

Big Rosy Bone Knob 6/9/19 with Alan Via, Ralph Lyndan,

Rob Stewart, Michelle ? Corn (landowner) + 5 others.

Seven of them continued on up to Little Rocky; Alan MK turned back at 2320' = camp with 2 old buses. [travel sketch on back →]

Elevations from several altimeters
 * Elevations from USGS W. Shaker Quad.

Bum Index = (7)

Boiceville 9:00

(A) 9:45

- Klat
- oak
- Rhus rad
- Vacc cumb

(B) 10:00

Senecio roadside ditch

- BBirch
- Tu 205
- Chestnut oak 10:05

(H) E whirled hemlock 1:12 (J) 10:20
 end around her, below chimney, 1602'

(C) Old chimney 10:40 (brick), 11:58

(D) Spring 2100', 11:57

(E) Tum E 2260' (F) wiregate 10:55 (new landowner)

(I) Junction to SE

- Vacc amp
- Gaultheria
- Several Chestnut to 3' + 4", 2270'

(G) Buses Camp 11:10, 2320'*

Lysimachia Quad. Ch oak

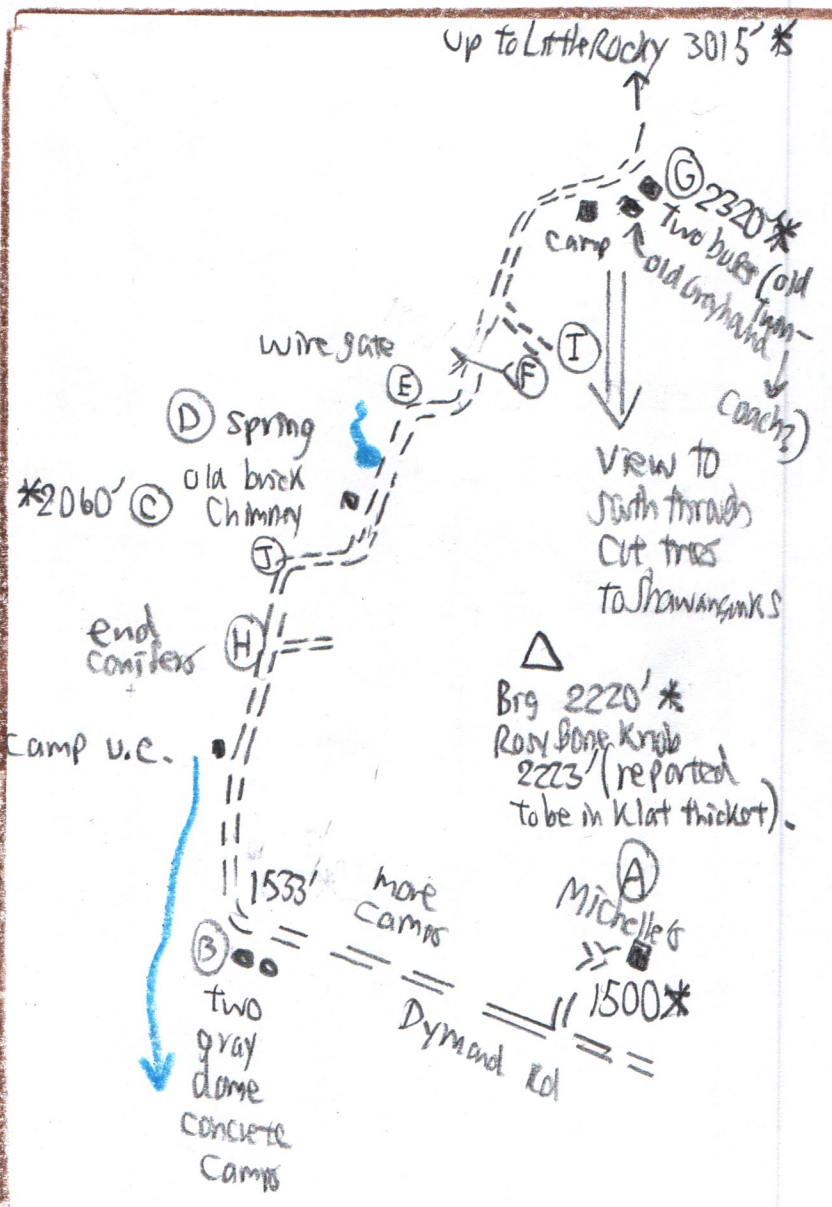
PB, few at 2000' below C

