

• CAMPUS NOTES •

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CAMPUS ELECTIONS

One of the most surprising (to some at least) elections in the history of the Student Body Organization took place shortly after the second semester began. As usual there were two rival parties that put up their best nominees after deliberate caucuses and political wranglings. The Goodwill Party had Ben Almonte for its standard bearer. The other party, this time called the Diptercocarp Party, made Frank Siruno the presidential nominee. Election Day came

to a close without any mishap, the ballot box was opened and the votes were tallied promptly after five p.m.

Results—Frank Siruno and all except one of the candidates under his ticket won by overwhelming landslides that buried the stunned Goodwill aspirants. Why the popular Goodwill Party lost the elections could not be explained, just like Makiling's temperamental moods. One freshman, brighter than the rest of us, offered this reason: (censored.) Ket.

Present officers of the SBO—Pres. F. Siruno; Vice-Pres. N. Vergara; Sec. F. Mauricio; Treas. B. Rodrigo; Auditor F. Barrer; Athletic Manager P. Bautista; Sgts.-at-arms M. Battad and M. Tobias. Prof. Jose B. Blando is the adviser—B. Agaloos.

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NEW TWIST IN FORESTRY CAMPUS ATHLETICS

Last November 23 the campus populace witnessed the championship basketball game between the dormitory boys and the non-dorm boarders. At the outset the "non-dorms" seemed to be strong; in fact they led in the first half of the game. But the accurate shooting of G. Batoon, the fine guarding of V. Ladero and the alertness of M. Battad on the rebound pushed the Dormitory boys to victory.

An idea was first conceived by Botany professor Dr. A. Manza to conduct a series of games, a sort of inter-section cage tournament. This idea was carried out with the help of Mr. R. Cortes. Games were played between the four dormitories as group A and between four units of residents of the Rubber Plantation and other sections of the campus as group B.

Dr. Manza, Mr. Cortez and several other instructors were present at the opening game. Miss H. Jundos (English instructor) tossed the first ball.

In the first group the formidable "Fight-on" of dormitory 2 made a clean sweep, while the top-seeded "Tornado" team out-pointed all the other teams in the other group.

The following formed the high-spirited "Fight-on" team: B. Gutierrez, L. Quimbo, C. Baroña, V. Ladero, L. Lomoljo, A. Ganir and R. Noriel. The "Tornado" team was composed of B. Agaloos, J. Malvas, Jr., A. Bernardo, H. Cuenca, F. Mauricio, T. Halasan and Reyes.

The November 23rd game was the culmination of the series of games. It was a clash between the "Fight-on" of dormitory 2 with pick-ups from other vanquished dorms and the "Tornado" with pick-ups

from other section teams. Defense and team-work mainly propelled the "Dormitory Cagers."

The objective behind the promotion of series of games was not only to intensify the spirit of sportmanship and to cultivate spirit of cooperation among the students, but also to look into the possibility of spotting potential players for intramural games. This idea of Dr. Manza is indeed very laudable and needs the cooperation and support of other faculty members and students of this college. If these games are carried on, there may yet come a day when we shall see the Forestry boys wrestle out the championship pennant from the Aggies.—T. MONTOJO

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N G H MEMORIAL TREE PLANTING

On October 4, 1952, Junior Nurse students and their respective professors and instructors from North General Hospital, Manila, visited the Makiling National Park, College of Forestry, College, Laguna, on a traditional memorial tree planting and field trip. The student tour took them to the Nurse's Grove where they did the planting assisted by the Silviculture I class under Professor Teodoro Delizo and Assistant Instructor Domingo Jacalne.

Before the planting, the Nurses were addressed by Professor T. Delizo and Asst. Instructor Jacalne. Forester Hipolito Marcelo of the Division of Forest Investigation, in behalf of Forester Felix Franco, Chief of the Division of Forest Investigation and concurrently Superintendent of the Makiling National Park, delivered the welcome address. He said that there is parallelism in the life work of a forester and that of a nurse. The forester tends the forest trees while the nurse takes care of the sick. And that they have a common ground and that is the "nursery"—a nursery for seedlings and a nursery for babies. He then enjoined that both should work hand in hand to contribute to the progress of the country. He remarked that a lesson is imparted by the planting of trees, for as the tree when planted should be cared for, cultivated and watered, so is our life's work when begun should be attended with care and efficiency. In a romantic vein he gave a fitting tribute to the nurse.

