

AMERICAN LEGION  
**BOYS' STATE**  
of KANSAS



1965





**From  
the  
Director**

The final session of the Legislature is over; the City books are closed and the twenty-eighth session of The American Legion Boys' State of Kansas is now history. We proudly dedicate this annual to each of you who by your participation and presence made the record of the 1965 session the finest in the memory of those still active in the program.

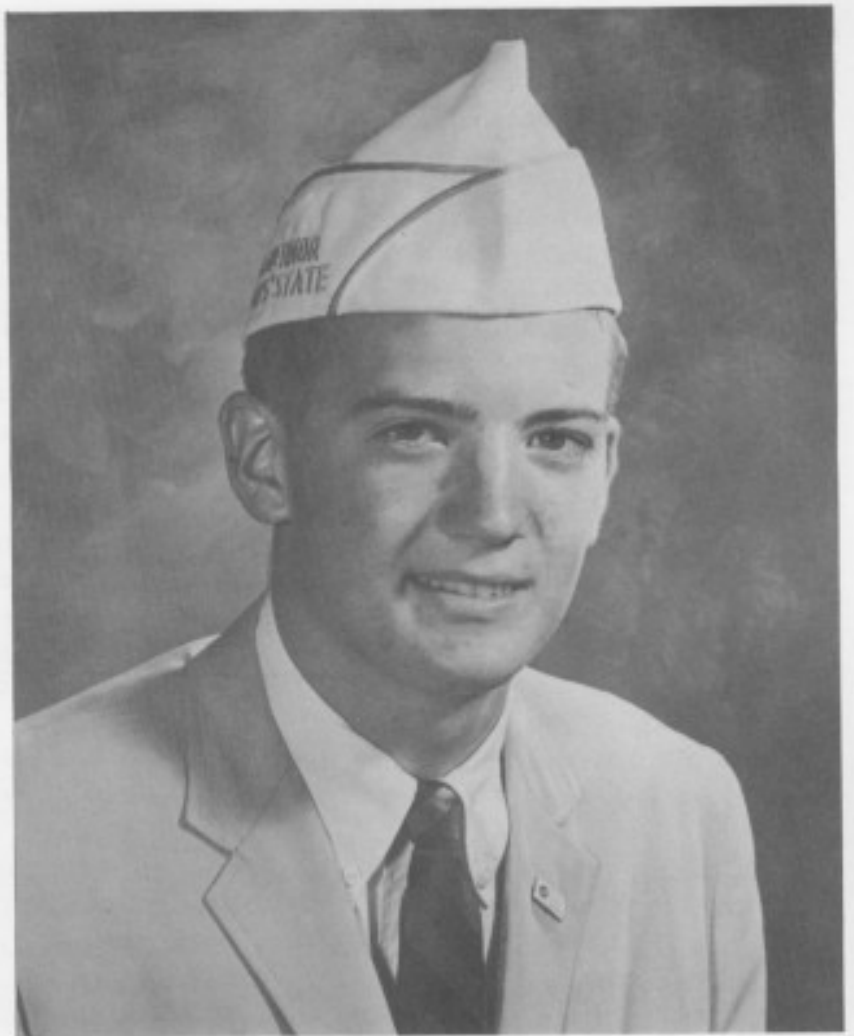
To the "Staters" we simply say, remember the American Legion who makes this program possible. Carry this image of the American Legion in your hearts and if you are ever able to assist a veteran accept the task gladly. We are amply remunerated by the knowledge that we have exposed our youth to good government practices which will hopefully assist in the development of the future leaders of Kansas.

To the Counselors we sincerely say "well done!" Your leadership and example will remain with us always.

To the American Legionnaires we say, keep up the good work. Your assistance and cooperation made the 1965 session the greatest we have ever experienced. May we all have the health and vigor to continue this excellent youth government program "ad multos annos."

*Patrick J. Finley*  
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Executive Director

# A MESSAGE FROM YOUR GOVERNOR



Governor John C. Peterson  
American Legion Boys' State of Kansas  
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It has been a great honor and privilege for me to serve as your Governor.

Our week at Boy's State was one of the most memorable and active of our lives. We have gained valuable knowledge and experience in government through a "learning by doing" program.

Each one of us is deeply indebted to the men and the organization of the American Legion for providing the activities and programs of this exciting week. These men have done this tremendous amount of work in order to help us learn the workings of our government and become intelligent and active citizens.

But now that we have left the Lawrence campus, it is up to each one of us to complete our obligation and responsibilities, to continue this learning process.

Next time you feel too tired or busy to participate in civic or community activities, or when you think that it would be easier to "let George do it," remember the words of Edmund Burke that served as our theme this year: "All that is necessary for the triumph of evil, is that good men do nothing." The men of the American Legion have again met this challenge to "do something" by setting up Boys' State. It is now up to us as the future generation to carry this challenge forward; to become informed and then to become active in politics and government of our community, state, and nation.

Boys' State was a wonderful week for all of us. The experiences that we have had, the knowledge we gained, the friendships we made, will be with us always and will serve to remind us of our obligation to our country.

*John Peterson*

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## BOYS' STATE HISTORY

"To inculcate a sense of individual obligation to the community, state and nation" is the purpose of The American Legion Boys' State, originated in 1935 by the Department of Illinois (department meaning 'state' in the Legion organization).

Kansas, holding Charter No. 5, was among the first to institute the week-long government-in-action training program. Within these past 30 years, virtually every state Legion, realizing the program's potential for educating youth in practical politics and governmental operation, has set up its own Boys' State.

Boys' State operates under the American Legion National Americanism Commission and is administered here by the executive committee of the Department of Kansas.

For 26 years, Kansas Boys' State was headquartered in Wichita. In 1963, in order to provide larger and more suitable accommodations, the Department moved State to the University of Kansas at Lawrence where it was housed in Templin and Lewis Halls, expanding the following session to include Hashinger Hall.

The program is no longer limited numerically by physical facilities but instead is available to any high school senior-to-be who meets the academic standards and demonstrates leadership qualities. The number of delegates has doubled since the move to Lawrence. Civic and church groups as well as Legion posts sponsor delegates.

Over 14,000 Kansas boys—the 1,015 delegates this year bringing the total to 14,416—have participated in Boys' State, performing during each session every function of government, on city, county and state levels.

Selected former Staters—100 of them—return as counselors to Boys' State and are assisted in its direction by 50 Legionaire advisors and Executive Director Patrick J. Finley.

At the conclusion of each annual session, two Staters are elected 'Senators' to attend The American Legion Boys' Nation, which convenes later in the summer in Washington, D.C. Kansas delegates to 1965 Boys' Nation are the gubernatorial candidates, Gov. John C. Peterson, Topeka, and David Nutt, the Nationalist candidate, Baldwin.





## WELCOME TO BOYS' STATE

Whether the end of a five or a 500-mile journey, the official arrow pointed the way to a week of unforgettable experiences for each 1965 Boys' Stater.



## GETTING SETTLED



We checked out our packets, bought our two-tee-shirts, were fitted for hats—and some of us needed physical check-ups from Dr. Nelson. Then, after we'd unpacked and settled in our rooms, we lined up along the hall, our still-new and unfamiliar blue hats atop our heads—full-fledged Staters at last.



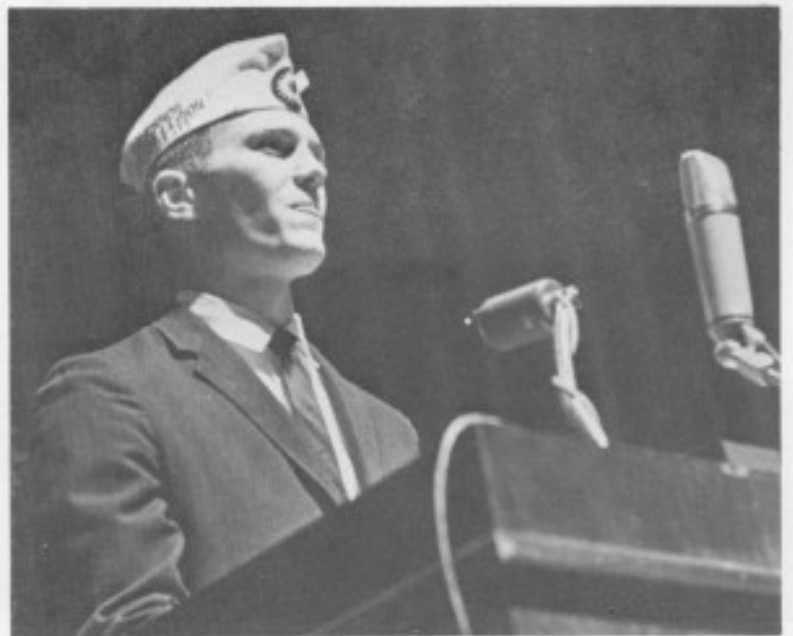






Rules and procedures for elections were explained and discussed before we elected precinct committeemen Sunday night and caucused to formulate our state party platforms Monday morning. Dennis Bosley was elected Nationalist party chairman, James McLaughlin, Federalist chairman. We filed for county and state offices—each determined to win—at 1 p.m., Monday.

State Senator Glee Smith—President pro-tem of the Kansas Senate (l)—gave the opening address following the official welcome from Gov. Steve Ridgway (below).







# CAMPAIGNS

Posters were hung from the ceilings with care—and plastered on the walls and the windows, too—as the primary races headed at a dead heat for the general election payoff.

City councils convened to meet and hear candidates for county offices, the senate and the house. State candidates addressed county meetings.

Whether we were running for county clerk or state senator, we each wanted to win. And it was every man for himself in the 24-hour-long primary campaign which ended with primary elections at 2:30 p.m., Tuesday.

We splashed our names across every available space—we used every play on words, every gimmick to make those names stick with the all-important voter.

We learned what it means, too, to remember names—to shake hands—to make a good impression when we spoke.

Perhaps most important, we learned that only one can win, but many must lose. And we who lost proved our mettle as good citizens by working for our party and our candidates and exercising our votes in the general election.

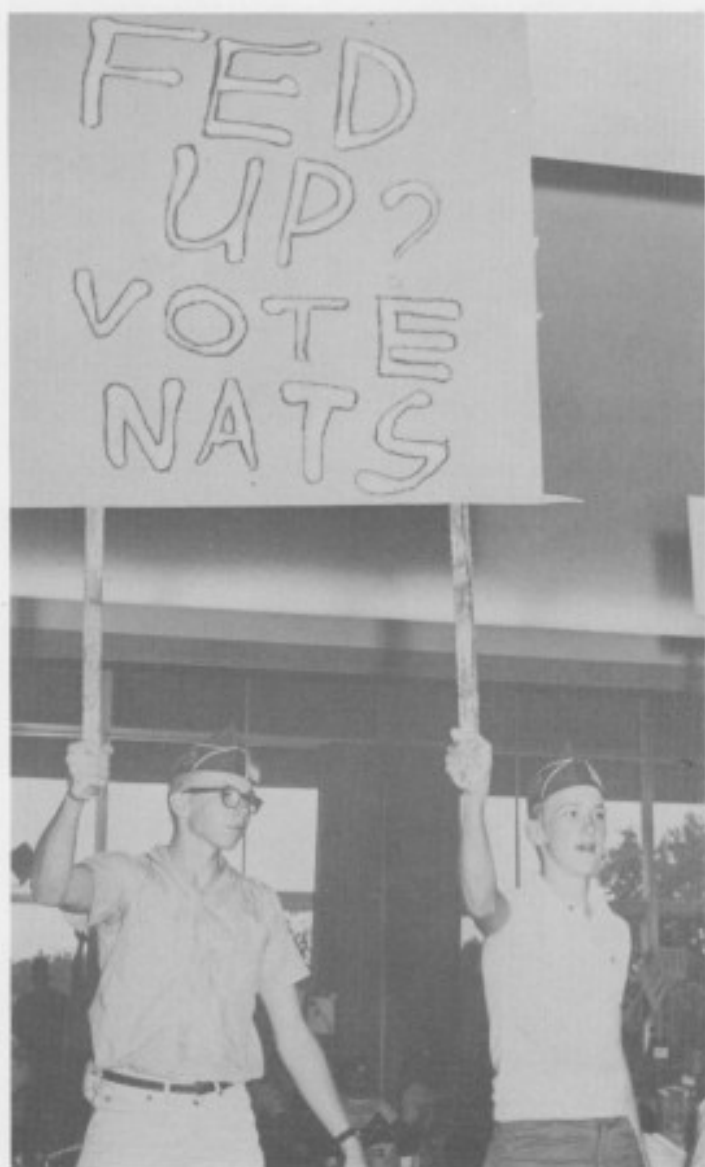
For as we left Tuesday night's general assembly, whether victorious or defeated, we united behind our party standard . . . vowing victory for our candidates, our declared platform goals.

Roaring 'two-bits, four-bits, six-bits, a dollar' until we shook Murphy Hall, we hauled down our losing primary signs and began the big push behind our candidates for Wednesday's general election.

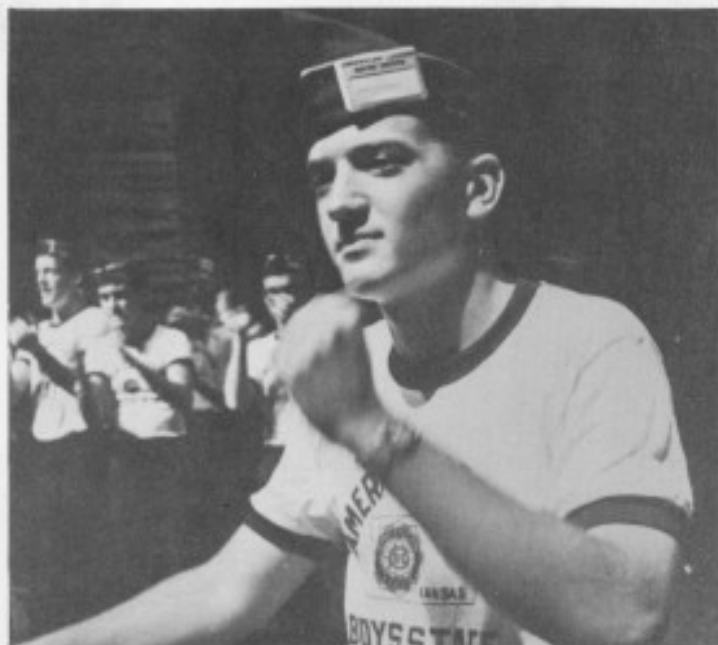




Nationalists Bruce Janssen (l) and Greg Billingham (opposite, l) try to convert fellow Staters to their party line as Federalist chairman Jim McLaughlin (opposite, r) makes like a bird during party rallies.







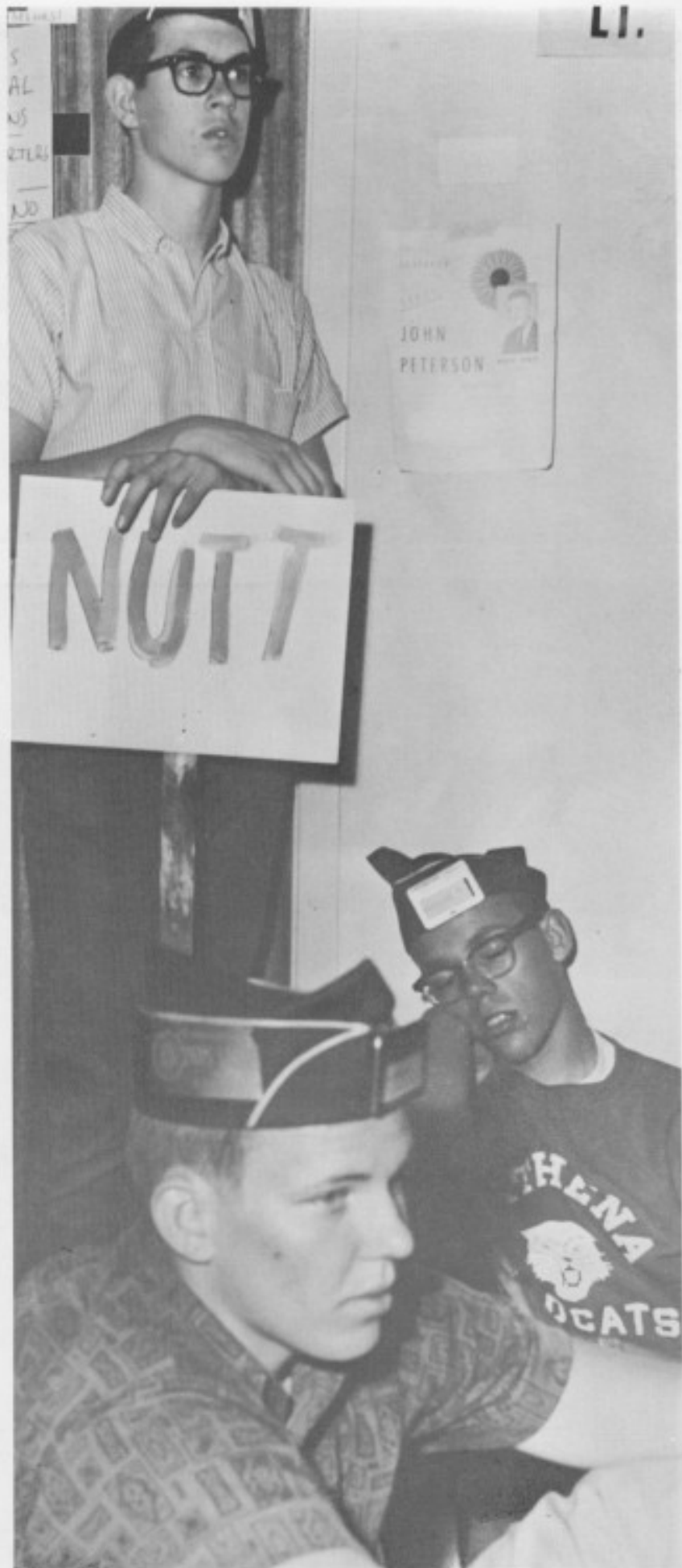
# And MORE CAMPAIGNS

Rain sent rallies indoors, but failed to dampen campaign enthusiasm of gubernatorial candidates John Peterson, Federalist, (opposite, l) and David Nutt, Nationalist (opposite, r).

