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ANIMAL SCIENCE ALUMNI NEWSLETTER



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FROM THE DEPARTMENT HEAD'S DESK

Greetings! This year has been marked by exciting change and opportunity. Most exciting has been a 10 percent increase of Animal Science majors in parallel with an 8 percent increase in undergraduate students in the College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources. Total enrollment in our courses also increased this fall over the previous year. More transfer of students from community colleges and state colleges is a new development in our student body. We continue to work closely with the College to inform potential students of the outstanding programs and opportunities available at UNL.

A high demand for B.S. graduates by agribusiness and production agriculture is a second positive sign. The greatest recent change in career plans of graduates is the large number planning to return to home farms and ranches compared with five years ago. The strong employment picture for our graduates is certainly encouraging.

We have faced the challenges of implementing, on a permanent basis, the budget reduction imposed by the Legislature in the current biennium. The budget cuts will result in closing most activities at the poultry farm and eliminating our applied poultry nutrition research program. These cuts are leading us to pursue opportunities for collaboration with neighboring states. We seek to pool our resources to offer focused, effective programs for the poultry industry of our region. The opportunity to redefine positions has led to the creation of a new rumen microbiology faculty position and a new poultry extension specialist position.

We look optimistically to the future because of our many strengths in the Department. We have excellent, enthusiastic students, an outstanding and dedicated faculty, and the best of facilities for our programs. Our resources base is strong even as we have faced budget cuts. We ask for your continued support to help us continue serving the teaching, research and extension needs of Nebraska's animal industries.

— Elton Aberle

ANIMAL SCIENCE ALUMNI DAY APRIL 24, 1993

All Animal Science Alumni are invited to help make Saturday, April 24, 1993 a day to REMEMBER. A day to REMEMBER the good times and good friends! A day to REMEMBER because of opportunities for developing new friendships and learning new information! To make it a day to REMEMBER we need you!!! Please plan to attend! Please call your Animal Science alumni friends and plan to get together for a day to REMEMBER - Saturday, April 24, 1993.

The tentative schedule for the day includes:

- Animal Science Open House and Discussion of Research, Teaching and Extension Programs
- Animal Science Alumni Luncheon
- Social Event(s) in Animal Sciences Building
- Block and Bridle Honors Banquet the night before on Friday, April 23, 1993

Plans are being made now, but there is time for your input. If you have suggestions for: lunch menu, social events, and anything for the day to REMEMBER, call or write a member of the committee, i.e., Kathy Anderson, Dennis Burson, Jim Gosey, Rick Grant, Ted Doane, Ed Grotjan, and Earl Ellington.

**REMEMBER ALUMNI DAY
SATURDAY, APRIL 24, 1993**

UNL MASTERS PROGRAM HONOREE



We were proud to have one of our alumni, Paul Engler, Chief Executive Officer of Cactus Feeders, Amarillo, TX selected this year as an UNL Masters Program Honoree. This program recognizes excellence in distinguished alumni and brings them on campus to share their career experiences with students and faculty through class visitations, seminars, campus tours, receptions and meetings with student organizations. Mr. Engler was kept extremely busy November 4-7 in the foregoing activities which were evaluated as being very fruitful by both students and faculty.

Mr. Engler, a native of Bassett, is a 1951 UNL graduate with a major in Animal Science. He and his wife, Virginia, have six children.

In 1961, Mr. Engler founded Hereford Feedyards, Hereford, TX, the first large scale commercial cattle feeding operation in the Texas Panhandle. The company later merged with Producers Chemical Company to form ProChemco, Inc., a public corporation. ProChemco, in addition to its cattle operations, operated an oil and gas exploration and production company, an industrial and agricultural chemical company and an oil and gas well servicing subsidiary. Mr. Engler served as Chairman of the Board and President of ProChemco, Inc., before selling his interest and resigning his position with ProChemco to accept a position with Iowa Beef Processors, Inc. (IBP). Mr. Engler was responsible for cattle procurement, operation of eight plants and sale of beef carcasses, offal and by-products. He initiated establishment of a new IBP plant at Amarillo, Tx, the largest beef slaughter plant in the U.S. at that time. He was a member of the Executive Committee and served on the Board of Directors at IBP, Inc., prior to resigning to form his own commercial cattle feeding company. He is currently the Co-founder and Chief Executive Officer, Cactus Feeders, Inc., Amarillo, TX, the largest cattle feeding company in the United States. Cactus Feeders, Inc., owns and manages six modern feedyards with one-time capacity of 300,000 cattle and 140,000 acres of ranch and farm land.

