

Truman To Participate Scouting Celebration

National Observance Launches Go Forward Program.

President Truman, members of Congress, Governors and national representatives of organizations and institutions throughout America that sponsor Boy Scout Units, will share in ceremonies during Boy Scout Week, February 6 to 12, launching a new three-year program known as "Forward . . . On Liberty's Team." Boy Scout Week marks the 42nd birthday of the organization.

Twelve outstanding Eagle Scouts, chosen to represent the more than 2,900,000 members of the organization, will share in ceremonies at the White House when President Truman greets them at 12:45 p. m., on Friday, February 8. Mr. Truman, as Honorary President of the Boy Scouts of America, is to receive a scroll stating the broad objectives of the new program.

At a breakfast in Washington with nearly 100 leaders from the Cabinet, the Senate, House of Representatives and national organizations, the twelve picked Eagle Scouts will dramatize Scouting's part in meeting the problems of these times. The Scouts will tell what the entire membership of the organization will do next Fall in their major activity of getting out the vote in the national elections.

They will also report on what Scouts have been doing in Civil Defense, Conservation and their flood services last summer.

Following the visit to the White House, the Scout party will go to Independence Hall in Philadelphia. At this national shrine, in the presence of national representatives of organizations and institutions throughout America who sponsor Scout units, ceremonies will be held to dramatize the part played by the churches and synagogues, schools, civic and community organizations in supporting and extending Scouting throughout America.

The twelve Eagle Scouts will be guests at West Point, N. Y., the next day, February 9, and take part in ceremonies in recognition of the Military Academy's 150th anniversary. They will attend church services on Scout Sunday, February 10. The final day of their trip, Monday, February 11, will give them a sight-seeing tour of New York, a visit to the newly completed United Nations headquarters and participation in a 42nd birthday party at the National Office of the Boy Scouts of America in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Harmon, Miss Wanda Harmon and Miss Willa Mae Moody spent last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dan Moody of Mountain City, Tenn.

Miss Bennie Hagaman of Warrensville, N. C. spent last Sunday with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Reece of Beech Creek visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Moody were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Harmon last Sunday.

Miss Gene Combs of Sugar Grove was a visitor of Misses Bennie and Jessie Lee Hagaman last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Commodore Harmon of Neva, Tenn. spent last Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. Oscar Harris of Whaley visited Mr. Oscar Harmon last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tedra Harmon were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Harmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Ayers of Boone spent last Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Willard Ward.

Miss Georgia Trivett has returned home from the Hagaman Clinic where she has been taking treatment for several days.

Harvey Presnell has returned to the Marine training station at Paris Island, S. C. after spending 10 days at home.

5th SET OF TWINS

Pine Ridge, S. Dak. — The proudest woman on the Pine Ridge Indian Reservation recently was Marcella Big Crow, who gave birth to her fifth set of twins.

Boy Scouts Observe 42nd Birthday



President Truman will greet 12 outstanding Boy Scouts in the White House during Boy Scout Week, Feb. 6 to 12, marking the 42nd anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America. Boy Scout Week will be observed throughout the nation by more than 2,900,000 boys and adult leaders. Since 1910, more than 19,000,000 boys and men have been members of the organization. "Forward . . . on Liberty's Team" is the birthday theme.

Bethel School Issues Honor Students' List

Pupils on the honor roll at Bethel School for the past six weeks include the following:

First grade: Carol Jean Love, Linda Combs, Geraldine Eggers, Johnny Lawrence, Francys Presnell and Kenneth Eller.

Second grade: Len Farthing, Margaret Adams, Reba Lee Millsap, Nell Gentry, Joyce Warren, Lee Warren, Ruby Moody, Merl Cornett, Katherine Winkler, Robert Wilson, Betty Harmon, Mary Lee Creed, Rosa Cook, Rachel Cornett, Dorothy Moody, and Barbara Reese.

Third grade: Mildred Arnette, Blanda Robinson, Clifford Farthing, Bobby Johnson, Earl May, Allen Millsaps, Brenla Campbell, Judy Harmon, Doris Lee Trivette, Barbara Ann Younce, and Ronald Proffitt.

Fourth grade: Carol Moody, Tommy Phillips, Ruth Ann Adams, Mary Cornett, and Ruth Ann Robinson.

Fifth grade: Dean Moody, Say Moody, Ned Vines, Julia Ann Cornett, Helen Harmon, Joyce Harmon, Sue Lawrence, Maxine

Presnell, Betty Sue Wilson, and Jo Ann Wilson.

Sixth grade: Martha Cornett, Sue Hagaman, Len Warren, Rebecca Sue Farthing, and Len- is Trivett.

Seventh grade: Ernest Stout and Johnny Vines.

Eighth grade: Bette Divis and Evelyn Matheson.

Ninth grade: Johnny Tester, Mary Jane Eller, Billie Gray Guy, Louise Hagaman, Betty Jean Lawrence, Kathryn Millsaps, and Glenna Robinson.

Tenth grade: Carson Cornett, Ivan Wilson, and Nancy Parks.

Eleventh grade: Shirley Vines.

Twelfth grade: Janice Ray Swift, Maude Wilson, Joyce Hodges, Shirley South, Irene Arnette, Betty Millsaps, Earleen McGuire, Erselle Farthing, Carolyn Hagaman, Joyce Wilson, and Iva Dean Parks.

Chapel Program
The sixth grade gave the chapel program last week. All of the pupils took part. Sue Hagaman had charge of the devotional period. The program featured

Eggs Head List Of 'Plentifuls'

More eggs are coming to market, and the U. S. Department of Agriculture this week spotlighted eggs as a feature on its February plentiful foods list for the South-east.

