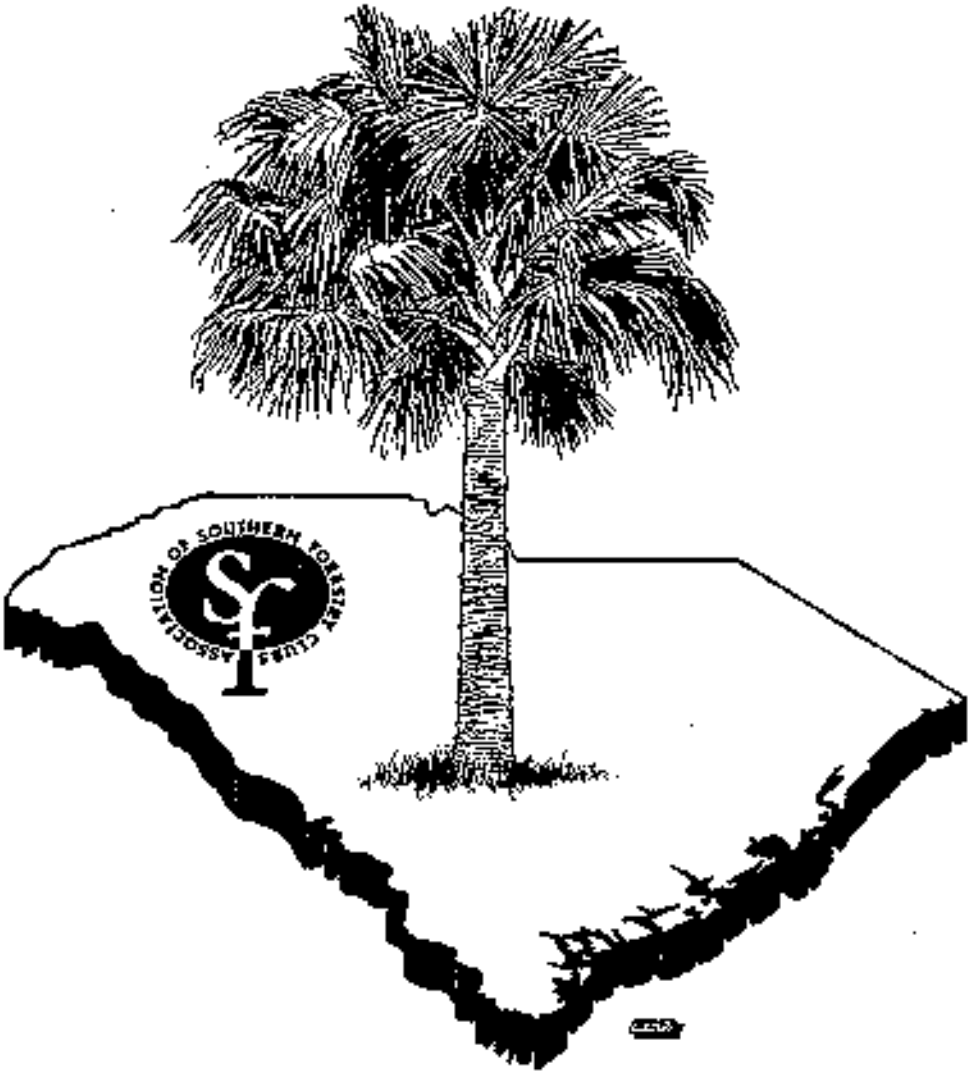
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THE 6TH ANNUAL ASFC CONCLAVE - A REPORT BY THE PRESIDENT

At the University of Florida in 1961, the Clemson Forestry Club was presented with probably the greatest opportunity and challenge in the club's history--hosting the sixth annual conclave of the Association of Southern Forestry Clubs. There was much work to be done during those two years, and all of our efforts were aimed at an attempt to stage an entertaining and rewarding event for the forestry students of eleven southern states. There were benefits to be reaped at home; however, the hours of planning, preparation, and work have brought the club to an active and close-knit brotherhood.

Preparations began that spring after the Florida conclave, when the 1961-62 officers began correspondence to firms interested in forestry for contributions. The annual Clemson Forestry Field Day in the spring of 1962 was turned over to the juniors, sophomores, and freshmen with the future conclave in mind. This event gave us an idea of the experiences ahead and the work that had to be done.

Several weeks later the Clemson Club took as large a delegation as possible to the fifth annual conclave at Arkansas A & M. Each of you can realize the importance of this in creating an enthusiasm among as many Clemson students as possible, an enthusiasm to be carried to the next conclave. Both old and new officers of the local club discussed the details with the ASFC president, the editor, and other patient A & M students.

During the summer, several of the officers studied the reports by Arkansas A & M in the 1962 edition of The Southern Forester. Through correspondence, additional plans were made last summer. In September the officers returned to school early to begin work on sending out some 800 letters to interested businesses, small and large, to explain the event and its finances. Solicitations for advertisements in the daily program and The Southern Forester followed in January. Finances were our main problem. Attention was turned to most of the other phases of the conclave after this phase was well underway.

Besides the monetary and prize donations and the sale of advertisements, funds were acquired through the first place prize of Clemson homecoming displays, hat and coat checking at the school dances, sales of pulpwood, and the sale of Christmas trees, holly and mistletoe.

In getting into the specific jobs concerning the conclave, the organizational structure of the A & M club was modeled. Various projects to raise funds, however, were delegated and directed by the executive committee of the club.

Since almost all of the club's activities during the past year were directed toward the conclave, the officers served as the ASFC officers. We found that this provided organization and close correlation between club and conclave activities. A steering committee, composed of the officers and the six committee chairmen, met weekly to coordinate plans and preparations. Finances were always reviewed to let each committee chairman know just how far expenses could go.

Committees

Programming

This group's major responsibility was the scheduling of events based upon the time study of the fourth annual conclave. Providing the necessary forms, and crew organization for score keeping was another job handled by the committee.

Food and Housing

The title of this committee indicates its major function. Compiling accurate data on the amount and location of available housing; arranging for extra bedding; assignment of living quarters to guests, are a few of the jobs which were necessary under housing work.

Arrangements were made with the college cafeteria concerning the number and time of meals; preparation of menus; and keeping accurate records on the number of men that are at each meal.

Contests

This committee was divided into four sub-committees, which were: Field Area, Contest Equipment, Rules, and Judges.

A. Field Area
These men planned the location and arrangement of all contests. It was necessary for this committee to work in close cooperation with the programming committee in order to keep the time and place factors in harmony.

B. Contest Equipment
All logs, cants, poles, and other equipment; and the necessary construction, was provided by members of this group.

C. Rules
Members of this committee were required to study the contest rules and observe the contests. The results of their work was then compiled in a list of recommendations for improvement of contest rules. This group also served as an advisory board on the interpretation of contest rules.

D. Judges
The major function of this committee was to enlist foresters to act as contest judges, and provide these men with a copy of the contest rules. Each judge was then assigned a student helper. The student assisted the judge in conducting the contest.

Entertainment

The responsibility of this committee was to provide entertainment for our guests during the period not occupied by contests.

Exhibits and Publicity

These men provided exhibitors with housing, display tables, electrical outlets, and other necessary items.

Publicity was handled principally by the college news service in cooperation with the steering committee.

Publications

This committee solicited ads and edited both the Daily Program and The Southern Forester.

We feel that this committee organization is basically sound, but the definition of responsibility is tedious. Also getting the committees to function is a difficult job.

