

HISTORY COMPANY 367 S-145-Pa. lontoursville, Pa.

Army Personnel

t. Jack D. Thompson Commanding

Lt. Lawrence L. Long Adjutant

Lt. Charles M. Pohl rgeon and Exchange Officer

r. Patrick J. Doyle CEA

THE FIRST CONTINGENT I of workers arrived at the camp site chosen for Company 367 of the Civilian Conservation Corps on the 30th of May, 1933, and began operationsgetting everything in shape for the arrival of the remainder of the company.

The camp site is located three and a half miles north of Trout Run on Route Number 14, apapproximately 837 feet above sea level with towering hills east and west.

This project was designated Camp S-126 and under the command of Capt. Haskill Allison of

the Regular Army Signal Corps. He was assisted by Second Lieut. Harry R. McLaughlin, Inf.-Res. The charter enrollees of Company 367 numbered

one hundred and eighty three. For the first six months of the Company's life

at Camp S-126 everyone had to live in tents.

It was not long before barracks, a recreation hall and mess hall had been erected, much to everyone's

In April, 1934, Mr. Harold Herr was assigned to the camp as Educational Adviser. Education on a voluntary basis progressed by leaps and bounds from the time of Mr. Herr's arrival.

Athletics, also, were introduced into camp life. The members of Company 367 naturally took to this healthful diversion immediately and enthusiastically.

The civilians of the surrounding vicinity became interested in the camp and it wasn't long before the company was receiving help from every direction.

The school board at Williamsport was contacted, and through the efforts of George H. Parkes of the Williamsport Vocational School many vocational

fields were opened to the members of Company 367.

On December 4, 1934, Mr. Harr was transferred to Camp S-138, Morris, Pa., and Mr. Francis P. Cummings succeeded him as Educational Adviser.

Religious welfare, both Protestant and Catholic was taken care of by civilian and army chaplains, services being held weekly.

Re-conditioning forest, building roads, and improving streams were the main projects of the Forestry Department.

On January 9, 1936 the company said "goodbye" to Camp S-126 and Captain Mursit, who had been in command since January, 1934, and moved to Camp S-145 on Little Bear Creek, where Capt. T. J. Kane, Lieut. L. L. Long, Lieut. Charles M. Pohl, Mr. P. J. Doyle, CEA, Mr. C. A. Brown, Camp Superintendent and other members of the camp personnel welcomed them.

Captain Kane returned to civil life March 21, 1936 and was succeeded as Company Commander by Captain Jack D. Thompson.