

NEWS AND NOTES OF THE BOY SCOUTS

LOOK FORWARD TO BIG RALLY

Hundreds of Scouts Anxious to Participate in Contests in Fall

The hundreds of Boy Scouts of the city are eagerly anticipating the big rally and contest which will probably be held in September in the Board of Trade building or Chestnut street auditorium. The first action on this move was taken this week at the bimonthly meeting of the city scoutmasters. The committee arranging the rally includes Garfield McAllister, of Troop 4; William A. Frantz, of Troop C, and A. Miller, Troop 7.

The rally and contest was first planned by Scout Executive J. H. Stine to create a closer relationship between the various city troops. The idea was heartily agreed upon at the meeting and the scoutmasters at once began to make plans for the rally which will be the first of its kind for Harrisburg.

Through the courtesy of Robert B. Reeves, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., another big time is scheduled for the scouts when an open house will be held in the association rooms soon after school starts. The scoutmasters will make further plans for the big rally at their next meeting which will be held in the Y. M. C. A. building August 7.

More than fifty local Boy Scouts have taken advantage of the offer of Secretary Reeves, of the Harrisburg Y. M. C. A., to purchase membership tickets for the association for the summer months. The scouts receive the tickets at the scout headquarters, in the Calder building, and then have Mr. Reeves, countersign them. These cards give them the privileges of the boys' department during certain hours of the day and certain days of the week. The tickets expire in October, but nevertheless the scouts will have had several months of enjoyment at the association.

TROOP 11 FINDS A HORNET'S NEST

At 10 o'clock the troop members left the city for Little Round Top. They arrived at their destination in time to cook dinner.

After dinner some of the boys not thinking they were having enough excitement, went in pursuit of some.

Scout Gilbert Lyons stepped on a hornets' nest and excitement in plenty soon followed. Mr. Manser was bitten on the inside of his nose and other scouts on all parts of their bodies. Scout Lyons, however, got the best of the deal, receiving ten stings. Games were played and the troop returned home by a different route.

At the meeting on Monday evening at 7:30, Mr. Manser announced that the scout camp at Craighhead will be held during the last two weeks in August. Offers for tents have been received from several firms, but as yet none have been decided upon.

Notice to Scouts of Troop 11 All scouts of the troop are requested to attend the last few meetings before we leave for camp as arrangements have to be made. Charles H. Crist, scribe Troop 11, Market Square Presbyterian Church.

First Hike of Troop 17 to Hershey; Fine Outing

Members of Troop No. 17 of Immanuel Presbyterian Church went on their first hike to Hershey recently, starting from the church at Sixteenth and Liberty streets, about 9:30 o'clock. The report of the trip by one of the scouts follows: "At Ruthersford after refreshing ourselves with soft drinks at a little store four of our number were invited to continue the trip to Hershey by an autolet leaving Scoutmaster Robert D. Young and Scouts Moore and Hoamer to partake of their lunch in the shade of sheltering trees near Swatara bridge.

"On reaching Hershey we found the remaining scouts, who were Joseph Gimper, Herbert Hasson, Franklin Hoke and David Fowler had arrived in Hershey before noon and enjoyed themselves with the amusements that Hershey Park afforded.

Middletown Scout News

Social Is Success—Boy Scouts of the local troop held an ice cream social last Saturday evening which proved a big success. The receipts were more than \$20, of which almost half was profit. The scouts are planning now to hold another social in the near future to raise funds for the benefit of the Middletown Red Cross branch.

To Organize Colored Scouts—The Rev. John T. Daniels, new pastor of the Wesley A. M. E. Zion Church, Market street, Middletown, has received notice from the nation headquarters of his appointment as scoutmaster of Troop No. 12. The Rev. M. Daniels is organizing a troop of colored boys and already has twenty-three members. A social was held on Wednesday evening when more than \$21 was raised. Headquarters for the present will be the Wesley Church.

Members of Troop 20 Will Hike Tomorrow

Members of Troop 20 are requested to meet at Fifth Street Methodist Church at 1:30 o'clock Saturday to take a hike. Scouts may bring their friends along on this trip. The next meeting will be held on Monday evening at 7 o'clock. G. Park Weaver, acting scribe.

