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Greys Swept to Great Victory by Last Minute Flood of Points

The Greys have won. At the banquet, the moment for which every camper had worked all summer at last arrived. One by one the figures were pinned to the banner to reveal the score: Greys, 20,804; Maroons, 19,545. This is the largest score in Kawanhee's history. It exceeds by almost 9000 the previous record score, made in 1941. These figures alone are sufficient commentary on the enthusiasm which has characterized the summer.

The Greys can congratulate themselves on a uniformly triumphant season. Each announcement of the score has found them in the lead. Only twice were they crowded by the Maroons. The most serious threat to the victors was made known on August 14, when there were only 106 points between the two teams. The days that followed witnessed the most concentrated activity in camp history. Altogether, 17,423 points were piled up. The Greys claimed 9288 of these and their final margin of victory over the Maroons amounted to the impressive figure of 1259.

Williams High Point Winner, Smith Completes Two Plaques

There was little surprise, but much enthusiastic applause, at the announcement that the name of Tom Williams, Junior B, would be engraved on the High Point Winner Plaque for the season of 1943. Since the end of July his steady amassing of achievement levels has kept him far in the lead. At the final count, he had 978 points, the result of passing all of his Junior B levels and more than half of those required for Junior A.

In the last two weeks J. Smith, Senior, has been on Williams' heels. In the end he had 932 points, representing the finishing of an incomplete Junior A plaque, a complete Senior plaque, and 13 Boy Scout merit badges. Two brothers came next in order of points won: W. Licklider, Jr. C, with 739; and S. Licklider, Jr. A, with 720. The only other scores above 600 were chalked up by R. Donaldson, Senior, with 643, and R. Sayre, Jr. C, with 608.

Special Camp Awards

LATTIMER CUP

Greatest Physical Improvement
James Moseley

BENUA CUP

Greatest Athletic Improvement
Ted Mixer

SHEPARD CUP

Greatest Improvement in Swimming
Drew Davies

CAMP PLAQUE

High Point Winner
Tom Williams

Banquet, Show and Services Put Finishing Touches on Season

The celebration of the closing of the season filled three days. The annual banquet was held at Kawanhee Inn on the evening of August 20. It was, as usual, the climax of the summer, a combination of good food and great excitement. The traditional program, including the final Log, the awards, and the revelation of the score, was probably most notable for the admirable speeches of this year's two very able captains, Terry Webster and Irving Bouton.

Saturday afternoon Kawanhee's World's Series was played and in the evening the major production of the Footlight Knights was presented. It was an amusing comedy, *Balanced Diet*, given under the direction of Maurice Allgyer. The cast squeezed every laugh from the script and added a few of their own. J. Smith, as a sweater girl, and R. Jones, as her dyspeptic Pa, were the hits of the performance.

Two impressive services and two inspiring talks brought the season to a memorable conclusion on Sunday. In the morning, the Reverend Carl Elmore spoke in the Church on the Shore. The vesper service was held in the Recreation Hall, with the Reverend C. Ronald Garmey as the speaker. A heavy storm Sunday afternoon made Council Point unusable for the traditional ceremony of Chief Kawanhee's farewell visit.

Twenty-six Plaques Completed, Junior Cs Break All Records

Twenty-six achievement level plaques were completed this summer. All of the work for sixteen of these was accomplished in the eight weeks of this one season. This is a new record and one of which the camp is justly proud.

Most notable is the spectacular record of the Junior C group. Never before have any of these youngest campers completed their plaques in one season. This summer there were twelve who successfully reached the goal. The Falcon Lodge deserves a major share of the glory, for six of the twelve were Falcons. Chief Kawanhee may well tip his war bonnet to this summer's Junior Cs and give a deep bow of appreciation to David Barth and Harvey Burger whose vigorous handling of the Junior C program made it possible for the boys to realize their abilities.

The complete list of those who completed plaques in one year or more may be found on the second page.

Red Sox Capture Series, Knock Off Cards in Ninth Inning

The Red Sox took the World's Series by the score of 8 to 7. The game was played the afternoon of August 21.

The festivities started in true Kawanhee form, with Mr. Lee Ward leading the procession to the athletic field. The band attempted a march while walking. The players and umpires streamed onto the field and the game began.