NEW FACULTY



Mark Morrison was appointed Assistant Professor, Rumen Microbiology, in August, 1992. His research goal is to emphasize molecular biology, biochemistry, metabolism and genetics of rumen microbes which will be applicable to improvement of animal performance. He will be involved in teaching after his research program is well under way. Dr.

Morrison, a native of New South Wales, Australia, received his Ph.D. from the University of North Queensland. He and his wife, Karen, have a son and two daughters.



Sheila Scheideler was appointed Associate Professor/Extension Poultry Specialist in September, 1992. She will provide leadership in both adult and youth poultry programs. She is working closely with the poultry industry in conducting educational programs and evaluating current research for industry application. Dr. Scheideler received B.S. and M.S. degrees at the University of Nebraska and a Ph.D. at Iowa State University. She comes to us from North Carolina State University where she was Assistant Professor with responsibilities in extension and research. She and her husband, William, have two sons.

FACULTY RETIREES



Daniel E. Bigbee, Professor, retired July 1, 1992 after distinguished service to the University in various roles during his 14 year tenure. His initial role was that of extension poultry specialist and teacher of poultry courses. He then transferred to International Programs where he served as coordinator for the Morocco Mid-America International Agricultural Consortium (5 midwestern states cooperating) project.



Donald B. Hudman, retired July 31, 1992 after serving the Animal Science Department and the University in a number of different capacities and areas of the state.

He began his tenure as swine nutritionist in 1956. In 1966, he accepted a position as swine consultant with the Kerr-McGee Foundation in eastern Oklahoma. He returned to Nebraska as swine specialist for the Scottsbluff and North Platte Extension Districts in 1980. In 1981, he accepted the position of Associate Director of the North Platte Station and Extension District. He was appointed Director of the Northeast Research and Extension Center at Concord in 1986. During his tenure at the center, his leadership facilitated in molding the new "Extension Programming Unit" concept into a highly effective educational delivery system in northeast Nebraska.

Don, and his wife, Virginia, have relocated to Texas to enjoy their retirement.

BLOCK & BRIDLE CLUB

R.B. WARREN 1992 HONOREE



R.B. "Dick" Warren received a B.S. in Agriculture at Kansas State University in 1948, and an M.S. in Animal Breeding at Oklahoma State University in 1950. He was Assistant Professor at Michigan State University 1949-55, came to the University of Nebraska in 1956 and retired in December 1990. He has been involved in several kinds of athletic activities, and his athletic endeavors and achievements in high school, college and retirement have been only slightly affected by being left handed and one armed since 1927.

He coached livestock judging teams at Michigan State and livestock and horse teams at the University of Nebraska. His teams ranked as Reserve National Champions 4 times and American Royal Champions 3 times, with many other honors at national collegiate contests. His 37 different years as collegiate livestock and horse judging coach served to keep livestock evaluation modern and useful. His judging team alumni are strong in ability, communication, and product delivery, in a variety of fields.

R.B. assumed leadership for the Nebraska 4-H Horse Program from 1964-90. During this period he developed effective Nebraska District and State 4-H Horse Shows and a series of innovative horse clinics and judging training sessions. A few of the innovations in the District shows were dress codes, individual performance evaluation, safety equitation and talent level class structures. In 1983, a 4-H Horse Scholarship Fund was established in his honor. In 1984, he was awarded the Excellence in Programming Award for his horse program, which was copied by many other states.