PRESIDENT WILSON COMMENDS SCOUTS

WHITE HOUSE
Washington

My dear Mr. Livingstone:

Thank you for your letter of the 21st of June. One of the most gratifying things connected with the successful flotation of the Liberty Loan was the highly effective and commendable work of the Boy Scouts and I hope you will find it possible to convey to them an expression of my hearty appreciation and thanks for the patriotic service which they one and all rendered. My thanks also go to the scoutmasters who directed and assisted the boys.

Cordially and sincerely yours,

WOODROW WILSON.

Mr. Colin H. Livingstone,
President, Boy Scouts of America,
Washington, D. C.

Seven boys from Harrisburg were awarded War Service Emblems for their work in the recent Liberty Bond campaign when the city subscribed more than four millions to the big war loan.

BOY SCOUT LIFE-SAVERS

By ARMSTRONG PERRY, in (Boy's Life)

It was at Margaretville, N. Y., but as Margaret wasn't around the two boys decided to go swimming. In getting ready to go in—or as we might say, in coming to himself—one of the boys outstripped the other. Maybe he took off his shirt on the run. Anyhow, he went right into the water.

He couldn't swim, which was a great mistake, as he was twelve years old. He went in over his head and that was mistake number two. Besides this there was a strong current, so everything was against him.

The cool, calculating individual who took time to undress himself properly was a Scout. This was fortunate. The other fellow might have drifted all the way down to Delaware Bay if it hadn't been for the Scout. But Herbert Anderson, tenderfoot, was right on the job. He swam after his imperiled friend, broke a wrist hold, secured a proper grip, reached shore and straightened out the whole situation. All he knew about life-saving his scoutmaster taught him.

he says. Whether he knew much or little, it worked, and that's the Bronze medal? Sure!

SEVEN miles from Laurens, S. C., there is a body of water known as Holmer Pond. One bank is steep and two feet from shore the water is nine feet deep. On the other side the bottom slopes gradually.

Two boys started to take a third, who could not swim, from the deep side to the shallow side. He placed a hand on the shoulder of each swimmer. It was a risky piece of business and resulted as might have been expected. The swimmers separated and the other boy was left without support. Practically he threw his arms about the neck of the nearest boy. Both went down. Harry McAllister, a patrol leader in Troop I, saw the trouble from a distance and promptly did his duty. Although he was sixteen and well-known, he was taking chances in

trying to handle two persons in deep water.

He managed it by treading and working his way toward shore. Most of the time he was under water, but he held the others up.

The bronze medal which the National Court of Honor awarded to him was well deserved.

THE movies have nothing on real life when it comes to thrills, especially in Virginia.

A physician in New Castle, seeing a drunken chauffeur driving at reckless speed, a car containing a young lady, watching for an opportunity and took charge of the car himself.

The chauffeur objected and drawing a revolver, threatened the physician's life.

The doctor's wife witnessed the scene and called for help. Scout Cecil Edward Wright of Troop I, heard her cry and went to the rescue. He wrenched the revolver from the hand of the intoxicated chauffeur and in all probability saved the life of the man who had given protection to the young lady.

The National Court of Honor sent the Scout a letter of commendation.

SCOUTMASTER GEORGE H. STAPLES, of Troop 4, Worcester, Mass., prevented a suicide one Sunday afternoon last winter.

There is a dentist's office in the building where he is an engineer and to this office he traced the smell of escaping gas. The door was double locked. Mr. Staples quickly secured keys and entered. He found the dentist lying on the floor with a rubber tube in his mouth. The tube con-

nected with a gas pipe and the valve was wide open. Chloroform had been used, also. The atmosphere was heavily charged and dangerous.

The scoutmaster shut off the gas, secured help, removed the unconscious man to another room and placed him beside an open window. Then he called an ambulance and the patient was removed to a hospital where he revived.

The cool, resourceful work of the scoutmaster was recognized in a letter of commendation from the National Court of Honor.

ANTHONY FABER, a tenderfoot Scout in Troop 7, of New Orleans, La., would have received an honor medal if the regulations of the National Court of Honor had permitted the granting of a medal to a scout who had saved a life without risking his own.

