

FISH AND GAME DEPUTATION.

Want New Fishing Laws and Longer Period to Shoot Ducks.

To have the duck-shooting season extended from fifteen days to a month, covering the Christmas holidays, was partly the object of a deputation introduced yesterday by Hon. Col. Hendrie to Hon. Dr. Reaume, in which department the game laws are administered. The deputation represented the Hamilton branch of the Ontario Fish and Game Protective Association, and also expressed a wish to establish a rod license for foreigners, and to limit the size of bass permitted to be taken from ten to twelve inches. They considered that the appropriation for the protection of fish and game was inadequate, and asked for an increase. It was also urged that every facility be given for taking carp, the extermination of which fish was desired by sportsmen.

The association will discuss all the game laws at its convention in Toronto during the Exhibition in the fall, when thirty branches will be represented. The Hamilton branch was interested in having the attention of the Government directed immediately to the duck-shooting season.

ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT.

Government and University May Unite to Have One.

A deputation representing the University of Toronto, consisting of President Loudon and Mr. John Hoskin, K. C., waited on Hon. Dr. Reaume yesterday to suggest the desirability of co-operation in the electric lighting plant which has been proposed for the Legislative buildings. The university authorities have for some time past been anxious to have an independent plant for their needs, and the opportunity to build a joint plant seemed to them a favorable one. The plan would involve a much larger installation than had been contemplated at first. Hon. Dr. Reaume heard the representations made and will consider the matter.
