

# NASSAU SCOUTS TO GET CABINS

## Wading River Camp Improvement Passed by Council

Tentative plans for doing away with tenting facilities and temporary buildings at Camp Wauwepex, the Nassau County Council Boy Scouts summer camp at Wading River, have been approved by officials of the organization, William H. Kniffin, Jr., vice-president of the Bank of Rockville Centre and an active worker among Boy Scouts, announced to-day.

Actual construction of a number of log cabins will start at once under the personal supervision of F. Howard Covey, director of the County Council. The entire programme contemplated will cost more than \$75,000, he said, but this will be spread over a period of three years.

The tremendous popularity of the camp makes it imperative that some improvements be completed before next summer, Mr. Kniffin said. He pointed out that they accommodated about 500 boys last summer and that about this same number were turned away because of lack of room.

The successive permanent log cabins to be built will include a huge mess hall, an adequate hospital building, a museum and a general field headquarters building. It is also planned to erect a large cabin for visiting officials, parents and their guests, so that they may remain at camp over a weekend if they so desire.