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What is the difference between a taxidermist and a tax collector? The taxidermist takes your hide only.

"Our doubts are traitors and make us lose the good we oft might win, by fearing to attempt."--Shakespeare

A person who keeps his shoulder to the wheel usually is not a trouble-maker. He is like a mule in the respect that when he's pulling, he can't kick, and when he's kicking, he can't pull.

"Drink," said the Irish preacher, "is the greatest curse in the world. It makes you quarrel with your neighbors. It makes you shoot at your landlord, and it makes you miss him."

The lowest ebb is the turn of the tide--Longfellow

To those who talk and talk and talk this adage will appeal: The steam that blows the whistle will never turn a wheel.

The works of a person who builds begin immediately to decay, while those of him who plants a tree begin directly to improve.

If one's spelling is poor, it helps some if his hand-writing is not so good.

It is better to light a candle than to curse the darkness.

The fly that buzzes the hardest gets swatted first.

"No person was ever honored for what he received. Honor had been the reward for what he gave."--Calvin Coolidge



Georgia - First

STANDINGS

	Name	Total Score
1	University of Georgia	50
2	Arkansas A & M	43
3	North Carolina State College	33
4	Clemson College	21
5	Oklahoma State University	18
6	Auburn University	16
7	Louisiana State University	10
8	University of the South	9
9	Mississippi State University	7
10	University of Florida	0



Arkansas A & M - Second

Individual Winners



First Place Winners



Second Place Winners



Third Place Winners

THE CONTESTS



AXE THROWING

Name of School	Contestant	Points	Place
Arkansas	Williams	5-3	
Auburn	Stickney	7	2
Clemson	Hunter	2	
Florida	Linsdell	4	
Georgia	Fry	5-13	3
LSU	Harp	4	
Mississippi	Rousaville	4	
N. C. State	Coville	3	
Oklahoma	McIntire	9	1
Univ. of the South	- - -.		

POLE CLIMBING

Name of School	Contestants	Time	Place	
Arkansas	James	5.0		
		4.1		
Auburn	Wallace	5.4		
		4.0		
Clemson	Freeland	3.7	1	
		3.0		tie
Georgia	Engle	3.3	1	
		3.0		
LSU	Brown	5.8		
		no time		
N. C. State	Ferrari	no time		
		11.3		
Oklahoma	Parker	8.6	3	
		3.5		
Univ. of the South	McLellan	9.6		
		15.3		





KNIFE THROWING

Name of School	Contestant	Score	Place
Arkansas	Williams	5	1
Auburn	Stickney	3-6	2
Clemson	Walden	0	
Georgia	Barrett	1	
LSU	Harp	2	
Mississippi	Ball	2	
N. C. State	Aitken	3-3	3
Oklahoma	Wickmire	3-2	

THE CONTESTS



BOW SAWING

Name of School	Name of Contestant	Time	Place
Arkansas	Hunnicutt	39.2	3
Auburn	King	34.2	
Clemson	Caldwell	37.5	2
Georgia	Wise	36.2	1
LSU	Laborde		
Mississippi	Clemmons	1:07.7	
N. C. State	Manning	43.4	
Oklahoma	Rollins	45.7	
Univ. of the South	Moisio		

POLE FELLING

Name of School	Contestants	Distance	Place
Arkansas	McDonald	20 1/8"	
Auburn	King	18 7/8"	
Clemson	Shuler	24 7/8"	
Florida	Linsdell	42 1/8"	
Georgia	Crawford	6.3"	2
LSU	Sullivan	Hit	1
Mississippi	Rounseville	23 1/4"	
N. C. State	Gregory	16' 11"	
Oklahoma	Whaylen	32 5/8"	
Univ. of the South	Moisio	13 5/8"	3





DENDROLOGY

Name of School	Name of Contestant	Place
Arkansas	Bardwell	
Auburn	Rooke	3
Clemson	Potts	
Georgia	Ritchie	2
LSU	Pendergast	
Mississippi	Dablew	
N. C. State	Greene	1
Oklahoma	Hunlsapillar	
Univ. of the South	McIver	

THE CONTESTS



POLE CLASSIFICATION

Name of School	Name of Contestant	Place
Arkansas	Amechea	3
Auburn	Avant	
Clemson	Ellis	
Georgia	Stewart	1
Mississippi	Robbins	
N. C. State	Tillman	2
Oklahoma	Richardson	
Univ. of the South	McLellan	

CHAIN THROWING

Name of School	Name of Contestant	Time	Place
Arkansas	Coleman	1:26.2	2
Auburn	Kelley		
Clemson	Johnson	1:54.2	
Florida	Linsdell	2:08.6	
Georgia	James	1:41.0	
LSU	Carpenter	2:02.5	
Mississippi	Ball	2:06.0	
N. C. State	Aitken	1:27.4	3
Oklahoma	Skinner	1:20.4	1





LOG CHOPPING

Name of School	Name of Contestant	Place
Arkansas	Hicks	
Auburn	Bell	3
Clemson	Caldwell	
Georgia	Sullivan	1
LSU	Laborde	
Mississippi	Page	
N. C. State	Eakes	2
Oklahoma	Nunn	
Univ. of the South	McLellan	

THE CONTESTS



LOG BIRLING

Name of School	Name of Contestant	Plac
Arkansas	McDonald	2
Auburn	Wallace	
Clemson	Johnson	3
Florida	Linsdell	
Georgia	Butler	1
LSU	Stafford	
Mississippi	Turner	
N. C. State	Ardrey	
Oklahoma	Wickmire	
Univ. of the South	McLellan	

COMPASS AND PACING

Name of School	Name of Contestant	Place
Arkansas	Rainey	1
Auburn	Kelley	
Clemson	Lamb	
Georgia	Neergeard	
LSU	Emmer	2
Mississippi	Robbing	
N. C. State	Moore	
Oklahoma	Skinner	
Univ. of the South	Moisio	3





LOG ROLLING

Name of School	Contestant	Time	Place
Arkansas	Coleman Wright	1:30.2	3
Auburn	Schober Lawson	2:19.8	
Clemson	Rogers Johnson		
Georgia	Supp Mullis	46.2	2
Mississippi	Clemmons Butler	2:09.6	
N. C. State	Coville Eakes	36.5	1
Oklahoma	Elliott Nunn	1:45.2	
Univ. of the South	Moisio McIver		

THE CONTESTS



CROSS CUT SAWING

Name of School	Contestants	Time	Place
Arkansas	Sullivan		
	Vaughn	26.5	3
Auburn	Bell		
	Schober	28.1	
Clemson	Rogers		
	Johnson	36.4	
Georgia	Barry		
	Tumbleston	36.6	
LSU	Hays		
	Laborde	71.6	
Mississippi	Ball		
	Page	29.0	
N. C. State	Coville		
	Eakes	18.4	1
Oklahoma	Sluder		
	McEntire	26.1	2
Univ. of the South	Moisio		
	McLellan	53.8	

TIMBER ESTIMATION

Name of School	Contestants	Actual Volume 41,287 b.f.	Place
Arkansas	Virden	68,200	
Auburn	Smith	57,600	
Clemson	Hill	48,455	3
Georgia	Thurmond	37,800	1
LSU	Pendergast	27,080	
Mississippi	Butler	22,730	
N. C. State	Stames	55,830	
Oklahoma	Pratler	21,040	
Univ. of the South	McLellan	36,860	2



THE CONTESTS



D.B.H. ESTIMATION

Name of School	Contestant	Absolute Deviation	Place
Arkansas	Virden	3.7	1
Auburn	Lawson	4.7	2
Clemson	Oeland	9.3	
Georgia	Biggs	11.2	
LSU	Sullivan	7.2	
Mississippi	Butler	13.0	
N. C. State	Gardner	7.1	3
Oklahoma	Smith	13.3	
Univ. of the South	Moysio	8.1	



BAIT CASTING

Name of School	Contestant	Score	Place
Arkansas	Dawson	4/11	1
Auburn	Parker	0	
Clemson	Rogers	3/11	2
Georgia	Underwood	2/11	
LSU	Laborde	0	
Mississippi	Steverson	2/11	3
N. C. State	Bradshaw	1/11	
Oklahoma	Brooks	2/11	

There is no entirely satisfactory substitute for brains, but silence does pretty well.

