



will act as master of ceremonies. The following committees are working on arrangements for the event; Howard Becher, program; George Matkatat, promotion; J. B. Green and Charles Shelby, dinner. E. V. Culver, master of ceremonies; H. F. Brunsell and W. E. Brown, reception; Lions club members, serving; Mel Turner, from American Legion, table decorations; and R. W. Schuster, window decorations. W. S. Spratler, Jr., has been named finance chairman for the annual scout drive which will open next week.

Scouting as a national organization was officially launched in 1908 and Evansville was among the first cities to form a troop.

The Rev. Golder Lawrence, local Methodist pastor at that time, was one of the first Scoutmasters here. He was followed by the Rev. O. W. Smith, who was pastor of the local Congregational church for several years. Next came A. H. Devine, who was master for many years, then George Greenway, who resigned in the fall of 1948 after several years and now "Rusty" Robinson.

During the years of scouting in Evansville, the masters have had good help from their assistants and others who have served on the scout board as well as the Lions club and other organizations and citizens and parents. Cooperations of the Scouts has also gone a long way to make scouting a permanent and active organization in Evansville. A few years ago the local troop joined the Indian Trails Council, whose headquarters are in Janesville.

America is the better for Scouts and should pause and remember that the movement is one to be really thoroughly pleased with, to be proud of and grateful to and for.

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A group of Evansville Boy Scouts returned home recently from a camping period at the Indian Trails council camp in Janesville.

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# Palmer Haynes Home From Valley Forge

Evansville Lad Relates Story Of Boy Scout Trip To The National Jamboree



Palmer Haynes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Haynes, returned home Monday night. He represented the Evansville Boy Scouts at the National Jamboree at Valley Forge the past two weeks.

Palmer Haynes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Haynes, returned home Monday night from Valley Forge where he spent two weeks at the National Boy Scout Jamboree. He was the only Evansville boy to go this year and he accompanied a Janesville unit on the trip.

In discussing the trip Palmer said: "We all had such a good time. We slept in tents and did our own cooking. There were 47,000 of us in all and in that group there were 18 foreign countries represented. President Truman and Ike Eisenhower were there and talked to us. We went to arena shows and a trading post and we saw and did so many things it is hard to tell about them all. Along with all the fun we were assigned certain duties which we performed every day, and we learned a lot of things too.

"After leaving Valley Forge we went to Washington, D. C. and Philadelphia. We went to Independence Hall, and Old Christ church in the latter city and stayed at the Roger Smith hotel in Washington. We climbed more than 900 steps to the top of the Washington monument. We went to the Smithsonian Institute and the U. S. Capitol. We also saw the White House which is now being remodeled and the Blair house where the Trumans are living now. We saw the Jefferson and Lincoln memorials and went to Mt. Vernon and Arlington cemeteries. Washington's vault is located at Mt. Vernon and, to cap the climax I got Hal Boyle's autograph."

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Addressing a group of 160 Evansville Boy Scouts, Cub Scouts, their parents, Lions club members, Scout alumni and other guests in the Masonic temple Thursday night, the Rev. Elmo Randolph of Milton gave an interesting and inspiring demonstration of training one's mind not to forget. He began by saying that the most used excuse of all excuses is "I forgot." He also stated that it is used by adults equally as much as by youths. He was assisted in his demonstration by George Mattakat, whom he called his secretary.

The evening's activities opened with a pot luck dinner preceded by the invocation by the Rev. James Saunders, Evansville Methodist pastor. Those in charge of banquet arrangements were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shelby, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Green, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Schuster, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bone, and George Mattakat, assisted by Lions club members, den mothers, and many others.

With Dan Kissel serving as master of ceremonies the program began with the entrance of the flags and salute led by the Scouts. Harold Tait, Lions president, gave the words of welcome after which Mr. Kissel introduced Art Freudenberg, Indian Trails council executive, who introduced Russell Johnson, Janesville Scoutmaster, the Rev. Mr. Randolph, Mrs. Freudenberg, Mrs. Randolph, and Mrs. Saunders. Assembly singing was led by the Rev. Mr. Randolph.

