July 1, 35

Monday

Stopped raining so we could go to work.

No grass and brush was wet yet.

Got a hot shower after work for a change.
July 2 - 35

Tuesday
Still on blisters. Almost everyone is fed up.
A lot of guys are writing home and getting letters to read.
A lot are getting on KP.

We wouldn't mind the job as much if it wasn't for the doggone bees and thick stinking sand whichick.

July 3 - 35

Wednesday
Came across a den in some rocks while at work today.
Thought it was a coyote den, but when I looked in I saw a big porcupine.
Eddie and the others looked a long stick into the hole but the porkey only came further in.

At night a bunch of Iroquois went around tossing firecrackers into the tent.
July 4 - 35
Thursday
No work today.
Half the camp went to town, the other half had to stay in for fire call. I'm going in tomorrow.
Had chicken for supper and strawberries for dessert.

July 5 - 35
Friday
Started for town at 8:00 AM.
Brought our own lunch.
Rodeo took some pictures of Indians.
Listened to band concert by St. Marie High School Band.
Watched the different events - Pie eating, egg race, dashes, etc.
Watched the ball game in the afternoon.
Cow boy - saw my first western rodeo - Stet, ending -更多 worthing etc.
July 6 - 35
Saturday
Rained in the morning
Sat around resting
Up after yesterday's hard day.

July 7 - 35
Sunday
Showers today
Sat around reading
We all decided
to grow moustaches
we ought to look
terrific so we
shredded what
under the old
profligous
July 8-35
Monday.
Last night had quite a storm. Thunder and lightning. I thought the tent would blow away. It was so wet we couldn't go out to work today so we worked in camp.

July 9-35
Tuesday.
We had some wicked climbing to do today. We were hanging on by our eyelashes in some spots.
July 10, 1935
Wednesday
At lunch hour I sat with Bell and I sat very still watching the chipmunks eating the crusts of bread we dropped at our feet. The sun sat on my shoe.
Some of the camp comedians stuffed wet newspaper down our chimney.

July 11, 1935
Thursday
The bees are getting worse all the time.
I bought a pair of gym trunks today for four bits.
Had our picture taken at retreat.
Friday, July 12, 1935
Just at chow call this morning. Fire call sounded. The office was on fire. About three fourths of the gang went on into the mess hall. They'd rather let the office burn than be late for chow. Everything came out O.K.

Saturday, July 13, 1935
Had to work today to make up the 5th.
Sunday

July 14, 1935

Went to Rocky Point today. A summer resort. There's a swell lake there walked by mountains. I sure had a swell time in the water. On the way home Jim Campbell treated just a glass of beer.

July 15, 1935

Monday

Blister Rust. Father, Dr. Par came in last night. Poor Slunkle caught a badger today.
July 16, 1935
Tuesday.
Took some pictures of the beach before and after work today.
Some guys had a talk with Captain Kemper about joining the Navy. The army truck is supposed to take us to Spokane in a few weeks.

July 17, 1935
Wednesday.
Started our work hours today on account of the heat. We start at 6:30 A.M. and finish at 12:30. We had a lot of fun at the Captain's birthday party tonight.

We also had an illustrated lecture on Rike Eradication.
July-18-36
Thursday
They made Bell, water boy today. What a punk job. Boy did laugh at him.

July-19-35
Friday
Sprained my ankle coming down the trail and had to be carried in. When I got to the infirmary, Red Kyles and Saunders were in there. The Army track went off the bank and jumped them up a bit.
July 20-35
Saturday
6:00 A.M.
and nothing has
been done to my
ankle yet. It's
a good thing I'm
not bleeding or I'd
be dead by now.

July 21-35
Sunday
Mr. Davis is sending
me out to work
tomorrow because
it's too much trouble
for him to be putting
me "quarantine" on the
sick book.

They haven't even
touched my ankle.
If I'm lucky,
they'll probably
strap it up so I can
hobble to work.
July 22, 35
Monday.
Went out to work.
They finally strapped it up for me.
That put me on checking so I
wouldn't have to
work so hard.

July 23, 35
Tuesday.
We moved back
to our old tent today.
It sure was good to
get back there.
The Rockies are
supposed to come
in Friday.
July 24-35
Wednesday
Finished our block today. I'm glad that's over.

July 25-35
Thursday
More and more blisters hurt.
I don't think we'll ever get off the damned job.
Friday - July 26 - 35
The rookies came in today. 46 of them. What a crummy looking bunch. They'll probably look better when they scrape off some of the grime.
They've got 4 guitars, 1 banjo, 1 ukulele and a radio - there should be some racket around the camp now.

Saturday - July 27 - 35
Spent the day getting acquainted with the new men.
There's a Cuban there and he sure can play a guitar and sing.
Sunday
July 28-35
Looked like rain so I didn't go to Rocky Point today. We had some fun with the Rockies after dark. We had them doing Sentry Duty up by the toll house end had them posted around the officers' quarters. Every fifteen minutes they called out the time to each other. Faced dressed up as the top sergeant' uniform and gave them orders.

Monday
July 29-35
The Rockies were initiated into the Hood Club. If they didn't do what they were told they were tossed into the creek. Two were tossed in. Boy that water sure is cold at night.
Tuesday
July 30, 35
Bill was made a crew leader today.
We were threatened to move out tonight. We told him he wasn't man enough. He went move. He knows when he's in a good tent.

Wednesday
July 31, 35
Bill and I had a chance to take K.P. today but decided to stick it out on Blister Bust. We were supposed to get paid today, but didn't because Captain Kemper couldn't get the check cashed in St. Marys.