

REUBEN ALBAUGH
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
2007-2008

I. BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

Name: _____
 Last First Middle

Home Address: _____ **Phone:** _____

Business Address: _____ **Phone:** _____

Current Position: _____

Residence Duration at UC _____ **to** _____
Davis (*required):

Certification: *if selected for this award, I authorize release of the business-related biographical information for use in publicity related to this award.*

Signature **Date**

II. STATEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE

Name: _____

In the space provided, please indicate your (1) educational purpose and goals while visiting UC Davis, (2) primary area of continuing educational interest, (3) any special qualifications you may have or considerations you would like to note, (4) Animal Science faculty you expect to interact with, and (5) how your plans will contribute to future endeavors.

III. BUDGET of ESTIMATED EXPENSES

Name: _____

Length of Stay(s) at UC
Davis:

Proposed Arrival and Departure
Date(s):

Lodging: _____

Travel: _____

Meals: _____

Other
expenses
including
research:

Total Requested: _____

Explanatory Remarks (optional):

REUBEN ALBAUGH SCHOLARSHIP

The *Reuben Albaugh Scholarship* is open to UC Cooperative Extension Farm Advisors working in the area of “animal agriculture” to assist their educational opportunities by visiting the UC Davis campus and provide opportunities for interaction with Animal Science faculty and students. Scholarship recipients will be provided a desk in the Department of Animal Science and are highly encouraged to interact with Animal Science faculty and students during their stay.

HISTORY: The Scholarship was established by the family of Reuben Albaugh, in memory of Reuben who was a long-time Cooperative Extension Advisor and Specialist. The scholarship is available to support UCCE Farm Advisors to study on the UC Davis campus.

The scholarship was originally envisioned to help support sabbatical leaves by Advisors. As sabbatical leaves have become harder to arrange, due to workload or other obligations, we are considering scholarship proposals for shorter-term visits to campus.

PRIORITIES: The *Albaugh Scholarship* is intended to provide financial support to encourage and enhance the educational opportunities for Farm Advisors through visitation to the UCD campus. On-campus interactions between Advisors and Animal Science faculty and students are an important component for awards. Multi-day stays preferred over occasional daily visits, but both are eligible for awards.

AWARDS: Award amounts will be dependent upon length of proposed stay, activities, and number of scholarships awarded during the annual cycle.

Completed Application to Include:

- (1) Biographical and Contact Information (Form I),
- (2) Statement of Educational Purpose (Form II),
- (3) Estimated Expenses and Budget Request (Form III),
- (4) A current *curriculum vitae*,
- (5) Two letters of recommendation, one must be from a UC Davis Animal Science Faculty

Return completed application by Monday October 29, 2007.

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Paper or electronic submissions accepted; however, an original certification signature (p. 1) will be required prior to award. ****Advisors can submit an application at any time during the year; however, there will be one call each year.**



Department of Animal Science, UC Davis

HIGHLIGHTS

A PUBLICATION FOR OUR ALUMNI AND FRIENDS

Fall 1995

Reuben Albaugh: 1901 - 1995

Reuben Albaugh, Emeritus Livestock Specialist with the University of California Cooperative Extension, passed away October 8, 1995, in Davis. Born in Pittville, Shasta County, Reub spent his formative years on the HH Albaugh livestock ranch and being educated at Pittville and McArthur schools. After graduating from Oregon State University with a degree in Animal Science and a minor in journalism, Reub began his **62 year** career with the University of California Cooperative Extension.

As an assistant Farm Advisor in Monterey County starting in 1927, he skillfully made agriculture research understandable for the cattlemen and farmers of the area. Among his numerous county projects from 1927 to 1949, Reub organized the very successful Monterey County Cow Testing Association, formed the renowned Monterey County Cattlemen Association and promoted numerous grain-crop field experiments. Through an extensive vaccination program, Reub pioneered the use of Strain 19 Vaccine for the control of Brucellosis.

