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## Boy Scout Court of Honor Held Monday

The Polk County Boy Scout Court of Honor met Monday night in Tryon at the school building with Scout Executive R. M. Schiele of Gastonia, presiding. Serving on the Court were Maj. Bernard Sharp, Dr. C. Arthur Lincoln, Nelson Jackson, Jr., Rev. John A. Pinckney, Dr. George Farrand Taylor and Seth M. Vining, the County vice-president, who spoke briefly of the extension work being planned in the county and of the plans of Scoutmaster W. A. Schilleter for a father-son supper, and of the forming of an "alumni" association of former Tryon Scouts. Earl McKinney and Ethan Rippey of Lynn were present in the interest of forming a Scout troop at Lynn.

The meeting opened with prayer by Dr. Taylor and the repeating of the Scout oath by the audience. The following Scouts were up for advancement:

Second Class: Pickens Durham.  
Cooking: Harold Taylor.  
Pathfinding: Jimmie Jackson.  
Scholarship: Henry McGeachy.

After announcements and the awards of previous Courts were made, the meeting adjourned with the benediction by Mr. Pinckney and the Court repaired to the negro school where the following negro boys were advanced in rank:

Tenderfoot: Edgar King, Bernard Stewart.

Second Class: Herbert Wilkins.  
Conservation: Harrison Peak.  
Gardening: Burette Petty, J.

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## Dr. Lincoln Thanks Citizens for Giving Red Cross Relief

As chairman of the Polk County Chapter of the American Red Cross let me express the deep appreciation of the Chapter for the spontaneous and most generous response of all sections and both races of Polk county to the need of money, warm clothing, blankets and food for the relief of flood sufferers along the Ohio river. A multitude of seemingly small gifts, many of which were large as compared with the financial ability of the donors, added to larger gifts have made it possible for us to forward to the National Headquarters for immediate use in the greatly distressed areas the sum of \$1,612.43 to date. This is eight times as large as the first quota assigned to Polk county. Every penny of it is needed and is being used to relieve acute human misery. While the gratitude of the people aided by the generosity of Polk county can never be expressed to us, we experience nevertheless the rich reward of those who give without any expectation of being thanked. The Polk County Chapter is very proud of the fine, sympathetic and generous concern of our citizens and visitors over the desperate plight of fellow citizens in other states. They have responded not only with money but also with large gifts of food, clothing and wool blankets.

C. ARTHUR LINCOLN,  
Chairman.