

MUDDY CONDITION OF STREAMS PUTS HALT ON FRESH WATER FISHING

LITTLE HOPE FOR RIVERS TO CLEAR FOR SEVERAL DAYS

District Woman Lands Two-and-a-Half Pound Bass in Virginia.

NEWS OF ANGLERS

Colored Man's Unique Method Of Following Favorite Sport at Basin.

By DICK FEED.

Conditions for fishing are not very encouraging for sale water anglers and practically hopeless for the next few days, at least for those who prefer the fresh water.

Catfish are plentiful and will strike in muddy water, taking almost any kind of bait.

R. A. Martin returned from Colonial Beach, where he went the first of the month to set up his fishing camp for the season.

Woman Lands Big Bass

Mrs. Lillian Hobbs and Mrs. Ellen Bowen visited Overall, Va., several days.

A Record Catch

A District fisherman caught thirteen bass at Fisher's Spring, near Ryeville, July 4.

Will E. Barron and brother returned from an extensive automobile and boat trip to fishing at Heron Bay, about two miles from Chesapeake Beach.

Edward R. Lyon and Washington E. Lowe had a pleasant and successful trip to fishing at Heron Bay.

Tom Brown returned from an outing at Overall, Va., reporting a catch of thirteen fish.

Fisherman's Boat Sinks

When Harry Harrington and Ben Sykes were returning from a successful day's fishing Wednesday their boat sprung a leak and sank in 12 feet of water.

Tidal Basin Draws Anglers. At this time of the year one may see all varieties of tackle and all sorts of anglers fishing from the sea wall of the Tidal Basin.

Here the small boy with the pin hook and cotton twine, as well as the so-called "professional" with the spinning outfit for casting or fly fishing enjoy a nearby outing.

With everything set for the purpose of teasing a catfish from the shade of the nearby shrubbery, thunder will not awaken him from his dreams but the slightestinkle of the bells arouses him to stivity.

Would Invite Ireland To Join United States. Ireland as a part of the United States is the solution offered by William M. De Lacey, formerly judge of the Juvenile Court, Thursday night in the Lincoln Council, A. R. I. R.

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LANDS BIG ROCK FISH



MRS. D. L. NUNNALLY, Of Occoquan, Va., who produces photographic proof of having caught this 5 1/4-pound rockfish.

CATHOLIC CHURCH INDORSES PROGRAM OF BOY SCOUTS

District Bureau Directs Work of Organizing Troops Throughout Country.

By FRANCIS A. McCANN

The National Catholic Welfare Council, by its post-war reconstruction program has won the confidence of the Catholic and non-Catholic people of America.

Of all the various reconstruction plans and efforts now being carried on throughout the country, there are none deemed more important than those which deal with the upbuilding of the character and citizenry of the generation of tomorrow.

Because of opportunities and facilities particularly its own, the Catholic Welfare Council is in an especially advantageous position for the fostering and developing of the scout idea among the Catholic boys of America.

The bishops and archbishops of America have indorsed scouting as the best boy program for character building and citizenship training; that some bishops have been so impressed by the religious as well as the social value of the plan that they have ordered the formation of troops in every parish in their diocese.

The Boy Scout Bureau, National Catholic Welfare Council, 1312 Massachusetts Avenue, Northwest, is furthering this work in the United States.

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WESTERN STATES CO-OPERATE TO AID AUTO TRAVELERS

Aim to Solve Highway Problems in Trip to National Parks.

The West is looking to the greater comfort of the auto traveler and his family as they journey from the East and the South to the national parks.

The 150 delegates from eleven Western states declared a willingness toward supporting the association's desire to co-operate with interstate and transcontinental highways, based on mutual benefit and advantage to road associations generally.

Issues Road Guide. This means that travelers using any one of a dozen transcontinental highways, traveling overland, will be informed beforehand as to just where the cross-country highways touch or intersect the master circle highway linking the national parks of the west.

Seeing that this and other information reaches the traveler, through the co-operation of transcontinental highway associations, before he starts is one of the phases of a program launched by Gus Holm's managing secretary.

Stephen T. Mather, director of the National Park Service, who attended the convention in addressing the delegates, said: "One of the objects of this great circle highway, I am glad to say, is to reduce to a minimum the difficulties encountered by motorists in going from one to another of these parks, and also in reaching the National Park-to-Park Highway."

Headed by Scott Leavitt. "The National Park Service stands ready to help this association, which is working primarily for the good of the national parks and for the development of the circle highway's commercial possibilities at the same time."

Scott Leavitt, president of the National Park-to-Park Highway Association, Salt Lake City, Utah, is the secretary.

Four of the leading educators of the church are preparing a handbook for Catholic boys in scouting. It will be of three parts.

