

# Open Season for Wild Geese Sept. 15 to Nov. 15

Details of Regulations Regarding Wild Ducks and Geese and Other Migratory Birds. Open Season in Southern Ontario from Oct. 15 to December 15. Closed Seasons Also Outlined.

Duck hunters should take special note of the following. Some changes in boundaries will be noted in the regulations as to open seasons.

The open season for wild geese and ducks so far as the North Country is concerned is Sept. 15th to November 15th, both dates inclusive. In Southern Ontario the open season is from Oct. 15th to Dec. 15th.

This information came last night from Ottawa as follows:—

The National Parks Service of the Department of Mines and Resources, Ottawa, has just issued the regulations regarding migratory birds for the current year.

A summary of the regulations as they apply to Ontario follows:

**OPEN SEASONS**

Ducks, Geese (other than Brant) Rails, Coots, Wilson's or Jack-Snipe:—In that part of the Province of Ontario lying north and west of a line commencing at the southwest angle of Bruce and Grey Counties to the southwest angle of Nottawasaga township in the County of Simcoe; thence along the south boundaries of Nottawasaga, Sunnidale and Vespra townships to the line of mean high water of Lake Simcoe; thence southerly and easterly along the said line of mean high water on the south side of Lake Simcoe to the northwest angle of Brock township in the County of Ontario; thence along the north and east boundaries of Brock township to the centre of King's Highway No. 7; thence easterly along the centre line of the said highway to the west boundary of Lanark County; thence along the west and south boundaries of Lanark County to the line of mean high water on the north side of Rideau Lake; thence along the line of mean high water on the north side of

Bobolinks, Catbirds, Chickadees, Cuckoos, Flickers, Flycatchers, Grosbeaks, Hummingbirds, Kinglets, Martins, Meadowlarks, Nighthawks or Bull-bats, Nuthatches, Orioles, Robins, Shrikes, Swallows, Swifts, Tanagers, Titmice, Thrushes, Vireos, Warblers, Waxwings, Whip-poor-wills, Woodpeckers, and Wrens, and all other perching birds which feed entirely or chiefly on insects.

No person shall kill, hunt, capture, injure, take or molest any migratory game birds during the closed season; and no person shall sell, expose for sale, offer for sale, buy, trade or traffic in any migratory game bird at any time.

The taking of the nests or eggs of migratory game, migratory insectivorous and migratory non-game birds is prohibited.

The killing, hunting, capturing, taking or molesting of migratory insectivorous and migratory non-game birds, their nests or eggs is prohibited.

The possession of migratory game birds killed during the open season is allowed in Ontario until March 31 following open season.

### Bag Limits

Ducks (exclusive of mergansers) 12 in any day; Geese (other than Brant) 5 in any day; Rails, Coots and Gallinules 25 in any day in the aggregate; Wilson's or Jack-snipe 25 in any day; Woodcock 8 in any day; and not more than 125 Woodcock and 150 Ducks (exclusive of mergansers) and 50 geese (other than Brant) in one season.

### Guns, Appliances and Hunting Methods

The use of automatic (auto-loading) guns unless the magazine has been permanently plugged or altered so that it will not carry more than one cartridge, or swivel, or machine guns, or battery or any gun larger than number 10 gauge is prohibited, and the use of any aeroplane, power-boat, sail boat, live birds or decoys, night light, and shooting from any horse-drawn or motor vehicle is forbidden. The hunting of migratory game birds on areas baited with grain or other artificial food is prohibited.

Persons using blinds or decoys for hunting migratory game birds are urged to consult the regulations for details

### Unusual Birth



Mary Boccasini



Dominic Boccasini

One of the most unusual births on record occurred in a Philadelphia hospital as surgeons performed a one-minute emergency operation on Mrs. Mary Boccasini, the moment after she had died and saved her unborn baby, a three-and-one-half-pound girl. Mrs. Boccasini was suffering from tubercular meningitis. The baby lived two days and was buried with her mother, Dominic Boccasini, husband of the woman, at first objected to the operation, but finally gave his consent.

of the restrictions upon this method of hunting.

The shooting of migratory game birds earlier than sunrise or later than sunset is prohibited.

### Gold Rush in Arctic in Elizabethan Days

History Simply Repeating Itself in Matter of Gold Finds.

Gold rushes renewing themselves in the Arctic, scientists flying to the Pole and announcing that they intend to stay there for a year, give timely point to an old story revived by a new scientific publication of the Field Museum of Natural History, Chicago, written by Sharat K. Doy, curator of geology, Science Service notes.

