

**Minutes
Business Meeting
Southern Section, American Society of Animal Science
Greensboro, NC**

February 5, 1996

The annual business meeting of the Southern Section, American Society of Animal Science was called to order by President Phil Utley in Auditorium II of the Joseph S. Koury Convention Center in Greensboro, NC at 5:00 p.m. on Monday, February 5, 1996. The following items of business were transacted at the meeting.

1. **Welcome.** Dr. Leonard Bull, Chairman of the Animal Science Department at North Carolina State University, welcomed the group to North Carolina and indicated that NCSU was pleased to host the meeting. He spoke about the status of the agriculture industry in North Carolina and, specifically, about the importance of the animal industry to the state's economy.
2. **Introduction of Past Presidents.** President Utley recognized the following: Southern Section, ASAS Past Presidents - Drs. Dennis Marple, Ray Harvey, Don Franke, Clarence Ammerman, Bill Turner, Joe Fontenot, and George Mitchell. Past ASAS Presidents recognized were Drs. Fred Owens and Joe Fontenot.
3. **ASAS President's Report.** Dr. Dennis Marple from Iowa State University, current ASAS President, discussed various topics related to the affairs of the society. He indicated the Journal of Animal Science, as well as the updated membership directory, is on line electronically and access codes will soon be mailed to members. He asked that members let the ASAS Board of Directors know if any additional services are desired.

Rebecca Richardson has been hired by the society as Director of Educational Services to schedule society meetings and continuing educational activities. Rebecca has had similar experience with the American Oil Chemists Society. President Marple asked that any ideas for conferences/meetings be submitted to Rebecca.

The Mid-Year Board Meeting of ASAS has recently been completed. The 1996 Annual Meeting will be held in Rapid City, SD. Lodging may be limited, so make reservations early. Dr. Marple indicated David Buchanan was Program Chairman for the 1996 meeting. Twenty symposia are planned, including two beef industry sponsored, two ASAS sponsored, and the annual growth symposium. The opening session will be held at 4:45 p.m. on Tuesday, July 23 and will be followed with a picnic. A trip to Mt. Rushmore is planned for the evening of July 24.

The awards presentations and Foundation Auction will be held on the evening of July 25. Future ASAS meeting dates and sites are as follows: 1997 (Nashville, TN), 1998 (Denver, CO), 1999 (TBA, perhaps with Poultry Science Association), 2000 (Baltimore, MD ?? cooperative with EEAP), and 2001 (TBA, FASFAS four society meeting).

President Marple commended the Southern Section past and present leadership of Drs. David Buchanan and Phil Utley along with the excellent leadership of Bob Zimbleman in Washington. Bob is a frequent source of credible and accurate information. Finally, Dr. Marple encouraged the Southern Section to maximize membership to meet the society and livestock industry needs.

4. **Executive Vice-President Report.** Dr. Bob Zimbleman commented on some of his activities. The ASAS Board met with members of the Animal Agriculture Coalition (AAC) in a special session. AAC continues to support FAIR '95 and is involved in planning a similar activity in the next 5 to 7 years. The AAC also met with APHIS to discuss animal disease issues.

The USDA-REE announced the filling of its top six administrative positions. Only two of these, Kathy Woteki and Floyd Horn, are biologists. Floyd Horn, who will be the Administrator of ARS, indicated he will be using the directions set in FAIR '95 to re-organize the National Program Staff focus on animal systems programs.

The research title of the Farm Bill will likely be the subject of three hearings in March by a subcommittee of the House Agriculture Committee. COFARM, a coalition of agriculture professional organizations, will likely be requested to testify at one hearing. FASFAS and AAC will likely be invited to one of the other hearing panels.

5. **Manager, Business Office ASAS Report.** Mr. Carl Johnson made several comments about the work in his office. He indicated the ASAS headquarters had moved to Savoy, IL. He also described how the Journal of Animal Science will be on line shortly. His office will send each member an access number, who will have until April 1, 1996 to access.
6. **Secretary-Treasurer Report.** Don Ely reported there were 110 full member and 39 graduate student registrations for the meeting this year. Eighty-two papers with abstracts and 16 invited (without abstracts) are being presented at this year's meeting. Minutes of the 1995 annual meeting and the Treasurer's report for January 1 through December 31, 1995 were approved as distributed. The Treasurer's report is filed with the minutes.
7. **Recognition of Sponsors.** President Utley recognized general sponsors (Carl S. Akey, Inc.; Degussa Corporation; Merck &

Co., Inc.; Pfizer, Inc.; Archer Daniels Midland Company; and Rhone - Poulenc, Inc.). Specific program sponsors included Fort Dodge Animal Health (Extension Luncheon), S.F. Services, Inc. (Young Animal Scientist - Education), Carl S. Akey, Inc. (Young Animal Scientist - Research), Mallinckrodt Veterinary, Inc. (Extension Award), and National Pork Producers Council (Swine Industry Award for Innovation).