State printer candidates Ted Gardiner and Paul Bledsoe (opposite, center) exchanged views as Staters whooped it up for their favorite candidate (opposite, below, l to r) Winston Rorabaugh, Karl Kerr, Randy Stearns and Russell Bretz.

Raincoat-clad John Peterson talks with Vernon Lewis (below). Campaign oratory put Bill Nold (r) to sleep while Robert Clark (standing) and Larry Weidert (foreground) listened intently.

Both Federalist and Nationalist platforms reflected Kansans concern with education, reapportionment, regulations for safer driving and reforming the penal system. Federalists plugged for publicizing Kansas while Nationalists advocated a compulsory course in dangers of communism to the free world.





## PRIMARY RESULTS

James Rowe, director of Boys' Nation and guest of Kansas Boys' State during the two-day campaigning-election period, congratulated the winners of the 27-man primary gubernatorial race (center): J. David Nutt (l), Baldwin, Nationalist and John C. Peterson, Topeka, Federalist.



When primary election results were announced at Tuesday night's general assembly, Douglas K. Shryock, Wichita, Nationalist and Roger R. Robertson, Hutchinson, Federalist, had won their parties' nominations for lieutenant governor.

Declared winning candidates for secretary of state were Russell C. Leffel, Prairie Village, Nationalist and Greg H. Light, Derby, Federalist.

Nominated for the state treasurer spot were Randolph W. Starr, Hiawatha, Nationalist, and Robert F. Hartsook, Emporia, Federalist.

State printer candidates narrowed down to Ted M. Gardiner, Garden City, running on the Nationalist ticket and H. Paul Bledsoe, Strong City, Federalist.

Nominated to face each other in the general election for superintendent of public instruction were Steve Mercer, Eskridge, Nationalist, and Jim Rolf, Bison, Federalist.

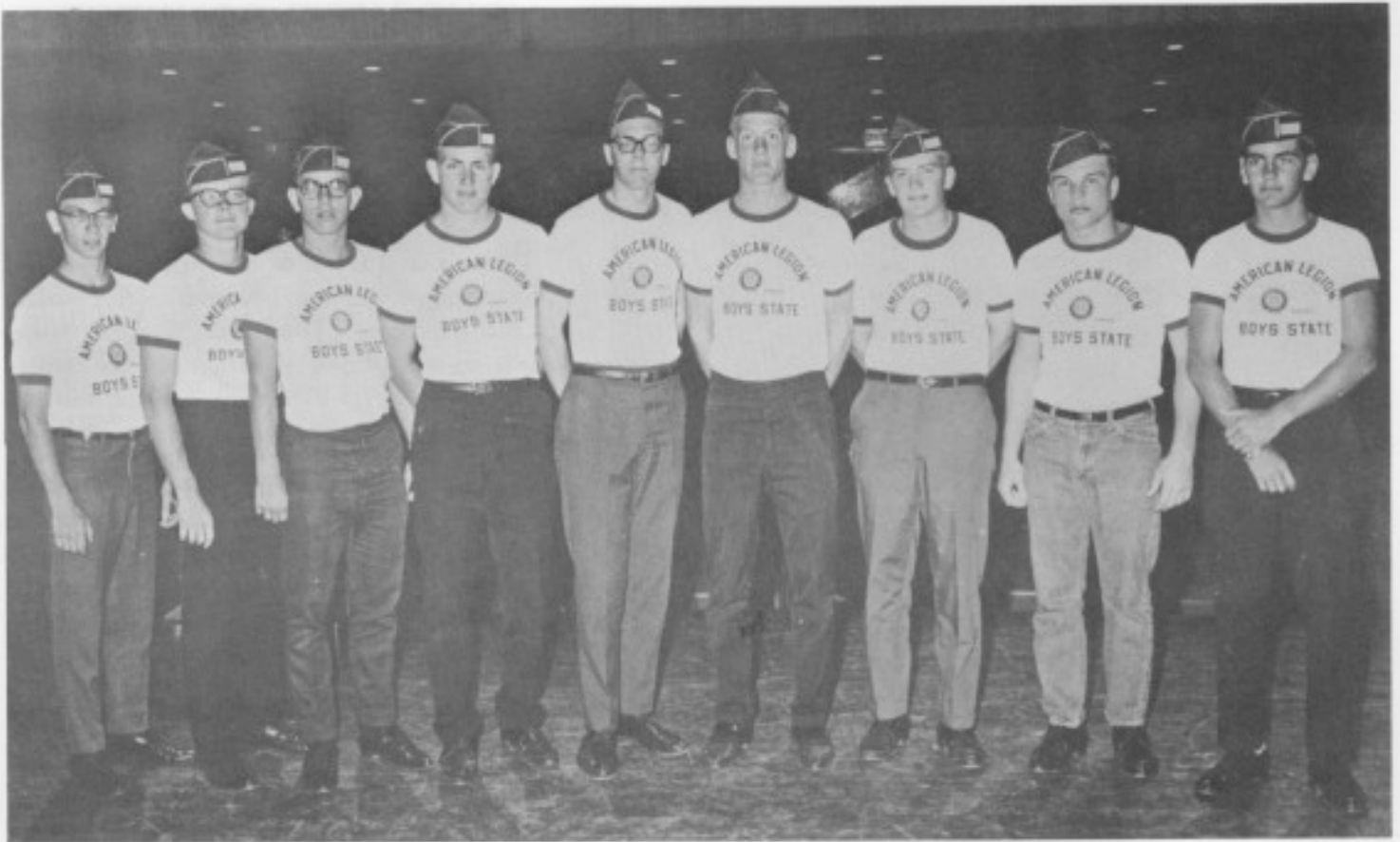
Ronald Hastings, Council Grove, won the Nationalist nomination for commissioner of insurance and the Federalist bid went to Steve Stanley, Augusta.

Nominated for state auditor were Paul Christianson, Hutchinson, Nationalist and Bob F. Kingstone, Hoisington, Federalist.

Nationalists nominated John Kuhn, Hutchinson to bear their banner into the attorney general race, while Brad E. Schulenberg, Leavenworth, won the Federalist nomination.

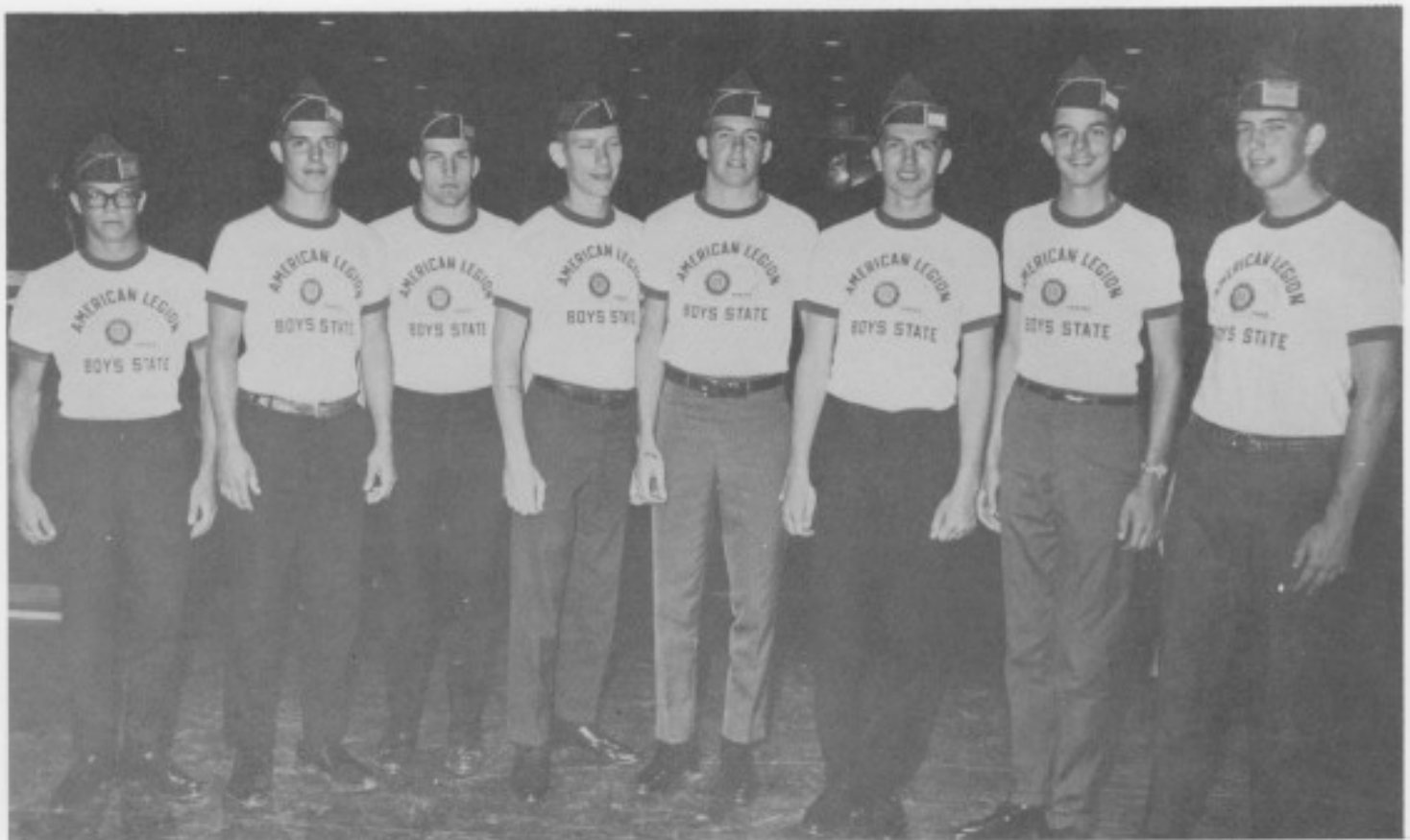






Federalist candidates (l to r): S. Stanley, R. Robertson, B. Kingston, J. Rolf, R. Hartsook, P. Bledsoe, J. Peterson, G. Light, B. Schulenberg.

Nationalist candidates (l to r): J. Kuhn, S. Mercer, D. Shryock, R. Leffel, D. Nutt, R. Starr, R. Hastings, P. Christianson. Not pictured is T. Gardiner.



## YOUR VOTE COUNTED....

We voted in our cities Wednesday afternoon and our election boards tallied the votes so that the winners could be announced that night.

Then, with the traditional request "will you please escort the new governor of Boys' State to the platform?" 1964 Gov. Steve Ridgway announced our new governor as counselors escorted John C. Peterson, Topeka, the Nationalist candidate, to the Murphy Hall stage.

Congratulated (opposite, lower left) by Gov. Ridgway (r) and 1963 Gov. Tom Rader (center), Gov. Peterson was sworn in (opposite, lower right) by Gov. Ridgway, whose farewell address preceded the inaugural ceremonies.

Jim Christy, Kansas Department Commander of The American Legion, addressed the assembly and former Department Commander William E. Haney introduced Kansas Sertomans who presented a copy of the Declaration of Independence to Boys' State.

Following the assembly, legislators met in party caucuses preceding the opening joint session of the legislature Thursday morning.



## ....AND THE RESULTS

State officials for 1965 Boys' State, also sworn in during the Wednesday night ceremonies, are:

Lieutenant Governor—Douglas Shryock, Wichita, Nationalist

Secretary of State—Greg Light, Derby, Federalist

Attorney General—Brad E. Schulenberg, Leavenworth, Federalist

State Treasurer—Robert F. Hartsook, Emporia, Federalist

State Printer—Ted M. Gardiner, Garden City, Nationalist

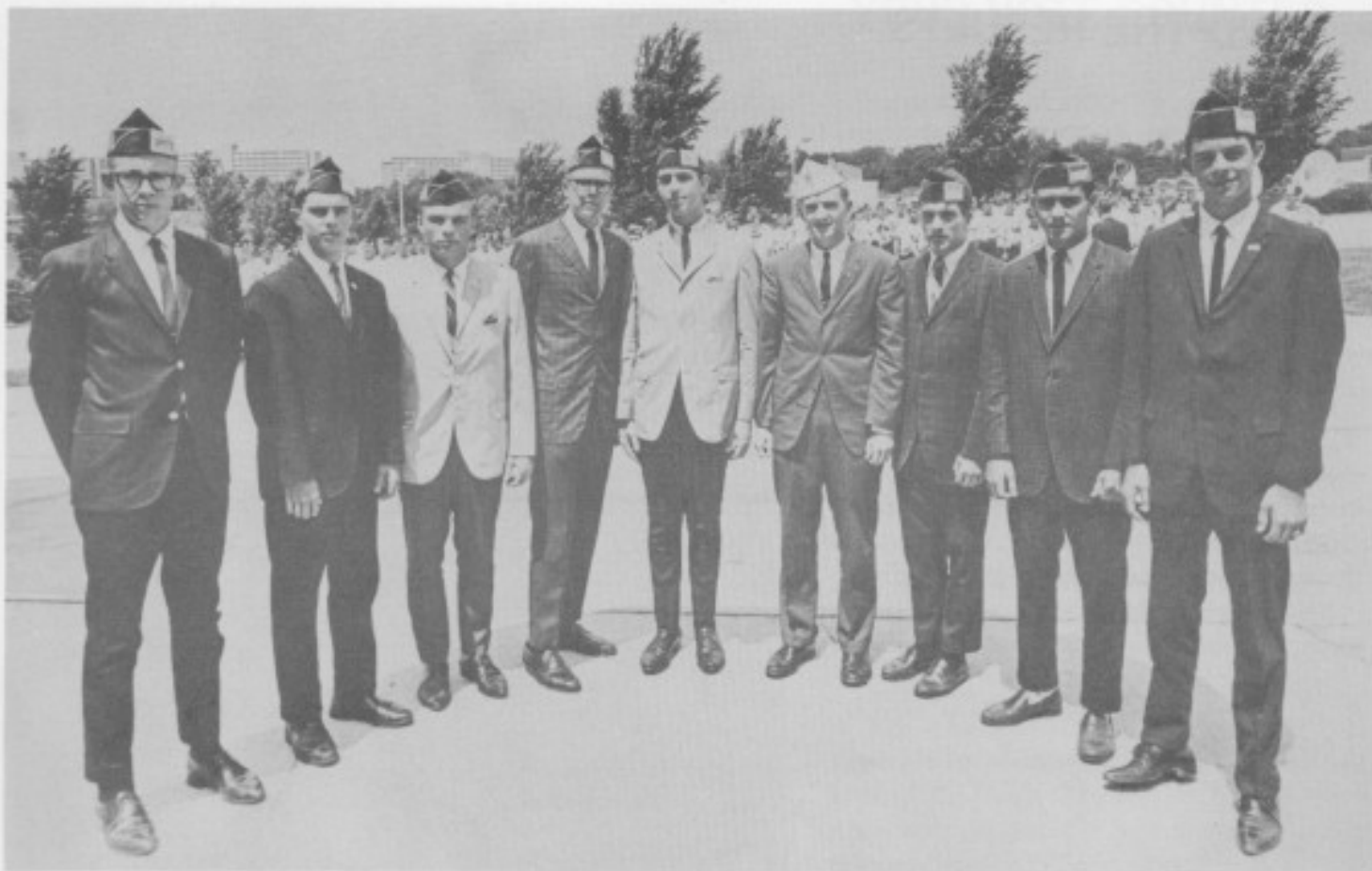
Commissioner of Insurance—Ron Hastings, Council Grove, Nationalist

