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"TOURING GLORIOUS MICHIGAN"

Presented By  
DENNIS GLEN COOPER

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## M. L. C. A. Calendar

- April 14—Presidents'  
Banquet  
16—Jr. Rifle Shooters  
17—Sr. Rifle Shooters  
18—Membership  
meeting Dennis  
Glen Cooper,  
speaker  
19—Pistol Shooters  
20—Archery Shoot  
21—Family Movie  
Night  
22—Skeet & Trap  
Shoot, 2 p.m.  
23—Jr. Rifle Shooters  
24—Sr. Rifle Shooters  
25—Board of Directors  
Meeting  
26—Pistol Shooters  
27—Archery Shoot  
28—Club Dance  
Trout Season  
Opens!  
29—Skeet & Trap  
Shoot, 2 p.m.  
Deadline for  
May Multi-  
Laker copy.  
30—Jr. Rifle Shooters
- May 1—Sr. Rifle Shooters  
3—Pistol Shooters  
4—Archery Shoot  
7—Jr. Rifle Shooters  
8—Sr. Rifle Shooters  
10—Pistol Shooters  
11—Archery Shoot  
12—Club Dance

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# Dennis Glen Cooper Will Speak at April Meeting

Dennis Glen Cooper, explorer, travel photographer, and television celebrity, will show his exclusive color motion pictures and speak on "Touring Glorious Michigan" at the Wednesday, April 18, membership meeting at M. L. C. A.

The pictures will include a score of expeditions by boat, plane and motor car. They show Michigan's famous lakes, forests, waterfalls, principal tourist haunts, and world-famed recreational areas in the Upper and Lower peninsulas.

Among the highlights of the films are scenes in and around Detroit, a canoe trip on the Au Sable river, a visit to primitive Isle Royale, a stay at magnificent Blancy Park resort and at famous Mackinac Island, and a never-to-be-forgotten ride in a "Dunescooter" over the enormous white sand dunes north of Muskegon.

Cooper, well-known for his "World Adventure Series", "Let's Take A Holiday", "Adventure Ho!", and "Realm of the Wild", television programs is a popular lecturer. He was born and educated in Detroit and is head of the Exact Science department of Sherrard Intermediate school in Detroit. His explorations, writings and movies of Isle Royale have made its beauty and history known to the public.



Dennis Glen Cooper

## Clubhouse Addition

Plans for the addition of kitchen, office, storage space and front porch to the clubhouse are now at the bidding stage.

Several sets of plans have already gone out to contractors, with more sets available. Any member who is a builder or who knows of a builder who would be interested in bidding on the planned addition may contact the Building Committee chairman, Harry Horner, c/o Multi-Lakes Conservation Ass'n., 3860 Newton Rd., Walled Lake, Michigan.

## Family Night Show to Be Saturday, April 21

"Treasure Island" by Walt Disney and "Glamour Birds of Florida" will be the films shown at the Saturday, April 21 Family Night show at Multi-Lakes clubhouse. Both are in technicolor.

Members and their guests are invited to come and bring the children. The event will start at 7:30 p.m. and run until 9:30. There is no charge.

## Annual Presidents' Dinner April 14

Walter W. Fuller, Fraternal editor of the Detroit News, will be the dinner speaker at the April 14 Presidents' Banquet at Multi-Lakes clubhouse. Walter Horstman will be master of ceremonies at the annual affair.

Tickets for the 6:30 p.m. dinner are available at the bar or from members of the entertainment committee. Members and their guests are invited.

Dancing to the music of Floyd Snyer's band will follow the dinner. Other entertainment will include "Miller and His Morons" in a pantomime show.

## Attention Junior Archers

Beginning Saturday, April 7 and running for approximately six weeks, George Marks and William Fluto will be on hand in the range building to show all interested Juniors how to handle and shoot the bow and arrow.

The club has some archery equipment for the use of Junior beginners.

For further information call George Marks at EMpire 3-4030.

## Family Movie Night April 21

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# March Meeting of Board

Wed., March 28, 1956

The meeting was called to order by Vice Chairman Peters at 8 p.m. with the following members absent:

George Welbon

Harry Horner (Showed up before meeting adjourned.)