The true test of a man or oak tree is: how sound is he at the heart.

It's not the guns or armament, Or the money they can pay,
It's the close cooperation, That makes them win the day.
It's not the individual, Nor the army as a whole;
But the everlasting teamwork, Of every bloomin' soul.

– Rudyard Kipling –

ARCHERY

Name of School	Contestant	Score 15	30	60	Place
Arkansas	Coleman	0	0	0	
Auburn	Perdeye	0	5	0 3	3
Clemson	Muckenfuss	0	3	0	
Florida	Linsdell	0	0	0	
Georgia	Brown	0	0	0	
LSU	Murrow	0	3	0	
Mississippi	Alexander	6	3	0	1
N. C. State	Floyd	6	0	0	2
Oklahoma	Brooks	5	0	0	
Univ. of the South	McLellan	0	0	0	



WOOD TECHNOLOGY

Name of School	Contestant	Score	Place
Arkansas	Tomlin	17/21	3
Auburn	Downs	11/20	
Clemson	Potts	20/20	1
Georgia	Ware	18/20	2
LSU	Palumba	13/20	
Mississippi	Alford	5/20	
N. C. State	Mawk	16/21	
Oklahoma	Kelly	10/20	

ROPE CLIMBING

Name of School	Contestant	Time	Place
Arkansas	Epps	9.9 - 9.9	1
Auburn	Wallace	11.6 -10.8	3
Clemson	Edwards	14.8 -	
Florida	Linsdell	23.2 -	
Georgia	Hilton	12.0 -11.8	
LSU	Morrow	- - -	
Mississippi	Alexander	15.4 -	
N. C. State	Warner	13.8 -	
Oklahoma	Weatherford	9.9 -	1
Univ. of the South	Moisio	1..3 -	

THE BARBECUE

On Friday evening before the Conclave, a barbecue supper was held at Lake Issaqueena. It was a lively session of meeting fellow forestry students from the competing schools, and of each person attempting to convince all of his new friends that his Alma Mater was the best school in all respects and would surely take first place on the following day--or offering reasons why it wouldn't. After supper the program featured a special welcome by Miss South Carolina of 1963, Miss Evelyn Ellis. Music was presented by Slatt and Slugg, and The Pine Mountain Boys of the University of Georgia and by The Shilows and the Zeta Minstrel of Clemson.



Zeta Minstrel



The Shilows



The Pine Mountain Boys

AUBURN FORESTRY CLUB
by
Frank H. Avant

Our organization, known as the Forestry Club of Auburn University, was founded in 1948. The purpose of the organization is to promote and stimulate general and academic interest in forestry among the students and faculty of the Auburn University Forestry Department, and to maintain a close fellowship among all students in forestry.

All regularly enrolled students, both graduate and undergraduate, in the Forestry Department, are eligible to become members. All members of the forestry faculty are considered as honorary members of the club.

This year our Forestry Club had a total enrollment of 47 members. Membership fluctuates from approximately 100 members down to 25 or 30 as seniors graduate and freshmen enroll. Activities of the Forestry Club during the past year were as follows: (1) Attendance at the ASFC Conclave at Arkansas A & M in May 1962, (2) the freshmen get-acquainted barbeque at Chewacla State Park, October 15, 1962, (3) fall banquet for forestry students November 11, 1962, and (4) winter banquet for Forestry Department February 22, 1963.

At the present, the chairman of our Conclave Committee and his volunteer assistants are in the process of holding tryouts for the different events for this year's Conclave. Competition is rigorous and the representatives of the Auburn Forestry Club will be top competitors in this year's Conclave events.

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SEWANEE FORESTRY CLUB
by
Ed McLellan

The Sewanee Forestry Club was organized in 1959 with the purpose of stimulating an active interest in the enjoyment of outdoor life and to promote a better interest and understanding of the profession of forestry. Active membership is open to all forestry majors and affiliate membership is extended to any person who has professed sincere interest in the club. The facilities of the club include a club room in the Snowden Forestry Building and a sturdy cabin near the campus. The activities during the last year consisted of a number of cook-outs at the cabin and a camping trip to the Cherokee National Forest. The most important plan for the future is a trip to Clemson, South Carolina on the third of May.

Stephen F Austin

SYLVANS FORESTRY CLUB

by

Leon Levens

The Sylvans Club at Stephen F. Austin State College was organized in the fall of 1946. The club was organized for the purpose of furthering and promoting fellowship among forestry students and to increase their knowledge by having programs highlighting speakers well versed in the many phases of forestry. The club has grown from a modest beginning to one of the most outstanding and active social and professional clubs on campus. It has an active membership of 68 members with three advisors elected from the faculty.

In the fall of 1961, the organization known as the Laurela composed of Forestry students wives was formed. These ladies have assisted the Sylvans Club in many projects throughout the year.

The Sylvans Club sponsors many annual events such as, a forestry field day, hunting and fishing trip, Christmas Dinner-Dance, Sylvans scholarships, and publishment of the Texas Tally (Forestry Annual).

The Sylvans Club has been an active participant in intramural sports. The club has won many honors in almost every sport and has done exceptionally well in the past couple of years. The Sylvans have also taken an active part in the promoting of school spirit. The club enters a float in the homecoming parade each year and has placed in the top three the last two years.

The members of the Sylvans Club are proud that their club is continuing to fulfill its original purpose.

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OSU FORESTRY CLUB

by

Wayne Kelley

Yes, the OSU Forestry Club has now had another exceptional year. As foresters should, the club has sweated, worried and toiled to make the year's activities another standout in the minds of the public. A great many ideas have been exchanged in the old cow barn this year, and as witnessed, have been ideas of worth. The club's membership now stands at about 80 members.

Several of the members have made it out this year to the woodlot. Many cups of coffee were chewed, many axe handles broken and many ricks of firewood cut. This firewood is sold to raise money for our 1964 conclave.

Our homecoming float took first this year in its division (possibly because we were the only ones in that division).

The first weekend in May is eagerly being awaited by the club members. This is the weekend of the Southern Forester's Conclave which will be held at Clemson, South Carolina. If you should happen to wander out to the forestry lab this time of the year I am sure you would hear the sound of cold steel cutting the air, andthen again you might see someone trying to untangle a *&!*!**! tape. These are just forestry club members preparing for the conclave elimination held each year at the Forestry Field Day held at Theta Pond. This year the club has hopes of finishing higher than seventh at the conclave.

Other activities the club has are its annual spring awards banquet, intramural athletics, selecting a queen of forestry and exchanging ideas and thoughts to aid our students.

