

MONGAUP MOUNTAIN

With Paul Trotta 280-18
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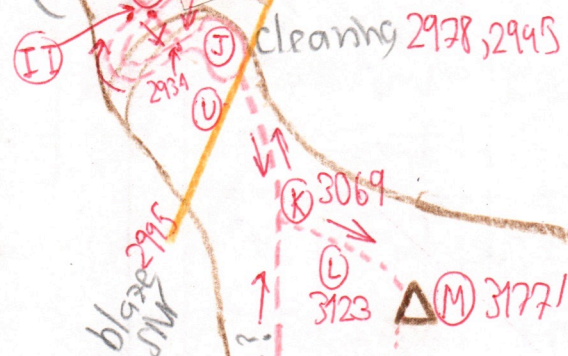
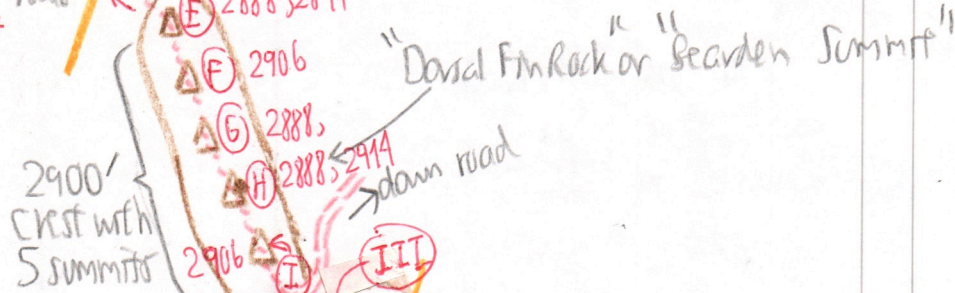
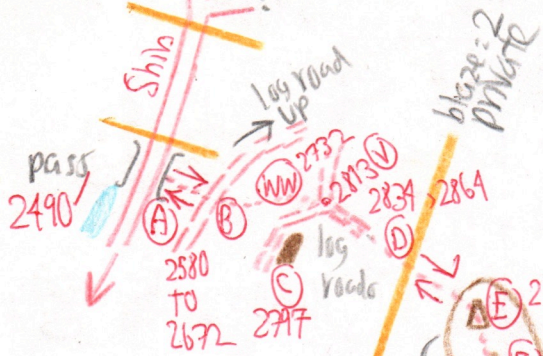
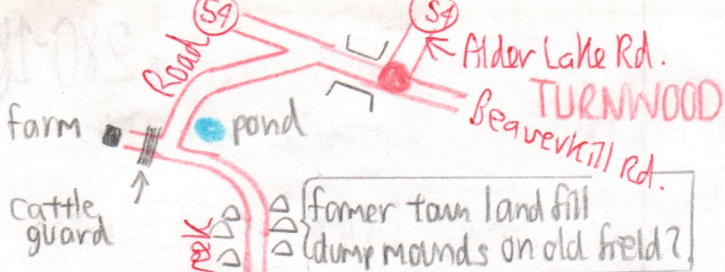
Site	P	Δp	Δe	e Calc	e map	time	rate
(A) Shin Creek Road in notch	29.22	0.00	—	—	2490	10:10 AM	
(B) log road	29.12	0.10	90	2580			
(C) log road	28.88	0.34	307	2797			
(D) blaze between 2 private	28.83	0.38	344	2834			
(E) 1st summit, 2900' ridge	28.78	0.44	398	2888		10:50	
(F) 2nd summit	28.76	0.46	416	2906			
(G) 3rd summit	28.78	0.44	398	2888			
(H) 4th (Bearden-Dasal Fin) su.	28.78	0.44	398	2888			
(I) 5th summit	28.76	0.46	416	2906		11:20	
(J) clearing	28.68	0.54	488	2978			
(K) leave old road	28.58	0.64	579	3069			
(L) Subs to 24"	28.52	0.70	633	3123			
(M) Summit Mongaup Mtn.	28.46	0.76	687	3177	3177	NOON	
(N) SUB grave	28.52	0.62	626	3116			
(O) Hogback lunchstop	28.64	0.50	505	2995	3000	12:36 to 1:03	
(P) Broadbrunc.	28.54	0.60	606	3096		1:55	
(Q) Summit 3118'	28.51	0.63	636	3126	3118	± 1:30	
(R) Hogback broadens	28.56	0.58	586	3076		2:20	
(S) SUB grave	28.50	0.64	646	3136		2:27	
(T) on old road	28.56	0.58	586	3076			
(U) SM blaze	28.64	0.50	505	2995			
(V) clearing	28.64	0.50	505	2995			
(W) 2nd log road xing	28.70	0.44	444	2934		3:05	
(X) Bearden-Dasal Fin Summit	28.72	0.42	424	2914		3:13	
(Y) 1st summit, 2900' ridge	28.74	0.40	404	2894		3:39	
(Z) blaze, 2 private	28.77	0.37	374	2864			
(AA) log road forks	28.82	0.32	323	2813			
(AB) Ilex mant.	28.90	0.24	242	2732			
(AC) log road	28.96	0.18	182	2672			
(AD) Shin Creek Rd. in notch	29.14	0.00	—	—		4:06 PM	

$$\frac{\Delta e}{\Delta p} = \frac{687'}{0.76''} = 0.904$$

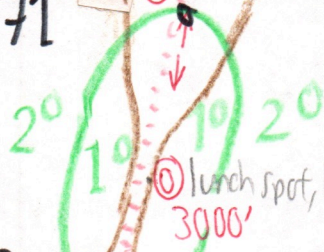
$$\frac{\Delta e}{\Delta p} = \frac{3177' - 2490'}{29.22'' - 28.46''} = 1.010$$

