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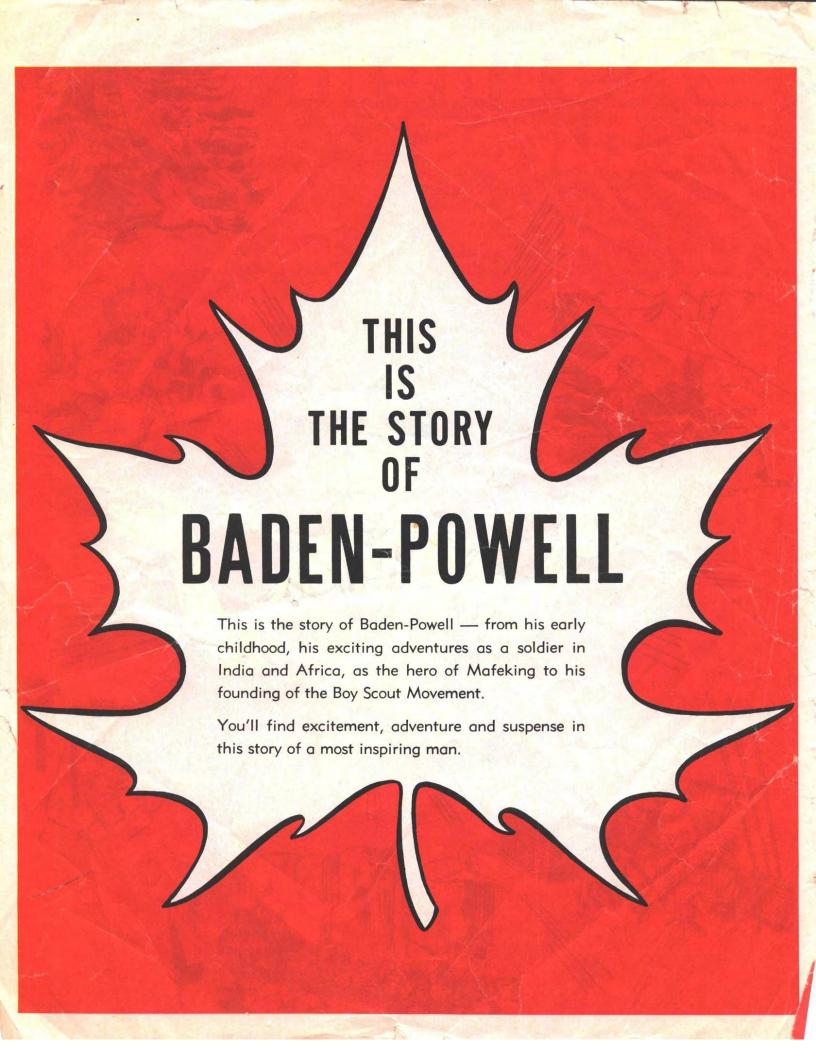


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THE BADEN POWELL STORY





LONDON, in the year 1857.

The Crimean War has just ended, and the Indian Mutiny is imminent. At No. 6, Stanhope Gardens, the home of the Rev. H.G. Baden Powell,

a new baby is born...

STORY BY ALAN JASON DRAWN BY ALLEYANS



























THE BADEN POWELL STORY





LONDON, in the year 1870.

After winning a scholarship to Charterhouse, young Robert Baden Powell soon begins to make a name for himself. With the helpof the Headmaster, he leads a school relief party in the friendly feud against the Smithfield Butcher boys.

STORY BY ALAN JASON:









I'LL GIVE A FIDD SOLO, PLAY THE MOUTH-ORGAN, OCARINA — AND THE PIANO WITH MY TOES! WILL THAT BE ENOUGH, SIR?











But, in 1872, the school moves to













When Charterhouse school moves to Godalming, Baden Powell discovers a thrill in the wild life of 'The Copse'. One afternoon, he and a friend break bounds to visit 'The Copse'. Baden Powell hears somebody coming and the boys hide.

STORY BY ALAN JASON : DRAWN BY AYRMANS















over, the four brothers put out to sea.













you wanted to see us, sia y

YES, MY BOY. SIT DOWN, I WANT TO TALK ABOUT WUR FLITURE.