He served as student organization advisor to Block & Bridle, Farmers Fair, Agricultural Executive Board and UN-L Rodeo Association. His leadership and dedication as a Nebraska professor and an extension specialist touched many lives. Helping to nurture appetites for new knowledge, sifting of facts, assembling the whole product and learning to tell the tale clearly, was the purpose and joy of his mission.

R.B. was a nationally approved judge of Quarter Horses and Appaloosas. He also judged breeding and market shows in beef, swine and sheep at county, state fairs and national events. He has been a strong competitor in Team and Calf Roping in National Senior Pro Rodeos.

ACTIVITIES AND OFFICERS FOR 1992-1993

President - Page Peterson, Gothenburg
Vice President - Matt Rathjen, Lincoln
Secretary - Kerri Saner, Ainsworth
Treasurer - Todd Cappel, McCook
News Reporter - Shelly Goodwater, Battle Creek
Historian - Missy Wilcox, Russell, Pa
Assistant Historian - Carla Benson, Sumner
Marshal - Bob Ryland, Stapleton
Assistant Marshal - Ryan Jurjens, Eustis
Program Chair - Andrew Klug, Columbus

The following is a list of Block and Bridle activities for the 1992-1993 academic year.

Fall Kid's Day	October 7
Little Ak-Sar-Ben	October 24
Ambassador Coronation	October 30
Little MAEC - Market-Breeding Division	December 4
Christmas Lunch	December 11
National Meetings (Denver, CO)	January 14-16
Beef Show	March 7
Meat Animal Evaluation Contest	March 18-21
Spring Kid's Day	March 18
Quarter Horse Show	April 4
HONORS BANQUET - 6:30 P.M.	April 23

ANIMAL SCIENCE EXTENSION AGENT AFFILIATES

The Agent affiliate program, a new working relationship between county-based extension staff and the academic departments of IANR, was introduced in the fall of 1991. The purpose of agent affiliation is to strengthen the total program of the department by identifying issues confronting extension audiences, improve extension program delivery, improving communication of the total mission of the department, identifying research needs as expressed in the communities, providing a mechanism for extension agents to participate in applied research and contributing to the linkage of extension and academic programs.

Faculty affiliate status is voluntary on the part of the extension agent and the department. Twenty-four agents chose to affiliate with the Animal Science Department and participated in the first affiliate department workshop in April. In addition to on-campus activities, agents receive departmental newsletters, seminar notices, and are involved in departmental extension species group meetings and the planning of department events. In the future, agents will be offered in-depth inservice training and asked to provide input into department reviews. This association with an academic department will permit extension agents to participate in those activities that will allow them to improve their extension plans at the extension program unit and county level.

RECENT DEPARTMENT AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

FACULTY

Charlie Adams - American Meat Science Association R.C. Pollock Award
Bill Ahlschwede, Mike Brumm, Dennis Burson, Don Levis & Duane Reese - Cooperative Extension Excellence in Team Programming Award—Whole Hog Days
Gary Bennett, Mike Brumm, Ed Grotjan & Rick Rasby - Promoted
Dennis Brink - National Association of Colleges & Teachers of Ag Outstanding Teacher for Central Region
Mike Brumm - IANR Team Effort Award—Swine Enterprise Records & Analysis Program
Chris Calkins - 1993 Reciprocal Meat Conference and AMSA Annual Meeting Chair
Chris Calkins, Edd Clemens & Keith Gilster - UNL Parents Association and Teaching Council Recognition Award for Contributions to Students
Murray Danielson - ASAS Animal Management Award
Keith Gilster - Nebraska Ag Youth Council Award of Merit
Keith Gregory - ASAS Morrison Award
Steve Jones, Don Lunstra & Mohammad Koohmaraie - Graduate College Faculty Fellows
Terry Klopfenstein - UNL Distinguished Teaching Award
Roger Mandigo - Oklahoma State University Animal Science Advanced Degree Graduate of Distinction Award and Nebraska Hall of Ag Achievement Member
Phil Miller - Graduate Faculty Member
Merlyn Nielsen - Gamma Sigma Delta Excellence in Research Award
Doyle Wolverton - UN Livestock Service Award

