

# Rock Wall Constructed

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The rock wall along the US 41 perimeter of the Keweenaw Mountain Lodge was built circa 1940. These walls are “piered” walls, which are stone walls constructed from cut and fitted fieldstone. They are topped with a “concrete wash”. The walls were probably constructed by Keweenaw County Road Commission employees. They are walls that are also on Brockway Mountain Drive, and similar to those that were constructed at Glacier National Park in Montana. (Source: The Brockway Mountain Drive Story, Paul LaVanaway)

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# Shantytown (Employee Housing) Constructed

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Start of construction of employee housing, “Shantytown”, a WPA financed project. A collection of thirteen 8’x10’ structures, located to the east of the tennis court.

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# Name Changed to Keweenaw Park

# **and Cottages**

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## **Basic Structure of the Lodge Building Completed**

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By last fall 1934, the basic structure of the lodge building was complete.

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## **Name Changed to Keweenaw Mountain Lodge**

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Name changed from Keweenaw Park and Golf Course to Keweenaw Mountain Lodge when it was operated by Superior Development

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# **Civil Works Administration (CWA) Terminated**

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Most employment stopped March 31, 1934, but the program was not officially stopped until July 1934.

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# **Civil Works Administration (CWA) Created**

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The CWA was created on November 9, 1933 by Executive Order No. 6420B, under the power granted to President Roosevelt by Title II of the National Industrial Recovery Act of 1933 [1]

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# **Keweenaw Park and Golf Course Established Under a CWA Project**

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Written agreement between Keweenaw Copper and the Park Trustees, dated January 2, 1934. ...with a contractual agreement to

construct 9 holes of the golf course by July 1, 1934, and the construct a second 9 holes by July 1, 1935.

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# **The Idea of the Keweenaw Park and Golf Course Conceived by Ocha Potter**

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Idea conceived by Ocha Potter in autumn of 1933, under a Civil Works Administration (CWA) project. Date ????. ...ideas was probably conceived before the CWA was started, and then when the CWA was started, the county / Ocha Potter submitted it as a project for the CWA in November??

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# **Work Projects Administration (WPA) Terminated**

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