

Nature Puts No Price On Her Generosity

In May when we drive through the towns and villages of the North Shore, we exclaim, "Isn't everything beautiful!" And of course what we are noticing is the contrast of the fresh green of growing trees, shrubbery and lawns.

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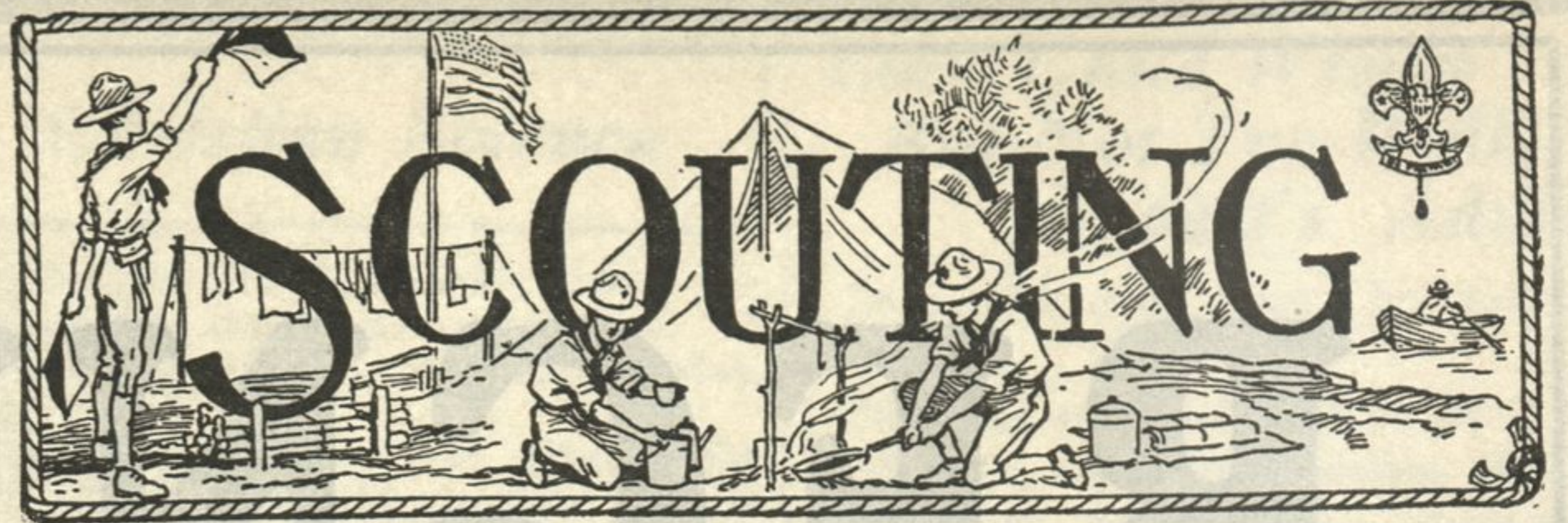
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Fun Rally Big Success

Several hundred north shore Scouts gathered last Saturday at the Cabin-in-the-Woods to participate in the annual fun-rally. The features of the afternoon's program were a foolishness parade, shoe scramble and wool hunt. A Court of Award and many troop picnics followed the afternoon's activities.

Plan Lindbergh Day

Every Scoutmaster and Assistant Scoutmaster is looking forward to the Scoutmasters' monthly roundtable which is to be held Monday evening, May 21, at the Cabin-in-the-Woods.

Sign Up For Camp

Scoutmasters and assistant and troop committeemen are signing up for a week-end trip to Camp Checaugau, Owassippe, Mich. The group will leave on Friday night and return early Monday morning.

Camp Opens June 11

Scouts are registering for periods of a few days or a week or more to be spent at the Cabin-in-the-Woods, west of Glencoe some time during the summer. The camp opens on Monday, June 11, with a full program of fun and scouting opportunities.

Fife, Drum and Bugle Corps

All Scouts who play the fife, drum or bugle and also those who are inter-

ested in learning to play these instruments are to report Friday evening, June 1, at 7:30 P. M. at the Glencoe Union church, Glencoe. All buglers and drummers should be sure to bring their drums and bugles with them. We are going to organize a Northshore Area Fife, Drum and Bugle corps. All Scoutmasters are requested to announce and to call to the attention of their Scouts who are interested in becoming members of this Drum and Bugle corps, to be present at this meeting.

Scoutmasters' Key Issued

A training course for Scout leaders extending over a period of five years will be entered upon next fall by the North shore Area council, which will make it possible for local leaders to work for a Scout Leaders' key which is comparable to the Eagle Scout badge earned by Scouts.

The major features of the plan include a course on the elements of Scoutmastership followed the next year by an advanced course on the principles of Scoutmastership. The following course will give leaders the principles of First Aid and other specialized courses. The Scoutmasters' key is something new and being accepted with great enthusiasm.

Results of the Big Fun Rally

More than 300 Scouts, parents and friends attended the big fun rally last Saturday afternoon which started with a big foolishness parade, led by the drum, fife and bugle corps, the troop dressed as clowns, Indians, in pajamas, etc. Shoe scramble was won by Harold Oppen of Troop 55, first place; Nesbit Moverly, Troop 55, second place; Harry Weese, Troop 13, third place; Dorren Nygaard, Troop 13, fourth place, and Frank May, Troop 52, fifth place.

Wool Hunt—First place, Troop 9, Wilmette; second place, Troop 21, Glencoe; third place, Troop 61, Northbrook.

Undress Relay—First place, Troop 13, Kenilworth; 2nd place, Troop 9, Wilmette; third place, Troop 2, Wilmette.

Fire Building—First place, Troop 55, Glenview; second place, Troop 3, Wilmette; third place, Troop 13, Kenilworth.

In connection with the fun rally there was held a big Court of Award for the entire council. Many Merit Badges were handed out and several boys received Star and Life Rank and Eagle award was presented to Claude Hamilton of Troop 13, Kenilworth.

Scout leaders' big outdoor meeting is to be held at the Cabin-in-the-Woods on Monday evening May 21, at 6:30 P. M.

Mrs. Coolidge Praises

Milan Lusk at Recital

Milan Lusk of Wilmette, internationally known violinist, now on his way for his European concert tour, substituted for Florence Macbeth, soprano, at a concert at the Congressional club in the Pan American building, Washington, D. C., May 3, scoring a veritable ovation. Mrs. Calvin Coolidge, in whose honor the event was given, came up to the violinist complimenting him on his artistry and success.

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