

P.F. rally at Sibasa by P. E. Maringa
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 the camp fire.

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 and J. P. Ramaliba; the P.M.'s were
 S. M. Dzivhane and P. E. Maringa.
 The camp troop together with the A.P.M's
 and P.M.'s reached earlier than Ngulumli
 troop and so prepared wood etc.

At first the evening seemed gloomy but
 after the Ngulumli troop had arrived all P.F.'s
 were then up; bright; active:

While sitting by the fire place P.F.'s sang;
 played games; told stories.

Many people from the surrounding
 came to witness. (P.F. were 50. Ngulumli 30.
 and Camp 20)

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 sleep.

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instructions given by P.M. P.S. Moringa.
After which singing and drill were
taken.

The A.M. Anthem brought the rally
to a close and a prayer offered by
P.M. S.M. Djiobane.

The troops marched homewards
one going due east and another due west.

This is the first camp-fire ever held in this
part of the district without the A.P.M. or D.P.M. Proud
to say that the rally has been very fine and
all who were present were very pleased & interested.
Few speeches were given by P.M.s and A.P.M.s.

Previously, we have had a splendid rally
at the camp school with P.P.M. Kulu and A.D.P.M.
marivate. In these rallies I often
hear good remarks given by the
heathen people such as: "These people are
real christians; how could one possibly
walk on hands?"

Forward Pathfinders!

~~We we~~

P.F. RALLY AT SIBASA (by P.E. Maringa)

On July 28th 1934 Camp and Gulumbi Troops have had their Camp fire organised at Maungani. Approximately $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles West of the Sibasa Police Camp was the spot chosen for the Camp fire. The A.P. Ms were J. Mphelo, the Agricultural Demonstrator and I. ~~Pasana~~ P. Ramaliba. The P. Ms were S. M. Dzivhani and P. E. Maringa. The Camp troop together with the A.P. Ms and P. Ms reached earlier than Ngulumbi troop and so prepared wood etc.

At first the evening seemed gloomy, but after the Ngulumbi troop had arrived all P. Fs were then up, bright and active. While sitting by the fire side we sang songs and told stories. Others stood up and played games. Many people from the surrounding villages came to witness. There were 50 B. Fs from Ngulumbi = 30, from Sibasa Camp = 20. Late at night we had to stop. The next day there was singing, instructions and drill. The A. N Anthem brought the rally to a close with prayer offered by P. M. Dzivhane. The troops then marched homewards. This is the first camp ever held in this part of the district without the D. P and the A. D. P. M. We are proud to say that the rally has been very fine and all who were present were very interested.

ku vile na Hospital Day e Elim Hospital yi ri yo endla mali
yo shava mutshini wa X Ray. A yi ri ya valungu ntsena. Yi endile hi ti 1st
ta September 1934. Mali leyi nga kumeka kona yi tlula £100. ^{endile}
Tswetswi yi ta va kona yinwana hi ti 6th ta October yi endlerwa vantima
kwale Hospital. Hikwavo va rhambiwa e ku ta pfuna hi mali ni tinyiko tihi ni
tihi hi laha munhu a kotaka ha kona.

Ku ta va ni mintlangu ya ti tenikoit na ti pingpong na dema na ntsyuwa
na swiyini-yini. Le lavaka ku nghena e ntlangwini wihi na wihi o nghena hi
penny kumbe ticky, kambe loko a wina o ta kuma shantshumu. Ku ta va na "Jumble
sale" Hi letswaku laha ku shavisiwaka mpahla yihi na yihi leyi nga rhanga
hi ku tirisiwa. Ku ta va na Bayisikopo na tikhwayere ta Valungu na vantima.
Ku ta va na tea na makukisi na sopo (Soup) ri nga ri sope. ~~---~~ Tanani hikwenu
k'ambelwa ku tsonwa.

Hi ti 20th ku fikela 2nd October ku ta va ni nhlengeletano ya Northern
District Association e Lemana. Mr H. Liebenberg na yena o ta va kona e ku
hi rungulela ta lomu a a yile kona e America.

Le ka Mr Heshe (Mr Ash) kusuhi na Kuruleni ku dlayene swiverengi, va holove-
la nyama ya mbuti. Se unwana o teka nhonga o dlaya lo unwana kheshekheshe.

Ku vile na Pathfinder Masters Course e Valdezia hi ti 7 na ti 8 na ti 9 ta
September 1934 a va dyonda ro hetesisa e ti First Class tests. Va dyondisiwa
hi Mr T. Kuhne. A va ri 30. Ku tsaka a ku ri lokukula.

P. J. Masters Training Camp.

On ~~B~~ 13th + 14 + 15th April 1984
 at Mambedi, there gathered some
 29 Pathfinder Masters at a
~~two~~ week-end training camp conducted
 by Mr. T. Kuhn the D.P. M. of
 the Linnis Incharge District.

