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### COMING EVENTS

- February 1 -- Camp Lewis -- Drive one mile past Cabin John Bridge and turn left on Wilson Avenue. Park next to the canal and walk up the tow path.
- 8 -- Sugar Loaf, Maryland
- 15 -- Purple Horse (Above Cupid's Bower)
- 21-23 Seneca Trip. Call Bob Adams after 7 p.m. at Cherry 8-4523 if you plan to go.
- 24 -- Meeting on Tuesday at 8 p.m. at the home of Sterling Hendricks, 1118 Dale Drive, Silver Spring, Maryland. Juniper 9-4603
- March 1 -- Carderock, Belay practice with Oscar.

The annual meeting of the Mountaineering Committee was held at the home of Rod Glascock. Bob Adams was elected Chairman and Ed Worrell, Vice-Chairman. Pete showed his Canadian slides and also gave us quite an historical lecture. Bob appointed Kay Blinn as the new Program Chairman. If you have any ideas on programs call her at Oliver 6-8652.

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### A MESSAGE FROM THE NEW CHAIRMAN

I am greatly honored to be selected chairman for 1959, and will do all I can to make climbing enjoyable for everyone who comes out. We must give all possible encouragement to new and prospective climbers. I would also like to see a more active program in training new rope leaders.

In the interest of maintaining our excellent safety record, we shall continue to require a belay for all climbing.

It is planned that on the last Sunday of each month we will make up the next month's climbing schedule. Hopefully, this will be accomplished during breakfast at Howard Johnson's. Plan to be present and make your preference known.

Robert J. Adams, Chairman