



## Alumni Medallion Award Goes to Dr. Jeffrey

Dr. C. W. Jeffrey, Rawlins physician, received the Alumni Association Medallion Award at a Rotary luncheon in Rawlins in December. This award is presented to people who have rendered unusual service to the University.

Dr. Jeffrey was honored for his work as football team physician for the Cowboys from 1945 to 1970 and for his many philanthropic acts toward the University. He was particularly cited for a 1967 gift of property valued at \$253,000 for the establishment of the Charles W. Jeffrey Scholarship Fund. This permanently endowed fund provides 10 to 15 scholarships per year to freshmen athletes at the University.

H. T. Neuman, BA '39, former alumni director from Carbon county, made the presentation to Dr. Jeffrey.

Dr. Jeffrey is the third recipient of the Medallion Award. Previous winners were Coach Lloyd Eaton in 1968, and Max Fisher, posthumously, at Homecoming last fall.

## Alumni Activities

Enthusiastic groups of alumni gathered for rallies in conjunction with some of the late-season football games.

In El Paso a small group met at the Holiday Inn before the game. Over 250 people attended a social hour before the game at the Astroworld Hotel in Houston. Pepsters and cheer leaders accompanying the team added spirit.

Chuck Hejde, Bob Zimmer and Rosemary Skinner assisted with the get-together.

Before the Arizona University game in Tucson some 300 boosters met at La Fuente for a social hour and a Mexican dinner. Gordon Graham, former UW agricultural editor, arranged the meeting.

During November and December Alumni Director Dick Skinner met with a number of alumni in Wyoming in conjunction with the tours of President William D. Carlson to contact Legislators. Vern Shelton, head of the communications division, also accompanied President Carlson. On Nov. 19, the three visited Powell, Nov. 30, Rock Springs and Kemmerer.

During December they went to Lander, Cheyenne, Laramie, Wheatland, Casper, Gillette, Sheridan, Lusk and Worland.

Skinner is now formulating plans for meeting with alumni groups in the various counties of the state. These meetings will be held during the next three months.

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Among the 50 states, Wyoming is unique in having but one four-year institution of higher education. Although this is unquestionably desirable, in terms of economy and efficiency of operation, it does mean that this single institution—the University of Wyoming—has a charge broader than that borne by any other state university in America.

The University serves at one and the same time as the state university, the land-grant agricultural and mechanical college, the state teachers' college, the professional school, and the only source of baccalaureate and advanced degrees.

In addition, an overwhelming proportion of all organized and and systematic research within the state is carried out at the University. Primary responsibility for carrying education into all parts of Wyoming through extension and continuing education programs rests with the University.

The University of Wyoming is deeply aware of its combined and total responsibility to Wyoming and to the well-being of its thinly scattered citizenry. The University, though it has not been able to escape the pressures occasioned by nationally rising costs of education, remains dedicated to the proposition that it must, in the biennium ahead, continue to provide those quality programs of direct benefit to the people and the state at the lowest possible cost.