The first inning started things with a bang. The Red Sox scored two runs, thanks to Ted Huntington's triple. The Cards, however, came right back and tied it up when Ken Licht doubled with two men on. The Red Sox added three runs in the 3rd and two more in the 5th. The Cards had four in the 3rd and another in the 5th. It wasn't until the 9th that the tie was broken. The Red Sox took advantage of two errors and scored what proved to be the winning run. The Cards went down in order in their half and Red Sox had won the Series.

The umpires were Coach Smith and Ethan Davis.

Athletic Ribbons

ARCHERY CHAMPIONS

A. Wunsch
T. Williams
E. Garfield
G. Watts

GREATEST IMPROVEMENT

S. Garmey
D. Jolkovski
W. Robson
R. Donaldson

ATHLETICS CHAMPIONS

W. Licklider
T. Williams
G. Willard
G. Watts

GREATEST IMPROVEMENT

R. Sayre
P. Strachan
Tim Johnson
T. Mixer

BASEBALL CHAMPIONS

W. Licklider
T. Williams
P. Mykrantz
J. Smith

GREATEST IMPROVEMENT

M. Palmer
J. LeFever
G. Myers
F. Huntington

BOXING CHAMPIONS

W. Licklider
M. Nelson
J. Smith

GREATEST IMPROVEMENT

R. Sayre
P. Baldwin
G. Matchneer

DIVING CHAMPIONS

L. Page
M. Nelson
J. Hanna
J. Smith

GREATEST IMPROVEMENT

J. Fincke
J. LeFever
W. Robson
N. Goss

SAILING CHAMPIONS

T. Brydon
R. Lagemann
C. Henry

GREATEST IMPROVEMENT

J. Loveless
Tim Johnson
R. Donaldson

SWIMMING CHAMPIONS

R. Sayre
M. Davis
G. Matchneer
G. Watts

GREATEST IMPROVEMENT

F. Stevens
J. Moseley
P. Strachan
T. Mixer

TENNIS CHAMPIONS

T. Williams
W. Carpenter
F. Huntington

GREATEST IMPROVEMENT

J. LeFever
A. Brockie
T. Mixer

Plaques Completed This Summer

J. Cloud	Junior C Plaque, 2 years
W. Davis	Junior A Plaque, 4 years
G. Defoe	Junior C Plaque, 1 year
D. Desmond	Junior C Plaque, 1 year
B. Durell	Junior A Plaque, 2 years
D. Fay	Junior A Plaque, 2 years
J. Fincke	Junior C Plaque, 1 year
M. Griley	Junior C Plaque, 1 year
Tom Johnson	Junior C Plaque, 1 year
Tim Johnson	Junior A Plaque, 2 years
S. Licklider	Junior A Plaque, 1 year
W. Licklider	Junior C Plaque, 1 year
T. Magruder	Junior A Plaque, 4 years
L. Mowry	Junior C Plaque, 1 year
L. Page	Junior C Plaque, 1 year
W. Robson	Junior A Plaque, 1 year
F. Sater	Junior C Plaque, 1 year
R. Sayre	Junior C Plaque, 1 year
J. Smith	Junior A Plaque, 2 years
J. Smith	Senior Plaque, 1 year
H. Strachan	Junior C Plaque, 2 years
G. Watts	Junior A Plaque, 2 years
R. Watts	Junior C Plaque, 1 year
T. Williams	Junior B Plaque, 1 year
A. Wunsch	Junior C Plaque, 1 year
D. Yates	Junior B Plaque, 2 years

Merit Badges, August 14-21

<i>Bird Study (30 points)</i>	J. Smith
<i>Camping (30 points)</i>	N. Goss
<i>Canoeing (10 points)</i>	J. Smith
<i>First Aid (15 points)</i>	J. Smith
<i>Forestry (20 points)</i>	R. Ward
<i>Physical Development (35 points)</i>	J. Smith
<i>Rocks and Minerals (25 points)</i>	R. Ward
<i>Rowing (10 points)</i>	W. Davis
<i>Woodcarving (10 points)</i>	N. Goss
<i>Wood Work (10 points)</i>	N. Goss

Tournament Winners

Various tournaments concluded during the final week added appreciably to the score.

