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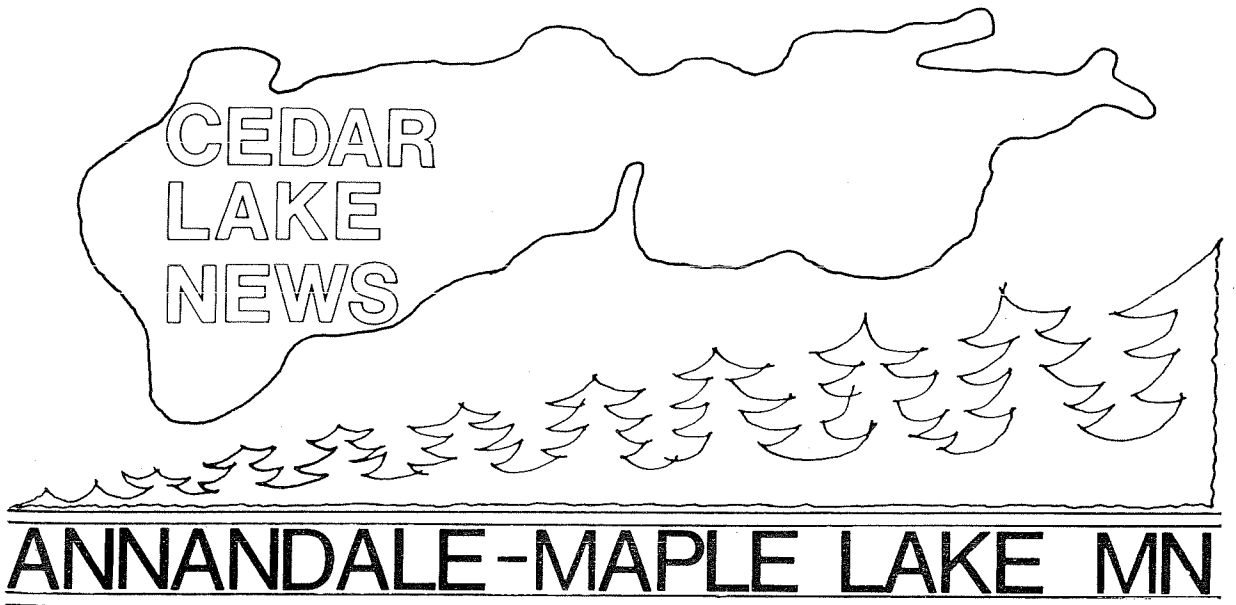
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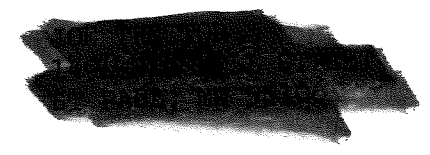
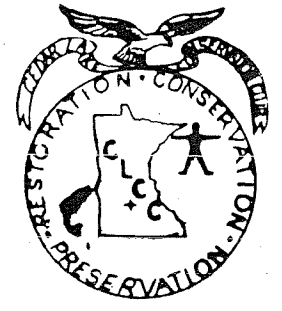
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"ANYONE WHO OUT OF GOODNESS OF HIS HEART SPEAKS A HELPFUL WORD, GIVES A CHEERING SMILE, OR SMOOTHS OVER A ROUGH PLACE IN ANOTHER'S PATH KNOWS THAT THE DELIGHT HE FEELS IS SO INTIMATE A PART OF HIMSELF THAT HE LIVES BY IT." - HELEN KELLER -

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DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME CHANGE IS APRIL 30TH

ACCORDING TO OUR AREA FISH BIOLOGIST, 1977 WAS A POOR YEAR FOR WALLEYE PONDS. THIS HELD TRUE FOR THE ENTIRE STATE, ESPECIALLY WRIGHT COUNTY. CEDAR LAKE RECEIVED 54 LBS OF FRY, WITH AN AVERAGE OF 32 FRY PER POUND.