Cub Scout awards were presented by Albert Gill, Cub Scoutmaster; Russell Johnson, Janesville, awarded tenderfoot badges; Alvin Bone, assistant Scoutmaster, gave out first class badges; and Harold Robinson, Scoutmaster, presented the merit badges. Mothers and fathers of the boys also participated in the ceremonies. David Fellows, Eagle Scout, had earned and was awarded the bronze palm badge by Mr. Freudenberg. Special recognition was given Harold "Rusty" Robinson for

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Cub Scout awards were presented to Gary Lewis, Edward and Kenneth Wood, Charles Peterson, James Ellis, Donovan Every, Jr., Paul Brown, Berry May, Michael Sorkin, and Philip Maas. Carmen Shelby was also given recognition as "a good Cub Scouter."

Tenderfoot awards went to Kenneth and Larry Golz, Harry Becher, Dick Fish, John Patterson, Kenneth Grenawalt, Dick Dille, Louis Harnack, Russell Thompson, and Charles Shelby.

Those who received first class badges were John Bly, Robert Rasmussen, and Billy Knapp. John Bly, Warren Wickersham, and Gordon Hopper had earned and were awarded star awards. They were complimented by Mr. Freudenberg and urged to strive for their Eagle awards next year. Before the event closed, Mr. Mattakat, who is in charge of the annual Scout funds drive, announced that plans are being made for an auction to be held in April, about which more details will be given later. All Cub Scouts who had pop corn to sell are requested to turn in the money or the unsold pop corn at once to Howard Becher at the Hamilton Hardware store.

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DR. J. W. AMES

He located in Evansville in 1901, and married Miss Myrtle Crow of Evansville in 1903, and they have made their home here since that time. Dr. Ames practiced dentistry here until he retired in 1946.

He was preceded in death by an older sister in 1905. He is survived by his wife, a sister, Mrs. E. M. Goodsell, Dixon, Ill., and other relatives and many friends.

Dr. Ames was a great lover of nature and of boys. He was an active conservationist and a charter member of the Evansville chapter No. 53 of the Izaak Walton league and served as its president for many years, resigning from that office only a few weeks ago. He was also Boy Scout advisor here for many years and received a citation from the national organization for his many years of service.

He was a charter member and past president of the local Lions club, and was active in all civic affairs, giving freely of his time and strength for the betterment of his community.

He was a member of all Masonic orders including the Blue lodge and Royal Arch of Evansville, the Commandery of Janesville, and he took his 32nd degree in the Consistory in Milwaukee. He later became a member of the Zor shrine in Madison. He was also a member of the Evansville Eastern Star and a member and past officer of the Knights of Pythias.

He received his early education in the schools of Clinton, Wis., and attended the Physicians and Surgeons college in Chicago, graduating from the Chicago College of Dental Surgery in 1901.

Among out of town relatives and friends who were here for the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Goodsell, Dixon, Ill.; Mrs. Ellis Brenneman, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Giff, and Miss Eleanor Cella, Chicago; the Misses Wilma Hastie and Mary McCluskey, Fort Dodge, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Barrus, Clinton; Mrs. Ina Ellis, Elgin, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Arnett Flint, Doland, S. Dak. Miss Jane Crow, who had been spending some time here, returned to Ft. Dodge, where she is an instructor in the city schools, with the Misses Hastie and McCluskey.

## Boy Scouts Announce January Paper Pick-Up

Another paper collection is coming up. Evansville Boy Scouts will be on hand again Saturday, Jan. 26, to relieve local housewives of their papers which have been accumulating during the past month. Now is a good time to get them tied into bundles and ready to put out a week from Saturday.

January 13, 1952, Evansville Review

## Boy Scouts Collect Paper Saturday A.M.

Calling all Evansville housewives to put out paper for the Boy Scout collection Saturday. Scouts have secured the use of a shed in which to store their paper, so they will be able to handle all that they can get Saturday. The truck will start out early in the morning and will make the entire rounds of the city. Just think, housewives, what a relief it will be to get rid of all that accumulation of paper.

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January 24, 1952, Evansville Review

## Cub Scouts Hold Pack Meet Tonight

The Evansville Cub Scouts will meet at 7:30 o'clock tonight in the Congregational church basement for a pack meeting and all Cub Scouts' parents are requested to be present at the meeting with their boys. Another im-

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## Scout Feed, Program Wednesday, Feb. 20

### Arrangements Made for 1952 Event in the Evansville Masonic Temple

The annual Boy Scout and Cub Scout pot luck supper and court of honor, one of Evansville's Scout week functions, will be held at the Masonic temple at 6:45 p.m. next Wednesday. Ben Green will be master of ceremonies. Charles Shelby and his committee are in charge of solicitations and Lions club members will assist with the serving.

Scouts' parents are being contacted this week but if there are any parents who are not contacted, Mr. Shelby requests that they contact him immediately, or come and bring a dish to share with others.

