

24 Awards Are Presented At Scout Court Of Honor

**About 100 Parents
Present for Ceremony;
Next Court Will
Be at Camp**

Twenty-four awards were made to Boy Scouts at the monthly Court of Honor held at the Post Presbyterian church Tuesday evening which was attended by an estimated 100 parents and relatives. The awards were made by Cecil Wells, Scout executive, in one of the largest and best organizations of the local area held by the local organization.

Mr. Wells reported on the meeting of the Boy Scouts of America, the Court of Honor, and the Post Presbyterian church. After some discussion it was determined that the next Court of Honor would be held at Boy Scout Camp during the week of June 17-21, the exact date to be determined later. Guests at the local area organizations, Mr. Wells, and other big game hunters, Warren and Franklin, executive director of Vansco, will be the principal speakers.

The well known radio stations of Pittsburgh were from time of phone camp.

As always presented to Scout leaders of the year was the Scout Proficiency Award. W. G. H. Farnum, of New York, who is Vice Chairman of the Court of Honor, gave the Scoutmaster's award. W. G. H. Farnum was a Scoutmaster at Boy Scout Camp.

Awards were made to all participants including the following:

Second class Jerry Weisz, Pepeky Fink and Marshall Phillips, of St. Paul McDowell, Chris Dales, Eugene Rose, Jackie Tarcza and Harry Hall, all of 30.

Third class John Faustus, 14.

Fourth class, Pete Pachon, 14, James L. Hough, 12, swimming; John Baskie, 12, and swimming; John Baskie, 12, health and safety; John Baskie, 12, health and personal safety; Bennett Peery, 11, first aid and personal health; Eddy Crowley, 12, swimming.

Scout court images, 11 and 12.

Midget Searchlight



THE TINY searchlight, for use on the seas, which engineer J. H. Karcher is testing at the Westinghouse laboratories in Bloomfield, N. J., can throw a beam visible for six nautical miles. He developed the lamp at the request of the U. S. Navy. (International)

22 Divorces For Trial In Civil Court

Twenty-two divorce cases are on the civil docket for the June term of Vance Superior Court, begun on Monday, June 21, a week after start of the week of criminal court. The calendar for the six-term trial was completed and issued in recent performance, today after being set by the bar of a meeting Tuesday in the office of Clerk of Superior Court E. O. Faulkner.

The divorce actions pending are in all the 12 municipalities which make up the civil court. Many of these will be tried in the fall of the year, and the others in the spring. George E. Weller, of Greenville, managing attorney of the Bar Association, is responsible for its finances.

There are a number of other cases, however, still outstanding, but it is estimated that most of them are expected to be tried in this term.

At the end of term, seven cases starting next Monday, September 12, interest will be withdrawn, interest remaining to the end of term. All enforcement cases for staying the law suits against William Head, Superintendent of the Annapolis Academy, (International)

13 Farmers Plant Kudzu

Thirteen Vance County farm operators, including five previous winners, make second set of major contestants this year in the competition with the 100 best kudzu planters in the state, W. B. Miller, state extension agent of the school.

Those making the 13th ratings on 13 Washington acres, John McRae, L. E. Parker, and Charles Andrus, are from Custer, A. M. and Mrs. L. E. Parker, W. B. McRae, and R. H. McRae, all of Custer.

Cultivation of kudzu for fall storage is one of the most important operations for soybean survival and growth this year, Miller said, in commentaries on the plantings. Yields of soybeans in the market are expected to be competitive with the market price of the crops, he said.

Miller said the kudzu plant has been used to some extent in the past, and in view of this, he advised that the crop should not be grown too much.

Miller also recommended the use of a

chemical herbicide for kudzu control.

The 13th rating in the competition was won jointly by Robert Murphy of the Aycock Senior 4-H club, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

E. Murphy of Henderson route 2, and Anne Morris of the Tomsville Senior 4-H club, daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. G. Morris of Clarksville, Va., age 17. In the junior division, second place went to Barbara Wilson, of the Wallace Junior 4-H club, daughter of Mr. Fannie Wheeler of Wallace, route 3.

The winner in the senior division of the competition in district 10, No. 1 for the state health department, was a 15-year-old girl named Fannie Wilson of the Siler City 4-H club, who will be held the year.

CHARLIE MATTHEWS PAID TWO CHARGES

Charlie Matthews, Chocowinity, made his second appearance before the grand jury, charged with killing a federal mail carrier, Eddie Ladd, last May 23. On the first offense, Matthews was given a 10-year sentence, with the possibility of parole in two years.

In this other charge was a longer sentence, because Matthews had been found to be bad in an attorney. He was adjudged guilty, and the case was concluded with the former and guilty in the new were remitted.

HOW'S YOUR I.Q.?

Can you answer these quiz questions? Turn to Page 4 for the answers.

1. Who was "No man is born in a day" an angle?
2. On the occasion of the Allied victory in Tunisia, Josef Stalin sent congratulatory messages to President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill; true or false?
3. Correct the sentence: "My father, he told me a story."
4. What was Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt's maiden surname?
5. Are Post Office Department mail trucks obliged to obey all city traffic laws?

6. Daylight saving time was originated by Benjamin Franklin, William Willett, or Napoleon Bonaparte?
7. California, Florida or Texas produces the bulk of the U. S. lemon crop?
8. Name the three largest islands of the American Virgin Islands.
9. Gen. Wladyslaw Sikorski heads whom government-in-exile in London?
10. Which State does not permit

Ninety-six cents out of every dollar goes for War expenditures. The other four cents goes for Government expenses "as for freedom's sake usual."

ANNAPOLES HONOR MAN GETS PRIZE



HONOR MAN of the graduating class of the U. S. Naval Academy, Midshipman George Downs Prestwich, of Collingswood, N. J., receives the Military Order of Foreign Wars prize from Rear Admiral J. R. Boardall, superintendent of the Annapolis Academy. (International)

AAA Checks Total \$84,539

Farm benefit payments, made under the AAA agricultural conservation program for compliance with the program in 1942, have mounted to \$84,539 to 3,670 Vance county farmers, it was reported today at the office of the Vance, N. C., Farm Bureau.

Practically all payments which are due have been made, it was stated, and the few remaining checks are expected within a short while.

The total amount of government benefit payments under the 1933 program is decidedly smaller than the sum for the preceding year, because of reduction in the rate of payment and elimination of parity payments on cotton and tobacco.

County Agent W. C. Boyce of Franklin County has reported some pigs "having fits like a dog" four weeks ago. It was found that this condition was due to a lack of certain vitamins in the feeding ration.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our sincere appreciation to the many friends who so kindly rallied to us during the recent illness and death of our beloved one, James Harvey Ferrell.

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