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HARRIS-BRENNAN RIVER EXPEDITIONS

Scheduled and Charter Trips on Scenic Western Rivers

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George C. Simmons
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Dear Sim-

Thanks greatly for your letter of February 6, 1956. It arrived while I was assigned to the Boise District, from which I just recently returned, thus the lengthy delay in reply.

I was glad to know that another member of the most extraordinary fraternity of River Rats is keeping in touch with the River. Marble and Grand Canyons are very interesting, and some of the rapids are a real challenge to the adventurers who tackle them. I have run the Grand 4 times now and have enjoyed every trip. We did not run Grand last year, but did run the Cataracts again - for Sinclair Oil this time - my 10th, trip through Cataract Canyon.

I am currently writing Dick Lewis, and offering our services for his planned trip in the Cataract Canyon area, or if he prefers to make it on his own we will try to locate some 10-man rubber rafts for him if that type of craft will be suitable for his purpose.

Jack Brennan, Fred Soeyer and I are still quite active on the river every summer. We have guided a number of 'Dude' trips in the past 2 or 3 years. Last year we ran around 1100 miles - all river runs combined. This year we already have tentative plans for several short week-end trips and a weeks trip through Grand Canyon in early June, then through Hells Canyon on the Snake River during July. Of course it is still too early to know whether any or all of the trips will materialize.

If in Salt Lake drop in at Room 503 in the Fed. Bldg. and we might bore a few listeners by hashing over a bit of river gab.

Sincerely,

Don
Don Harris