GRADUATE STUDENT

Kristin Barkhouse & Andrea Rosati - Gamma Sigma Delta Honor Society Initiates
Ellen Bergfeld & Rafael Nunez - Sigma Xi Travel Grants
Doreen Blackmer - First in the Ak-Sar-Ben Section, Institute of Food Technologists, graduate student competition
Bouchaib Boulanouar - Rockefeller Scholarship for African Summer Institute
Andrea Cupp, Steve Lonergan, Dean Pringle, Aspi Sohaili & Tim Wester - Center for Biotechnology Graduate Associateship Awards
Jihad Douglas - Ruth Keller Scholarship
Scott Eilert - Tyson Graduate Student Scholarship and IFT/Kraft General Foods Academic Fellowship
Keith Goerl - Phi Beta Delta International Honor Society Initiate
Javier Gonzalez - Mussehl Scholarship
Bucky Gwartney - Second in the AMSA PhD Poster Competition and Warren F. & Edith R. Day Student Aid Fund Award
Steve Lonergan, Rafael Nunez, Tom Rathje & Tim Wester - V.H. Arthaud Memorial Travel Fellowships

Gary Louis - First in Midwest ASAS Graduate Student Competitive Paper Session
Wes Osburn - First in the AMSA MS competition

NON-ACADEMIC STAFF

Matt Anderson - IANR Managerial/Professional Outstanding Employee Award
Judy Huff & Jeff Perkins - IANR Outstanding Clerical/Service Employee Award
John Struwe - NPI Poultry Person of the Year Award

FACULTY ACTIVITIES

Irv Omtvedt, vice chancellor of the University of Nebraska-Lincoln Institute of Agriculture and Natural Resources, has been named chairman of the National Academy of Sciences panel on animal health and veterinary medicine issues.

The panel will meet to direct activities in three focus areas: 1. evaluation of food-animal production practices, with an emphasis on their potential effects on human health and environment; 2. evaluation of public policy and economic considerations in the production, care and use of animals for food, human health research and recreation; and 3. provide advice and assistance to government agencies on evaluating issues.

Chris Calkins reviewed, toured facilities and discussed potential for cooperative research with Australian Meat and Livestock Corporation officials in Sidney and Brisbane, Australia.

Gene Deutscher is on a six-month (September 1, 1992 to February 28, 1993) Faculty Development Leave. The first three months were spent in Australia studying beef production and visiting research stations and ranches. The remainder of the leave will be spent reviewing and sharing information on research and extension programs in Iowa, Kansas and Colorado.

Earl Ellington was elected Treasurer of Gamma Sigma Delta International and President of Phi Beta Delta International Honor Society.

Jim Kinder is on a one-year Faculty Development Leave performing collaborative research with Australian researchers.

Austin Lewis serves as Editor-in-Chief of the Journal of Animal Science.

Elizabeth Newton has joined the department in a post doctorate position in the area of swine nutrition and is teaching swine nutrition this first semester.

Merlyn Nielsen is Breeding and Genetics Section Editor of the Journal of Animal Science.

Lisa Kriese is a post doctoral associate working in the animal breeding and genetics area.

Duane Reese is on a one-year leave in Denmark and Sweden conducting a series of activities with government, industry and university personnel to gain in-depth knowledge of Scandinavian pork production and methods of technology transfer.

Several staff members are working on various projects with visiting scientists including: Mitanyoshi Suzuki, Japan; Joanir Eler, Brazil; Nicolas Gengler, Belgium; Hugh Payne, Australia; and George Dimov, Bulgaria.

JUDGING TEAM ACTIVITIES

JUDGING TEAM COACHES ROTATE

Karol Peters, graduate student in Physiology, will coach the livestock judging team for 1993-1994. Ms. Peters graduated from Iowa State University in 1991 and enrolled in graduate school at UN-L that summer. She is working toward a Masters degree under Dr. Jim Kinder.

