







# It Has Been

By VADA ARNOLD

In April 1935 at the Court of Honor meeting held by Boy Scout Troop 115 of Rising Star at the Scout cabin, A. T. Shults, Jr., was elected by the boys as the delegate from the troop to the International Boy Scout Jamboree to be held in August in Washington, D. C.

This was the first time the International Jubilee had ever been held in the United States.

The camp was pitched along the banks of the historic Potomac river and was to be in operation for two weeks.

All leading Scout officials and leaders of the world were to be in attendance. About 35,000 Scouts were expected.

After choosing a delegate from the troop, local Scouts set about to earn money to help pay Junior's expenses. One of the outstanding money-making events was a "Scout Carnival" held in the high school gym Friday evening, July 12, 1935. No admission was charged, the public was invited to "come out and enjoy the fun and get an idea of what the boys are doing."

Scoutmaster Bob Buckingham, Assistant Herchel McGlothlin, Eagle Scouts James Rutherford, Claude Chastain and others worked hard lining up various events and making preparations for entertainment.

An old-time ducking stool was among the fun events. Members

of the Court of Honor, Scout officials and others were asked to sit while the public tried to duck them by hitting the trigger with baseballs.

Local merchants and others donated articles of merchandise, food and other things to be sold. There was a "Grab Box" at 10c per grab, that proved very interesting.

The program was opened with the Scout oath by Thomas Wood, Fred J. Tunnell and Neal Chastain, followed by "America" sung by the group; a welcome address by Herchel McGlothlin; address by E. M. Howard; song "Donald J. Joyce and Charles Barnes, and the presentation of Scout Law by Emmett Crossley, Samuel Graves, Bobbie Shults, John H. Nunnally, Donald J. Joyce and Mearlyn Jones.

An "Exhibit Booth", ice cream and lemonade stand, fish pond, ducking stool, archery, cat rack and other attractions filled the evening with much enjoyment and put a nice sum of money into the treasury to help Junior Shults go to the Jamboree in Washington.

July 20, 1938, 17 boys with Scoutmaster Charles Rutherford from Troop 115 and five Scouts from Cisco, arrived on the south bank of Brady Creek, south of Richland Springs, at Camp Billy Gibbons for the second session

of summer camp.

The creek had been on a small rise for two days, nothing serious, but after the boys crossed the creek into camp, a rise of three feet came and completely cut off the road back to town.

"We were stranded with a limited supply of groceries, Guy Quirl, our Scout executive, a truck driver, two colored cooks and myself to feed," said Scoutmaster Rutherford.

The group was marooned for five days due to heavy rains, and had to move out of the camp to higher ground to escape high waters. The camp was completely washed away.

Other than being on short rations on account of the limited food supply, the boys suffered very little hardship. They conducted themselves like "real Scouts and I am proud of each boy" was the report Scoutmaster Rutherford gave when the boys reached home Sunday night July 24, tired and dirty with visions of baths, clean clothing and beds, and, above all, plenty of food.

## Nimrod News

By Mrs. EVA STROEBEL

Mrs. Viola Gattis of Scranton visited Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Townsend Wednesday.

Mrs. Jack Cozart visited Mrs. Mrs. G. C. Stroebel Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. C. C. Holdridge of Cross Plains and Mrs. Allen Scott of El Paso were visitors at the Busy Bee Club at Sabanno last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Cozart visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Moon at the Eastland Hospital. Mr. Moon is recovering from recent surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hill and daughter of Stephenville spent Sunday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Stone.

Mrs. Lee Lieske of Cisco visited Mrs. Beulah Sheridan Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King of Sabanno attended funeral services for his nephew, Tommy Nichols, at Abilene last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wende and children of Athens spent the week-end with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wende and he J. D. Graham family.

Mrs. Hulsey of Odessa is here visiting her mother, Mrs. Rich, and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Rich. Grandmother Rich will return home with her daughter for a month's visit.

Mrs. Ola Boles is at home after visiting relatives in Ranger and Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ingram and B. C. Ingram were in Fort Worth recently visiting in the Jack Davis home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Ricks, Mrs.

