

Large Number Of Haywood Boy Scouts Given Awards Here Monday Night

200 Attend Court Of Honor Here

Approximately 200 folk interested in Scouting attended the monthly Boy Scout court of honor here Monday night at the court house.

Jeffrey Cooper, Canton, was awarded the Eagle Scout award by Jim Anderson, Troop 1, Canton, while a number of other Scouts received numerous other awards.

This meeting was presided over by the scout masters of the various troops including Floyd Lawrence of Troop 16, Canton; Jim Barlow of Troop 4, Canton; Walter James, Troop 2 of Waynesville; William Smith, Troop 6 of Cruso; Guy Wells, Troop 12 of Bethel; Dewey Lavender, Troop 8 of Lake Junaluska; J. R. Carswell, Post 1 of Hazelwood; "Rock" Powers, Troop 5 of Hazelwood.

The Explorer Post, recently organized in Hazelwood turned out in good force, blending in their activities with continuation of scouting work.

Awards were made to the follow-



EACH SUMMER men of Waynesville's Tank Company, 120th Infantry, North Carolina National Guard, get practical training in tank tactics at

a U. S. Army post. Pictured here are a five-man crew on an M-4 tank at Fort McClellan, Ala., in 1954.

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Letters to the Editor

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organization like our own the right to determine the most effective program for meeting the health and welfare causes for which it exists. It is the conviction of the National Foundation that a separate March of Dimes is inherent in its ability to properly serve polio patients' needs, conduct comprehensive research, and properly inform the general public with facts concerning the disease.

Following are some of the basic reasons why the National Foundation maintains its chartered policy of a separate March of Dimes:

1. Public awareness: A separate March of Dimes tells the story of polio to the American people and educates them to fight the disease. This ability would be reduced or lost in federation.

2. Fluidity of funds: A separate March of Dimes is essential because conditions over the country have to be met as they arise, and this requires mobility of funds, equipment and personnel. Any arbitrary regulation of budgets and expenditure at local community level (as is necessary in federation) would hamper the National Foundation's epidemic aid program as well as its long-term research and education programs.

3. Voluntary opportunity: A separate March of Dimes offers an individual the opportunity to voluntarily support a great humanitarian program according to his some of our donors request the choice and ability. Individuals retain the right to endorse or withhold support according to their approval or disapproval of the program. This right as it relates

to individual causes cannot be maintained in federation. The National Foundation believes the freedom of choice must be maintained both for the agency and giver.

4. Success: In 1938, the American public gave the first separate March of Dimes a gross of over \$1,500,000.00 to fight polio. In 1955 it gave a separate March of Dimes a gross of over \$52,000,000.00 for a comparable drive. This is an unprecedented accomplishment for a truly voluntary health agency—not because of the amount raised, but because of the vital work this money made possible. The National Foundation does not exist to raise money—it raises money to exist so that it may carry on its work. The National Foundation, now on the threshold of conquering a crippling disease, cannot abandon this successful method of separate financing.

Please accept my thanks for your interest in the Haywood County March of Dimes and for your cooperation in helping inform the citizens of the Waynesville area that the March of Dimes is separate from the United Fund.

Sincerely,
Robert L. Jones,
State Representative,
Western North Carolina.

Missed Cue

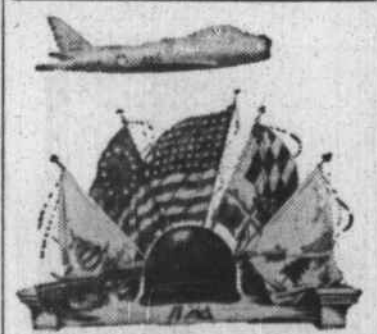
PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP)—A gunman held up the ticket office at a drive-in theater here while a policeman was working a few feet away as a special guard and the movie playing was "Gangbusters."

