

Snow Fighters Making Slow Progress

Tells Kiwanians Too Few Boys Are Boy Scouts

Parke Speaks as Scouts Observe 39th Anniversary

About half the boys who could be actually in Boy Scout work in Wayne, reported K. N. Parke in an address before the Kiwanis club Monday.

Parke, who is executive secretary of the Logan Valley district of scout troops, made his address commemorating the 39th birthday of the scouting movement in America.

He began with a brief history of the organization, telling of its founding in England in the early 1800's by Robert Baden Powell, an English military hero.

HE CARRIED his information and interest back to the United States and on Feb. 8, 1910, was granted a charter.

FIVE ESSENTIALS of the Boy Scout set-up were outlined by Parke as follows: (1) the boy, (2) leadership, (3) program of activities, (4) scout organization, and (5) high ideals.

For many years, the membership age in a scout troop was 12, but the addition of the Cub pack lowered the age to 8.

Scout troops of the area are combined into districts. Besides Parks, C. E. Spitzer serves as an officer in the Logan Valley district as vice chairman.

PARKE TRACED the progress a scout makes from a Tenderfoot to an Eagle Scout. Lawrence Morcy attended the Monday meeting as an Eagle Scout.

THE KIWANIS club is sponsor of the 17th and Cub pack 174, whose leaders are John Alden Lewis and Fritz Lueders.

Will Begin Taxi Service Feb. 15

Authority to operate a taxi service in Wayne and vicinity has been granted to the Charter Cab Co. of Wayne by the Nebraska railway commission.

Gary W. Finnt, who has been a bus driver the past 11 years in Iowa, Nebraska and South Dakota, will operate the company.

Reschedule Annual Township Meeting

The annual meeting of Logan township, Dixon county, will be held Tuesday, Feb. 12 at 2 p. m. at the Winchell school.

Story Hour Popular with Kids



Fascinated by the pictures, the story and the story teller are these children at the library's Saturday story hour.

Blaze Ruins Wayne Home

Mr. and Mrs. John Sylvanus lost nearly all of their personal belongings and household goods when fire gutted their home at Seventh and nearborn streets about 10:30 Wednesday evening.

The Sylvanus' and Ira Swartz, who was visiting there, had retired about 10:00 and were awakened a short time later to find the house filled with smoke.

Insurance was carried on the building in the amount of \$1,000, but none was carried on the contents.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvanus are staying temporarily with the Gordon Beckners.

Extension Agents Meet Here Today

A dress-form training clinic for home extension agents is being held at the college Student Union today (Thursday).

At State Convention

Elmer Willers, Oscar Mann and William Roggenbach of Wayne and Will Peters, sr., of Wakefield are attending the state convention of the Farmers Union in Omaha this week from this area.



Leland Herman, Wayne Polled Hereford breeder, shows two heifers which he exhibited at the recent Fort Worth, Tex., livestock show.

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May Ask Bond Issue for Wayne Public Library

Library Board Considers Repairs And an Addition

The city library board and representatives of community and civic groups last Wednesday evening discussed the possibility of submitting a library repair and modernization bond issue to the voters at the municipal election in April.

The Wayne library, built in 1912, has fallen into a serious state of disrepair and no longer is large enough to provide adequate library service to the community.

Needed repairs include new floors both upstairs and in the basement, repair of the hall, new lights and wiring, furnace room, new furniture throughout, a modernized rest room and a new door and entrance.

MRS. MILDNER also proposed the construction of a 20x26 addition to the west side of the building, explaining that the library now has 10 times as many books as it did in 1912 and there is not enough room to house the books and still provide space for the reading public.

Mrs. Mildner pointed out that the city already is levying the maximum 15 mills allowed by law for library purposes.

A COMMITTEE was appointed to investigate probable costs of a repair and enlarging program, and planned to submit its report at another meeting last night (Wednesday).

Also to be investigated was the possibility of a bond issue to pay for the modernization program.

The proposed addition would include a room upstairs for book stacks, giving additional space for the reading room, and a storeroom and meeting room in the basement.

New Traffic Signals Here

The city council reported Tuesday night that the stop and go traffic signals which are to be placed on Main street have arrived.

Henry Victor Leaves For Germany Monday

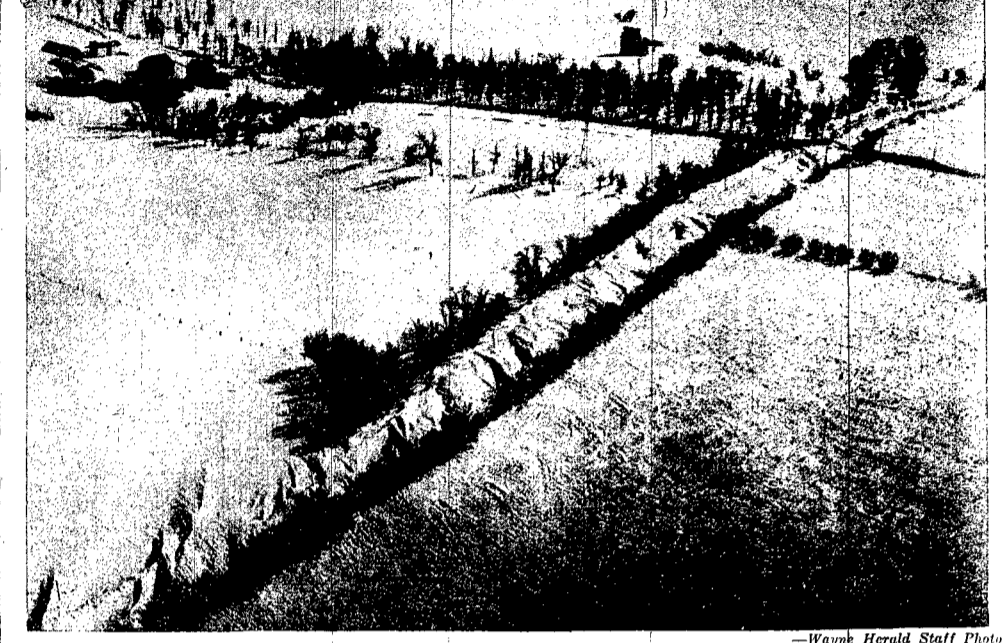
Henry Victor left Wayne Monday for Washington, D. C., where he will complete arrangements for his trip to Germany.

Churches Schedule Lenten Services

The Wayne Ministerial association has scheduled a series of Lenten programs opening with services at the Methodist church on March 6.

The Weather

U.S. weather bureau forecast through Sunday, Feb. 13.



Last Sunday Pilot Duane Closs of the Wayne Air Service and Karl F. Schwartz, Herald publisher, made an aerial photo survey of blizzard conditions in the area around Wayne.

Report From Wakefield Area

Wakefield—Mayor V. H. R. Hanson has appointed Roy Wiggins chairman of a Wakefield emergency committee.

Bressler flew Mrs. Fremont Lubberstedt from Wayne to Wakefield so that she could be with her mother, who has been ill.

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Highway Report

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