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National Scouting News

By Bill Lehle, N.S.P.C.
A group of Sea Scouts of S. Orange and Maplewood, N. J. went out on their schooner, "Tanya" rescued four fishermen in a gale off the shore of Rhode Island. The scouts were out on a cruise when the storm came up.

One of the world's greatest Boy Scout supporters is King Prajakhipok of Siam who is now visiting the United States.

Boy Scouts of Norfolk, Va., acted as traffic officers at a recent Kiwanis convention.

Three hundred and twenty-five bird houses have been built by scouts in Cleveland, Ohio.

In observance of Arbor day scouts of Decatur, Ill., planted 10,000 saplings. A real "Good turn."

SCOUTS OF NATION MOURN FOR PRESIDENT

Message of condolence and high tribute came to the National offices of the Boy Scouts of America in New York from all parts of the United States and abroad following word of the death of Mortimer L. Schiff, president of the organization, who died suddenly of heart disease at his home at Oyster Bay, L.I., early Thursday morning, June 4.

Mr. Schiff's death coming on the eve of his fifty-fourth birthday was entirely unexpected. He was in high spirits and apparently feeling in the best of health when he left his office on Wednesday.

The Boy Scout Movement, from its inception, was one of Mortimer L. Schiff's principal interests outside of business. He was a charter member of the National executive board of the Boy Scouts of America. The Movement claimed him as one of its founders. On May 6, 1931, in recognition of his long service he was elected president of the Boy Scouts of America at the twenty-first annual meeting of the National council in Memphis, Tenn.

Mr. Schiff was international commissioner and as such was America's representative in the international scout organization. He was chairman of the Divisional committee of operations of the National council and also chairman of its Committee of Foreign Relations, as well as a member of the Finance committee.

SCOUTERS ENJOY GRADUATE BANQUET

The 26 men taking the standard (advanced) course in scoutmastership held their graduation banquet at the Howard-Udell cafeteria Wednesday evening, June 3. The high point of the banquet was the inspirational address, "Scouting applied to life" given by Dr. Douglas H. Cornell of the Glencoe Union church. Dr. Cornell was a scoutmaster in one of the first troops in this area back in 1910 and 1911 and has been active in scouting ever since.

Mr. Myron C. Rybolt, scout executive, congratulated the men for completing this training in their effort to become better leaders of boys. The president of the North Shore Area council, Mr. Henry Fowler of Wilmette, made the presentations of the training course certificates to the following men:

C. Roy Terry, deputy commissioner of Winnetka; Robert Mehren, assistant scoutmaster Troop 24, Winnetka; Wendell Hill, scoutmaster Troop 31, Highland Park; Herbert R. Smith, scoutmaster Troop 30, Highland Park; Louis Young, assistant scoutmaster, Troop 36, Highwood; Lloyd Moon, assistant scoutmaster, Troop 37, Highwood; Wm. Ray Dobbins, assistant scoutmaster, Troop 51, Deerfield; John Huhn, assistant scoutmaster, Troop 52, Deerfield; James G. Russell, scoutmaster Troop 52, Mundelein; John Bird, scoutmaster, Troop 72, Libertyville; H. Engelbrecht, scoutmaster, Troop 54, Mundelein and Bert Small, scoutmaster, Troop 77, Mundelein.

The training course was given once and sometimes twice a month since November 1930, by the North Shore Area council of the Boy Scouts of America. The sessions were held both at the Deerfield-Shields high school and at the Elm Place school. The council wishes to thank all the institutions, speakers and others who helped to make this training course a success.

NEW SCOUTS ALL LISTED

Below are listed the new scouts and cubs that have registered in the past week in the North Shore Area council.

Kenilworth—Troop 13, Arend Knop (transferring from Pack 60). Glencoe—Troop 23, John Friedlander, Pack 47, Bob Compton, Bobby Matthews, Vincent Oatis, Joseph Rosenberg and Elmer Wieboldt. Highland Park Troop 31) Troop 33—John Brigham, Wilbur Troop 31) Troop 33—John Brigham, Wilbur Hinn, Lake Forest Troop 49, Robert Malman (re-registering) and Libertyville—Troop 71, George Nelson.

