Junior Life-Savers at Cobbett's

A group of Red Cross junior life-savers from Pelham, Nashua, Windham and Hudson, N. H., branches are shown at Cobbett's pond where they received their instruction.

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A record of 64 swimming and life-saving awards were made by the Red Cross at the close of the swimming and life-saving program conducted last week by the Nashua Chapter of the American Red Cross for the members of the Pelham, Windham and Hudson branches at Hadley's beach, Cobbett's pond in Windham.

The classes were held under the direction of Miss Anne McKee, chairman of life-saving for the Nashua Chapter. Miss Phyllis Atwood of Pelham, a senior life-saver, assisted with the swimming and diving; Mrs. Alice M. Overlock, chairman of the Pelham branch of the American Red Cross, who is a Red Cross first aid instructor, helped with the teaching of artificial respiration.

Senior life-saving emblems were awarded to Charles Talbot of Lowell, Martha Overlock and Florence Hobbs of Pelham, and Charles Digney of Boston.

Junior life-saving awards were won by Arturo Ducharme, Alfred Ducharme, Richard Levesque, Nelson Sharm, Robert Ouellette and Mary Doherty of Pelham; Cleonice Gallar of Lawrence, Dick Dickerman of Somerville, Arthur Clemm of South Boston, and Stuart Allen, Robert Barron, Leo Lester and William Moller of Nashua.

Swimmers' buttons were given to Nancy Ouellette of Pelham, Frances Castle of Windham, Winnifred Dickerman of Somerville, Robert Kiemm of South Boston, Leslie Baker and Jack Baker of Hudson, and Jacqueline Lesser of Nashua.

The intermediate swimmers' test was passed by Sherman Stacey, Harriette Hobbs, Yvonne Ducharme, Claire Morris and Shirley Gilson of Pelham and Jean Baker and Gordon Baker of Hudson.

The largest group made up the beginners' class and many of these children learned to swim during the week's instruction. Those who passed the beginners test were Lorin Raymond, Harriette Hobbs, Claire Morris, Helen Ducharme, Jeanette Ducharme, Yvonne Ducharme, Doris Siloway, Nancy Ouellette, Shirley Gilson, Sherman Stacey, Helen Doran, Tom Doran, Jimmy Doherty, Billy Smith, Glennie Boutilier and Ralph Lamond of Pelham; John Clemm of Windham; Jean Baker, Jack Baker, Gordon Baker, Shirley Baker and Leslie Baker of Hudson and Jacqueline Lester and Philip Gagnon of Nashua.

Instruction in throwing a life buoy and the use of the surf board for rescue work was included in the life-saving instruction.

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