"BE PREPARED" The "DO A GOOD TURN DAILY"

TULSA SCOUT

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Troop 3

Ye News De Ole Troop Three.
(Official, all others void)
By TOMMY ATKINS.

Troop 3 opened its meeting on time for the first time in history. Roll call was answered by naming and describing birds. Scout Hamlet McKinney described a bird which is spotted sometimes and at other times it is striped. Hamlet informed us that this bird was internationally known as the jail bird. Scout Samson described an American sparrow which he informs us was an English sparrow that had been over a long time. The next thing on the program was the voting in of some new scouts. After a few debates by famous orators and after Scout William Thompson had been appointed senior patrol leader by Scoutmaster H. B. Gale, we closed our business meeting. We decided to have a short hike to the woods south of the city next Friday so that a few greenhorns can end their career as such.

Extra! Special! Scout Norman Drake is now a full-fledged amateur wireless operator. Robert Rice is almost convinced that Darwin was right since we voted the last flock of boys into the troop. Chemical has been trying out the old method of catching birds by salting their tails as he wants to get a picture of some birds larger than a robin. He ought to take a picture of some of the birds in our collection as they are much larger than a robin.

Troop 4

By JIGGS (PAUL B.)

Meeting was called to order Monday at 7 o'clock p. m. Mr. Gordon, our assistant scoutmaster, and Moody are making us pass merit badges as fast as we possibly can without pushing too hard. In spite of the rain we had 22 present last meeting. After meeting was adjourned some of us played basketball while others passed tests. Joe Desso, George Goodale, Bill Zimmerman, Ray Clark, Wade Heath and Ed Gormly passed merit badges. Thomas Knanell passed first-class signaling and Paul Bodenheimer passed some first-class tests.

Joe Desso, our elongated specimen of human flesh, as usual was without his patrol report.

Troop 4 is very lucky to get E. C. Gordon to act as assistant scoutmaster. Much interest is being shown in our much-talked-of troop exhibit as the time to stage it is drawing near. Ed Gormly was threatened with violence last meeting when he yelled "dues." Troop 4 has an amateur musician in Prof. Joseph Desso, B. V. D. I. O. U., T. N. T. Wade Heath, our illustrious soccer football player, says he is going to Henryetta and beat their professional team. Bob (Dolly) Stone has been absent from meeting several times. He lost his powder puff. "Slats" Van Schaick was caught eating candy in meeting. He will be tried in Judge Bill (J. S.) McMorris' court next Monday. The courtroom is located in the 2000 block on East Admiral. So long, gang. Dinty calling me.

Troop 5

SNAPPY SERVICE (Revived).

Snappy Service has gone to bunk since Honorable Pete refuses to write proverbs on various subjects for our benefit but has been revived by ?

Troop 5 will condescend to initiate two, soon-to-be scouts next Friday. We won't say what will be used. Sixty Per Cent will be there with his slightly strong water to enjoy the unfortunates in their misery. All other aspirants to join troop 5 had better join while they can.

Our basketball team craves a game. We have challenged troop 4 many times, but they always insist they have another game. A good excuse, we call it.

If anyone has a house or barn for rent we might rent it for a month. We won't say how we will leave it.

Wanted—Eight husky boys to join Troop 5. Aspirants must be strong in the hat rack and able to withstand hard knocks. All interested please call at the Y. M. C. A. boys lobby, 7:30 p. m. We will do the rest, nuff said.

Troop 9.

Hah, Jimmy Rollins, come here, you're wanted. A small white-faced, freckled, light-haired, straight but curly, and bow-legged, but pigeon-toed fellow came forward. Pretty pretty, isn't he? He could win a beauty contest, couldn't he? Glad we have one good-looking guy.

Because of last Friday being our first meeting in three weeks we fell fine to be back again. Mr. Bossard came in and said troop 23 was going to beat us. Well, 23, we hope you give us a race.

Our bird-house contest ends next Friday and we hope to have some prize houses. First, second and third prizes are to be awarded. Mr. Meyer said he was going to be on hand next Friday to get something to eat because the twins take all his money; poor Mr. Meyer.

Next Friday we are going to have an old-time feed. Sandwiches, pies and everything. Next week several absentees will be reported. You can guess why.