WHEN | LEAVE SIR I*VE TgOU6HT OF BEING A MIsSI@N ANY PERHAPS AN ACTOR - BUT I DO





year by year becoming selfmore reliant.

STORY BY ALANI IAC DRAWN

ANYTHING

-BYE.SIR-

VER FORGET

AND CHARTERHOUSE

WON'T FORGET YOU.

LUCK GO WITH YOU!

'S THIS ? AN OPEN INATION FOR ANCE INTO THE THAT'S AN TALL THE T NT. I MI

FINALLY, IT IS MY GREAT PLEASURE, ON BEHALF OF THE WHOLE SCHOOL, TO WISH GOD-SPEED TO BADEN POWELL OR, AS YOU CALL HIM, "BATHING TOWEL!" WE SHALL MISS HIM. HERE

Portsmouth, October 30th, 1876. The 'Serapis' is about to sail for India.

WELL, LIEUTENANT, THIS IS TO BE OUR HOME TILL WE REACH BOMBAY...

WEtt.YOU MiGHe b€ IN7ERESTED IN T+IIS MGWSMPER ADVERTJ5OMENT TAt'tE IT — RCAD IT AT NoUR £E@URe.



OUT OF 700 CANDIDATES IN THE ARMY ENTRANCE EXAM, BADEN POWELL TOOK SECOND PLACE FOR CAVALRY AND FOURTH FOR INFANTRY. HE IS EXCUSED SANDHURST, AND WILL BE GAZETTED 2nd-LIEUTENANT IN THE 13th HUSSARS "THE LILYWHITES".

...YOU'LL ENJOY THE VOYAGE, MR POWELL. IT'S ALL RIGHT UNTIL WE REACH THE RED SEA — THEN YOU'LL KNOW WHAT

ALWAYS WANTED TO SEE THE EAST.











I'M THE NEW ENSIGN,



YOU'LL GET A
cKGNCG RMO*6W.
YOU'D BETTER
COME ALONG.



COLONGE BAKER
RUSSELL, COMMANDING
THE HUSSARS, WELCOME
RIDIA KAVE YOU
EVER GONE PIGSTICKING?

STORY BY PLAN JASON: DRAWN BY

Next day.



BARA DANT WALLAH!



I'LL MŒT G HIM FOR YOU, SAHIB!

















LUCKNOW,

LUCKNOW, in the year 1876. When Baden Powell leaves Charterhouse, he becomes a subaltern in the 13th Hussars and travels to India to join his regiment at Lucknow. On his first hunt for wild boar, Baden Powell very bravely faces an enraged tusker and, together wi'h his Colonel, succeeds in spearing it. Later, 'in the Officers' Mess . . .

STORY BY ALAN JASON: DRAWN BY AYRONS







But after a bout of fever, B.P. returned to England. In 1880, he rejoined his regiment near Kandahar, on the North-West Fron-













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THE BADEN POWELL STORY





N.W. FRONTIER in the year 1880.

in the year 1880. After leaving Charter-house, Baden Powell becomes a 2nd-Lieutenant in the 13th Hussars and joins his regiment in India. B.P. goes home on sick leave, but later returns to find that his regiment is involved in clashes with the Afghans. That night, the enemy make a surprise attack.

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THE BADEN POWELL STORY





N.W. FRONTIER

in the year 1880.
When Baden Powell,
who is a 2nd-Lieutenant, rejoins the 13th
Hussars in India, he
finds that his regiment
is involved in clashes
with the Afghans, who
are continually stealing valuable horses.
B.P. plans to defeat
the fierce Afghan raiders. He and his Colonel hide and watch the
scheme succeed . . .

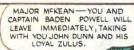
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SOUTH AFRICA ESHOWE LAND

In 1884, the regiment leaves India. Baden Powell, now a Captain, visits Africa before doing some home service. In January, 1888, Africa calls him again . . .

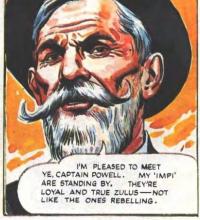


























ZULULAND, in the year 1888.

