

venture which must surely appeal to any lad with an adventurous spirit, and we have to cancel it for want of support!

It is too late to hold a post mortem on the whys and wherefores, it may be some of the faults pointed out by the Editor, that the Scouters are not passing on the information, it may be the boys are feeling a bit apathetic, but if Scouting is to go forward, we must realise that we have no time for lethargy. Both Scouters and Scouts can only expect to get out of Scouting

what they put into it! and you won't get much if you are only lukewarm!

So, Brothers, don't let others steal our thunder, let us progress arm in arm. Let those of us who are the elder brothers train ourselves to a pitch where we can offer such an attraction to Scouting, that every boy in Australia will want to be a Scout. Let us give the boys what B.P. has offered them, Adventure with a capital "A".

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G.S.M., 1st Avoca Beach.

SNOWY VENTURE

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT: Eligibility—Seniors who wish to take part in this Venture must hold, at least, their First Class Badge. (Venturer's Badge is now optional).

Sea Scouts!

BOAT CHARGE CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION (OARS ONLY)

An examination re the above will be held at WEEROONA SEA SCOUT TRAINING BASE on the weekend of SEPTEMBER 14/15 at the following times:

Saturday—2 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Sunday—9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Those desirous of remaining for the full weekend may do so. All attending the Course will ration for themselves. There is to be no charge made for the Course.

THIS WILL BE A MOST INSTRUCTIVE WEEKEND, LADS—especially those of you who have taken to the "Water" for the first time. Please complete the application form below and return to Area H.Q. as soon as possible.

BOAT CHARGE CERTIFICATE COURSE

(Oars Only: September 14/15)

I,..... of.....**Group,**
will be attending the forthcoming Course to be held at Weeroona according to details above.

Signed.....

(Please tear out—whole page if necessary—and forward to H.Q.)