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5/23/96 with Rich Parisio

Artist Rock area: Crucifer in flower. Arabis? Draba?

Sunset Rock: Cypripedium in flower bud.

George Cook, of CMtn RR (Phoenicia) reports, via phone, on 7/10/09:

Newspaper article dated Nov. 7, 1913 described Oliver H. Perry's Cable RR beginning (?) operations. Cable was 2 1/2 miles long [this must be double—twice the RR length.] Brought logs down from North Mtn to a sawmill on South Lake.

Here are George's findings. It ran like the OTIS, with 2 cars counterweighting each other. There must have been a passing siding mid-incline. Sawmill was 1500' ENE of Kaaterskill Station, beyond the end of s-g trackage. He found foundations [Could there be ice house foundations instead? Maybe not; sawmill was farther E] than ice house].

Look at 1980s revised

Kaaterskill Quad. It

shows a bldg. on top of the

2320' knoll. George says it's a water (or sewer?) facility for North Lake Campground. The road leading <sup>from</sup> up to it doesn't exist any more, but could have been <sup>built</sup> on the RR grade. It lines up between the sawmill & top of the cable. The cable RR then <sup>must have</sup> crossed the present Rock Shelter Trail, west of Mary's Glen.

The top of the cable was at 2700' level between the 2 trails just S of the Mary's Glen—Escarpment Trail Jc. He found Bob Gildersleeve's GPS site for the lumber Camp, agrees <sup>almost</sup> with MK's location. See Gildersleeve pp 118, 130, 137. Cable