Boy Scout awards will be made by Scoutmaster Al Ward. Art Freudenberg, Janesville, Scout executive, will make council awards to the troop, and a prominent Scout speaker will bring a message to Scouts and their parents.

All families of Scouts and families of boys who are interested in Scouting are urged to attend the supper and program.

Program numbers include invocation, color ceremony with pledge to the flag, Scout oath and Cub promise, Cub advancement with wolf awards, bear awards, lion awards, arrow points, gold and silver; Cubber awards, Scout advancement with tenderfoot, first and second class awards; council awards (patrol leaders); address, and closing ceremony, troop 14, pack 14.

Mr. Shelby states that there has been good response from those who have been contacted and he expects a good crowd.

February 14, 1952, Evansville Review

## Scouts Plan Motor Hike to Reubens Cave

### Boys Will Entertain Fathers Sunday by Cooking Meal for Them

Scoutmaster Al Ward, the Boy Scout committee and the boys in the troops are completing plans for a hike to Reuben's Cave near Albany next Sunday. The group will leave from the city hall at 10 a.m. and return before 5 p.m.

The event will be for fathers and sons and the purpose is for the boys to cook for their fathers and themselves and pass other tests. The Rev. A. M. Romstad, pastor of St. John's Lutheran church, will be a guest in the afternoon and will conduct a religious service. The boys will take their food to cook, also dishes for themselves and their father, and in turn, they expect their fathers to provide transportation to and from the cave.

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## Scout Motor Hike ✓ Successful Event

A large group of Boy Scouts their fathers and other adults took advantage of the motor hike to Reuben's cave Sunday and spent the day in a profitable and recreational manner. The boys cooked dinner for their fathers over an open fire, after which several tests were passed. The Rev. A. M. Romstad arrived later in the afternoon and held a religious service. Festivities closed with a softball game between the boys and adults, with the latter winning. The return trip was made late in the afternoon. Among foods cooked by the boys and served to the fathers and themselves were hamburgers, ham, stew, eggs and other delicacies.

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## name New Boy Scout Committees Here ✓

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### 9 Boys Re-registered in Local Troop; Scoutmasters Are Announced

At a meeting of the Boy Scout committee held Tuesday night in the Legion rooms, the following committee members were named: W. S. Spratler, Jr., neighborhood commissioner; Howard Becher, institutional representative for Lions club, sponsoring organization.

Carroll Bly, troop committee chairman; Wilbur Decker and Harold Robinson, advancement; Robert Turner, secretary and treasurer; Bill Blair and R. W. Schuster, outdoor activities; Don Thompson, publicity; Al Ward, scoutmaster and Richard Guernsey, assistant scoutmaster. Nineteen boys were re-registered.

June 5, 1952, Evansville Review

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## Evansville Cub Scouts ✓ Plan Trip to Chicago

The Evansville Cub Scouts are planning a trip to Chicago to see a baseball game with the Chicago Cubs vs Boston. There are 20 tickets available and anyone interested in going should contact Leo Nehls.

The group will leave Janesville by train at 8:00 a.m. and return that evening. Each Scout pays for his own transportation of \$1.50 and his meals.

June 26, 1952, Evansville Review

## Announce Plans for Cub Scout Cuboree

Event Will Be Held in Leota,  
Park Wednesday, Thursday,  
July 23 and 24

Plans are now under way for the Cub Scout Cuboree to be held July 23 and 24 in Leota park. Earl Kubahle, Janesville, will be in charge of the program. He is associated with the Indian Trails council.

Den mothers are being requested to help with the program pertaining to scouting and it is hoped that a large turn-out of Cub Scouts will be on hand. Cub Scouts from Brooklyn will also participate in the two-day event.

Climaxing the Cuboree on the evening of the 24th will be the presentation of awards and a family picnic for the entire group.

Another date for Cub Scout parents to remember is Wednesday, July 16, at which time the Scouts will see a big league baseball game in Chicago. Leo Nehls, who is in charge of arrangements, is anxious to take advantage of all 20 tickets he has obtained. Chaperones will accompany the boys on the trip to and from Chicago.

July 10, 1952, Evansville Review

## Scout Committee Convenes Tonight

To Plan Boy Scout Program  
in Evansville for Year  
at Legion Hall

Boy Scouts of Evansville met Monday for the first time this fall at the city hall. Meetings will be every Monday night at the city hall beginning at 7:15. Al Ward is Scoutmaster and Dick Guernsey is assistant Scoutmaster.

