

# Lost Clove - South Side

ON newly-acquired DEP & TNC lands

with Ron Gonzalez

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202-75

Site	p	Δp	Δe	e calc	e map	time	R
(A) Galli Curci rd summit	29.10	1.22"	1250'		2460'	± 10:35 AM	$R_1 = \frac{2460' - 1320'}{30.20 - 29.10''} = \frac{1140'}{1.10''} = 1.037$
(B) Big Indian rec-park	30.32	-0.12	←	←	1210'	± 10:50 AM	
(C) Lost Clove, begin hike	30.20	0.00	←	←	1320'	± 11:30 AM	
(D) cross bank road	30.13	0.07	181	1501			
(E) skid road up to W	29.96	0.24	249	1569	(418 <u>Adiantum</u> )		
(F) leave skid road	29.92	0.28	290	1610			
(G) lunch stop	29.88	0.32	332	1652		± 12:15 PM	
(H) Top 1st ledge	29.80	0.40	415	1735			
(I) cross newer log rd.	29.72	0.48	498	1818		1:00 PM	
(J) head W into cove	29.62	0.58	601	1921			
(K) Cruikshank sign	29.52	0.68	705	2025		1:35	
(L) DEP west blaze	29.48	0.72	747	2067		1:45	
(M) end hike } {	29.30	0.90	933	2253	7 directions		
(N) recross E into DEP	29.30	0.82	850	2170	5 83 ft!?	2:20	
(O) descend log road	29.40	0.72	747	2067			
(P) 3 parallel gullies	29.58	0.54	560	1880			
(Q) Snack stop	29.67	0.45	467	1787		2:50	
(R) log rds, different ages	29.88	0.24	249	1569		3:10 to 3:25	
(C) Lost Clove, end hike	30.12 <sup>20</sup>	0.00	83	1403			
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Continuing to use R<sub>1</sub>.

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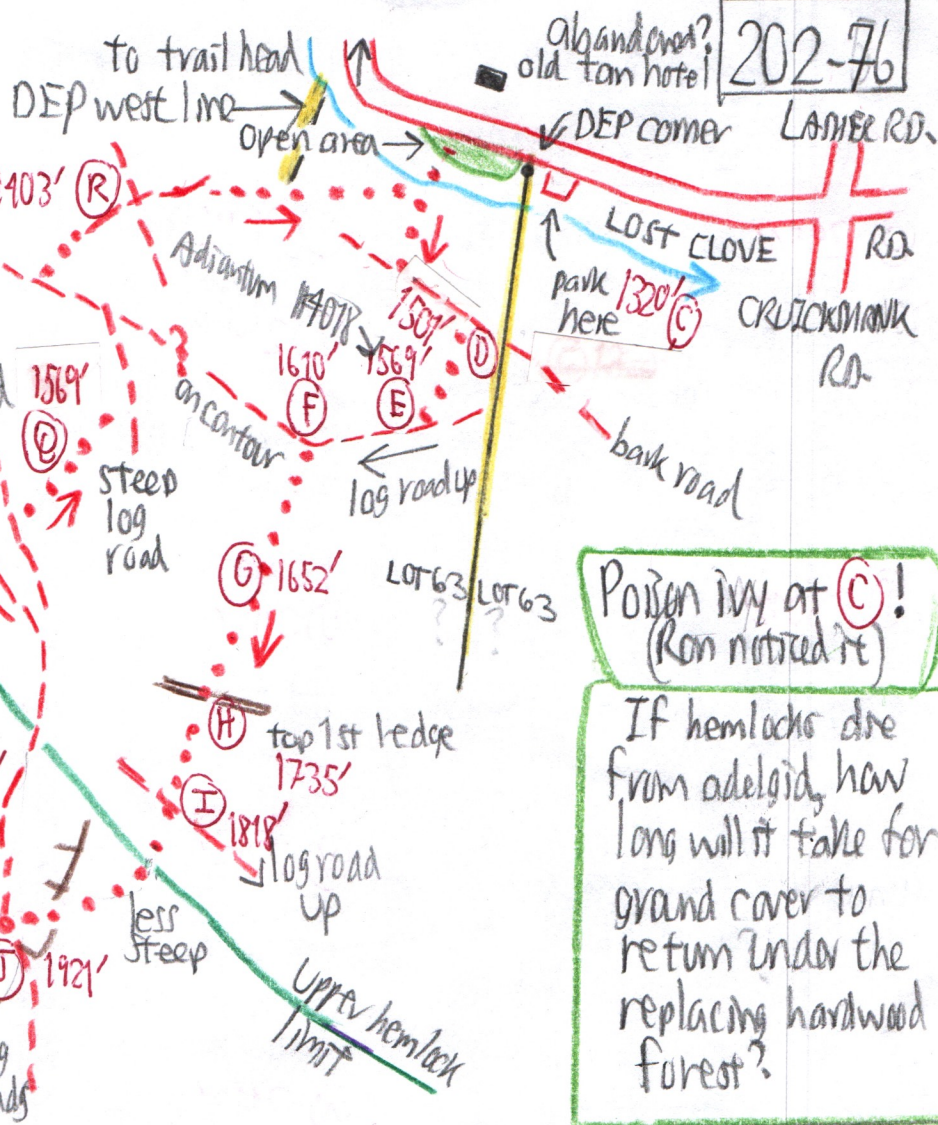
(O) Re-enter HEM understory under hardwoods. Descend log road.  
 (P) Log road becomes triple, with 3 closely parallel eroded ravines >10' deep. Apparently one road replaced an eroded one, two times

(Q) Hem understory, ORK-BR  
 (R) Snack stop  
 Log roads cross at nearly right angles but at different levels, showing cuttings years apart. DEP W boundary visible

$R_2 = 1.018$

$R_1 = 1.018$

No attempt was made to correlate the numerous log roads on the ascent with those on the descent.



3 closely-parallel log roads now eroded into deep gullies

Poison ivy at (C)! (Ron noticed it)

If hemlocks die from adelgid, how long will it take for grand cover to return under the replacing hardwood forest?

(C) to (D) BB, OAK. Bank road on terrace continues E across DEP east line. Scatt-NEMS under a few big SUGS. Sugarbush? Adelgid present.

(E) Stump ca-40y. BASS, Adiantum. On log road climbing to SW. Lost clove brook still audible.

(F) Log road turns on contour. We turn S and up. BASS dropping green fruit on our heads.

(G) Lunch stop. Mixed NEM-hardwoods. Some NEMS more affected by adelgid than others; widely different detol.

(H) Forest about 3/4 NEM + 1/4 YB. Top 1st ledge. Largest NEM only 20" to 24" \$TNT + OX

(I) Cross newer log road up to SE. Less steep above. Head west into hardwood cove. Several BB + Bigtooth with YB at NEM limit

(J) Several deeply-eroded log roads, steep, converge.

(K) Old Crickshank posted sign but not apparently on a blaze line. Perhaps the line was

once here but corrected and moved W to (L)? SUB-B-ASH-OST. Stumps 45 to 50y ±.

(L) Present DEP W blaze in small ravine. TNC lands on far side? Not marked. ASH common, sub dom big OAK → BASS, scatt-BC, ALLIANCE. Geranium roset.

(M) End hike atop bouldery steep pitch. Semi-open SUB-OST-ASH-MD-with abun. RAT + RST + Pcils. Probably forest tent caterpillar defoliated.

(N) Log road on contour. Recross blaze back into DEP. Few Beech [continued on p. 202-75]