IF WALLEYE FISHING ISN'T YOUR BAG, YOU MIGHT TRY FISHING FOR CATFISH ON PLEASANT LAKE. AT ONE OF THE FEDERATION MID-WINTER MEETINGS, THE DNR ANNOUNCED THAT THEY WOULD BE STOCKING CHANNEL CATFISH IN PLEASANT LAKE. THE CATFISH WILL PROVIDE AN ADDITIONAL GAME FISH AND WILL HELP CONTROL THE POPULATION OF SMALL FISH. THE CATFISH WILL BE UNABLE TO REPRODUCE IN THE LAKE.

FOR THOSE OF YOU WHO DO NOT LIVE IN THE AREA, AND PERHAPS DO NOT TAKE THE MAPLE LAKE MESSENGER, I THINK ITS WORTH REPORTING THAT IN THE WEDNESDAY, JAN 4TH EDITION OF THE MESSENGER, THERE WAS A PICTURE OF SCOTT FOBBE, HOLDING A 19 POUND NORTHERN. THE FISH WAS SPEARED BY SCOTT'S GRANDFATHER, RAY FOBBE, ON JAN 1ST, ON CEDAR LAKE.

WITH THE HELP OF THE DNR, THE ENGINEERS BATTALION OF THE U.S. ARMY RESERVES, AND LOCAL FARMERS AND NEIGHBORS, THE ANNANDALE CONSERVATION CLUB SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED THE GRANITE LAKE SPAWNING PROJECT. THE NORTHERN PIKE SPAWNING AREA WAS RELOCATED 200 YARDS WEST OF THE NATURAL POND. THE PONDS AREA IS 150 X 120 FEET.

IF THERE ARE ANY READERS OF THIS NEWS LETTER, THAT HUNTED WATERFOWL IN THIS AREA LAST FALL, I'M SURE YOU WILL AGREE, IT WAS ANYTHING BUT GREAT. PART OF THE REASON FOR THIS POOR HUNTING, WAS DUE TO A STORM SYSTEM THAT ROLLED DOWN FROM CANADA AND PUSHED THE BIRDS AHEAD OF IT. CONSEQUENTLY THEY FLEW STRAIGHT OVER WRIGHT COUNTY AND NEVER DROPPED IN. IT WAS REPORTED THAT THIS FLIGHT OF DUCKS AND GEESE WAS BETWEEN 50 AND 100 THOUSAND BIRDS. THIS SAME MASS OF BIRDS WAS PICKED UP AND TRACKED BY RADAR.

THE PHEASANTS MADE A REMARKABLE COME-BACK, PROBABLY 100% OVER THE 1976 HUNTING SEASON. THIS IS NOT TO SAY THAT PHEASANT HUNTING WAS EXCELLENT, JUST THAT IT WAS AN IMPROVEMENT OVER LAST YEAR. FROM ALL THE REPORTS I COULD GATHER, HUNTING SOUTH AND SOUTHWEST OF MAPLE LAKE WAS CONSIDERED BETTER THAN THE CEDAR LAKE AREA.

I'M TIRED OF ICE AND SNOW, AND AM LOOKING FORWARD TO SOME GOOD SUMMER FISHING.

SINCERELY YOURS,

AL JOHNSON

BOAT OWNERS LAGGING ON LICENSE RENEWALS.....

MANY BOAT OWNERS WHOSE LICENSES HAVE EXPIRED HAVE FAILED TO RENEW THEM, THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES REPORTED.

ROBERT WELLS, DNR LICENSE SUPERVISOR, SAID THESE OWNERS WILL NOT BE ABLE TO LEGALLY PLACE THEIR WATERCRAFT IN THE WATER THIS SPRING UNTIL THEY SEND THE RENEWAL APPLICATION AND THE REQUIRED FEE TO THE DEPARTMENT AND RECEIVE A VALID LICENSE IN RETURN.

HE SAID RENEWAL NOTICES HAVE BEEN SENT TO ALL OWNERS WHOSE LICENSES HAVE EXPIRED BUT THAT TO DATE ONLY ONE-THIRD OF THE NOTICES HAVE BEEN RETURNED BY OWNERS TOGETHER WITH THE REQUIRED FEE.

