

Rubber Fire

London: Rounding off a hectic week, firemen fought their fifth major outbreak in three days ^{THIS TIME AT} at a scrap rubber dump, in Poplar.

Dwarfed by billowing ~~columns~~ columns of smoke, the firefighters manned twenty pumps as 300 tons of rubber blazed fiercely.

After seven desperate hours, the fire was under control. ^{Yes} London owes a heavy debt to ^{the} Brigades, many of ^{whose} men have been on continuous duty-fighting the recent spate of fires.

Scout Jamboree

South Australia: As they ^{ENJOY} ~~enjoy~~ their summer "Down Under"- four thousand Boy Scouts attend a Jubilee Jamboree, near Brisbane.

Besides marking the centenary of the birth of Lord Baden-Powell, the occasion honoured Australia's Chief Scout, the Governor-General, Field Marshal Sir William Slim. ^{HE WAS GIVEN} ~~He received a prized souvenir~~ - a specially carved boomerang.

Boat Show

America: A week-end fleet drops anchor in New York's Coliseum: four hundred and fifty craft featured in the 1958 National Boat Show.

And for those who like to drive (off the end of the pier) here's a "runabout" - a kind of nautical station-waggon that gives you press-button service...

Yes, summer's a long way off: but already the sailors have their eye on a trim craft.

Catering Exhibition

London: At the International Hotel and Catering Exhibition, sugar provided the materials for a fascinating display of model craftsmanship.

Some of these famous landmarks took three hundred hours to build, while

~~A~~ ~~the~~ Bristol Britannia airliner offered a "new taste" in aviation.

~~The~~ Party-time would go swimmingly - with these meringues - shaped like swans.

An old world garden scene, ~~and a display of...~~

and ~~an~~ an Army Catering Corps exhibit. One fatigue party got tired of peeling spuds - so they ^{WAVE} ~~waved~~ them into baskets.