

Barton Brothers Plan Longer Trip After Float-Trek in Homemade Canoe

By Dale Witt
NEWELL HEIGHTS — Larry Barton recently constructed a canoe, and on Sunday, Aug. 7, he and his brother, Garry, floated from Adrian to Nyssa in three hours, 10 minutes. They report that they are planning a longer trip in the near future when they will float via the Snake river from Melba to Nyssa.

Mrs. Dick Kriehg returned home Aug. 8 after a visit of several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Stewart in Buhl, Idaho. She also visited her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Kriehg, and with a niece whose husband left recently for Guam where she and the children will go at a later date.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Garner were among those attending the Norma Garner - Rodney Atagi wedding performed Friday evening in the Owyhee LDS ward chapel.

Returns From Eugene

Mrs. Thelma Hammon returned home Aug. 10 after spending two weeks with her son-in-law and daughter, the Stan Parsons family at Eugene. Recent visitors in the Hammon home were Andy Warrington of Bend, Miss Delores Stone of Boise, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Swanson of Roswell, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bicandi of Adrian.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Kurtz returned home Saturday after a two-week trip to the Oregon coast. They joined their son, the Rev. and Mrs. Harold Kurtz and family at Yachats where the Presbyterian minister had offered them the use of his home for two weeks.

Hank Moore spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ricks Gale in Boise.

VISIT AREA RELATIVES

Mrs. Bill Nielsen and LeeAnn of Seattle are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Moncur, and also with her husband's parents, the Elver Nielsens, other relatives and friends. Mrs. Nielsen was one of the attendants at the Holmes-Walker wedding held Saturday evening.

VOELLERS VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Voeller, Paul, Roger and David arrived home on Wednesday of last week following a 10-day vacation trip to western Oregon. The family spent some time camping in scenic areas, visited friends in Eugene and also toured places of interest on the coast.

VISITORS FROM COLORADO

Mrs. Lillian Scheller, Mr. and Mrs. William Bonnicksen and Beth Ann of Greeley, Colo., arrived last week for a visit with Mrs. Orma Cleaver and other relatives. Members of the Bonnicksen family were Thursday overnight guests of her aunt and left the following day for their home. Mrs. Scheller remained for an indefinite visit with her sister, Mrs. Cleaver.

Mmes. Bob Kurtz and Elmer Cruson of Ontario left Aug. 2 on a four-day huckleberry picking trip into the hills near Boulder park. They report no luck as the berries had been frozen.

Another son, Bill Kurtz and daughter, Janet of Merrill, also joined the group there. While on the coast, members of the family went deep-sea fishing and picked wild blackberries. The M. L. Kurtz' were accompanied home by three of their grandchildren, Joyce, Chris and Janice.

Wynn Family Returns Home

The David Wynn family returned home Sunday from Salt Lake City where they visited the LDS temple grounds and the Salt Lake zoo. Enroute to Utah, they visited relatives at Preston, Idaho.

Mrs. Lydia Worden; her nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Blood of Canton, Okla., returned Aug. 8 from Eugene. On Wednesday evening they, together with Mrs. Frankie Worden and Gene, were patio dinner guests of Mrs. Verna Costley in Homedale. The Blood couple left last Thursday morning for Oklahoma.

The Luit and Louis Stams were among 60 picnickers attending a Dutch gathering held Sunday in the Parma park.

Members of the Richard Fenn family recently returned from a week-long visit with relatives at Portland and Seattle. In the Washington city they visited the Kenneth Fenns and John Higgenbottoms. They also visited the Don Fenn and Alfred Simpson families in the Portland area.

Ashland Visitors Depart

Mr. and Mrs. John Schoenwald of Ashland left early this week after visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kurtz and family. John Kurtz, who had spent some time with his grandparents, accompanied them from Ashland. They were also accompanied by another grandson, Sidney Jacobson.

Johnnie and Susan Stam of Fruitland spent last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Luit Stam.

Mrs. Bud McDermott and two children left Sunday for their home in Moses Lake after visiting in the L. C. McDermott home.

To Study in Oklahoma
Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Eddy and family left Monday morning for Oklahoma after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. McKinley. Eddy plans to attend medical school in the Sooner state.

Sunday dinner guests in the Richard Fenn home were Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Walker and family.

Lynn Stringham, who spent the past six weeks with an uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Chamberlain and family, left Aug. 10 for his home in Ogden, Utah.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Borge and baby of Klamath Falls arrived Friday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Borge. The following day Mrs. Terry Borge and baby left by train to visit her parents at Cheyenne, Wyo.

NEBRASKA PICNIC HELD SUNDAY IN NYSSA PARK

The annual Nebraska picnic was held Sunday, Aug. 14, in Nyssa south park. County with the best representation was Custer, while former residents were present from numerous other counties of the Cornhusker state.

Ira Price drew the winning number for the adult gift, while Christine Share was recipient of the children's award.

Following a potluck dinner, the afternoon was spent in visiting. Mrs. George Folkman is general chairman, while Mrs. Esther Stephen serves as secretary-treasurer of the Nebraska association.

Senior Citizens Note Meeting Date Change

Next regular session of the Senior Citizens group will be Thursday, Aug. 25, on the lawn at the John Long home. Meeting time will be 10:30 a.m. and those attending should take a sack lunch or hamburger may be taken to be cooked on the host couple's grill.

Members of the organization report the meeting day was changed from Friday due to a conflict with the Pioneer picnic at Vale.



REFLECTING AN INTEREST in tractors for approximately 14½ years are these photos of Clinton Robbins, top winner of this year's Malheur county Farm Bureau - sponsored tractor driving contest among area FFA lads. The competition was staged on the Ontario junior high athletic field and was one of the activities of the Farm Bureau's annual dinner meeting held Saturday in Lions



park. This was the second consecutive year that Clinton has taken the honors, and he was also winner of the Farm Bureau state contest last year. In the photo on right he was 1½ years old, and in the other picture snapped Saturday he is 16, a member of the local FFA chapter and an NHS junior. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Merildean Robbins of the Arcadia community.

LaBOUNTYS HONORED

Mr. and Mrs. Bill LaBounty and family were honored guests at a potluck dinner served Sunday evening in the Ron Schoen home. The LaBountys are leaving

soon to establish their home in Claremont, Calif. Guests attending the Sunday evening dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. Lauren Wright and family.

VISIT IN MYRICK HOME

James Hicks of Reno; his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hicks of Boise, were Aug. 10 visitors in the Howard Myrick home.

Farm Bureau Group Selects Sweetheart; Elects New Officers

Malheur Farm Bureau annual picnic was held Saturday evening in Lions park at Ontario. New officers elected during the yearly business session include Louis J. Wettstein, president; Edison Child, vice president; John Tucke, voting delegate; Mrs. Oda Dubogue, women's chairman; and Mrs. Kenneth Romans, assistant women's chairman.

Judy Fulleton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Fulleton of Vale, was selected as sweetheart of the organization. Diane Kuwahara, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. Tak Kuwahara, also of Vale, was named runner-up.

Nyasan Clinton Robbins was winner in the FFA tractor driving contest. Others placing in the competition were Jerry Mizuta, Ontario, second; Larry Keaton, Vale, third; and Bill Brewer, Adrian, fourth.

IT JUST MIGHT WORK!

Suggested ways on how NOT to win friends or influence people: Jump to conclusions, push your luck and run down your present friends. —Submitted for publication by Ole Dyrland.

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