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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

November 17, Animal Industry Conference - Fresno
November 25, Livestock Research Advisory Committee Meeting, 9:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M.,
Red Room, Tercero Hall.
December 8-9, California Cattlemen's Association Annual Meeting, Slatter-Hilton,
Los Angeles.

NEWS OF PERSONNEL

Bob Finlay received his 25 year pin over beer and pretzels at Bradfords, Art Kaseman was awarded his 15 year pin, a bit prematurely, John Bryan and John Kincheloe their 10 year pins at a department coffee October 24. (But for an administrative oversight John Kincheloe should have had his in April - that is to say 'Ol Marblehead goofed again.) Sixty man years of loyal service for which the department is most grateful.

Reuben Albaugh was the recipient of the Statewide 4-H Award which is sponsored by the Olin Mathieson Chemical Corporation. This coveted award is presented annually to a former 4-H member who has made outstanding contributions to his community or state. Reub certainly fits the bill! This presentation was made at the Shasta County Annual Leader Recognition Dinner on October 15.

Professor James Morris has recently been notified that he has been awarded the F. A. Brody Memorial Prize for contributions to the cattle industry of Australia with particular reference to Northern Australia. Given biennially, Professor Morris is the second recipient of this prize which consists of a medal and cash prize.

After some contemplation of the merits of life in utero, Erica Noel Beamer arrived October 21 at 12:13 P.M. Wes and Jerrie Beamer are doing fine, now, and Erica enjoys pulling the strings immensely.

DEPARTMENTAL ACTIVITIES

V. E. Mendel attended the Technical Committee Meeting of Regional Project W-46 in Tucson, October 20 and 21. He reports finding former graduate students Perry Riley, Tom Wegner and Kirvin Knox in good health and with active professional programs.

Lambing in September and October?! Verne Mendel's ewes are lambing at this time as a result of a 199 project conducted by an undergraduate student; he manipulated the day-night ratio to accomplish this unusual lambing date.

Schedules for Animal Science 290 Seminars on Wednesdays at 12 Noon in A. S. 151. All employees of the Department are urged to attend these **sessions**.

October 29 - Bradford
November 5 - Mendel
November 12 - Cupps
November 19 - Geschwind
November 26 - Elings
December 3 - Morris
December 10 - Clawson

The Animal Science Journal Club is held every Tuesday and Friday at 12 Noon in A.S. 151. The schedule and papers for discussion are listed on the main bulletin board.

OTHER NEWS

A note from the Water Resources Center (Los Angeles). A Committee of the National Academy of Sciences will soon be granting money for support of Ph.D. candidates whose research is in the area of recreation. Funds expected to be available January, 1970. Details to come.