



Ferdie J. Deering, editor;
Walter Sears, farmer; and
Dr. Oliver H. Willham, pres.
of OSU, with awards from
Gov. Raymond Gary.

GOVERNOR'S AWARD
Outstanding Service
Soil and Water Conservation

In behalf of the grateful people of the
Great State of Oklahoma and for the
many generations to come, we salute

Ferdie Deering

for giving of his time and substance
far beyond his ordinary obligation
in the preservation of nature's gifts.

Recognizing that your sacrifice and
contribution is but one step
toward a vision of a
more bountiful Oklahoma, we pray that
many more follow in your way.

Raymond Gary, Governor
Laurence Drake, Chairman