Baden Powell becomes a Baden Powell becomes a 2nd-Lieutenant in the 13th Hussars, serving in India, and takes an active part fighting the Afghans. Later, B.P., now a Captain, goes to Africa, where a Zulu uprising has started. While scouting, on a mission to relieve a fort, he is surprised by an enemy warrior. warrior.

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STAY HERE AND WITH YOUR



















in the year 1888.

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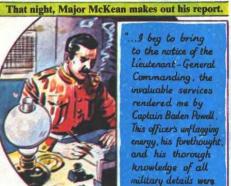
After service in Ind a and at home, Captain Baden Powell, 13th Hussars, is sent to Africa, where there is a Zulu rising. With Major McKean and John Dunn, B.P. goes to assist a besieged fort and comes across an enemy tribe. Meanwhile, the fort is relieved and a party is sent out to search party is sent out to search for Baden Powell.

STORY BY ALAN JASON DRAWN BY WORMS









of the greatest assistance to me

















E BADEN





OF BUTTERFLIES

BUTTERFLIES!

THANK YOU. NOW I'LL BID YOU GOOD

YOU ENGLISH MUST BE MAD! BUTTERFLIES INDEED!

IF ONLY THEY'D SKS GG CONTGt N



book.

STORY BY ALAN JASON: DRAWN BY ASSESSED











The clouds of unrest gather
over Africa
again — this
time on the
Gold Coast. In
1895, Baden 1895, Baden Powell is chosen for special serv-ice in the fear-ed Ashanti



TAKE THIS APE AWAY FOR THE SACRIFICE NOT FOR NOTHING IS MY CAPITAL CALLED "KUMASSI — THE DEATH PLACE". I WILL KILL ALL PEOPLE WHO DO NOT WORSHIP AT MY FEET. 1. PREMPEH, HAVE SPOKEN!

MAJOR POWELL, I HEARD FROM

WERE COMING - AND NOT BOPORE 'RE NEEDED, EITHER!



ASHANTI IS A FOREST COUNTRY. YOU'LL MEET SWAMPS, AND GOVGR. THTS

IS AN EVIL MAN. HE'S GOT TO



I SUGGEST WE START SOME OF THE MOST RELIABLE TRIBES.

EXCELLENT! WE'LL START AT





THE EVIL KING'S BEST ALLIES. IT'S EASY TO GET LOST



DRUMS! I WISH I KNEW

THE DRUMS SPEAK FOR THE KING OF BEKWAI WE MUST GO TO HIS AID AT ONCE!

AGAINST

WHAT'S

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in the year 1895.

in the year 1895.
After service in India, at home, in Africa and in the Mediterranean, Major Baden Powell is sent to Africa again, where he and Sir Francis Scott lead an expedition against an expedition gainst an evil king named Prempeh. B.P. learns that the King of Bekwai



And so B.P. hurries off to-













WE THROUGH, LORD — THERE'S BEKWAI!

THIS IS
NO TIME FOR
COMPLIMENTS!
RUN UP THE FLAG
AND WE'LL
PALAVER.



At the River Ordah, Baden Powell halts his men.



THE BEST FORM OF DEFENCE IS ATTACK. WE SHALL JOIN FORCES AND MARCH FOR KUMASSI. IF WE MEET
PREMPEH'S WARRIORS THEY'LL GET A TASTE OF THEIR OWN MEDICINE WE MUST LEAVE

THIS IS YERY STRANGE - WE HAVE NOT BEEN WHAT'S PREMPEH

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THE BADEN POWELL STORY





After service in many countries, Major Baden Powell returns to Africa, where he and Sir Francis Scott lead an expedition against an evil king named Prempeh. After joining forces with the friendly king of Bekwai, B.P. sets out for kumasi, the enemy H.Q., intending to meet Sir Francis Scott on the way.

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B.P., not trusting









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The True Life Story of the Founder of the Boy Scout Movement.

