

# Library receives millionth book



Millionth book for library

The millionth book for Texas A&M University's libraries was formally accepted Saturday by Board of Regents Chairman Clyde H. Wells. "This is indeed an appropriate event to close out the observance of our centennial year—commemorating 100 years, 100,000 Aggies, and now, 1,000,000 books," Wells said in accepting a copy of *Prose and Poetry of the Live Stock Industry of the United States*, a rare book given to the University by Mrs. M. F. (Chan) Driscoll of Midland.

In addition to the first million books, Wells said the event also means the University is starting on its second million.

The symbolic millionth volume, described by one bibliographer as the "most desired and desirable book on the range cattle industry," was presented by T. Edgar Paup, 1973 Texas A&M graduate and son of Mrs. Driscoll.

In expressing gratitude to Mrs. Driscoll, Wells described her as "a doer as well as a donor" and someone with a vested interest (in Texas A&M), being the mother of two Aggies. Her older son, Henry B. Paup, a 1970 Texas A&M graduate, also attended the ceremonies.

Mrs. Driscoll is immediate past president of Friends of the Texas A&M University Library and cur-

rently serves as vice president and president-elect of the group which provides broad-based support for the library. She also helped organize the A&M Mothers' Club in Midland.

Wells said the book will be added to the Jeff Dykes Range Livestock Collection and placed it in the care of Dr. Irene Hoadley, Texas A&M's director of libraries.

"The state provides the basic funding for the University Libraries," Hoadley said, "but it is only through the generosity of our many friends that we are able to provide the special materials that will help to make this a great library."

Hoadley said the millionth volume is more than a benchmark of the libraries' achievements.

"It is also an indication of the accomplishment of the University and the importance it places on books in its evolution," she said.

The libraries' director noted some 70,000 volumes were added to the University's holdings during the past year, almost twice as many as were added in prior years. She said recent additions cover a broad spectrum of the University's academic areas.

In welcoming remarks, Dr. John C. Calhoun, Jr., Texas A&M's vice president for academic affairs, noted the University is striving for a balanced collection that meets the

needs in all academic areas, with a doubling of its current holdings. He also cited the emphasis being placed on formats other than books, such as microforms, video tapes and cassettes.

Dr. Calhoun also said that Texas A&M is tied in with two external systems, the Center for Research Libraries in Chicago and the Amigos Bibliographic Network, which make available to the University's faculty and students vast resources in addition to the acquisitions on campus.

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# McDonald's INTRAMURAL HIGHLIGHTS



Above — Members of the Corps are shown in a dead heat at the finish of the Cross-Country Race... See the story at right.

Below — Ray Wotrich of Shuhmacher is shown in IM Bowling competition which will conclude next week.



## This Week in Intramurals Golf Champs

Robert Pate, an Independent, beat Pat Berna of the Sig Eps in a play-off match to win the All-University Golf Title last week. In Class B action, John Bridges of Moore Hall won the title by beating David Ward, also of Moore in the finals. Richard Floyd, another Independent, underscored J. McClean of Dunn Hall to take the Class C Championship.

## More Officials Needed

Need some extra money but don't want to be tied to a job with long hours, a lot of travel, and no fun? Then come on by the Intramural Office and find out about the great opportunities in IM Basketball Officiating. John Meyer, in charge of officials, needs about one hundred students to serve as Basketball Referees next semester. The pay is good with the scale at \$2.30, \$2.50, and \$2.75, depending on experience. The hours can be flexible and will include evenings from 5 till 11 p.m. Best of all, you get paid while you train and the training is the best available. Also, the job is on campus, so no traveling is necessary.

If you are interested but don't get a chance to see John at the IM Office, there will be a meeting for all those interested on Wednesday, December 1 at 7:00 p.m. in room 267, G. Rollie White. This meeting is only for those who have not done any officiating for Intramurals yet.

So, come on out and have some fun while you earn some good money.