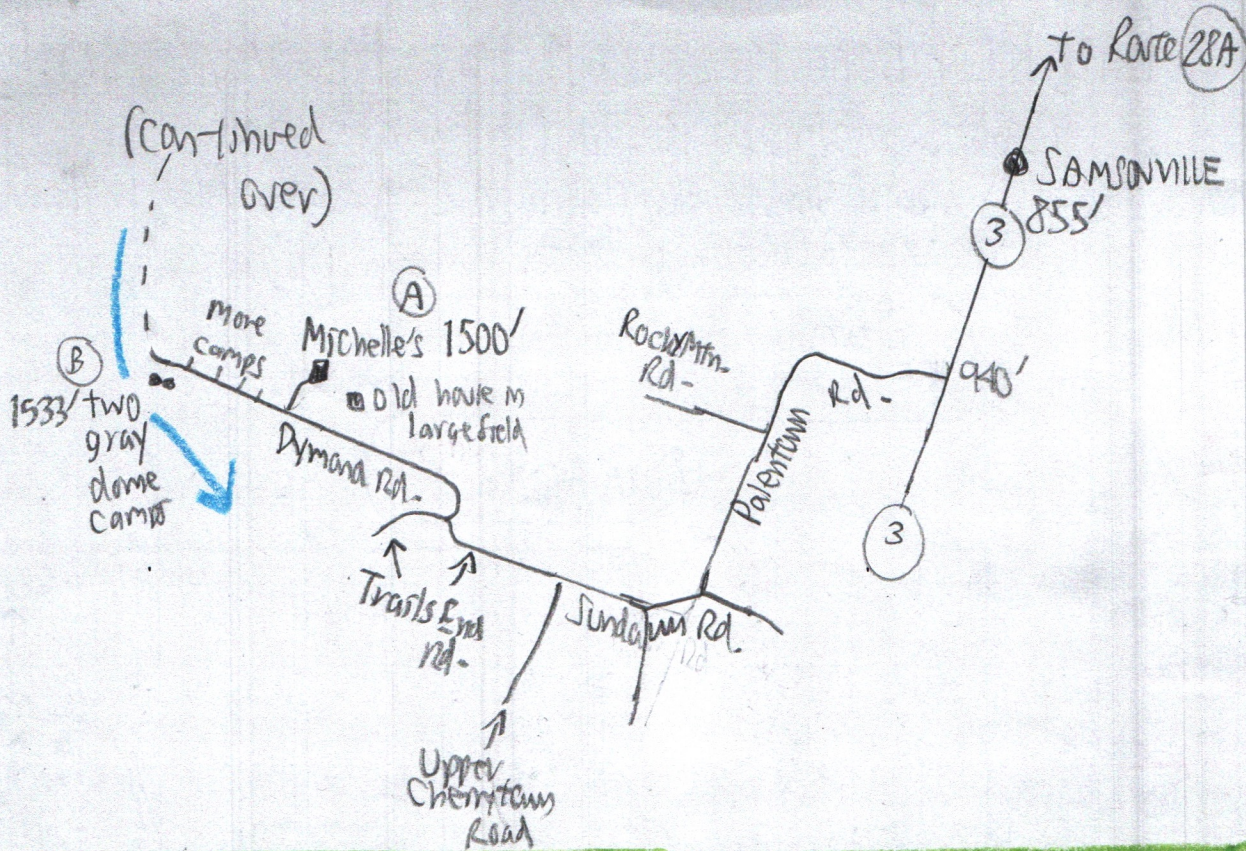
Descent:

Lunch 11:40 to 11:55

out (A) 12:35

Ralph will take photos of summit forest of Little Rocky





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Mtn-laud extensive thickets 1.5 miles long (hike) \rightarrow 1 acre wide 209'.

The k-lot thicket ^{length} is nearly continuous for the full area A to G.

The thicket width is unknown; edges of it ^{are} not visible from the trail.

Using an acre in width, 209 feet, with the trail bisecting it, the

Area is $209\text{ft} \times 1.5 \times 5280\text{ft} = 1.5 \times 7920 \times 209 = 1655280$ sq feet.

If the twigs grow at an average of 5" year (1" to ca. 9"), it would require $\frac{7920 \times 1.5}{5}$ 19008 years to grow 1.5 miles long. This obviously isn't the case. Probably numerous seedlings coalesced to form a big thicket. But how many seedlings?