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STATEMENT

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SCOUT LEADERS TRAINING COURSE

The fourth meeting of the North Shore Area council scout leaders training course was called to order at 7:30 Tuesday, March 18 at Highwood. The opening consisted of a flag ceremony put on by the Hawk patrol with Mr. Smith of Troop 33, Highland Park taking charge. Mr. McManus lead a few songs and then followed a patrol contest on "What's Wrong with this Picture." Mr. Walecka gave a talk on first aid and its value, giving a demonstration of the various bandages required of each boy for second class tests and the making of a stretcher. Mr. Klaber, chairman of Troop 33's committee, gave a short talk on troop committee and their duties. He emphasized the value of each father doing his bit rather than leaving it all on to one man or chairman. "The object of committees is to aid scoutmasters and promote scout work." Patrols adjourned to their corners and practiced on various bandages required in second class scouting, such as head, chest, arm, ankle, hand and foot bandages. Patrol contests brought into play the making of a stretcher and the carrying of injured persons with a relay using fireman's life and a bandage relay. Patrol fell into troop formation and had a quiz on first aid, announcements were then made and the benediction was led by Mr. Smith of Troop 33, Highland Park. — H. E. Sweeney, Training Course Reporter.

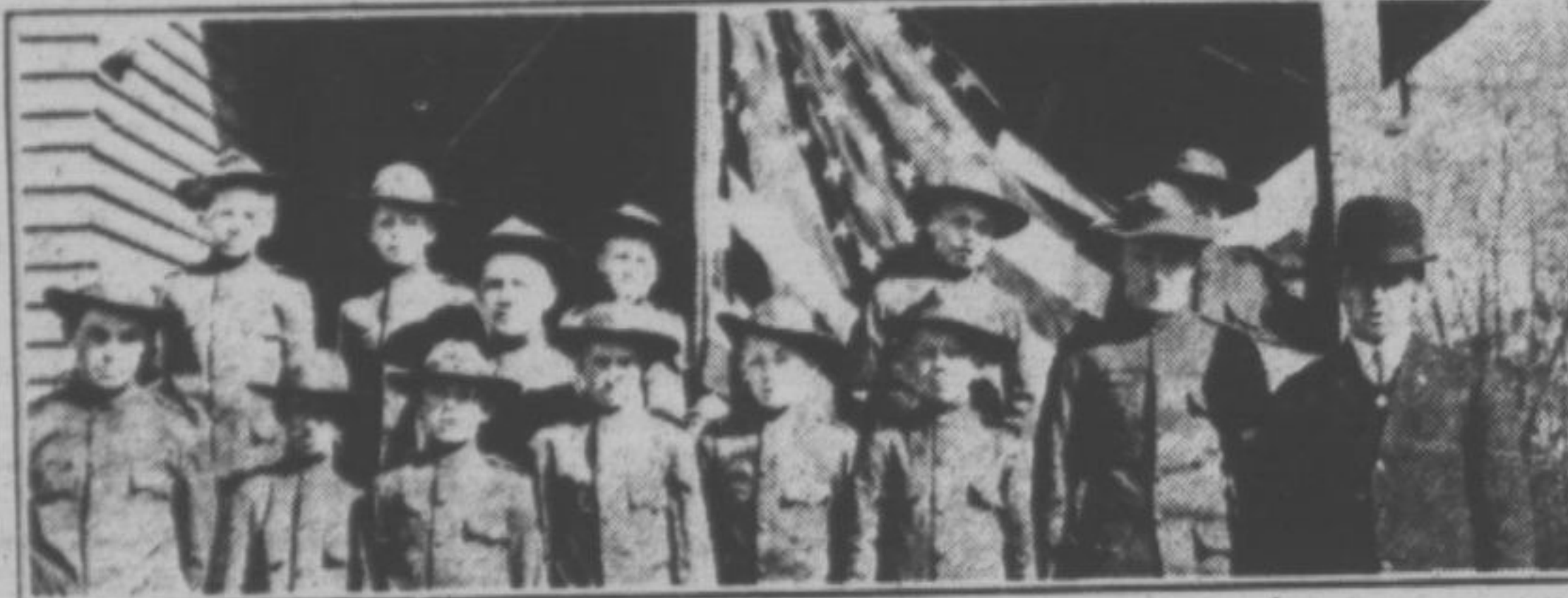
TROOP NO. 33 HAS KNOT-TYING CONTEST

"I am a good scout and I do a good turn every day." This phrase given in Indian sign language was the requirement to gain admittance meeting of Troop 33 on March 17. A scout did not know it he would have to learn it before he could come in. After a short period in which to study the Tenderfoot knots we held a knot tying race. The scouts chose teams and lined up. Then the knot to be tied announced and the first one ran to where the inspector stood and tied the knot then ran on, touched the wall, came back untied it and took the rope back to the next scout. Two points were given to the winning team, and one to the others and one point was taken off for each wrong knot.—Roderick Smith, reporter Troop 33, Lincoln school, Highland Park.

PATROL PRACTICES FIRST AID, DRILLS

The meeting of the Great White

Remember Way Back When?



Lake Forest used to have one scout troop, today it has six. It was so far back that Fire Chief Larson and Monte Rasmussen, chairman of the troop committee of Troop 48, couldn't quite remember whether it was 1911 or 1912. You will notice that the troop is completely uniformed except for the scoutmaster. The following boys were members: Leland Smith, Lawrence Burrige, Harold Soudon, George Larson, Ingram Rasmussen, Bert Smith, Hernie Dorn, Percy Oak, Merrett Pratt, Paul Carlson, Leav-

and Nelson, Monte Rasmussen, Bill Weir.

