

Two longtime leaders in the forestry industry in Texas have been honored by the School of Forestry at Stephen F. Austin State University.

Dr. Laurence C. Walker, Dean of the SFA School of Forestry said the library and seminar room in the new forestry classroom building have been named in memory of the late W. Goodrich Jones of Temple and Lacy H. Hunt of Nacogdoches.

Jones, prior to his death, earned recognition as the "father of forestry" in Texas. He was the leader in the establishment of the Texas Forest Service in 1915 and the creation of the Texas Forestry Association in 1917. His son, Luther Jones of College Station, and his daughter, Miss Doris Goodrich Jones of Temple, have been active supporters of the professional forestry program at SFA University for many years.

Hunt, Nacogdoches Lumberman, also was a longtime supporter of the SFA forestry program until his death. For many years, he annually awarded sholarships to forestry students at SFA. A fund has been established to provide awards to members of the School of Forestry Student Council as a memorial to Hunt.

Students are asked to be on the lookout for items of historical interest pertaining to forestry. Dean Walker says that the School of Forestry hopes to expand its museum collection. If you know of an item of this nature please let the School of Forestry know about it.

The results of this year's Forestry Student Council elections are as follows:

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As this fourth week of classes draws to a close, I am sure everyone still remembers the long lines and disappointment of finding classes full at registration. One line I'm sure all forestry majors especially remember was the forestry line. In signing up for my four classes (two of them forestry and two of them non-forestry) I found that it took me 10 minutes for my non-forestry and almost an hour for my forestry. It seems to me that if the biology, H.P.E., and other

departments can speedily get everyone through, and not have very long lines, that the School of Forestry could do as well. Can't something be done at least to lessen the problem, if not to eliminate it?

Perhaps more people at the forestry table or pre-registration are possible solutions to this problem.

Larry Behrens

Interested in conservation? Would you rather do something to help instead of just talking and worrying about our natural resources? Here on the SFA campus a group has just been organized for concerned forestry students.

Under the advisorship of Joe Daniel, District Conservationist with the Soil Conservation Service, an Explorer Post specializing in conservation is being formed. Anyone between the ages of 14 and 20 are invited to the meetings every Tuesday night at 7:30 in Room 102 in the new forestry building. A program concerning conservation will be given at each meeting. The main objectives of the group, however, will be actual field projects such as watershed planting and stream or lake cleaning. Camping trips are also on the tentative agenda.

Hore information can be received by contacting the following charter members: Robert Horn, Eddie Farmer, Durward Erminger, Gary Litton, Bill Beity, or by contacting Kenneth Hayman at 564-2735 or P.O. Box 4133 SFA Station.

Student Congress has asked the School of Forestry to aid in having an environmental teach-in here at SFA. Dean Walker indicated that the School of Forestry is interested in, and will support such an activity. The Texas Intercollegiate Student Association, which our Student Congress belongs to, has yet to decide on which campus such a teach-in will take place.

The Office of Grants and Research has received information pertaining to the Student-Oriented Studies Program sponsored by the National Science Foundation. The objectives of this program are to encourage college students to express in a productive way their concern for the environmental well-being of our nation and to provide support for groups of college and university students of not less than 5 or more than 15 who could demonstrate their readiness to assume increased responsibility for their own educational development. These projects must deal with the problem of environment - physical, biological, and/or social. The student research group must be composed of primarily undergraduate students although some graduate students may be included. Project proposals are to be student oriented, student planned, and student directed. The closing date for submitting proposals is November 30, 1970.

Dr. Baker, Dr. Smith, and several undergraduate and graduate students plan to start a research project next week using aerial photos and an airborne laser-profiler.

Mrs. Linthicum reports that there is now a "Night Depository" available forstudents wishing to check in Forestry Library books when the library is closed. The depository slot is located on the side of the East College Street entrance of the Forestry building—just outside the door.

The TEXAS TALLYS are now available, and can be picked up at the next Sylvans Club meeting, or from any Sylvans Club officer. Last years' members will obtain copies free and others wanting copies will be charged one dollar.

On Thursday, October 1, at 7:30 P.M. in the Aztec Room of the Student Center there will be a regularly scheduled meeting of the Sylvans Club. The program will be announced later. Also: on Saturday, October 3 there will be a Sylvans Club work day. Recent work day response has been good, but we need more help. All members and other interested persons please try to attend both of these functions.

After the next Sylvans Club meeting there will be a short meeting of the Tally staff. Anyone interested in working on the new Tally should try to attend. Anyone interested in serving as editor please contact Bill Sandsen in Room 82, Unit II, or call him at 569-7216.

Anyone wanting a back copy of the Knothole should check with Mrs. Linthicum - the Forestry Librarian. Any suggestions or articles for the Knothole are welcome - and should be placed in the Knothole suggestion box in the Forestry Library.

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