

Dr. R. W. Touchberry, right, Department of Animal Science, University of Minnesota, is pictured receiving the Animal Breeding and Genetics Award, for his outstanding contributions and work in the area of breeding and genetics. He was presented with a plaque and a \$1,000 cash award by Dr. Robert E. Walton, left, president of American Breeders Service, Inc., DeForest, Wis., sponsor of the award.

A world-reowned geneticist, Dr. Touchberry worked in Denmark under a Fulbright

Fellowship.. He also served as an animal science advisor in Africa. Dr. Touchberry spent a leave of absence with the United States Atomic Energy Commission on grant allocations concerning study on population, human, and radiation genetics.

Previous to his appointment as the head of the University of Minnesota Animal Science Department, Dr. Touchberry served as professor of genetics in the Dairy Science Department at the University of Illinois.

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The FFA reserve champion, an Angus owned by Donald Dorwart, was bought by Clayton Worth for 40 cents a pound.

Beverly Dearolf's champion Charolais went to Musser's Store at the Buck for 41 cents a pound. Other FFA youths, the price they received and buyers were as follows: Richard Wimer, Charolais, 36 cents a pound to Ira Wilk; Jim Thompson, Hereford, 37½ cents, New Holland Sales Stables; Tom Perry, Hereford, 38 cents, Musser's Store.

Brian Wagner, Charolais, 36 cents, Ira Welk; Clyde Dearolf, Hereford, 40 cents, Musser's Store; Ken Dearolf, 40½ cents, Mussers' Store; Bill Hershey, Hereford, 43 cents, Emory Wagner; Donald Reath, Hereford, 40 cents, Ira Welk.



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