Brent Vieselmeyer, graduate student in ruminant nutrition, has served as the coach of the livestock judging team since July, 1990. Mr. Vieselmeyer will continue his graduate program under Dr. Terry Klopfenstein.

1992 Livestock Judging Team



Seated: Travis Caspersen, Boelus; Loren Meiergerd, Beemer; Danny Poss, Scotia; Loren Johnson, Papillion. **Standing:** Elton Aberle, Department Head; Peter Olson, Sargent; Matt Corwine, Quenemo, KS; Jeanna Bracken, Fredonia, KS; Chad Ross, Estevan, Saskatchewan; Jay Elfeldt, Sutherland; Brent Vieselmeyer, Coach.

Success continues from the Livestock Judging Team. Placings include 5th at the National Western, Denver; 3rd and 5th at Sioux Falls, SD; 2nd at Fort Worth, TX; 3rd at the National Barrow Show, Austin, MN; 4th at the Mid-America Classic, Wichita, KS; 6th at the American Royal, Kansas City, MO; and 3rd at the National Contest held during the North American, Louisville, KY. Individual honors were: Chad Ross, 3rd at Denver, 6th at the National Barrow Show and 8th at the National Contest. Travis Caspersen was 2nd at Fort Worth and 10th at the National Barrow Show. Matt Corwine was high individual at Fort Worth. Jay Elfeldt was 10th at Fort Worth.

1992 Meat Animal Evaluation Team



Front Row: Travis Caspersen, Boelus; Tammy Miller, Lincoln; Leah Doolittle, Amelia; Nancy Rathje, Shelby; Brad Johnson, Fostoria, OH. **Back Row:** Paul Kuber, Coach; Kim Ludden, Lincoln; Peter Olson, Sargent; Kevin Bosshamer, Amherst; Danny Poss, Scotia; Loren Johnson, Papillion; Logan Dana, Lincoln; Glen Burenheide, Howells; Keith E. Gilster, Coach; Elton Aberle, Department Head.

Eighteen teams and 147 individuals participated in the Ak-Sar-Ben contest. The team was 5th overall, 6th in market, 5th in breeding and 4th in the meats division. Johnson was 3rd in breeding, 3rd in meats and 2nd overall. Burenheide was 9th in the meats division. Caspersen was 14th in the market division and 17th overall.

Meats Team



Left to Right: Paul Kuber, Coach, Glen Burenheide, Assistant Coach, Royce Shaneman, Lincoln; Sherry Asche, Valparaiso; John Wolf, Lincoln; Kanda Vogt, Cozad; Doug Olsen, Harrisburg; Jess Hinrichs, Bruning; Dennis Burson, Advisor, Elton Aberle, Department Head.

The 1992 Meats Judging Team competed in five contests. The Junior team placed 7th in the National Western and 6th in the Southwestern. The Senior team placed 6th in the Iowa State Contest, 10th at the American Royal at Emporia, KS and 11th at the International at Dakota City. Senior team members included Olsen, Quandt, Asche, Hinrichs, Shaneman, and Bosshamer.

Horse Team



Seated: Samantha Milligan, Assistant, Hooper; Pam Smith, Beatrice; Kathy Anderson, Coach. **Standing:** Elton Aberle, Department Head; Chris Bender, Seward; Shawn Barnett, Ashland; Scott Shelbourn, Valentine.

The team placed 11th out of 22 teams at the Quarter Horse Congress. Bender placed 6th overall, 3rd in performance, and 10th in reasons. The team placed 12th overall at the AQHA World Contest in Oklahoma City and 10th in performance.

COURSE AND CURRICULUM REVIEW

You may recall that the Department developed a new undergraduate curriculum which was first offered in the fall of 1990. We believe that it is now time to review the new curriculum.