Howard W. Shook, Mark Roy Morgan, Jr., Thomas O. Rigdon, all of Troop 12, Bethel; Rufus Allison, James Rosendahl, Stephen Drye, Robert Wright, Lawrence Clark, J. B. Hill, III, all of Troop 16, Canton.

Star—David Ferguson, Troop 2, Waynesville and Danny Whisenhunt, Troop 18, Waynesville.
Life—J. B. Hill and James Rosendahl, Troop 16, Canton.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Florence Osborne, deceased, late of Haywood County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Box 851, Asheville, North Carolina, on or before the 22nd day of February, 1957 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 22nd day of February, 1956.
Joseph Higdon,
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Florence Osborne, deceased.
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Francis Cove CDP To Meet Next Thursday

By MRS. RHODA RICKMAN
Community Reporter

The community meeting that was scheduled to meet this Thursday night has been postponed until next Thursday night, March 1st, at 7:30.

Mrs. Henry Francis and Mrs. Eric Beraza spent the week end with Mrs. Francis' daughter, Miss Bessie Sue Francis at Brevard College.

Mrs. R. H. Boone left Friday for Bunlevel, N.C., where she is the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bird and children.

Mrs. Willie Mae Palmer and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hightower visited friends in Spindale Sunday.

Miss Sara Boone has returned to Boone, where she is attending Appalachian Teachers College, after spending the weekend with her parents.

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Francis Cove and the Society of the Hazelwood church will have a joint meeting at the home of Mrs. L. E. Wiggins at Lake Junaluska Thursday evening, February 23, at 7:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Edwards and daughter visited Mr. Edwards' brother and sister-in-law, M/Sgt. and Mrs. Mark Edwards, at Fort Knox, Ky., over the week end. They stopped over at Maryville, Tenn., where they were guests of Mrs. Edwards' grandmother, Mrs. Ed Hale Saturday night.

On their return home they were accompanied by Mr. Edwards' mother, Mrs. Cash Edwards, who has been visiting her son and daughter-in-law.

The Francis Cove girls' basketball team played the West Pigeon girls' team Tuesday night at Bethel, with Francis Cove winning 40-27.

Players from Francis Cove were Hazel Hollingsworth, Evelyn Siske, Shirley Smiley, Deanna Jo Farmer, Mary Ruth McCracken, Carolyn Ferguson, Mary Mitchell and Catherine Francis, captain of the team.

Jim Moore has returned home, after being treated at the Haywood County Hospital.

Mission Accomplished!

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn. (AP)—The found section of the Lost & Found column of the Chattanooga Times want ad section recently carried this item:
"Found — 1 T. D. 18 International bulldozer."



COMMANDER of Tank Company since 1950 is Capt. Samuel A. Carswell of the Delwood Road, Capt. Carswell was commissioned in 1942 and served in Dutch Guiana and French Guiana during World War II.

Maggie Women At Study Course

By MRS. C. L. BRADLEY
Community Reporter

The W.S.C.S. of the Maggie Methodist Church have been attending a study course "To Combine Our Efforts for Lasting Peace," held at the Central Methodist Church at Clyde. The course was under the direction of Mrs. J. W. Fowler, Jr., and will continue this week.

Mrs. Ken Caldwell has returned home after being a patient at Haywood County Hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stanley have moved to our community. They have moved to the Edwards' place. Mr. Stanley invented the "lift" the nurses are using at the Haywood County Hospital.

Clifton Parton has taken over the management of the Siler grocery

store, and Sinclair service station at Maggie.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bradley over the week-end were A/IC Wayne Rowland, nephew of Mrs. Bradley, and A/IC Thomas Kasper of Hunter Air Force Base, Savannah, Ga.

Olivet Baptist Church have been quilting some beautiful quilts that are for sale for the benefit of the building project of the church. If anyone wishes to buy some of these quilts, call Mrs. W. P. Boyde.

The Romans, during their occupation of Britain were probably the first to import wine into England from the Continent.

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