A new patrol was formed last meeting and decided to call themselves Stag patrol. We have six patrols now. As soon as a new scoutmaster can be found we shall have a new Kendall troop. This is our aim. Boys, how many are just about to die of curiosity to see the new camp? How many are going next summer? I bet you are. Don't miss it. Try anything once. Even Mr. Meyer and Toby.

Troop 12

By ED M'LAIN.

Hello, scouts, haven't heard from us in a long time, have you? Well, open your eyes and look at this.

Hop Doss and Ed McLain brought up a plan to Mr. Garvin, our scoutmaster, to give an example of what scouts can do in the way of building a model camp, although this camp is going to be a real camp, it is also going to be model camp.

The site of our camp will be one and a half miles northeast of our meeting place, Bullette and Haskell. The first thing we are going to do is to take pictures before and after camp for example, and they probably will be exhibited at scout headquarters as soon as we make them.

We have two patrols and part of another. Here are our main scouts: Mr. Garvin, our scoutmaster, and Virgil Hosier, assistant scoutmaster. Good-bye, see you in the funny paper.

Troop 17

Last Friday as John Lafoon (otherwise known as John, the Loon), was absent, Mr. Meyers sent Glen LaForge over to take charge of our troop for the night. As there were 34 boys present we organized the Tiger patrol with Raymond Cramburg as the leader. Our patrols now are Flying Eagle, Silver Fox, Beaver and the Tiger. After the regular business meeting was over, several scouts took tests. Owing to a disagreement as to the length of our room Cupid Pitcher and Joe Hicking could not take that part of the first-class judging. The guesses ranged from 35 feet to 70.

Answers to last week's quiz:

1. The first scout law of the English scouts is "A scout's honor is to be trusted."

2. The second English scout law is, "A scout is loyal to the king, his officers, parents, his country and employers."

3. The third English scout law is, "A scout's duty is to be useful and help others."

4. The fourth English scout law is, "A scout is a friend to all and a brother to every other scout."

5. The fifth English scout law is, "A scout is courteous, especially to children and old people."

Kwiz.

1. What the is sixth English scout law?
2. What is the seventh English scout law?
3. What is the eighth English scout law?
4. What is the ninth English scout law?
5. What is the tenth English scout law?

Troop 19

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 and roll call was answered by scouts giving good turn done during the week. William Stryker was electde temporary scribe until certain conditions are settled in our troop. Mr. Meyer attended our meeting and gave us a talk on patrols. He also brought along with him Glenn LaForge and Mr. Wimbish, who are to be our assistant scoutmasters. Our flags have arrived which we ordered and we thank Mrs. Hunt very much for giving them to us. J. F. McKaye, a new member brought in by Edward Reed, makes a total number enrolled in our troop of 22. A hike was arranged for Saturday. We are going northwest of Sand Springs with Mr. LaForge and we hope to have a good time.

Troop 1, Sand Springs

Some people get married and settle down; most of them need a job so they can settle up.

We met in our clubroom at the Community church last Friday. Well, you will know in time for we had some real business, some of it I will not tell here for we have something up our sleeve as well as the others.

Mr. Forbes was there, he is applying for assistant scoutmaster, and he will make things hum, too. We just received an order of application blanks and a lot of other things. Mr. Scoutmaster Hill gave out some of them to the boys for new members they are lining up for tenderfoot exams.

The meeting was turned over to Assistant Scoutmaster Stout. A report was given of the game of basketball between the Bear and Panther patrols. The Panthers expected to win the game. The Bears gave them a good fight, making a score of 10 to 13 in favor of the Panthers. They say the troop will get along fine if the Bears keep that up. The Panther patrol challenged them in any scout game or basketball for next Thursday. Two boys passed tests for tenderfoot. We have organized a radio club, naming it the Amateur Radio club for the boys of Troop 1 only. It is owned by our assistant scoutmaster, John Cornelius. The club has received music and speaking from the following places: Oklahoma City, Pittsburgh, Pa., Denver, Colo., and many other places I do not remember. Well so long, fellows I will see you next Sunday.

By senior patrol leader,
O. CHILTON.

Troop 2, Sand Springs

Troop 2 met at headquarters in the Broadway Baptist church Friday night, March 10, with 23 scouts present, four visitors, two officials and one troop committeeman present. Meeting was called to order by standing and repeating the scout oath. Scribe called the roll and each scout answered with a good turn. Four boys from Troop 2 went on their 14-mile hike Saturday. Troop 2 went out to Medio Tuesday and organized a new troop at the Baptist church. 16 boys enrolled. Ivan Cunningham was appointed their new scoutmaster.