In 1949, Reub became the Extension Animal Scientist at UC Davis responsible for beef cattle, sheep, swine and horse programs for the 26 Northern California counties. During his years at UCD, Reub's research, writing and teaching featured crossbreeding programs for increased rate and economy of gain in beef cattle, studies on the economy of gain in carcass composition, experiments to enhance breeding efficiency in beef and dairy cattle and the extensive development of education and field demonstration meetings. Reub officially retired in 1967 but was re-hired on a part-time basis until he retired again in 1989.

In his professional lifetime, Reub authored more than 500 research papers and popular articles and five books devoted to education and experimentation in agriculture. Among his favorite writings were *Cattle, Country and Champions*, in which he told tales of his western life and the people he met along the way.

His career with the University was filled with numerous honors, awards and recognitions. Among many were the "Cattlemen's Cattle-man" by the Swift Co.; the Animal Science Extension Pfitzer Award; the Golden Fleece Award from the California Wool Growers Association; the

Pioneer Award from the Beef Improvement Federation; and his memoirs, *The College Cowboy*, recorded by the UCD Oral History Center.

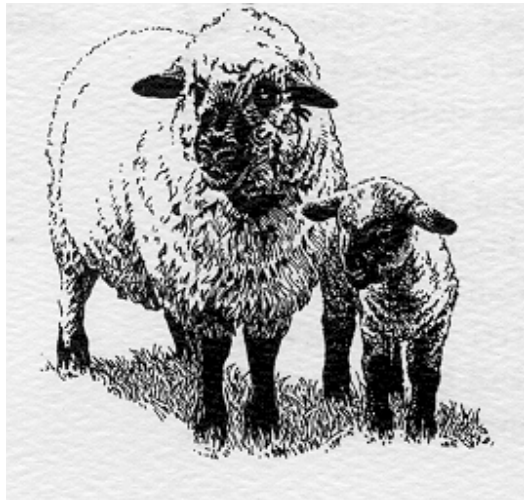
Reuben loved his large extended family including his sister Velma, brothers Ed and Albert, his children, Barbara Kraus of Pacific Grove and Glen Albaugh of Stockton, eight grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Vira, his wife and dancing partner for 67 years, preceded him in death in 1994.

Several months ago, the Department of Animal Science established "The Reuben Albaugh Scholarship for Farm Advisors and Specialists" as a lasting tribute to a generation of educators and for the continuing education of farm advisors and specialists. Interest from this endowment fund will be used to support farm advisors who wish to spend three to six months at UC Davis to study and work with faculty and Extension specialists on projects of mutual interest. The scholarship may also be used to support students who wish to pursue a career in Cooperative Extension. If you would like to contribute to this fund, please make checks payable to the "U. C. Davis Foundation" and send to: **The Reuben Albaugh Scholarship Fund, Department of Animal Science, University of California, Davis, CA 95616**

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A PUBLICATION FOR OUR ALUMNI AND FRIENDS **Summer 1998**

Barbara Reed Receives First Reuben Albaugh Scholarship



Barbara Reed, UC Dairy Farm Advisor for Glenn, Butte and Colusa Counties, is the recipient of the first Reuben Albaugh Extension Scholarship for Farm Advisors and Specialists. Ms. Reed will relocate to Davis from September ('98) to June ('99) to explore market and consumer issues related to food production. The \$3,500 award will be used to support her coursework in food science and nutrition while at UC Davis. A portion of Reed's extension program and collaborative research is in food safety and milk quality and she routinely is asked to answer clientele and consumer questions on these issues as they relate to meat and dairy products. She is especially interested in cultural, ethnic and political

determinants that drive food choices and how they shape food production and marketing. While at Davis, Ms. Reed will communicate her progress to dairy production faculty through regular, informal meetings.

The Albaugh Extension Scholarship was established in 1995 to finance the continuing education of farm advisors and specialists and to encourage communication between extension personnel and UCD faculty. Scholarship recipients must be housed in the Department of Animal Science while on professional leave for at least one academic quarter. Priority is given to off-campus Livestock and Dairy Farm Advisors but off-campus specialists or graduate students with extension goals are also eligible for the award. Contributions to the Albaugh Extension Scholarship endowment can be made by using the insert in this issue of Highlights and checking the box for "Extension Scholarship Fund".