After the short instruction of tree planting by Prof. Delizo, the nurses proceeded to the Nurses Grove where various species of trees were planted. Mahogany (*Sweetenia mahogany*); Narra (*Pterocarpus indicus*); Molave (*Vitex parviflora*); Teak (*Tectona grandis*); Ipil (*Intsia bijuda*); Dao (*Dracontomelon dao*); Banuyo (*Wallaceodendron cellibicum*); Amugis (*Koordersiodendron pinnatum*); Betis (*Madhuca betis*); Talisai (*Terminalia catappa*); Ilang-ilang (*Cananga odoratum*) and other species. The nurses also enjoyed the beauty of ornamental plants found in the nursery among which are:

Doña Aurora, birds of paradise, queen of flowering trees, jade vine, capa-capá, maiden's hair, *congeat tomentosa*, araucaria, etc.

The visit was climaxed by a dance and refreshment. Prizes were given to the best Tango and Waltz dancers. Aside from the Silviculture class the FAO trainees and students of the upper classes were present.

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CONVOCATION IN HONOR OF FAO TRAINEES

To give the foreign students a taste of Filipino friendliness and fun, the College of Forestry put up a program on October 19, 1952 in honor and for the entertainment of the representatives of the Far Eastern Countries to the FAO—sponsored Mechanical Logging Training center in the Philippines. Although the program was sponsored by the College of Forestry, the numbers were mostly contributed by the Physical Education Department, UP, Diliman. The internationally famous native dance "Tinikling" was shown to the admiring foreigners, in addition to the musical numbers.

Governor Chipeco of Laguna province sent his greetings to the Trainees through Dean Florencio Tamesis. The highlight of the program, however, was the speech by Dr. Enrique Virata, acting President of the UP, in which was stressed the importance of the promotion of the union among the various countries in the Far East.—N.T.V.

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CONVOCATION ON HUMAN RIGHTS DAY

On December 10, 1952, the faculty members and students of the College of Forestry gave away one of their class hours starting from 1:00 p.m. to observe Human Rights Day. Unlike usual convocations, this one was short and simple, almost improptu. It merely consisted of the reading by Mr. Cesar Recto of the Human Rights Bill as promulgated by the United Nations, followed by a heart-touching oration by Mr. Julian Meimban, an enlightening talk by Mr. Benjamin Almonte, and a short open forum. Lack of time prevented the Secretary from letting each student give his personal views about the Human Rights.—N.T.V.

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FORESTRY DAY CELEBRATION GAMES

Bitterly-fought games featured the first day of competitions of the 1952 forestry day inter unit basketball championship held last December 5, & 6, 1952 at the College of Forestry basketball grounds.

In the game between Unit I (Dormitorians) and Unit III (Rubber Stars) in a thrilling fashion the Dormitory Selection licked the Rubber Stars and proved their skill. Starting the game with fast passes

and skillful shooting, Unit I held the Rubbermen scoreless while they netted 6 points.

In the second quarter, Unit III team took up to the air to level the score at 6-6, but their offense, which never put on steam, slowed down giving the score 6-12.

The Rubber Stars desperately tried to pull their team out of fire with their 8 point barrage in the closing encounter of the third stanza, but the Dormitorians added 4 more points for a final count of 14-16.

The Dormitorians were never a daring brilliant team than on the fourth period. They never relinquished the whip on their opponent but the Rubber dunkers refused to sink the ball pruning their plays on lightning breakthroughs which however failed to swish the cords. The game ended with a 18-24 the Dorm men won by a margin of 6 points.

In the afternoon of December 5, 1952, in the clash between Unit II under B. Agalos and Unit IV under B. Lansigan, at the start, Unit IV was ahead of Unit II by 2 points (4-6). In the second canto, Unit IV was given a whipping 14-6, ending in a total score of 18-12, Unit IV tried their best to avenge with a score of 6-7. In the last frame the competitors fought like two lions at bay—score 8-9 in favor of Unit IV. After the scoreboard the front lines was dominated by Unit II with a total of 32-28.