There will be a committee meeting tonight at Legion hall at 7:30 to plan the Scout program of the year.

Committee men are: Robert Turner, Wilbur Decker, Bill Schuster, Bill Blair, Harold Robinson, Chairman Carroll Bly, Don Thompson, and Dave Fellows. Howard Becher is institutional representative from the Lions club and Walter Spratler, Jr., is neighborhood commissioner.

September 1, 1952, Evansville Review

## Cub Scouts Meet Tonight

Cub Scout pack meeting will be held tonight, Oct. 23, in the Congregational church basement at 7:30.

Cub dens are planning a Hallowe'en party at the regular pack meeting.

Induction of new Cub Scouts and advancement-award ceremonies will be held. Parents are invited to come with their boys and take part in the pro-

October 23, 1952, Evansville Review

## National Boy Scout Week To Be Celebrated In City

The 1953 National Boy Scout week celebration will be held next week under the direction of Scoutmaster Al Ward. There will be several local and regional activities to celebrate the 43rd birthday of Boy Scouts and to help promote Scouting. The Scouts will wear their uniforms during the week.

As in past years, Troop 14 will have Scout week windows on Main st. Two patrols are working on plans to decorate the windows. John Bly and Bob Balch are the patrol leaders.

Feb. 8 there will be a special Scout Sunday service at St. John's Lutheran church, with Rev. Arvid Romstad giving a special program of interest to Scouts and their parents. Scouts are to meet at the city hall at 10:45 before the service. All Scouts are urged to attend some church in uniform if they do not plan to attend the special service at the Lutheran church.

Another annual Scout week activity which will be repeated again this year is the Scout pot luck supper which, together with a program, will be held in the Masonic temple at 6:30 Thursday, Feb. 19, instead of during Scout week.

Program will include football movies of the Wisconsin-Minnesota game last fall. A court of honor will be held for advancing Scouts and Cub Scouts. A speaker for the evening will be announced later.

The committee for the supper is composed of Mrs. Carroll Bly, food; den mothers of Cub Scouts, decorations and table arrangements. Lions club is sponsoring the supper and members are taking care of serving, tables and chairs and kitchen work. All Lions are urged to attend.

Anyone interested in Scouting is urged to attend the supper even if not solicited for food by the committee. They are

asked to bring a dish to pass, sandwiches, and table service. Coffee and milk will be furnished.

A Klondike Derby is being planned for Sunday, Feb. 15, at Camp Indian Trails. Each patrol in the Evansville troop is building dog-type sleds which will be used on the trail with compass readings in competition with other Scout troops. At each point on the trail the Scouts will compete on Scout skills such as axmanship, knot tying, first aid, cooking, fire building, map reading and sportsmanship.

Parents may come for dinner at the camp at 12 noon. Tickets for parents are 75 cents and for Scouts 50 cents. The money must be turned into Scoutmaster Ward before Feb. 11. Scouts will leave for the derby from the city hall at 9 a.m. Sunday morning. Protestant and Catholic church services will be held at the camp for Scouts.

## Lutheran Ham Supper Tuesday

Serving Will Start at 5  
O'Clock in Parish House  
Feb. 10

Tuesday evening, Feb. 10, the Ladies Aid of St. John's Lutheran church will serve a ham supper in the parish house starting at 5 o'clock. The arrangements committee for the supper is headed by Mrs. Carroll Bly and Mrs. Harry Golz. Tickets are \$1 for adults and 75 cents for children under 12 years of age.

The menu will include baked ham, escalloped potatoes, French style beans, golden glow salad, pickles, rolls, light and dark cake, coffee and milk.

February 5, 1953, Evansville Review

# Annual Boy Scout Supper Will Be Held In Temple Tonite

The annual Boy Scout pot luck supper will be held tonight, Thursday, in the Masonic temple at 6:30 p.m. climaxing activities for Evansville Troop 14 of the Boy Scouts and the Cub Scout Pack in observing National Boy Scout week.

The program, which has been planned by Scoutmaster Alfred Ward and assistant Dick Guernsey and the Scout committee, will open with an invocation by Rev. Theodore Krause of the Baptist church. The opening ceremony will consist of the presentation of the flags, pledge of allegiance to the flag, the Cub promise and the Scout oath. Robert Erstad will lead group singing and William E. Brown will act as toastmaster.

Following the singing will be advancement in Cub Scouts to consist of Wolf and Bobcat ceremonies, graduation into Boy Scouts, den chief awards and den mothers awards.

