

Scouts Make Contribution In Crusade For Freedom



Scouts of the Tri-Cities are taking an active part in the Crusade for Freedom. Members of Cub Pack 14, Boy Scouts of America, are shown above with large signs urging the public to "Sign the Declaration of Freedom on My

Back." In the picture, taken on Washington Street, Leaksville, are (left to right), William Brown, Edwin Wood, Cecil Slayton, Harry Wood, III, and Carl Rhodes, Jr.

Central Warehouse Mutual Aid Committee



The picture above shows the Central Warehouse Committee for the United Mutual Aid Association. Left to right are: Kemp Newnam, E. E. Boyd, chairman of the Central Warehouse unit board and its representatives on the central Board of Directors; C. O. Archibald; and C. D. Harris, vice-chairman. Jesse Burton, secretary of the committee, was not present for the photograph.

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Training Assistant

Jerry Bedell, Marine Corps veteran and a graduate of Dartmouth College, joined the Fieldcrest Mills Training Department October 1, as assistant director of training. He formerly was with the U. S. Rubber Co., Naugatuck, Conn., where he engaged in industrial engineering work. He will move his family here when housing is available.



Jerry Bedell

Failure is the only thing that can be achieved without much effort.

Cherokee Council Has Made Fine Progress

Cherokee Council, Boy Scouts of America, has made outstanding progress in the past decade in recruiting membership and making Scouting available to more boys. The box shown lower down in this column gives a clear picture of growth and advancement since 1940. As you will notice, there was an increase of 1,002 members in 10 years.

Since 1940, a total of 84 Eagle badges have been awarded. During 1950 to date 9 Scouts have obtained the coveted rank of Eagle—the highest rank offered in Scouting. The indications are that a number more will be awarded before the end of the year.

	1940	1950
Troops	57	82
Scouts	1072	1586
Cub Packs	4	16
Cubs	128	329
Seniors Scouts	20	33
Senior Units	None	3
Adult Scouters	359	733
Total Membership ..	1579	2581

Significant achievement within the past 10 years by the Cherokee Council has been the acquisition of two excellent camps. A 58-acre tract in Rockingham County is used the year around by white Scouts. The camp is named "Cherokee" for the Indian tribe famous in years past. The camp has excellent facilities including eight prominent buildings, a beautiful lake, archery range, craft-ship, and modern water purification facilities. Outpost camp sites are located over the tract of land for over-night camps.

The other camp, owned by the Council, is in Rockingham County and is used by Negro Scouts. It consists of 75 acres of rolling, wooded country. This camp is comparatively new. Camp sites are scattered over the area and tents are used during the camping season. The large 6-acre lake offers various water activities.

The Cherokee Council is composed of the following counties: Alamance, Caswell, Person, and Rockingham. Scouting in these counties is promoted and carried on by the 733 volunteer adults who are supplemented by a full professional staff of three men—the Scout executive and two field Scout executives.

GEN. DWIGHT EISENHOWER SAYS:

"Those individuals seeking to centralize power in the federal government are more dangerous to our form of government than any foreign threat that can possibly be arrayed against us."