On December 6, 1952, the second day of competitions, it was featured by a basketball exhibition game between Forestry Selection and the Los Baños Stars. In the encounter the Los Baños Stars completely dominated the game except in the second—the first part of the game ended with a 6-9 score in favor of the plainsmen. The score was deadlocked by the contenders in the next count, tying themselves getting 6 points each—and at whistle time the score was 12-15 in favor of the Los Baños basketeers. In the 3rd frame the mountineers ran loose and stormed their opponent's defenses and charged with their combined (14-8) point splurge and led a 26-23 margin at lemon time. The lumberjacks failed to live up to their 3 point lead in the last fracas, the lowlanders forged ahead and scored a 14 point against 6 and made a lead of 8 points (6-14) for a final count of 37-32 to seal the verdict.

In the afternoon of December 6, 1952, the Forestry Youth Circle kept the basketball supremacy. In that cage encounter the FYC (Seniors) and the Franklin Baker Stars (Seniors, San Pablo City met in a game punctuated with spills propelled by elbowing. In the midst of the bustle of the first canto, it was the San Pablo dribblers who directed enrush of the game by hacking the fighting FYC, and falling them to a score of 10-12 and initial 2 point advantage gained from the start by the visitors.

The Franklin Baker Stars offensive continued rol-

ling at the second frame whose shooting streaks carried the San Pablo squad to a 17-14 advantage. The FYC boys tried to put an end to the San Pablo uprising but fell short by 5 points (24-29).

In the third, the FYC were determined to turn the tide and they were able to surge back and burrow at their adversary's head—in that scuffle, the invaders flung across the scoreboard a 10-16 setback, bringing the gap down to 1 point with 40-39 in the total score.

In the last fracas, the FYC quintet gave the lethal wallop, a punch that demolished every salient point the Franklin guys could build—an outcome that finally turned out to be the doom of the F. Baker hoopsters. The FYC walked off the floor with a comfortable 19-6 margin. At this period the FYC spherqid handlers were given guaranty of maintaining the basketball tradition as they pulled away from the San Pablo dunkers—to come out 59-45 when the final buzzer rang.

Donors of Prizes are:

(1) Forester Jose Claveria (2) Forester Justino Ybañez (3) Forester Hermogenes Maon (4) For. Rufino Olay (5) For. Eliseo Capili (6) For. Ramon Paa (7) For. Bernardino Taesa.

In spite of the rain the celebration games were successes.

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NEW FORESTRY COOP OFFICERS ELECTED

In a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Forestry Cooperative last December 12, 1952, the following officers were elected for the year 1952-53:

President *Prof. Eugenio de la Cruz*
Vice-President *Ildefonso Palisoc*
Secretary *Francisco Tamolang*
Treasurer *Ciriaco Galutira*
Asst. Treasurer *Domingo Jacalne*
Manager & Bookkeeper *Prof. Emiliano Roldan*
Asst. Manager *Mario Eusebio*
Auditor *Ramiro Beguico*

In the meeting the following were approved by the original board of directors (1) Declaration of Balance Sheets and Profit and Loss patronage (2) declaration of 5% patronage, (3) distribution of gifts to the children of the Forestry community Dec. 21, 1952 (4) sending of ₱10.00 as contribution for filing of brief with the Supreme Court to contest the legality of present law imposing taxes on Coops (5) issuance of augmentation stock certificates to members (6) increase of salaries of the salesladies.—
T. Montaja

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CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

Christmas is celebrated on the 25th of every December, but since by that date the school will be closed for the Christmas vacation, the Student Body

Organization of the College of Forestry held its Christmas Program on the night of December 19, 1952 at the Forestry Pavilion. Dean Florencio Tamesis was supposed to be the guest speaker for the night but due to unavoidable circumstances, he was not able to attend. However, he sent a message which was read to the audience by Forester P. San Buenaventura, Chief of the Administrative Division, Bureau of Forestry.

