

# With Boro=L. I. Boy Scouts

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## Enjoy Camping

Despite the lack of snow, the Brooklyn winter campers are enjoying all the winter sports except skiing. Ice-skating on the Kanoh-wahke Lakes is the favorite sport. A hockey team under the leadership of "Red" Dreyer and a baseball team captained by Harvey Robinson has been formed. The camp is composed of 57 members.

Assistant Scout Executive Joseph W. O'Farrell is campmaster, assisted by Scout Executive Lindsley F. Kimball. The group is divided into six patrols headed by Patrol Leaders Dick Duvall, "Tip" Teplitz, Maite Ericson, Gotthard Janson and Dick Maguire. A daily newspaper is edited and published by Murray Bell, Sam Teplitz, Alfred Schwartz, Moughty Siroty and J. Whitaker. The cheer leaders are "Red" Dreyer and Murray Duberstein.

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## Queens Winter Camp

The Queens winter campers at Camp Matinecock on the Kanoh-wahke Lakes are enjoying a real invigorating week of fun. Field Executive Theodore P. Thomas is in charge of the 34 Queens boys. Popcorn roasts, "weenie" roasts, and songs are a favorite indoor sport. Soap and wood carving are also popular with the campers. The group is divided into four patrols led by Scouts Clifford Phoebus, William Meyer, Samuel Post and Milton Halpern.

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## At Camp Wauwepex

Forty-five Scouts from various parts of Nassau County left Camp Wauwepex today, after having spent one of the best seasons of winter camping ever conducted by the Nassau Council. The boys started on their trip last Tuesday and their stay was full of the usual "fun and pep." The activities centered about skating and hiking. The boys found plenty of fun in the smaller ponds near camp and organized an active hockey team.

Many of the old stand-bys of summer days were among the boys in camp, Jimmie Campbell, of Floral Park; Francis McCourt, of West Hempstead, and "Benny" of Sea Cliff, were all on hand to make the

days resound with fun and vigor. Not to mention the number of Scoutmasters and assistants. Under the capable assistance of the camping committee of the Council, Field Executives Clayton S. Ingison and Hazen A. Ross took the lead in conducting the second winter camp ever ducted by the council.

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More than 1,000 Brooklyn Boy Scouts and officers of the Jewish faith attended a Boy Scout Chanukah celebration at the Brooklyn Jewish Centre, 667 Eastern pkwy. last Sunday morning. Emanuel Hayt, director of the Boy Scout Extension Bureau of the United Synagogue of America, was in charge.

Rabbi Alter Landesman of the Hebrew Educational Society, offered a prayer of thanks. Albert Rosenblatt, president of the New York State branch of the United Synagogue, told the Scouts the meaning of the kindling of the Chanukah candles. Field Scout Executive Joseph W. Levine, representing Scout Executive Lindsley F. Kimball, spoke on the Scout's duty to his religion. Scouts Robert Friedman and Arthur Benjamin rendered some fine Hebrew vocal selections appropriate for the occasion, while Mr. Barnett, noted singer, sang Eli Eli. The closing benediction was said by Rabbi Levinthal of the Brooklyn Jewish Centre.

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## Hike Southward

Three Scouts of Troop 39, Bedford District, spent the last week on a hike down South and back. The Scouts are Dave Jonas, Leonard "Pinky" Pinkowitz and Bernard Davis. The troop boasts of a well-fitted museum. The basketball team is open to challenges. Scout Dave Jonas, 448 Empire Blvd., is in charge of booking games. The Troop meets every Friday at the Union Temple, 7 Eastern pkwy. Irving Clymin is the Scoutmaster.

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Troop S 26 of the Williamsburgh District, celebrated its 15th anniversary with a parents' meeting at the Eastern District Y.M.C.A. recently. District Commissioner Sidney Weiss complimented the Troop upon the fine work and urged the members not to slacken up their