The minutes of the February board meeting, and the Special board meeting of March 14, were read and accepted.

Tom Crane read the Treasurer's report for March. He read the following bills payable: H. Altman & Sons

(Knives) .....	\$ 9.20
Ideal Pictures	
(For Jr. Night) .....	5.05
Detroit Edison	
(clubhouse) .....	62.66
(rifle bldg.) .....	17.17
(old range) .....	1.03
Michigan Bell .....	1.65
U.S. Post Office	
(envelopes) .....	1.83
Oil Burner, service on	
furnace .....	7.50
Harnack Heating,	
furnace repair .....	126.12
Ed. Olsen, letters,	
stamps .....	16.17
Hampshire Business	
Serv. letterheads .....	15.37
Hampshire Business	

Serv., 5,000 targets ..	14.00
Wm. C. Zimmerman ..	750.00
Comm. Oil & Products	
102.13 — 139.52 .....	241.65
Arnold Rahn, postage-	
March Multi-Laker ..	12.45
Dept. of Cons., Highland	
School group camp ..	195.43
A. Rahn, receipt books,	3.00
A. Rahn, poker chips...	26.33
Monty Wysong,	
telephone calls .....	.66

Moved by Adams that bills be allowed and checks drawn for same with the exception of Zimmerman bill. Seconded by Gladstone, motion carried.

Treasurer Crane read the breakdown on taxes and insurance. During 1954 the Bar Committee paid withholding tax, bar license, sales tax, etc. which was paid by the treasurer in 1955. This amount was the same or the difference shown in the Auditors' report.

Crane was in receipt for \$198.84 from our insurance agent of record in full payment for our loss from the breakin of our buildings on December 26, 1955.

Purdie moved that our insurance agent of record furnish a copy of the proof of loss to the club treasurer in all claims filed. Seconded by Rahn, motion carried.

### SKEET and TRAP report for February:

Cash on hand .....	658.80
Receipts .....	98.00
Total .....	756.80
Shells .....	474.80
Balance .....	282.00

Expense .....	.28
Balance .....	281.72
Inventory .....	603.55

### STAG DAY report

Receipts .....	1,940.62
Disbursements .....	1,110.33
Net .....	830.30
Advance .....	200.00
Profit .....	630.30

### TURKEY SHOOT report

Income .....	146.00
Expense .....	96.50
Profit .....	\$ 49.50

### FISH DINNER report

Receipts .....	567.75
Expense .....	288.37
Net .....	279.38

### RIFLE committee report

On hand .....	295.93
Expense .....	285.43
Balance .....	10.53
Inventory .....	154.40

Crane recommended the acceptance of reports. Chabot moved we accept the reports, seconded by Wysong. Motion carried.

Al Dickson was present and submitted a plan for a Dog trial to be held some time in July.

Crane moved that the board go on record as favoring the Dog Trial or equivalent proposition presented by the Bowling League. Seconded by Adams, motion carried.

Ed Olsen reported 129 unpaid 1956 members, and 176 paid applications filed. He then read the following names of applicants for membership:

(This list appears elsewhere in the magazine.)

Chabot moved that we accept the applications as read, including five which had no recommending member signature, if and when said sponsors sign

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# Special Board Meeting

Wed., March 14, 1956

the applications; also including one application whose signer claimed he had a cancelled check for his membership. If and when he presents the cancelled check for examination, also that the membership be closed. Seconded by Adams. motion carried.

Chabot, discussing the architect's bill for \$750.00, read the work order with said architect.

Rahn reported he had some money on hand from defunct activities and asked for disposition of same. Wysong moved the money be paid to the treasurer, to be credited to the Porch fund. Seconded by Purdie. motion carried.

Art Liss, for Archery, asked for permission to construct an archery range, in addition to the one now situated on club property. Walt Peters, for grounds, volunteered to go over the proposition, and to check to see if there was room available.

Liss asked for an appropriation, to take care of needed equipment. Moved by Adams, seconded by Gladstone, that we grant the archery committee the sum of \$125. Motion carried.

Bruce Enfield asked for an answer on the mimeograph project. Adams moved we purchase a guaranteed rebuilt used machine, up to \$150.00. Seconded by Chabot. motion carried.