Aside from the fun and frolic shown by the students, the other members of the faculty of the college and the two American guests, Messrs. Winslow Gooch and Paul Bedard also gave their warm Christmas greetings to the students. There were contests in carol-singing, Spanish declamation and in skit and lantern presentations. Miss Generosa Caneda was awarded the first prize in the Spanish declamation contest. The seniors romped away with the first prizes in the skit contest and in the carol-singing contest. The Sophomores captured the prize for the best lantern. A special prize was awarded to the Spanish Class under Prof. J. B. Blando for their awe inspiring tableau entitled "The Birth of a Nation." Several other special numbers were presented by the Spanish Class.

The prize donors were the following: Dean F. Tamesis, Mr. & Mrs. W. Gooch, Profs. H. Cuzner, J. Blando, T. Roque, F. Franco, C. Mabesa, Dr. A. V. Manza, Mr. Villanueva, Mr. Caesar Recto, Mr. F. Chinte, Mr. D. Jacalne, Miss H. Jundos, Forestry Mess Hall (Mrs. Lagrmas), Carangal store, & Forestry Coop.

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FORESTRY STUDENTS QUALIFY IN SWIMMING COURSES

Forty-five forestry students and two Roman Catholic priests received their certificate in swimming from the Philippine National Red Cross, Laguna Chapter on December 8, 1952. The swimming courses were given at the Makiling National Park Swimming Pool from April 4 to June 6, 1952 by Water Safety Instructor, Forester Francisco Tamolang of the College of Forestry. It can be recalled that no Forestry student is allowed to graduate unless he is able to swim. The successful students who qualified in the different swimming courses were:

Beginner:

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| 1. Agustin, Pedro | 3. Cabebe, Pablo |
| 2. Bislig, Arturo | 4. Mendoza, Jesus, Rev. |

Intermediate:

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| 1. Cruz, Damazo de la | 3. Malvas, Jose |
| 2. Madrid, Felimon | 4. Mangantulao, Ernesto |

Swimmer:

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| 1. Acosta, Raymundo | 20. Jacaban, Santos |
| 2. Ayuban, Ernesto | 21. Leal, Asuncion |
| 3. Agaceta, Camilo | 22. Leon, Domingo A. de |
| 4. Alop, Jose | 23. Lucero, Alfonso |
| 5. Batoon, Benjamin | 24. Mandocdoc, Gabriel |
| 6. Bautista, Pelagio | 25. Mauricio, Florencio |
| 7. Borre, Calvin | 27. Montojo, Teodorico M. |
| 8. Buenafior, Silvestre | 26. Millan, Francisco |
| 9. Burgos, Bernardo | 28. Orden, Tranquilino, Jr. |
| 10. Cabanday, Artemio | 29. Peralta, Mariano |
| 11. Corpus, Edmundo | 30. Pinalba, Salustiano |
| 12. Estrada, Jose R. (Rev.) | 31. Pollisco, Feliberto |
| 13. Fabian, Virgilio | 32. Prakongasi, Likhit |
| 14. Garcia, Hari | 33. Reyes, Martin, R. |
| 15. Garnica, Florenci | 34. Rojas, David |
| 16. Cimatú, Domingo | 35. Serrano, David |
| 17. Gulle, Marciano | 36. Tadeo, Conrado |
| 18. Harsongram, Suthi | 37. Japson, Basilio |
| 19. Ingosan, Douglas | |

Advanced Swimmer:

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| 1. Garcia, Hari | 2. Pina:ba, Salustiano |
| | T. M. MONTOJO |

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MAKILING LITERARY CLUB ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

Inmeeting held last February 5, 1953, the Makiling Literary Club elected a new set of officers.

The following are the new officers: President—B. Agaloos; Vice-President—Napoleon Vergara; Secretary—Bernardo Burgos Jr., Treasurer—Luis Paterno; Auditor—Meliton Battad; Bus. Manager—Florencio Mauricio; P.R.O.—Teodorico Montojo; Sgt. at-arms—Francisco Empedrad and Jose Malvas Jr.; Professor Jose B. B'ando is the adviser.