Egg production in February is forecast at from 4 to 6 per cent above February a year ago. In addition, Mrs. Betty Edwards, county home demonstration agent for the State College Extension Service points out that wholesale egg prices usually decline in February. These two facts—more eggs and declining prices—are the reasons eggs are a "first" on the plentiful list, the home agent explained.

Honey is another featured plentiful food for this area. Stocks are heavy from last season's 249 million pound crop. Dried prunes are third on the February list. Production last season was up nearly a fourth over the previous year, and markets are well stocked.

In addition to the three foods listed, February markets will offer plentiful supplies of pork and pork products, canned tuna, nonfat dry milk, cottage cheese, buttermilk, dry beans, fresh oranges, canned and frozen orange juice, raisins, rice, pecans, and almonds.

Watauga Hospital

Patients admitted to Watauga Hospital, Inc., from January 21 to January 28:

Hubert Brent Pitts, Mrs. Tessie Greene, James Hugh Pitts, Peggy Whittington, Mrs. Vivian Welborn, Jack McQueen, David Eggers, D. T. Brown, Mrs. Margaret Byrd, Mrs. Ruby Elliott, Mrs. Jay Greene, Baby Roy Keller, Thomas Bumgarner, Mrs. Della Harmon, James Davis, Mrs. Flora Marshall, Mrs. Daisy Jones.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Michael, Trade Tenn., boy, Jan. 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson, Vilas, boy, Jan. 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cole, Boone, boy, Jan. 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Greer, Todd, girl, Jan. 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Vines, Sugar Grove, boy, Jan. 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ray, Deep Gap, girl, Jan. 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Petry, Boone, boy, Jan. 26.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harmon, Reece, girl, Jan. 28.

INCOME TAX

The average individual paid about seventeen per cent more income tax in 1951 than he did in 1950, and the prospects are that he'll be paying more in 1952.

both vocal and piano music. Two plays were given, "Garden's New Leaf". Characters: Father, Len Warren; Mother, Louise Trivett; Lucy, Dora Lee Greene; Garden, Harold Wilson.

Other members acted as students in the school room scene.

The other play was "The Kingdom of Bookends".

Characters: The King, Lynn Matheson; The Queen, Rebecca Farthing; Story Teller, Denis May; Lord High Printer, J. C. Greene. Various other children took part as children of Mother Goose.

Sixth Graders' Art Work Is Recognized

Other News Items From the Demonstration School.

The art work being done by Mr. Lashure's sixth grade is gaining well deserved recognition. Friday afternoon a group of pupils from the Green Valley school visited the class to see the projects which include the making of pot holders and Indian weapons, wood working, and soap carving. Mrs. Buckland's fifth grade is also working on handicraft projects. Mr. Williams, cadet teacher, is helping the boys with wood working while Mrs. Buckland is helping the girls with embroidery, sewing and knitting.

Books are in the news this week. The seventh grade received thirty science readers this week. These new books cover a variety of subjects including animals, insects, plants, heat, soil, and weather.

It seems that the entire school is enjoying books this year. Circulation records for the first four months show that an average of 2,000 books per month were circulated among the boys and girls. These records do not include books, pictures, and maps used by the teachers.

Some 150 new books have been added to the library collection this year, and an order is being prepared now that will bring the total of new books for the year close to 300.

Movies also are in the news this week. The fifth grade reports that a film on Massachusetts enabled them to connect many facts found in their new history book. The seventh grade had two excellent films about the fishing industry which helped the class to better understand this important part of our food supply.

Mrs. Davis' second grade enjoyed putting on a rhythm band program, for a college class, and report that many college students visited them during the week.

Many rooms report illness during the week. Jimmy Pitts was in the hospital for a few days, and Mrs. Christenbury, cadet teacher in the second grade, is ill.

The March of Dimes is continuing. We hope to average at least \$1.00 per pupil before the drive ends. Many rooms have already reached or exceeded this goal. Mrs. Walker's room added about \$8.00 realized from the sale of candy during the week; and wish to thank the mothers who made this possible by contributing the candy.

APPROPRIATE NAME

Lansing, Mich.—Mushrooming over the years, the record library of radio station WILS collapsed in a heap and more than 7,000 records fell off shelves and racks—but only one was broken. Its title: "How About That Mess?"

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Bookmobile Schedule

Wednesday, Feb. 6
Meat Camp, Ellison's Store, 9:30 a. m.; Todd, McGuire's Station, 10:00 a. m.; Greene Valley School, 11:00 a. m.; Miller's School, home of Mrs. Lilly Starnes, 1:30 p. m.; Sands, home

of Mrs. C. G. Hodges, 2:00 p. m.
Thursday, Feb. 7
Cove Creek Elementary School, 9:30 a. m.; Rominger, home of Mrs. Shelby Rominger, 12:30 p. m.; Willow Valley, home of Mrs. Fred Greene, 1:00 p. m.
No trips if weather is bad.

WHOOPIING CRANES

Of interest to bird lovers is the announcement that there are only twenty giant whooping crane, world's largest migratory birds, left in the United States. This was a loss of 14 from the count of last year, when the wild flock had grown to 34.

CAMPS FOR SUBVERSIVES

The Government is quietly taking steps towards setting up detention camps for dangerous subversives in this country, in the event of an emergency. Federal prison labor already is at work—or soon will be—on three major installations, with a combined capacity for housing more than 3,000 persons.

Beef cattle production in the corn belt is increasing to the point where it seriously competes with hogs for use of land, labor, and feed.



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