HE WARNED THAT IT TAKES SEVERAL DAYS FOR THE DNR LICENSE CENTER TO PROCESS RENEWAL APPLICATIONS AND THAT BOAT OWNERS SHOULD NOT WAIT "UNTIL THE LAST SECOND" TO APPLY FOR RENEWAL.

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BOAT LICENSES INCREASED 23,000 .....

ON DEC. 31, 1977, A TOTAL OF 526,323 WATERCRAFT WERE LICENSED WITH THE MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES.

THE FIGURE IS UP 23,000 FROM THE 1976 TOTAL, ACCORDING TO KIM ELVERUM, DNR BOAT AND WATER SAFETY COORDINATOR.

DEPARTMENT LICENSE RECORDS SHOW THAT 410,197 MOTORBOATS, 94,717 CANOES, 19,470 SAILBOATS AND 1,939 NON-MOTORIZED ROWBOATS WERE ON LICENSE WITH THE DNR DURING 1977.

THE GREATEST INCREASE IN REGISTRATIONS OVER THE PREVIOUS YEAR WAS IN OUTBOARD WATERCRAFT LESS THAN 26 FEET IN LENGTH -- UP 12,000 FROM 1976.

THERE WAS ALSO AN INCREASE OF 6,000 IN CANOE REGISTRATIONS AND 2,000 MORE SAILBOATS WERE LICENSED.

IT WORKS!

# Cutex Your Nylons, Boys

By LARRY MUELLER

There was no extra line peeled off of the reel when I sneaked up behind the tree to jig an ice fly for the big bluegill that just had to be lurking among the submerged roots. The response was immediate. In an instant, the line was stretched straight out and the rod was doubling. There wasn't even time to pray the leader wouldn't break. But it didn't matter because the fish—whatever it was—didn't even pause when the line reached its end. My improved clinch knot slipped, and the best fish of the day kept right on going.

Chances are, I had tied a poor knot. But nylon is bad for slipping. And tournament casters are very aware of this. They're already troubled with lure snap-offs during the cast because of



rapid acceleration; they don't need the additional possibility of knots slipping. They've solved the problem, however, and Dawie Strydom, the South African president of the International Casting Federation tells us how.

"All it takes to stop the bloody nylon from slipping," advises Dawie, "is a touch of Cutex (clear fingernail polish) on the knot just after it's tied. It dries almost instantly and a bloke can cast it on and on. The knot will never slip."

ATTENTION:

Are you planning to sell your cabin on Cedar Lake? Do you know someone who is? We would like to purchase a cabin on Cedar and would appreciate a call. We can be reached at 561-7282 (Home) 425-4131 (Work) or drop a line to:

Bob & Margaret Olson  
3013 64th Ave. No.  
Brooklyn Center, MN 55429

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# DNR program profiles

## Aquatic Nuisance Control

The Department of Natural Resources has a 15-year-old program aimed at controlling plants that become a nuisance. The Aquatic Nuisance Control (ANC) program, coordinated by the Ecological Services Section of DNR, attempts to control excessive growths of aquatic plants and algae, while protecting vegetation that might be beneficial to fish and wildlife.

The Department does not encourage removal of aquatic vegetation unless it interferes with recreational use of a public water or causes a health problem. If removal is necessary, cutting and pulling problem plants is recommended rather than using a chemical.

The lowly bulrush, for example, may be an eyesore to the new lakeshore owner who wants to establish a weed-free swimming beach. Unbeknownst to the landowner, however, bulrushes provide valuable spawning habitat for freshwater fish. The plants also draw nitrogen and phosphorus from the water, thus helping to cleanse the lake.

The ANC program requires a permit and fee for any proposed application of chemicals to public water or to cut or pull vegetation in an area larger than 2,500 square feet. Lakeshore owners may pull up to 2,500 square feet of vegetation without a permit. This area may extend 50 feet along the shoreline, or to half the front footage of the property, whichever is less. In addition, a boat channel up to 15 feet in width may be cut to open water.

The fee charged for a permit depends upon the amount of vegetation to be removed and the type of treatment. Fees vary in cost from \$1 to the statutory maximum of \$50. The fee covers the cost of investigating the proposed project and thus is not refundable, unless it is determined that the activity does not require a permit.