All students of forestry or related fields are eligible for membership in the OSU Forestry Club.

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MISSISSIPPI STATE UNIVERSITY FORESTRY CLUB (Con.'t)

The biggest project this year was that of increasing the treasury's depleted bank account. To do this the Club solicited orders and cut fire wood. In addition the Club cut pulpwood on the University Forest Land.

At the regular Club meetings entertainment was provided by either having speakers or showing films obtained from the U. S. Forest Service film library. Occasionally, a barbecue dinner would be served at the lake or coffee and doughnuts would be served at regular meetings.

The biggest event of the year, however, was the annual Field Day. Winners of the Field Day's events will represent Mississippi State University at the annual ASFC Conclave. This year there was some stiff competition at the Field Day. Somebody must have been practicing!

At present active membership numbers about forty.

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THE GEORGIA FORESTRY CLUB
by
Gary Tyre

We, here at Georgia, are not sure when our Forestry Club began. Reliable records only go back as far as 1916; however, some say the club actually began around 1905-07 and others maintain that it began in 1912. The constitution states the objectives of the club as follows: "The object of the club is to foster an interest in the school; to better acquaint the members with present forestry conditions; and to promote fellowship and wholesome recreation." Our membership at present is about 125 with almost every forestry major being a member.

During the Fall and Spring quarter of each year the club holds initiation of new members at the forestry cabin located near the school. The initiation begins at the school and initiates are required to run to the cabin where they are subjected to various rituals including the traditional foreater's "stew." This stew is Georgia's own concoction made up of several choice ingredients and it usually elicits some choice comments from the neophytes.

Although the club requires its regular members to be either a student or professor in our school of forestry, we have provided for honorary membership. An honorary member is one who the club elects by unanimous vote.

Our regular business meetings are held twice monthly and usually include an interesting program. Lately we have heard talks from those of our faculty who have recently returned from abroad and have been especially fortunate in having Dr. Karl Sax, Professor Emeritus of Harvard University, as a speaker at one meeting. Our programs are not always along intellectual lines, though, for some of our members are very good musicians and they sometimes consent to play for us.

During Fall Quarter our main social function is the Weiner Roll Where the club announces its Forestry Club Sweetheart for the year. When Spring Quarter rolls around, the main event to be found on our social calendar is the Spring Banquet held as a formal tribute to graduating seniors and to recognize those who have excelled during the year.

Through the course of the year our club takes part in many intramural sports from football to horseshoes. Although we don't always win, we are always looked upon with respect by our competitors and are quite often the team to beat.

One project that we take a great deal of pride in is our Cypress Knee annual publication published to advertise Woods Day events. It is a year long job for the Cypress Knee staff and we accredit our success to the hard work this staff has put in to make it what it is.

One of the most important days of the year is our annual Field Day which is held to choose the Georgia Contest representatives. This year, for the first time, Truett-McConnell College has been invited to participate in our Field Day and, although they won't be eligible to compete for the title, we feel that the competition will be good for both schools.

We raise our money for the Cruiser in several ways. In the past we have sold timber and loaded pulpwood. This year a work and tree planting operation was arranged and supervised by a member of the faculty.

This write-up would not be complete without mentioning the Forestry Wives Club, better known as the "Timber Jills". The purpose of this club is to enable the members to learn about the forestry parties and ethics and to develop friendship among members.

Activities of the club include ice cream socials, watermelon cutting, fashion show, and the Spring Quarter installation banquet where the PMT (pushing hubo through) degrees will be awarded.

An outstanding event of the year was the first National Association of Forestry Students in Athens. Georgia organizational meeting, the Georgia Timber Jills were elected the first chairman of the national association.

I hope you've enjoyed reading this account of the Georgia Forestry Club and perhaps through hometry it'll assist you to get some ideas about how you can better your club. We here at Georgia are certainly looking forward to reading yours with the hope that we can improve ours.

SOCIETY OF FORESTERS OF LSU

by

Thomas Morrow

The Society of Foresters at Louisiana State University has attempted since its organization in 1924 to serve the School of Forestry by promoting fellowship among students and organizing programs to broaden the students' knowledge and to deepen their understanding of the profession of forestry. The Society is today one of the most active organizations on campus due to the strong interest and participation of its members.

Membership is open to all forestry students. Each fall at the annual Field Day new initiaties are put through the final hardships of their initiation, made less painful by the day's round of contests, food, and general recreation.

Each fall an orientation program and weiner roast is held for the incoming forestry freshmen. Other regular social events are the Christmas Dance and Spring Party. Each year the Society participates in the homecoming decorations competition and prepares an exhibit for the Livestock Show and Rodeo.

The Society has charge of the management of a small area of land at the School Forest near Bogalusa and receives an income each year from timber cut. Members receive practical experience in forestry work by annually replanting cut-over areas and applying silvicultural treatments.

The Annual Ring is an annual publication of the Society and records many of the memorable and printable activities of the year. The Society's membership now stands at about 70.

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CLEMSON FORESTRY CLUB

by

Griff Stanley

The Forestry Club was organized in September of 1957 after Clemson began offering a four-year program in forestry. Membership is open to all forestry students, extension foresters, research foresters, and faculty members of the department.

The two main objectives of the club are to bring about a closer relationship between the students and faculty and to promote interest in the advancement of forestry in the college. The club tries to accomplish these by having various club projects during the year and by having practicing foresters and persons in different business fields address the members at meetings.

Each year a Field Day is held to see which members will represent the club at the ASFC conclave. This year we had from 40-50 members actively participating in the club and we feel our objectives have been accomplished.



Our President- D.S. Shaw



Registration



MINUTES OF MEETING OF ASSOCIATION OF SOUTHERN FORESTRY CLUBS
May 4, 1963

B. S. Shaw, Presiding

Clubs Attending: Auburn, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, L. S. U., Mississippi State, N. C. State, Oklahoma State, Clemson, and University of the South.

Stephen F. Austin College was not present at the Conclave. Virginia Polytechnic Institute was present for the first time as guests.

The meeting was called to order.

There were no corrections or additions to the minutes of the last meeting, and they were accepted as printed in the 1962 Southern Forester.

Committee reports were asked for.

Oklahoma State was asked to look further into liability insurance of the host club.

Old business was called for.

North Carolina State indicated a desire to hold the Conclave in 1965. They were voted in unanimously.

Anyone wishing to hold the Conclave in 1966 was asked to say so at this time. (It is suggested in the Constitution that clubs alternate from east to west. This should be voted on only two years ahead.) Selection of host club will be given those clubs never having had the Conclave; however, if none of these clubs are interested in being hosts, the University of Georgia volunteers for 1966.

New business was called for.

Auburn University submitted a memorandum protesting the conduct of some Georgia students during the Log Chopping Event. They asked that (1) Georgia submit

a written apology for their action and (2) that appropriate action be taken so that future occurrences of this nature be penalized.

The Georgia ASFC President apologized for his club and stated that a written apology as called for in the memorandum would be submitted to each club.

Auburn made a motion for an amendment to the Constitution, reading as follows:

> "In the event that the Conclave delegation or spectators from any member school intentionally or otherwise interfers with the progress of any event in the Conclave, that delegation shall forfeit its rights to score any points in that event."

Georgia seconded the motion. All were in favor; the amendment carried.

V. P. I. was invited to the Conclave in hopes that they would apply for membership. V. P. I. Forestry Club President applied for membership for his club in this association. The qualifications for membership were read. A. S. F. C. accepted this request for application. Oklahoma made a motion that V. P. I. be accepted. Arkansas seconded it. All were in favor.

