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## HALTON COUNTY HAS NEW GAME WARDEN

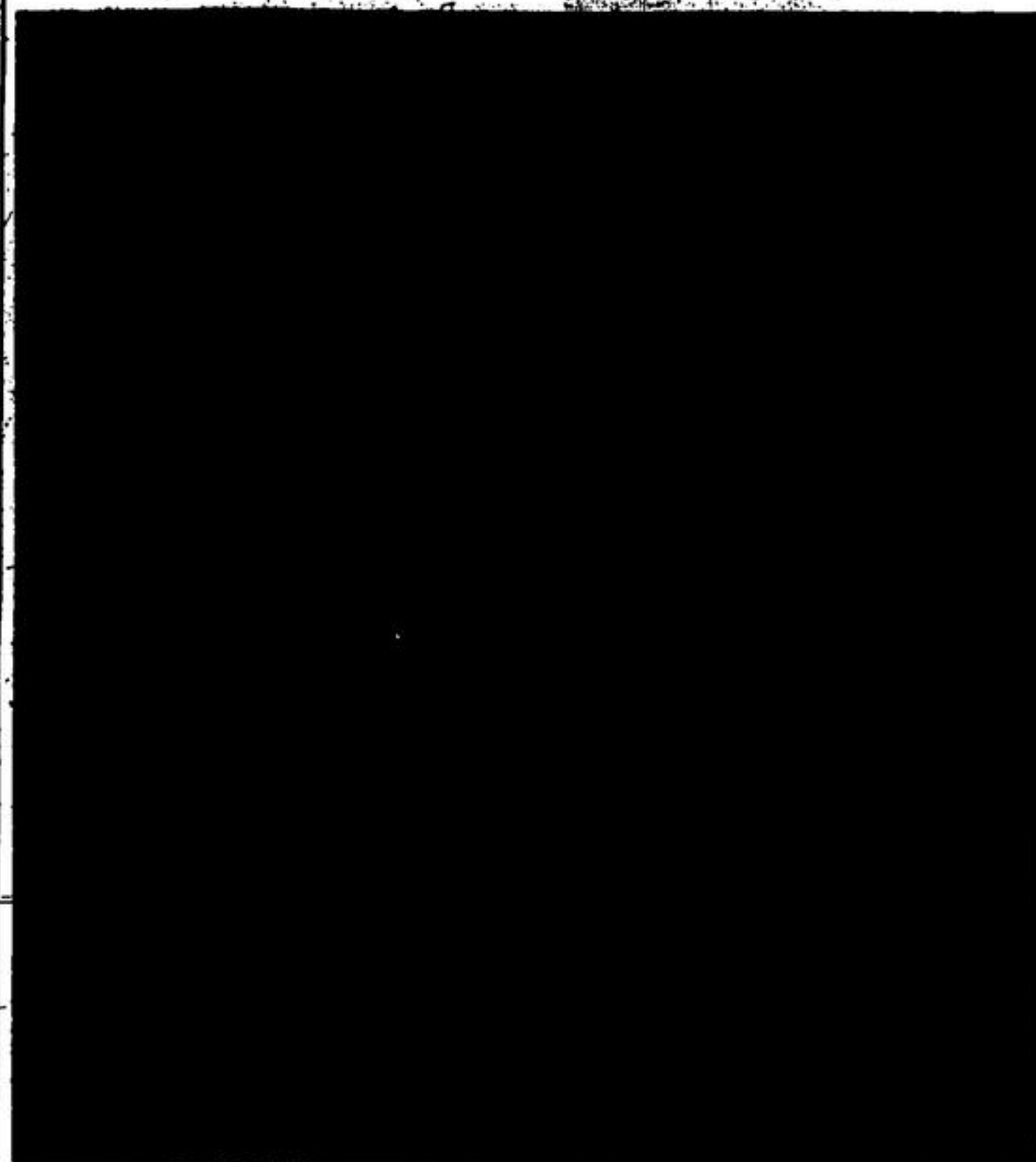
The Ontario Department of Lands and Forests has appointed Robert Reid of R. R. 2, Milton, as Halton County Game Warden. He succeeds the late Dudley Hitchcock, of Oakville.

Looking forward to working with the sportsmen's clubs of the county, Mr. Reid is presently familiarizing himself with the woods and streams throughout the county. He said the department will continue to stock the streams with trout, and if a deer hunt is held in the county he will be in charge of rules and regulations.

## BREAKS LEG IN FALL FROM FARM TRACTOR

John Stull, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stull, of R. R. 5, Milton, fractured his leg last week when he fell from a farm tractor. He was driving along the Fourth Line, Esquesing, when he fell and the tractor ran over his leg, which is now in a cast. The tractor, which went in the ditch, had a caved in radiator.

