

June 1-35
Saturday

Stopped on the outskirts
of Spokane, Wash.

Walked into town.

That lousy top Rick made
got a ride back to the
train and then took our
names for being late.

We'll probably get fined a
buck.

Arrived on Fernwood, Idaho
about 6:00 P.M. Saw a herd of
cattle driven thru town by
real cowboys - Started for
camp on trucks. The dust was
choking us. What a trip - That
we'd never arrive.

As soon as we reached

camp we dashed around
looking for a good tent
we finally picked the last
one next the road because
it was more private.

Al Kense tried to throw

in with us but we

kicked him out because

newt was coming in with

us. We found a large two

man saw so we kept it.

Had to borrow blankets

from the other fellows for the

night because mine didn't

come in. Use candles for

lights.

First impressions of the

camp are terrible. Nothing

but dead trees all around

Emerald Creek runs thru

the camp.

June - 2 - 36
Sunday

Had to work today but
we'll get time off for it
later. We have to wash
in the stream till the
shower rooms is put up.
Boys is it cold.

We piled wood all day.
found a porcupine under a
^{wood} pile. Got some quills for
souvenirs.

We use the mess line
as the mess hall isn't finished
yet.

Got back from Capt. Kumpert
for raising the devil after
teps. He didn't fine us.

June - 3 - 36
Monday

Worked with Jim
Campbell. crew putting in
a drainage ditch behind
the tents. nearly broke my
back carrying twenty
foot ties to line the ditch
with.

Went swimming in the
creek.

The latrine isn't built yet. we
use the "hitching rail" * *

Pay day today

June. 4 - 35

Tuesday

worked on the ditch
again till noon hour.

Long call after lunch
at Sanders.

Brought clothes for one
week ~~one~~. Rode forty
miles. Put out fire in
Thurs.

What a supper we had.
We cleaned up 60 lbs of
Horned Ham.

Got back to camp
at 10:00 P. M.

We were ~~were~~ tired.

June. 5 - 35

Wednesday

Finished the ~~road~~ ditch in the
morning. Jim put me to
work making a small
culvert. The others went
to work on the road.

Doc Reed gave us a
lecture on wood ticks.
They give you Rocky Mt.
Spotted Fever.

We were told to sleep
nude and have our
tent mates look us over
for ticks every night.

June 6-35

Thursday

Worked on the road
in the morning. Jim
sent me into Clarissa
with the truck after
lunch for pipes.

Bill got a sompador.
Did we kid him?

Lieutenant Kloths dog
picked a fight with a
"Porby". The dog looked
like a pen caskion.
They had an awful
time removing the
quills.

June 7-35

Friday

Got today off because of
the fire. We were on.
Tent wired for electricity
today.

When we were in
bed a fire call came on.
We had to report to the
mess hall for instructions.
We had to pack our
cloths and put calks on
our shoes. What a job.
It took us two hrs. Our
hands were sore.

June - 8 - 35
Saturday

Left for the fire after
breakfast - we ate dinner
at the base camp and
then hiked ten miles up
a steep mt. trail (60% to 65%) to
the fire. We relieved a
crew from Marble Creek.

Had to patrol an area
with Eddie Kolanowski.
After eight tough hrs we
hiked all the ^{way} back to the
base camp, ate and
turned in. We slept in
sleeping bags

"under Western stars"
Slept like a top.

June - 9 - 35
Sunday

The base camp moved
up within three miles of
the fire. We had to
carry a 60 lb. pack up to
our new camp. What a
drill. Supplies were
moved up by pack train.

Went up into the line
again. Patrolled a
different area today.
Were trapped in a
pocket but Bill Turner
got us out.

Slept under the stars
again. It was swell.

June 10-35
Monday.

Had breakfast with the first crew out and went back to sleep again and then ate with our own outfit again.

Packtrailing by myself in a lonely spot. The day went very slow.

Climbed up to the top of the mt. late in the afternoon.

Broke up camp at night and hit the trail for 189.

It was good to get back again.

June 11-35
Tuesday
Got today off.

Slept all night. Slept good. A lot of practice day.

June 12-35

Wednesday

Got today off also

Lay around

reading all day.

Bill went to St
Maries at night.

A strike was
called for tomorrow.

Strike is for another
day off. Anyone who
wants up the street
to work will get
nicked.

I'm going to report
for work. I can't
afford to get mixed up
in a strike.

June 13-35

Thursday

over half the camp
reported for work.

No one got hurt.

We wouldn't have
got in trouble if we'd
gone on strike. The

harvesting got mixed
up and we should
have got the day off.

But here we are
to know?

We eat on China
~~at the~~ again.

Went to work on
blister must today.

Blister must kills the white
pine. The full Viekie Klocu

June 14-35

Friday

Got our day off
that was coming
to us. It would
be raining.

signed the payroll.

June 15-35

Saturday

It rained in the
morning.

Went to St. Marie
for the first time.
Saw ~~two~~ bears in the
woods.

The nearly froze
coming home.

at night we freeze
and in the day
we roast.

June 16-35

Sunday

washed a few
clothes and slept
and read most
of the day.

We had fried
chicken for supper.

I was sitting at a
hop table and

didn't get one piece.
Was I mad.

June 17-35

Monday.

Was appointed a
crew leader on the
Blister Rust. Bill
and Storge are in
my crew. Bill is
strong man.

I work in the
middle and
check behind also.
Lunch was punk.

June 18-35

Tuesday.

Blisters hurt sure
times you out.

McCusack is the
forester in charge of
our crew.

The job is pretty
hand on the hands

June 19-35

Wednesday.

Still on Blister hurt.

June 20-35
Thursday

Blister Rust.
Chaplain Delaney
visited camp
tonight. Told how
to break in
wild horses.

June 21-35
Friday

Blister Rust

June - 22 - 35

Saturday

Went squirrel
hunting after
inspection

Went swimming
in the afternoon

June - 23 - 35

Sunday

Took some
pictures. Read
in the afternoon.

Red. brought in
a Salami at
night and did we
go to town on it.

June-24-35

Monday

Blister Rust.

If we work on
Sat. we'll have
a long week end
over the 4th.

I want to go to
St. Marys on the
5th to see the
nodes.

June-25-35

Tuesday

We moved out
of our tent today
till the flooring
boards fixed.

Danney Petro gave a
demonstration on
how to make up
our tanks.

June 24 - 35

Wednesday

Blister Rust.

Red brought
in some onions and
we had onion
sandwiches before
bed time

June 24 - 35

Thursday

Picked for fire
suppression today.

Given a pack
number and shown
where our packs were
hung in the forestry
office.

Practiced cutting
fire trails all day.

Contents of pack

1 flash light

6 batteries

1 axe

1 Pulaski

5 spoons

5 cups

June 28-35

Friday

Started to pour while
working so we were
called in.

It cleared up when
we reached camp so
we worked around the
grounds for a while.

Edde smacked a
tree with his truck
while going to town.

Doc Reed got banged
up pretty bad.

June 29-35

Saturday

Still raining cats
and dogs.

Got paid today
Spent the day reading
and sleeping

June 30-35

Sunday

Still raining. It
hardly ever rains on
work days - only week-
ends.

We had no wood for
the stove so we stayed
in bed all day to
keep warm.