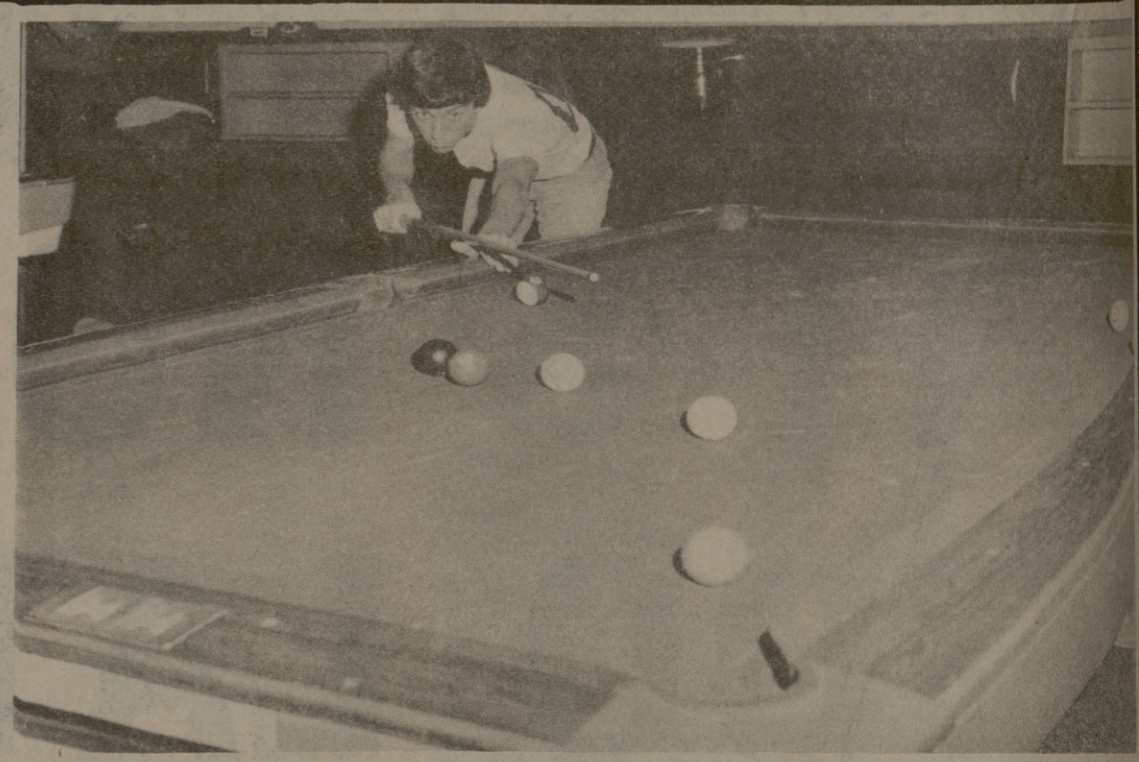
## Winning Runners

Tom Walters of Casa Del Sol posted a 12:42.6 in the 2½ mile Cross-Country event to set a new IM record recently. Tom was ahead of a group of about 75 runners who entered the competition and ran around the Polo Field across from the Systems Building.

Ross Oliver of Puryear Hall placed second in the event with a 12:51.5 while Paul Finberg, an Independent, took third with a 13:03.6.

Nancy Sims won the Women's Division with a 17:19.0, also a new IM record for this event. The Fowler team of Nancy Sims, Ann Brew, and Milti Truiston took first in the Women's Team competition.

The Casa Del Sol team, comprised of Tom Walters, Keith Spires, and Roy Shilling won the Men's team division followed closely by the Roadrunners which included Denis Raleigh, Mark Ryburn, and Tim Ludwick. The Groundpounders, with Wes Caldwell, Jim Patterson, and Ferny Hernandez tied for third with the Sub 4-45 team, made up of Dan Steed, Benny Meaux, and D. Garrison. Congratulations to all those who entered and especially to those who won.



Above — Billiards competition is also reaching its final stages in the Basement of the MSC. Below — Linnie Moroney is shown in the IM Diving competition held recently.



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