

HISTORY OMPANY 1361 S-117-Pa. Penfield, Pa.

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COMPANY 1361 was assembled at Carlisle Barracks, Carlisle, Pennsylvania, and on June 20, 1933 left for Penfield. Pa., under the command of Captain Lee T. McMahon arriving at Penfield on June 21, 1933.

The camp site was covered with tall grass and weeds. The original company remained at the location until July, 1935 when it was split into two parts, one remaining at Penfield, and the other going to Bedford, Virginia, under the command of Captain Edward E. Perkins, where the

The work projects completed by the company include the construction of 46 new fire trails, main-tenance of 98 miles of fire trails, 40 miles of trails side cleanup. To miles of rostalds cleanup. treatment of 175 acres to climinate the fire bazards, and pruning of 250 acres of pine plantiation. Ribes have been base been done by the company at the Clearfield Nursery. A concrete swimming pool has been built by the company in connection with the Boy Scout reservation in Boone Mountain. Work is being done planting trees, constructing cabins at Parker Dam made necessary by the food of March, 1936.

In athletics the company has been outstanding, having won the Sub-District baseball championship each of three years. In September, 1936, the company again came in for distinction through the receipt from District Headquarters of a letter of commendation of the commanding officer of the company for excellence of appearance of the camp and the quantity and onality of educational activities.

The educational program of the company has as its goal the five objectives set forth by the Corps Area. Practical instruction in many phases of work and in several of the arts has been given and very enthusiastically received. Exhibition of the work accomplished by the members of the company has been made at every opportunity, and the response by the general public has been gratifying. Poster advertising instruction has probably shown the greatest result. in view of the fact that several former students have gone into civilian employment and have been able to use their knowledge. The camp paper "Glad Times" has received recognition as one of the best, and has proven itself as an excellent means of instruction for the journalism class. Relations with nearby communities are of the best, and the men of the company are welcome visitors to the social activities of the surrounding

Probably the most outstanding project of the company is the social center building, planned and constructed by members of the company.