SCOUTS FIND WOODCHUCK IN OUTDOOR STOVE

At 6 p.m. May 28, most of the scouts of Troop 48 and their fathers met at the troops woods which is south of Westiegh farm. First of all our scoutmaster made groups of eight fathers and sons. Each group cooked its own food separately. While the scouts were cooking and setting the tables, one of the boys found that no smoke would go up the chimney of his stove so he investigated and what do you suppose he found? It was a woodchuck and a fat one too. First of all the boys gathered clubs but that did no good for he escaped to another fireplace. Each fireplace he went to he destroyed. Finally after getting to Cal Gartley's fireplace we tried to smoke him out. We succeeded but he escaped into the underbrush. After all the excitement was over we had our banquet. Following that we marched to the council ring where we sang a few songs and talked about camp. Mr. Boltz, field scout executive, asked how many in our troop were going to this camp; nine scouts raised their hands. After Mr. Boltz gave us a talk Mr. Roeber told us that he could not be commissioner until another scoutmaster was appointed to take his place in Troop 48. Cal Gartley is to be a senior officer at camp all summer. He is our regular assistant scoutmaster. Mr. J. Neale was made scoutmaster and Mr. Marshall assistant scoutmaster for our troop. About this time it was 9 p.m., so all the scouts were called to attention and gave the scout benediction and were dismissed.

EIGHT SCOUTS OF TROOP 52 GRADUATED

The greater part of the evening of Troop 52's meeting was spent in playing games. There were only a very few scouts present as graduation exercises were being held at the Deerfield school. A number of the scouts of Troop 52 were graduating. Those boys are Richard Merner, Eldon Frost, Edward Ransdell, Frank Mennell, Gerald Lucas, Harry Allstrom, Charles Osborn and Walter Reeds. —Kenneth Vetter, Troop 52, Deerfield Presbyterian church.

SIX SCOUTS PASS SECOND CLASS TEST

Six tenderfoot scouts passed their second class requirements last Monday, June 1 at the Troop 75 meeting in the Holy Cross church. After opening with the oath and law, led by the senior patrol leader, the following passed second class requirements: Peter Duffy, Richard Duffy, Jack Meyers, Henry Haas, Jack Cunningham, and E. Frost. The meeting closed with the scout benediction.—Edward Brennan, Troop 75, Deerfield Holy Cross church.

SIX GRADUATED FROM GRADE SCHOOL

Troop 51 held a very short meeting last Thursday evening. Most of the time was spent playing games. About 8:30 the scouts adjourned to the school building where several other games were played.

A number of scouts of Troop 51 graduated from Deerfield grade school. They are: Eugene Hamner, Vernon Meir, Arthur Mentzer, Elmer Radeke, C. Toll and Walter Toll. Dan Wolterding, Troop 51, Deerfield Rotary club.

SCOUTS DRILLED ON MORSE CODE

We held our Troop 67 meeting in the club room of the post chapel on May 29. The meeting was opened at 7 o'clock sharp. After the opening ceremonies the minutes were read by Ed. Daniels, the assistant scribe. Our scoutmaster, Lieut. Scott, had to be absent. It was announced that the Boy Scouts of Fort Sheridan would assist in the Memorial day services at Fort Sheridan. We assembled in the South Loop at 8:45 o'clock and marched out to the cemetery behind the troops. The remainder of the meeting was spent in passing tests and drilling each other on the Morse code. The meeting was adjourned at 8 o'clock.—Scribe Allen Hulse, Troop 67, Fort Sheridan.

TROOP TALK OF SUMMER PLANS

After a short outdoor game Wilmot school Troop 50 formed and "to the colors" was sounded followed by the pledge of allegiance. After the troop had adjourned to the meeting room, Assistant Scoutmaster Hopkins asked what the scouts were going to do this summer. Several reported they were going to Camp Makajawan.

The new scout equipment folder showing the reduced price of scout uniforms were passed out and the meeting adjourned with the benediction.—Robert Ginter, Troop 50, Wilmot school.

MAKING PROGRESS IN SCOUT TESTS

The Troop committees of Troops 33 and 49 have reported the following scout advancement as a result of their monthly troop boards of review.

Troop 33, Highland Park: Tenderfoot—John Brigham and Wilbur Hinn; second class, James Anderson and John Seyfarth; first class, Carl Rein; Star, Bob Anderson; Merit

badges, Bob Anderson, camping; George Hinn, camping and Roderic Smith, metal work. Troop 49, Lake Forest, second class, Edward Duggan, R. Maiman and C. Rose.

