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SAN LUIS OBISPO, CALIF., March ——Lem Boughner, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Boughner, 1069 Cerritos, and Cotton Rosser, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Rosser, 2351 Delta Ave., both of Long Beach, will be two of seven college cowboys representing California State Polytechnic college, San Luis Obispo, at the intercollegiate rodeo held in conjunction with the National Junior Livestock exposition this weekend at San Francisco's Cow Palace.

Rosser, 22, is a junior in aminal husbandry. Captain of Cal Poly's rodeo squad,
Cotton has participated in numerous shows, riding the rough stock in college competition.
At Las Cruces, N.M., intercollegiate rodeo, the third and fourth of this month, he won
championship honors in the saddle brone division and was placed fifth astride the
barebacks. Cotton's efforts enabled his team to place fifth among 23 colleges at the
New Mexico show.

In addition to his rodeo abilities, Rosser holds a private airplane license, which enables him to fly his teammates to distant shows.

Because he ropes and bulldogs almost as well as he sticks to brones and bulls,

Cotton is one of the all-around cowboys favored to take high-point honors at the Cow

Palace. Two years ago, Cal Poly finished second at the Cow Palace, losing by a narrow

margin to bul Ross College, Alpine, Tex. Sul Ross' great all-around cowboy, Harley

May, nipped Rosser for high-point honors. This feat was repeated at Las Cruces.

Boughner, whose parents recently moved to Long Beach from Riverside, is a reper and dogger. He has tied calves in near-record time. A veteran team member, he is expected to win his share of points at San Francisco.