Biltmore Estate
Asheville, N. C.

Curtis Creek
McDowell County, N. C.

September 26-27, 1961
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1961

12:00 Noon  The Governor’s Luncheon—Biltmore Estate
Master of Ceremonies—William Maughan,
President, North Carolina Forestry Association

The National Anthem—Dr. Edgar Vom Lehn,
Vocalist, Western Carolina
College Music Faculty
Western Carolina
College Band
Aaron Hyatt, Director

Invocation—Reverend W. Perry Crouch
First Baptist Church

1:00 P.M.  Welcome—Honorable Terry Sanford,
Governor, State of North Carolina

Introduction of Guests—William Maughan

Introduction of Members of Congress—
Honorable Roy A. Taylor
Congressman 12th District

Reforestation Awards
(Asheville Agricultural Development Council Awards
to Cherokee, Madison, Haywood, and Swain Counties)

Introduction of the Speaker—Governor Sanford

Address—Honorable Orville L. Freeman,
Secretary, U.S. Department of Agriculture

2:30-4:30 P.M.  Optional Tours

1.  The Biltmore House and Gardens
2.  First white pine plantations by Biltmore Forest
    School director Carl A. Schenck.
    W. G. Wahlenberg, Guide
50th Anniversary Dinner
North Carolina Forestry Association

6:00 P.M. Social Hour—Roof Garden, Battery Park Hotel
   Courtesy Appalachian Lumbermen’s Club

7:00 P.M. Dinner—Gold Room, Battery Park Hotel

Master of Ceremonies—William Maughan, President
   N.C. Forestry Association

Invocation—Reverend A. Allen Gardner, Jr.
   First Presbyterian Church

Introduction of Guests—William Maughan

Introduction of Speaker—Voit Gilmore, Director
   U.S. Travel Service

Address—“A Look Ahead”
   Dr. Richard E. McArdle, Chief
   Forest Service, U.S. Department
   of Agriculture
Wednesday, September 27, 1961
Dedication Ceremony

Curtis Creek

9:00 A.M. Leave Battery Park Hotel

10:00 A.M. Dedication of First Weeks Law Tract
Curtis Creek, McDowell County

Master of Ceremonies—Joseph F. Pechanec, Director,
Southeastern Forest Experiment Station

Invocation—Reverend William T. Potts
Saint Johns Episcopal Church

Recognition of Ambler Family—
Dr. Richard E. McArdle,
Chief U.S. Forest Service

Dedication—J. K. Vessey, Regional Forester,
Southern Region

Benediction—Reverend William T. Potts