



All committeemen of north shore scouting are invited to attend the annual meeting of the north shore area council of the Boy Scouts of America, to be held at the city hall in Highland Park, Tuesday evening, Dec. 13, at 8 o'clock.

A brief review will be made on the year's work which has just closed and the chairmen of various committees will outline their plans for the growth and improvement of scouting during the new year.

First Aid Contest
The council meeting will follow a brief meeting of the executive board at which time the election of officers will be held. The present officers of the north shore area council are Albert P. Snite, president; Dr. Douglas Cornell, Dr. George Roberts, Maurice Mandeville, Roy W. Jarrett, vice-president, George Harbaugh, commissioner; Henry Fowler, treasurer.

Each troop of the north shore area is getting its first aid team of six men ready for a council-wide first aid rally which will be held on Friday evening, January 28. Problems will be given to the teams and the judges will decide on which group demonstrates the highest grade first aid work.

Sign for Winter Camp
It is not too late for scouts to enroll for winter camp, according to a bulletin issued from the area scout office last week. A group of fifteen north shore scouts will leave on Monday afternoon, Dec. 26, with Mr. McPeck, headed for winter camp at Wilderness, Mich. A larger group, probably 24 scouts, will leave the following morning with Mr. Grant for the greatest time of their lives at the "Cabin in the Woods." Reservations are rapidly coming in. If you are planning on going, better get your registration in soon.

Deerfield Scout Meeting
The Deerfield town scout committee meeting was held at Deerfield on Tuesday, Nov. 29, at 8 p.m. The major business of this meeting was the election of officers for the coming year, resulting as follows:
Deerfield town chairman Rev. Piepenbrok; representative on court of honor committee, C. W. Getty; representative on publicity committee, C. M. Christensen; representative on committee on civic service and relationship, Charles Kapschull; representative on committee on camping and outdoor activities, Harry Olenford; representative on finance and budget, Mr. Strong; representative

on leadership and training committee, Mr. Bates; representative on good reading program committee, Dr. W. B. Metcalf; other members, J. Stryker, Clarence Huhn, William Carr, Rev. Andrews.
A general discussion was held by the men as to when would be the best time for court of honor at Deerfield. The Deerfield committees are all set up and ready to start another year of scouting.

Anniversary Week
Eighteen years old! Scouting America celebrates its eighteenth birthday during anniversary week, February 6 to 12. Every troop will plan to make this week the biggest week of the scouting year. Many father-and-son banquets, parents' nights, window displays and things of an interesting public nature are being planned.

Of course every scout will want to wear his uniform during the entire week and will want to have a part in making scout week an outstanding event in the new year. It is our chance to bring scouting to the attention of every person in the community.

Sunday, Feb. 5, boy scout day in the church school.
Monday, Feb. 6, parents' day, scout participation in the home.
Tuesday, Feb. 7, community day, recognition of the scout master.
Wednesday, Feb. 8, boy scout day in school. Every scout is asked to renew his pledge on this anniversary day.
Thursday, Feb. 9, scout troop day.
Friday, Feb. 10, boy scouts and civic clubs.
Saturday, Feb. 11, boy scout service day. "Good turn" to committee.
Sunday, Feb. 12, boy scout day in church. Lincoln's birthday. Theme: "Adult responsibility for boyhood."

CONTRACTS AWARDED FOR MORE HARD ROADS

The following contracts have been awarded by the state division of highways:
Route 72, section 128W, DeKalb county, pavement; C. E. Gierts and Sons, Elgin, \$17,888.54.
Route 10, section 36A, Vermilion county, grading; to R. McClaman, Inc., Danville, \$28,320.70.
Route 10, section 36B, Vermilion county, bridge; R. McClaman, Inc., Danville, \$26,553.13.
Route 10, section 36B, Vermilion county, bridge; Vincennes Bridge company, \$22,179.67.

MOTOR COACH LINES MANY IN ILLINOIS

Business Developing Rapidly During Past Year, Report Shows; Mileage

Motor coach lines are developing rapidly in Illinois as a result of the state highway system, with ninety-three authorized lines now in operation. During the past year, the coaches traveled 28,944,648 miles and carried 82,980,386 passengers.

Fifty-nine of the coach lines provide inter-city service, connecting the smaller cities, towns and rural communities, while seventeen render

only city service and an equal number operate in the Chicago suburbs.

100 ATTEND DINNER HELD SATURDAY NIGHT

Over one hundred men, women and children enjoyed a Plunkett dinner given by a group of prominent manufacturers under the auspices of the officers of the Bungalow church held in the dining room of the church on Saturday evening. It proved a novel affair and plenty of good tasty food of a large variety was attractively served.

Many interesting facts concerning the different foods were revealed as

well as many different ways of preparing them were discussed by competent representatives.

FARM SCHOOL STUDENTS CUT TIMBER, BUILD SHOP

Cutting down of trees on their fathers' farms and hauling them to the nearest sawmill to be cut into lumber were first steps in the building of a farm shop, as a class project, by boys in the agricultural class of Fairview high school, Steedman, S. C. During the same year the boys made from \$150 to \$200 worth of farm-shop products. The following fall more trees were felled for use

in making implements for farm repair work, and the project this year is to equip the shop with a forge in order that blacksmithing work may be done.

An old Dutch door was sold in New Jersey as an antique the other day for \$1200. It must have been the door to the cellar.

A gypsy woman was fined the other day for telling fortunes in Wall St. It's evidently easier to lose a fortune in Wall St. than to tell one.

Steamship passenger rates are to be reduced 10 per cent. Is the airplanes' competition felt so soon?—New York Sun.

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