

NOTES

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I didn't get much sleep last night, about 6 hours. I had to watch the fire from 4 to 6 A.M. I got up at 6:00 and fooled around. At 7:00 I went back to bed until noon. When I woke up there were five letters waiting for me. They really cheered me up. I wrote 4 long letters this afternoon to Mother & Dad, Nancy & Nick, Aunt Ella & Uncle Howard, and Grandma & Grandpa. I also wrote an essay on Osmosis for my nature badge.

About 5:00 P.M. Dick Haber caught a chipmunk and we roasted it for supper. Then about 6:00 P.M. Dick caught another brook Trout and we each had a piece of that.

We went to bed at 7:00 P.M., but I couldn't sleep because I was so cold. I was freezing all night so I got out of the hut and sat by the fire.