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COMING ATTRACTIONS

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October 18-19 Old Rag - Leader: Gerry Morgan. Plan to camp at or near the Leanto. Commissary individual or by cars. For rides or riders, call Gerry, WO 1581 or ext. 608 at the Bureau of Standards.

October 26. Echo Cliffs, weather permitting. Leader: Jane Showacre.

November 9. Bull Run Mountain. Leader: Peg Keister.

November 15-16 Wolf Gap Shelter, climbing at Devil's Gardens and/or Big Schloss --  
wo hopo. Leader: Betty Muollo.

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UPS AND DOWNS

August 9 - Libertytown Rocks (Ancient History)

Paul Bradt	Jerry Jankowitz	Felix Peckham
Bernard Frank	Jimmy Lane	
Marion Harvey	Ray Moore	

The six males arrived at the Hot Shoppe, each expecting that the continuing rain would turn all others away. Yet, having arrived and been caught there, they felt obliged to go somewhere. Felix said he knew some rocks that would be nearly as good in the rain as in the dry because they weren't much good anyway.

Accordingly a very vague note of instructions was left with the cashier (because Felix's description was vague) and we headed out the Frederick road to Hyattstown then north through New Market (Md.) and about three miles beyond New London to some rocks in the trees above the east side of the road.

The rain ended en route and the rocks were dry. They resembled those of Bull Run in inclination and texture, and were accordingly interesting, but were not extensive enough to interest a much larger group. Just as we were agreeing that this would be a trip without late comers, whom should come over the hill but Marion Harvey! As a welcoming gesture she was escorted over all climbs worthy of her mettle and a few others. Some of the climbers, not exhausted after the climbs were, left for the Dickerson swimming hole; others returned directly to Washington.