



HISTORY
COMPANY 1377
S-102-Pa.
Mehoopany, Pa.

Army Personnel

Capt. E. E. Schoenkopff
 Commanding

1st Lt. Hubert A. Fulk
 Adjutant

1st Lt. S. N. Eichenholtz
 Surgeon and Exchange
 Officer

Mr. Wayne R. English
 CEA

COMPANY 1377 was organized at Fort Meade, Maryland, June 1, 1933.

Under the command of First Lieutenant F. J. Tate, F.A., it was transferred, June 5, 1933, to Camp S-102, near Mehoopany, Pennsylvania.

A camp site was chosen near the forks of Kasson Brook and Mehoopany Creek.

In August, 1933, Captain Edward E. Schoenkopff, Eng.-Res., the present Commanding Officer, relieved Lieut. Tate. The camp construction work was accomplished by Captain Schoenkopff.

Project Superintendent Roy S. Wootten arrived at Camp S-102 June 12, 1933, and important work projects were immediately begun on a 25,000 acre tract of the Pennsylvania Game Commission land.

The members of the camp have taken an active interest in athletic contests. For the past two seasons the baseball team has been a member of the Wyoming County Baseball League. The camp boys "walked away" with first place in the league at the close of the 1935 season. Less fortunate during the 1935 season, they still found a berth at third place among the league teams.

During the month of March, 1936, when heavy floods devastated large areas of Pennsylvania, Company 1377 stood ready to render aid and assistance wherever and whenever called upon to do so. Large numbers of beds and mattresses, together with comforts and blankets, were loaned to stricken communities. For several weeks after the flood subsided, the company gave assistance to villages which had been inundated and left partially buried with mud and debris.

Community relations at Camp S-102 have been friendly. The surrounding towns have helped in making the camp a recreational center. WPA teachers from Scranton and Wilkes-Barre have assisted in making the educational work successful. During the past two years, the camp has maintained an average of twelve educational activities weekly.

The work of Company 1377 has been concerned with making the game land a greater wild life retreat. Four large game refuges have been constructed, one hundred twenty game feeding shelters have been built, twenty-three miles of road and twenty-five miles of eight-foot trails have been completed, and several miles of stream improvement have been accomplished. Fifty acres of waste land have been set with young trees. During the winter months when the natural food supply is depleted or made inaccessible, large quantities of food are scattered about the game feeding places. Two thousand acres have been covered in blister rust eradication and twenty-five hundred acres have been surveyed in a stock survey project.