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(Continued From Page 1) tions on how the profession's image can be improved.

Sunde said the decline in numbers of poultry departments is a paradoxicol trend, considering the size and scope of the poultry industry in the United States and other countries.

U. S. colleges and universities had 44 departments of poultry science in 1960, the speaker said. From 1961-67, one or more departments have been lost each year. The 44 figure has now dropped to about 27.

How can the poultry science profession boost its influence? Here are some of Sunde's suggestions:

Strive toward excellence in teaching and use experienced teachers.

"You must convince students that you are dedicated to the industry," he emphasized.

Image improvement is needed by showing other scientists that the poultry scientist is a true biologist.

POULTRY department members should attend faculty meetings faithfully and work toward committee appointments. Membership in various professional organizations is helpful.

There is a need for more citizen participation in local, state and national politics. Always strive for co-operation between poultry research and the needs of private industry.

The keynote address was titled "Early Travels of the Chicken" and was given by Dr. George F. Carter, distinguished professor of geography at A&M, Tuesday morning.

KRUEGER SAID a special business program feature was a symposium Wednesday on "The Types of Marketing Orders for the Poultry Industry and What They Might Provide." Arrangements were made for a telephone hookup to allow Georgia Senator H. E. Talmadge to speak from Washington, D. C., on present legislation before Congress.

Social activities are many and varied for PSA members and their families, Krueger added. These include tours of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA), the Astrodome and Astroworld, all in Houston; the Hemisfair in San Antonio, and a tour of the A&M campus and plantation. Another added attraction was

Another added attraction was a Texas style barbecue Tuesday evening. The feast was followed by the famed, three-screen color slide presentation of "The Murder of Silence," which shows how man can spoil his environment. Krueger said three and a half A&M dormitories and 125 motel rooms are occupied by PSA members and guests.

The Poultry Science Association last met at Texas A&M in 1934. Dr. J. H. Quisenberry, head of the A&M Poultry Science Department, was the organization's president from 1955-56. Dr. C. B. Ryan of the same department has been PSA secretary since 1954.



## Albritton Named To System Board

Bryan industrialist Ford D. Albritton Jr. has been appointed a member of the Texas A&M University System Board of Directors by Goy. John Connally.

tors by Gov. John Connally. A 1943 graduate of Texas A&M and president-elect of its Association of Former Students, Albritton will fill the unexpired term of Gardiner Symonds of Houston who has resigned.

Albritton, 47, is president and chairman of the board of Albritton Engineering Corporation, the nation's third largest manufacturer of aluminum windows and doors.

He has long been one of the university's most ardent supporters and has provided financial assistance to several A&M programs, including athletics and scholarships.

scholarships. Earlier this year, Albritton Engineering and Reynolds Metals Co. presented the university a large aluminum work of art depicting space flight to grace the entrance to the institution's new Olin E. Teague Research Center. Albritton is a director of the Architectural Aluminum Manufacturers Association and First Bank & Trust of Bryan and president of the lay advisory board of St. Joseph Hospital, also in Bryan. The Houston native also is past

The Houston native also is past president of the Bryan-College Station Chamber of Commerce and the Greater Bryan United Fund. Two of Albritton's four children attend Texas A&M. Ford D. Albritton III is a senior finance major and Robert L. is a sophomore majoring in management. A third son, John, attends Sul Ross Elementary in Bryan and a daughter, Sally, is a student at Lamar Junior High.