8. **Symposia and Invited Speaker Report.** Phil Utley reported there were 16 invited papers presented this year. Three extension sessions contained only invited presentations. One invited paper was presented in physiology.
9. **Joint Session Report.** Roger McCraw reported for the committee of Lon Whitlow (Animal Science), Wes Woods (Agronomy), and John Bernard (Chairman - Dairy Science). Six, 30-min presentations were made on the theme of "Nitrogen Fractions in Pasture and Their Effect on Production and Reproduction." The agronomy representative to this committee will serve as next year's chairman. Since the scheduling of this program affects the programs of three societies, it is helpful to schedule it at the same time each year, or to make any schedule change early in the year and with the approval of all groups affected. This program serves an important function of bringing together the members of three societies, all with an interest in the forage - animal interface. The program serves this unique function very well and has been well attended over the years.
10. **Membership Report.** Monty Chappell reported membership was lower than 1994. A handout, prepared by the ASAS Business office, showed the membership numbers by section and state. This information was available for all attendees at the business meeting.
11. **Awards Competition - Graduate Student.** Debra Aaron reported only one competition paper was submitted. It was transferred to an appropriate subject matter section. This was the first year since 1962 the Southern Section did not have a Graduate Student Awards Competition.
12. **Awards Competition - Undergraduate Student.** Kevin Pond reported that four undergraduate papers were presented. Awards were presented to: Abstract #75 by M. Wright (third place); Abstract #76 by C.H. Thomson (second place); and Abstract #77 by K.J. Goodson (first place).
13. **Academic Quadrathlon Report.** Eleven schools participated in the Quadrathlon. Due to the winter storm, the lab practicum, scheduled at NCSU in Raleigh, was cancelled. This was unfortunate because Billy Flowers and colleagues had expended a great deal of time and energy in preparation for a challenging practicum. Due to the weather, the written exam, chaired by Chris Skaggs, was moved from Raleigh to Greensboro

and administered on Saturday night and Sunday morning. The quiz bowl was conducted on Sunday and was completed with the finals on Monday morning. Saundra TenBroeck chaired the quiz bowl section. The oral presentation portion was chaired by Charles Rosenkrans and was completed on Sunday. Special acknowledgment is extended to team advisors for assisting as judges, graders, and scorers during the events. The committee elected to dispense with the breakfast brunch prior to the final quiz bowl on Monday morning. In its place, Ron Geisert (Quadrathlon Committee Chair) had silver belt tacks made with the Animal Science logo and "Quadrathlon" inscribed on the surface. These were provided to each student participating in the contest. It is the intent that tacks be presented to participants in each future quadrathlon. Overall winners were: VPI (3rd), LSU (2nd), and OSU (1st).

14. **Extension Report.** Roger McCraw reported the Extension Animal Science Group came to this meeting after having an excellent triennial meeting in October in Kentucky under the leadership and guidance of Monty Chappell. Extension Animal Scientists held two sessions on Monday in addition to the Joint Session. Excellent papers were presented at these well-attended sessions that featured lively discussions. Dr. McCraw acknowledged the gracious support of Fort Dodge Animal Health for the Annual Extension Luncheon at these meetings. Other members of the Extension Animal Science Committee are Warren Gill (Chairman-Elect), Tom Troxel (Secretary), and Monty Chappell (Past-Chairman).
15. **Necrology Report.** Joe Hughes reported deaths of the following members of the Southern Section, ASAS, in 1995: J.W. (Pete) Carpenter (University of Florida), Byron Southwell (University of Georgia), Paul B. Brown (Louisiana State University), Lemuel Good (North Carolina State University), W.A. King (Clemson University), A.L. (Gus) DuRant (Clemson University), and John P. Hitchcock (University of Tennessee). The written committee report is filed with these minutes.
16. **Resolutions.** Dr. R.O. Meyer read the following resolutions: Resolution No.1 - Recognition of Academic Quadrathlon Host; Resolution No.2 - Recognition of Southern Section, ASAS Hosts; Resolution No.3 - Commendation to officers of Southern Section, ASAS. A motion to accept the report of the committee was made, seconded, and carried.
17. **Nomination and Election Results.** Phil Utey reported on the nomination procedures for the selection of the new member of the officer team. He reported this person will serve through all the positions we have in the Southern Section. Drs. Richard Barb and Robert Wetteman were candidates this year for Secretary/Treasurer-Elect. Dr. Wetteman was elected. Dr. Utey welcomed Dr. Wetteman to the officer team.