Rahn suggested that a committee be named to censor material to be used in the Multi-Laker. President Chabot and Vice President Peters volunteered to work with Rahn on material submitted for publication.

Payne mentioned that as of now we have no representatives to District 7 MUCC.

Moved by Adams, seconded by Gladstone, that we adjourn Time 12:00 midnight.

Respectfully submitted,  
Herb Harvey, Secretary

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Welbon at 8:05 p.m. with the following members absent:

- Clayton Adams
- Ray Gladstone

Peters moved we accept Adam's excuse, as being sick with a cold. Seconded by Chaplow. Motion carried.

Peters moved we accept Gladstone's excuse, as being out of town. Seconded by Sutton. Motion carried.

In discussing the report from McGraw and Wright for the December Audit, some uncertainty was expressed about taxes and insurance. Treasurer Crane promised a breakdown on these two items for the next Board Meeting.

Purdie moved we deposit \$3,500.00 in the Retirement Fund, covering depreciation on our facilities for 1956. Seconded by Sutton. Motion carried.

The Building program was next in order, and Harry Horner, Chairman of the Building Committee, reported that as yet he had no response to his request for bids on our proposed additions. Harold Purdie reported he had a bid on the various proposals. A "flyer" to all members, asking for bids, was recommended, and accepted. Harry Horner called a meeting of the Building Committee for Friday night to formulate said "flyer."

Chaplow moved that funds in the hands of the various Committee Chairman, shall be deposited in a bank account in the name of Multi-Lakes -- Committee, and funds therefrom can be withdrawn by the members of the Committee designated of the Treasurer of the Multi-Lakes Conservation Association. Rahn seconded the

motion, and the motion carried.

The two items on the agenda having been completed, the meeting was adjourned. Time 9:50 p.m.

Respectfully submitted  
Herb Harvey, Sec.

## Archery News

By Mrs. George Marks

Attendance at the scheduled Friday night indoor shoots continues to improve, with the outdoor season just around the corner. Outdoor shooting will begin sometime in May.

George Marks and Ed Stack Jr. shot a tie of 234 at the March 9 shoot, and Bruce Enfield won a goose in the novelty event.

Twenty-one archers showed up for the March 16 Ribbon Shoot. High scorers were Ed Stack Jr. with a 44-248, G. Marks with 52-232 and Bruce Enfield with 54-228.

Pontiac Archers will begin their 1956 target field shoots on April 15. One need not be a member of that club or any club in order to participate in the monthly shoots. The course is located on state land on Maceday Lake road near Teggerdine road, northwest of Pontiac Lake. Registrations are usually taken until 10 a. m. Participants then shoot 28 targets, come in for lunch and rest, and begin the afternoon 26 targets about 2 p. m. The Metropolitan and State championships were held on the Pontiac range last summer, and I understand they are to be held there again this year.

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## Stated Meeting

The meeting was called to order by President Chabot at 8:15 p.m. with the following officers present:

The members

Ray Chabot- President  
Walt Peters-Vice President  
Herb Harvey-Secretary  
Tom Crane-Treasurer  
Ed. Olsen- Membership Sec.

The members present stood, and pledged allegiance to the Flag.

It was regularly moved and seconded that the minutes of Feb. regular meeting and the Feb. Board Meeting be accepted as printed in the Multi-Laker. Motion carried.

President Chabot announced that the Committees as named, were not necessarily final; anyone wishing to serve on a Committee is cordially invited to sign up on a Committee of his choice.

Bill Harrington, for Skeet and Trap announced shoots for the last two Sundays in each month until the weather warms up. A round of shoots with the Oakland County Sportsmen's Club is being arranged. Anyone interested in getting on a Skeet or Trap team is urged to come out and shoot. Should be some keen competition.

Treasurer Crane read the Treasurer's report for Feb. It was regularly moved and seconded that the report be accepted as read. Motion carried.

Walt Peters, for Grounds asked for help on the Committee, as there was going to be big doings in this group. He is planning a committee meeting shortly after the next Board Meeting.