State Auditor—Paul Christianson, Hutchinson, Nationalist

Supt. of Public Instruction—Steve Mercer, Eskridge, Nationalist

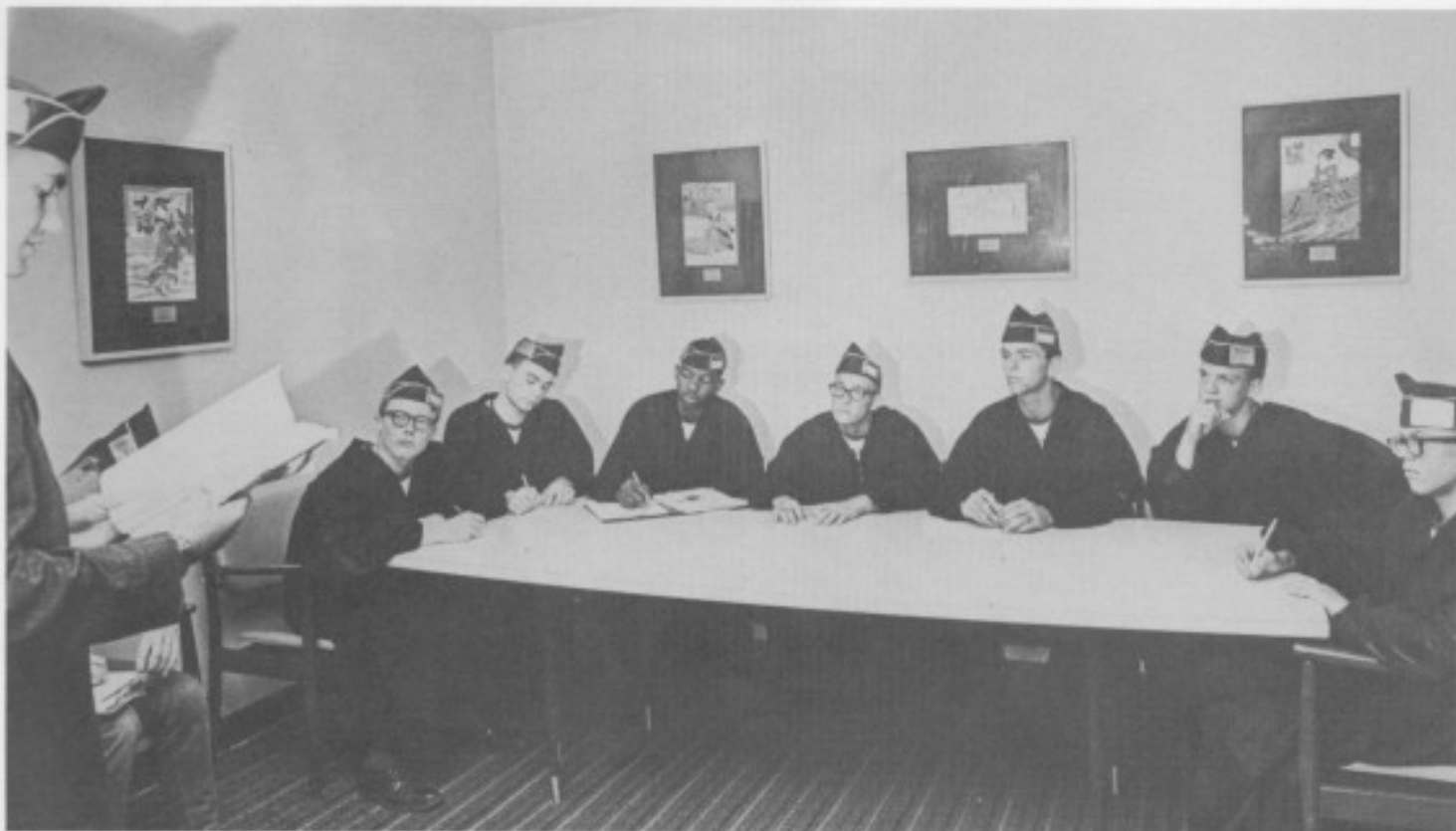






State officials (l to r): T. Gardiner, S. Mercer, G. Light, R. Hartsook, P. Christianson, J. Peterson, D. Shryock, B. Schulenberg, R. Hastings.

Supreme Court in session (l to r): Roger Robertson, John Minnick, Vernon Lewis, Jim McLaughlin, Bill Neal, Doug Muxlow, John Kuhn.



## GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS' DAY

Gov. William S. Avery (r), admonishing Staters to defeat apathy by becoming "interested and active citizens," headed the delegation of state and county officials (r, center and below, bottom) which met with their Boys' State counterparts Thursday morning.

State Senator Reynolds Shultz of Lawrence, pictured in the lower right corner with Attorney General Robert Londerholm (l), presided over the session in Murphy Hall, introducing state and Douglas County officials.

Attorney General Londerholm (below) administered the oath of office to the supreme court justices.





**YOUR LEGISLATURE CONVENES**



# BAND AND CHORUS

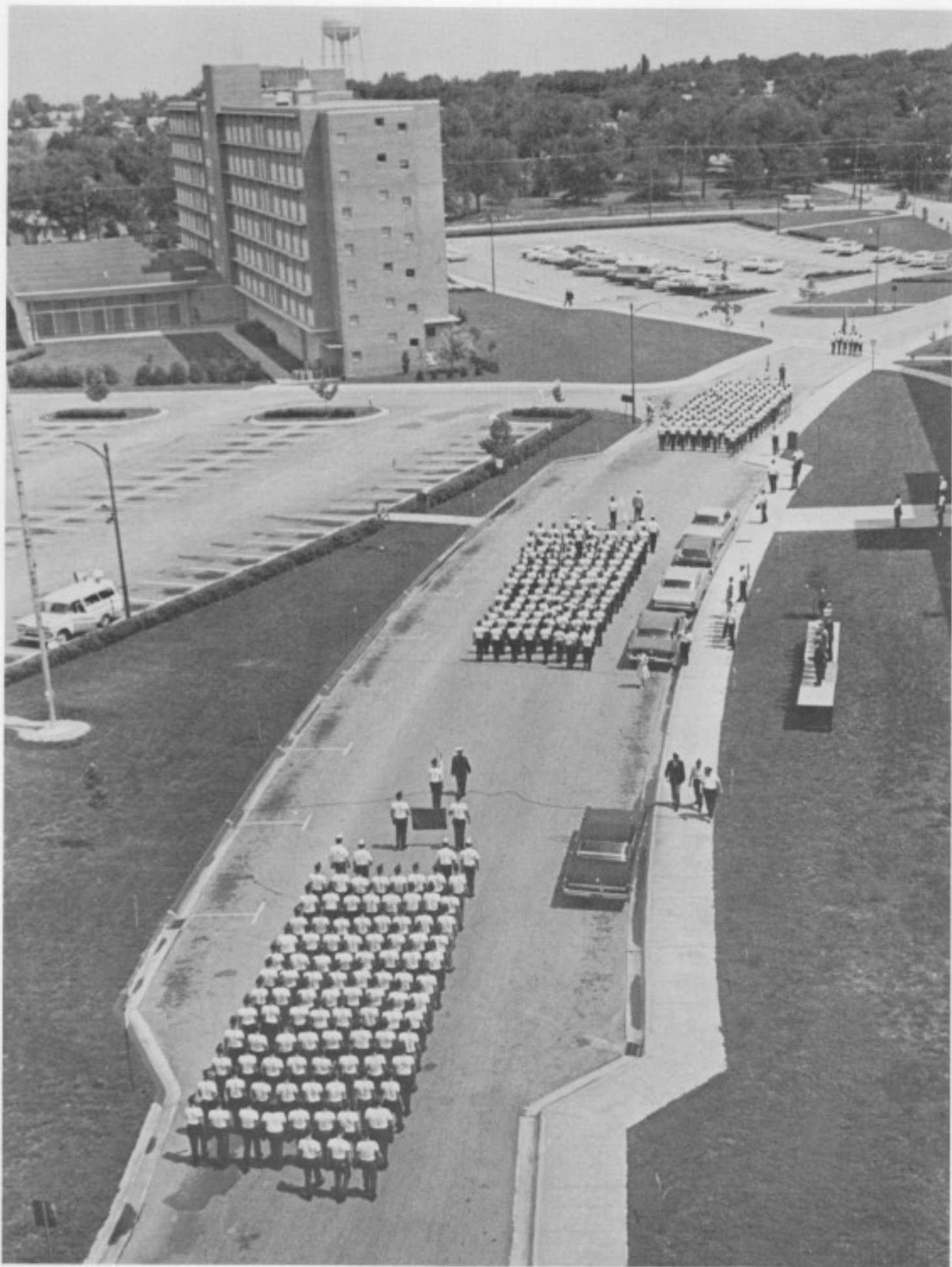
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Legislature in session (l) and Department Commander Jim Christy (below, l) and Gov. Steve Ridgway (below, r) shown addressing Wednesday's inaugural assembly.

Our own Boys' State Band piped us down the hill to "Hello, Dolly!" and we were entertained by the Boys' State chorus. Both were directed by KU staffers: Kenneth Bloomquist (band) and James Ralston (chorus).

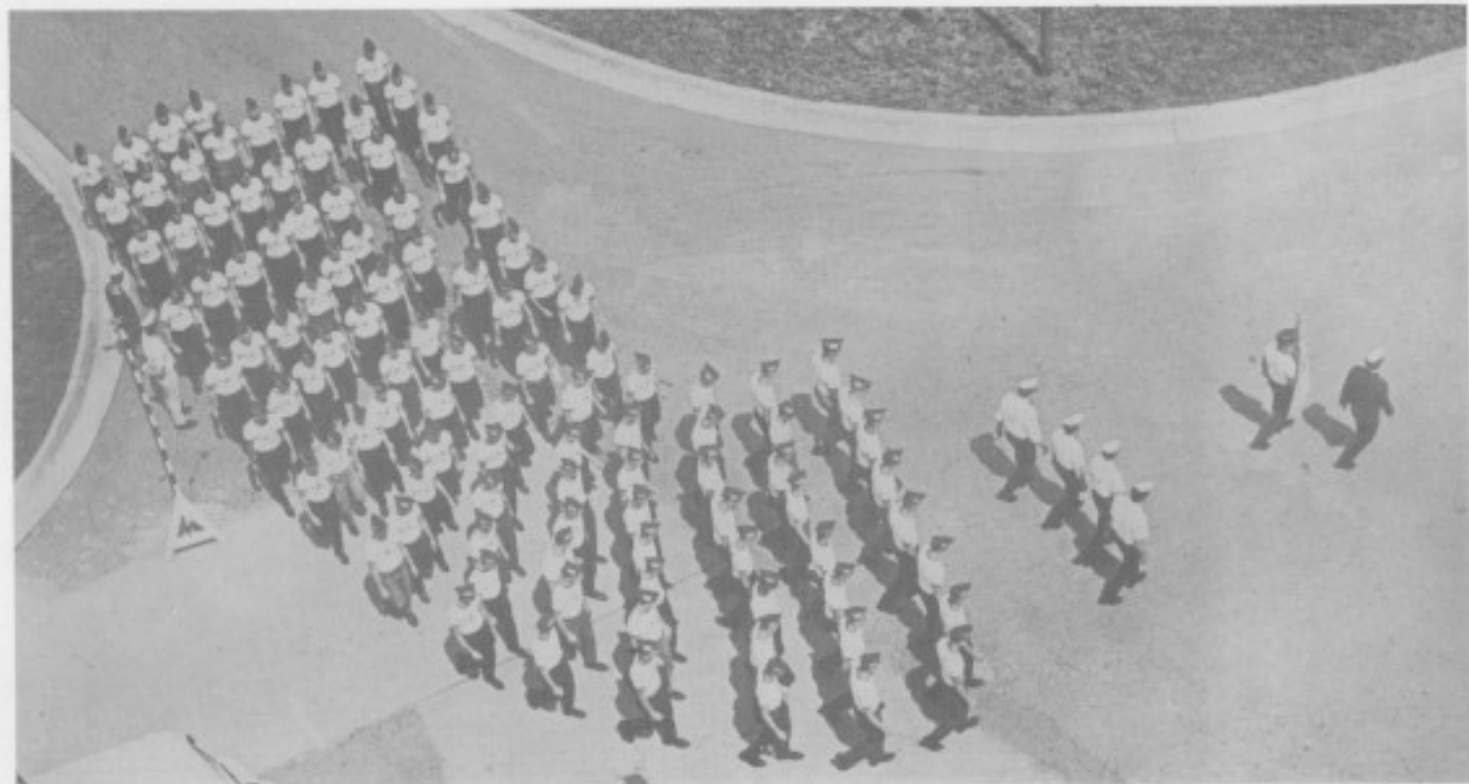
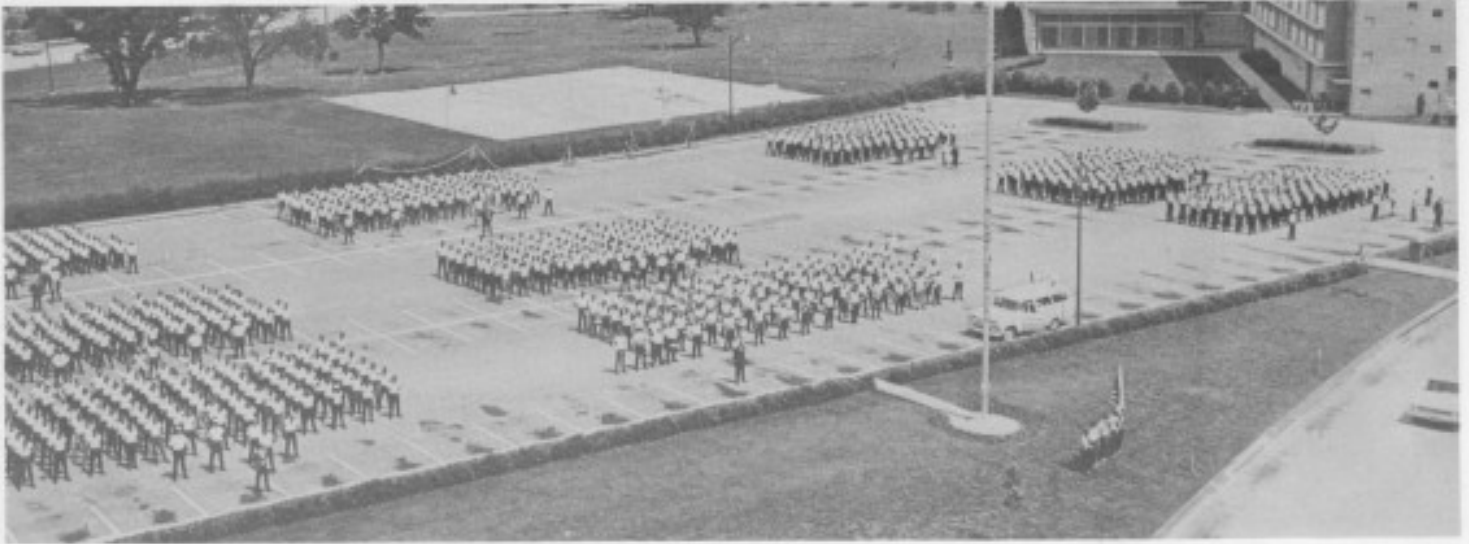


