

"The Rock" with Paul Misko and

8/9/16

150-54

"New" big barometer carried
Joan Burroughs

site	p	Ap	De	e calc	e map	time	R
(A) Snyder Hollow Switch	30.90	0.00	$K_1 = 1.081$	—	850'	9-15	R ₁
(B) Misko Cabin	30.28	0.62	6.70	1520'	1520'	9:30	R ₁
(C) Charcoal	29.88	1.02	1103	1953'			
(D) 1st ledge & crannies	29.57	1.33	1438	2288'			
(E) wide terra	29.51	1.39	1503	2353'			
(F) The Rock, on	29.54	1.36	1470	2320'	*	ca noon	R ₁
The Rock, iv.	29.53	1.30	1347	2197'	*	ca 2:00 PM	R ₁
(G) Malarky's (parking spot)	30.27	0.56	580	1430'	1430'	ca 4 PM	R ₂
(A) Snyder Hollow Switch	30.83	0.00	$K_2 = 1.036$	—	850'		R ₂

* Previous elev. calcs for The Rock =

* p. 150-16^{ff} on 7/20/06 2182' (C)

* p. 150-38 on 11/13/07 2182' & 2185'

Mileage from 2810: 24.8 to Misko Cabin
24.1 to Woodland Valley Campground
day-use parking lot

$$R_1 = \frac{1520' - 850'}{30.90'' - 30.28''} = \frac{670'}{0.62''} = 1.081$$

$$R_2 = \frac{1430' - 850'}{30.83'' - 30.27''} = \frac{580'}{0.56''} = 1.036$$

CHARCOAL = 1870s burns not located

Mk hike to The Rock from SW on 7/20/06 p. 150-19 obs. Charcoal?

Butternut stump collected at (R) 1987'.

Where did Paul, Ryan & John MacN. see charcoal?

The Rock is on Great Lot 7
 Lot 6 or 7, Division 1
 Livingston Tract
 acquired by SNY 1901

Vegetation

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(C) 1953' Charcoal collected - the only site obs. All dead log, mostly rotted, on ground nearby - also collected. Hemlock? No hemlock here today.

erect plumelike branches
 Mt-Tremper fire tower
 (use binoculars) line up
 under Milk Hollow between
 Plateau Sugarloaf.

(D) 1st ledge with crevices and sliding boulders below. Both above butternut stump i.d. from _____ on p. _____.

(G) Malakows planted white oak in >1430. 2007 along base of log road which diverges from bank road just above their cabin. There is a sign describing this on the log road.

(E) On wide terrace with a lone hemlock below it. The only hemlock seen on ascent except for several on major bank road below several at The Rock. TU scattered from here to The Rock in fruit.

Descent:
 Midway down are thickets of young BBs which must have seeded in from the bank road area lower down after the 2005-2006 forest tent caterpillar epidemic damaged, but not killed, some SVLs. The lack of diversity of ground and shrub cover might result from the previous hemlock stand which did not regenerate after Simpson's banking ca. 1860. This is true in much of the greater Phoenicia area.

Enter saddle above The Rock's knob. Peeler's Camp was here.

(F) The Rock. TU, Diemilla, Bracken, MM, Ilex montana. Looking below SVL cove denser than ASH and PM has

A list of plants absent 5/11 - should have been made. Great detail! See (G) of 2006 p. 150-17.

(A)
(B)
(C)
(D)
(E)
(F)
(G)