Scout advancement will begin with tenderfoot ceremonies and other awards to include service stars, merit badges, and rank awards. Cub and Boy Scout leaders will be recognized and the flags will be retired, followed by movies of the Minnesota-Wisconsin football game.

The reception committee is comprised of Carroll Bly and Robert Turner for the Boy Scouts, and Tom Rennels and Vaughn Lewis for the Cub Scouts. Mrs. Carroll Bly is chairman of the food committee and is being assisted by Mrs. Leo Nehls.

Den mothers of the Cub packs are taking care of the table decorations, and the Lions club, the Boy Scout sponsoring organization, is in charge of table arrangements and serving. Pet Milk company is furnishing all of the milk for the banquet free.

It is hoped that all Scouts, Cubs, their parents and all former Scouts and friends will attend the banquet tonight.

## Band Parents Set Date for Variety Show at April 10

At a meeting of the Band Parents organization Monday night, the date for the spring variety show was set for April 10. An evening of entertainment is being planned of several variety acts, the proceeds of the show to be for the benefit of the band, which needs new equipment.

## Mrs. A. Gilbertson Opens Restaurant

### Sizzling Grill, Formerly Tag's Grill, Opens on on Main Street

Mrs. Archie Gilbertson is the operator of the newly opened restaurant known as the "Sizzling Grill." The restaurant was formerly known as Tag's Griddle.

Mrs. Gilbertson opened the restaurant on Wednesday, Feb. 18, and plans to have her Grand Opening on Saturday, Feb. 28. Sometime next week a permanent name will be given the restaurant, the "Sizzling Grill" only being a temporary name.

Mrs. Gilbertson has formerly worked in Evansville at Joe's Cafe and at the Cozy Cafe. She is the former Miss Reba Apfel.

## FFA Parents' Night Is Feb. 24

### Evansville Chapter Plans Get-Together With Parents in School Lunch Room

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## 5th Annual Scouters' Dinner to Be Held in Janesville March 19

The 5th Annual Scouters' Dinner honoring the leaders of the Boy Scout of Indian Trails Council will be held at the St. Mary's gymnasium in Janesville, on Thursday, March 19, at 6:30 p.m.

This occasion is to recognize Den Mothers and Scouters who have performed outstanding work and spent a great deal of their personal time to promote and serve the Scouting movement.

Veteran awards will be presented for years of service. Training awards for completing training as Scout Leaders. Also the highest awards in Scouting, the "Silver Beaver" will be given to the outstanding Scouter in Indian Trails Council. This award is based on achievement as well as years of service.

Mr. Harry Siegel, vice president of the council, is general chairman and in charge of arrangements for the program. As principal speaker, Mr. Siegel has obtained Mr. Charles Moran of Detroit, Michigan.

Mr. Moran is connected with the Fisher Body Division of General Motors Corporation in the capacity of Supervisor of Training. His subject will be "Youth Guidance."

The welcome address will be presented by the Council President, Mr. Severre Roang of Edgerton and Dr. I. A. Clark of Janesville will serve as toastmaster.

It is suggested that any Scouter or Den Mother who has not been contacted relative to this dinner and who is interested in attending, contact the Boy Scout Headquarters at 207 Jackman Building in Janesville. The telephone number is 2-1546.

Nearly 400 attended last year's dinner and it is anticipated that the attendance will be greater this year. The Indian Trails Council covers parts of four counties, Rock, Green, Walworth and Jefferson.

March 5, 1953, Evansville Review

# Local Cub Scouts Win at Janesville

## Earn Top Honors for Near-Perfect Showing in Scout Competition

Cub Scout Pack 14 under the direction of Ed Powers earned a presidential award, the highest one given, at the Southern District, Indian Trails Boy Scout Merit Badge show held in Janesville last Saturday and Sunday. Scouts were also present from Janesville, Indian Ford, Edgerton, Milton, Milton Junction, and Newville.

The Evansville Cub Scouts exhibited handicraft in their booth, each den having had a different project such as belts, baskets, molding, painting on glass, or weaving. Each den with its den mother took charge of the booth for an hour and a half, three boys at a time. During that time they worked on their project without making any noise and they were judged on neatness, conduct, and display. All six of the Evansville dens received a score of 90 or better to qualify them for the presidential award, a red, white, and blue ribbon. On Saturday evening Pack 14 received a perfect score, a real achievement.