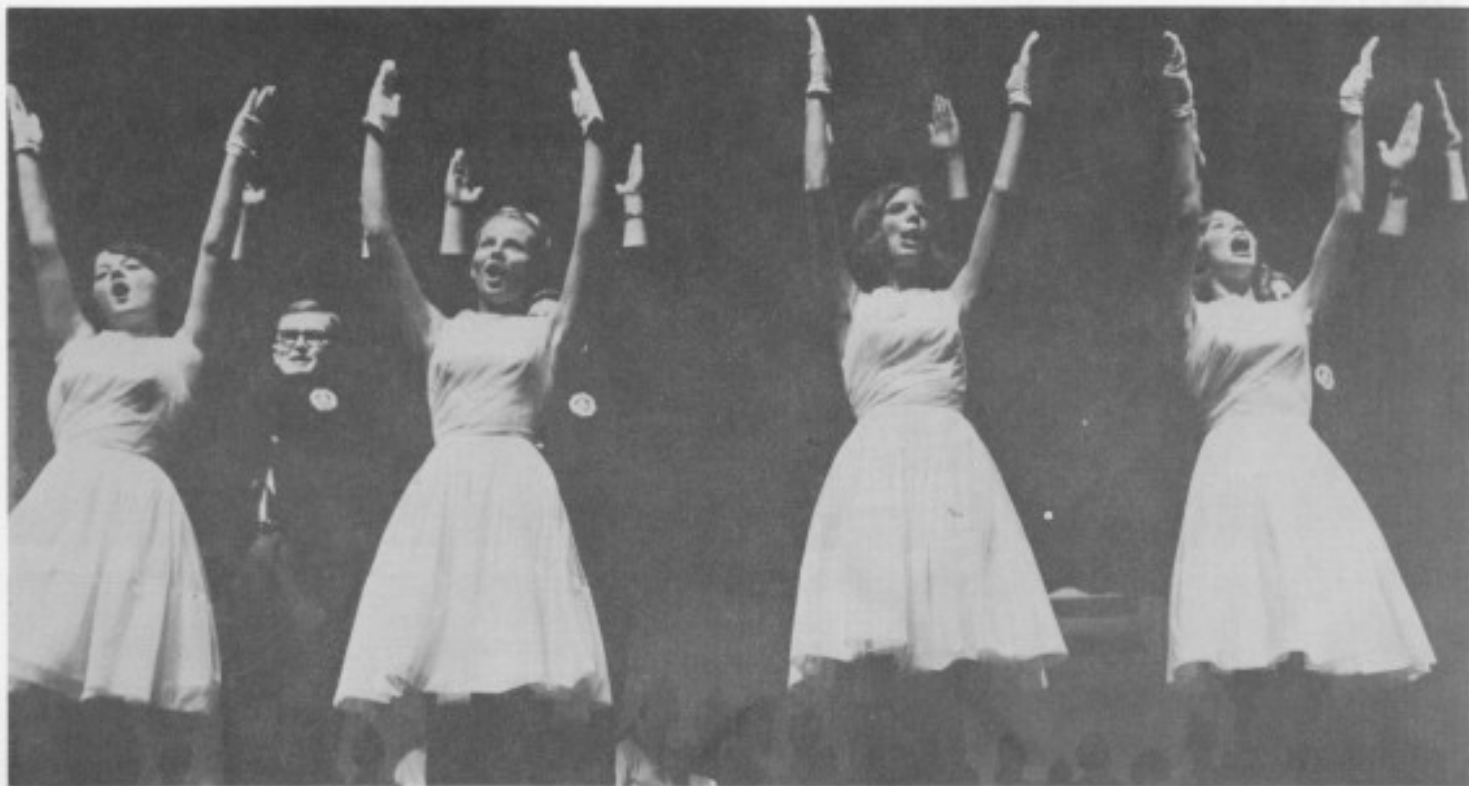




# RETREAT

With a growing esprit de corps, "eyes right!" at the reviewing stand, we proudly marched our way each evening to city and county awards.





## MANHATTAN POPS AND TALENT SHOW

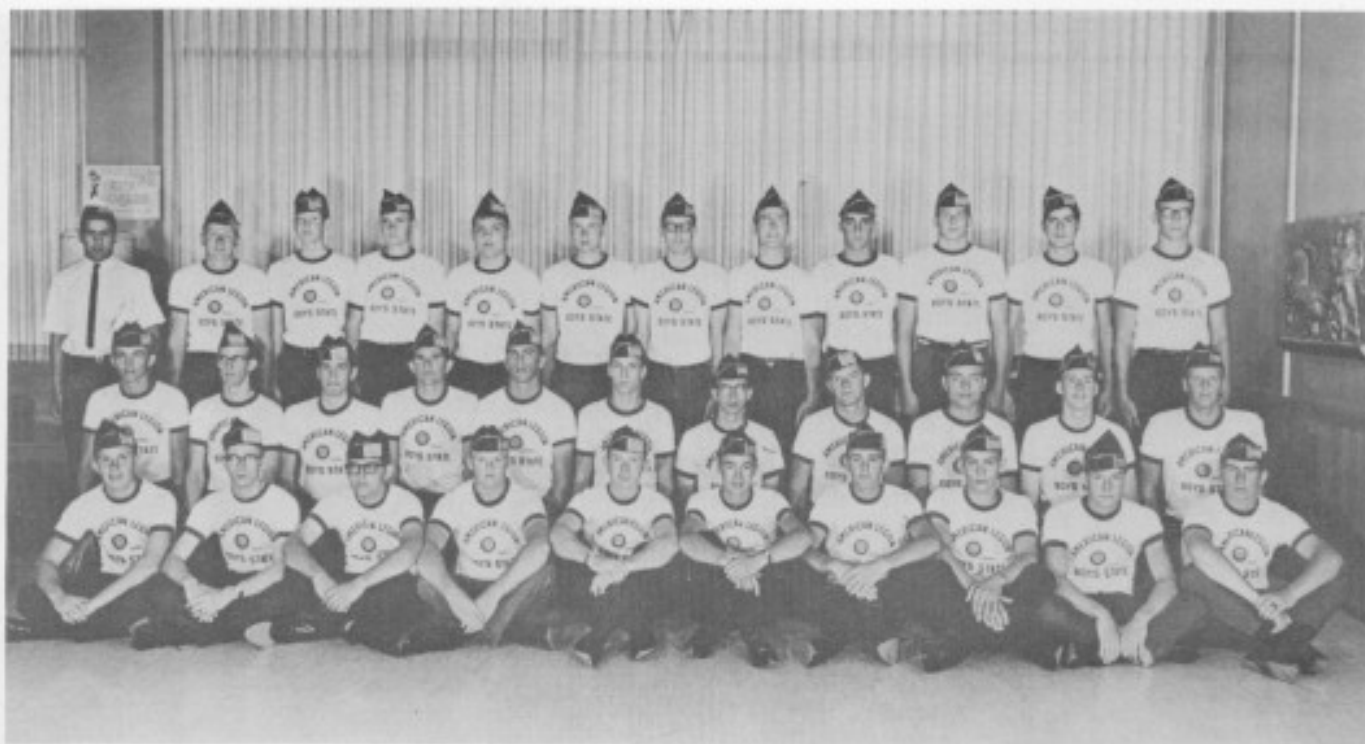
Is there a Stater among us who will ever forget the Manhattan Pops Choir? Our hands ached from applauding their performance preceding the inauguration of our 1965 governor. But the following night's assembly was all ours—as with guitar and voice and comedy routines, we gave our own Talent Show.



# ATHLETICS



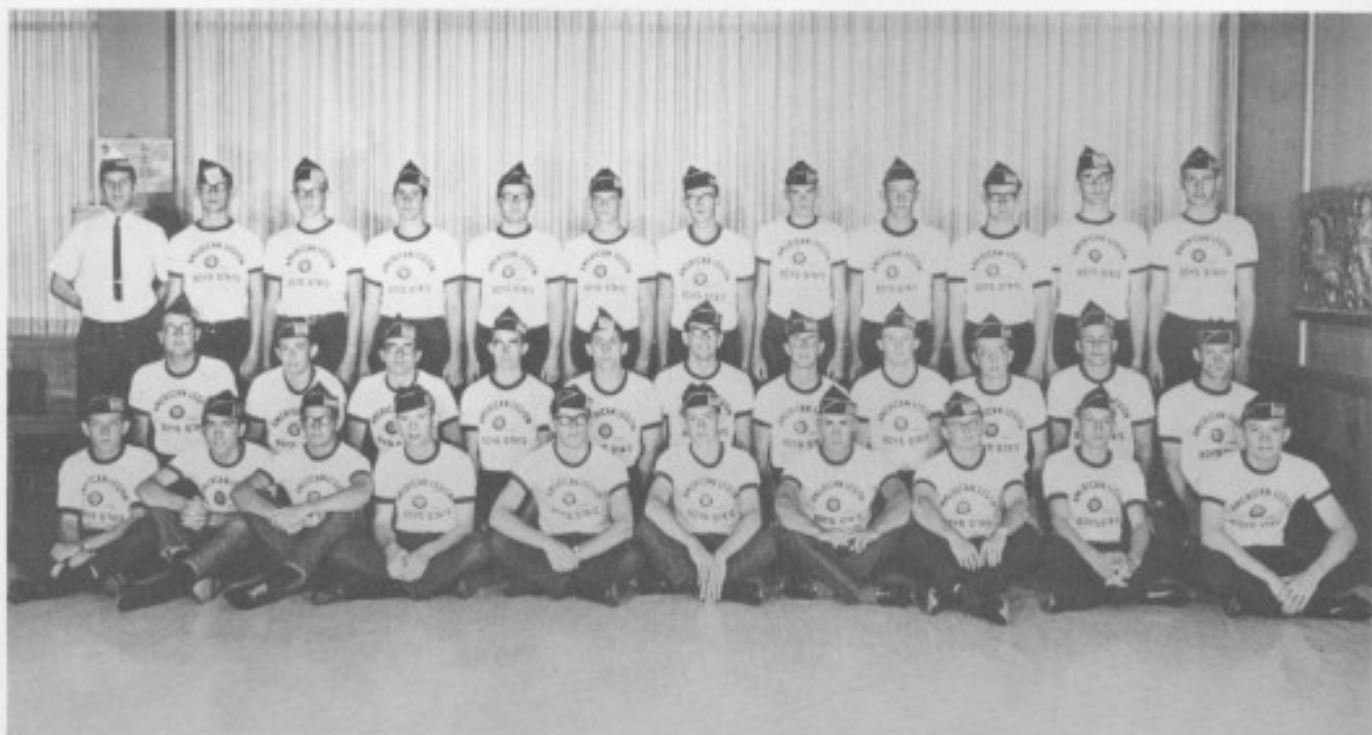




## ARNOLD COUNTY

**Coss City**—left to right (bottom row) D. Karr, D. Whinery, B. Harris, F. Martin, W. Gurner, J. Hogan, R. Marrs, R. Bramlage, R. Kibbe, J. Haun; (middle row) S. Lyons, G. Heathman, A. Moser, T. Richardson, J. Cyr, C. Rall, F. Hines, R. Brady, R. Craine, J. Wassburg, P. Feaster; (top row) Counselor—T. Thomas, R. Shank, H. McHarg, M. Hamlin II, J. Goplicar, M. Freeberg, R. Jacobs, B. Nye, M. James, J. Gilton, R. Roberts, C. Lane.

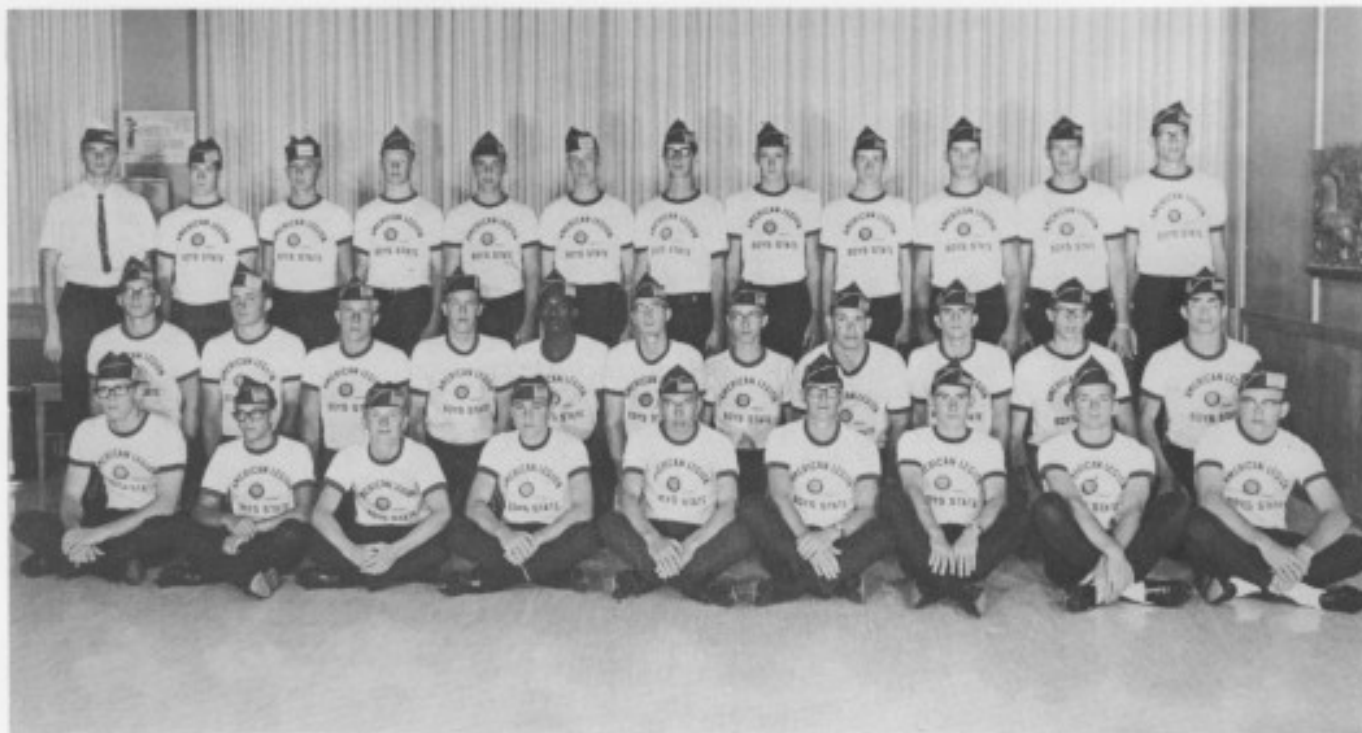
**Hargreaves City**—left to right (bottom row) J. Cunningham, J. O'Connor, C. Nelson, R. Rowan, F. Pommerenke, R. Sawyer, K. Oetting, S. Kale, G. Klingenberg, W. Hutchison; (middle row) M. Cruver, G. McKinnie, M. Boyer, J. Byers, T. Gilles, C. Larson, R. Frisbie, J. Little, G. Stoppel, R. Dunnaway, C. Turner; (top row) Counselor—C. Crago, D. Alexander, T. Gardner, G. Trompeter, D. Lester, R. Durbin, M. Dibble, J. Welch, A. Hett, D. Fakes, E. Hiebert, D. Pfanenstiel.

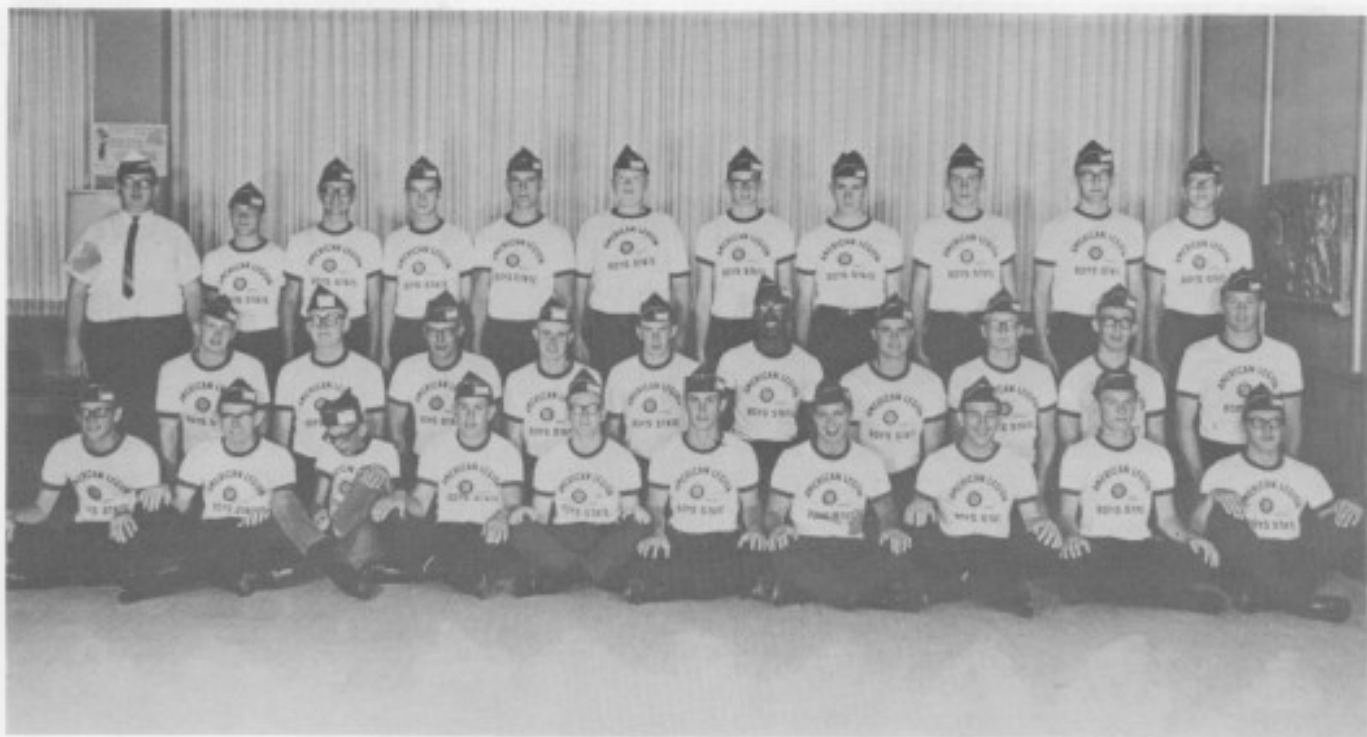




**Johnson City**—left to right (bottom row) D. Costello, M. Duncan, C. Schmitz, D. Skelton, T. Sage, P. Allen, S. Clinkenbeard, G. Bauer, R. Young, R. Nathan; (middle row) S. Damon, T. Neuschwander, K. Broadstock, R. Walker, B. Driver, J. Stringer, D. Driscoll, D. Breitenbach, S. Hite, R. Dummermuth; (top row) Counselor—R. Bowell, T. Hatten, G. Morrison, J. Haug, W. Conrad, D. Harvis, D. Page, D. Huckriede, W. Fahrer, F. Buster, M. Turner, D. Harden, P. Christianson.

