

Local Boy Tells About Food, Overnight Camping in Norway

Editor's note: Following is the second in a series of letters that have been sent to Mr. and Mrs. Garner T. Haupt, 222 Valley View dr., Medford. Writing the letters is their son, Garner Haupt Jr., who is spend-

ing the summer in Stor Deglum, Norway, under the auspices of the American Field Service. The youth is living with Mr. and Mrs. Anstein Dobloug at Stor Deglum, near Nydal, Norway. Young Haupt will be a senior at Medford

High school this September.

By GARNER HAUPERT JR.

Stor Deglum is rather a large farm for Norway. They raise potatoes and grain. I gather, however, that the largest source of income

comes from the milk and fox farm. There are four men hired to work at the milk farm, and four or five others to work on the "farm" part of the farm. Wheel tractors are used for doing the work.

The house is large. It has at least 20 rooms, and is two-story. It is nicely furnished with items we would consider antiques, but which are not so old for Norway. They include old guns, clocks, teapots and water holders. The grandmother lives in a house that is 150 years old behind the main house. My room is

small, but nice and comfortable.

Food is really fabulous. I have liked everything so far. My favorites are wiener-schnitzel, salmon, and whale. We have had ox, herring, and mackerel. I liked the mackerel least of all. A few days ago at the hut we had a species of cod that was "out of this world."

On the Fourth of July, Jon, Ara Britt, Erik and I went over to one of Asa's friends to celebrate. Another exchange student and her sister were there too. We had hamburgers, and were they good! The idea of the party was to have typically American things.

After supper we sang American folk songs. A lady from California who was visiting there played the guitar. After singing we went out and exploded some fireworks that Greta (our hostess) had bought. They were great! We had one huge sky-rocket, the biggest that I have ever seen. When we returned to the house we discovered that the whole neighborhood had been watching all the activity at a safe distance. It was quite an evening.

Family Dinner

On the next evening we had a big family dinner. It was quite in contrast to our family dinners. It was just like eating at a fancy downtown restaurant in New York. Mar (mother) hired two cooks to help her with the meal. Jon, Erik and Andrias, one of the fellows who works on the farm in the summer, served. They were very efficient (the towel over the arm bit and everything).

We had two main courses, the first of salmon, and the second of wiener-schnitzel. At both servings we had potatoes and carrots and some other delicious "junk." The Norwegians can really put the food away, and I am having a wonderful time adapting!

I am getting along fine with the language. I speak almost all Norwegian at the dinner table. All of my family speaks English, so we get along fine.

Big news this week was our trip to the mountain cabin at Oyungen, about an hour drive from Stor Deglum.

"Our" cabin is real nice with running water and sinks, but no electricity. There is a wood stove and a sort of two-burner hotplate. The one impressive thing about the cabin is the fireplace. It is really different and kind of modernish.

Camping Trip

Jon and I had a very successful and fun adventure while at the cabin. We fixed a breakfast of bread, jam, vegetable soup, milk and cocoa. Then we got ready to leave on an overnight camping trip to Lake Mokeby-sgoen, which is located in a wilderness area some distance from Oyungen. We had one pack in which we put a sweat-shirt, one small saucepan, no utensils, two raincoats, two sleeping bags and one afternoon and evening's food provisions.

The terrain and scenery in this area were quite interesting. The land was rocky with rolling hills which were completely treeless and covered with a Norwegian brand of sagebrush. Unlike true desert land, the area has a great deal of grass and many marshes in the valleys between the hills.

We hiked about 11½ miles, and it took us three hours and 55 minutes. The lake is large, clean and extremely cold. For excitement we decided to take a swim, and believe me, it was exciting! The water was so cold that I could stand it for only a minute and then I had to kick like mad to keep my blood circulating. It was the most refreshing swim I have ever taken, to say the least.

Honey Sandwiches

We then ate our lunch, which was honey sandwiches. After lunch we lay in the sun for awhile and then decided to hike to the top of a nearby mountain where we erected a monument at the summit. Then we went back to camp and fixed dinner. Dinner consisted of nine wieners each, two pieces of bread, and honey. That is what I call a real balanced meal! The best part of the meal was the fact that since we brought no utensils or dishes, we had none to wash.

When we were about half way back to the cabin we sighted what we thought were reindeer about a mile away on a ridge. It is quite a treat to have a chance to see wild reindeer. They are very timid and we had to stalk them carefully. They are much smaller than I had expected, their backs being barely waist high, and are colored gray. We were lucky to get to see them because, while there are many domestic reindeer raised by the Laps, there are relatively few of the wild-type.

This is one camping trip that I will long remember.

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