Walter Tonne and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Donnaway and baby spent Sunday at San Angelo with the George Ricks family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ziehr were week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ziehr.

Mr. and Mrs. Viry Williams of Cook visited Mrs. Mary Hollis and Minter D. Hollis recently.

Mrs. Wordis Erwin of Sabanno spent Thursday with her mother, Mrs. P. C. Larkin.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Wende and her mother, Mrs. Erdman were in Stamford to visit a sick relative recently, they also visited with Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Erdman at Old Glory.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Strobel and Mary Ann visited in the home of Mrs. Maud Hill and Dinky Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Robert Shaw, pastor of the Cross Plains Methodist Church spoke at the Presbyterian Church last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Day and son, Jack, of Abilene visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Boggs visited in Lometa over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Otis Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Swift visited Mrs. N. L. Leonard Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Leonard is a patient in Gorman Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kizer and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schlenker attended the convention of the Texas Telephone Association at the Rice Hotel in Houston March 14 and 15.

# Watkins Food Market

DOUBLE BUCCANEER STAMPS ON WEDNESDAY

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

<b>SUGAR</b>	Imperial 10-Pound Bag	\$1.05
<b>TOILET TISSUE</b>	Scott 4 Rolls	37¢
<b>EGGS</b>	Garrett's Grade A Large Dozen	49¢
<b>SALAD DRESSING</b>	Morton's Quart	39¢
<b>STAR LAC</b>	Dry Milk 12-Quart	99¢
<b>SCOTT TOWELS</b>	Large Size	35¢
<b>CAKE MIX</b>	Duncan Hines Each	37¢
<b>ARMOUR'S or GOOCH'S</b>	ROUND	
<b>BACON</b>	lb. 75¢	<b>STEAK</b> lb. 79¢
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Mrs. George Brooks of Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. McCready of Cleburne were week-end guests of Mrs. Mary Pilant, Mrs. J. T. Coursey and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lee, Sr., and Mrs. Beyrl Heath and Earl Lee attended the funeral of Mrs. Lee's brother, Rex Nickelson, at San Angelo Monday March 21.

Mrs. Beyrl Heath visited her cousin, Mrs. J. W. Neighbors, at San Angelo, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Quindlan of Greenville were week-end visitors of her father, W. C. Reed.

## For City Council—

The Rising Star is authorized to announce that the following are candidates for places on the Council of the City of Rising Star in the General City Election to be held on Tuesday, April 5, 1966:

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- W. E. (Willie) COOPER
- J. D. (Jud) MORROW

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  - PORK STEAK**, Fresh Pound . . . 69c
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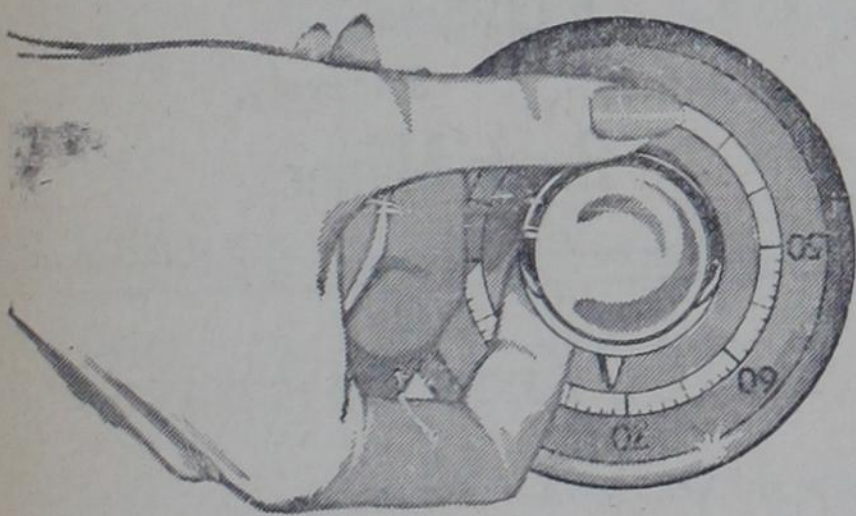
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