GOLD COAST, in the year 1895.

in the year 1895.
After service in many countries,
Maior Baden Powell returns to
Africa, where he and Sir Francis Scott lead an expedition into
the Ashani country against an
evil King named Prempeh.
After Joining forces with the
Market State Countries
and Prempeh They arrange a
palaver with him for the next
day and then withdraw some
distance from the village, That
distance from the village, That
companied by a soldier, and
companied by a soldier, and
companied by a soldier, and
come me leave Prempeh's
but and come in his direction.

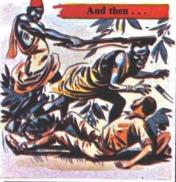
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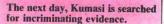






















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GOLD COAST, in the year 1895.

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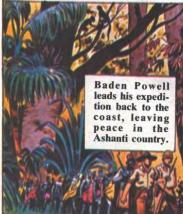


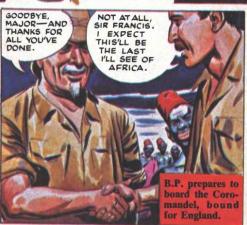














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The True Life Story of the Founder of the Boy Scout Movement.

BRITAIN,

in the year 1895

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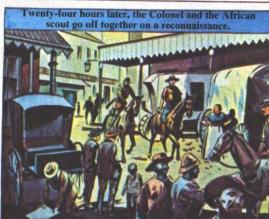


















THE BADEN POWELL STORY



The True Life Story of the Founder of the Boy Scout

SOUTHERN RHODESIA, in the year 1896.

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After the successful expedition against Prempeh, in the Gold Coast, Baden Powell recommended to the coast, Baden Powell recommended to the rank of Bervet-Lieutenant-Colonel and Immediately despatched to Southern Rhodesia, where the Matabele rebellion is 'taking place. On arrival at Bulawayo, he reports to General Sir Frederick Carrington and is introduced to Jan Grootboom, a loyal Zuliu scout. B.P. and loyal Zuliu scout. B.P. and Jan 20 out together on reconstance of a faulty map. The two mentals and the control of the con

STORY BY ALAN JASON:























THE BADEN POWELL STORY





SOUTHERN RHODESIA, in the year 1896.

After being promoted to the rank of Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel, Baden Powell is despatched to Southern Rhodesia, where the Matabele rebellion is taking place. On arrival at Bulawayo, he reciek Carrington and meets Jan Grootboom, a loyal Zuis cout. One aight, 8.9, and Jan, who are on reconnaissance together, discover a Matabele camp. B.P. creeps forward amongst the rocks to size up the enemy's strength, and the strength of the country of the strength of the country is strength.

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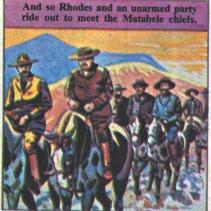














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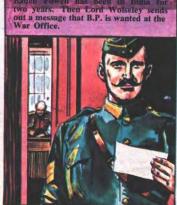






Baden Powell regained his health in England, and was then sent out to India and given command of the 5th Dragoon Guards. In a certain polo match between the Dragoons and 4th Hussars was a young cavalry subaltern n a m e d Winston Churchill!













GOOD! THERE'S A DANGER OF WAR WITH THE BOERS. YOU WILL RAISE TWO BATTALIONS OF MOUNTED RIFLES AND ORGANIZE THE POLICE IN CAPE COLONY — GOD SPEED!

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THE BADEN POWELL STORY



The True Life Story of the Founder of the Boy Scout Movement. SOUTH AFRICA

in the year 1899.

After playing a large part in bringing the Matabele rebelion to an end, Colonel Baden Powell, whom the natives have nicknamed "The Wolf that never sleeps", returns home to recover from an illness. When he is restored to health, B.P. is sent to India where, for two years, he commands the 5th Dragoon Guards. Whilst on leave, B.P. receives an order to report to Lord Wolseley at the War Office and is posted to South Africa, where there is the threat of war with the Boers.

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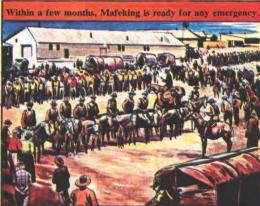


Wasting no time, B.P., and his staff Officer, Lord Edward Cecil, leave for Mafeking,



















THE BADEN POWELL STORY





in the year 1899.
After years of successful soldiering in many parts of the
world, Colonel Baden Powell
is posted to South Africa,
where there is the threat of
war with the Boers, On arrival, B.P. decides to mobilize
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And back goes the reply: "Our side is in—you must bowl us out first!"





