It is about the first stuff mistaken for gold ore brought back from the American Arctic. It launched the first gold rush and the first gold mining boom. And now, after more than three centuries, Mr. Roy finds out that the "gold" was not even fool's gold or pyrites, but brassy yellow mica, veined in some black rocks.

In 1756, Ctp. Martin Frobisher, after a successful career in piracy (broadly winked at by his honored sovereign, Queen Elizabeth), set out from England with two small vessels to find a route around the northern end of North America. It was the first of many efforts to navigate the famed Northwest Passage.

Upon his return, the wife of one of his sailors put a coal-like piece of rock her husband brought with him on the fire, to see if it would burn. It refused to burn, but oozed out a few globules of yellow stuff that looked like gold.

Queen Herself Purchased Shares That started it. Cautious reports of reputable goldsmiths, that there was no gold in the rocks, were ignored when one adventurous alchemist declared that he really had found gold in it. Frobisher's principal financial backer, one Michael Lock, organized a stock company. The Queen herself subscribed for one-fourth of the shares.

The cargo brought back from a second voyage, 200 tons of the "ore," was kept securely under lock and key in the dungeons of Bristol Castle. A third voyage, with a whole fleet of ships, brought back 1,300 tons of the "ore." But by then the stuff was known to be worthless. Lock was ruined, bankrupt, jailed. Frobisher was acquitted by the queen, afterwards proving his worth in the Armada battle, when with one small ship he whipped four vastly bigger Spanish galleons.

Remains of Frobisher's diggings are still to be seen on Countess of Warwick Island, with the ruins of a stone house he had erected there. Specimens of the "ore" have also been recovered in recent diggings. Petrographic examination shows the "gold" to consist merely of veins of brassy-coloured mica.

Baltimore Sun:—Dr. Fred E. August recently passed out to his criminology class at the University of Kansas City 75 photographs, asking them to select the criminal types and the non-criminal. Fifty per cent. of the students chose J. Edgar Hoover's picture as that of a criminal.

### To-day's Stocks

Stock Name	Price
Afton	4
Ashley	9
Brett	7 1/2
Base Metals	31
Big Missouri	50
Beattie	1.15
Biggood	60
Bobjo	16
Bralorne	7.40
Buffalo Ankerite	9.70
Canadian Malartic	1.22
Castle Tretheway	1.10
Central Porcupine	13
Central Patricia	2.70
Coniagas	2.50
Conlaurum	1.35
Consolidated Chibougamau	85
Darkwater	55
Dome	41.50
Eldorado	2.85
Falconbridge	8.50A
Geldale	24B
God's Lake	66
Glenora	6
Granada	20
Gunnar	74
Hardrock	1.38
Hollinger	11.67
Howey	41
Hudson Bay	33 1/2
International Nickel	66.25
Jackson Manion	22
Kerr Addison	2.42
Kirkland Lake	1.33
Lebel Oro	21
Leitch	70
Lake Shore	50.50
Lee Gold	3 1/2
Little Long Lac	5.60
Macassa	5.65
McLeod Cockshutt	2.05
Manitoba and Eastern	3 1/2
McIntyre	34.50
McKenzie Red Lake	1.24
McVittie Graham	30
McWatters	47
Mining Corporation	3.60
Moneta	1.70
Nayob	38
Nipissing	2.25A
Night Hawk	.2
Noranda	67.00
O'Brien	5.80
Omega	49
Pamour	2.75
Paymaster	64
Pickle Crow	5.90
Pioneer	3.90
Preston East Dome	1.20
Premier	2.30
Read Authier	3.90
Red Lake Goldshore	.38
Reno	.87
San Antonio	1.65
Shawkey	.56
Sherritt Gordon	3.00
St. Anthony	17A
Sullivan Consolidated	1.30
Sudbury Basin	4.75
Stadacona	1.18
Sylvania	3.25
Sylvaite	3.75
Siscoe	5.20
Teck Hughes	2.30
Toburn	8.25
Ventures	6.40
White Eagle	1 1/2 B

Stock Name	Bid	Asked
Albany River	50	53
Brengold	—	4
Canadian Pandora	10 1/2	12
Canusa (new)	—	4
Darwin	10	15
De Santis	—	36
Delmitte	80	1.00
Delwood	—	12
Empire Gold	—	15
Jowsey Denton	—	15
Gale Gold	—	30
Gilbec	2 1/2	3 1/2
Hallnor	1.95	—
Hugh Pam	8	10
Lamaque	7.00	—
Magnet Lake	6	9
Moffatt Hall	5	7
Ossilian	1 1/2	2 1/2
O'Leary	6	8
Porcupine	—	15
Porc. Creek (units)	60.00	80.00
Predor	—	10
Porcupine Goldreef	1 1/2	3
Porcupine Lake	25	29
United Porcupine	5	6
Wood Porc. (units)	—	12.00
Vimy	—	15
Young Davidson	17 1/2	19