Mr. Rasmussen says the troop lasted about a year, but failed because they had no backing from any organization or from the people of the town, a thing which is different nowadays.

This picture is the prized possession of Mr. Larson who is an enthusiastic scout supporter and has some special events prepared for scouts in the future.

Eagle was held at John Kraft's Eagle Den. We started the meeting with the Scout oath and law. We then had some drilling. After the drilling we practiced some first aid carries and some tumbling and ended the meeting with the Scout benediction and taps.—Bob Olson, reporter, Troop 35, Ravinia school.

Fathers and Sons Banquet for 35

Friday, March 21, the Boy Scouts of Troop 35 held their Fathers and Sons banquet. After everybody had arrived the scouts were inspected. Immediately after this the food was served. Mr. Olson made a speech and showed the cup Mr. Keller presented to the troop to be awarded in June to the patrol that advanced the most.

Two of the three patrols had stunts to put on. After these were over the patrols did some drilling for the fathers. We closed with the Scout benediction.—John Thompson, scribe, Troop 35, Ravinia school.

SKY TERROR PATROL NEWS

At seven o'clock Monday, March 17 the Sky Terror patrol met at the home of Frank Kollmer. Two new Boy Scouts have joined our patrol. They are Harold Holstrom and James Hirsch. Harold Holstrom who has studied the tenderfoot test was ready to pass the scout motto, the scout sign and handclasp, scout oath and part of the history of the flag. After that we had popcorn and told stories. We then repeated the Scout benediction and went home.

At seven o'clock Wednesday, March 19 the Sky Terror patrol met at the home of Dick Gault. Peter White then came over and Frank Kollmer called us to fall in. Peter White asked if any of us wanted to pass tests and he found that the boys wanted to. Frank Kollmer, Dick

Gault and Peter White helped to pass the tests. After that we had popcorn and repeated the Scout benediction and went home.

At seven-fifteen Thursday, March 20 the Sky Terror patrol met at the home of Harold Holstrom. Only four of the boys were present so we didn't do as much. Harold Holstrom passed the rest of the history of the flag and the scout laws. We had refreshments and then had a little contest to see who could name the knots correctly that Frank Kollmer tied. We closed the meeting and went home.—Frank Lawrence, reporter Troop 35, Ravinia school.

DADS vs. SCOUTS IN BASKETBALL

The last meeting was attended by eleven fathers who came in response to a challenge from the scouts for a game of basketball. All of the scouts were in the game at some time and there were two teams of fathers which took turns in the game. The fathers put up a hard fight, but age will tell, and the scouts won 18 to 12. The next morning several of the fathers were rather stiff and sore, showing that they need a fast basketball game every once in a while to limber them up.—Roderick Smith, reporter Troop 33, Lincoln school, Highland Park.

STAG PATROL ISSUES CHALLENGE TO NATIVES

The Stag patrol had a meeting last Tuesday at Scout Jim Bada's house and decided to challenge the other patrol, the Wolves to a flint and steel contest at the next meeting. The meeting adjourned at 9:00. The patrol members worked on first aid, signaling, and compass. — Reporter Troop 55, Glenview school.

SCOUTS PLAYING MIDNIGHT FREEZE

We opened our meeting with the scout oath. Throughout the evening we played midnight freeze, that is, any time during the meeting when the whistle blew we were supposed to stay in one place, not moving at all. If you moved a black mark of burnt cork was put on your forehead. We had a business meeting and discussed plans for a hike some time in the future. We had a contest to find the champ nit in each patrol. The stag patrol's champ nit was Jim Appleyard and the Fox's champ nit was Gerhardt Gulder who later turned out to be troop champ nit. We adjourned at 9:15 with the scout benediction. — Ralph Bucklin, reporter Troop 55, Glenview school.

ARROW HAWK PATROL MAKES AN AIRPLANE

On Thursday, March 20 the Arrow Hawk patrol held a meeting to discuss what we would make for the hobby show at our next court of honor. The meeting opened with a drill. We then talked over what we would make for the hobby show. We decided to make an aeroplane and have knots on the wings and fuselage. We then played a game and the meeting closed.—George Anderson, reporter Troop 61, Northbrook Civic association.

TROOP NO. 61 HAS 35 SCOUTS

About three years ago our troop started. It didn't have many boys in it then. Now practically all the old scouts are gone. It has grown very rapidly. There are now 35 scouts in the troop and seven in the Cub patrol. We have four patrols in our troop, the Arrow Hawk patrol, the Silver Fox patrol. The other two are now patrols and have no names. The name of the Cub patrol is the Wolverines.—George Anderson, reporter Troop 61, Northbrook Civic association.

TROOP MARCHES THROUGH VILLAGE

On March 18, 1930 Troop 61 had their regular meeting. All the scouts met at the school, but on account of P. T. A. meeting the scouts had to go to the Civic hall. This was the first time the scouts ever marched through the village in orderly form and they made a fine appearance. The meeting started with roll call and then some songs. The scoutmaster read us a letter from headquarters concerning the court of honor and hobby show to be given on April 12. The meeting closed with the scout oath and "Taps."—Woodrow Wilson, reporter Troop 61, Northbrook Civic association.

TROOP TO HOLD HOBBY SHOW APRIL 12

Troop 61 of Northbrook will hold its first hobby show on April 12. Each patrol is asked to make a knotboard (Continued on page 30)