The Department Undergraduate Teaching and Advisement Committee is providing leadership for this effort. The overall objective is to determine how well the curriculum is meeting the educational needs of our students. The review findings will be extremely valuable in helping our faculty make course and curriculum improvements to help students obtain the best education possible for reaching their career goals. The review will be conducted by a team consisting of our faculty, faculty from other UNL departments, faculty from other Animal Science Departments and student representatives. The review project is scheduled for completion during the fall of 1993.

WINDMILL GIFT TO ANIMAL SCIENCE

Visitors, students and staff of the Animal Science Department now can watch a working windmill thanks to a gift from R.B. Warren, John Ward, Jim Gosey and Judging Team Alumni. The new Dempster windmill was erected this past fall and will pump water into an adjacent tank when temperatures are above freezing. The windmill is located on the east side of the Animal Sciences building and its 40 foot tower can easily be seen from East Campus Loop.

A brass plaque has been erected near the windmill with a tribute to Dempster and donors.

HALLMAN MEMORIAL FUND ESTABLISHED

A memorial fund in honor of John Hallman, an undergraduate and graduate student in the Animal Science Department, has been established in the UN Foundation (John was a victim of a car accident in May 1992 when he was near completion of his graduate program). Income from the fund will support an annual award to an Animal Science graduate student excelling in academics, teaching and research. The Hallman family and IAMS Pet Food Company, who supported his research, have contributed generously to establish the fund. The Department and Animal Science Graduate Student Association welcome contributions to the fund. Contributions should be sent to the University of Nebraska Foundation, 1111 Building, 1111 Lincoln Mall, Suite 200, Lincoln, NE 68508-0605.

ALUMNI NEWS

Thanks to those who have sent the information that follows. We would like to have a similar update from the rest of you for our 1994 newsletter.

1940's

Edwin J. Rousek, 1175 San Madele, Fresno, CA 93711, Retired Chairman of Department of Animal Science, California State University. He was a member of the 1939 livestock judging team and toastmaster at the first Block and Bridle Club banquet. He was awarded "Livestock Man of the Year" by the "Cow Palace" Livestock Show.

1950's

Ronald H. Kohlmeier, Ph.D., DVM, 15622 Century Lake Drive, Chesterfield, MO 63017. Dr. Kohlmeier is Technical Director, Animal Nutrition, for the American Soybean Association. His work involves visits to many countries teaching the nutritional use of soybeans and soybean by-products. His daughter, Pam, graduated from UNL in 1991 and is currently enrolled at the UN Medical Center.

1960's

Daryl Starr, HC 1, Box 10, Mullen, NE 69152. Daryl is still ranching but has a new address.

1970's

Ricardo Salazar, P.O. Box 1717126, Quito, Ecuador. Richardo is meat department manager for "Supermaxi" the largest supermarket chain in Ecuador and is manager of "Agropesa" the meat packing branch of the supermarket chain.

Dennis L. Nun, 8341 Water Tower Ct., Lincoln, NE 68516. Dennis is a senior sales director for Conklin Co., Inc. and president of Heartland Conklin, Inc. His territory involves NE, CO, KS, MO, SD, WI and MN.

Larry Berger, Ph.D. received the 1992 American Feed Industry Association Award in Nutrition from American Society of Animal Science. He is a professor of Animal Science at the University of Illinois.

Allen Cook, 612 Victoria Drive, Belvedere, SC 29841. Allen is Research Coordinator for the Savannah River Ecology Laboratory. He manages a remote sensing/geographic Systems Laboratory.

Gary L. Maricle, 8805 Drydock Drive, Liberty, MO 64068. Gary is principal at East Environmental Science/Agribusiness Magnet High School, Kansas City, MO., the only secondary school in the nation combining these two themes. The school prepares students for careers in agribusiness.

1980's

Bob and Pat (Keester) Steele, 3118 South 134th Avenue, Omaha, NE 68144. Pat is Research Coordinator for the Department of Surgery, Creighton University. Bob is a Nutritionist for Miller IMS in Omaha. They are proud parents of Heather 5 and Clinton 4.

Alexis Bennet, 25 Sound View Avenue, Locust Valley, New York 11560. Alexis is Office Manager for P. Johnson Thoroughbred Racing Stables at Belmont Park.