## QUITE A CATCH!



—J. A. Goudy, Georgetown

**THE YEAR'S BEST** fish story comes from Bob Hall, 16 Cleveholm. On a recent fishing outing to Thornbury, Mr. Hall and friends Jim Timleck and Lorne Draper were casting in the bay for rainbow trout. When Bob felt a sharp tug, he thought he had hooked a beauty, and for the next hour and twenty minutes he had sport he could hardly have dreamed of. All this time, he figured it was a pickerel on the line, and it was some surprise when the fish turned out to be a giant carp — 32 1/2 inches and 24 1/4 lbs. for the record book.

What made the catch most unusual, however, was that the fish had not grabbed at the line at all. The hook had launched below the dorsal fin, so tightly that only a broken line would have freed it. Incidentally, Bob was using a 6 lb. test light spinning line. Reaching to assist in netting the catch, Jim Timleck provided some extra excitement when he lost his balance and got a soaking, emerging from

the water still with his hat on and with a cigarette lodged behind his ear.

Bob married into a fishing family, and when photographer Jim Goudy took this picture, Bob's father-in-law, George Hoare, produced one of his prize catches to provide some contrast. His 7 lb. mounted beauty was caught at Shoe Fly Lake.

## H. C. McCLURE LTD. CELEBRATE THIRTIETH YEAR IN BUSINESS

A span of thirty years in the furniture business, 1927 to 1957, is being celebrated this month by Harold C. McClure, proprietor of one of Georgetown's pioneer appliance stores, H. C. McClure Limited, 14 Main Street South.

Born in Georgetown, Mr. McClure moved to Hamilton with his parents when just a boy and later to Lisgar Station where his father, the late James A. McClure bought a farm. He attended public school in Whaley's corners and took his high schooling at Brampton.

Returning to Georgetown in 1920 he was first employed at the old Victoria Foundries Company which preceded Smith & Stone. He was later associated with his father in operating theatres in Georgetown



HAROLD C. McCLURE

and Acton. These were sold to R. L. Gregory.

For a while Mr. McClure was a car and farm machinery salesman for the late J. N. O'Neil and then in 1927 purchased the furniture business from W. H. Willson. Two years later he received his licence as embalmer and funeral director, carrying on his funeral work in a room adjoining the store until 1945 when he bought the Farm home at 34 Edith Street and converted it into a handsome funeral home.

One of the best known and most public spirited businessmen his name has been connected with most projects for town betterment exemplified recently in his work on the Community Swimming Pool committee. He has been twice president of the Georgetown Lions and at one time was deputy district governor, Merchants' organizations, the hockey club, Masonic lodge and board of parks have all been included in his list of activities. For five years during the war he was officer commanding of C Coy. Lorne Scots.

Married in 1933, Mr. and Mrs. McClure live at 83 Maple Avenue West. Their son George is a graduate of the Royal Military College, Kingston, and intends to enter the University of Western Ontario, London, this fall.

## Big Annual Fair Here Fri. - Sat., October 4-5

With the great CNE past for another year, the fall fairs of Ontario now come onto the scene. While many are on a very small scale compared to the Toronto show, they have their place in the life of the community they serve, and hold a personal touch that does not stand comparison.

The Georgetown Fall Fair will be held on Friday and Saturday, October 4 and 5 and plans have been formulated early for what is hoped to be a record show.

With many newcomers to our community a thumbnail sketch of what the fall fair contains might be in order.

The Georgetown fair has been sponsored by the Esqueping Agricultural Society for one hundred and eleven years, celebrating its centennial back in 1946. The Society was formed and still endeavours to bring an agricultural service to the community.

It is a place where old friends meet old friends — and new ones too.

The fall fair gives an opportunity to show one's handiwork in the big hall display — at the same time winning some of the valuable prizes offered in competition. The hall, to a great extent is for the ladies and boys and girls. Here they can vie for prizes in fancywork, home baking, crafts and flowers and vegetables. The society has a standing invitation to all to show what they have made and the secretary, Trevor Williams, will be pleased to give information on how to exhibit, when to place exhibits and how prizes are competed for.

So to our new friends, especially, a warm welcome awaits you at Georgetown fair, which is held in the park every year.

Then, too, there are many outside attractions — horse races, light horse show, exhibits of the county's best cattle, sheep, hogs, and fancy poultry. There will also be commercial displays of farm machinery, new cars and other products.

On the lighter side of the fair is the big midway attraction with its rides, games and refreshment booths. King Shows will be on hand again this year and have decided to get the big midway in full swing on Friday evening.

This is one attraction you can't afford to miss. So put a big circle around October 4th and 5th on your calendar.

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