The Scouts and their Den Mothers are as follows:

Den 1—Mrs. Ed Powers — David Powers, David Christensen, Kim Gill, Daryl Wood, Kenneth Nelson, Randy Decker.

Den 2—Mrs. Vaughn Lewis—Gary Lewis, Jim Jorgensen, David Romstad, Jim Waefler, Kenneth Holz, Paul Schroeder, Terry Cole.

Den 3—Mrs. Ken Cain—Steve Rasmussen, Bill Bewick, Joe Persons, Tom Rennels.

Den 5—Mrs. Ed. Erpenbach—James Patterson, Gordon Chapman, Richard Chapman, Jerry Spencer, Richard Erpenbach.

Den 4—Mrs. Chris Fuglestad—Roger Crawford, Glenn Curless, Norman Fuglestad, Ronnie Scott, Billy Thompson, Kenton Bennet.

Den 7—Mrs. Marion Clark—Richard Gunderson, Bob Clark, Eddie Krueger.

April 23, 1953, Evansville Review

# Gordon Hopper Tells of Trip to Boy Scout Jamboree

## Union Scout Back From National Scout Meet in California

Gordon Hopper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hopper, Rt. 1, Evansville, has returned home after a 19 day tour with the Boy Scouts to the California National Jamboree.

Gordon was one of three patrol leaders elected from the Indian Trails Council. His hand made patrol flag was used by the group.

The first important and interesting stop was to see Grand Canyon where the scouts stayed for about six hours. Proceeding to Fullerton, California, they were then transported by bus to the Jamboree grounds, a distance of twenty miles. Arriving on Thursday, July 16 the scouts, in company with others from Kenosha, Wis., set up camp, completing the project by Friday afternoon.

Every other night the scouts enjoyed a show at the camp arena. The first of these included opening ceremonies with a recorded message from President Eisenhower followed by a very fine program. On the third evening there was convocation with a speech by Vice-President Richard Nixon.

During the day the boys visited other camp sites, met scouts from other parts of the country and looked over each other's swapping articles.

To assist scouts in seeing as much as possible of the Jamboree an achievement award was offered which was won by passing 5 out of 12 achievements. Gordon was the recipient of this award.

Entertainment on their 5th evening was "Hollywood All-Star Night" with Bob Hope as master of ceremonies. The beautiful voice of Miss Jane Powell was heard when she stepped

into the arena to lead the scouts singing the "Star Spangled Banner." Following this the very popular Gene Reynolds entertained with a number of songs. After the program a number of movie stars, each riding in a red convertible, toured through the entire arena.

The seventh night, Thursday, July 23, marked the official closing of the Jamboree. Breaking camp on the morning of the 24th the scouts started on their return home. En route they spent a day in San Francisco with stops in Portland and Seattle.

On Wednesday, July 29, they visited Glacier National Park at noon. At the same time Miss Piper Laurie and William Bendix arrived for their part in the production of a new movie picture entitled "The Glacier Song."

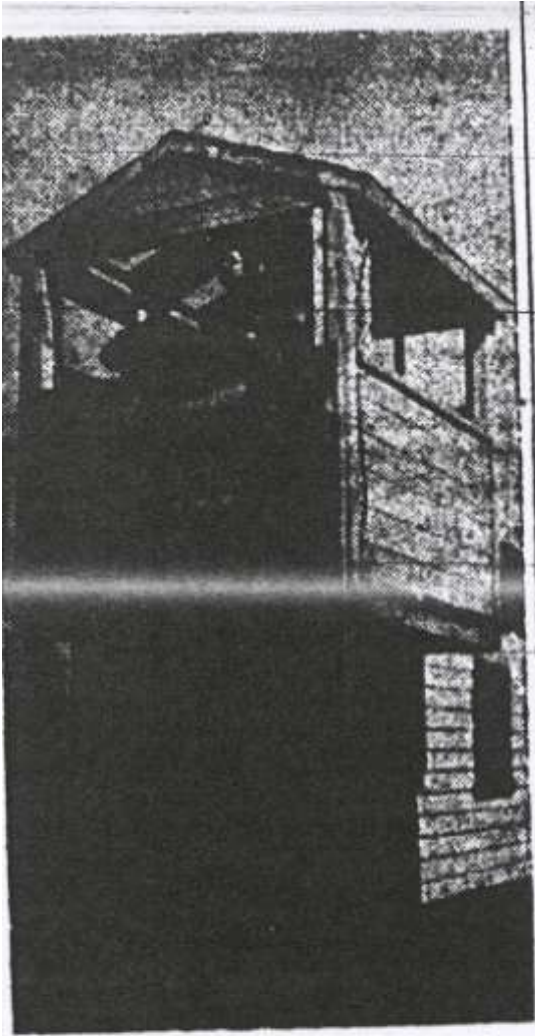
Volunteer parents met the returning scouts in Chicago Friday. Gordon reports he had a wonderful time.