There was a discussion regarding the order in which teams were to participate in the events of the Conclave.

L. S. U. made a motion that a table of random numbers be used to choose order of teams' participation. It was also suggested that this order be sent out to each participating school before the Conclave in order that they may know the order of participation beforehand. Georgia seconded this motion. All approved.

Arkansas began a discussion on the host school's entering the Conclave. The rules state that the host school may or may not participate. After considerable discussion, Auburn moved that the rules be left as they are--to leave the decision up to the host school. A vote was called for. The motion passed.

Oklahoma, 1964 host, suggested three special events to be included in 1964 Conclave events. They are log birling, rope climbing, and pole felling. The motion carried.

Georgia stated that, during their field day, they had trouble with the ax throwing event. Several boys came up with different types of axes. Georgia stated that there should be specifications in regard to this. Clemson suggested that a minimum weight on the ax be specified. An 18-inch handle is already specified. All clubs agreed that no further specifications are necessary.

Suggested Rule Changes:

(1) Pole Classification should be clarified as to what constitutes standard equipment.

(2) Timber Estimation should state that contestants will be allowed the use of prism or optical fork only.

Clemson said this calls for a committee to determine if other equipment is needed in any field event. This could not be decided in a few minutes. Oklahoma was assigned as a committee to look into this by the next business meeting.

There being no further business, a motion was called for that the meeting be adjourned. All were in favor, and the meeting was adjourned.

Oklahoma invited everyone to Oklahoma next year. Clemson was applauded for work done on the Conclave.

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Actually, the so-called weaker sex is the stronger sex because of the weakness of the stronger sex for the weaker sex.

"It is said to be impossible to keep the mouth and mind both open at the same time." --
Mark Twain

Constitution of the Association of Southern Forestry Clubs

AS AMENDED MAY 4, 1963 AT THE SIXTH ANNUAL CONCLAVE

Article I. Name.

The name of the organization shall be the Association of Southern Forestry Clubs.

Article II. Objectives.

A. To benefit the forestry clubs of the various southern schools by an interchange of ideas and stimulation of good fellowship among the club members.

B. To establish and maintain:

1. A unity of purpose and action within and among the southern forestry clubs.
2. A high standard of professional ethics.
3. Closer cooperation and relationship between students and professional foresters.

C. To hold an annual conclave.

Article III. Membership.

A. Qualifications

1. Any forestry club of a university or college of Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, or West Virginia granting a baccalaureate degree in forestry, or equivalent, with a major of forestry, or a higher degree in forestry, shall be eligible for a voting membership in this association upon a majority approval of a petition submitted to the voting member clubs; or by application by representation at the Annual Conclave.

2. Charter members: Louisiana State University, University of Florida, Stephen F. Austin State College, Mississippi State University, Arkansas A & M College, University of the South, Auburn University, Oklahoma State University, University of Georgia, North Carolina State College and Clemson Agricultural College.

3. Any Forestry Club of a senior university or college within the states listed in Part I of this section not granting a baccalaureate degree in forestry, shall be eligible for associate membership upon a majority approval of a petition submitted to the voting member clubs.

B. Privileges

Members (each club) are entitled to one vote and full participation in all conclave activities.

C. Dues

1. The annual dues shall be ten dollars for each member club.
2. The dues shall be used to pay for correspondence, publications, and other association expenses of the host club and any excess funds may be the host club.
3. The dues for the following years will be paid to the host school for the year between the time of the Annual Conclave and January 1 of the following year.

Article IV. Officers.

A. The officers of the association shall be:

1. President-elected from and by the host club.
2. Vice-president - one elected from and by each member club.
3. Secretary - elected from and by the host club.
4. Treasurer - elected from and by the host club.
5. Editor - elected from and by the host club.

B. The Duties of the officers.

1. The duties of the President shall be:

a. To preside at all meetings of the association.
b. To appoint committees.
c. To be responsible for submitting an officers report to the accumulative files upon the completion of ASPC Conclave.
d. To be responsible for obtaining reports from each of his committees and officer heads of the host club.
e. To perform all other duties necessary.

2. The duties of the Vice-president shall be:

a. To act as representative of his club.
b. To notify the president of his election.
c. To complete a report of the activities of the association, and be responsible for submitting material to the host club for annual publication.
d. The host club vice-president is to preside in the absence of the president of the association.
e. To be responsible for submitting to member clubs publications within his club, and maintaining an accumulative file of ASPC correspondence.

3. The duties of the Secretary shall be:

a. To keep the minutes of all meetings of the association and to conduct all correspondence relative to the business of the association.
b. To submit an officer's report for the accumulative files, upon completion of the ASPC Conclave.

4. The duties of the Treasurer shall be:

   a. To receive and have custody of all money paid to the association.
   b. To keep a careful record of all receipts and expenditures.
   c. To prepare a financial report for publication in the annual issue of "The Southern Forester".
   d. To be responsible for the collection of dues.

5. Duties of the Editor shall be:

   a. To gather and edit all material for the annual publication, "The Southern Forester",
   b. To see that the provisions of Article VII are carried out.

C. Tenure of office.

1. Officers are to hold office until the next Annual Conclave with the exception of the editor, who will serve until the annual publication is distributed.

D. Election of Officers.

1. The President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Editor of the Association shall be elected by the host club at their first club meeting following the conclave.

2. Vice-presidents of the association shall be elected by their respective clubs at their first meeting following the Conclave.

Article V. Meetings.

A. Time of meetings.

1. Meetings shall be during the annual spring conclave on the last night of the conclave.

2. The exact time of the meetings is to the discretion of the host club.

B. Election of Host Club.

1. The host club shall be selected from bids submitted by member clubs at each annual meeting by a roll call majority vote two years in advance.

2. In case of a tie, the president shall cast the deciding vote.

3. No club shall be host more than once in three years.

4. If a previously elected host notifies the members of the ASFC, by October 1 of the year before it is to hold the conclave, that it cannot hold the conclave, the president shall solicit bids from the members and then send a ballot to each member club to be voted on in writing.

5. The host club shall be alternated from east to west whenever possible.

C. Files.

1. Accumulative files shall be maintained by the host club and shall include all member reports and correspondence.

2. Each file shall contain a copy of the ASFC Constitution.

Article VI. Amendments.

The constitution may be amended or revised by a two-thirds vote of the voting member clubs.

Article VII. Publications.

A. Title, the title of the publication shall be "The Southern Forester".

B. The constitution shall be published annually in the publication of "The Southern Forester".

C. The past host club shall publish the ASFC periodical within one month after the Annual Conclave.

D. Securing items for publications.

1. The articles shall be edited by the member club and submitted to the host club.

2. Articles to be printed in the current issue must be in the hands of the publishing editor not later than the time of the Annual Conclave.

E. Distribution.

Each member and associate member school shall receive one copy for each member of their Forestry Club.

F. Proceedings of the Conclave.

Proceedings of each Annual Conclave, including minutes of the business meetings, will be published by the past host club in the annual publication.

Article VIII. Contests.

