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THE COMMANDING GENERAL
VANCOUVER BARRACKS, WASHINGTON

June 4, 1938

Subject: Commendation - Howard Kratzke.


To: Commanding Officer, Company 3225,
Camp Canby, Ilwaco, Washington.

During inspections of your camp, the services of Enrollee Kratzke have come to my attention, and I wish him to be given some recognition for his outstanding work in the Civilian Conservation Corps.

I have been told that his most outstanding single contribution was holding the position of head tree faller for over a year, during which time there were no serious mishaps or accidents on his crew. He rendered valuable service in the field for eighteen months in charge of work crews, and I understand that he has been the company's First Sergeant for the past five months. I have noticed that he has taken a very active interest in the educational department and through hard work, and attention to duty and self improvement, has steadily advanced during the past three years.

I commend Enrollee Kratzke for his faithful work in the CCC. He has accomplished much and has been a splendid example for the other enrollees of his company. I recommend him to the favorable consideration of any employer needing the services of a man of his qualifications.

Faithfully yours,


G. C. MARSHALL
Brigadier General, U.S.A.
Commanding