The night was chosen on Mr. P. Pandeka's
 farm and for two days the Masters
 had a very enjoyable time.

^{1st} - Class work was taught.

Thanks are due to Mr. Kuhn the
 J.P.M. who whole time was occupied
 in teaching - to Mr. P. Pandeka
 who offered a place on his farm -
 to the Mambedi Congregation
 who generously gave cans, monkey
 nuts, melons etc. to help feed the

nkekete's sickness [2]

Sedzedze song

Death Samuel Zake

Pathfinder Rally

Visits D.P.M + Path Camp

Conference July

Quenched back

Boroy Grastop

Dencils song

Zakambelo

Pim

Xuma

I will eat it behind

Masters + to the Mambeti

+ Valdzia Pathfinder

their hantes who undertake

to build the bivouacs

& to act as cooks

Valdezia Troop

This Troop was visited on Sunday, September 15 1935 and 30 Pathfinder and 26 Trackers were seen. This ~~visit~~^{inspection} was a preliminary to the inspection to be held on the Rally Day, on Oct. 19th and so nothing of Pathfinder work was asked.

Activities.

The following were shown:-
2 displays by J. A. P. M. J. Maboko.
1 " " " " P. M. J. Mashil.
These were well performed, and one of them was specially commendable. H songs were well sung, and the actions done were impressive. There was no Troop song sung.

The Trackers sang one song and showed keenness.

General Tone. The boys were smart. Keen uniform, specially clean and well kept. Boys were very cheerful and were quick and prompt in carrying orders. No badges were seen and this was explained because there were none in stock as the Troop could have bought with its funds.

After the displays, the visiting officer, spoke to the boys.

10.9.35

This Troop has been rejuvenated,
and enthusiasm is the main feature
throughout. Compliment is paid to the W.P.O.
responsible for this.

Signed,

Castakula

A.D.P.C.

Mambedi Troop

This Troop was visited on Sunday June 16th 1935, and 18 boys, with one officer, S. Mavinata, were inspected.

Pathfinder Work. This was well taught and the following were especially well done:— signalling, tracking, law, sign. A number of boys were doing 2nd class work.

Activities. Very well systematised games were played. Two displays were performed to the satisfaction of the visiting officer. Signalling and displays were the main features.

General Smartness. The Troop was very smart and most the boys had uniform with sashes. Clothes were clean and without holes (most of them) movements smart and orders promptly carried. Singing was not so good.

This Troop has a lot of promise. The boys have the spirit of their work and this being due to the officers to whom a warm compliment is paid.

16.6.35.

E. Lakula
D.P.C.

Kurukn Troop

The Troop was visited on Sunday, Sept. 22nd. Twenty Pathfinders and 6 Trackers attended. Two officers, J. Hlaisi and a. ulati were in charge. As in the case of the Valdezia Troop pathfinder work was not asked for.

Activities. 3 well performed displays under the direction of a. ulati were given, while two songs (general songs) conducted by J. Hlaisi.

General Remark. Uniforms were very good and well looked after. Troop was well supplied with badges of all kinds - a credit to the Troop. One pathfinder was promoted as a. p. m.

On parade the pathfinders are prompt in the carrying of given orders, but very slow in responding to a call for parade, once they are dismissed.

There is a spirit of real pathfinding, and this is a special feature of this troop. A talk was given at the close and ^{three} two songs taught.

Signed,

E. A. Kula

A. D. P. C.

Pathfinder Activities

Report of Visits.

Sumner Troop This Troop was visited on Sunday, June 7th, 1932. Two officers with the pathfinders were present. Inspection was on the following lines: on Honor, Salute and the Law. These were fairly well known by the boys, but they lacked smartness in doing them.

The Troop as a whole, has still a long way to go in both Pathfinder work, smartness and activities. There need to be inspired with the spirit of pathfinding, and a change will take place.

However, the Troop had a small fund got through working on the lands of sympathetic members of the Wilburys who payed them with money which will be used in buying full equipment.

At the close of the meeting inspection the visiting A. D. P. gave no speech encouraging the boys; and three songs by the Troop. The meeting closed.

Haukahe Troop

This Troop was visited on
Saturday, September 21st, and the
visit was very pleasant.
The Troop was composed of new recruits
who were properly dressed and
clean. The Captain and 7 Troop
attended. The Troop was not ready
for inspection and only showed a
ditch which was well done.
The Troop was very busy and the
captain was very busy.

The Troop can be
seen at the meeting. A tank
visiting officer was given
the boys.

A cordial invitation to this,
as it was the case with other
Troops, was extended ^{to} the
attendance in the Rally to be
held on Oct 19th at Shirley.

The Hangeane Troop, owing to
misunderstanding of date, which
would have been given by the
Bokane P.M., did not arrange for
a meeting on that day.

Eastakula
P.C.