## Mrs. Clifford Fellows Tours Lincoln Country

Mrs. Cliff Fellows in company with the Misses Marie McCue and Dolores Hamel, Janesville, spent the week on a trip through the section of Illinois which is famous for its Lincoln lore. Stopping at Springfield they visited the famous Lincoln tomb and the house in which the Lincoln family lived and which is now being restored. Mrs. Fellows reports that one of the highlights of their trip was the visit through Lincoln Village at New Salem, Ill., where they attended the play which has been presented annually for the past six years.

Helps Union of Magnolia will meet today at the home of Mrs. Davidson.

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Evansville's Explorer Scouts were recently given national recognition as Ground Observers. The Explorers were on duty when an air alert took place. The Explorers earned a 1-A rating as observers during the alert. They are shown above handling the observing here as they do on Saturdays.

June 2, 1955

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## STOUT HEARTED MEN!

# Seven Local Explorer Scouts Spending Ten Days on Canoe Trip in Ontario, Can.

A 10-day period of simulated hardship conditions will be faced by seven local Explorer Scouts and their two leaders when they venture into Canada to "live in the rough."

The group left Evansville Tuesday

## Wool Growers To Vote On Promotion Program

But county wool growers will have

Aug 11, 1955

## Boy Scouts Observe 46th Birthday February 6-12

Evansville's Boy Scouts this week are joining with Scouts throughout the nation in celebrating their 46th anniversary. Evansville supports scouting on all three levels, Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts and Explorer Scouts.

Scouting is a program for all boys everywhere. It is successful in the widest rural areas and in the most congested cities. It possesses an inherent appeal for the healthy, vigorous, normal American youth and also fields of achievement for the handicapped.

It has often been said that a boy can always find something to do. It is when he finds something to do that does not measure up to reasonable standards that he may get in trouble. Scouting offers a steady and that often tips the scales away from delinquency.

### Three Program Levels

Scouting has three program parts to meet the needs of boys of different age levels.

Over one million families, together with their eight-to-ten-year-old sons, participate in Cub Scouting, said to be America's largest and most dynamic parent-and-boy program. Today there are 1,430,000 Cub Scouts in 36,000 Cub packs.

Boy Scouting provides for eleven-, twelve-, and thirteen-year-old boys an

# Explorer Scout Post To Furnish Cars On Election Day

## Scouts Also Start Drive For Christmas Toys

Explorer Scout post of Evansville is donating cars and drivers on the coming election day for voters who have no way of getting to the polls. There will be three cars operating in the morning and three cars in the afternoon. Besides the driver, each car will have one "helper" who will assist folks in and out of cars, and if need be, up to the polls, then return voters to their homes. This service will operate from the opening of the polls until the close. All persons desiring transportation to the polls may contact Tony Pearsall not later than Monday evening.

Explorer post of Evansville is also starting a drive for the collection of broken toys. It would be greatly appreciated if all people who have old broken toys that are in reparable shape or have parts that may be used on other toys, please donate these to Explorer Scouts. Toys are to be repaired and given away during the Christmas holidays. Anyone having toys to contribute, please contact Tony Pearsall, phone 192 and he will be glad to call for them.

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## Lions Club Spends \$744 on Projects

Lions club activities in support of local community programs and of the state Lions program to aid the blind resulted in donations of \$744.40 during the year just past, the records of the club show.

The club has long acted as one of several major groups through which community projects could be organized and aided.