Weldon Payne, for the Annual M.U.C.C. Award Committee, said that as a result of no tickets being mailed last year, our sales were down 50%. Tickets will be mailed this year, and he urged all members to really get out and shove sales of same.

Warren Neuenschwander, also urged the sale of tickets. He was concerned about not being able to get through to the members, the necessity of contacting our legislators, in regard to pending legislation. He again stressed the importance of letting our representatives know our wishes in these matters. He promised a list of said legislators so each member would know whom to contact. Nick Lup seemed to think this was probably the reason so few had really contacted the proper persons.

Clayton Adams, for Rifle, reported a very successful meeting was held on our range the past week-end. This was the State Shoot previously mentioned. Clayt reported some excellent scores were shot, and that he had received many compliments on the manner in which the shoot was conducted. He wished to thank all who helped make the event a success. He reported one more shoot in the Southeastern Michigan Rifle Association.

Monty Wysong came up with a club shirt (on the person of Weldon Payne). This shirt, from the Griswold Sports Shop, sells for \$7.00 complete with lettering. Ken Cracknell moved that we have a Club Shirt, color

blue with gold lettering, seconded by Adams, and the motion carried.

The first order for these shirts will have to be in quantity, but after that anyone wishing a shirt will be able to get one in a week's time. Anyone interested in purchasing a shirt, give details of size and sleeve length to Rahn.

Arnold Larges, for Stag Day, wished to thank everyone who helped make the occasion a success, and especially mentioned 8 ladies who did an exceptional job on serving the dinner. He reported a net profit of \$832.52 for the day.

Arnold reported that there was still deck space for rent. See Rahn at the Bar for reservations. He urged any member having an old "clunker" lying around on the shore to remove same.

Clayton Adams reported a Junior program for next Monday night from 7:30 until 9:00. The film "Cottontail" will be shown.

Bruce Enfield for Entertainment, announced plans for several Ball Games this summer. The President's Ball on April 14th, dinner at 6:30. You may obtain tickets from Bruce or from Rahn.

Ed Olsen announced well over 600 members had paid their '56 dues, and some 160 applications were on hand.

Marion Pullis reporting on the Fish Fry announced a profit of \$206.38 for the occasion. He asked for a big hand for all who helped make this a most enjoyable day.

Ken Cracknell, for Athletics brought up the subject of the

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"Little League", mentioned at the February meeting after considerable discussion it was regularly moved and seconded we back a team in said League. Motion carried.

Art Liss for Archery announced a Metro Shoot for Sunday March 25th. A Flint round. A new Junior Class will start on April 7th. Any member having a boy or girl interested in learning to shoot a bow and arrow come out on that day. Geo. Marks will be glad to welcome you and see proper instructions are given. Plenty of Club equipment available. This program will continue for 6 weeks, by which time we should be able to move outdoors.

President Chabot called for the door prize drawing, and the following were the lucky ones:

1. Life preserver-A. Nagy
2. Boat ladder-Brongansly
3. Smelt net-L. Bayliss
4. Themo jug-A. Scudder
5. Cleaning kit-E Larson
6. Dart game-E. Olsen
- 7 Themo jug-Waldacker
8. Smelt net-C. Sangle
9. Tackle box- C. McGraw
10. Cleaning kit-A Larges
11. Cleaning kit-A. Maron
12. Toy Motor boat-A. Larges
13. Cook stove-I Martin
14. Spinning outfit-S. Tusan
15. Sleeping bag- W. Pushoff
16. Binoculars-R. Barton

No further business appearing the meeting was adjourned. Time 10:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Herb Harvey, Sec.

**Dennis Glenn Cooper**  
**April 18**

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## Rifle News

By John Armstrong

The NRA National Indoor Sectional Rifle Tournament held at our range March 17-18 was a complete success. It went over very well thanks to the fellows who helped. Some excellent scores were rung up. Tao-Yuan Wu won the match with a total of 783 out of a possible 800 in the four position. He was followed closely by Gerald Ouellette with a 780.

Our club didn't come in for any medals, although some fine shooting by Howard West, Bob Ayers and Frank Hernacki can be chalked up to experience—or practice?

