

CONFIDENTIAL RECORD SHEET
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
B. S. A.

DATE June 6, 1962

FULL NAME Richard L. Rineer

ADDRESS 718 Tenth Avenue

CITY Prospect Park STATE Penna.

AGE 26

RELIGION Attended Lutheran Church (not a member)
Moravian NATIONALITY American

OCCUPATION Elementary School Teacher

EDUCATION College - State Teacher's College, Millersville, Penna.

WEIGHT Approx. 150 lbs. COLOR White HEIGHT 5'6"

COLOR OF HAIR Dark Brown COLOR OF EYES Brown

OUTSTANDING CHARACTERISTICS OR INTERESTS Pleasant personality, Indian Lore

MARRIED OR SINGLE Single CHILDREN ---

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

<u>Unit #</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Office</u>	<u>Date reg'd.</u>	<u>Date resigned</u>
169	Norwood	Penna.	Scout Master	March 1962	June 4, 1962

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Recommended for Confidential File for following reasons:

Indecent Assault - Contributing to the delinquency of minors.

Arrested by police held on morals charge - on June 4, 1962.

Sect. 501 - Sodomy Sect. 502 assault and solicitation to commit Sodomy.

SIGNED

Kenneth L. Oliver
KENNETH L. OLIVER
SCOUT EXECUTIVE

(D-787)

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FOR INTRA-ORGANIZATION COMMUNICATION

Rineer, Richard L.

June 11, 1962

Mr. John A. Veldhoven
Assistant Scout Executive
Valley Forge Council, No. 507
1624 Western Saving Fund Building
Philadelphia 7, Pa.

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL
Re: Richard L. Rineer

Dear John:

In response to your letter of June 7 regarding Richard L. Rineer, we thank you for the confidential record sheet and the supplementary material including the newspaper clipping and his resignation.

We would like to complement you on the efficient manner in which this situation was handled. Since all the material we need has been forwarded, and since you indicate that he has resigned, no further action needs to be taken.

Sincerely yours,
PERSONNEL DIVISION

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Howard P. Boyd
Director of Registration

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June 7, 1962

Mr. Delmer H. Wilson
Director of Personnel
Boy Scouts of America
New Brunswick, New Jersey

Dear Skipper:

I am enclosing a confidential record sheet on Richard L. Rineer, whose name is to be placed in the confidential file.

The District Executive and I were advised of the charge against this individual within hours of the time of the arrest on June 4, 1962. Proper measures have been taken to proceed with the resignation of this individual from the Scouting movement that is indicated by the enclosed resignation letter and registration card.

The Pastor of the church that sponsors this unit has taken a very active interest in this case, and the unit committee is informed of this situation and a meeting was called with the parents of the Scouts attending to assure them that all measures are being taken to adjust the situation and to avoid the occurrence of malicious rumors. You will also notice that there is a copy of a news release that appeared in a County newspaper regarding this matter.

If there is any further information that you may require, please don't hesitate to make such a request.

Sincerely,

John A. Veldhoven
ASSISTANT SCOUT EXECUTIVE

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(D-737)

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June 5, 1962

To Whom It May Concern:

Because of mental pressures I am involved with at the present time I feel that it is necessary that I resign my commission as Scoutmaster of Troop 169 sponsored by the Norwood Lutheran Church. I further terminate all other relationships with the Boy Scouts of America.

Sincerely,

Richard L. Reiner
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DYKES_I_012961

Teacher Is Jailed

PROSPECT PARK. — A Boy Scout leader and school teacher was ordered held without bail for court on four morals charges Tuesday.

The man was identified as Richard Rineer, 27, 364 700 block 10th Avenue.

He was committed to Broadmeadow Jail in Boston Tuesday afternoon after a hearing before Justice of the Peace Elwood W. Richter.

Rineer was formerly a teacher in the Interboro Joint School District and scoutmaster of Boy Scout Troop 169.

Dr. James Burt, superintendent of Interboro schools, said Rineer had submitted a resignation effective at the end of the current school term.

He said Rineer was suspended until his resignation becomes effective.

Rineer taught at the Pennsylvania Avenue School in Prospect Park, Dr. Burt said.

Rineer was scoutmaster of Boy Scout Troop 169. The Rev. Robert Nagle, pastor of Emmanuel Lutheran Church in Woodford, which sponsors the troop, said Rineer is not presently scoutmaster, but declined to say as of what date.

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COUNCIL 507

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Rineer was scoutmaster of Boy Scout Troop 189. The Rev. Robert Nagle, pastor of Immanuel Lutheran Church in Norwood, which sponsors the troop, said Rineer is not presently scoutmaster, but

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