Included in the club's donations this year were \$10 to the junior Legion baseball team, \$150 to the Black and White show, \$95 for the high school sports banquet, \$100 for the annual Lions Christmas party for children of the area, \$81.90 to pay one-half the cost of decorating the city's Main st at Christmas time, \$45 for repair of the warming house at Lake Leota for skaters, \$15 as sponsor of the Boy Scout banquet, \$10 to the March of Dimes, \$10 to the heart fund drive, \$10 to the Red Cross, and \$17.50 for one-half the

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**'A Scout Is Friendly' Is Theme  
Of Boy Scouts' 49th Anniversary**

**FOR ALL BOYS**



**BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA**  
49th ANNIVERSARY 1959  
ONWARD FOR GOD AND MY COUNTRY  
OFFICIAL BOY SCOUT WEEK POSTER

The nation's 4,780,000 Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Explorers, and adult leaders observe Boy Scout Week, February 7 to 13, by launching the fourth and final year of the "Onward for God and My Country" program. The 49th anniversary emphasis is "A Scout is friendly." Through their World Friendship Fund of voluntary contributions the Boy Scouts of Amer-

ica have helped Scouts in 48 other nations. America will be represented by several hundred Scouts at the Tenth World Scout Jamboree next July 17-26 in Makiling National Park near Manila in the Philippine Islands. During Boy Scout Week, honors will go to units that successfully carried out projects in traffic, outdoor, and home safety in last year's Safety Good Turn.

**Boy Scouts Observe  
49th Anniversary**

Here, as well as elsewhere in America, Boy Scout Week is being observed February 7 to 13. It marks the 49th anniversary of the organization that has touched the lives of more than 29,500,000 Americans since 1910. There is hardly an American family that has not felt its influence.

Today there are more than 4,780,000 boys and leaders playing the "game of Scouting." Although one of every four boys eight to sixteen years is enrolled, leaders of the movement want to serve at least a majority of the boys in America.

The next five years will see a large increase in boys of those ages.

"Looking ahead for the next five years," says Dr. Arthur A. Schuck, Chief Scout Executive, "we must recognize that never has it been so important or imperative that the youth of our nation be trained to high idealism, acquired through unselfish service, by self-reliance, and cooperative effort."

He says that although Scouting's ideals and objectives have remained constant since 1910, "the program, organization methods, and operating techniques have changed as the result of study and understanding of changing conditions and as necessary to meet the needs of a rapidly growing organization."

To bring Scouting to more of the boys who want it will require more trained leadership and more facilities including camps.

the YMCA staff. President Lyon was chairman.

It was voted to have the Tri-County "Y" go on record as contributing \$750 towards "Buildings for Brotherhood" over a three-year period, roughly to be raised one-half by the board and one-half by "Y" club members. Church presented the R. for B. committee's report on this project which, after discussion, was passed. Other members of this committee are Gressman and Lyon. The project calls for all YMCA's to help 116 building projects in 33 counties and aims to help develop the "Y" overseas.

Treasurer Gressman gave his report, which indicated that most communities have completed their pledges.

Secretaries Gandel and McKeynolds gave the program reports. It was pointed out that a net gain of 12 new clubs have been organized in Rock, Green and Walworth counties this year. McKeynolds is currently showing 35 non-colored Phaulon Lake camp slides in all our "Y" towns, boys will attend July 10-20 and girls either Aug. 11-21 or Aug. 24-31.

The committees were appointed in preparation for the new fiscal year which begins April 1. They are: Budget, Louise Mulhous, Edgerston, chairman, Gressman and Roy Markham, Janesville; audit, Edgar Buzzell, Delavan, and Gerald Gordon, Brodhead; nominating, E. O. Evans, Monroe; chairman, O. N. Johnson, Monroe; and Leonard Church, Walworth.

Discussion was held on location and time of annual meeting of the Tri-County "Y," which is always around

Cub Scouts and several parents will attend the Braves game Saturday, July 25. They will leave the City Hall at 9:30 a.m. in two buses. This trip is made possible through the candy and Christmas tree sale. A few tickets and transportation are still available. Any-

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## Boy Scouts To Sell Trees Here

Evansville's Boy Scouts want to sell Christmas trees but they can't get to the trees.

Scout leader Bill Hartje said the scouts have the desire to sell the trees, a place to get the trees and someone to cut them down but no truck to make the trip to Wisconsin Dells and pick them up.

He noted the Scouts would make no money on their sale if they had to rent a truck for the project.

If someone does come forward to volunteer a truck, (last year the Scouts' tree project required a semi), the Scouts will be selling their wares on the lawn of the Masonic Temple on West Main.

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## Boy Scouts Selling Trees



Members of Boy Scout Troop 514 are now selling Christmas trees, at the parking lot of the Service Store on Hwy. 14, at the north edge of the city. They have a good

selection of Balsam, White Pine, Norway Pine and Scotch Pine. Here are Jamie Sperry (left) and Paul Rogalla (right) holding one

of the trees, and Scouts Chris Thorland (left) and Richard Rogalla (kneeling right). Scouts report sales are good, but urge customers to make their selections now.

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