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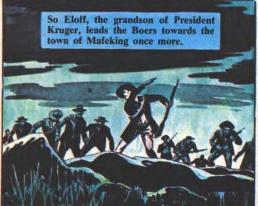




















THE BADEN POWELL STORY





Colonel Baden Powell is posted to South Africa and when the Boor War breaks out on October 11th, 1899, he is in command of the well-fortified fown of Mafeking. For many months the besieped town resists the attacks of marny led by General coloners, the Boorn of the

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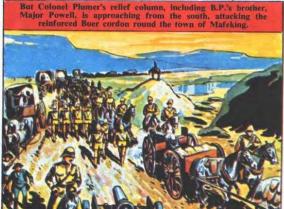
Try as they will, the Boers cannot break through to Mafeking.

BACK, MEN — WHILE THE GOING'S GOOD! WE SHAN'T BREAK THEIR DEFENCES NOW.















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in the year 1900,
When the Boer War breaks
out on October 11th, 1899,
Colonel Baden Powell is in
command of the well-fortitied town of Mafeking, For
many months, inspired by
B.P.'s leadership, the besieged

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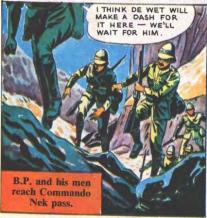


-but 6,000 miles awa HER MAJESTY SPEAKS FOR US ALL, COLONEL. YOU'VE DONE A WONDERFUL JOB. BUT WE'RE STILL AT WAR — I WANT TO FINISH THE JOB

For his achieve-ment, Baden ment, Baden
Powell receives
the C.B. and is
promoted to the
rank of MajorGeneral — the
youngest in the
British Army.
But the war now
enters another enters another
phase, with the
hard-riding Boer
commandos
striking shrewd
blows at their more orthodox opponents.



WE'RE SAFE NOW.
WE'LL SEND A MESSAGE
TO 'THE WOLF',
THANKING HIM FOR
LETTING US THROUGH.















fiTOR¥ BY ALAN JASON:

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But the war goes on and Baden Powell is summoned to Cape Town to form the South African Constabulary. And what a wel-come he receives!

I KNOW THAT. PERHAPS THE DAY W LL COME WHIEN THEY WILL ec our TRusTEO ERISNOS - I SINCERELY HOPE SO.















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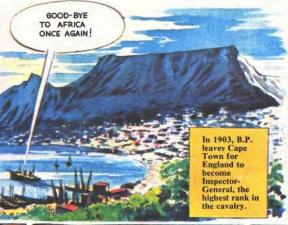


The True Life Story of the Founder of the Boy Scout Movement. CAPE TOWN

in the year 1903.

At the start of the Boer War, Colonel Raden Powell, nicknamed 'The Wolf', is in command of the town of Mateking which, inspired by his leadership, resists the attacks by his leadership, resists the attack when Mareking is relieved, Raden Powell, having heen awarded the C.B. and promoted to Major-General, forms the South African Constabulary for the purpose of defeating the hard-riding Boer commandos. After a time, the British fearm how to master the Boer method on the beauting the start of the serious the seen that the serious and peace is signed at Pretoria on May 31st, 1902.

STORY BY ALAN JASON: DRAWN BY AMERICAN





Back in England, he strolls through some woods while on leave.

























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THE BADEN POWELL STORY



After playing a leading part in the defeat of the Boers throughout the South Artfeam Warnendahly by his defencement and training of the South Aftern Constabulary, Major General Baden Powell, C.B., returns to England in 1903, to become Inspector-General of Cavalry, experienced to the Constabulary of Cavalry, around the Powell of Cavalry around the Constabulary of Cavalry around the Constabulary of Cavalry around the Constabulary of Cavalry around the Cavalry around

DRAWN BY WORMAN

















I UNDERSTAND,
SIR ROBERT.
BUT ALTHOUGH
YOU ARE A
GENERAL, I FEEL
THAT THE SCOUT
MOVEMENT HAS
A GREAT FUTURE.
PROBABLY THE
GREATEST SERVICE
YOU CAN DO YOUR
COUNTRY IS TO
DEVOTE YOURSELF
TO IT.



