

**CAMP/CHECAUGAU
NOW HAS CANNED
MUSIC FOR BOYS**

With the camp flooded with visitors Sunday the campers, the staff and the cook were kept in much motion throughout the day.

Some fifty parents and relatives visited the camp and witnessed the afternoon demonstration which consisted of a miniature daily program, giving the parents a condensed version of their son's activities in camp. The program included instruction in the various classes in First Aid, Signaling and Judging. Setting-ups, drill, songs and yells also came in for their share of time.

With a slight alteration in the method of grading with ribbons, the inter-tent competition has become the keystone of the season. Each day tent is graded on its appearance as inspection and on the way its members perform their detail duties. The scores are running very close, with Tent "A" consisting entirely of Troop 54 boys, Northwest District, in the lead. But, may the members of the other tents. "It cannot always be thus."

Mr. L. Jacobs, father of Milton Jacobs, one of the campers, presented a splendid cabinet size "Sterling" phonograph to the camp. Friends and parents of the campers have furnished quite a collection of records, so now the boys enjoy many a concert.

No longer are the campers dependent on the ciring "Ingersoll" or noisy alarm clock belonging to the staff, for in the center of Headquarters Row stands a sundial noiselessly producing the time as Old Sol rolls through the heavens. It was constructed by Tent "F", which consists mostly of scouts from Troop 870, No. Shore District.

Mr. D. M. Ramsay, Camp Master, was absent from the camp Wednesday visiting Camp Keesus, another Chicago Council camp near Grand Haven, Michigan.

Mr. D. Nettenstrom, Scoutmaster of Troop 28 and one of the visitors Sunday, brought with him a freezer of ice cream, which won for him the boys' big "Y-e-a, Nettenstrom."

Mr. Ransom E. Kennicott, Chief Forester of Cook County Preserves, and John Baird, County Photographer, were in camp Monday taking snaps of the boys in their various activities.

**CIVIL SERVICE
EXAMS REOPENED
TO DISCHARGED**

Under an opinion of the Attorney General recently rendered to the Civil Service Commission, United States soldiers, sailors and marines who missed opportunity to enter civil service examinations because of their military or naval service may now be given a chance to qualify for Government employment.

The Civil Service Commission, wishing to give discharged service men every opportunity to qualify for civil positions, asked the Attorney General for an opinion as to whether it would be legal to open, for the benefit of honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines, examinations which had been closed. The Attorney General having expressed the opinion that such action is legal in view of the spirit of a recent act of Congress which provides for preference in appointment to civil positions for discharged service men, the Civil Service Commission will open only to honorably discharged service men examinations which were pending on April 6, 1917, the date of America's declaration of war, or which were subsequently announced, and for which registers of eligibles now exist.

Sixty days from August 1, 1919, will be allowed soldiers, sailors and marines in which to be examined for positions for which examinations have already been held if they were discharged from the military or naval service prior to August 1, and sixty days from the date of their discharge will be allowed those discharged subsequent to August 1, 1919.

And a Fight Started.

Mr. Styles—"This paper says that in front of a large London building there was recently found a pigeon's nest made of hairpins. Where do you suppose the pigeons found the hairpins?" Mr. Styles—"Oh, I suppose a lot of women in the vicinity couldn't keep their mouths shut."

**THE HIGH CEILING IS THE
CAUSE OF THE COMFORTABLE
ATMOSPHERE**

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**Tuesday, Thursday and
Saturday**

"WITH THE COLORS" From Du Page County

You probably know personally at least 150 boys from Downers Grove and Du Page County who donned the uniform of the army, the navy or the marine corps, for service with Uncle Sam during the World War.

Wouldn't it be simply great to have a picture of each one of them and their record of service? "It certainly would," you say.

Well, this is now possible as C. H. Staats is going to issue in the near future a book containing just that information. A picture of every boy from Du Page County and his record of service.

He is now taking orders for the book which will be ready soon. The price is very reasonable, \$7.50 per volume, considering the large expense of gathering data, making the cuts, and printing and distributing.

Every resident of the County will want a copy of this book showing who was who during the trying days of 1917-18 and everyone will have a chance to purchase one.

At the bottom of this adv. will be found a coupon, cut this out, fill it in, and attach check for \$2.50, the first payment. The balance, \$5.00 will not be required until the book is delivered.

There will only be one edition of this book printed and this edition will be limited in number so first to order will be sure of securing a copy.

"WITH THE COLORS FROM DU PAGE COUNTY" will be bound in leather and will contain besides the pictures of the boys departments, title pages in color by one of the foremost artists of America. It will have full page pictures of Wilson, Foch and

Pershing and will contain a detail map (showing the smallest of villages) of France and the battlefronts. This map shows all railroads, strategic roads, canals, and is one of the best published.

Mr. Staats has at his office, 37 North Main Street, Downers Grove, a dummy showing how the completed book will look and sample pages from other Honor Rolls showing plates and records of service. You are invited to come to the office and look these over before leaving your order.

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