During the same meeting, the club decided to sponsor an oratorical and Spanish declamation contest under the auspices of the Forestry Student Body Organization in conjunction with the celebration of Moving-Up Day. This Oratorical and declamation contest will be held on March 29, eve of Moving-Up Day. Club members were also requested to recommend prospective candidates for membership in the club from the lower classes, for consideration of every club member. It is the standing procedure of the club to reject a candidate if there are two dissenting votes against him besides considering his literary and dramatic talents.

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FORESTERS BEDARD, GOOCH AND DEAN TAMESIS VISIT CAMPUS

Dean Florencio Tamesis, together with Forester Paul Bedard and Forester Winslow Gooch motored from Maila and visited the forestry campus last February 6, 1952. With recent reports appearing

in the metropolitan newspapers about the forthcoming establishment of a forest products laboratory here in Los Baños under the MSA aid, campus residents and forestry students particularly look upon their visit as something that shows promise.

Of interest to forestry students is the proposed project of rehabilitating the college building physically as well as the improvement of its teaching force supplemented by additional help in the form of more equipment and facilities which the college is in dire need of. Foresters Bedard and Gooch who are of the MSA group concerned with forestry discussed these points with Dean Tameis as they went around the campus observing things that needed improvement.

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**PARAISO REFORESTATION PROJECT
DONATES ₱150.00 TO THE FORESTRY
LEAVES**

As a token of their appreciation and gratitude for having been granted the benefits of the minimum wages law, all laborers and employees of the Paraiso Reforestation Project of Laoag, Ilocos Norte under Provincial Forester Jose Makil, donated the amount of ₱150.00 to the *Forestry Leaves*. This sum will be used for the maintenance of our College Organ.

A gift was also given in Ilocos Norte by the laborers of said project for the building of a public dispensary. In celebration of their salary increase a blow out was given featured by a day of feast followed by one night of dancing and merrymakings.—

J.R.M. Jr.

The management of the Forestry Leaves wishes to extend its thanks for the kind initiative and financial help of the donors.—Ed.

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Ranger Examination

1. Abergas, Cornelio	78.2 %
2. Rodrigo, Buenaventura B.	76.95
3. Buguid, Nicolas I.	76.6
4. Feleo, Ambrosio M.	75.7
5. Coe, Mariano	75.2
6. Agaloos, Bernardo C.	74.65
7. Aganad, Pedro R.	74.6
8. Tordesillas, Benjamin O.	74.55
9. Mina, Florencio B.	74.5
10. Lagmay, Martin P.	74.3
11. Dalena, Leoncio C.	74
12. Llapitan, Eduardo A.	73.7
13. Bersamin, Rodrigo T.	73.6
14. Aguda, Toribio	73.3

15. Bonilla, Felix	73.15
16. Melchor, Cipriano	73
17. Bandiola, Bartolome	72.8
18. Cunanan, Salvador F.	72
19. Paterno, Luis E.	71.9
20. Daof, Cresencio A.	71.55
21. Bolivar, Juan	71.5
22. Cabaraban, Macario	71.2
23. Navarro, Aniceto C.	71.1
24. Lagat, Pedro M.	71.05
25. Unite, Edilberto	71.05
26. Siruno, Francisco S.	70.85
27. Abundo, Emilio	70.7
28. Astudillo, Resurreccion	70.7
29. Cuento, Casiano M.	70.4
30. Ilagan, Jose M.	70.25
31. Cercena, Francisco V.	70.02
32. Guillen, Gabriel	70.02
33. Orbita, Alfredo B.	70.02
34. Somesa, Isidro D.	70.02
35. Cabotaje, Luis C.	70.01
36. Cortes, Miguel R.	70.01
37. Descallar, Artemio	70.01
38. Micu, Carlomagno	70.01
39. Tagorda, Jose P.	70.01
40. Aranas, Donato R.	70
41. Glinoga, Juan E.	70
42. Ongcoy, Benigno	70
43. Reyes, Fortunato	70
44. Serna, Cirilo B.	70
45. Sol, Nicolas	70