ROBERT BRINKLEY,
Troop reporter.

Bird House Contest

Rules and Instructions.

1. All registered Boy Scouts are eligible in the Tulsa Boy Scout bird house contest.

2. Scouts must signify their intentions of entering contest by handing their name to their scoutmaster or telephoning headquarters. All must be registered not later than February 25.

3. Scouts should start to plan for house at once. They should consult the bird study merit badge pamphlet or approve bird house book, or some other reliable book on the subject. Local headquarters will have a supply of government pamphlets within ten days.

4. All houses must be at headquarters not later than April 7. Contest closes April 8. Prizes to be awarded by the Kiwanis club on April 10.

5. Civic work will be given for the time actually consumed on planning and making the houses. Use regular form signed by scoutmaster or examiner.

6. All houses are to be surrendered to the city park department. They will be placed in the parks of the city.

7. Contestants may enter as many houses as they have made.

8. Houses must be tagged with the following information: Name, address, phone, troop, for what kind of bird, how high should house be placed.

9. Judges will be selected by the commissioner and executive. There shall be three judges. No commissioned officer will judge.

10. Judges will grade the houses on the following scale:

Utility—Weather protection, 10; drainage, 10; accessible for clng, 10; habitable certain bird, 10; Cavity, size of, 10; entrance, above floor, 5; entrance, diameter, 5; 40 points. Design—General lines, 10; appearance, 10; 20 points. Workmanship—Woodwork, 15; painting, 5; 20 points. Perfect house, 100 points.

Reverence to the Flag

The author of this article has observed a few things in regard to the reverence of the citizens of Tulsa to their flag, Old Glory.

In the first place, I would be willing to wager that not more than 1 per cent of the people in Tulsa know the correct way to stand when a flag is passing. Out of the 2,000 people who saw the American Legion parade last Monday, exactly 20 men removed their hats and stood uncovered while the Boy Scout color guard passed. This is a matter which I think should be put uppermost in the citizens' minds.

Citizens of Tulsa, it is your duty to show respect to your country and flag in the correct way. Men of Tulsa, have you observed the way in which the Boy Scouts observe the passing of colors? If you have, you have seen the correct way. If you have not it is your duty to learn the way and faithfully observe it.

It would be a bad state on the reputation of Tulsa to have it said that the citizens do not properly observe this privilege. I call it a privilege because it is so. The countries are few which have the privilege of freedom and justice as we have.

Citizens, I as a member of the Boy Scouts of America, ask you to correctly do your duty.

A BOY SCOUT.

All Around the Circle

Swim.

Scoutmasters desiring to instruct or examine their scouts in a first-class swimming test may use the Y. M. C. A. pool nearly any evening, providing they secure pass from Mr. Elbell and accompany the boys to the pool. Deputy Commissioner Barbeau will examine scouts on merit badge swimming and life-saving. Leave appointments at headquarters or call Mr. Barbeau.

Visitor.

Scoutmaster A. Gulenner of Lenapah visited local scout headquarters March 11. We are always glad to welcome these outsiders.

Last Call for Band Members.

Several boys have left their applications for our scout band, but not quite enough to enable us to get down to business. We will extend the time to March 25 and hope that the boys who failed to register before will do so now. If you can play an instrument, come tell us about it and let us register you in our group of bandboys.

Scoutmasters Association.

Last Monday night, in spite of the rain, we had several scoutmasters out at our meeting. A permanent scoutmasters association was organized, and a definite program will be explained later.

Leaders' School.

At the meeting of the Scoutmasters association last Monday evening it was unanimously decided to cooperate with the inter-church boys work forum, which is held each beginning March 27, at 5:30. All Tuesday evening at 5:30 o'clock, beginning May 27. All prospective and new scoutmasters should attend and "the old birds" will learn a great deal. This course will be followed by a big rally around the campfire out in the Osage hills, with an invitation to visitors. Then following up the big campfire, a short course for scoutmasters will be conducted.

Radio Club.

First-class scouts should be in the Radio club. National headquarters is ready to send its communications by wireless, and local headquarters wants to be ready to receive the same in the near future.

American Legion.

Sixty-five boys helped the American Legion in their parade last Saturday. Thirty-two of them have claimed civic work. The other 33 must present their claim within the next week.