A. Competitive events will be held at each Annual Conclave.

B. There will be 15 standard competitive contests at each Annual Conclave.

1. Standard events:

a. Dendrology
b. Compass and pacing
c. Timber estimation
d. D.B.H. estimation
e. Pole classification
f. Wood technology
g. Chain throwing
h. Axe throwing
I. Knife throwing
j. Pole climbing
k. Bow sawing
l. Log rolling
m. Cross-cut sawing
n. Log chopping
o. Bait casting

2. Scoring of the standard events will be seven (7) points for the first place, five (5) points for second place, and three (3) points for third place, for a,b,c,d,e, and f, and five (5) points for first place, three (3) points for second place, and one (1) point for third place for all other events.

C. In addition to the 15 standard events established in Section B, there may be a maximum of five (5) contests at the discretion of the host club, provided that these contests be specified with rules and explanations at the preceding Annual Conclave. Requests for omission of any standard contests will be made at the preceding Annual Conclave with a two-thirds (2/3) majority vote necessary for approval.

D. The standard set of rules will be made and approved by the voting members of the ASFC.

E. Selection of judges of all contests will be left to the discretion of the host club except in the event the host club participates; then judging will not be done by members of the host club.

F. Only students presently enrolled in a school or department of forestry will be eligible to enter ASFC events. In the case of the University of Florida and the University of the South, freshmen and sophomore students presently enrolled and who have declared an intention of enrolling in the forest department or school at the beginning of their junior year will also be eligible for participation.

G. The contestant must meet the same requirements as are specified for individual participation in school athletics. The Contestant must be an undergraduate student and he must meet his own school's requirements both scholastically and in credit hours for athletic participation.

H. In the event that the Conclave delegation or spectators from any member school intentionally or otherwise interfers with the progress of any event in the Conclave, that delegation shall forfeit its rights to score any points in that event.

I. V.P.I. is here by considered a member of the ASFC by vote taken on May 4, 1963.

J. A table of random numbers will be used to choose order of team's participation in each event. This order will be sent to each participating school before the Conclave.

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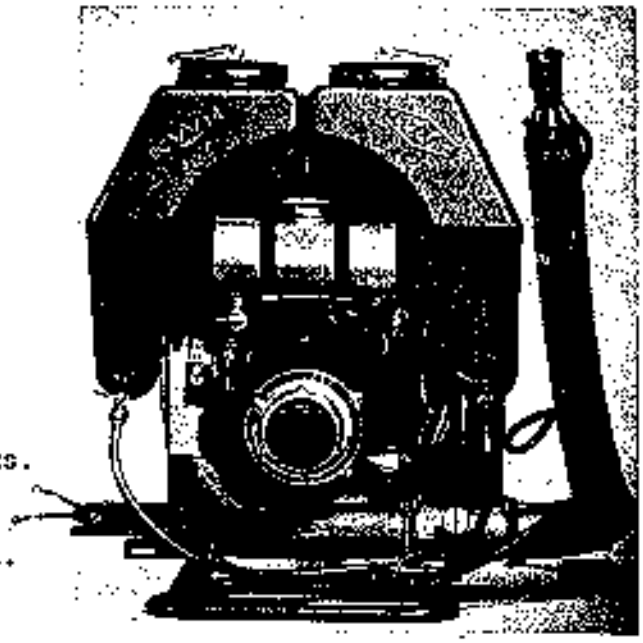


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Contributions by Industry	$940	Meals and banquet	$916
A.S.F.C. dues	100	Contestant housing	397
Registration fees	282	Instructor housing	50
Advertising--Daily Program	200	Prizes	660
SOUTHERN FORESTER	340	Entertainment	166
Clemson College Forestry Club		Postage	45
Dues	175	Printing	32
Coat check--school dances	134	Daily Program	18
Sale of pulpwood	130	SOUTHERN FORESTER	50
Sale of Christmas trees	55	Miscellaneous	82
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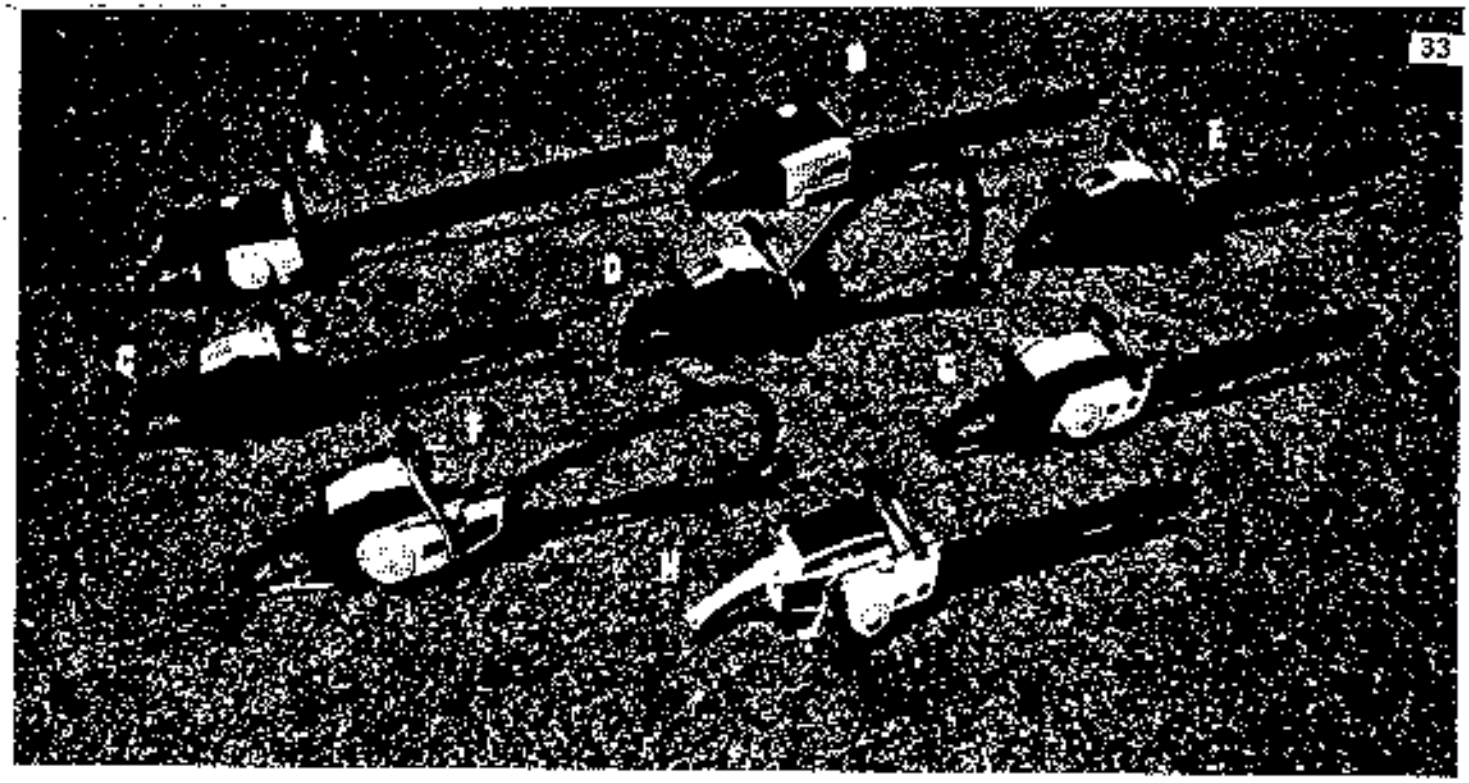
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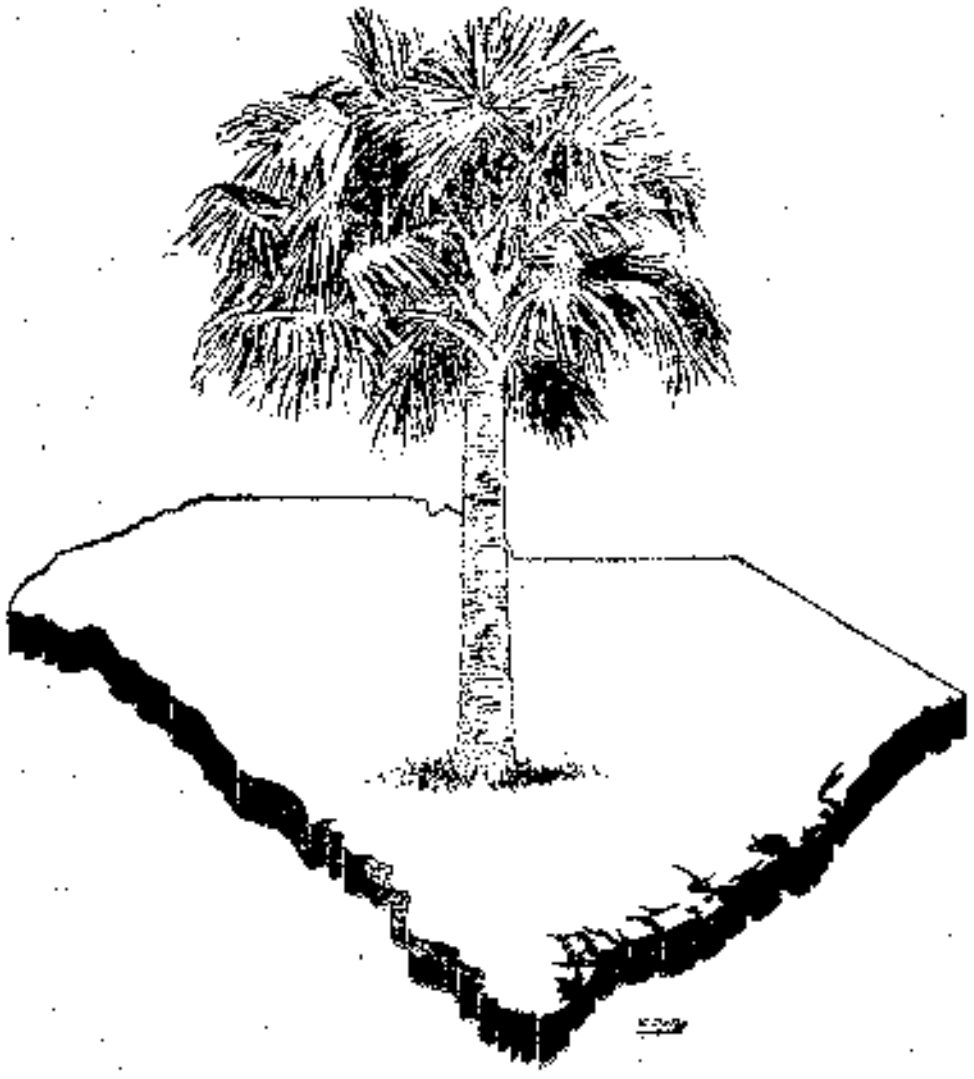
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SIXTH ANNUAL CONCLAVE