**Nickell City**—left to right (bottom row) M. Morlan, J. Kuhn, A. Clum, R. Burch, C. Cassidy, L. Glasco, B. Gaddie, E. Smith, T. McGrew; (middle row) J. Devor, W. Faidley, B. Emmerson, R. Bolen, S. Holly, G. Self, K. Stueve, R. Raleigh, J. Ray, R. Watkins, G. Isbell; (top row) Counselor—C. Mullendore, W. Knorr, R. Windell, L. Hendershot, D. Muxlow, R. Westbrook, L. Maxwell, L. Mueller, K. Lang, S. Lukert, R. Biby, D. Smith.

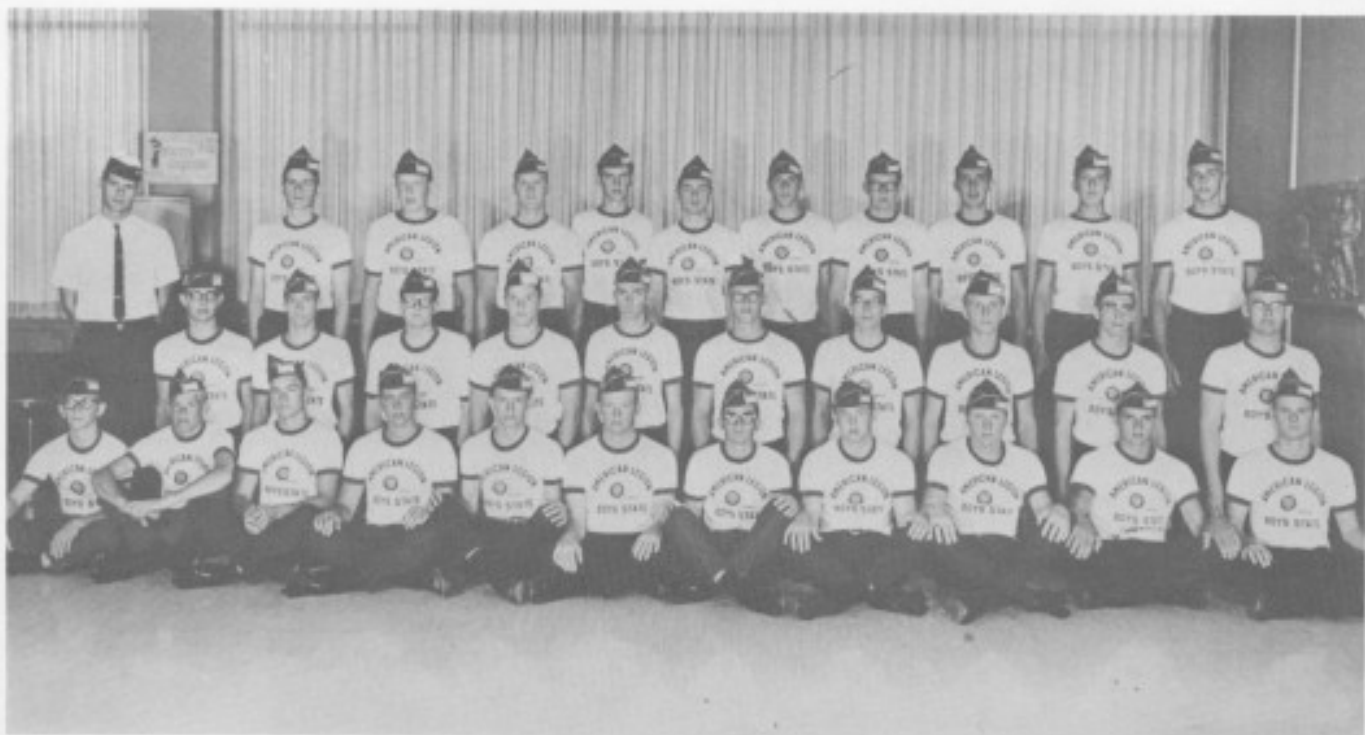




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**Kemper City**—left to right (bottom row) V. Peter, G. Turner, L. Young, D. Stiffler, J. Arthur, K. Mercier, P. Combs, D. Farrington, J. Bridgens, D. Henderson; (middle row) L. Quinlan, D. Long, I. Croft, O. Svoboda, W. Scott, R. Jones, A. McBride, R. Hague, D. Reed, S. Roney; (top row) Counselor—J. Woodward, J. Barrett, M. Mullen, J. Mortz, J. Selzer, S. Stanton, A. Haywood, J. Rolfs, L. Walters, D. Spratt, R. Bergman.

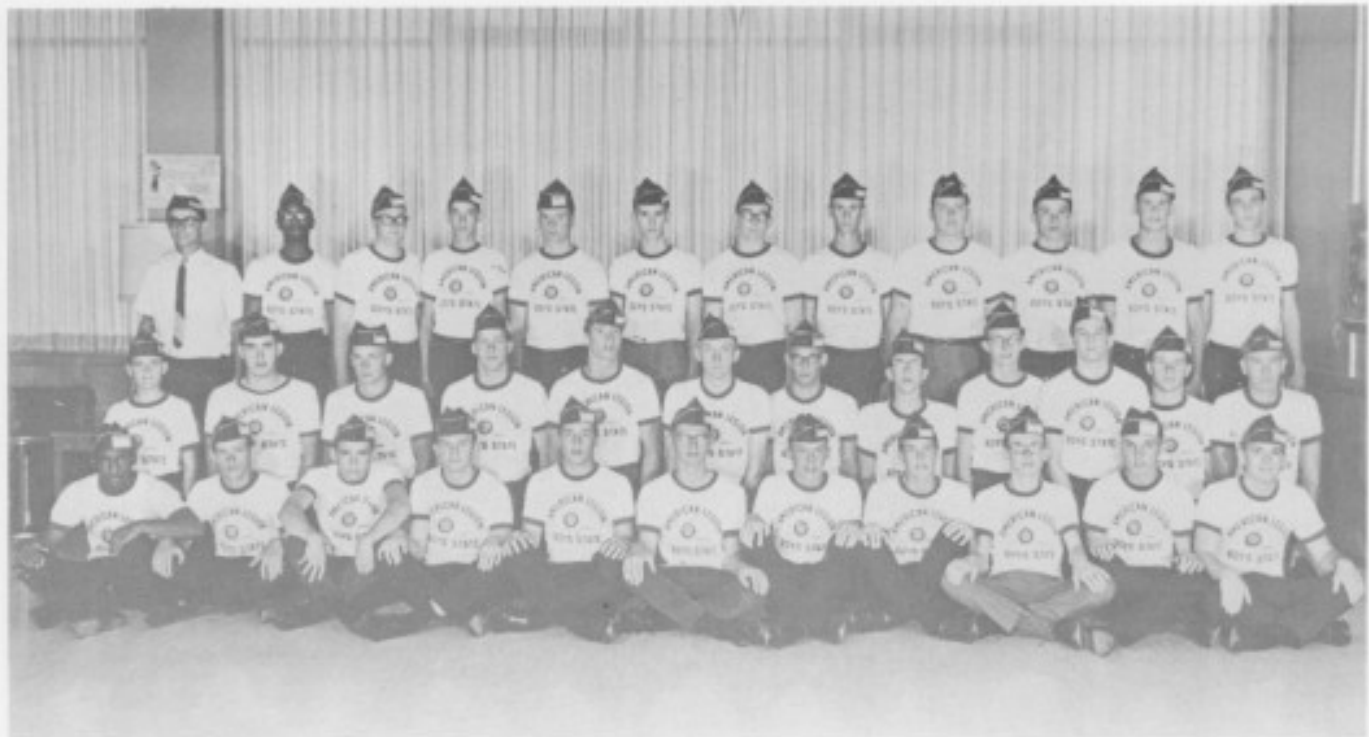
**Lawrence City**—left to right (bottom row) M. Schill, C. McClure, S. Burdett, L. Williams, J. Sleeper, A. Carlson, B. Lundy, B. Rešnik, L. Stewart, J. Oestreich, B. Burns; (middle row) M. McDonald, L. Crowley, R. Shaffer, M. Allen, B. Vietti, M. Schmitt, J. Shellito, M. Soukup, R. Bruning, F. Schmidt; (top row) Counselor—K. Van Horn, D. Smith, S. Pope, R. Bear, R. Streit, R. Townsend, S. Matlack, B. Cochrane, R. Hohenstein, T. Schoenbeck, M. Grahm.



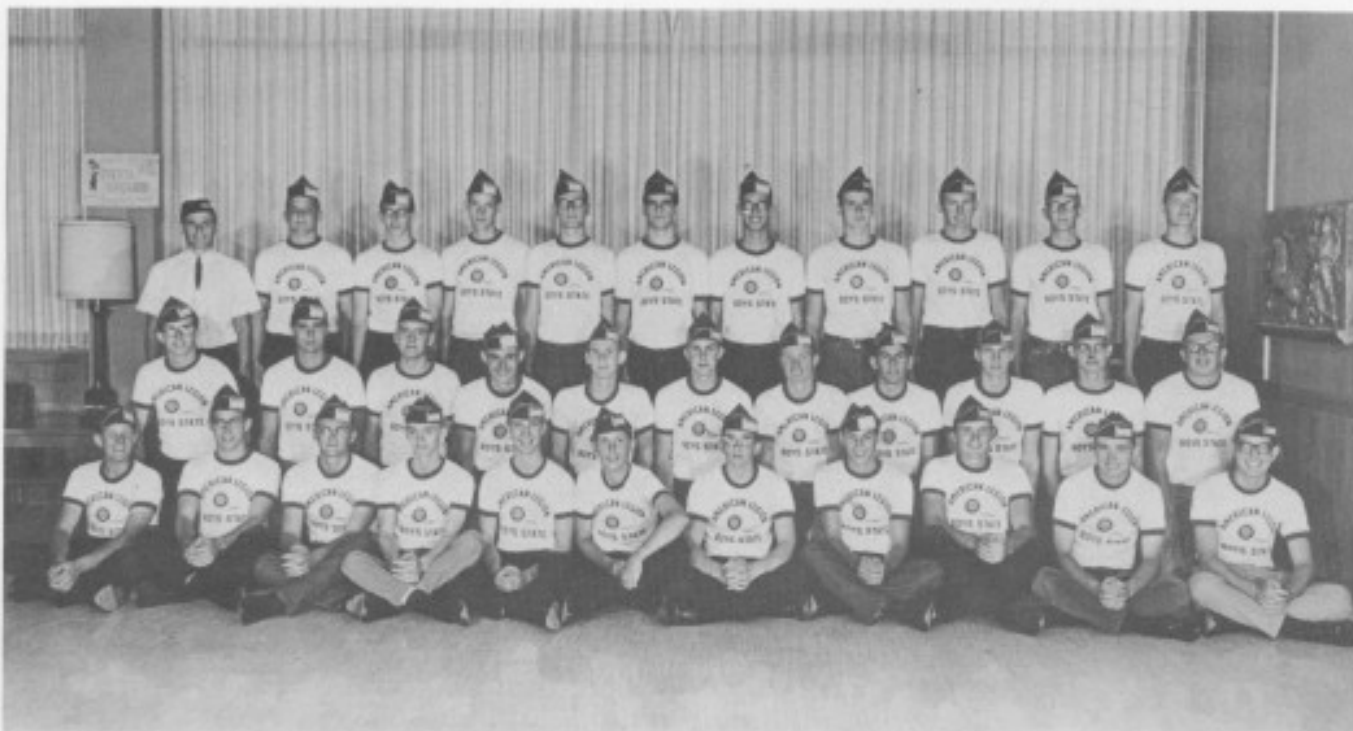


**Mantey City**—left to right (bottom row) R. Hamilton, D. Wiard, H. Schwien, D. Dutton, R. McAfee, T. Johnston, B. George, M. Kennedy, G. Krause; (middle row) B. Van Luyck, B. Read, B. Griffity, D. Brockerd, D. Larson, R. Graffel, C. Dunn, L. Kliever, R. Silka, R. Pateson; (top row) Counselor G. Donovan, B. Hanke, S. Farris, M. Tate, H. Coffman, J. Georgeson, S. Hiebsch, S. Dody, R. Hartsook, J. Whelan, G. Jackson.

**Schulz City**—left to right (bottom row) R. Richardson, R. Uhrich, D. Barkley, G. Hollowell, R. North, G. Huwe, J. Miller, J. Arbuckle, S. Skinner, A. Jackson, D. Hulben; (middle row) H. Robinson, R. Reed, L. Johnson, I. Clark, M. Allen, D. Shreve, B. Musgrave, R. Miller, L. Myer, S. Ward, C. Fulcher, R. Irwin; (top row) Counselor L. Logan, G. King, P. Higdin, J. Gerhardt, G. Stewart, J. Coker, P. Roberts, D. Bretz, M. Burris, J. Demley, S. Wood, H. Wright.



