

Troop 51 Scouts Take Honor Hike

Five Scouts left Provo last Friday on their annual trek to recover a plaque which was previously placed in Rock Canyon.

The group left at 8 a. m., Friday morning and traveled north on the Provo canyon highway. Reaching the Pleasant View Church the Scouts left the highway and took to the "wilderness" where they headed for the ridge which separates the cascade from the valley. Arriving at the top of the ridge at 11 o'clock they ate their lunch and proceeded to Little Rock Canyon. Arriving at their destination at 2:30 they made camp by gathering pine boughs and erecting their tents. Supper completed, the Scouts, tired, but happy, turned into their wilderness beds.

The Scouts arose early, and after skiing around for a time they broke camp and went south to Rock Canyon where they recovered the honor plaque from its refuge in a tree. Having accomplished the feat they had started out to do, the group turned their backs to Rock Canyon and returned to their Little Rock Canyon camp.

The Scouts broke up their pine-sheltered camp and retraced their steps to the highway.

The trip had many events and the observant Scouts had a chance to see a snowslide, eight porcupines feasting in trees, and many other winter "nature in the raw" scenes.