The first will deal with the fundamentals of religion, of Catholicism; the second with American history, showing the definite relation of Catholic principles to the development of the country, past and present; the third part will deal with civic and social justice to the nation's problems, present and to come.

The handbook will be used for certain purposes. Scout troops of Catholic boys throughout the country will enter the contests each year and scholarships in the leading Catholic universities and colleges will be awarded.

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ABOUT THIS TIME O' YEAR



K. OF C. ALL READY FOR ANNUAL OUTING

Chesapeake Beach Excursion Expected to Be Well Attended.

Washington Chapter, Knights of Columbus, under the chairmanship of Dr. Charles J. Griffith, are making rapid strides in perfecting arrangements for the sixth annual excursion to Chesapeake Beach next Tuesday.

Five thousand members are expected to make the trip. The Catholic Daughters of America, as well as the Knights of Columbus in Baltimore and Alexandria have been invited to attend.

James B. Sweeney, chairman of the athletic committee, announces that prizes valued at \$200 have been offered for the twenty-five races that will be run.

The proceeds of the excursion will go for the orphans' Christmas tree party, held each year under the auspices of the Knights of Columbus.

This excursion has come to be a great Catholic family reunion day. Trains will leave the District line at 9, 9:30, 10:30, 11 a. m. and 1:30, 2:30, 3:30 and 4:30 p. m.

Pershing to Honor Dead. HOBOKEN, N. J., July 8.—Gen. John J. Pershing will attend the funeral services here Sunday for 2,264 soldiers dead, whose bodies arrived from France last week.

Pays \$75 Liqueur Fine. George Timer, of 107 Seventh street northeast, paid a \$75 fine Thursday in Police Court for illegal sale and possession of intoxicating liquors.

Arrested on Old Charge. Although five years have elapsed since he was tried and convicted, John Carbone, 31 years old, Philadelphia, was brought back to Washington Thursday by Detective Sergents, Darnell and Pratt to face a sentence for fire-flaming persons in Washington in 1916 and for jumping bond.

Carbone was arrested in Baltimore and brought back on complaint of W. W. Stewart, 601 D street northwest.

On that Summer Outing don't forget to take along a Thermos Bottle of ICED TEA. It will give just the finishing touch to a perfect day, especially if it's WILKINS—The Tea for Iced Tea.

Advertisement for WILKINS TEA, featuring a thermos bottle and the text 'JOHN H. WILKINS CO. THE TEA for ICED TEA. TEA MERCHANTS COFFEE ROASTERS WHOLESALE'. It also includes a list of products and prices.

Colorado Parks Luring Thousands Of Excursionists

Travel from Iowa to Yellowstone National Park in More Than Fifty Machines.

Accompanying 190 Boy Scouts en route by automobile from Clinton, Iowa, to Yellowstone National Park is a Nash two-ton truck thoroughly equipped for "first aid" service.

More than fifty automobiles are in the cavalcade, which since June 20 has been winding its way across the country with its cargo of joyous passengers.

That served only to give added zest to the occasion, and for weeks prior to the closing of reservations many old jobs in and about Clinton were performed by willing hands.

Business accounts in the Clinton banks began to grow. The day the boys departed on their long trip, business practically suspended and the whole city of Clinton was on hand to cheer and wave goodbye.

The tourists were scheduled to reach Yellowstone Park July 7, and until July 15 they will remain there as guests of the United States government.

On their way to the park they will pass through the Black Hills of South Dakota, where Indian stances and other forms of entertainment have been arranged. The return is to be made over the Southern route through Wyoming, Northern Colorado and Nebraska, and the trip, according to schedule, will end July 26.

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SWIMMING POOL AT CENTRAL HIGH OPEN TO PUBLIC

Tennis Courts and Other Facilities Are Also Available.

The recreational facilities at Central High School, including the swimming pool, tennis courts, baseball diamonds and dancing classes will be placed at the disposal of the public during the summer, according to an announcement made by the Community Center department yesterday.

Instructions in swimming will be given all persons using the swimming pool, by C. A. Metzler, of the Central staff, and three assistants. Classes for children and adults will be conducted during the afternoons and evenings of each day except Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Cecil R. Norton, general secretary of the Community Center Department, announced that one-piece bathing suits were preferred and that no mixed classes among adults would be permitted.

The pool is in the best of condition, she said, and conforms with all of the requirements of the Health Department.

The tennis courts will be open from 6 o'clock in the morning until dark each day in the week except Sunday, and the baseball diamond and outside track will be governed by similar regulations.

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Advertisement for Women Bathers, Ladies' Bathing Suits, and Children's Bathing Suits. It lists various styles and prices, such as 'Ladies' Bathing Suits, All Wool Attractive Styles' and 'Children's Bathing Suits'.

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