The individual winners in the match were L. L. Evans, Marksman, 200-20x, prone; William Biggs, Sharpshooter, 200-15x, sitting; Tao-Yan Wu, Master, 200-14x, kneeling; and Monrad Thorson, Master, 192 off-hand.

The winning team entry in the match was one represented by Ford Motor Company. Their four man total was 1518, followed closely by O. C. S. C. No. 1, 1514.

With but two more weeks remaining in our inter-club shoot, it looks like Chuck Teeley's team is a shoot-in for honors. Its members are leading with 33 points. Lin Bush's team jumped up into second place after he deserted them for three weeks for his trip to Arizona.

Don Wilson's outfit, a make-shift affair, has 27, followed by the ex-president's chiefs — or chumps — with 22.

Men up for aggregate winner medals are Clayton Adams, Harry Horner, Frank Hernacki and Ed Greiner.

We wound up our activities in the Southeastern Rifle League this past month, winning both ends of a shoot with Detroit Sportsmen's Congress. Our "king pins" were:

Clayton Adams	183
John Armstrong	185 201
Lin Bush	190
Carl Heimerdinger	184 209
Harry Horner	203
Emmett Teeley	193 203
V. VanDiver	221

935 1037

Our match with Dearborn Rifle and Pistol club was a sociable affair. They won the actual match, 963-907, and we won the handicap 1019-1012. Our "chargers" this time were:

Dick Heimerdinger	200
Clayton Adams	182
Emmert Nelson	203
John Armstrong	186 201
John Zepf	178
Jerry Tillman	205
Joe Katona	182
Don Wilson	179
Howard Cox	210
	907 1019

Our last match of the season against the Marksman club was a disasterous finale. Only six of our shooters showed and we lost the actual 949 to 892 and the handicap, 999 to 993.

Shooters were:

Bob Ayers	181 196
Frank Hernacki	172
Lin Bush	189 199
Howard Cox	170 208
Joe Katone	180 197
Carroll Lysinger	193
	892 993

We were glad to see Foster Tilford up and around again. He received a hearty welcome back . . . John Zepf has purchased a new 22 Standard barrel Martini. . . Why does "Big Red" get all shook up when his daughter comes to watch him shoot? Must be a reason

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# Applicants Approved

At the March meeting of the M. L. C. A. board of directors approved the following applications for membership:

- John W. Adams, Birmingham
- Henry Adler, Detroit
- Fred Aldrich, Plymouth
- Wm. A. Allen, Detroit
- Fred Backus, Detroit
- Hugh Baird, Detroit
- Ronald V. Baker, Royal Oak
- Edward G. Ball, Milford
- Robert Barton, Royal Oak
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- Frank J. Bayless, Pontiac
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## Multi-Lakes Conservation Association

14th Annual

# PRESIDENT'S BANQUET

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SATURDAY, APRIL 14, 1956

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## Skeet and Trap News

Sorry we were so busy getting ready for the fish fry and turkey shoot last month to get some Skeet and Trap news in the Multi-Laker. We won't let it happen again.

To all who enquired about when the range would be open it will be open the last two Sundays of each month until further notified in the next Multi-Laker.

We have contacted Oakland County Sportsman club for some team shoots in both Trap and Skeet. They are being planned for early in April. Dates will be announced soon. The shoots should create more interest in both Skeet and Trap.

Present members of the Skeet and Trap Committee are Wayne Hinkle, Ray Dunn, Clint Vreeland, Clarence Colvin, MacMcClung, Art Herron, Dick Disler, and Gordon Chapin.

Anyone interested in becoming a committee member may call Bill Harrington, FE. 2-1585, or Fred Edwards, FE. 4-2920. If I have left anyone out, it's because I don't have your names.

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We are planning to have some more prize shoots as soon as the weather warms up.

Thanks to everyone who helped in making the turkey shoot and fish dinner a success.

