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Although your editor will be around, practically everyone else in Washington, including the rest of the UP ROPE Staff, will be in the high mountains shortly, so there will be little doing in Washington, and no one to report it. You can expect issues somewhat more infrequently for the rest of the summer.

Sugarloaf, 21 June 1953

Earl Reed Johnny Scoredos Don Feder Jane Showacre Johnnie Reed Bob Hinshaw Bob Stevens Ann Remington Ken Karcher Gayle Remington Al Webb Pim Karcher Chuck Wettling Bruce Remington Peg Keister Chris Scoredos Arnold Wexler Gerry Morgan Gordon Zellner Eric Scoredos Bill Pierce

Activities started out this hot day at Sugarloaf, the proximity of our favorite swimming having played a prominent part in choosing the climbing area. First climb of the day was made by Gerry, who did an unnamed climb pointed out to him by Jane and the Karchers over on the west side of the top of the mountain. The rest of the climbers went to the usual climbing area, where the Butterfinger was done by Earl, Arnold, Bob Hinshaw, Al and Ann. Johnnie Reed led the Easy Traverse, followed by Chuck and Peg. This climb was kept busy until everyone left, with another team headed by Gerry, with Earl and Gordon along doing it next, followed by another team with Jane (Girl Guide) Showacre leading, followed by Pim and Ken, and a fourth team headed by Earl, with Peg tagging along.

The only other climb which received much attention was the face just to the south of the Butterfinger, which was done by Pim, Ken, Earl, and Don. Ann did an overhang which she thinks is tougher than the Butterfinger.

felt good.