# Central Game Refuge Tremendously Impressive Project®

## Much Progress Already Made, But What Future Holds Is Big Question

What about that tremendous, visionary, cussed and discussed, condemned-on-the-one-hand and lauded-on-the-other idea that flowered in the New Deal hothouse to be transplanted among us here and become a bye-word in the vocabulary of every man-jack who sights a gun or swings a rod—that central Wisconsin game refuge?

County Delegation Finds Out

servationists from Wood county found out the other day on their tour of that land down in Jackson. Juneau and Monroe counties which the Resettlement administration calls "sub-marginal" and the boys who buy hunt-

Some Like It. Some Don't And Resettlement will spend nearly \$2,600,000 and the thuslasm for the suchts they saw. It work such a chunk of the national treasury will accomplish cannot help but impress, and of

to carry out its interpretation of the idea. Some like it and course, it is no more than reasonsome don't. The Wood county men who made the tour went able that about \$700,000, even if down there to find out whether they liked the idea well only hires picks and shovels, should enough to set the stage for the possible sale of 22,000 acres make some kind of impression of submarginal land in our snapped up the drained wastes and Falls, hearquarters for the entire government to be added to the they left behind them in Europe. 000 acres, is one of the series of the series of the charge canal

worthwhile to put down:

know about the future.

A lot of thing have been accom- farms and weather-worn shacks plished, a let more will be accomplished, things that would warm any man't heart that quickens to a trout on a fly or a grouse whirring up out of the brush.

the administration and manage- the men who tried to live on it over logs. It is constructed as a part of ment of that refuge after it has to the devils of despair, fire, a barrier that will flood 200 acres has been built; no plan, that is, that drought and wind-swept sand. anybody in charge down there now knows anything about.

There's a lot about it, as the delegation of county officials and coning licenses call "game country."

And there's the idea in a nubbin. Submarginal land is game land. The scoffers say it "just is" and would let it go at that. The Resettle-

land already included in the Life concentrated its cruelest three dams on a drainage canal tricks on them. Their savings were cace a creek bed that threads its Out of the tour came, it apsacked up in the huge crainage way through low-lying marsh couppears well established. these taxes like the sand and muck of the try in a northerly direction. Its wafacts and notions which seem lands they bought in good faith ter sides from the watersheld whose sucked up the rain. Heaven alone dividing line is the range of hills know how they made a living, how that cuts through the area in an The Wood county men were im- the last of them held out until the almost due east-west direction. It is pressed, no doubt about that. Im- government bought them out two a typical dam, the refuge engineers . . they want to years ago, or why there are some who suided the tour said, on a typ-

even now who cling to their barren ical canal.

Utilize Water 3 Times

A couple of miles apart, the wa-

Monuments to Man's Stupidity Those drainage ditches are monu- ter of the ditch will be utilized ments to the stupidity of man, three times to create open water What they cost in money is a mat- liowages and marshy, semi-coverter of record somewhere, probably, ed stretches designed to be ideal There's a definite plan, and if if anybody wants the unpleasant breeding and nesting places for a we believe men who have achieved task of peering into Wisconsin's quatic fowl. The dam, constructed success in the field, a sound plan skeleton closer and adding up the of red oak logs cut in the woods back of building up the refuge in- figures. What they cost the land, nearby and planks bolted and morto a game producing area. That no man knows. If acres of land tised together, is built to raise a plan is there for all to see and have a birthright, then the drainage maximum head of water of six dirches robbed them of that birth- feet. It has two spillway sections There's absolutely no plan for right, water, and turned land and six feet wide, controlled by stop

> south of it to a depth of several It is a pitiful region, an unbeliev- feet, and 800 more acres will be

\$800,000 to move the scattered fam- narrowoods swallowed up the trails countries of grain has been planted in the horizon and see no homes, beaver, muskrat and otter will be in the dam constructions and part.

160,000 acre expanse. One who no sign of life. You wondered where added, and in such open waters as those homes just naturally on earth they lived, and where their are suitable. fish will be planted.

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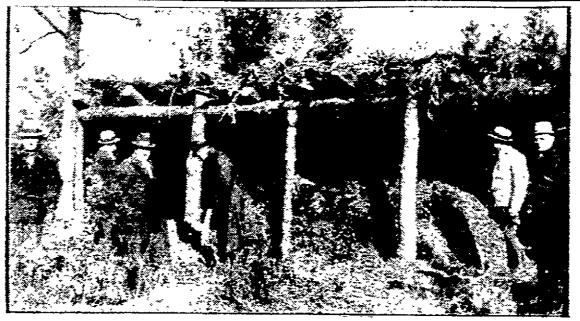
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The femons.

Shelters-Deer Will Feast Here



Above is shown a deer shelter and feeding station in the game refuge in Jackson county. Twentytwo of these structures have been built, and in them will be maintained a grain supply for deer throughout the winter. Nearly 3,000 shelters for upland game birds have been built, carrying out the theory of Game Manager W. H. Schunke that plenty of food is the prime factor in game production, and where nature doesn't supply it, man must.