From Broken Arrow.

A. M. Calloway, scoutmaster of troop 1, Broken Arrow, was a visitor at headquarters this week.

New Scoutmasters.

Four pamphlets, "The Good Turn Habit," "Discipline Without Demerits," "The Troop Headquarters," and "Starting the Troop Right," are published by Herbert Schooley of Fir Tree lodge, No. 4470, Woodlawn place, Seattle, Wash., and are selling for 15 cents each, and may be had by writing to the above publisher. They might be very useful in solving some of your problems.

Cleanup Campaign.

The first two weeks of April will be observed by the civic organizations, public schools and the general public, in co-operation with the city health department in conducting a cleanup campaign. The Boy Scouts will be on the job as usual, serving notice to those who fail to comply with the spirit of the campaign. Details later.

New Scout Districts.

The following troops are now organized into districts under the deputy commissioner:

West—Troops 6, 7, 14, 17, 18, 25. F. C. Barbeau, deputy commissioner. Northeast—Troops 4, 12, 22, 24, 26. G. B. Willett, deputy commissioner. East and southeast—Troops 3, 9, 11, 21; F. E. Bossard, deputy commissioner. Central—Troops 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 15, 23; F. D. Craft, deputy commissioner. North and Central—Troops 13, 16, 19, 20; Harry Thompson, deputy commissioner.

Bisby Now Organized.

The following men of Bisby were selected for the local council and appointed to offices: A. C. Wise, chairman of activities; F. C. Leonard, vice chairman; G. W. Davis, chairman finance committee; W. J. Cross, chairman district committee; C. L. Bunyard, secretary-treasurer; L. M. Forry, chairman court of honor; Rev. Jeffry, deputy commissioner. The others on the council follow: J. M. Osborne, J. L. Dunlap, D. O. Harder, Harry Kaylor, O. W. Brown, O. K. Wetzel, Joe Lowman and J. M. Henderson.

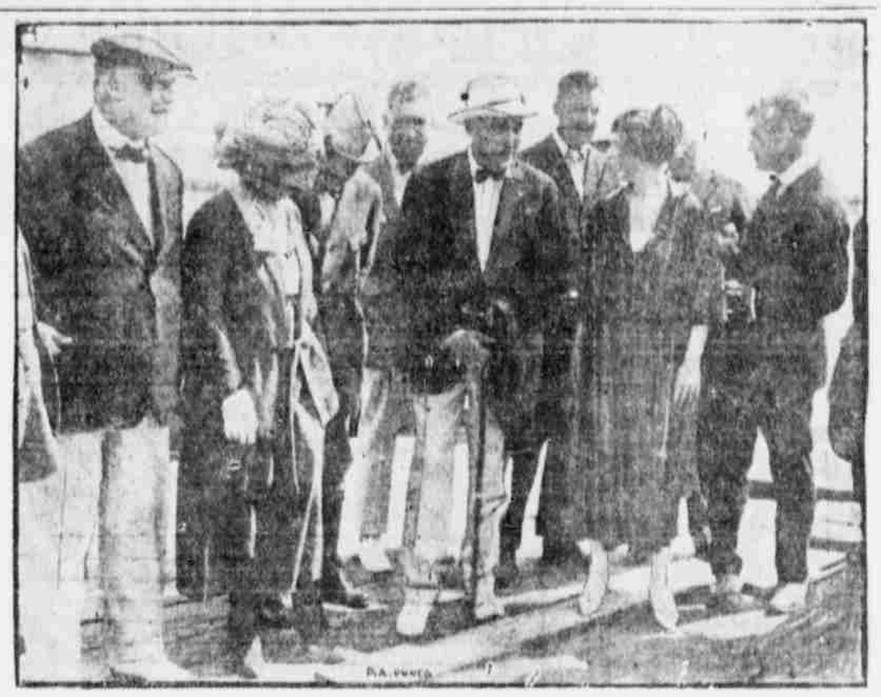
Civic Work.

Oh, boys! here's a chance to work for that gold medal. All this week, beginning Monday, March 20, there will be civic work after school. The Boy Scouts of Tulsa have co-operated with the Oklahoma health department in carrying on a "milk for health" campaign. This campaign is under the direction of the United States department of agriculture and scouts of different towns are helping to put this campaign over successfully. Here's a chance for the Tulsa scouts to show the city what they can do.

