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## NEW CAMP UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT LAKE SEBAGO

We take great pleasure in announcing that the Chapter is soon to have a permanent camp of its own for all-year-round use on the west shore of Lake Sebago, three miles due east of Tuxedo as the crow flies, and four miles up the road out of Sloatsburg, N.Y. This is the lake constructed recently at Burnt Saw Mill Bridge, or less pretically, Dam #10. When it is finally completed, it will be the largest lake in the Interstate Park (Harriman Section). It will be picturesque, many armed, surrounded by hills and situated in the midst of a great tramping country.

The idea of a permanent camp has been the dream of the past year, and the decision to start the present building was made by the Council shortly after Miss Jolliffe, Superintendent of Camps, Palisade Interstate Park, announced that funds were available for this purpose. The building cost will be borne by the Park and The Chapter will be charged rental at a certain fixed percentage of the cost. Advantage was taken of the ice on the lake to haul across the materials of construction, so that winter weather has in no way hindered the progress of the work. It is expected that the camp will be ready for accupany by the middle of April, or before.

The camp will normally accommodate about fifty persons. A main building, 36' by 48', will house a large living-dining room, a kitchen, washrooms and several sleeping rooms. Five outside bunk houses, two of them winter-proofed, will take care of the rest of the crowd. The buildings are situated upon a tongue of land and on a small hill overlooking the lake, giving wide views in several directions. A wood road along the west shore connects with the Sloatsburg road in about half a mile. Several trails lead into Tuxedo, where fast train service may be obtained. Taxi service will, no doubt, be arranged from Sloatsburg to the "Park Boundary" to accommodate the membership, The camp may also be approached by trail from Mt. Ivy on the N.J. & N.Y. R.R. in about two hours.

Our chief problem in connection with opening up this camp is in the purchase of equipment. Fifty cots, mattresses, pillows and two hundred blankets must be purchased, besides heating apparatus for winter and furniture. The Countil has considered several methods of raising the necessary cash, but it is essent that the membership itself have a voice in this matter. For the purpose of discussing this problem and in order to learn further details of this camp project,

YOU ARE REQUESTED TO ATTEND A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CHAPTER

TO BE HELD ON THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1926

AT THE CIVIC CLUB, 12 WEST 12th STREET, NEW YORK CITY At Seven-Thirty P.M.

The above notice cancels the Annual Adirondack Mountain Club dinner scheduled for that date.