

Fish and Game News

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Despite the hot weather and poor fishing conditions some fair catches have been made in Southern Ontario. Bass are feeding consistently in hot weather, but they still like the cool of evening or early morning. Dew worms and popping Lake Superior comes good news plugs have been the best bait so far. Live minnows trolled slowly or drift fishing often gets good results.

Pickerel fishing has nearly come to a standstill in the North Bay and Parry Sound district and fair to poor in the Kawarthas and Rideaus. Lake trout has gone deep and one must troll very deep to get one far this year have been poor in most districts. Pike has been fair.

Al Wallace and son (in_accompanying photo) while fishing in the St. Lawrence river hooked and landed a 20-lb. pike. He was trolling at the time and it gave him a real good fight. Nice going Al.

The boys from the steel plant and P. L. Robertson have been enjoying two weeks holidays but so far no news of any lunkers being caught.

Incidentally any of you sportsmen that enjoy a good book while on holidays. There are some fine outdoor books available from the North Burlington Public Library. To name a few, The Fireside Book of Fishing, and Canada's Wild Glory by W. Phillip Keller. This one can vouch for, having read and enjoyed it myself - Wildlife in America by Peter Matthiessen. The library is located in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Coulter at R. R. 3, Campbellville just off the Guelph Line and 10 Sideroad.

Yes we have advised in this column before anyone going fishing in new territories this summer would be well advised to fish early in the morning or learn the laws and regulations late in the evening. To be a sucas they apply to the area in cessful Walleye fisherman you which they are fishing. No one must fish very close to the botwants his holidays ruined by tom when still fishing or troltaking illegal fish and as all ling. When a school of fish is ways, ignorance of the law is no found it is advisable to anchor excuse. Also see if it is permis- and still fish six inches off the sible to fish with live bait as bottom. Some of the most popmore and more lakes are forbid- ular spots for Walleye are Moon ding the use of live minnows as River, Pointe au Baril, Byng Inthe lake with unwanted fish gian Bay, Lake Nipissing and such as carp, goldfish, eels and several inland lakes in the Picklamprey. Above all, if you value erel and in Ognetawan River the right to hunt and fish, sup- Watersheds.

port the people and organizations that are trying to manage our natural resources properly. They are not only trying to maintain our heritage, they are trying to improve it. It is now part of your life, too.

From Lake Michigan and that improved survival of the lake trout following lamprey reduction has resulted in an increase in natural spawning. Chemical treatments have also been resumed in Lake Huron, and 17 lamprey streams were treated this spring near Sault Ste. Marie and St. Ignace. This is a very costly program shared by Canada and the U.SA and is going to take many, many more years to complete

Future fish and wildlife management programs of the Department of Land and Forests will be assisted by the conservation-minded members of the Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters of which the Halton Sportmen's Association is proud to say they belong.

Walleye through the heat of

summer and the cold of winter

might be interested in learning more about the personal life of their quarry. First of all the Walleye is called many names, although now officially Walleye, he has been referred to as dore, pikeperch, pike and glasseye. Anyone who has caught one is familiar with his rugged good looks and delicious flavor, when fresh pan fried. Spawning takes place in early spring as soon as the ice breaks up, in water temperatures of 38-44 degrees. Young Walleyes feed on small organisms, insects and their larvae. As they grow older they turn to small fish for food. Fishing is best for them in May and June, slows down in the heat of summer and improves again in September and October. When in the mood Walleye will strike at Plugs, spoons, minnows or worms. The best success is enjoyed by those who bait. This is to stop polluting let, French River areas of Geor-



from England trip for paper

Milton Scouts Jim Mercer and and Randy will be sending weekarrived in England Tuesday morning to begin a 22-day stay in England as Milton's unofficial "goodwill ambassadors".

Jim and Randy were chosen to represent the Oakville District Boy Scouts of Canada on the three week visit. They were accompanied by 100 other scouts and three leaders on the charter flight, and will return about August 30.

For the next four weeks, Jim

Randy Googe left from Malton ly newsletters home to The Airport Monday afternoon and Champion, explaining their trip and the sights they'll see. The first newsletter should arrive in time for next week's Champion.

> Both boys are Queen's Scouts from the 3rd Milton Venturer troop. The Oakville Scout district, Milton Council and Local 1067 UAW are helping to underwrite the costs of the trip.

> Jim is hoping to see the Lord Mayor of London and present him a letter of greetings from Milton's Mayor S. G. Childs.

What is Baha'i?