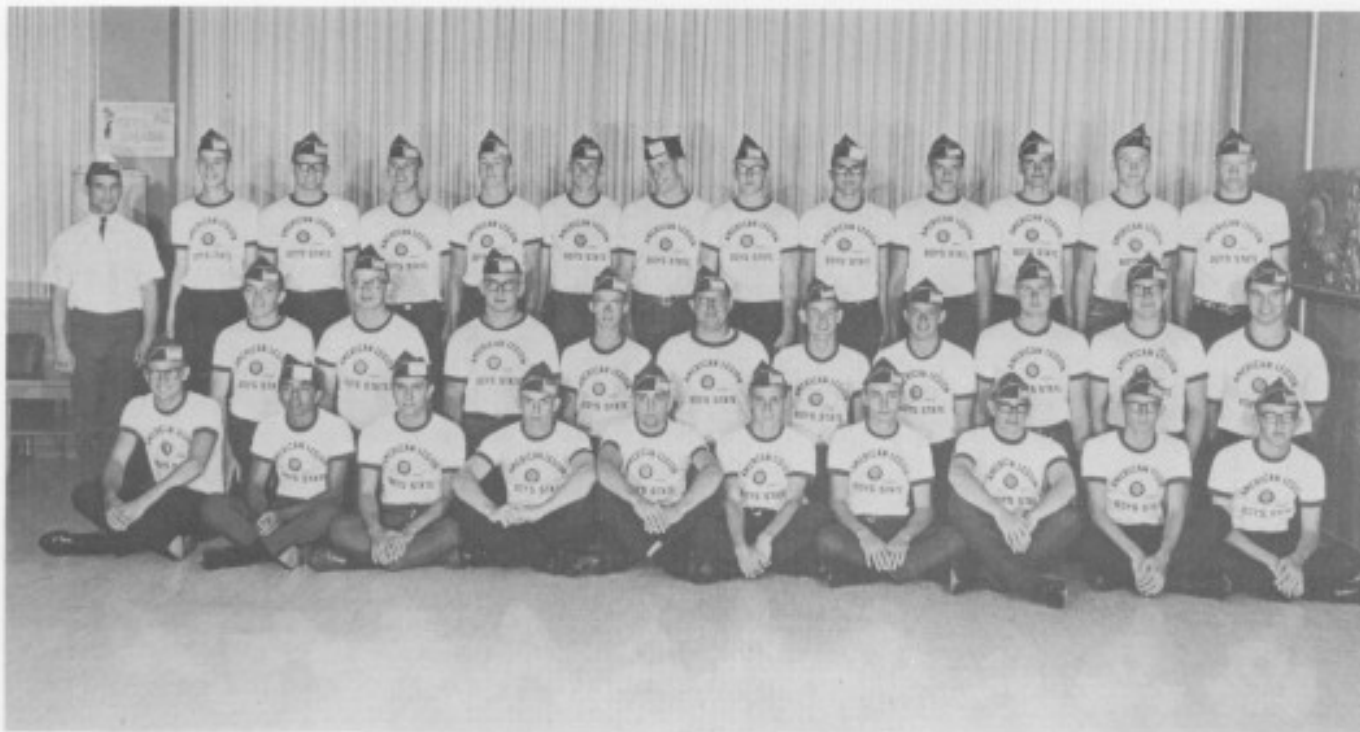


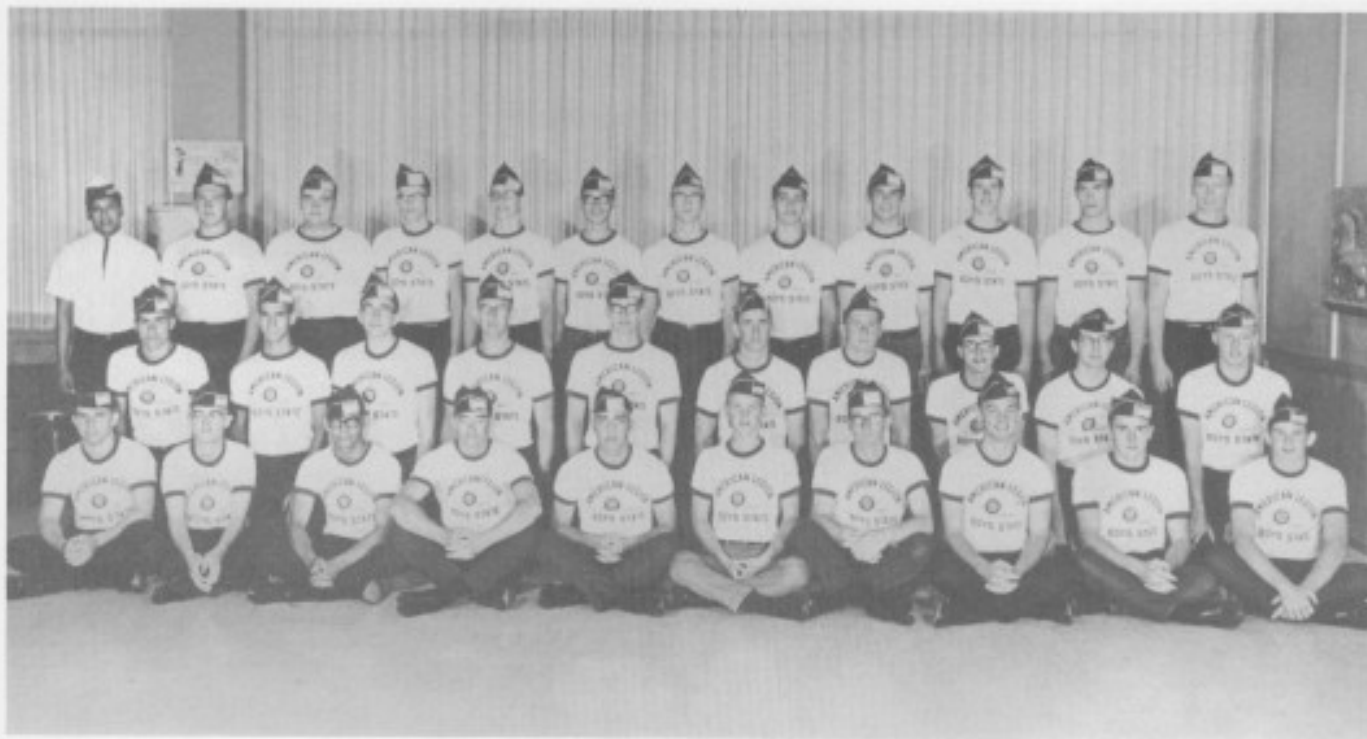


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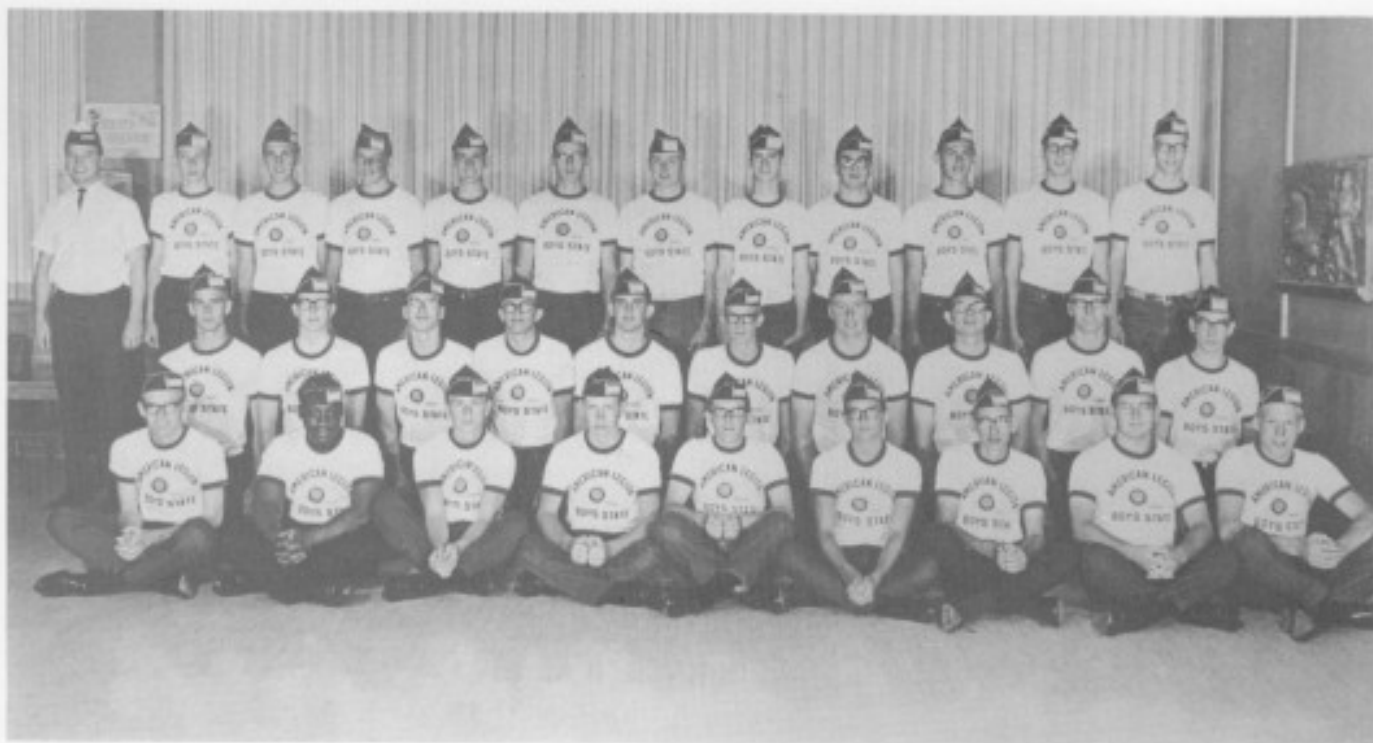
**Haney City**—left to right (bottom row) G. Waldo, R. Smith, S. Nieden, T. Turner, S. Sherwood, M. Downing, R. Norris, B. Johnson, R. Miller, I. Wheelles; (middle row) C. Maley, K. Buhrer, J. Brewer, B. Laverentz, J. O'Malley, R. Thackery, D. Johnston, G. Kurtenbach, C. Settles, S. Brown; (top row) Counselor—T. Alley, W. Scott, D. McReynolds, M. Thompson, R. Brittan, K. Schornick, C. Cogswell, M. Waring, L. Alley, A. Hewins, D. Ingells, C. Wilson, T. Sheehy.





**Riegel City**—left to right (bottom row) R. Seward, D. Hart, J. Morrison, R. Reeser, R. Walker, D. Callison, D. Cales, B. Stamey, S. Thompson, P. Johnson; (middle row) S. Wagner, K. Cleland, J. Porter, C. Towle, R. Garrett, D. Bosley, D. Armstrong, N. Michalski, B. Hamilton, H. Redford; (top row) Counselor—J. Frazier, F. Watson, D. Laudick, J. Streit, J. Cassing, A. Bayer, L. States, J. Wolven, M. Ballinger, B. Axline, G. Holston, T. Keller.

**Wyman City**—left to right (bottom row) B. Rodda, G. Waller, D. Staton, S. Couch, B. Reynolds, G. Paulsen, D. Loyd, G. Denton, R. Wichman; (middle row) G. Scharff, D. Muchow, J. Cady, J. Armstrong, P. Cena, S. Crowthers, R. Draeger, J. Kopke, D. Hallbick, S. Buster; (top row) Counselor—D. Metzler, R. Silber, J. Warbritton, R. Petersen, C. Settle, G. Herrmann, G. Premer, C. Ringer, D. Burbridge, P. Borgerding, B. Basow, R. Askren.

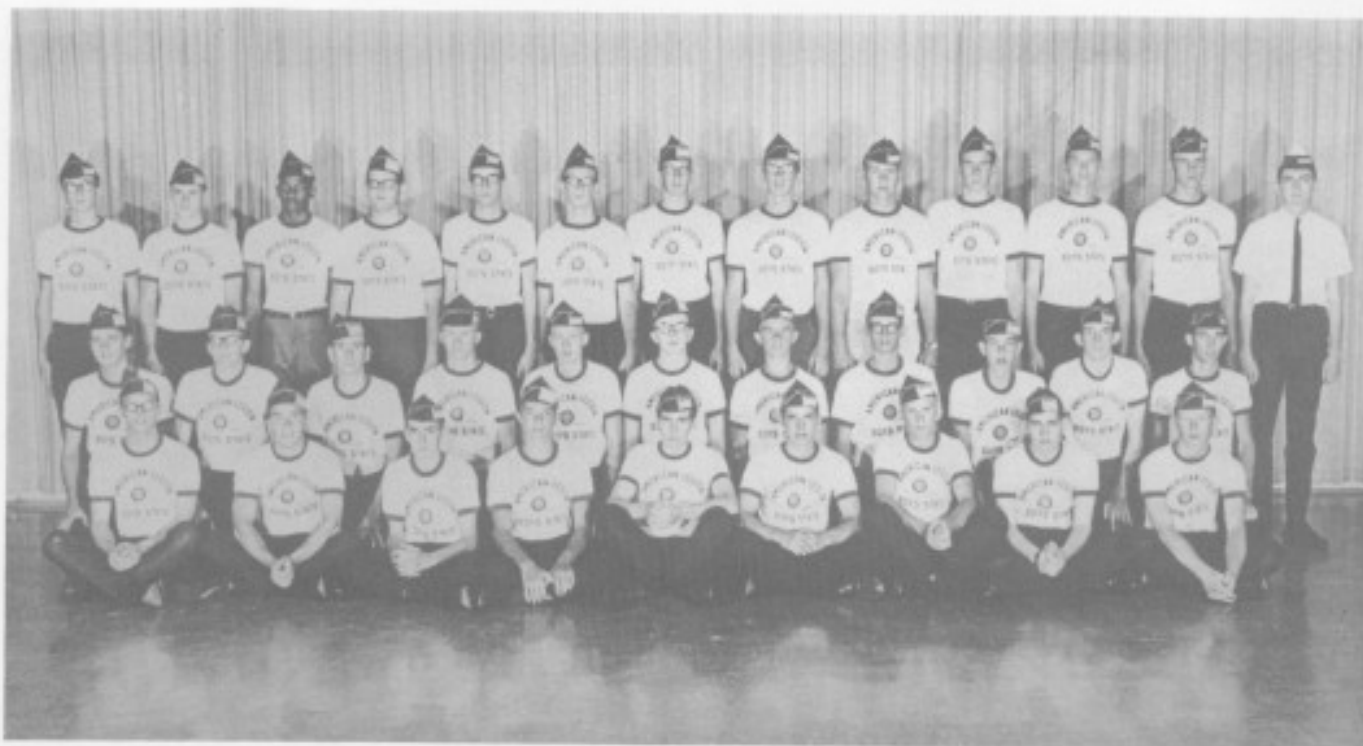




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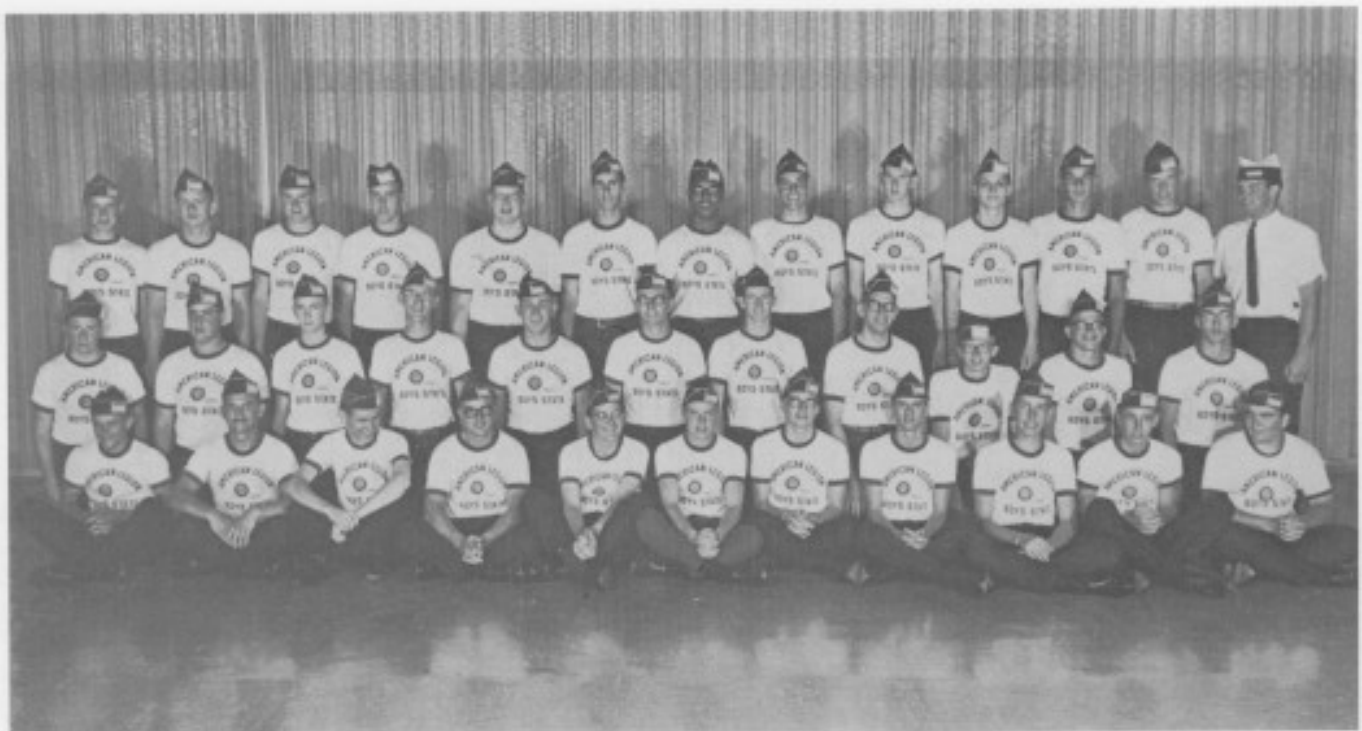
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### MAC ARTHUR COUNTY