The State Sunday School Convention

The scouts who have signed up to do civic work for the state Sunday school convention will be notified soon as to what work they will be required to do and at what time.

Harding Vacations in Florida



Left to right, Secretary Weeks, Mrs. Harding, Speaker Gillette, President Harding, Edward B. McLean and his wife, Attorney General Daugherty and George Christian, Jr.

President Warren G. Harding, Mrs. Harding and members of the cabinet have been guests of Edward B. McLean on his Yacht, the "Nahmeeka," during their Florida trip. The party has been cruising in the vicinity of St. Augustine, putting in to shore just often enough to enable the members of the party to stage several rounds of golf. The president faces perplexing problems on his return to Washington, including the coal crisis and the need of speeding up the work of congress on important measures now pending including the honor measure.

TEN CONDITIONS MENACE NATION

Suffrage Pioneer Tells Voters Evils to Democracy to Be Combated

NEW YORK, March 18—Ten menaces to American democracy have been listed for the guidance of women voters by Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, pioneer in the feminist movement and founder of the League of Women Voters.

She is engaged in a spirited controversy with Governor Miller, who charges that an independent woman's political group is a menace to the state.

The real menace to the state, Mrs. Catt declares, are:

"1. The greatest menace is the illiteracy of the electorate, because an illiterate vote is a controlled vote.

2. The second menace is ignorance. Those who read their ballots but do not understand them vote somebody else's opinion instead of their own.

3. Too partisan partisanship, which is true of 75 per cent of the membership of both parties.

4. Indifference, which is almost worse than the controlled vote, because it gives control to the few. Voting wrong is better than not voting at all.

5. Government by groups. Because of the indifference of the many a few are left to do all the work, and this is not democratic.

6. The use of patronage to hold voters to the party standard. The job is the price paid for party loyalty, and the League of Women Voters will fight this practice by upholding the civil service.

7. The use of money the saddest of all menaces.

8. Bosses.

9. Slander and abuse. This is the cheapest of the menaces, but easy to use, because everybody likes gossip and enjoys spreading it. Bosses use it to overcloud the real issues.

10. The most terrible of all menaces is when politics entirely breaks down, and then we have war.

Upward of more than seven-hundred thousand American homes, schools, churches, halls and office buildings are equipped with radio receiving stations, and more than fifteen thousand stations have been licensed by the government for transmitting wireless messages of one sort or another.

INSTIGATOR OF THE VALENTINE

Saw an English Attempt and Improved Idea With Big Results

BEGAN IN SMALL WAY

Business Grew Until Miss Howland Sent Out Over $100,000 a Year

CHICAGO, March 13.—A curious collection of old valentines which the Art club exhibited here recently recalls the story of a woman whom the students of Mt. Holyoke college toast every year on February 14. She was Miss Esther Howland, who made the first American valentines and the first valentines in which printed verse was used. Her work is liberally represented in the collection, which is that of Mrs. Emma B. Hodge, and which was loaned to the Art club for the purposes of the exhibit by the Art institute of Chicago.

Miss Howland was graduated from Mount Holyoke in 1847, when higher education for women was an innovation. Valentines were first made in England, and England had a monopoly of their manufacture for many years. In fact, a valentine from England, the first which she had seen, gave Miss Howland the idea upon which she based her work. It was two years after her graduation when she was at her home in Worcester, Mass. The English valentine, which is in Mrs. Hodges collection, has an elaborate border of lace paper with flowers pasted upon it. A tiny note reposed in a small pocket in the center. Miss Howland's father, who was a stationer, imported a few of these valentines and his daughter thought she could improve them. She made some from lace paper, colored paper and paper flowers, and persuaded her brother, who traveled for her father, to take them with him as samples. He returned to bewilder her with orders amounting to $5,000.

Began Moderately.

Miss Howland enlisted the aid of her friends to fill these orders. The following year she had doubled her working force. Soon she found herself with a valentine factory on her hands, and was importing materials from Germany. She made further innovations, including the use of silk. She originated the idea of embossing lithograph ornaments which was utilized by a firm in Germany. Meanwhile the American or Worcester valentine became famous, and in a few years Miss Howland was sending out goods worth $100,000.

The traditions with which Miss Howland's work was associated are ancient as well as sentimental, for observance of St. Valentine's day has been held to be a revival of the Roman Lupercalia, and bears the name of a Christian martyr of the third century. According to one story, the martyr wrote a message of love on the day of his execution, February 14, to his jailer's daughter and signed it "Your Valentine." The day was long observed with various customs before commercial use was made of the sending on that day of waisted maidens depicted on them amatory messages.