Addenda

1. Avellano, Juliano	73.2*
2. Gapero, Eulogio	73.86

Asst. Forester

1. Jacalne, Domingo V.	85.33%*
2. Gautane, Feliciano	84.19*
3. Lopez, Martin P.	83.59
4. Valbuena, Rodrigo R.	82.78*
5. Utleg, Juan, L.	78.44*
6. Reyes, Constancio	77.59
7. Lantican, Domingo M.	77.15
8. Galutira, Ciriaco A.	76.51
9. Alojipan, Eligio	75.9
10. Tadeo, Conrado B.	75.84*

11. Malacoco, Evangelino	75.59
12. Salvador, Pedro B.	75.47
13. Sabalo, Celestino	75.23
14. Luczon, Cornelio	74.31
15. Arellano, Cirilo A.	74.22
16. Agaloos, Vicente	73.89
17. Miguel, Isabelo	73.8
18. Ruiz, Quirino	73.76
19. Nañagas, Filemon	73.68
20. Saura, Adriano E.	73.5
21. Corales, Juan	73.49
22. Francia, Faustino G.	73.37
23. Cunanan, Carlos	73.36*
24. Viste, Esperidion B.	73.12
25. Ranelo, Juan R.	73.07*
26. Ordoñez, Orlando	72.79
27. Leon, Domingo	72.73
28. Eusebio, Mario A.	72.45
29. Valderama, Osiris M.	72.35
30. Calip, Jose	72.2
31. Fernandez, Regino	71.83
32. Fernandez, Segundo P.	70*
33. Caleda, Artemio	71.67*
34. Pimental, Juan C.	71.34
35. Capellan, Nestor M.	71.1
36. Juan, Gaudencio P.	70.96
37. Mabesa, Edgardo	70.76
38. Zumel, Bernabe S.	70.19
39. Macabeo, Marcelino E.	70.19
40. Biscarra, Julio T.	70.02
41. Juinio, Ambrosio	70.02*
42. Labadia, Braulio	70.02*
43. Vadil, Cipriano M.	70.02*
44. Antonio, Doroteo U.	70.01
45. Balanon, Evangelista	70.01
46. Benavides, Regalado B.	70.01
47. Manzano, Toribio	70.01
48. Santillano, Librado S.	70.01
49. Victa, Mateo C.	70.01
50. Waymann, Bernard	70.01
50. Allado, Adulfo E.	70
51. Antonio, Leandro	70
52. Siapno, Isidoro	70
53. Taeza, Bernardino T.	70
54. Tagudar, Eulogio T.	70
55. Tuting, Manuel L.	70

Addenda

1. Bernabe Y. Taliwaga	72.48%*
2. Artemio A. Caleda	71.68*
3. Isidro P. Embernate	71.46*
4. Ambrosio Jarlego-Juinio	70.02*
5. Jose D. Aquino	70*
6. Bruno Abiog	70.92*
7. Magdaleno Caayupan	74.74*

* Additional 5% Veteran Preference Allowed.

**JUSTICE OFFICIALS VISIT ARAYAT
REF PROJECTS**

Secretary of Justice Oscar Castelo visited the Arayat Reforestation Project in Arayat, Pampanga on December 13, 1952. He was accompanied by his staff composed of Undersecretary Roberto Gianzon, Judges Jose Zulueta and Feliciano Ocampo, Fiscal Balbino Figueroa and Provincial Governor Rafael Lazatin.

Secretary Castelo and his party were shown around the nursery campus and surrounding plantations by Officer-in-Charge Emilio A. Soriano who enumerated the objectives upon which the reforestation project and the national park have been established and the results so far achieved.

Soriano said one of the visitors jokingly remarked that the park was being planted as a possible hideout of the Huks and other dissidents to which the Project's Officer-in-Charge answered back in the same mood that there were more Huks and other dissidents caught in towns and cities including Manila. This evinced laughter from among the visitors. The justice secretary planted a narra tree; Governor Lazatin, a banaba tree; and undersecretary Gianzon, a mahogany tree. According to Soriano, the party was impressed by the cooling effect given by the shady grove of trees and the way cogonal areas are being planted along the national highway.—SPF