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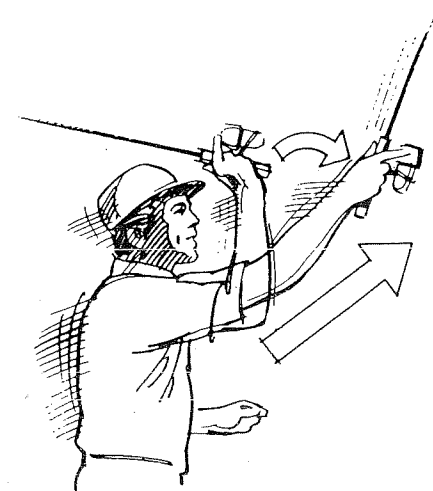
## Pitch To The Outfield

By LARRY MUELLER

When a few more feet of monofilament are needed to reach the fish, most spinning anglers strike out because their casts lack thrust in the final moments. In an almost chopping motion, the arm exerts the majority of its push in a level or sometimes downward direction.

Steve Aleshi, 68-year-old holder of a still-standing 299-foot national distance spinning record, his second since open heart surgery, does it differently.

"I rear back like a baseball pitcher," Aleshi says, "and I come forward with increasing acceleration like throwing a ball. But I put the most power in the last foot and a half of arm motion. My wrist snaps forward to turn the



rod over during that time while my arm is pushing upward."

Because of the timing and upward direction of power concentration in Aleshi's cast, his lure leaves the rod tip with greater velocity and the higher elevation needed to make a cast to the outfield.

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### THE WORD IS MIGHTIER.....

THE 12 MOST PERSUASIVE WORDS IN THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARE: SAVE, MONEY, YOU, NEW, HEALTH, RESULTS, EASY, SAFETY, LOVE, DISCOVERY, PROVEN, AND GUARANTEE. WHICH IS PERHAPS WHY WE HEAR THEM SO MUCH ON TELEVISION COMMERCIALS.

# IDEALS SPECIAL

## Arbor Celebration '78

Arbor Celebration '78, to be sponsored by the Minnesota Department of Agriculture during May, promises to be the biggest effort ever to recognize the many values of trees and to encourage their planting.

The tree disease problem, which has reached epidemic proportions in some areas of Minnesota, adds a sense of urgency to this year's Arbor event. However, the program's emphasis will be not only to replace trees lost to disease, but to increase their numbers. This positive emphasis will make it important for all communities, including those not hurt by the tree disease problem, to make an all-out effort to plant trees.

Why are trees beneficial? They are efficient dust traps, filtering dirt from the air while adding the oxygen we breathe. They reduce noise pollution, curb erosion, and offer food and cover for wildlife. They provide shade for our homes in summer and protection from cold winds in winter, thus helping us conserve energy. Their beauty brings both economic and esthetic benefits.

I urge you to become involved by contacting the Department of Agriculture State Arbor Month Office, Room 426, State Office Building, St. Paul, MN 55155 (612-296-2856). The Department has assigned field representatives to help coordinate Arbor programs in every Minnesota county. They are eager to involve citizens and their organizations to help "Plant Your Future."

Rudy Perpich  
Governor  
State of Minnesota

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"THE GREATEST THING A MAN CAN DO IN THIS WORLD IS TO MAKE THE MOST POSSIBLE OUT OF THE STUFF THAT HAS BEEN GIVEN HIM. THIS IS SUCCESS, AND THERE IS NO OTHER."

## OPENING DATES FOR 1978 HUNTING SEASONS.....

THE DNR ANNOUNCED THE OPENING DATES FOR MOST OF THE 1978 HUNTING AND TRAPPING SEASONS.

DAVE VESALL, DIRECTOR OF FISH AND WILDLIFE, SAID THAT MANY HUNTERS MUST MAKE VACATION PLANS EARLY AND LIKE TO KNOW WHEN THE SEASONS WILL OPEN.

BAG LIMITS AND CLOSING DATES WILL BE ANNOUNCED IN JULY AFTER THE POPULATION STATUS OF VARIOUS SPECIES HAS BEEN EVALUATED.