With his father he was returning from a hunt when a man in the distance frantically waved his arms at them. They stopped and when he came up he told them that another hunter had been wounded in the foot and was lying in a swamp, about three hundred yards away, groaning.

The Scout went to the wounded man. Thanks to his training in First Aid, he was able to apply a tourniquet and stop the loss of blood, which had become dangerous. With guns and coats he improvised a stretcher.

Right at this point he might easily have made a serious mistake, but he did exactly the right thing. He let others carry the stretcher while he held the stick which controlled the tourniquet. As the patient was carried two and a half miles, fatal consequences might have resulted if the stretcher had been too tight or too loose or the pressure too continuous. In other words it had to be done right.

The methods which he used are common knowledge among Scouts, but to the people who surrounded the ambulance when the patient was brought to it they were entirely new. The crowd marvelled that a boy of fourteen should know so much.

Troop Four Plans Outing to Conodoguinet Creek

Troop 4 will take a pleasure trip to-morrow afternoon. The scouts, accompanied by their scoutmaster, Mr. McAllister, will meet at the Square and take the 10 o'clock car

bound for Tony's cottage, which borders the Conodoguinet creek. The chief sports of the afternoon will be fishing, swimming and signaling. Many whales are expected to be caught. Obstacle races are always numerous with Troop 4 on such occasions. George E. Beard, scout scribe.

VISIT TO MAINE
Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer Wolf and Miss Katherine Hughes, of 2118 North Fifth street, have left for a three weeks' stay in Maine, Connecticut and New York, where they will spend some time in Sheep's Head Bay, New York city and Hartford, Conn.

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Our new modern store front is progressing. You'll find our front partly boarded up, but you'll have no trouble in getting in. You'll find unlimited stocks of fine merchandise and the H. Marks & Son spirit of service.

Everything at Special Prices to Stimulate Business

Hart Schaffner & Marx and Society Brand Suits, \$16.50 and \$18.50

Reduced from \$20, \$22.50, \$25

Clothcraft Suits, \$12.50 and \$14.50

Reduced from \$18, \$20, \$22.50

All Panama Hats . . . \$2.35

All Straw Hats . . . \$1.35

\$1.50 and \$2 Shirts, \$1.15

\$3.50 and \$4 Silk Shirts, \$2.85

\$5 Bathing Suits . . . \$3.45

\$1 Pure Silk Ties . . . 55c

\$1 Caps (Silk or Cloth), 55c

\$1 Athletic Union Suits, 55c

Sweet Orr Overalls, \$1.40

\$10 and \$12.50 Cool Cloth Suits \$7.75

\$15, \$18, \$20 Hart Schaffner & Marx (Dixie Weave) Coat and Pants \$11.50 and \$13.50

SOFT COLLARS, all sizes, 10c

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Women's Bathing Shoes

11-inch height, black and white striped, green	98c
8-inch height, red, black, blue, green,	75c

On Sale Saturday
200 pairs women's \$2 vici kid and gun metal pumps and oxfords at
\$1.49

- Women's dull kid pumps.
- Growing girls' low heel pumps.
- Women's vici kid button oxfords.
- Women's dull kid lace oxfords.

\$1.00
Hood's Sarsaparilla
59c

50c
Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin
28c

\$1.00
Pierce's Favorite Prescription
59c

\$1.00
Quaker Herb Extract
67c

\$1.00
Peruna
59c

\$1.00
Pinkham's Compound
62c

KENNEDY'S

CUT-RATE MEDICINES

RINGLEADERS FOR SATURDAY ONLY

Saturday Sale of Tooth Powders

Sanitol Tooth Powder	14c
Kalpheno Tooth Powder	15c
Euthymol Tooth Powder	13c
Graves' Tooth Powder	15c
Sozodont Tooth Powder	16c
Listerine Tooth Powder	17c
Calder's Tooth Powder	17c
Colgate's Tooth Powder	15c
Lyon's Tooth Powder	16c
Calox Tooth Powder	17c
Pyorrhicidic Tooth Powder	73c
Brown Dentifrice Powder	17c
Vail Brothers' Tooth Powder	17c
Lavoris Liquid	34c
Vernas Liquid	34c
Sozodont Liquid	17c
Rubifoam Liquid	15c