In the tennis tournaments, the champions scored 50 and the runners-up 25. The champions were, of course, the winners of the ribbons, except in the Senior A division, where R. Jones defeated I. Bouton in the finals. The other runners-up were: N. Goss, Senior B; Robt. Miller, Jr. A; and J. LeFever, Junior B.

The checkers and horseshoe tournaments carried 15 and 10 for the finalists. T. Mixer won the checkers, with R. Donaldson as runner-up. The horseshoe champions proved to be: G. Watts, Senior; R. Kitchel, Jr. A; T. Williams, Jr. B; and A. Wunsch, Jr. C. The runners-up were: F. Huntington, Senior; F. Jones, Jr. B; and G. Defoe, Jr. C.

Departmental Honors

BOATING

G. Defoe	S. Garmey	H. Strachan
	Junior C	
	Junior B	
	H. Brown	
	Junior A	
	R. Peckett	
	Senior	
	G. Matchneer	

CANOEING

J. Cloud	W. Licklider	R. Sayre
	Junior C	
	Junior B	
	R. Foote	
	Junior A	
	G. Willard	
	Senior	
	Tim Johnson	

HANDICRAFT BEST WORKMEN

W. Licklider	L. Mowry	F. Sater
	Junior C	
	R. Watts	
	Junior B	
J. Allen	P. Baldwin	R. Foote
	T. Williams	
	Junior A	
W. Daley	S. Licklider	W. Robson
	H. Sengelmann	
	Senior	
B. Durell	H. Erf	J. Smith
	R. Wilson	

NATURE

HONOR AWARDS

<i>General Interest</i>		
W. Licklider, Jr. C	R. Clarke, Jr. B	
T. Williams, Jr. B	R. Gude, Jr. A	
R. Kitchel, Jr. A	P. Mathewson, Jr. A	
<i>Bird Study</i>		
D. Dignan, Jr. B	R. Kitchel, Jr. A	
<i>Fern Study</i>		
T. Williams, Jr. B		
<i>Flower Study</i>		
M. Griley, Jr. C	M. Macgowan, Jr. C	
<i>Frog Dissection</i>		
G. Matchneer, Senior		
<i>Insect Study</i>		
J. Allen, Jr. A	T. Magruder, Jr. A	
<i>Mineral Study</i>		
J. Volk, Jr. C	R. Taylor, Jr. B	
R. Bierhoff, Jr. A	G. Myers, Jr. A	

Moss Study

Robt. Miller, Jr. A

Moths and Butterflies

G. Myers, Jr. A	B. Durell, Senior
Tim Johnson, Senior	

WOODCRAFT

MERITORIOUS AWARDS

	Junior C	
	A. Wunsch	
	Junior B	
D. Dignan	R. Lamb	P. Strong
	Junior A	
T. Mixer		W. Robson
N. Goss	Senior B	J. Smith

Swimming Tests, August 7-21

<i>Cove Swim</i>		
G. Defoe	D. Desmond	J. Fincke
M. Griley	W. Licklider	T. Nelson
M. Palmer		A. Wunsch
<i>Lake Swim</i>		
H. Brown	L. Mowry	R. Sayre
<i>Junior Life Saving</i>		
G. Brett		R. Coffin
<i>Senior Life Saving</i>		
	D. Spangler	