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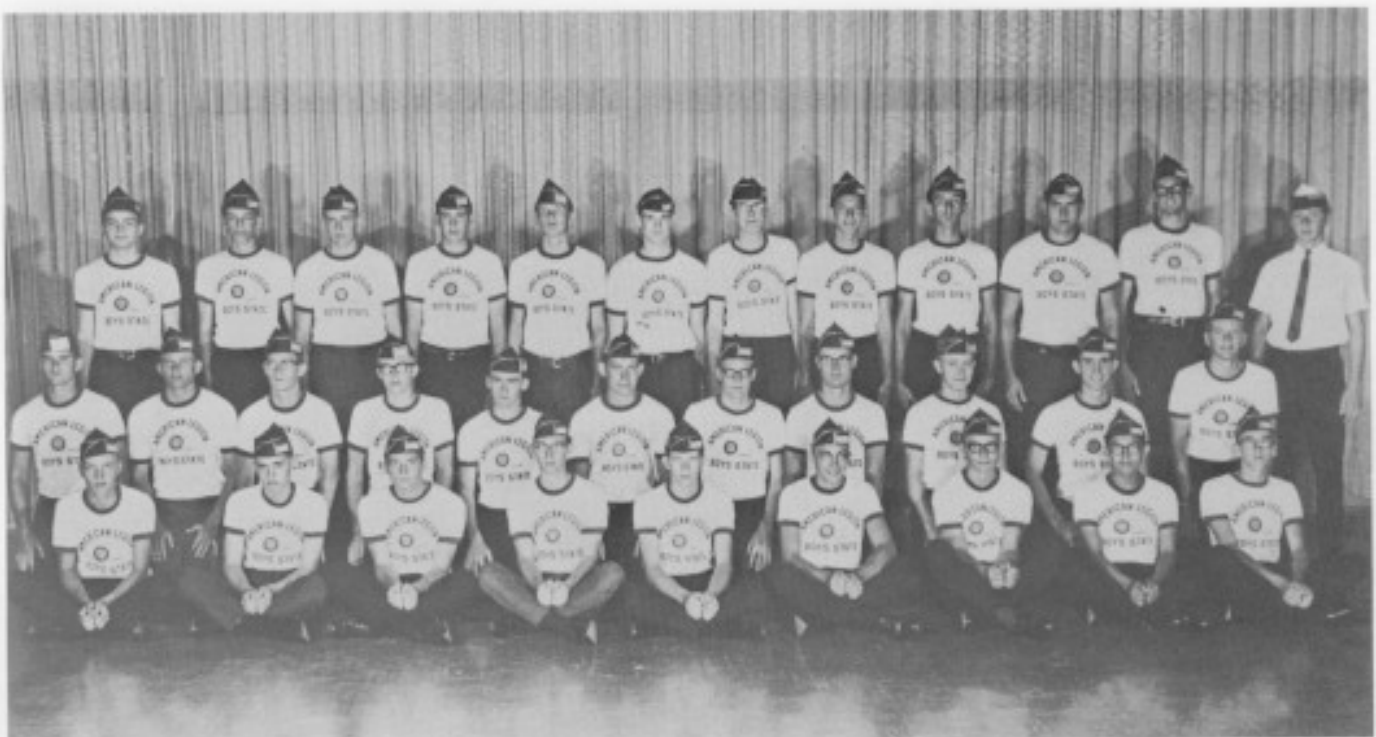
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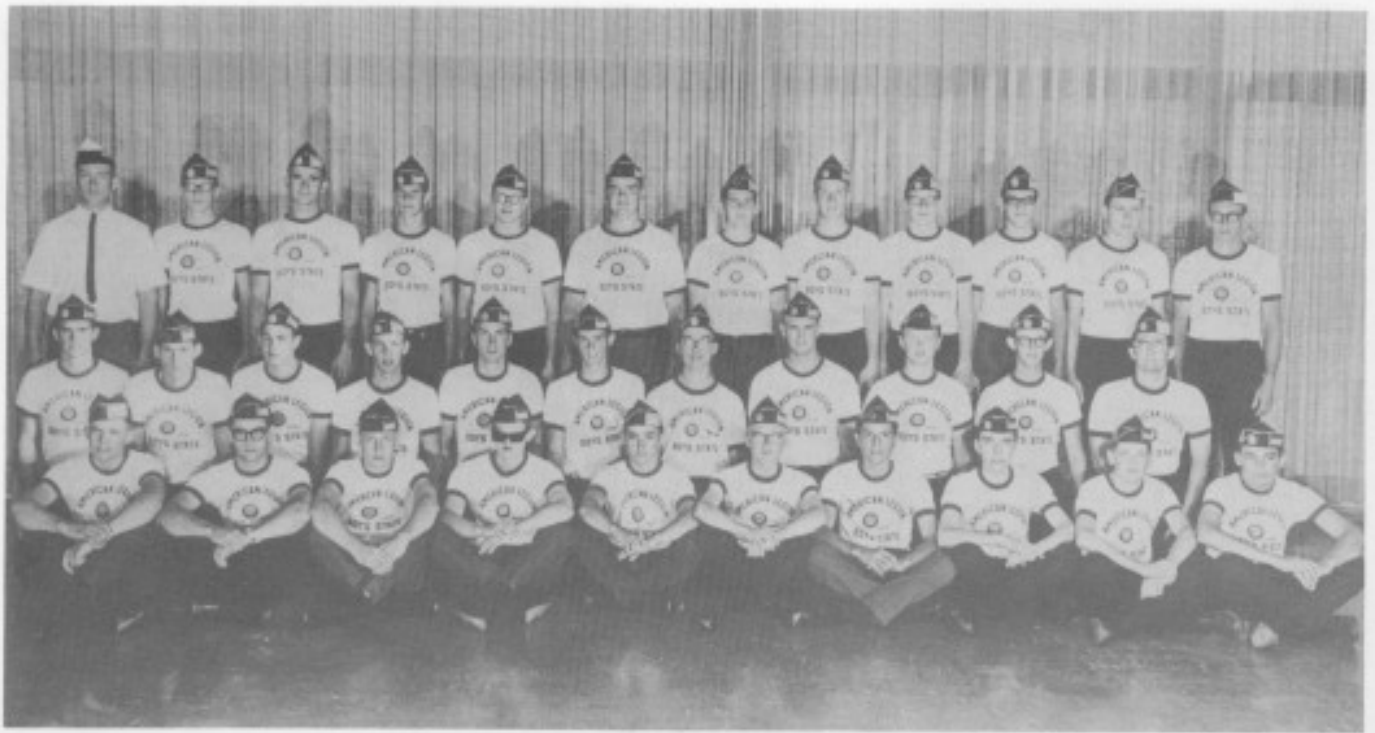




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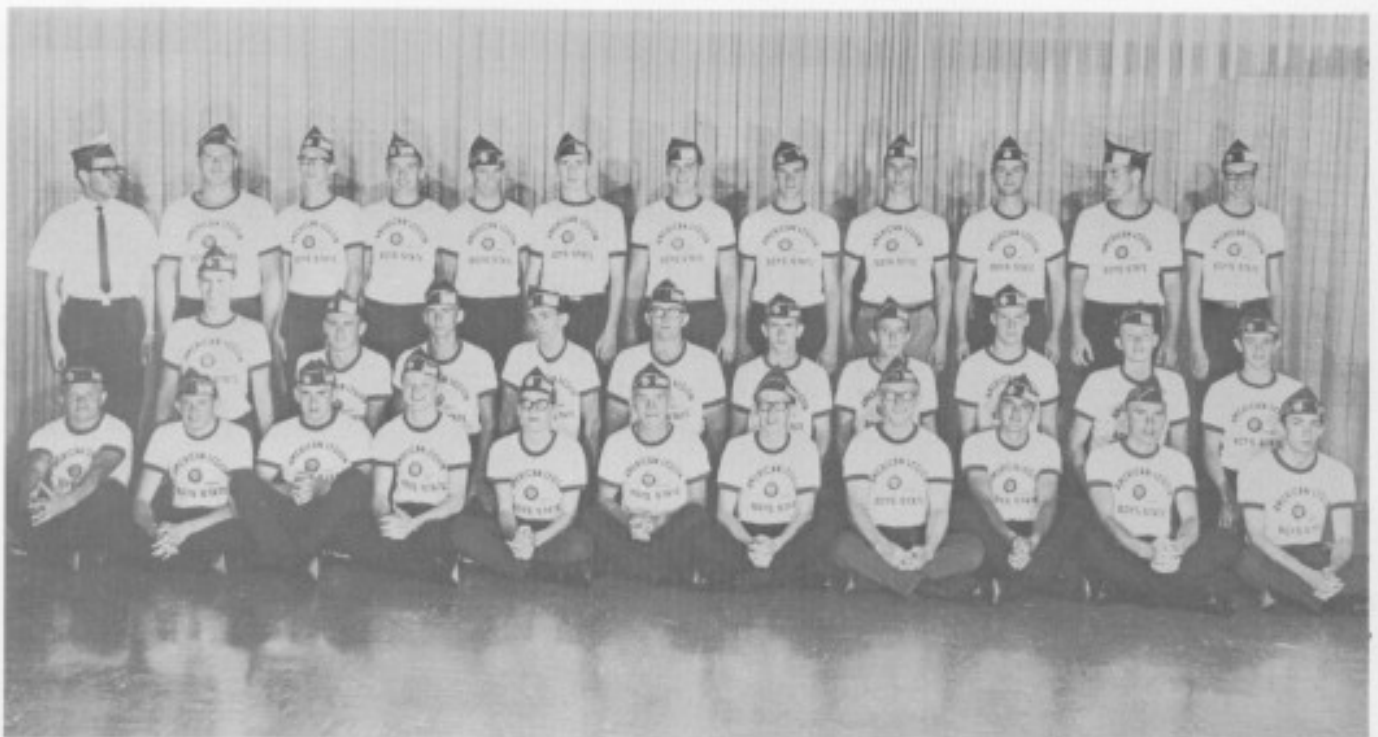


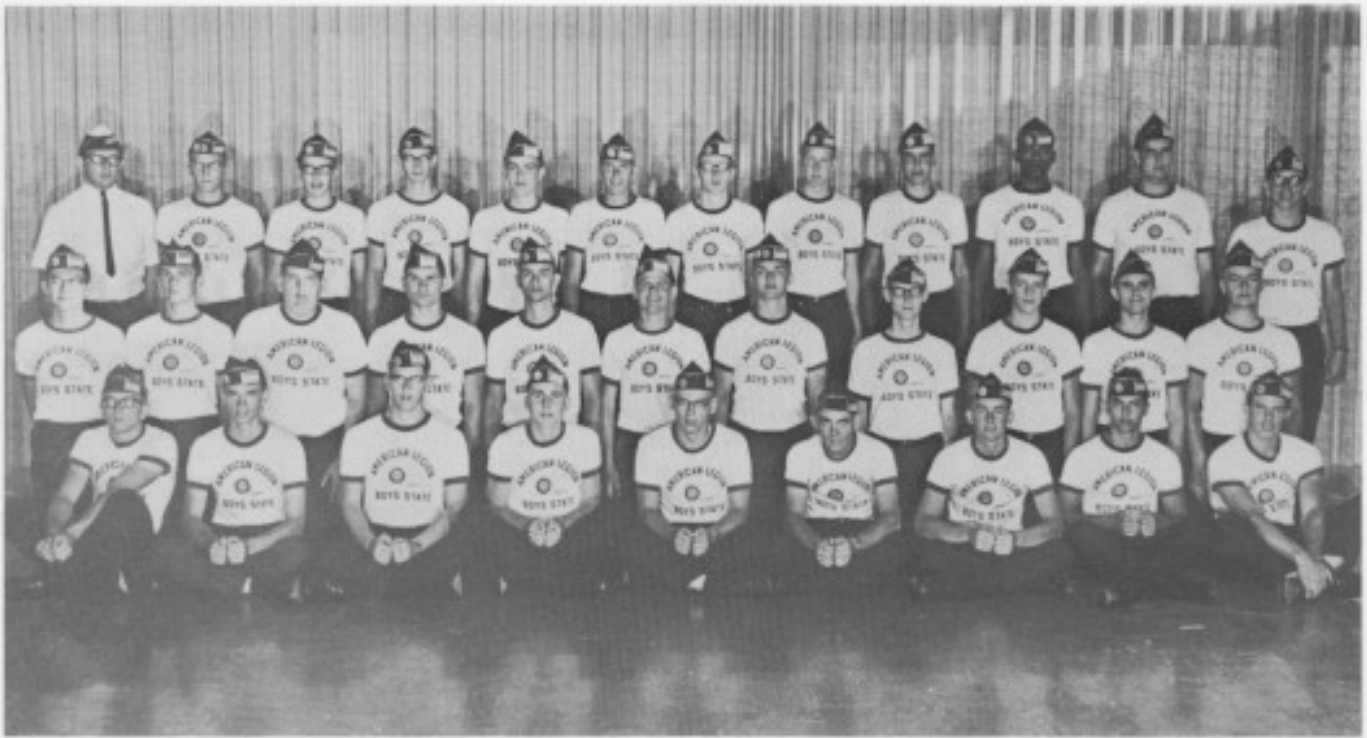


#### PATTON COUNTY

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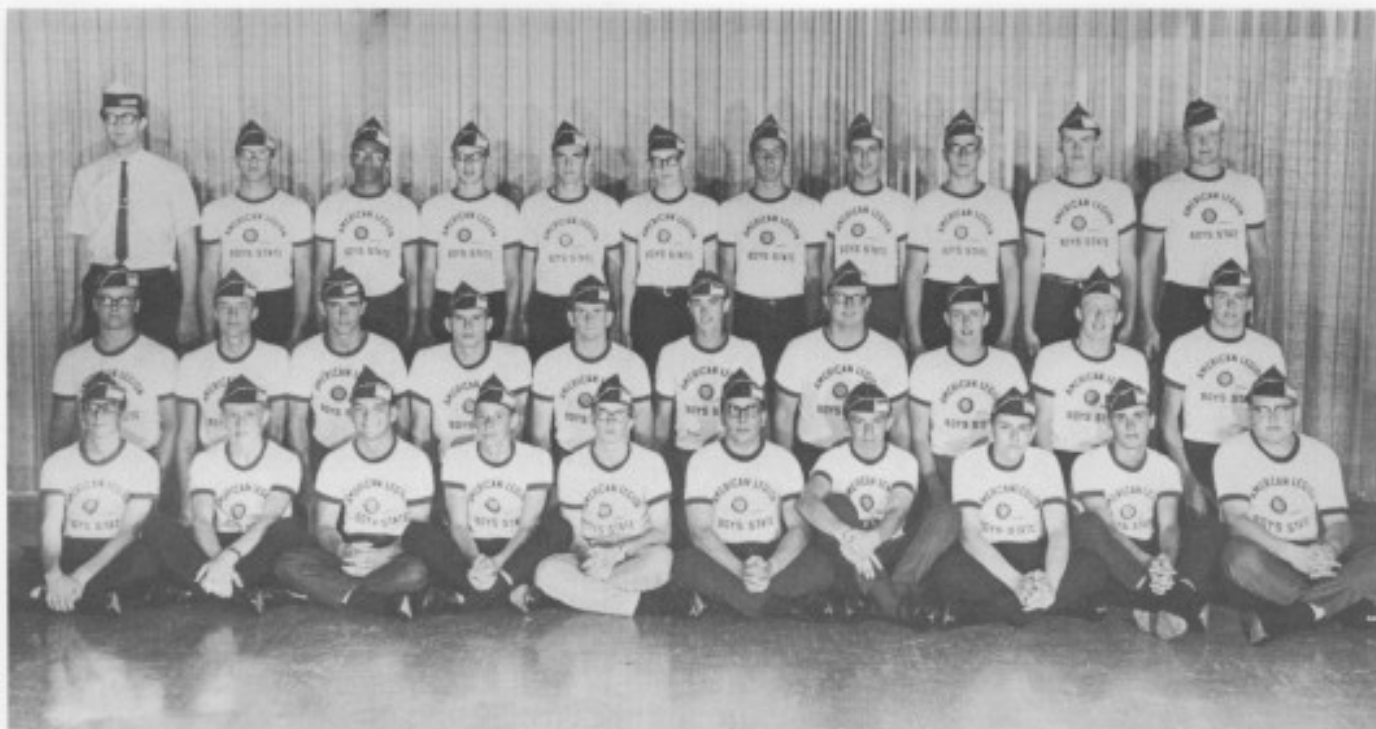


**Glidden City**—left to right (bottom row) J. Caywood, R. Rathgeber, R. Harrison, T. McAtee, G. Cadek, N. Allen, D. Brown, R. Roth, T. Davis; (middle row) T. Osborne, W. Geiger, B. Ackley, H. Thayer, S. Carter, T. Stuart, C. Purdin, R. Moon, R. Myers, B. Lemon, R. Reed; (top row) Counselor B. Mitchell, K. Hanson, T. Idleman, L. Becraft, E. Larkin, D. Bybee, J. Riggerbach, M. Williams, J. Jaax, T. Lockhart, S. Phillips, B. Kingston.

**Sullivan City**—left to right (bottom row) W. Baldwin, B. Buss, G. Harris, B. Jeffries, K. Conley, D. Hosler, R. Robertson, B. Shulenberg, J. Albrecht, R. Hiatt; (middle row) R. Graber, J. Buser, M. Ludwig, S. Tippit, J. Clark, F. Potter, D. Callahan, B. Aeschbacher, T. Henne, R. McLenon, S. Firkins; (top row) Counselor C. Hackner, R. Phillips, S. Rorabaugh, W. Mehl, R. Long, W. Rich, M. Sherraden, P. Smith, J. Brunkow, R. Post, M. Elwell.







