

1. Helderberg Ridge

A long north-south ridge which in its central region is called Countryman's Hill. Its northern end has Camp Pinnacle and a number of television towers. The road slopes downward and intersects the Beaver Dam Road.

This limestone ridge consists of a core of limestone in which has been found some magnificent fossils of the ancient Devonian seas. Especially noteworthy are a series of large trilobites found in the early days of geology of the 1800's. The Helderberg limestone fossils are known worldwide for their sequence from the Silurian to the Devonian and were studied in great detail by the early geologists and paleontologists associated with the Geological Survey headed by Dr. James Hall.

