

# University Leads Livestock Show

The University is continuing its sweep of the 57th annual International Livestock Exposition in Chicago with 11 entries having been judged champions thus far, according to latest reports received by the agricultural information office.

In the beef competition, University animals have won the grand and reserve grand steer championships, the grand pen-of-three championship, the reserve carcass steer championship, the junior yearling Angus and summer yearling Shorthorn class championships, and the Shorthorn pen-of-three championship. The University entry in the Hereford pen-of-three class placed third.

## Ag Students May Apply For Contest

Deadline for entries in the fifth annual Guldin Speaking contest open to agricultural undergraduate students has been set for 5 p.m. Tuesday.

Registrations may be made at 111 Armsby.

A total of \$150 in prizes will be awarded for the contest as follows: first prize, \$65 and a gold medal; second prize, \$40 and a silver medal; third prize, \$25; and fourth and fifth prizes, \$10 each.

Entrants must write and present original speeches on agriculture or rural living. The preliminary eliminations will be held at 7 p.m. Dec. 4 at 109 Armsby. Semifinals are set for 7 p.m. Dec. 6 at the same place.

The finals will be held Dec. 11 in 213 Hetzel Union Building after the agricultural council meeting. Three judges will be selected for the contest.

The competition is fostered by a fund set up by the late Paul R. Guldin, who wanted agriculture students to take an active interest in public speaking.

Adrian Sontheimer, senior in horticulture from Pittsburgh, and Richard Pharo, senior in agricultural biochemistry from Bethlehem, are in charge of the contest.

## French Program Details Available

Officials of the Yale-Reid Hall Summer Session have announced details for next summer's program in Paris.

A troupe of 25 college students from all over the country will be able to attend classes at the Sorbonne and the Louvre museum.

The program is open to students who have had previous work in French.

College credit will be given for the two courses that the students are expected to complete.

Additional information may be obtained by writing to Yale-Reid Hall, 320 W. L. Harkness Hall, Yale University, New Haven, Conn.

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**Winning Steers to Be Sold**  
The grand and reserve champion steers will be sold today. The money will be used to increase the University's livestock herd.

**Team Finishes 22nd**  
The University livestock judging team finished 22nd in a field of 39, but Joel Colvin, senior in animal husbandry from Schellsburg, placed ninth in swine judging, and Sandra Trexler, senior in pre-veterinary from Revere, was ninth in sheep judging.

John D. Sink, a 1956 University graduate in animal husbandry, was awarded the National Block and Bridle Club Merit Award as the outstanding senior student last year.

**Meat Team Competed**  
The University meat judging team competed Tuesday at the exposition but results were unavailable yesterday. The team placed second recently at the Eastern National Livestock show in Timonium, Md.

More than 10,000 farm animals have been placed in competition at the exposition, which began Nov. 23 and will continue through Saturday.

**Mixed Chorus to Meet**  
Members of the Association of Independent Men-Leonides chorus will meet at 7 p.m. Monday in Mineral Science to take part in the Leonides talent show. Those who were not at the last rehearsal have been asked to contact other members for details.

**Ag Profs to Talk About Grasslands At Science Meet**  
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## Behind the FMA Question

# IFC, AFC Began Study Of Joint Buying in 1950

First of a Series

In voting Dec. 10 on a constitutional amendment to make membership in the Interfraternity Council automatically include membership in the Fraternity Marketing Association, IFC members will decide the fate of a program created by the council itself.

The amendment, which was submitted to the council Monday, describes IFC as "the parent organization" of FMA.

In 1950, IFC and the Association of Fraternity Counselors formed a joint buying committee to investigate and organize cooperative buying.

After corresponding with other schools and studying similar programs then in operation, a group of IFC and AFC representatives were sent in the fall of 1950 to Ohio State University to investigate the program there, after which the Penn State plan is largely patterned.

**Buying Began in 1952**  
Joint buying began among 14 cooperating fraternities in the spring of 1952. FMA was incorporated in November 1952 with a Board of Trustees consisting of five student members, five alumni, and two members-at-large.

Membership in FMA rose to 25 by the end of the 1952-53 school year, and has fluctuated between 27 and 31 since that time. FMA's volume of business has expanded from \$16,000 worth of potatoes and canned goods in 1952-53 to \$154,000 worth of meat, potatoes, canned goods, and frozen foods during the past school year.

**Expansion of Operations**  
The FMA program was administered solely by the board of trustees during 1952-54, but its operations have expanded to a point where a part-time secretary and part-time bookkeeper assist the board.

If all fraternities were to join FMA, a larger staff and expansion of facilities and categories of buying could be undertaken, according to Assistant Dean of Men Harold W. Perkins, president of the board of trustees.

Under the FMA program, each fraternity deposits \$100 with the association, and orders are placed either with the FMA secretary or with an approved vendor, depend-

ing upon the commodity.

Member fraternities must buy either 100 per cent of their meat purchases or their supply of the 80 or more canned goods items handled by FMA, through association-approved vendors, according to a leaflet published by the board.

At the end of each month, the fraternity restores its deposit to the \$100 level. Products of approved vendors are examined by the board to maintain proper quality standards.

## 1400 Tickets Sold For Jazz Concert

Approximately 1400 tickets have been sold for the Louis "Satchmo" Armstrong dixieland concert which will be held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday in Recreation Hall.

The Jazz Club, sponsor of the concert, expects to have a 6000 ticket sellout.

Tickets are now being sold at the Hetzel Union desk, the Music Room and the bulletin board on the Mall between classes.

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6:32	Morning Show
6:35	Morning Devotions
6:45	Morning Show
6:50	Robert Harleigh
6:55	Morning Show
7:00	Cecil Brown
7:15	Classical Interlude
7:30	World News
7:45	Music for Listening
8:00	Queen For A Day
8:15	Music at Noon
8:30	Centre County News
8:45	Music for Listening
9:00	Area Sports
9:15	Centre County Ag. Ext.
9:30	World News
9:45	Swap Shop
10:00	Afternoon of Music
10:15	Music Room Show
10:30	Bob and Ray; news
10:45	Music for Listening
11:00	World News; market summary
11:15	Music for Listening
11:30	Sports Special
11:45	Music
12:00	Local News
12:15	Fulton Lewis Jr.
12:30	World News
12:45	Music for Listening
1:00	Stars for Defense
1:15	As You Believe
1:30	This is Civil Defense
1:45	It's A Crime
2:00	World News
2:15	Music of the Masters
2:30	Campus News (WDFM)
2:45	Groovology
3:00	Sign Off

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