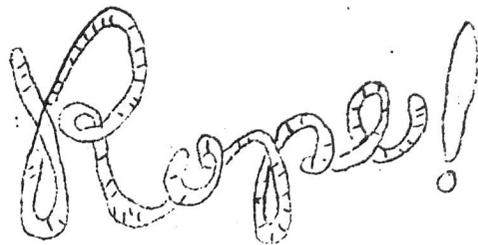


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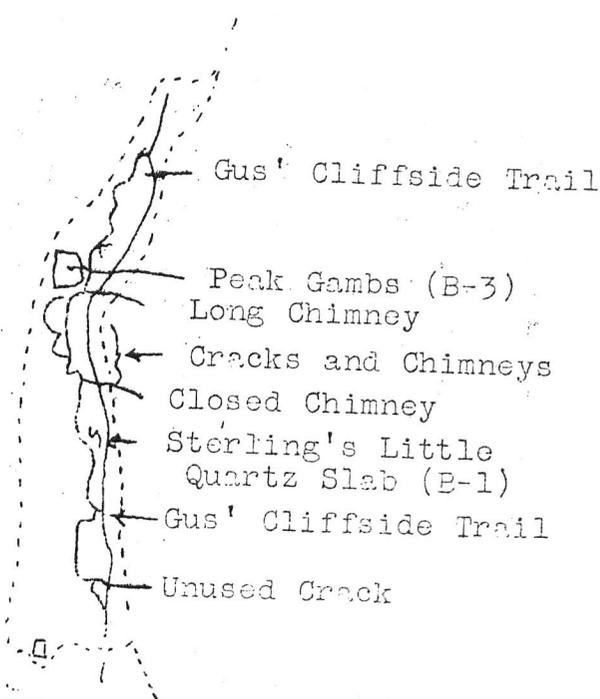
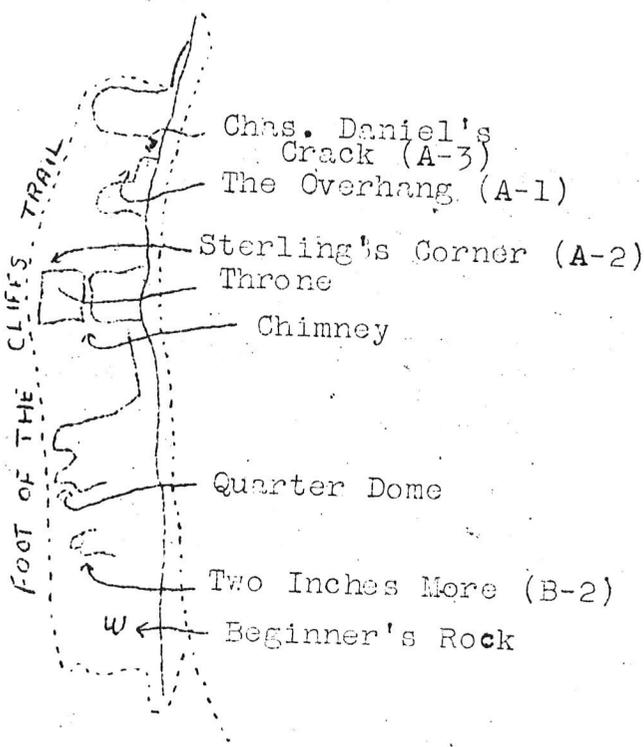
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The white quartzite of Bull Run is broken and weathered to provide climbing of greater variety than any equal area of cliff face near Washington. The low scale of the cliffs and the contrast of their pinkish white color with the occasional pine trees on them, combine to give the whole place a picnic atmosphere that attracts even hikers. For the climbers it is a real playground.

P.S. The "Unused Crack" has been used somewhat since it was named; but if you go up it you will understand why it was once unused.

UP ROPE HEADINGS

The editors would like to continue to use local climbs for the heading drawings; but having been lazy, photographically speaking, they lack a reserve of appropriate pictures. If you have some good views to offer for the purpose, they will be appreciated. While we are on the subject, it is worth noting that the days for photographing cliffs among trees are about over. Also, get your pictures for the forthcoming photo show and contest. Remember that entries close May 15.

SCHEDULED TRIP

Chris Scoredos reports that he will be at the Hot Shoppe at Wisconsin Avenue and Van Ness at 8:30 Sunday March 30 to lead a Bull Run Trip for rock climbers. Anyone planning to camp in the Bull Run Mountains Saturday night will be met Sunday morning at the rocks.