Bill Harrington, chairman  
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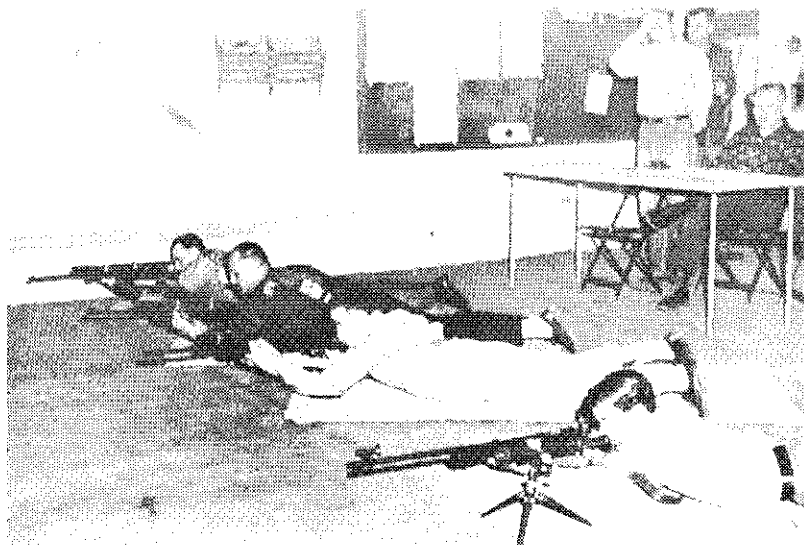
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Scene of action at N. R. A. match in M. L. C. A. range building, showing some of the shooters who took part in the two-day event, March 17 and 18.

### N. R. A. Official Reports on Sectional Match

(The following report by the official referee of the recent N. R. A. Sectional Shoot held at Multi-Lakes has been received).

Executive Officer Clayton E. Adams was excellent, a very capable official who never let down for a minute during the matches.

Chief Range Officer Donald B. Wilson was very fine. He was called on unexpectedly and did a very fine job.

Chief Statistical Officer John C. Armstrong was excellent. The reports came out promptly. The scoring was careful and exact. There was no challenge and all points were earned by shooting.

The preliminary work for this tournament was done so thoroughly that there were no loose ends left to be taken care of after the tournament started. Consequently the matches ran smoothly.

The Multi-Lakes Conservation club, which sponsors the Multi-Lakes Gun club, is an organization with a closed membership of 800. At the time of their first registered tournament in 1947, they had an outdoor 100 yard range and a small range house located on sixty acres of ground. They have since constructed a clubhouse consisting of a 40x80 main room and a smaller room of 30x40 with a basement.

Across the drive they have built a 30x90 indoor range with a wing containing heating unit, rest rooms, and scoring room. Construction is of cement block and very well done.

The physical set-up, financial soundness, and fine spirit of harmony make this organization seem to be at least the equal of any of the sort in Michigan.

E. Roche McClear  
N.R.A. Official Referee

### N. R. A. Director Lauds M. L. C. A.

(The following letter was received by M. L. C. A. following its recent sectional shoot.)

29865 Lasher Rd.  
Birmingham, Mich.  
March 19, 1956

Mr. Clayton Adams  
Executive Officer  
Smallbore Rifle Sectional  
Championships  
Multi-Lakes Conservation  
Association

Dear Sir:

This letter is written for the express purpose of congratulating you and your organization and especially those who worked with you to make the 1956 Smallbore Rifle Sectional Championships the efficient, well run, enjoyable tournament that it was.

Many competitors were questioned concerning the match and I received nothing but praise for the match in general and the scoring in particular. When a match of this type is conducted without one challenge, the scoring detail must be not only accurate but fair in every respect.

To you and your crew, I wish to extend my compliments and thanks for a job well done.

Sincerely,

Donald E. Braddock  
Director of  
Smallbore Rifle  
Activities  
Michigan State  
Rifle & Pistol Ass'n.

### Adams Commends N. R. A. Aides

I wish to commend all of the men who so ably assisted me at our recent N. R. A. Sectional Shoot. Among those assisting were Howard West, Emmert Nelson, Harry Horner, Lin Bush, Robert Ayres, Don Braddock, Frank Brusha, Vern VanDiver, Don Wilson, John Armstrong, I. M. Easter, and John Zepf.

Special praise is to be given Wilson, Armstrong and Zepf. Zepf worked on the mailing and registration for three weeks before the match.

Sincerely,  
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# Angling Angles

(A page from the March-April issue of The Michigan Conservation magazine.)