Karen Bowlin, HC 74, Box 33, Cody, NE 69211. Karen and her husband are in a Maine-Anjou partnership and they are also raising ostriches. Karen is a member of the school board, they have two daughters—ages three and one.

Elizabeth Hawkins, 2058 College View Road, Manhattan, KS 66502. Elizabeth is a veterinary student at Kansas State University.

Brenda Leisy, 2800 Pub Court, Lincoln, NE 68516. Brenda is Product Manager of frozen and refrigerated products for Pegler-Sysco Food Services.

Rhonda Nicholson, 2008 Avenue V, Lubbock, TX 79411. Rhonda is a Ph.D. candidate in swine behavior and environmental physiology at Texas Tech University.

Jolene Frevert, 2745 S.W. Villa West Drive #1106, Topeka, KS 66614. Jolene is staff cardiovascular perfusionist at Starmont-Vail Regional Medical Center in Topeka.

Loy Matthes, Route 1, Box 235, North Platte, NE 69101. Loy is a broker for Gateway Realty selling farms and ranches as well as residential real estate.

Gregory Weaver, Route 1, Box 423, Wauchula, FL 33873. Gregory is County Extension Director of Hardee County, a county with large ranches and smaller farms raising livestock, citrus, vegetables and ornamentals.

Mike Bredemeier, 4815 16th Avenue NW #105, Rochester, MN 55901. Mike is Production Director for Lakeside Foods, a co-packer for George A. Hormel Co.

Pam Hein, 1218 1/2 Tower Avenue, Superior, WI 54880. Pam is Merchandise Distributor/Analyst with Maurices, Inc., Duluth, MN. She is planning for her marriage to Clair Hanson on April 3, 1993.

Tom Long, Ph.D., Animal Genetics Breeding Unit, Armidale, New South Wales, Australia. Tom is in charge of swine breeding at the University of New England at Armidale.

Jonathan Albro, 919 E. 6th Street, Moscow, ID 83843. Jonathan is Dairy Research Associate at the University of Idaho.

Gerald L. Walker, Ph.D., 908 Pine, Atlantic, IA 50022. Gerald is Manager of swine research at Walnut Grove Products.

Jeff Spies, Route 2, Box 131, Oshkosh, NE 69154. Jeff is "punching" cows and ranching on the Blue Creek Ranch in Garden County, NE.

ALUMNI INFORMATION

To keep us informed on your location, professional involvement and other items of interest, please complete the following information sheet and return it to Vicky Kobes, C203 Animal Sciences, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, NE 68583-0908. Should you know of Animal Science Alumni who are not receiving this newsletter, please let us know how we may contact them.

Name _____ Date of Graduation _____
Address _____ City _____
State _____ Zip Code _____

Position, Company, Address:

News Items, Comments, etc.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR 1993

BEEF

Eastern Nebraska Cow Conference

Jan. 23 - Fremont

MEATS

Kansas-Nebraska Processed Meats Workshop

Feb. 11-13 - Loeffel Meat Lab

University of Nebraska, Lincoln

SWINE

"Sharpening your Competitive Edge"

Jan. 26 - St. Peter's Lutheran Church , Mirage Flats

Jan. 27 - Eagles Club - Imperial

Jan. 28 - Elks Club - Broken Bow

Jan. 29 - College Park - Grand Island

DAIRY

Jan. 11 - Courtyard Square - Fairbury

Jan. 12 - College Park - Grand Island

Jan. 13 - Legion Club - O'Neill

Jan. 14 - Neligh House - West Point

SHEEP

Nebraska-Kansas-Colorado High Plains Sheep Day

May 27 - Colby KS

HORSE

Mare & Foal Management Workshops

Feb. 6 - Lincoln

Feb. 27 - Lexington

Horsin' Around '93

Mar. 6 & 7 - Animal Science - Lincoln

POULTRY

Nebraska Poultry Industries Convention

Mar. 10 & 11 - Columbus



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