Helen Keller, in a personal letter to an American Baha'i said: "The philosophy of Baha'u'llah deserves the best thought we can give it . . I take this opportunity to thank you for your kind thought of me, and for the inspiration which even a cursory reading of Baha'u'llah's life cannot fail to impart. What nobler theme than "the good of the world and the happiness of the nations" can occupy our lives? The message of universal peace will surely prevail.

> For Further Information: Baha'i, P.O. Box 164, Oakville, Ont.

HORNBY

Alvin Anderson dies

By Mrs. James Hamilton Mr. and Mrs. William Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. David Leslie, holidayed for a few days last

week at Parry Sound. Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Howden, Randy and Kevin, spent the

weekend at Christian Island. Miss Shirley Downs of Toronto visited on Saturday evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Downs.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilson, Linon Thursday from the West Coast.

Mrs. George Hamilton visited Mr. and Mrs. William Hamilton of Milton.

Michael and Jeffrey Oliver of Islington are enjoying a vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Rutledge and family enjoyed a picnic on Sunday at Peterborough.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Buckler and son Roy attended a double birthday party on Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brooker in honor of Mr. Brooker and his son

Arthur Death and sons, James and Kenneth, have returned rom their vacation on the West Coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Garry Hamilton, Kent and Kendra, attended the Heslop reunion on Sunday at the Dundas Park.

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. Alvin Anderson and Mrs. Fred Huffman, in the death of a beloved husband and dear brother, Alvin Anderson, who died on Tuesday, August 2, in the Milton

District Hospital. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. Canon James E. Maxwell of St. Stephen's Anglican Church, Hornby, on Thursday, August from the McKersie Funeral Home with interment in the Evergreen Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hill and family have returned home from their vacation in Northern Ontario.

This Saturday, August 13, da and Joyce, returned home Hornby Park will be the scene of plenty of outdoor activity when the Minor Softball Teams will compete for top honors in on Thursday and Friday with the Minor Softball Tournament. Teams participating will be as follows, Lowville, Hornby A, Drumquin A, Moffat, Glen Williams, Kilbride, Hornby B, Omagh and Drumquin B. The first game will start at 12.00-1.30 with Hornby Squirts vs Moffat, with the final game in the evening at 7.30 to 9.00. There will be a refreshment booth on the grounds.

> This week the Hornby Redshirts will start their playoffs in the Ontario Intermediate "B" Rural Softball with the first game on Monday night, August in Rockwood and back in Hornby on Saturday night, August 13 In Minor Softball the Drumquin Squirts will be hosts on Friday night, August 12 to the Hickson Squirts at Drumquin Ball Park. On Saturday night the Drumquin Midgets lost by a score of 11-0 to the Brougham Midgets. We wish all the boys better luck on their game in

> Best wishes to the following who are celebrating birthdays this week, Harold Robson on

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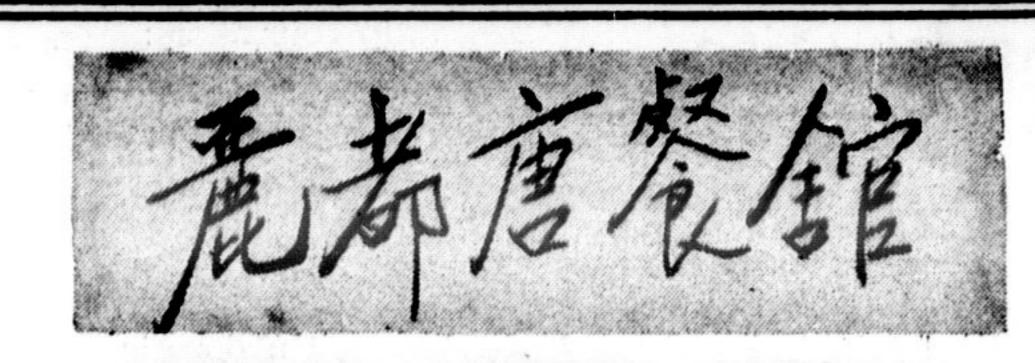
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August 10, Murray Royce on August 12, Mrs. George Leslie on August 13, Debbie Fries on August 9, Bette Brooks and Jimmie McKay on August 11 and Earl McMillan on August 11.

-It's family reunion time in Milton and district. Many local residents are enjoying the annual get-togethers of relatives from near and far.

-The public is welcome to attend both the Friday and Saturday dances this weekend, sponsored by Milton Fire Department for the Ontario convention. A nominal admission fee has been set, just to cover expenses. Friday's dance is at the fair grounds and the one on Saturday will be in the arena.



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