ACHIEVEMENT LEVELS PASSED — August 14- August 20

AQUATICS			Senior — Third Level			Junior A — Third Level		
Junior C — Second Level			Junior C — Third Level			Senior — First Level		
B. Ford	Tom Johnson	F. Sater	L. Mowry	M. Palmer	F. Stevens	B. Durell	D. Fay	Tim Johnson
J. Volk		R. Watts	J. Volk		R. Watts	S. Licklider		W. Robson
Junior C — Third Level			Junior B — First Level			Senior — Second Level		
J. Cloud	D. Desmond	J. Fincke	R. Davies		M. Nelson	W. Davis		J. Smith
M. Griley	Tom Johnson	L. Mowry				R. Donaldson		J. Smith
F. Sater	H. Strachan	R. Watts				Robt. Miller		J. Smith
Junior B — First Level			Junior B — Second Level			Senior — Third Level		
P. Baldwin	R. Lamb	J. LeFever	H. Brown	R. Davies	M. Nelson			
Junior B — Second Level			Junior B — Third Level			WOODCRAFT		
J. Allen	P. Baldwin	R. Lamb	H. Brown	R. Davies	F. Jones	Junior C — First Level		
J. LeFever	J. Loveless	P. Strachan		M. Nelson		G. Defoe	D. Desmond	B. Ford
Junior B — Third Level			Junior A — First Level			J. Fincke	S. Garmey	M. Griley
H. Brown	J. LeFever	J. Loveless	E. Eckfeldt	S. Graves	D. Jolkovski	Tom Johnson	W. Licklider	M. Macgowan
T. Nelson	R. Taylor	D. Yates	F. Jones	P. Mykrantz	R. Peckett	L. Mowry	L. Page	M. Palmer
Junior A — First Level			Junior A — Second Level			F. Sater	R. Sayre	F. Stevens
G. Brett	M. Davis	J. Hanna	E. Eckfeldt	D. Hamilton	F. Jones	J. Volk	R. Warren	R. Watts
J. Liggett	R. Liggett	P. Mathewson	R. Peckett	H. Sengelmann	D. Yates	Junior C — Second Level		
G. Myers	R. Peckett	P. Pixley				J. Cloud	G. Defoe	D. Desmond
P. Smalbein	M. Umpleby	D. Yates	J. Allen	P. Baldwin	T. Brydon	B. Ford	J. Fincke	S. Garmey
Junior A — Second Level			W. Daley	M. Davis	E. Eckfeldt	M. Griley	Tom Johnson	W. Licklider
R. Borg	G. Brett	G. Clark	T. Griley	D. Hamilton	G. Matchneer	M. Macgowan	L. Mowry	L. Page
M. Davis	J. Liggett	R. Liggett	J. Moseley	G. Myers	H. Sengelmann	M. Palmer	F. Sater	R. Sayre
P. Mathewson	G. Myers	P. Mykrantz	P. Smalbein		D. Yates	F. Stevens	H. Strachan	J. Volk
G. Willard		D. Yates	W. Daley			R. Warren	R. Watts	A. Wunsch
Junior A — Third Level			Senior — First Level			Junior C — Third Level		
R. Borg	G. Clark	E. Eckfeldt	Tim Johnson		D. Ulry	J. Cloud	G. Defoe	D. Desmond
C. Hawkins	S. Licklider	J. Liggett				B. Ford	J. Fincke	S. Garmey
R. Liggett	W. Robson	G. Willard	H. Erf			M. Griley	Tom Johnson	W. Licklider
Senior — First Level			Senior — Second Level			M. Macgowan	L. Mowry	L. Page
R. Donaldson	Tim Johnson	D. Swift	W. Daley	Tim Johnson		M. Palmer	F. Sater	R. Sayre
Senior — Second Level			Senior — Third Level			F. Stevens	H. Strachan	J. Volk