Saturday Sale of Dental Creams

Kolyos Dental Cream	15c
Colgate's Dental Cream	20c
Pebeco Dental Cream	33c
Kalpheno Dental Cream	16c
S. S. White Dental Cream	16c
Lyon's Dental Cream	16c
Sanitol Dental Cream	15c
Pond's Extract Paste	15c
Sheffield's Paste	15c
Sozodont Paste	17c
Mennen's Paste	17c
Dentacura Paste	17c
Arnica Tooth Soap	17c

Saturday Sale of Toilet Creams

Mary Garden Cold Cream	53c
Mary Garden Greaseless Cream	75c
Hudnut's Marvelous Cold Cream	39c
Hudnut's Marvelous Cold Cream Tubes	19c
Hudnut's Cucumber Cream	39c
Pond's Vanishing Cream, jars	15c
Pond's Cold Cream, jars	15c
Pond's Vanishing Cream, tubes	15c
Othine Cream for freckles	59c
Stillman's Cream	27c
Satin Skin Cold Cream	15c
Satin Skin Greaseless Cream	16c
Satin Skin Rose Tint	16c
Kincho Cream	45c
Pompeian Massage Cream	27c
Pompeian Night Cream, tube	15c
Woodbury's Facial Cream	16c
Hind's Cold Cream, tubes	17c
Daggett's & Ramsdall Cold Cream	14c
Colgate's Cold Cream	20c
Sanitol Cold Cream	17c
Sanitol Face Cream	17c
Creme Elcaya	37c
Creme DeMeridor	14c
Creme DeMeridor	29c
Palm Olive Cream	33c
Charles' Flesh Food	29c
Knowlton's Massage Cream, tube	39c
Aubry Sisters' Cold Cream	19c
Aubry Sisters' Greaseless Cream	19c
Amorized Cocoa Cream	45c

\$1.00
Listerine
64c

50c
California Syrup Figs
29c

\$1.00
Wampole's Cod Liver Extract
57c

\$1.00
Danderine
59c

35c
Fletcher's Castoria
19c

\$1.50
Fellow's Hypophosphites
93c

60c
Doan's Kidney Pills
40c

\$1.00
Pierce's Medical Disc
59c

Saturday Sale of Talcum Powders

Djer Kiss Talcum Powder	21c
Palm Olive Talcum Powder	14c
High Jinks Talcum Powder	53c
Lilas de Rigaud Talcum Powder	53c
Azurea Talcum Powder	21c
Rogers & Gallet Talcum Powder	19c
Squibb's Talcum Powder	13c
Hudnut's Talcum Powder	17c
William's Talcum Powder	13c
4711 Talcum Powder	17c
Colgate's Talcum Powder	15c
Mennen's Talcum Powder	13c
Babcock's Corylopsis Talcum Powder	13c
Jess Talcum Powder	16c
Talcolette Talcum Powder	16c
River's Lehn & Fink Talcum Powder	15c
Hand's Chasing Talcum Powder	18c
Mary Garden	45c

Saturday Sale of Face Powders

Mary Garden Face Powder	73c
Djer Kiss Face Powder	37c
Azurea Face Powder	89c
Florayne Face Powder	94c
Hudnut's Face Powder	29c
Hudnut's Rice Powder	17c
Carmen Face Powder	29c
Lablache Face Powder	32c
Java Rice Powder	29c
Rogers & Gallet Rice Powder	23c
Rogers & Gallet Face Powder	29c
Jess Face Powder	14c
Woodbury's Face Powder	14c
William's Gossamer Face Powder	15c
Tetlow's Swandown Face Powder	9c
Sanitol Face Powder	16c
Charles' Face Powder	29c
Colgate's Charmis Face Powder	25c

\$1.00
Bromo Seltzer
59c

\$1.00
Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur
59c

75c
Green's August Flower
45c

25c
Cascarets
19c

\$3.75
Horlick's Malted Milk
\$2.75

\$1.00
Swamp Root
59c