compensation benefits decreased slightly during the month of March.

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# Winburn Will Head Houston A&M Club

Ray Winburn was elected Houston Hometown Club president for the coming year at the annual spring barbecue held last Thursday.

Other officers chosen are Bob Best, vice-president; Martin Walters, secretary; Clovis Le Fleur, reporter; and Jerry L. Cremer, social chairman.

The club will meet next May 3, at 7:30 p.m. in room 107 of the Biological Science Building.

# Slide Rule Contest Awards To Be Presented Tuesday

Grading of the 84 entries in the annual Slide Rule Contest is now complete and winners will be announced at the Slide Rule Awards Ceremony at 4 p.m. May 1, in Guion Hall.

The entrants of the contest were selected from the top students currently registered for M.E. 101 and M.E. 108. Each contestant will receive a participation souvenir and a commendation card from the head of the department in which he expects to major. Robert H. Fletcher, contest coordinator, announced the souvenirs to be awarded are 74 fish plaques and 10 ash trays.

The prizes to be awarded high scorers are slide rules, gift certificates and record albums.

Awards will be presented this year to the professors of the three top students in the contest. This is the first time professors have been designated for awards, said Fletcher.

Fletcher pointed out that this is a very important contest for freshman engineering students. Winners will receive recognition from fellow students, faculty and administrators, and will come to the attention of the department heads. A notation of participation in the contest will be made on personnel records, and in addition the Systems Publicity Office will notify newspapers in the winners' home towns.

# Guion Hall Theatre

WEDNESDAY

**VENGEANCE... That Turned Valor to Shame!**  
**SEVEN ANGRY MEN**  
Raymond Massey  
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Plus  
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with the Technicolor  
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A Paramount Picture

**CIRCLE**  
WEDNESDAY  
"Man From Bitter Ridge"  
Les Barker  
— Also —  
"Cult of the Cobra"  
Dick Long

**LFL ABNER**  
I HAVE DEvised A FOOLPROOF TRAP FOR YOUR HONOR! I WILL COAT YOUR NECK WITH ELEPHANT GLUE!!  
CACKLE!! CACKLE!!  
GRRAT!! GASP!! RATTLE!!  
I WILL THEN HANDCUFF HIM - AND THE CASE WILL BE CLOSED!! I'LL BE SLEEPING WITH YOU, BY THE WAY.  
YOUR DINNER, JUDGE!!  
STEAK AGAIN? SIGH!! WHAT ARE YOU EATING, FOSDICK?  
MY LIGHT! USUAL SIR!!

**POGO**  
BY GEORGE Y. WELLS! POGO GOTTA REMEMBER HIS O' FRIENDS WHEN IT COMES TO CABINET POSTS.  
I KIN ROUTE THE MAIL, GOOD AS ANYBODY... ASK ME WHAT'S THE STATE CAPITOL OF NORTH DAKOTA.  
LIKE A FLASK! I REPLYES: "LINCOLN, NEBRASKA!" RIGHT ON THE NOSE!  
I'M POLITE... DEEP-ENOUBLE AN...  
OONK!  
I BEG YOUR PARDON SIR... JES' VOTE EARLY AN...  
THERE IS A SIGHT, CUPTON, ALBERT SAVIN' SIR' TO A TREE.  
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