### Says Wearing Whiskers Helps Prevent Silicosis

Beards and mustaches, says a scientific note from London, have been found to protect masons from silicosis, a disease caused by inhaling flying bits of stone. Investigation showed that the few whiskered artisans who worked on the Sir Walter Scott monument suffered far less from this affliction than did their smooth-faced brethren. The reason, it is said, is that the whiskers filtered out the particles of stone.

### Report Made on Work at Kendou Porcupine Mines

In last report from Bruce Russell, directing work on Kendou Porcupine Mines Limited, Night Hawk lake area, drill hole K-2 had advanced to a depth of 402 feet, with the hole appearing more and more to be in a sediment. No. 1 hole was stopped at 1,007 feet depth. No. 2 hole, drilled with dip of 60 degrees, is expected to explore Keewatin-Temiskaming contact zone at right angles to the formation.

### DATE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF McINTYRE MINE CHANGED

McIntyre Porcupine Mines Limited advises that on July 16th last, directors passed a by-law changing the date of future annual meetings to be held on June 15th instead of June 30th. When June 15th falls on a public or legal holiday the by-law provides that the meeting shall be called for the next succeeding business day.

Sudbury Star:—There's no one quite as graceful eating corn on the cob as a professional piccolo player.

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### Gold News and Views as Much Less Gloomy

#### Royal Bank Letter Advances Interesting Conclusions.

(From Financial Post)

Since the period a few weeks ago, when the gold question vied with the weather as a popular coffee-hour topic of general conversation, debate has cooled off considerably. The result is that the public at large has an opportunity of gaining a less clouded view of the situation.

One reason for waning popular interest in the gold problem is that the crisis appears to have been passed, at least temporarily. Evidence of this is the news that the three-year-old inflow of gold into the United States has dropped from an average of \$64 millions daily during the first half of the year, to an average of \$4.1 millions in July. Some authorities even predict that with reviving confidence in France, and the sale of gold to China, and South American republic, an outflow of gold from U.S. will actually be witnessed.

The Royal Bank of Canada devotes its monthly letter to considerations of the gold question, and advances several rather arresting conclusions in the United States may not be such a bad idea after all. The letter points out that no country began to recover from the depression until the money situation was adjusted, and in all cases, recovery began more or less promptly when the banks were provided with surplus reserves. This, the letter states in effect, suggests that it is worthwhile to accumulate a gold reserve outside the banking systems of the world, which may in the future be used as "the shock troops" to attack the next serious depression.

The cost of sterilizing this gold is not comparable, it is pointed out, with the cost of a depression.

As to possibilities of price reduction, the Royal Bank, in its letter, concludes that a moderate decrease in the price

of gold would produce a lack of confidence in the situation, which would greatly add to its difficulties. It is thought that only a drastic reduction to the old price of \$20.67 per ounce would eliminate the general fear that further changes were probable. But such a reduction, the letter points out, might bring about another depression impossible to be borne by a world not yet recovered from the last one.

In other words, while conceding complexities of the present situation, the writer of the bank's letter does not appear to consider that the way out lies in gold price adjustment.

In opposing the plea of the gold mining industry for a change in the depletion allowance which the federal government concedes the mining companies and shareholders, Hon. J. L. Halsey, minister of national revenue, is quoted as saying that the gold industry throughout the depression had not only enjoyed a guaranteed market for its product but had the value of its product increased by some 70% "by government action."

Mining men have, with some justification but with apparently little success, consistently fought this rather widespread view. In the first place, they point out, it is questionable whether the price of gold can be said to be "guaranteed." Present uncertainties surrounding the future price of the metal are sufficient indication of the basic lack of stability which supports the price.

Most important, however, is the suggestion by Mr. Halsey that the Government has, in some mysterious manner, already made great concessions to the industry by raising the price of gold from \$20.67 an ounce to \$35 an ounce. The facts are, of course, that action by the Government of which Mr. Halsey is a part, had nothing whatsoever to do with the increased price of gold.

Sudbury Star:—A Broadway critic points out that all ham actors are not on the screen. An observation with which we are bound to concur. Many of them are professional wrestlers.

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