SEA SCOUTS PLAN TO REPAIR BOAT

The Sea Scout ship Port Clinton of Highland Park assembled at 7 bell (7:00) at the boat house at the foot of Central avenue on Thursday evening, June 4. The fellows carried their surf boat out and put it on a truck which was furnished by Mr. Gourley, our skipper. Mr. Gourley then drove the boat to the Deerfield-Shields high school work shop where the fellows will put on a new bottom. The men in the ship then returned to the boat house where some business was discussed. Jim Ewell was elected yeoman for the ship. Some of the fellows went out and inspected the proposed site for a harbor. After a short drill the ship was dismissed by Mr. Green and Mr. Gaidzik.—Yeoman Jim Ewell.

PLAN TRUCK TRIP TO CAMP

Our last meeting was held in our scoutmaster's quarters at 7 o'clock. We did not meet at our regular place because preparations were being made there for another meeting. Our visitors were Mr. Peschman and Major A. V. Simoni. Scout Louis Moffatt was examined before becoming a second class scout. Mr. Peschman announced that our troop might possibly go to scout camp in an army truck. The absentees were Alexander Jones, Ed. Daniels, and Allen Hulse. The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 o'clock.—Scribe 67, Allen Hulse, Fort Sheridan.

HOLD COURT OF HONOR AT BEACH PARTY

The closing spring meeting of Troop 35 was held in the form of a beach party. The scouts and their parents brought their supper down to the beach and cooked it or ate it cold. After supper the fellows played some games on the beach. One of them, was a race of about 150 yards. The winner got a big Apollo lantern. The second place prize was a tiny hand lantern. After the games the fellows gathered around the fire and sang songs. Then we held a court of honor. The fellows who got awards were: Second class—Calvin Defenbau and Dade Epstein; first class—Crosby Keller; Star—Art Baldauf and Charles Zahn; Merit badges—Art Baldauf; woodworking and music, John Epstein; printing—Charles Zahn; woodworkng, woodcarving; Robert Zahn—woodcarving; Orlando Viverito; public health, personal health, Art Baldauf.—Press club.

After the court of honor we elected new officers. Peter White remained junior assistant scoutmaster. Orlando Viverito was elected senior patrol leader; Art Baldauf remained scribe. Two patrols elected new patrol leaders. Walter Metcalf is the new patrol leader of the star patrol. Crosby Keller, the former patrol leader is leaving. Orlando Viverito was the patrol leader of the other patrol, but as he was elected senior patrol leader, Francis O'Connor was elected to his place. Mr. Walter will not be with us next year and the troop regrets it very much.

There will be one more meeting next Friday to have our pictures taken but that is all that will be done at the meeting. The next big event for Troop 35 is to be their stay at Camp Makajawan.—Troop 35, Scribe Art Baldauf.

TROOP 61 HAS GOOD MEETING

Tuesday, June 2, Troop 61 had a good

meeting. We opened with the flag salute followed by some drill in marching. We then sang songs and the boys that were going to Camp Makajawan signed up. Then we had a study period and many tests were passed. The meeting closed with the scout oath.—Reporter Martin Landwehr, Troop 61, Northbrook.

TO CELEBRATE FLAG DAY

On June 14, Troops 61, 28, and 73 will celebrate Flag day. All scouts will meet at the Northbrook school. From there the scouts will march to the triangle, march around the flag and then march back to Barnshine Grove where all scouts will give the "Pledge of Allegiance" to the flag, followed by a flag drill which will be given by 30 scouts.

Scout Woodrow Wilson will give the laws protecting the flag. While this speech is being given, scouts will demonstrate with flags. The day's activities will close by fire being made by friction in front of several tents.—Reporter John Staehle, Troop 28, Northbrook. Physical Ed—jkhR—etsoinshrdluetaoinsh netaoinshrdluetaoinshrdluetaoin

NEW SCOUTMASTER ASSUMES DUTIES

Last Friday, June 5 another meeting was held under the supervision of the new scoutmaster, Tom Atteridge of Troop 46 of Lake Forest.

As had been previously planned, the meeting was held at the lake. The boys played indoor for about an hour. Then they went on the top of the bluff and played two games of "Capture the Flag." The Haw patrol and Mr. Atteridge the new scoutmaster, were the winners. Mr. Atteridge scored the two winners.

Harry Dunn passed his cooking and is on his way to second class. There will be a meeting at the church next Friday.—Robert Anderson, Troop 46, Lake Forest, Presbyterian church.

Talks to Troop

On Wednesday, June 3, Troop 28, St. Peter's church, had a scout meeting. When we arrived at the meeting place, we played Scout Question ball for a time and following this, we went up into the hall and opened the meeting. Mr. Griese presented some merit badges and talked about camp Makajawan. We closed the meeting by repeating the scout benediction.—Reporter Walter Wandrock, Troop 28, Northbrook, St. Peter's church.

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