18. **New Business.** It was announced the 1997 Southern Section meeting will be held in Birmingham, AL. The 1998 meeting will be in Little Rock, AR.
19. **Installation of New President.** Phil Utley passed the gavel to the new president, Paul Harms. Dr. Harms then expressed appreciation to Dr. Utley for his leadership and presented him a plaque, which read "American Society of Animal Science Southern Section honors Dr. Phillip Utley for outstanding leadership as President, 1995-96".
20. **Adjournment.** Upon a motion, and second, the membership voted unanimously to adjourn at 5:50 p.m. Dr. Harms reminded the members that the awards ceremony would begin at 6:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Donald G. Ely

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Secretary/Treasurer
Southern Section, ASAS

Meeting Agenda
American Society of Animal Science - Southern Section

Greensboro, North Carolina
February 5, 1996
5:00 PM

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| 1. Call to Order | P.R. Utley |
| 2. Welcome to North Carolina | L.S. Bull |
| 3. Introduction of Past Presidents | P.R. Utley |
| 4. ASAS President | D.N. Marple |
| 5. Executive Vice-President ASAS | R.G. Zimbleman |
| 6. Manager, Business Office ASAS | C.D. Johnson |
| 7. Secretary-Treasurer's Report
Financial Report
Minutes of 1994 Business Meeting | D.G. Ely |
| 8. Recognition of Industry Sponsors for Regular Functions | P.R. Utley |
| 9. Recognition of Industry Sponsors for Special Needs | P.R. Utley |
| 10. Symposia and Invited Speakers Report | P.R. Utley |
| 11. Joint Session Report | R. McCraw |
| 12. Membership Report | G.L.M. Chappell |
| 13. Awards Competition
Graduate Student
Undergraduate Student | D. Aaron
K. Pond |
| 14. Academic Quadrathlon Report | R.D. Geisert |
| 15. Extension Report | R. McCraw |
| 16. Necrology Report | J.H. Hughes |
| 17. Resolutions | R.O. Myers |
| 18. Nominations and Election Results | K.S. Lusby |
| 19. New Business | |
| 20. Pass Gravel to New President | P.R. Utley & P.G. Harms |

Awards Presentation
P.G. Harms - Presiding

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| 1. NPPC Award | P.G. Harms |
| 2. Young Animal Scientist - Research | L.W. Greene |
| 3. Young Animal Scientist - Education | J. Spears |
| 4. Extension Award | G.L.M. Chappell |
| 5. Distinguished Service | E.T. Kornegay |

American Society of Animal Science
Southern Section
Financial Report
January 1 - December 31, 1995

Revenue and Support

Donations	\$1,500.00	
1995 Dues Allotment	2,342.50	
ASAS Travel Support	1,500.00	
Interest Income	409.49	
1995 Registration Revenue	5,173.69	
1994 Meeting Expense Reimbursement from ADSA	837.41	
Miscellaneous (Adjustment from 1994 audit)	<u>28.78</u>	
Total Revenue and Support		\$11,791.87

Expense

1995 Meeting Facilities	\$1,033.68	
1995 Meeting Audio/Visuals	651.96	
1995 Meeting Registration Returned	2,870.00	
Speaker Support	2,552.11	
Awards	722.07	
General Printing	2,355.63	
Abstracts	1,049.05	
Postage	1,022.58	
Miscellaneous	<u>126.75</u>	
Total Expense		\$12,383.83
Net Revenue and Support over Expense		(\$591.96)
Amount Due to ADSA Southern Branch For 1994 Meeting Expenses		(\$1,674.82)
Fund Balance at December 31, 1994		<u>\$11,401.41</u>
Fund Balance at December 31, 1995		<u>\$9,134.63</u>

