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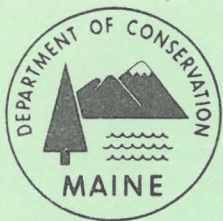
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'84 Budworm -  
PROJECT ENDS

Tom Rumpf announced the conclusion of the 1984 spray project on June 20. Spray planes flew over half a million miles to spray 625,045 acres this year. "Despite our late start on June 2, prolonged favorable spray weather enabled us to complete applications in a timely manner. Most importantly, treatments were conducted safely and accurately," Rumpf said.

Although spray effectiveness will be evaluated in July, Henry Trial said there were preliminary indications that excellent control had been achieved in blocks treated with Zectran.

Considerable interest has been expressed in the evaluation of the effectiveness of Bt sprayed from a C-54 for the first time in Maine.

Bt was also used on stands infested with high to extreme numbers of budworms to evaluate its effectiveness under these conditions.

MFS AIDS -  
TOWNS

Ken Stratton has notified 53 towns that their fire departments will share \$25,000 in matching funds for improvements in their fire fighting capabilities. According to Dick Morse, the grants will be used to purchase equipment ranging from pumps to radios. Emphasis was placed on helping towns buy radios equipped with the state fire frequency.

KENYON -  
FIRST  
RIVER CORRIDOR  
MANAGER

Marilyn Kenyon has been named manager of the Penobscot River Corridor by Herb Hartman. Marilyn is a forester and has worked for the Department since 1978 as a forest watchperson, forest technician and park and Allagash ranger. She will be headquartered near Rip Dam and will be responsible for public campsite operations between Seeboomook and Ambjejus Lakes. Campsites on Chesuncook will continue to be managed by the Forest Service and Public Lands.

SOFTBALL - DOC plays AMHI on June 28 at 5:30, AMHI Field #2

CROCKETT -  
COMPTROLLER

Sandra Crockett has been appointed by Governor Brennan as State Comptroller. Sandy's last day with the Bureau of Public Lands was June 15 and a party honoring her work for the Department was held on Monday, June 25 in Augusta.

DIRECTORS -  
MEET

Commissioner Anderson, Deputy Commissioner Tara and Directors Anderson, Gardiner, Giffen, Hartman, Rodrigue and Stratton met for a two-day team building session at the Cliff House in Ogunquit on June 12 and 13.

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FIELD TRIP - Rob Gardiner, Alec Giffen, Herb Hartman and Fred Rooney participated in a recent St. John River canoe trip with representatives of several major landowners. The annual trip is sponsored by the St. John Advisory Committee of North Maine Woods.

PERSONNEL SHIFTS - Lorna Deamaral is transferring from Administrative Services to the Bureau of Parks and Recreation taking Vicki Gregory's receptionist position. Vicki is taking Anna O'Malley's position as secretary for Community Parks and Recreation. Lin Gosselin has gone on maternity leave.

NEWS FROM GEOLOGY - John Poisson traveled to Champagne-Urbana last week to photograph a friend's wedding.

Rich Marvin, Patricia Pierce, and Enid Jones have been hired for the summer by the MGS to assist in conducting seismic studies and well inventories under the Significant Sand and Gravel Aquifers Program in Kennebec, Knox, Lincoln, Waldo, and Somerset Counties.

Andy Tolman gave a talk on the MGS hydrologic study of the Great Heath for the Down East Peat Committee on June 19.

Joe and Alice Kelley are the proud parents of Sam Kelley, born on June 4th.

RECORD WEEKEND - Ed Beach reports state park use during "Meet Me At The Park Day" weekend to be a record 87,643.

COMPUTER SEMINAR - Gary Morse reports that the American Pulpwood Association and the Maine Forest Service teamed up with the U.S. Forest Service and Northeast Computer Stores of Brewer to conduct a two-day computer seminar for loggers. Nearly 100 people attended.

COMPUTERS - During the past two weeks, several employees attended one of three 2-day workshops on word processing put on by Burroughs. The training intended to orient and familiarize employees with general word processing concepts and particularly the Burroughs system. Trainees are not expected to be accomplished word processors yet; however, the training provided the basis for further self study and on-the-job training. Following the training, each Fire Control region picked up its own B21-5 and printer to take back to their region. The Harlow and Ray buildings' equipment was installed last weekend. More training is planned for systems operators and program managers. More on this later. If you're in Augusta or any of the Fire Control regional offices, drop in and see the new equipment.

ELRC FORMED - Commissioner Anderson and Public Lands Director Rob Gardiner joined other state officials involved with natural resources in Washington, D.C. on June 21-22 to form Eastern Lands and Resources Council (ELRC). The new organization will be concerned with lands, records and resources development and protection issues.