The verses on many of the valentines in this collection express domestic ideals, and the wasp have meekly downcast eyes. Here and there, however, there is an exception. In one case an upstanding amazon calmly directs cupid as he aims at a languid youth, who, glancing up from his book, notes the proceeding with unconcern. In another a young woman places a wreath on the head of a kneeling swain, and in the verses below the sender (feminine) assures the recipient (masculine) that her hand will be his whenever he claims it, explaining that on valentine's day a maiden may disclose affections concealed at all other times.

BRITISH SAGES CLASH ON RUM

Noted Writers Debate the Merits of Prohibition in English Press

LONDON, March 18.—Beer is the bone of contention in a battle of words raging between George Bernard Shaw and G. K. Chesterton in the British press.

"On the whole I am a pro-Pussyfoot," declared George Bernard Shaw on being queried as to whether he opposed prohibition. "If a natural choice between drunkenness and sobriety were possible in our civilization, I should leave the people free to choose. But when I see an enormous capitalist organization pushing drink under people's noses at every corner and pocketing the price whilst leaving me and others to pay the colossal damages then I am prepared to smash that organization and make it as easy for a poor man to be sober if he wants to as it is for his dog."

This statement caused G. K. Chesterton to rise in his wrath. "What Mr. Shaw has to say is exactly typical of the whole blunder about those things," retorted Chesterton. "He actually mentions the truth and then misses it.

Tired Brains Blamed.

"The evils from which people suffer spring from the fundamental evil that property, which should be normal to the ordinary citizen, has become something which a few people possess and most people don't.

"When people's brains are tired as they are now, it is very much easier to look at the symptoms than at the cause. They say, therefore, that if we abolish the public house a lot of those evils would not occur; just as when the evil has become so bad that people go out, as they soon may, with brick and stones and kill other people, it may be said that if we were to abolish sticks and stones there would be no riots.

"When people are not in the mood for going to the roots of things they then exclaim: 'Cut off all these ugly branches.'

"For that matter it would be easy enough to represent that the capitalist is not all on the side of beer.

"It is perfectly indefensible that they should be in judicial positions at all in the matter of licensing hours."

While this merry little war goes on between two distinguished gentlemen of Britain's literary set, the buxom barmaids continue to pour the amber fluid.

The first wire suspension bridge in the world, built in 1816, was across the Schuylkill river in Philadelphia, Pa. Supported by cables of six three-eighth-inch wires, it had a span of 408 feet and was 14 inches wide. Not more than eight people were permitted to walk on it at one time.

Don't Spoil Your Child's Hair By Washing It

When you wash your child's hair be careful what you use. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali, which is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle.

The best thing to use is Mulsified cocoanut oil shampoo, for this is pure and entirely greaseless. It's very easy and quite anything else all to glycerin.

Two or three teaspoonfuls of Mulsified in a cup or glass with a little warm water is all that is required. Simply moisten the hair with water, and rub in it. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh looking, bright, fluffy, wavy and easy to handle. Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff. You can get Mulsified at any drug store, and a few ounces will last everyone in the family for months. Be sure your druggist gives you Mulsified.—Advertisement.

LIVER ILLS

Dr. E. E. Paddock, Specialist, of Kansas City, Mo., has distributed free over 100,000 copies of a booklet on the cause and treatment of Inflammation of the Gall Bladder and Bile Ducts as associated with Gallstones of the Liver, Bilious Colic, Jaundice, Gas, Indigestion. Just send name today for this Free Book to DR. E. E. PADDOCK, Box TW 391, Kansas City, Mo.—Advertisement.

"Be Prepared" GIRL SCOUTS OF AMERICA NATIONAL TULSA BRANCH "Do a Good Turn Daily"

Sunflower Troop 1.

Who is afraid of rain? Surely not the sunflowers, for there were only three absent at the meeting Monday evening in spite of the heavy downpour. Scouts who came from Lee Jefferson and Horace Mann were to be especially commended for coming out.

Pauline Hollestre submitted a very nice sample of darning. She also passed her signaling requirements.

Part of our last meeting was spent working on different numbers for our appearance at the Patrons-Teachers association Friday evening, March 24. Look for details in next Sunday's paper.