WESTERN SECTION

	M	SA	IM	TOTAL
ALASKA	5		1	6
ARIZONA	22	7	3	32
CALIFORNIA	117	53	41	211
COLORADO	89	64	8	161
HAWAII	10		2	12
IDAHO	41	11	3	55
MONTANA	29	16	4	49
NEVADA	13			13
NEW MEXICO	28	10	1	39
OREGON	38	6	4	48
UTAH	29	19	3	51
WASHINGTON	37	16	4	57
WYOMING	27	9	3	39
ALBERTA	51	5	11	67
BRITISH COLUMBIA	7	1	3	11
SASKATCHEWAN	15	3	4	22
MEXICO-W	32	6	23	61
GUAM	1			1
TOTAL	591	226	118	935

MIDWESTERN SECTION

	M	SA	IM	TOTAL
ILLINOIS	176	60	38	274
INDIANA	92	19	11	122
IOWA	214	34	7	255
KANSAS	131	83	6	220
MICHIGAN	53	27	7	87
MINNESOTA	95	29	10	134
MISSOURI	173	42	15	230
NEBRASKA	154	29	5	188
NORTH DAKOTA	26	25	5	56
OHIO	79	60	10	149
SOUTH DAKOTA	45	29	1	75
WISCONSIN	97	21	9	127
MANITOBA	20	1	1	22
ONTARIO-WBO-W	56	7	7	70
TOTAL	1411	466	132	2009

NORTHEASTERN SECTION

	M	SA	IM	TOTAL
CONNECTICUT	15		12	27
DELAWARE	8		3	11
MAINE	4	2	1	7
MARYLAND & DC	99	17	19	135
MASSACHUSETTS	10	14	13	37
NEW HAMPSHIRE	8	2	2	12
NEW JERSEY	50	17	28	95
NEW YORK	63	50	41	154
PENNSYLVANIA	49	23	70	142
RHODE ISLAND	4		1	5
VERMONT	5	4	1	10
WEST VIRGINIA	15	18	4	37
NEW BRUNSWICK	1		2	3
NEWFOUNDLAND			1	1
NOVA SCOTIA	4		3	7
ONTARIO-EBO-W	24		9	33
PRINCE EDW, ISL.	1		2	3
QUEBEC	31	3	13	47
TOTAL	391	150	225	766

SOUTHERN SECTION

	M	SA	IM	TOTAL
ALABAMA	36	7	43	86
ARKANSAS	46	16	7	69
FLORIDA	67	26	10	103
GEORGIA	64	10	11	85
KENTUCKY	68	29	7	104
LOUISIANA	45	30	11	86
MISSISSIPPI	19	7	4	30
NORTH CAROLINA	70	21	11	102
OKLAHOMA	68	25	9	102
SOUTH CAROLINA	22	6	4	32
TENNESSEE	47	28	9	84
TEXAS	213	142	38	393
VIRGINIA	61	33	8	102
PUERTO RICO	5	1	3	9
VIRGIN ISLANDS	3			3
CARRIBEAN	5		4	9
CENTRAL AMERICA	9	3	4	16
MEXICO-E	20	4	6	30
SOUTH AMERICA	69	18	73	160
TOTAL	937	406	262	1605

SUB-TOTALS 3330 1248 737 5315

OTHER FOREIGN 484 32 829 1345

TOTAL CURRENT 3814 1280 1566 6660

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January 31, 1996

Dr. Philip Utley, President
Southern Section, Am. Soc. of Animal Science
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Dear Phil:

Curtis Absher and I have appreciated the opportunity to be the Necrology Committee for the Southern Section American Society of Animal Science.

In early December of 1995, we contacted the heads of animal science departments at the thirteen land-grant universities in the section. We requested that each administrator provide us with the names of animal scientists from his university, all other agricultural schools in his state and his state's livestock industry who passed away in 1995. We obtained letter or phone replies from all states, and the information is summarized below.

Florida

J.W. (Pete) Carpenter University of Florida November 1995

Georgia

Byron Southwell University of Georgia
Coastal Plain Exp. Sta.

Louisiana

Paul B. Brown Louisiana State Univ. Fall 1995
Retired - Biloxi, MS

North Carolina

Lemuel Good North Carolina State U. June 17, 1995

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South Carolina

W.A. King
A.L. (Gus) DuRant

Clemson University
Clemson University

Fall 1995

Tennessee

John P. Hitchcock

Univ. of Tennessee

Nov. 10, 1995

If other names are provided at the business meeting in Greensboro, we will add them to this report.

Sincerely yours,



Joe H. Hughes
Extension 4-H Youth Specialist

JHH:dsb
xc: Dr. Curtis Absher