Wet Leader

Charles Hayden, University of Texas student, drags himself from Littlefield Fountain in the Austin campus. Hayden got the dunking from several students in opposition to his plan to gather students for a march on the Capitol in opposition to House Bill 812, a proposed fees increase bill. After the wetting demonstration fizzled. (AP Wirephoto).

Cottonseed Markets to Develop From Research Work Here

"We'll be in even more of a favor-

Amines, related to the amino

ty of supplying amines when gos-

cottonseed are expected to develop without any recovery of the amines in the South as the result of re- used. search work done at the Cotton- "If we can find a way to reseed Products Research Laboratory cover part of the amines," he says,

A. Cecil Wamble, head of the able position." laboratory, has announced that he and his staff have developed a new method of producing gossypol- acids which are the building blocks free cottonseed meal suitable for of proteins, are common by-prodpoultry feeds. In the past, poul- ucts of many petro-chemical opertry and swine rations have not been based around cottonseed because a number of Texas petro-chemical of the toxic factor of gossypol, firms have already expressed confatal, in heavy doses, to swine and siderable interest in the possibili-

Wamble and associates have successfully produced a cottonseed large-scale manufacture. meal with a free gossypol content below .06 of one per cent, and a total gossypol below .18 per cent,

and 41 per cent protein. In poultry feeding tests, personnel of the laboratory report that chickens raised on the gossypolfree cottonseed meal gain as swiftly and have as good a growth and mortality records as did those raised on rations based around sovbean meal, the chief competitor in

Wamble points out the the protein requirements in the South's feed industry are, currently, for poultry and swine feeds alone, some two million tons annually. Of this amount, he estimates that about fifty percent could be filled by using cottonseed meal. At the moment, however, the market is for from 250,000 to 500,000 tons, largely because of failure to develop an economical method for freeing cottonseed of gossypol.

This leaves a gap for some quarter to a half million tons, each year, of \$40 to \$50 per ton cottonseed, which Wamble believes can be converted for the poultry and

swine feeding industry.

The method developed in the laboratory of the Texas Engineering Experiment Station is one using n-octyl amine to clean up the meal, and at the present time, under laboratory conditions, the meal is being produced at about \$8 a ton less than the premium ordinarily paid by feed mixers in the Southwest and West for soybean meal now used in swine and poul-

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Britain Announces Entry into Space Age

LONDON (AP)-Britain announc- | been chosen, Macmillan said.

that scientists had been given the from the Americans.

and Soviet satellites has not yet operation, Macmillan said.

A team of British experts will The rocket that will carry the first one aloft to join the U. S. discuss possible U. S.-British co-

lan told the House of Commons British may try to borrow a rocket the British program develops, miles. 'thereby widening the area of in-

peaceful use of outer space."

LONDON (P)—Britain announce been chosen, Macmillan said. The British decision was well adapt military rockets, now been decision with the expressed hope that a British decision was welling developed here, as satellite space age by launching its own ish rocket could do the job. The Department expressed hope there carriers. The main hope lies in implication in his statement was would be many opportunities for the Bluestreak, a missile being Prime Minister Harold Macmil- that if this was not possible the the United States to cooperate as built to cover a range of 2,500

> Macmillan said Britain is also ternational cooperation in the opening consultations with countries in the British Commonwealth British scientists are trying to for collaboration on the project.

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