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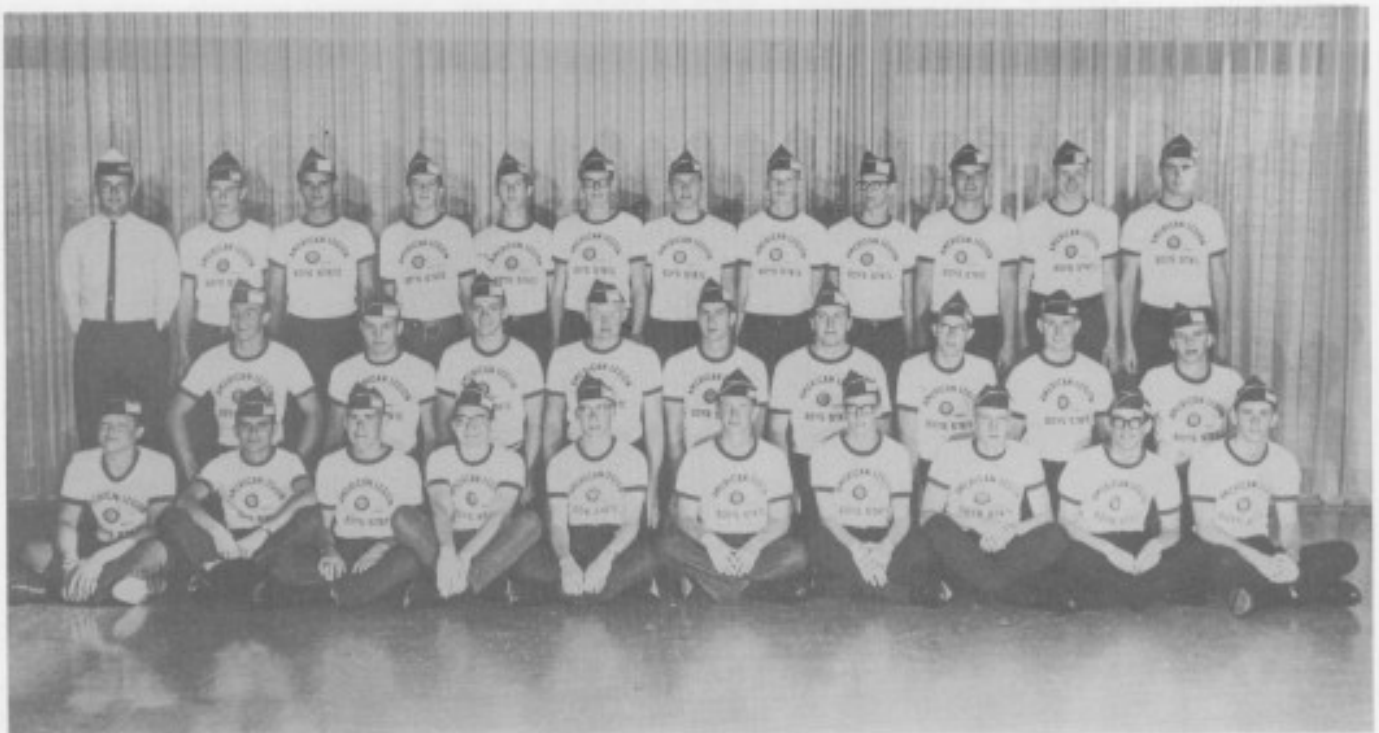




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**Weir City**—left to right (bottom row) B. Drieling, M. Sebastian, J. Craig, G. Myers, J. Bredfaldt, C. Marston, J. Hotujac, L. Beers, M. Patterson, S. Dillbeck; (middle row) S. Heiniger, D. Bott, D. Lawrence, E. Niermeier, S. Brown, E. Detrixhe, W. Elliott, R. Barrett, O. Gaul; (top row) Counselor P. Boeding, C. Roberts, M. Garcia, R. Mackenzie, J. Cocoran, J. Dorsey, R. Velander, S. Birk, B. Bodecker, R. Herrmann, T. Dodge, B. Bray.

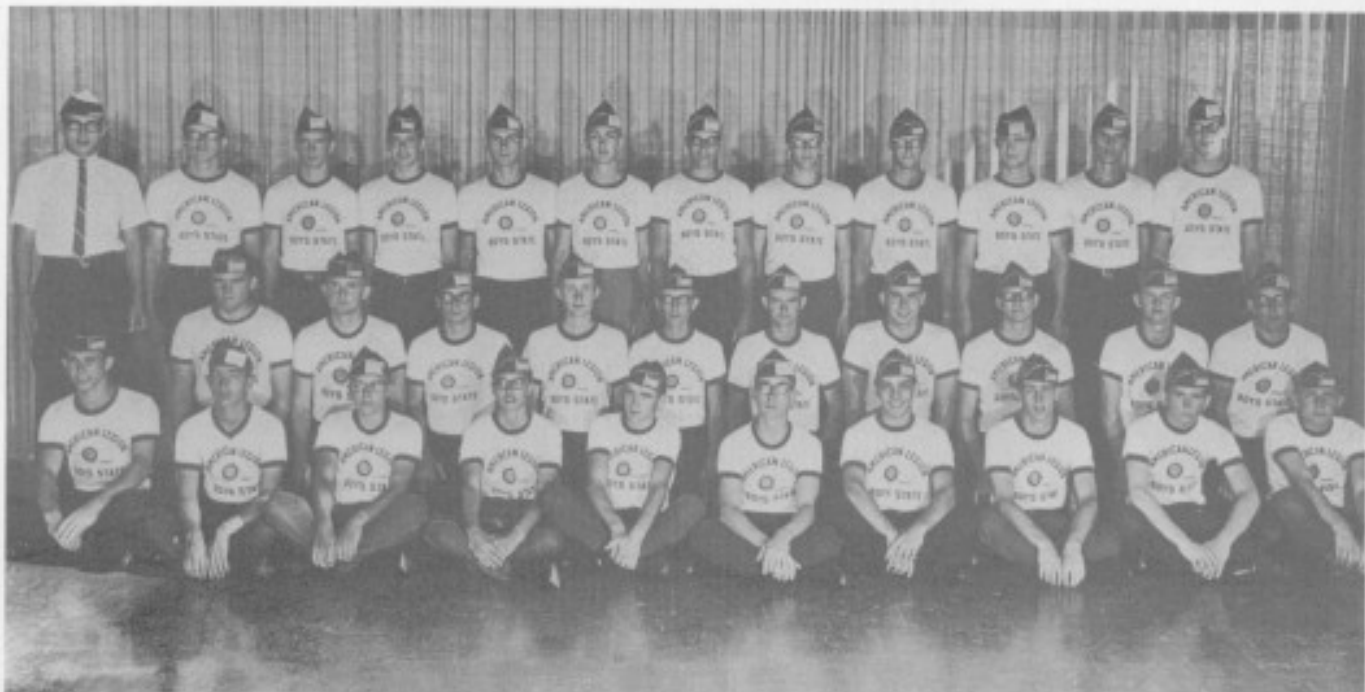


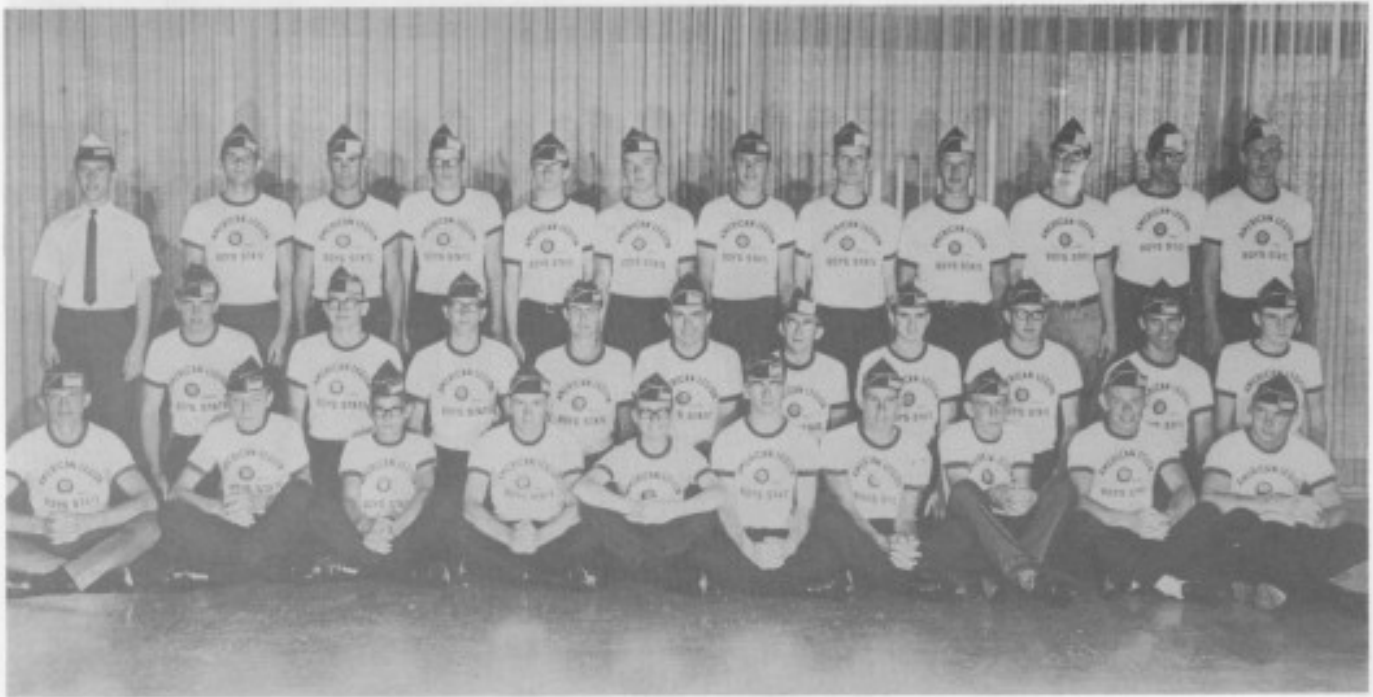


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**Scrivner City**—left to right (bottom row) R. Hill, D. Albright, D. Higgins, D. Serpan, J. Low, R. Seifert, L. Radar, P. Ryan, T. Duncan; (middle row) R. Kramer, K. Alberding, L. Hedges, L. Shaffer, P. Barrett, A. Brandt, R. Lynd, R. Niemeir, R. Leffel, A. Ames; (top row) Counselor P. Maley, T. McEvoy, B. Bielby, J. Nicholson, J. Call, J. Taylor, P. Sutton, F. Toner, W. Bradshaw, M. Ammeter, J. Winter. Not pictured: Gov. J. Peterson.







Key counselors (l to r): S. Ridgway, T. Rader, D. Waxe, F. Diskin.

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Board of Directors (l to r): Lt. Tim Edwards, vice-president; Frank Forbes, vice-president; Bill Taggart, secretary; Ed Stahl, vice-president; Harold Hollis, treasurer; Ed Powers, president.

Past Kansas department commanders shown at Boys' State with present Department Commander Jim Christy (top row, center): seated—William E. Haney, Howard F. Lawrence; standing—Gen. Joe Nichols, insert, Gib Mantey, Christy, Bert Church.



Past department commanders meet with their cities: Howard Lawrence (above) and Bill Haney (below).



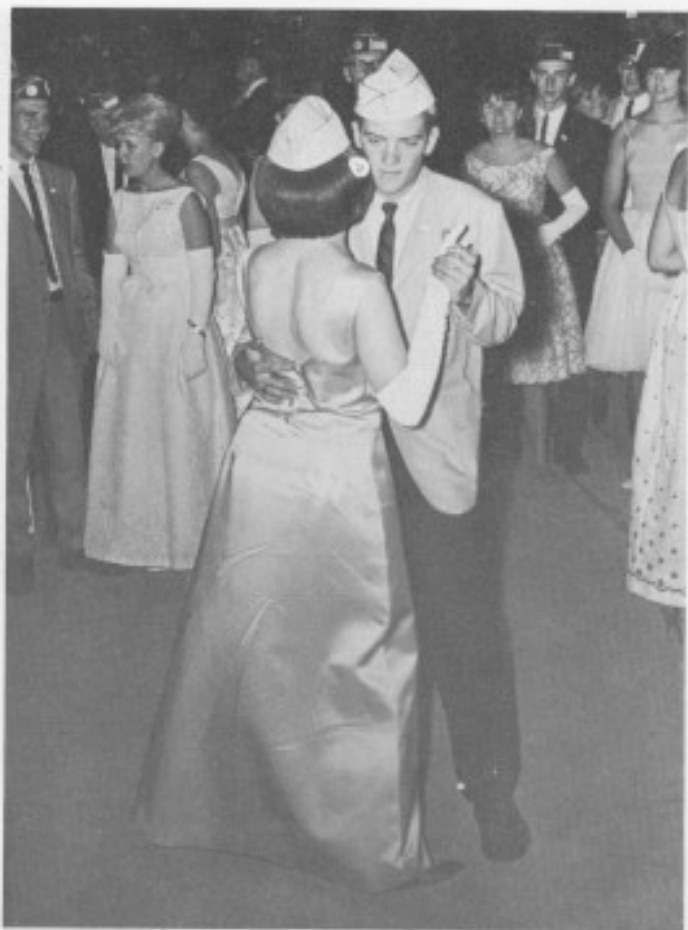


Legionaire advisors (l to r): seated—G. Grush, T. Llewellyn, R. Meulmester, F. Hyde, V. Batson, F. Rogers, H. Hollis, G. Mantey, P. Finley, H. Rinehart; standing—J. Lawrence, D. Spigarelli, D. Gibson, B. Boswell, R. Shultz, J. Shultz, H. Todd, E. Stahl, L. Allerheiligen, C. Goforth, R. Birk, D. Mathia, H. Fisher, T. Edwards, W. Raymond, G. Wilson, E. Powers.

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## GOVERNORS' BALL

Governors shared the spotlight—and the moonlight—at the Governor's Ball. (Opposite) Gov. John Peterson escorts Girls' State Gov. Arlene Tjart and 1964 Gov. Steve Ridgway is shown with his date. Counselor Bill Moorehead and his girl are also pictured. Staters and their ladies enjoyed both outdoor dancing on the Templin tennis court (above) and indoor dancing in the Lewis ballroom. The Governors pause to buy souvenirs (r) as staters and counselors bring their girls into Lewis for a whirl.





Elected delegates to Boys' Nation were the gubernatorial candidates (above), Dave Nutt and Gov. John Peterson. Below, Girls' State Gov. Arlene Tjart and Gov. Peterson inspect Staters' quarters.



Executive Director Pat Finley (top) and Advisor Gib Mantey (below) were among five walkie-talkie bearers who became known as 'the men with fishing poles'. Marlene Higley (above), Boys' State full-time secretary, kept State running smoothly.





Staters' Union goes to press.



Gib Mantey receiving a National Citation from Boys' Nation director Jim Rowe.



Gubernatorial timber in 1964 Gov. Ridgway, candidates Nutt and Peterson and 1963 Gov. Rader.



Pat Finley and Tom Rader.



Leavenworth staters form color guard.



Watching retreat.



Gov. Peterson receives congratulations from representatives of the military academies attending State.



Counselor Waxe and Betty Erickson, a secretary.



(BELOW TWO PIX OF COUNSELORS)

Message center counselors (l) and election counselors (r). Below, the Highway Patrol: Tom Davis, Supt., T. Troutman, S. Goggans, D. Ziegler, R. Kaup, N. Michalski, W. Mehl, P. Gieber, H. Ackley, R. Lemon, D. Watrous, L. Anderson, N. Wendling, C. Roberts, J. Craig, S. McNaught, D. Gentry, G. Peck, A. McBride, B. Resnik, R. Roberts, M. Freeberg, D. Huckriede, E. Hiebert, C. Jeffries, W. Laws, J. Martin, J. McVay, L. Wobker, L. Wightman, G. Horacek, J. Figard, L. Smith, T. Archer, L. Alley, B. Buss, R. Nelson, B. Nagel, D. Schulke, W. Crowley, D. Mitchell, J. Moore, C. Marton, J. Showalter, C. Van Zant, R. Petersen, A. Jackson, R. North, J. Danley, L. Maxwell, R. Kibbe, M. Cruver, R. Hiebsch, W. Hill, R. Shotton, L. Hamilton, J. Tarter, R. Stepanich.



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