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280-19



e-p 71



e-p 72



→ Mongau Range

Next summit over still unexplored. Trail is on 2nd Summit.

Descriptions

280-20

- (B) Log road angles up to NE on a narrow terrace
- (B) OAK, ASH, BIRCH, OST 2580 to 2672 ft. CB!!
Stumps ca-15 years, especially OAK.
BC with 2' pancake.
- (W) Ilex mont 2732'
- (C) 2nd log road on terrace below a 18' ledge. 2797'
- (V) fork in log road 2813'
- (D) blaze between 2 private landowners
open BC-DP forest 2834', 2864'
- (E) 1st of 5 summits on ^{short} ridge shown as
2900' on USGS.
BC dom, SUB, B, RM, B, a few YB, \$Carryl.
40 to 45' canopy 2881'
Stump 25 to 30 yrs old, proba BC
- (F) 2nd summit. BC stumps 20 to 30 yrs. 2900'
- (G) 3rd summit. 2888' 10 feet high
- (H) 4th summit 2888'. Upright, triangular, ^{10 feet high}
flat boulder looks like a dorsal fin. Bearden
being excavated under it. Ilex mont
- (I) 5th knob after narrow backbone with
Ilex mont & SORBS seedling.
OX abun. 2906'

Grassy log/hunting/camping road ascends ridge from the NE & crosses it 1st at (II) 2906'. Then climbs gently up a switchback, crossing the ridge again at (III) 2934'. The road leads to a clearing, about an acre, at (J) 2978 to 2998'. SMY blaze is at top of clearing.

What is steep SW-facing scarp at
RUE 70 = 320° magnetic? [It's off & W of Barkaboom Mtn.] Maybe Perch Lake Mtn?

- (K) Follow an old, old log (?) road onto Forest Preserve & gently to S. It levels at (X) 3069, drive turn E to ascend further. See (R). Dable trunk 10" + 10" RM ^{the spot.}
 - (L) SUGS to 24" 3123' ALLIUM, & THELVP
 - (M) Summit [3177'] Mougau Mtn.
Nearly 100% Beech dominance, ^{thicket} with dense sprouts. Canopy 40'. Largest trunks to 20". Some healthy & some not.
\$, OX, one 4" SUB, one 12" BC, MO.
BC stump → 50 years [wood dark brown]
 - (N) SUB grove 3116', 3136'. Open, 12 to 16" trees, nil saplings, but prolific seedlings.
Deer browse eliminates saplings??.
ALL-EUR- LAR- HYPERIX
 - (O) Lunch stop on 3000' hogback. Partial lookout to SE atop ledge. Blue Hill ski slopes visible near Clayville.
SORBS along the hogback is common, with multi-trunked trees up to 6" DBH, many in red fruit.
BC, B, SUB, MA, MM, a few YB, Canna, \$, AA, B, Peili. SUB growing on the cliff.
- HOGBACK only 5 to 10' wide in places, steep on E, gentle on W: a cuesta with bedrock backbone.
- 10' boulder. One dead PIN. Ilex mont
 - View ENE to Dabletop, Graham & Balsam Lake Tower. Game trail follows crest.
 - (P) Junction of 3 roads. 3096'.
 - (Q) Loop road on summit [3118'] (over)

Q continued

One KB to 30", BC to 24", MB, RM, Bglom.
 Brachyelytrum. 30" cake with BC blow-
 down. No ledge visible on summit.
 No stumps visible, but accessibility and
 roads suggest some logging in the 19th
 Century. There are ^{only} widely scattered
 trees 24" & over, as there are on (M),
 but not enough to warrant 1°.

R Hogback broadens at N end.

N-most limit of SORB. The game trail
 becomes an old road(?) on a
 terrace so that construction cuts & fills
 are lacking. ∴ hard to prove. See R.

Why are green KB leaves falling to
 ground, some with petioles missing?
 Also seen in Mink Hollow the next
 day, 9/21/96.

1°: (plot on map)

The only definite area of 1°
 is the hogback itself - too narrow
 and inaccessible for any log roads.

Summit 3177 had only one obscure
 stump, but no trees over 24" DBH.
 Same for Summit 3118: no stumps but
 no trees over 24" except one KB.

The proximity of roads & no trees
 > 24" suggests 2° for both summits.