R. Donaldson	B. Durell	N. Goss		Tim Johnson		R. Warren	R. Watts	A. Wunsch
Tim Johnson	G. Matchneer	D. Swift				Junior B — First Level		
Senior — Third Level						M. Davis		
R. Donaldson	J. Garrison	N. Goss				Junior B — Second Level		
	D. Swift					P. Baldwin	M. Davis	R. Davies
ATHLETICS						D. Hamilton	F. Harrah	F. Jones
Junior C — Third Level						R. Lamb	R. McKenzie	T. Nelson
J. Moseley	M. Palmer						R. Taylor	
Junior B — First Level						Junior B — Third Level		
J. Allen	M. Davis	R. Davies				J. Allen	P. Baldwin	T. Brydon
R. Foote	W. Licklider	R. McKenzie				M. Davis	D. Hamilton	F. Harrah
J. Moseley	R. Sayre	J. Wilson				F. Jones	R. Lamb	J. LeFever
Junior B — Second Level						R. McKenzie	J. Moseley	M. Nelson
J. Allen	M. Davis	R. Foote				T. Nelson	R. Taylor	J. Wilson
W. Licklider	R. McKenzie	J. Moseley				Junior A — First Level		
R. Sayre	H. Strachan	J. Wilson				E. Garfield	S. Graves	D. Jolkovski
Junior B — Third Level						P. Mykrantz		P. Pixley
J. Allen	H. Brown	T. Brydon				Junior A — Second Level		
D. Dignan	P. Jones	R. Kitchel				G. Brett	G. Clark	S. Graves
M. Nelson	P. Strong	D. Yates				T. Griley	C. Hawkins	G. Watts
Junior A — First Level						Junior A — Third Level		
G. Brett	J. Hanna	F. Harrah				G. Brett	G. Clark	W. Daley
K. Hoyt	R. Kitchel	S. Licklider				D. Davies	E. Eckfeldt	D. Fay
J. Liggett	R. Liggett	G. Matchneer				C. Hawkins	S. Licklider	J. Liggett
T. Mixer	P. Mykrantz	P. Pixley				R. Liggett	P. Mykrantz	G. Watts
H. Sengelmann	P. Smalbein	G. Willard						
Junior A — Second Level						Senior — First Level		
G. Brett	J. Hanna	F. Harrah				R. Borg	Rich. Miller	H. Erf
K. Hoyt	R. Kitchel	S. Licklider				Senior — Second Level		
J. Liggett	R. Liggett	G. Matchneer				R. Borg	W. Davis	P. Mathewson
T. Mixer	P. Mykrantz	P. Pixley					Rich. Miller	
H. Sengelmann	P. Smalbein	G. Willard				Senior — Third Level		
Junior A — Third Level						B. Durell	H. Sengelmann	
A. Brockie	W. Daley	W. Davis						
D. Fay	Tim Johnson	S. Licklider				SAILING		
R. Liggett	T. Magruder	Rich. Miller				Junior B — First Level		
T. Mixer	W. Robson	G. Willard				J. Loveless	R. Foote	F. Jones
Senior — First Level						R. McKenzie	M. Nelson	P. Strachan
S. Cummings	R. Donaldson	P. Lagemann				P. Strong	R. Taylor	T. Williams
	Robt. Miller					Junior B — Second Level		
Senior — Second Level						J. Loveless	M. Nelson	T. Williams
S. Cummings	R. Donaldson	Robt. Miller				J. Loveless	T. Williams	D. Yates
						Junior A — First Level		
						A. Brockie	S. Graves	J. Liggett
							T. Mixer	
						Junior A — Second Level		
						A. Brockie	S. Graves	R. Gude
						Tim Johnson	R. Peckett	W. Robson