ASSOCIATION OF SOUTHERN FORESTRY CLUBS



HOST: CLEMSON COLLEGE FORESTRY CLUB

MAY 3-4, 1963

WELCOME

This year the Clemson Forestry Club was presented its greatest challenge – The Sixth Annual ASFC Conclave. The members have worked diligently to meet this challenge and provide you with a weekend of keen competition and relaxation. The forestry department has provided tremendous support, and the entire college has given their help in preparing for this event. You will find that you will be welcomed here by all of the students, faculty members, and college officials.

We hope that each of you, while enjoying the barbecue supper Friday night, will seize this opportunity to become acquainted with other student foresters from other southern forestry schools.

Contest equipment is being provided on the contest area in front of the field house for those of you who wish to do some last minute practicing. For those who wish to "loosen up" after the trip, volly-ball and softball contests have been organized. The hard-surfaced tennis courts adjacent to the baseball field will also be available.

Two hours of enjoyable entertainment have been arranged for Friday night in Tillman Hall Auditorium beginning at 9 P. M., featuring some of the talent in this area.

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While we feel that all of the clubs should participate in the contests and are looking forward to doing so again this year, we as hosts, hope that you will come to us for any help that may become necessary. You will find that the Clemson Forestry Club members are full of directions, modes of transportation, etc.

We are looking forward to a large crowd of spectators for the contests. We are also happy to welcome the delegation from V. P. I. Best of luck to all of you.

Bartow Shaw, Jr., President
Association of Southern Forestry Clubs

PROGRAM OF EVENTS FOR THE CONCLAVE

Friday, May 3

12:00-6:30 Registration — All CONTESTANTS, FACULTY, and JUDGES must register upon arrival in order to receive room assignments and meal cards. The registration and information center will be in the Little Gym.

6:30 Barbecue supper and get acquainted session, Hartwell Lake, Fant's Grove area.

9:00-11:00 Entertainment, Tillman Hall Auditorium

Saturday, May 4

7:30 AM Contests begin. Contestants meet on area in front of Field House.

7:30-10:30	Timber Estimation Pole Classification D. B. H. Estimation Compass and Pacing Dendrology Wood Technology
8:15-9:00	Chain Throwing
9:00-9:20	Knife Throwing
9:20-9:40	Axe Throwing
9:40-10:10	Bow Sawing
10:10-10:40	Cross-cut Sawing
10:40-11:10	Log Rolling
11:10-11:30	Pole Climbing
11:30-11:50	Rope Climbing (Big Gym)
11:50-1:00 PM	LUNCH
1:00 PM	Contests continue at Hartwell Lake, Fant's Grove Area
1:00-1:45	Bait Casting
1:45-2:30	Log Birling
2:30-3:00	Archery
3:00-3:20	Log Chopping

3:20-4:00	Pole Felling
5:00-6:30	BUSINESS MEETING, Room E-143, Plant and Animal Science Building
7:00	BANQUET, Clemson Dining Hall

Meals:

Friday
Supper 6:30 - Barbecue, Fant's Grove Area

Saturday
Breakfast 6:45-8:15 - Dining Hall
Dinner 11:00-1:00 - Dining Hall
Supper, Banquet 7:00 - Dining Hall

