

# MY LAST TANGO

We arrived at Lambeth Town Hall at 9 o'clock where there were three coaches waiting to take us to Broadstone Warren. On the coach we were split into teams of eight. 4 Ventures and 4 Rangers with Bob being mugged into being team captain. When we arrived at the campsite we were shown to our site where we pitched tents. Then we set off down to the swimming pool for our first team event. At the pool we were told to make up a team name and so by the great demand of the Rangers we called our team the Goodies. After getting off to a good start at the swimming pool by losing every event, we then found out that by a mistake we had obtained another team name, The Black and White Minstrel Show. Our team captain did not swim because he was too busy chain smoking. (It was the worry you know!) Our second task was cooking dinner and due to a superior bit of organisation by a team member, (ME), we had plenty of good food to eat. After washing up we set off on another game where we were told to imagine we were stranded on a desert island. All we had in the line of equipment was: -An egg, a potatoe, a tea bag,

2 yards of string, a stave and a square foot of silver paper. With the stave we had to build a bivouac. We had to cook the egg and potatoe with the aid of the silver paper, which we also had to use as a water carrier. We also had to boil the tea bag in the silver paper. With the string we had to make a man's and a woman's costume. The Ventures set about building the bivouac while two Rangers made the costumes. Another Ranger worked hard at disappearing while the last one spent a few hours lighting a fire which went out. After this fiasco we returned to our site to cook tea. Later that evening there was a disco, but to our disappointment we were unable to go except for Nigel, who had a couple of points to come to grips with. Later that evening when we returned from the C.B.H. meeting, we went in on the finishing stages of the disco where Bob noticed that the young lady in our team was a young lady and decided to ask her to dance, or attempt to. After the disco there was a wide game, where under my leadership the team was safely guided around the campsite making sure nobody fell over or down any holes. At the finish it was back to the campsite for soup and rolls and then bed.

Next morning we were up early and ready for the next