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Scout leaders try out kitchen on Narrin campout.

14 Scoutleaders Try Taste of Camping Out

By DOROTHY ZATELL

Fourteen South Oakland Girl Scout leaders who have been taking a troop licensing course designed to qualify them to take troops on overnight campouts went off to Camp Narrin recently on a practice-run trip of their own.

Among the hardy, dedicated mothers were Mrs. George MacLachlan, Mrs. Richard Schliskey, Mrs. Wayne P. Dickerson, Mrs. L. W. Hobbs and Mrs. Vincent Zattel, all of Lathrup Village.

From the point of view of one mother and typical of all 14, the adventure went like this: before departure she has to find a full-time trailer to stay with small children at home, prepare gallons of soup and fry carbons of chicken to sustain the stay-at-homes, and finish a big washing and ironing.

ALREADY EXHAUSTED by these preliminary chores, she starts packing for her trip. She reports that he has loaned the family's only sleeping bag to a fellow Scout but can't remember who. After frantic phone calls are made the bag is finally located. Later at Camp Narrin when Mother climbs tiredly into it, she finds in it an old peanut butter sandwich, some peanut shells and a pair of much-worn socks.

Her stack of equipment grows alarmingly and Mother begins to worry about how far she will have to carry it to camp. The bedroll alone causes her knees to bend a little when she slings it over her shoulder, so she divides half of the contents.

ARRIVED AT CAMP Narrin, with 13 other apprehensive mothers, she tours the site. Her new walking oxfords begin to pinch and the gently rolling ground seems like the Rockies as she climbs one hill after another.

Her customary bird-like appetite turns ravenous and she does full justice to the meals prepared by alternating crews. She roasts, joins the hoppers, fire-batters and dish washers with gusto.

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Seven Local Families Home From Florida Vacations

Back home again from Florida vacations, ranging in length from four weeks to four days, are seven Wing Lake-Foxcroft families, with a fund of memories of interesting sights and sunny beaches.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Howell of Craigher road spent their three weeks' holiday at the Bon Aire apartments, Belle Vista Beach just outside St. Petersburg and had beautiful weather except for one rainy day when they drove to Sarasota.

En route home they stopped off at Fontana Village near Fontana in the Smokies where they spent three weeks at two resorts near Miami during their vacation.

Hollywood Beach and later on the beach near Hollywood got a special thrill out of watching the horses work out at Gulf Stream Park.

On the way south, the Coops stopped at Clarksville, Tenn., to visit Mrs. Cook's neighbor, Edward Thomas, and on the way home they had their first glimpse of Washington, D. C. They were fortunate enough to be in the nation's capital when the famed cherry blossoms were in full bloom.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Holt of Thurburs road had a fun-packed three weeks at the Sun Beach, Golden Beach, near Hollywood.

They spent their days at the beach and evenings at famous clubs, including the Isle of Capri and the Malaya club. They also visited friends in Ft. Lauderdale, took in the dog races and the jai-lai game.

MOTOR SOUTH
Riviera Beach on Singer Island near West Palm Beach was the vacation spot for Mr. and Mrs. Henry Branner of Worlington road when they motored to Florida.

While there, they spent one exciting day on a motor boat excursion all the way up Lake Worth and on their way home stopped at Silver Springs.

When Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Stewart and their children vacationed at the Venetian Caseway in Miami Beach, their plans for deep-sea fishing were disrupted because of continuous smallcraft weather warnings.

However, they took a trip to Key West and patronized a lot of interesting restaurants. At one club in which the Vagabonds were entertaining, the Stewart children were thrilled by getting the singers' autographs.

Mrs. Frederick Pew, her mother and her two children spent a four-week vacation at the Shoreline in Daytona Beach. Their time was mainly spent on the beach supervising the children's fun.

Mrs. Verne Casson of Worlington road relaxed for four days at the Rembrandt hotel in Miami Beach. She reports that she particularly enjoyed the trip by air and the restful days on the beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hickson, Craigher road, recently attended a cocktail party at the home of Lt. Col. and Mrs. G. C. Williams in Ann Arbor. Hickson and Williams were friends while in service in Korea.

The party was in honor of Williams' advance in rank from major to lieutenant colonel. Col. Williams has been transferred from Ann Arbor to Quantico, Va.

Last weekend, Mrs. Hickson's mother, Mrs. Ezel Davis of Wash-

ington, D. C., visited them. This week, and for the remainder of the month, Mrs. Hickson's grandmother, Mrs. Graham Dodson of Mt. Pleasant, N. J., is their guest.

Tomorrow, Roberta Hickson, 2, will celebrate her birthday with a family dinner, birthday cake and ice cream.

STUDENT TOUR
The senior class of Bloomfield high school returned Sunday from a five-day trip to Washington, D. C., where they were conducted on a tour of capital sights.

Those from Wing Lake were Ralph Gerhek, class president, Ross Coulls, Pat Homitz, Doug Whipple, Larry Shortt, and Susan Cole. From Foxcroft were Millie Fleming, Jo Jenson and Dave Ford and from 4-babblers, Lake, Paula Albertson.

For the past week, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jaross, of Larendon road, have had as their houseguest, Mrs. Jaross's mother, Mrs. G. S. Butler, of Detroit.

Mrs. John Roberts, Carey Lane, recently made an unexpected trip by plane to Boca Raton, Fla., occasioned by the sudden death of her father, W. C. Mays. Formerly of Detroit, Mays has spent the past eight years of his retirement in Boca Raton.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Packard of Carey Lane will soon move to New York where Packard, formerly sales manager with Nash-Kelvinator, will take up his new position with McCann Erickson Advertising agency.

Jimmy Stewart, son of Dr. and

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Mrs. Thomas Stewart, Sunning- ington road, recently flew to Dale, last week celebrated his 10th birthday. His guests at a dinner of southern fried chicken were Bruce Knight, Glen James, Jackie Eddington, Ivor Letros, Cyril Geyman, Bradford Boyer of Rosedale Park and Jimmy's brother, Tommy.

The Edward Carroll family, Thurburs road, spent a long-anticipated week in Boston for a long weekend. During the week, Mrs. Carroll's cousin, Mrs. James McLean of Chicago, the weather accompanied all their plans including a visit to the city, teas, dinners and attractive prizes.

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