
Inventory of the Golden Hoof Club Records

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Creator: University of California, Davis. Golden Hoof Club

Title: Golden Hoof Club Records

Date (inclusive): 1920-1968

Extent: 0.4 linear feet

Abstract: The Golden Hoof Club was organized in April 1920 by students who were interested in livestock industries. This small collection contains the club's by-laws, correspondence, transcripts of two speeches, and newspaper clippings.

Physical location: Researchers should contact Special Collections to request collections, as many are stored offsite.

Repository: University of California, Davis. Library. Department of Special Collections.

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Collection number: AR-082

Language of Material: Collection materials in English.

Administrative History

The Golden Hoof Club was organized in April 1920 by students who were interested in livestock industries. Professor Gordon True was instrumental in the club's founding. According to the 1921 *El Rodeo* Yearbook, the club's purpose was to "awaken a more general interest among the students of livestock and stockmen for the promotion and development of the animal industries; to cooperate with all agencies that tend to encourage the raising of more and better livestock to do its best to elevate the standards of American agriculture through better farming, breeding, and livestock management; to help bring about a student's annual livestock judging contest; the purpose of the contest being to encourage the students of the College of Agriculture and the University Farm to learn how to judge livestock, with a direct aim towards the formation of a judging team to meet other universities."

The club's first judging contest was held at Picnic Day. In later years, the club organized the Little International Livestock Show.

Source:

El Rodeo. Davis, Calif.: Associated Students of the Branch of the College of Agriculture, University of California, 1921.

Scope and Content

This small collection contains the club's by-laws, correspondence, transcripts of two speeches, and newspaper clippings.

Arrangement of the Collection

The collection is arranged in alphabetical order.

Indexing Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the library's online public access catalog.

University of California, Davis. Golden Hoof Club--Archives

Student activities--California--Davis

University of California, Davis--History

University of California, Davis--Students

Livestock--California

Access

Collection is open for research.

Processing Information

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Box 1:2	Barn Dance 1932
Box 1:3	By-laws 1933
Box 1:4	California Shorthorn Breeders Association, Ninth Public Sale Registered Shorthorns at the University Farm 1923
Box 1:5-10	Correspondence 1925-1963 Scope and Content Note The correspondence discusses meeting arrangements as well as the history of the club.
Box 1:11	Little International Livestock Show 1931-1954
Box 1:12	Meeting agenda 1968
Box 1:13	Membership applications 1922-1931
Box 1:14	Newspaper clipping 1920
Box 1:15	Pacific Coast Hereford Breeders, Public Sale at the University Farm 1923 February 21
Box 1:16	Photograph, Golden Hoof Club float at Picnic Day 1928
Box 1:17	Ribbons undated
Box 1:18	State Poland China Breeders' Association, Consignment Sale at the University Farm 1923 February 22
Box 1:19	Transcript of speech given by R.A. Condee at the unveiling of portrait of Professor Gordon H. True in the Golden Hoof Club Room 1929 March 26
Box 1:20	Transcript of speech given by Edward F. Treadwell at the hanging of the portrait of Henry Miller in the Golden Hoof Club Room 1933 February 28