Cleo Burk, Iris Vance, Allie McMahon and Mabel Emerson passed the observation test in the lesson period Monday.

We are certainly glad to welcome the new manuals for which we have waited so long. Several girls who have been scouts for some time need these new manuals to replace the old blue ones before they can make any further progress in their work.

We were glad to see news from other troops in our last Sunday's paper. We felt lonely in the paper of two weeks ago.

Margaret Dejow, one of our newest scouts, read a letter at our last meeting which had been received by Miss Miller, secretary of our local council, asking for information regarding starting a scout troop at Centralia, Okla.

Our report from the secretary of Division 1 shows an excellent attendance record for the scouts enrolled in the class at Red Cross headquarters. Mayme Lowry, Annamae Howard, Florence Johnson, Louise and Lavinia Clear, Ingrid Brandborg, Helen Oman and Lenore Turnquist have been perfect in attendance, while Gladys Vick, Elsie Brockman, Hilda Easley and Edwina Brown have missed three meetings.

Wildrose Troop 7.

Last Tuesday we made more definite plans for our initiation service and set the date for Friday, the 31st. We hope the Broken Arrow troop will be able to be with us then.

Watch for the date of our "nigger minstrel and carnival," folks. It "shuah" is going to be some show.

F. desires to learn—
Why Eleanor made such a fuss.
If Loretta likes to tease.
What was said about her before she arrived.
Where Katherine learned to spell "them" eyes.
If Evelyn relishes beads for dinner.
If last week wasn't gloriously sunshiny—just time for a hike.
If Gladys likes to dance. (We liked it fine.

Owl Troop 5.

BY A WISE BIRD.

Hello, sister scouts, Troop 5 has found time to write up some news at last. We have been so busy, (?) that we could not get it down. So we are going to begin where we left off.

Troop 5 had a valentine party Tuesday, Feb. 14; there were 59 people present. Troop 4 Boy Scouts and the parents of our troop were present. The girls who are working on their hostess merit badges may count this entertainment in.

OLD TIMERS GET A JOLT

Farmers Forbidden to Congregate in Traditional Trade Place.

LEXINGTON, Ky., March 14.—"Court Day," a century-old institution in Kentucky, has suffered a painful jolt here. The circuit court through an abatement order has taken away from it "Cheapside" a public square in the center of the business district, where farmers and traders for miles around gathered in numbers on the second Monday in each month to swap horses and to trade anything from harness to homes.

And now, for the first time in more than 100 years, they are not permitted to meet in the historic old square, of late years within the sight of the town clock in the courthouse tower, but have been shunted to another and less desirable street. The farmers say, however, they will not submit tamely to what they regard as an invasion of their rights and indicate they will carry the case to the Kentucky court of appeals. The lower court said they made of it a nuisance, at once unsanitary and unsightly.

The Owls are not only wise birds but also basketball players. Our team is lined up as follows: Elsie Whitely and Grace Berry, forwards; Maude McMorries and Nellie Parks, centers, Marilla Harvey, Hilda Harvey and Dorothy Larsen, guards. Bill Dean is our coach. We wish to thank Bill for his good advice and the help he has given our basketball team. If any troop has steam and would like to play us let us know, we would like to play another game.

We played the preliminary to the Boy Scout Troop 4 vs. Home Gardens team with the Second Presbyterian church team. The score was 19-3 favor of the troop. The church team certainly proved itself a cheerful loser.

We wish to announce the marriage of our captain, formerly Miss Bessie Day, now Mrs. J. W. Winkler. This is the second captain that has been married, for some of the girls in troop 5. We heartily congratulate Mr. Winkler.

We also wish to thank Mr. Winkler for his help to the troop. Mr. Winkler made the poles for our flags and has helped us steadily along in our scout work.

Troop 5 Wants to know—

When the Girl scouts are going to have another rally.

Who will play us a game of basketball.

When we are going on an overnight hike.

Why some of our girls don't get ready for their second-class tests.

When the rest of our girls will get their uniforms.

Why more girls don't take the "American Girl."

Why we didn't have a meeting Saturday.

Where the next troop will be organized.

Where Troop 5 can get a mascot.

Who is going to get the prize in the letture contest.

HOW TO BEAUTIFY YOUR COMPLEXION

Pretty Girls Everywhere Will Tell You That Stuart's Calcium Wafers Is Your One Sure Way

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