Sunday
Breakfast 8:00-9:00 - Dining Hall

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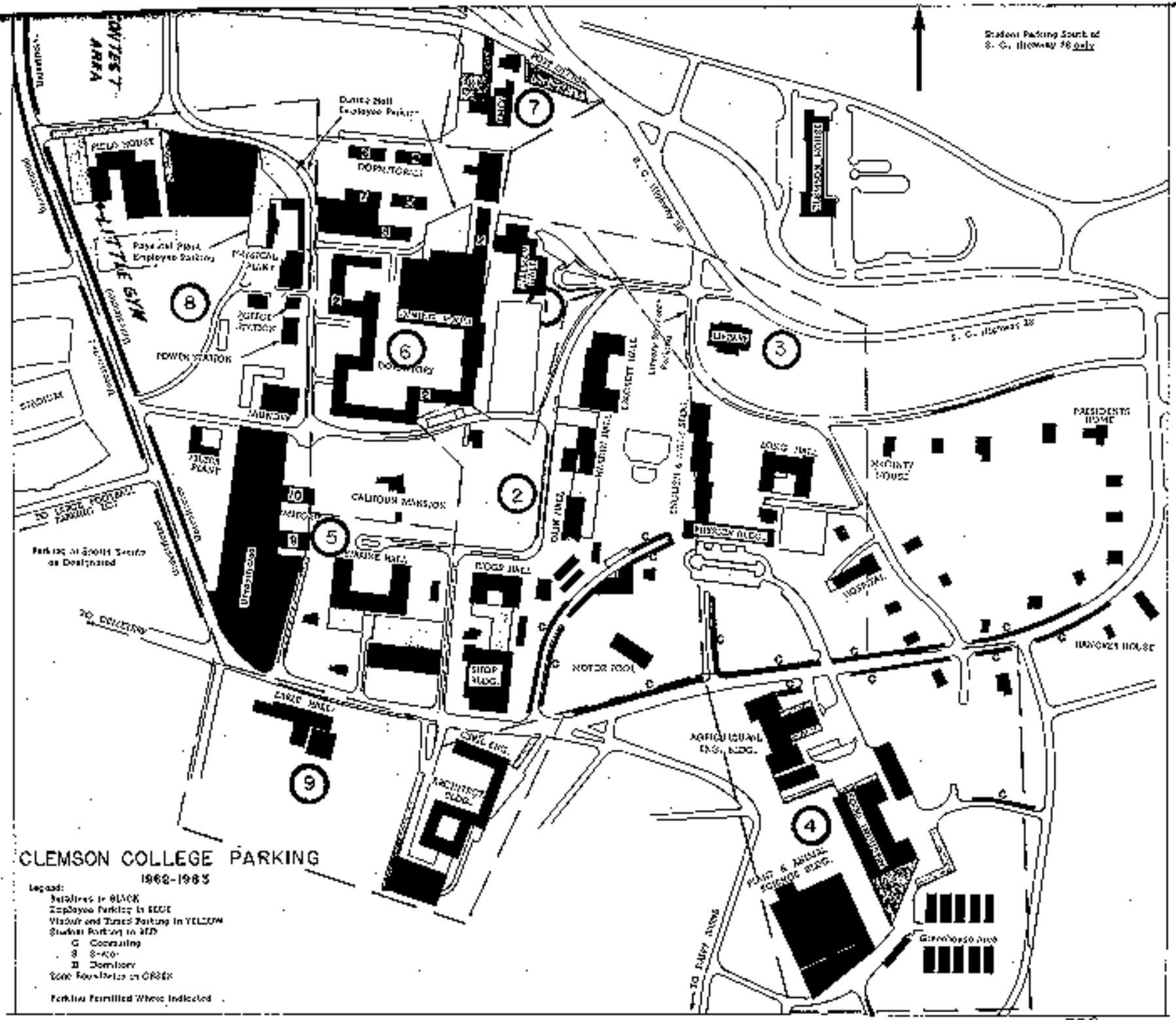
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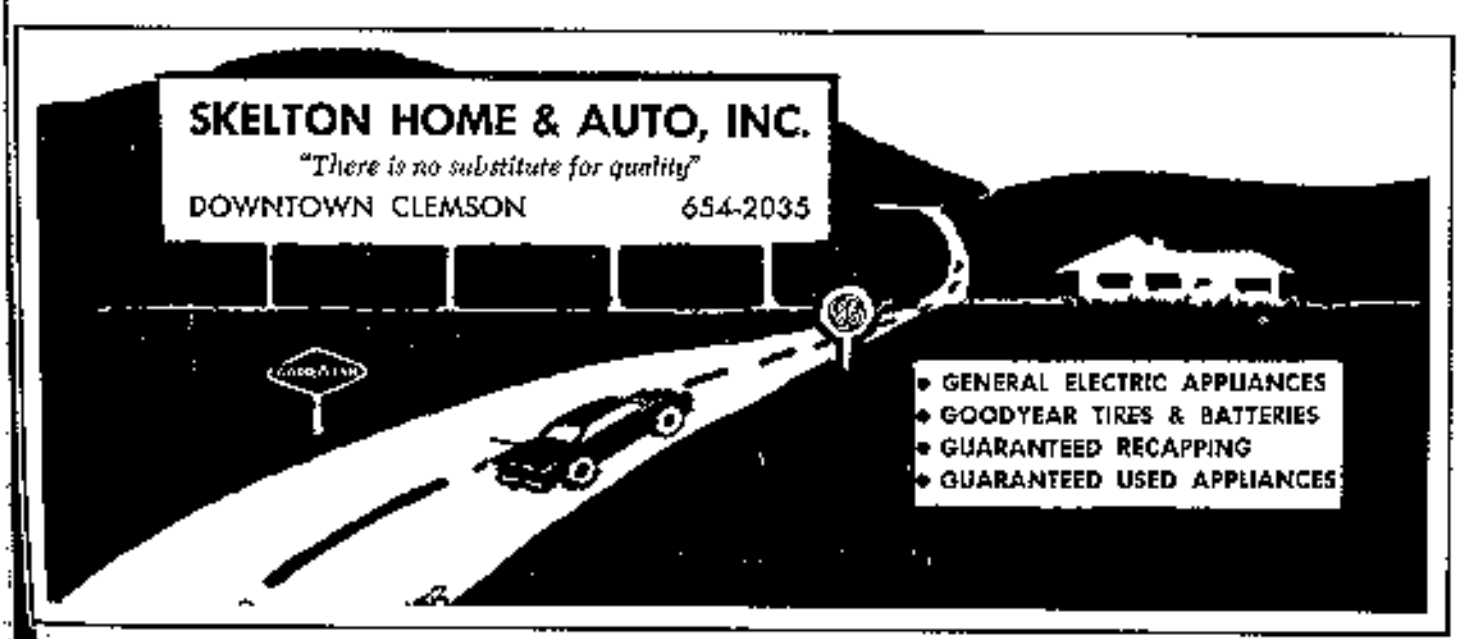
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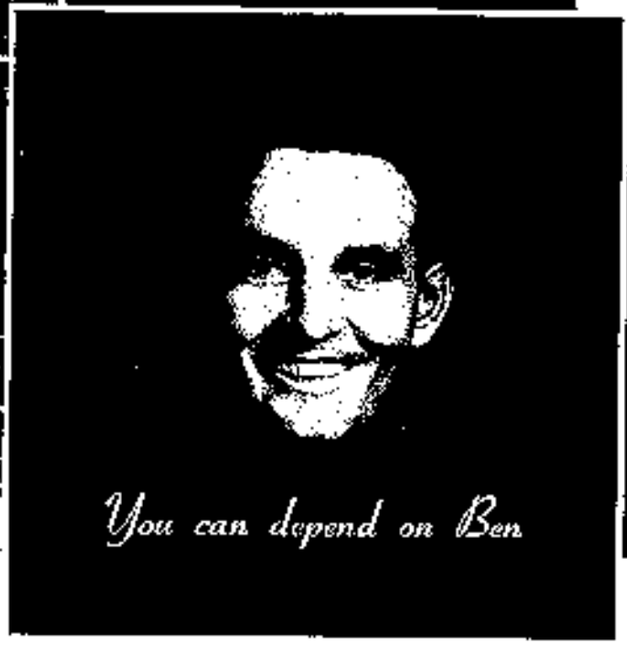
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