Trout season opens April 28, closes September 9 . . . Cost of a trout stamp is again one dollar. This in addition to the annual fishing license fee of \$1.50 for residents, \$4.00 for non-residents or \$3.00 for the special, nonresident 15-day license . . . Generally, trout fishing regulations are unchanged from last year. An exception is a reduction in the size limit from 10 to nine inches on the North Branch of the AuSable river in Crawford county. Through a printing error, the 1956 Fish Law Digest lists a nine-inch minimum size in a special 20-mile stretch of the South Branch and Main Stream. This limit should be 10 inches.

This year's trout stamp carries an engraving of a burrowing mayfly, a staple in trout diets. Since 1948, fishermen have affixed trout stamps to their licenses. Successive issues of the stamps have pictured brook, rainbow, brown and lake trout, the unique AuSable River Boat, a scene on the Ontonagon River, a fisherman netting a trout, a Manistee River scene, and the mayfly. The pictures are steel engravings from originals by Charles Schafer, art editor of Michigan Conservation.

Essential differences between casting a fly line and lure and bait casting lies in these points: you cast the line when you pitch a fly; the weight to bow the rod is in the line, not the lure. Line is strung out, therefore, beyond the tip of the rod all through the cast. The reel does not enter into the cast but is strictly a storage facility which allows lengthening or shortening the line as required.

Odds and ends: Modern trout culture started in France early in the 19th century when eggs were first taken from trout, fertilized and incubated. . . . Scientists agree that the rainbow and steelhead are one and the same trout; the steelhead merely being a rainbow that has migrated to Great Lakes or sea waters . . . Trout eggs from Michigan have been transported successfully to such far off

places as Japan and South America . . . The brown trout is sometimes referred to as the English brown, European brown German brown or Lockleven trout. The accepted common name of the trout known to scientists as *Salvelinus fontinalis* is the eastern brook trout. It is sometimes called the brookie, square tail or native trout. Canadians know it as the speckled trout . . . Fish keep on growing after they become mature adults. They do not have a fixed adult size as do warm-blooded animals.

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Judging by the attendance, a vast number of our members have forgotten the alternate Saturday night dances -- A small group (38) of Multi-Lakers and guests continued M-L's winning ways when they Greyhounded down to Olympia and cheered the Red Wings to win over the Black Hawks on March 10 -- The clubhouse was packed for the annual Stag Day, March 11 -- The Rifle boys did a swell job, hosting shooters from various parts of Michigan, Windsor, Ohio, Indiana and as far away as New York state at the N. R. A. Sectional Rifle match at M. L. C. A. on March 17-18 -- Explorer Scout Troop B-14 of Birmingham braved the heavy snow and

cold weather to camp out on our grounds on March 24-25 -- Less than 15% attendance at a regular meeting denotes one thing -- poor club spirit -- Member Howard Bloehm has been appointed Justice of the Peace in White Lake township

Two fellows were bitten by a dog tied to the bumper of a car at the Skeet and Trap range recently. More better the dogs be muzzled or left at home -- Mrs. Howard West slipped on the ice recently and suffered a broken arm. That's all for now **REMEMBER THE GOLDEN RULE! !**

**The Cover Picture**

Photo By Gene Proulx

Appreciation for a job well done goes to Multi-Lakes riflemen who entertained riflemen from various states and Canada at an N.R.A. Sectional Match at M.L.C.A. recently. The well handled event should give much good publicity to the club.

Back row, l. to r.: F. Hernacki, E. Greiner, C. Adams, R. Heimerdinger, C. Heimerdinger, H. West, F. Brusha, V. Van Diver, J. Katona, H. Cox, D. Wilson.

Front row -J. Zepf, C. Teehey, C. Lysinger, J. Armstrong, H. Horner, R. Ayres, L. Percy, T. Tillman, and E. Nelson.

**Junior Conservation Film Well Received**

Approximately three hundred children and young people visited Multi-Lakes clubhouse March 26 to see "Bunny Cotton-tail," one of the best wildlife pictures ever filmed.

The club's Conservation committee is trying to arrange the showing of other appropriate films in the future.

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