VESALL CAUTIONED THAT SOME OPENING DATES COULD BE CHANGED OR A SEASON CLOSED IF UNUSUAL CONDITIONS DEVELOP THAT REQUIRE SUCH ACTION.

FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF GAME SPECIES AND TENTATIVE OPENING DATES:

### SMALL GAME

WOODCOCK, RAIL AND SNIPE	FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1
RABBITS, SQUIRREL, GROUSE AND HUNGARIAN PARTRIDGE	SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16
DUCKS AND GEESE	SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1
PHEASANT	SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28
FOX AND RACCOON (HUNTING & TRAPPING)	SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21
LYNX AND BOBCAT (HUNTING & TRAPPING)	FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1
FISHER (TRAPPING ONLY)	FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1

### BIG GAME

BEAR	TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5
DEER (BOW AND ARROW)	SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30
DEER (FIREARMS)	SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4

VERSALL SAID THE FULL FRAMEWORK FOR THE 1978 DEER FIREARMS SEASON WILL BE ANNOUNCED LATER. HE SAID THE SEASON WILL PROBABLY BE QUITE SIMILAR TO THE 1977 SEASON.

NOW IS THE TIME .....

NOW IS THE TIME TO MAIL IN YOUR 1978 MEMBERSHIP DUES. BECAUSE OPERATING COSTS HAVE BEEN KEPT AT A MINIMUM THROUGHOUT THE PAST YEAR, THE AMOUNT OF THE DUES WILL REMAIN THE SAME FOR 1978, THREE DOLLARS (\$3.00).

LETS PROVE THAT SPRING IS HERE BY GETTING IN YOUR 1978 MEMBERSHIP DUES NOW. LETS TRY TO HAVE 100% PAID UP MEMBERSHIP BY MEMORIAL DAY!! MAKE YOUR CHECKS PAYABLE TO THE CEDAR LAKE CONSERVATION CLUB, AND MAIL THEM TO THE TREASURER, PETER COOK, 5837 WASHBURN AVE., NO., MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55430. TO THOSE OF YOU WHO HAVE ALREADY PAID AND MAILED IN YOUR 1978 DUES - THANK YOU. TO THOSE WHO OVERLOOKED OR FORGOT TO SEND IN DUES FOR 1977, CHECKS FOR \$6.00 ARE ACCEPTABLE AND WOULD BE VERY MUCH APPRECIATED.

THIS IS YOUR CLUB, YOUR LAKE AND YOUR INVESTMENT, LETS HELP KEEP OUR CLUB ACTIVE AND FINANCIALLY STABLE.

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NOTES TO THE TREASURER.....

WE ENJOYED THE "CEDAR LAKE NEWS" VERY MUCH, THANK YOU FOR SENDING IT.

MILDRED AND GLEN THOME

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ENJOYED VERY MUCH THE CECAR LAKE CLUB PAPER. TALKING LAKE A LOT THESE DAYS AND LOOKING FORWARD TO THE TIME WHEN WE WILL ALL BE OUT THERE AGAIN.

ANDY & LORETTA AYDT

NO PEEK CHICKEN

- 1 1/2 CUPS RICE
- 1 CAN CREAM OF MUSHROOM SOUP
- 1 CAN OF CREAM OF CELERY SOUP
- 1 CAN WATER

PLACE RICE IN BOTTOM OF PAN. (USE PAN AS FLAT AS POSSIBLE). WARM SOUPS AND WATER; THEN POUR OVER THE RICE. PLACE PIECES OF CHICKEN (ABOUT 3 1/2 #) IN SOUP. SPRINKLE 1 PKG OF ONION SOUP MIX OVER CHICKEN. COVER PAN WITH FOIL & SEAL. BAKE AT 350 FOR 2 HOURS AND 15 MINUTES.

DON'T PEEK !!

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Sometimes it's hard to tell the difference between ordinary spring fever and an energy crisis.



DO YOU HAVE A RECIPE YOU WOULD CARE TO SHARE WITH US?

IF SO PLEASE MAIL IT TO THE EDITOR.

ANY ARTICLE OR NEWS ITEM WOULD ALSO BE APPRECIATED.