

Big July Fourth Picnic To Be Held Next Wednesday

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their baskets to last for two meals.

Games And Contests

There will be every kind of contest for every member of the family with prizes in war stamps to all of the winners. The contests will include foot races, rolling-pin throw, hog calling, tug-o-war, boxing matches, rifle matches, swimming races, canoe races, fly-casting contests, etc. Everyone taking a part in the rifle matches is asked to bring his own rifle.

Mr. Straus To Speak

At 3 o'clock in the afternoon, President Harry Straus will speak and naturally every Ecustan will look forward to hearing his message. He will speak at the Band Stand.

Boxing Ring Center Of Activities

The boxing ring, which will be located on the athletic field, will again be the center of activities. Loud speakers will be located over this ring so that everyone can be informed as to what is going on. Dick Perron will be in charge of the boxing bouts and promises a good show this year. Dick says he has many fine matches lined up and this year's boxing show will be the biggest ever.

Shift Busses Will Run

As usual, the shift busses will bring employees and their families to the picnic and take them home again. This is a courtesy extended by the bus companies and their drivers and is done free of charge.

Special Game

A softball game is being arranged between the Champagne girls' softball team and a visiting WAC team from Moore General Hospital. This game will be played during the afternoon.

Square Dance At Night

One of the most popular attractions last year was the big street dance held in Brevard at night and hundreds attended. The same plan will be followed again this year with the picnic grounds closing around seven o'clock and everyone moving to town for the dance. The Ecusta String Band will furnish the music and Red Wood will call. The only place where it will be possible for you to spend money will be at the bingo table. This will cost five cents a game, and all the money taken in will be handed back in the form of war stamps to the winners.

Your foreman now has your ice cream and admission tickets. Be sure to get tickets for yourself and all the members of your family.

Colored Movies To Be Taken

Walter Glass, of the F. C. Huyck & Sons of Albany, New York, will be here again this year to take colored movies of the many picnic activities. Last year Mr. Glass made several hundred feet of pictures which were subsequently shown in the Cafeteria and were so popular the showings were repeated several times.

Pig To Be Ruffled Off

Instead of having the greasy pig contest this year, the pig will be raffled off so as to give everyone a chance of winning it. Your chance number is attached to your admission ticket so be sure to put it in the raffle box. The winning number will be drawn during the afternoon.

Full and detailed information about the program is contained in the official programs. R. E. Matthews is chief of judges for all



"NAW, I DONT WORK HERE, JUST DELIVERED A PACKAGE. WHEN I TRIED TO GET OUT, THE GUARD MADE ME GET IN LINE."

contests. Fred McCann, Furman Cansler, W. P. Jordan, E. E. Vasey and Ed Happ are in charge of grounds and equipment preparation; Ward Harrison and F. S. Best are in charge of popcorn; Buck McCall, police protection, parking and transportation; H. F. Finck, fire protection; W. S. Shaw and Leon English, refreshments; Wayne Conn, public address system and record music; H. E. Newbury, first aid; W. P. Jordan, announcing; Clara Barnett and Violet Lyday, check room and R. C. Bullock, life guard.

Supervisors of the boys races and contests are J. R. Denton and Ward Harrison. Marie Nelson and Anne Misenheimer are supervisors of the girls' races and contests. H. E. Newbury will supervise the pig raffle and Frank Patton, Clyde Galloway and Bud White are to supervise the water events. Frank Patton is also supervisor of the rifle matches. Pete Eberle and Eileen Nelson will have charge of the bingo. J. O. Wells will supervise the checker tournament; R. L. Thompson, horse shoe tourney; H. E. Newbury, greasy pole climbing and Wendell Jeffries, ping pong.

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rally, banquet in the Skyland hotel and dance.

Yesterday they visited the American Enka plant and Biltmore Forest. On Wednesday they visited Champion Paper and Fibre corporation at Canton and returned through the Pisgah National Forest.

"We are delighted and honored to have the senators meet in our section of the state and to visit our plant," President Straus said.

IS ELECTED SECOND VICE PRESIDENT OF ASSOCIATION

At the recent annual meeting of the trustees of the American Pulp and Paper Mill Superintendents' Association in New York, our general superintendent, Raymond F. Bennett, was elected second vice president of the national association. Mr. Bennett has previously served as fifth, fourth and third vice president.

Cowboy Johnson



"The mountain boy turned cowboy" pose was struck by **BOB JOHNSON**, of Ecusta's Traffic department, during his recent vacation spent in Houston, Texas, visiting relatives. His wife, Mary Ruth, also a Main Office employee, accompanied him and they visited her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. N. Snow, in Springer, N. M.

The Joy Of Being An Editor

Getting out this little paper is no picnic.

If we print jokes, people say we're silly;

When we don't, they say we're too serious.

If we clip things from other magazines

We are too lazy to write them ourselves;

If we don't, we are too fond of our stuff.

If we don't print contributions

We don't appreciate true genius;

If we do print them, the magazine is filled with junk.

Now, like as not, some one will say we swiped this

From some other magazine WE DID!

**BUY WAR BONDS!
AND STAMPS**

ECUSTANS INVITED

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"In traveling over the county I have noticed that your employees invariably have splendid gardens at their homes," he stated. "I wish to commend your encouragement of home production of foods together with full time industrial employment. Your interest in a combination of agriculture and industry is resulting in better citizens and better pupils in our schools. Garden projects appeal to me especially because research has revealed that a child with plenty of vitamin and mineral rich food is more successful in school work.

"The occasion of this letter is to extend to your Victory gardeners an invitation to bring their products to the County Community Cannery and can them under supervision of our teacher of Vocational Agriculture, Mr. C. L. Simmons and Mr. J. E. Rufty, principal of Brevard Elementary school. The cannery is a part of our county school organization and is located on the grounds of Brevard high school. We are offering a non-profit service devoted to the conservation of foods. We keep a supply of cans bought at wholesale prices and sell them to the patrons at cost. In addition there is a small fee which will be somewhat larger this year in view of the fact that federal support has been withdrawn. Details will be announced within a few days by Mr. Simmons and he may be seen on the grounds for special information. Meats and fruits may be canned as well as vegetables and we invite your employees to fall in line with well filled baskets. We will welcome suggestions from you and members of your organization for improvement of the cannery service."

CAMP SAPPHIRE

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Winners of this contest will be announced at the annual picnic next Wednesday and awards made.

A crew of workers are now busy at the camp, carrying out many of the fine suggestions that were made. Others will have to wait perhaps until the war is over and construction restrictions lifted.

A newly formed executive committee has laid the framework for the general procedure to be followed in the camp operation and this committee consists of J. O. Wells, chairman, R. F. Bennett, Walter Straus, Keith Pooser, Bill Jordan, Bob Colwell, John Everman and Lucy Clarke.

BOY'S ESSAY ON A GOOSE

"The goose is a low heavy set bird, composed mostly of meat and feathers. His head sets on one end and he sets on the other. He cannot sing much on account of the dampness in the moisture in which he lives. There ain't no space between his toes and he carries a balloon in his stomach to keep from sinking. A goose has two legs on his running gear but they came pretty near missing his body. Some geese when they get big are called ganders. Ganders don't have to set or hatch, but jest loaf, and eat, and go swimming. If I was a goose I'd rather be a gander."—Selected.