And so Baden Powell resigns from the





STORY BY ALAN JASON DRAWN BY WORMAN ... AND THE SEA SCOUTS CAN PROVIDE A COAST-GUARD SERVICE. COUNTRY WILL BE SHORT OF MEN - YOU'LL SOON SEE WE CAN PULL OUR WEIGHT!



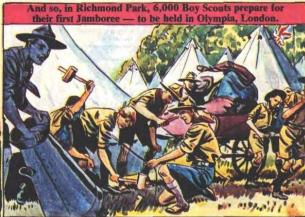


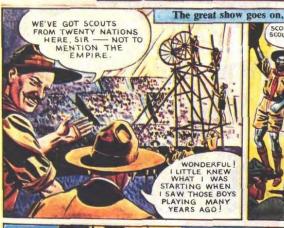


Baden Powell puts himself at the service of the War Office, but is told that while several competent Divisional Generals are available, no one else can carry on the Boy Scouts. Then, at last, with the coming of peace, he is able to expand the Movement still more, and make plans for the future. the future.













NOW I ASK
YOU ALL TO
MAKE A SOLEMN
CHOICE. DIFFERENCES
EXIST BETWEEN THE EXIST BETWEEN THE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD — BUT THE JAMBOREE HAS TAUGHT US THAT IF WE GIVE AND TAKE THERE IS HARMONY. LET US DEVELOP THE COMRADESHIP THE COMRADESHIP
THAT WILL BRING
PEACE IN THE
WORLD AND GOODWILL AMONG MEN.
BROTHER SCOUTS
WILL YOU JOIN
ME IN THIS
ENDEAVOUR?



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SIR. TPIE SCOUTS : WISH TO GIVE YOU A PRESENT — \VI1AT . WOULD YOU IN SECOND SE

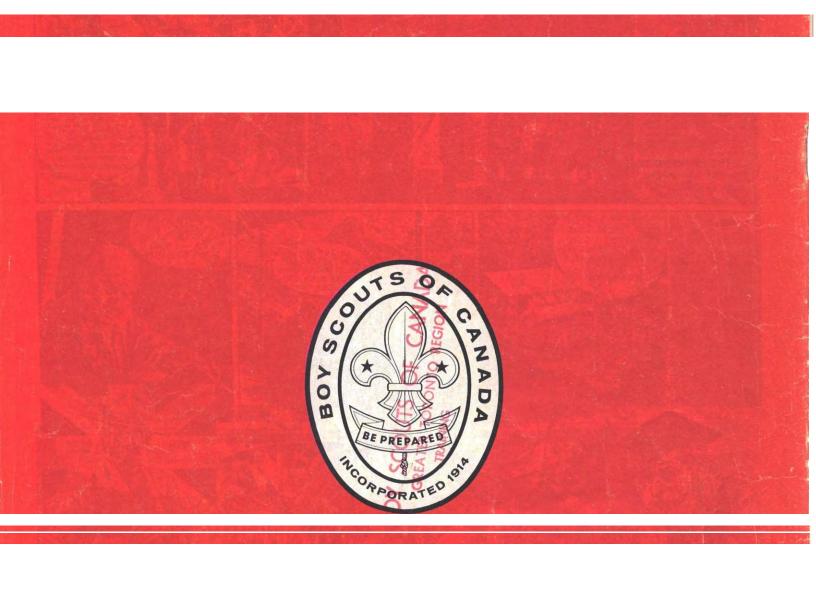
WELL — ALL I NEED AT P9 ES ENT IS A PAIR OF NEW 8RACES,



TI-IANK YOU. EVERVON E. I SHALL DO MY BEST TO KEEP UP WITH THE OROER OF THE BRACES!







ANOTHER SERVICE OF YOUR NATIONAL OFFICE