Range Awards, August 14-21

Pro-Marksman			Marksman		
T. Bent	G. Clark	R. Lamb	T. Bent	G. Clark	S. Licklider
J. MacDonald	G. Myers	R. Peckett	J. MacDonald	J. Moseley	P. Smalbein
Marksman First Class			Sharpshooter		
T. Bent	G. Clark	C. Hawkins	J. Allen	M. Nelson	P. Smalbein
J. MacDonald	J. Moseley		J. Moseley		
P. Strong					



PUNK FROM THE LOG



THE 1943 ALPHABET

A is for Allgyer, king of the courts,
Of dropping the hanky and other such sports.
B is for Brydon and beans baked by Bridget,
For Burtis the Banker's allowance-day fidget,
For Borg and the bell, who are both so outspoken,
And the Nurse whom the summer left Bent but unbroken,
For Baldwin and Bierhoff and blue-berry pie,
For the bomb-racks so busy when Bryant comes by,
For baseball and Bouton and two-story bunks,
And Bateman, that great man, the dunker of skunks.
C calls for Carpenter, Cummings and Clark,
For the counsellors and charts on which Chief leaves his mark,
For Coach as he coasts down the cascades at Coos,
For the Crows who played baseball and cooked their own goose,
For checkers and Cloud and each loud-ringing cheer,
And the Chief whisp'ring Corn Flakes in G. R.'s right ear.
D is for diving and also Drew Davies,
Whose nose dives are made into whipped cream and gravies,
The Davises, Webby and Malcolm and "Eatin'",
And Davey's own Haven, where we hold Town Meetin',
For Desmond and Dignan and dirt on the floors,
For the daisies and dahlias on Donaldson's drawers,
For Daley, Durell and for dunkings diverse,
And Gardner Defoe pitching woo at the nurse.
E is for Emma and Elmore and Eckfeldt,
And the Eagles whose counsellors learned how a wreck felt.
F is for Foote and for flit-guns and Fluff,
For Ford, and for Fincke when he's strutting his stuff,
For funny books, Franks, and for Freddie the Fang,
And the Falcons who fall from their beds with a bang.
G's for the Grileys, the Greys, and for Graves,
For Gager and George saving maids from the waves,
For Garfield and Garmey, for Gude and for Goss,
And Garrison's graft as a blackmarket boss.
H is for Hamilton, stilt-walking snappily,
For hypnotized Huntington, hopping so happily,
For Hoyt and the high-board, when Hanna is diving,
And Harrah, when hospital-haunting or jiving.
I for the Inn-mates, so proper, till lobsters
On Friday nights change then to gate-crashing mobsters.
J's for Jolkovski and J.L.S. classes,
And the Jones who in church gets religion and basses.
K is for Kitchel, with bullfrogs so chummy,
And Kiefer whose new second Nature is Krummy.
L is for Loveless and loons and LeFever,
Each Licklider, Liggett and level-achiever,
For Lupfer and Licht and for leaks in the roof,
For the Lynx, who aren't missing, and lamb on the hoof.
As for M, first there's Ma, to whom everyone's partial,
Then the mail, and the mouse on the mantel, and Marshall,
And Moseley the Measley, and Mowry and Myers,
And Merrill MacGoon, whose the champ of bed-pie-ers,
And Mathewson, Matchneer, and Mack's motorboat,
Which may not motor much but at least it does float,
And Millers, mosquitoes, Maroons and Magruder,
And Mixer whose upper lip's now somewhat nuder.
N names the Nelsons, first Red and then Ted,
And Nowold the Archer. It's also been said
That N stands for napkins to wipe with when fed—
We wipe off our chins with our elbows instead!
As for O, we say "Oh", when the orchestra plays,
Or when Otto the Strong in our neighborhood strays.
P for such paddles as poor Piersche paints,
Or such paddles as pacify polecats' complaints,
For puddles and Pixley and Peckett and plaques,
And Palmer the Bomber 'n' the punch that he packs.
For Q the Quarter and the question of quiet
(Queer, how some people still think we should try it).
R runs to Robson, the Red Sox, the Range,
And the rain which has missed us a day for a change.
S is for Sayre, and for Sater and Swift,
For showers and swims and the ten-thirty shift,
For the singing of songs in our own subtle manner,
For the Strachans and the strains of *The Star-Spangled Banner*,
For Smalbein, called "Small Bean", and Sengelmann too,
And the splash when Carl Strong tries to launch a canoe.
T is for Taylor, and for *Taps* and *Tatoo*,
And our time, tempermental, for which the bell blew.
To U we'll cry "Uncle" as under pants do
To the laundry which tints them a gruesome pink hue.
V is for victory, V is for Volk,
If his shoe strings were tied up his ankles would choke.
The W tactlessly brings up the weather
And Weaver the Beaver and birds of that feather,
With Williams, the winner of levels, and Windle,
And Wambaugh (We'd blush if his shirt tails should dwindle!),
With water meets, Wilsons, with Warren and Wunsch,
And Watts, as Bo Peep, and the Wheaties we munch,
With Webster on letter-day, counting the words,
And Ward who's familiar with rare Arctic birds.
X for our eXodus—Bryant's our Moses!
The Y is for Yates and the year that now closes.
The Z is unclaimed, so it's Austin Z. Zoot's,
Who, 'though not here at all, was with Licht in cahoots.
That is the end of our chore alphabetic.
We'll add just a few lines of a nature prophetic.
When we've had the post-season for giving that show,
And the winter has passed with its school-work and snow,
We'll hail summer's return for the very good reason
That it means that Kawanhee will start a new season.