

Soldier Who Was Gassed Will Speak to Scouts

The regular meeting of Troop 20 will be held this evening at 7 o'clock. An interesting program has been arranged, the main feature of which will be a talk by Charles Jolley, who has served Uncle Sam in France for fifteen months. He has been gassed and has some "over the top" as he is sure to be interesting. He will tell all his exciting experiences at the front. No true scout of Troop 20 will want to miss this treat.

LAND A RECRUIT A Cleveland Boy Scout approach a colored man with his appeal for the Liberty Loan.

The gentleman was not in a position to subscribe for a Liberty Bond nor even to buy a War Savings Stamp. "Come on and enlist, then," said the scout. "All right, I will," replied the man. "Uncle Sam now has a new soldier."

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NEWS AND NOTES OF THE BOY SCOUTS

SCOUTS TO GET 35,233 MEDALS

Government Officials Are to Conduct Probably Largest Distribution in History

Just before the start of the Fourth Liberty Loan campaign, Federal officials all over the country will conduct an enormous distribution of medals to those who won them in the last campaign.

The medal is the Treasury Department's War Service Emblem, awarded to Boy Scouts of America who developed investors in ten or more homes. It has been won by 23,427 scouts, while 11,806 who are wearing medals won in the preceding campaigns will receive bronze bars—35,233 awards in all.

Value of Organized Boyhood. This establishes what is believed to be a world record of awards of any character for individual achievement of a like nature. This is an inspiring fact and a striking testimonial of the appreciation by the United States Government of the value of organized boyhood as promoted by the Boy Scouts of America.

It is the hope of the officers of the National Council that this recognition by our government of their achievement will stimulate them as scouts to greater service to the Government and to others.

In the first Liberty Loan there were 8,499 medals, in the second 22,408 medals and 3,678 bronze bars (to winners in the first campaign). With the winners of the medals and bars in the third campaign this makes 69,518 scouts who have sold bonds in ten or more homes.

Treasury Counts on the Scouts. L. B. Franklin, Director of the War Loan Organization of the Treasury Department, in a letter trans-

SCOUTS READY FOR LOAN DRIVE

Answer Alarm Bell to Help "Put Out the Hun Conflagration"

Now comes the Fourth Liberty Loan campaign. Not a new experiment, like the first one in June last year, but an established system, tried and proven good for all concerned.

Boys are always ready to rush for the front of the big brass Gong. The first stroke of the big brass Gong. The fourth alarm is ringing now for the greatest conflagration in history. The fire appears to be under control at last, but the Hun will react to the least slackening of pressure instantly like the fire. The "fire fighters" must be given guns.

Saw Three Campaigns. The boys of the Fourth Liberty Loan drive they are to receive War Service emblems similar to those awarded in other campaigns.

The number of subscriptions they will have to secure in order to get their emblems, which are issued by the United States Treasury Department, will depend upon whether or not it will be decided by the local Liberty Loan committees if the scouts are to canvass during the entire three weeks or only in the last week.

If they work through the three weeks, they must secure twenty-five subscriptions, but if acting as "gleeners" after the reapers" in the last week, they will get an emblem for ten bond sales.

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TROOP THIRTEEN TAKES BIG HIKE

Happy Scouts Take Long Endurance Walk; Effect Organization of Troop

Starting from Boyd Memorial at nine o'clock six Scouts of the scoutmasters started at a lively gait over the Capitol Hill out State street until they hit the Jonestown road.

The hiking was fine until we hit Penbrook and OH! MY! the MUD. Between juking autos and mud-puddles the Scouts got a bad impression of that noted thoroughbred. After leaving Progress they again hit Linglestown. While resting on a hot step and removing the stones from their shoes, they were startled by hearing a hairy-faced gentleman cry out—"st. day". Such a German expression seemed like treason to our troop and one of us asked him what he thought of the Kaiser. Much to our surprise he pulled his coat and showed a Liberty Loan button and said "The dickens (what he really said was more forceful but in the same direction) with the Kaiser; I'm all for President Wilson". This inspiring speech and cheers for our country given by the Scouts put more pep into the hikers and we started for Manada Gap.

After going two miles an observing Scout located a horse-shoe which was properly consecrated and which is now hanging in the Scout room as a trophy of the hike. Now here we of Troop 13 wish to give a piece of advice. If you find a horse shoe on a hike, take it along for five minutes. After we found the shoe a farmer going our way in a Ford containing his wife and 400 pounds of feed, picked the seven of us up on the running board and carried us three miles. Say fellows, we never had luck like this before and if that farmer ever needs help, a word to Thirteen will bring the whole troop to his assistance. About one-thirty we reached Manada Gap and after eating our dinner which was composed of scrambled eggs and fried spuds we started back by way of Fishing Creek Valley. After walking through the woods we discovered we were going along the side of a mountain and so we headed back for Linglestown. As the road was good, and the farmers didn't seem to want the apples, we decided to change our plans and end our hike at Linglestown.

Believe in Signs

One thing the Troop learned on this hike—there are no large be-

REORGANIZATION OF TROOP

Troop Thirteen did some reorganizing of their own for the best of the troop. Over half a dozen Scouts were suspended but since that time half of the number have paid their fines and have entered their respective patrols again.

Since the last month, the Troop has gotten rid of all "dead wood" and the organization feels strong because the Troop is a hundred per cent in Scout activities. We are trying to reach a goal of \$5,000 by selling bonds to that amount in the Fourth Liberty Loan Drive.

The Troop has made plans for hikes and other activities during the winter; but work comes before pleasure and the following Scouts are ready for any work which can be done to help kick the Kaiser:

Cobra—Joseph Hagar, Karl Moelein, Foster Keller, Russell Keller, George Whitman, Norman Lego, Richard Hertzler, Jacob Eisenberger.

Wolf—Robert Keller, Edward Harris, Wm. Fenstermacher, Chas. Krause, Donald Brink, Carl Suskey, Ralph Clouser, Bruce Grunden.

Eagle—Wm. Maglauchlin, Harry Huber, Joe Geistwhite, Robert Lenin, Christe Blumenstine, Steward Spangler, Charles Goenzer, Joe Hertzler.

Owl—Jason Snyder, James Byrem, Robert Snyder, Louis Krause, Carl Blumenstine, Theodore Waltz, Walter Siders.

Hound—Russel, Huber, Edward Nies, Charles Carl, Donald McCamant.

WILLIAM FENSTERMACHER, Scribe.

GAME FOR SCOUTS

Here is a game used in training the hearing and sense of direction of some of our soldiers abroad. It makes an interesting and lively game for scouts.

The boys sit down in a large circle. Two of them, blindfolded, are placed on opposite sides of the circle. Put one of the boys on a tin can and a stick. The latter hits the tin can with the stick every thirty seconds and then moves away. The boy on his knees represents a scout at night, and tries to catch the boy with the can, relying on his ears to tell him where the other fellow is.

This was sent in by a former scout, now in France, who guarantees it to be great sport.

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In THE LITERARY DIGEST for this week, the leading article gives a glowing description of all the incidents relating to the first great American victory in Europe in which our army, with the gallant French, wiped out the St. Mihiel salient in twenty-seven hours and shows how this victory affects the future downfall of Metz. Accompanying this article is a splendid full-page colored map, with a complete index, of the terrain now being fought over by the American troops.

Other news features of great interest in this number of "The Digest" are:

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