### Dikes—Key Game Refuge Structures



The dragline bucket has just dropped its load in place on a two mile dike, Job No. 17 in North Millston township, Jackson county, in Site 2 of the central Wisconsin game refuge. The job will require the moving of 45,000 cubic yards of dirt, making a dike averaging six feet high. It will have a four-foot top, and is built over galvanized wire netting to prevent muskrats from tunneling through. It will create one of the largest flowages in the refuge. About 90 flowages are planned.

able region. The tour passed school- reduced to a wet, marshy expanse, bigger refuge. The regular forestry would perhaps dull the edge of his is raised. His angle plainly is that, the "pet" of the Resettlement force sale of the Remington area for

At the present, the simple fact houses at dismissal time, and if The earth dike that goes with it practice calling for about 1,000 oratory; and it just isn't in the given a hardy seed stock, a spectation of loneliness, is 1,100 feet long, thinning out to seedlings of jack, white and Nor-blood to get a close-up of the game ies will reproduce itself abundantly stated and continuation watch five—just five—youngsters nothing where it meets high ground area for the kemington area for being a 25-acre flowage on Town inclusion is something else again. It is conceivable the sale will be seedlings of jack, white and Nor-blood to get a close-up of the game ies will reproduce itself abundantly in the continuation watch five—just five—youngsters nothing where it meets high ground area for the kemington area for being a 25-acre flowage on Town inclusion is something else again. It is conceivable the sale will be succeeded. Here a dam raising a like the five point and the five point area for the continuation watch five—just five—youngsters nothing where it meets high ground permaps can the edge of the five points and continuation of the game is raised. The continuation area for the continuation of the game is raised. The continuation area for the continuation of the game area for the edge of the kemington area for the continuation and the continuation of the game is raised. The continuation area for the continuat a management and continuation water rive—just rive—just

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one description of the said file and said with an ere to of the 22 deer shelters that lict the and dike construction is proceeding tour would be ac-

of huntsmen leave off, or vice a chance to been life elsewhere, up and the work there got away to advantage of it. He tells about one hard common sense and confidence.

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Emphasizes Breeding Stock inch layer of sour top soil many district rules, and it is ready for of came program and frestry edge been through the project and Maragement means to him simply time fluttering and pecking around plished and what will happen in the line from Finley. Frank Abel slam-. as a massive thy skined offers made environment and for and sensible one of these shelters. Feeling star future. The men in charge of the med on his brakes as a big fork-

this game development work. Com- a chance to finish it.

Stream Improvement

scene of most of the stream im- out . provement accomplished thus far. "We may just pack up and

home for trout now.

Gouge Holes for Trout

What are loosely called "struct-! ures" and include everything from difficulties of working the plan our, various types of "deflectors" to swift water has gouged out a deep weight of its worthiness. hole that should be welcome to any

quencies that call for about 125 a report on which the board may to the mile. Fingerlings, says Mr. act. Schunke, will have a chance in such

Plan Bass Propagation

plan will have been worked out or the men throwing up the dikes, those forsaken schools tweked into suits of earth went into it. G. B. lowed. Farrow planting, scalping the dams, erecting game the brush down in the sand. Two shelters and feeding stations, improving streams, will draw their last pay check. The money is set until then.

It seems fair to say that the government was right in spending over time the sand you could look down the state out of home from one of those forsaken schools tweked into it. G. B. lowed. Farrow planting, scalping state, and stand back and scoff the government assurance that the men have marked for their of the feeding stations, intention and performent as set of sold in the state. The mouth of the government assurance that the men have marked fo refuge, according to the manage- lieves such a sale contract can be

There appears no doubt, further, that reforestation, fire protection that reforestation and water sal restoration and water sal vage must be emphasized down there by somebody or nature will pack up and leave the land to wind and sand.

It seems the refuge, if nothing less, will have proved a case in farms of the people in the game date of

the came manager, as bigh as 140 action of the men who are doing up into the late afternoon sun. sharptalls have been seen at one the work to what has been accom- And, across the Wood county pears ago: when swamps were laid another experiment.

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000 acres have been planned for if the voters are going to give him inventories of all species. The men who are in charge of

have been taken and the ground the project want to believe, they work laid for what Mr. Schunke said, that something will come out believes would make one of the fin- of the future that will complete est preserves any where in the and maintain the work they have , begun. They say it sincerely, but with foreboding. To a man they disclaim any information about any-Site 2, rising to the south into thing beyound June 30 next year nore rugged country, has been the when the money is scheduled to run

Here were once famous trout leave for all we know, said G. B. streams purling down out of the Hanson, the engineer in charge. hills until the timber and brush But he and the others all said, in disappeared and drought reigned substance, "we just can't believe Some 50 miles of such streams that this thing is going to just have been gone over and an im- come to an end." One offered the mense amount of work done in an opinion that the U.S. department effort to bring back the finny tribe, of agriculture will eventually take The tour inspected work done on Tank creek, a branch of Robinson as the refuge. Another said he creek, near the shoddy village of thought it would be the department Millston, once a booming lumber of the interior. It may have been a center close to the Monroe county line. The Tank is a pretty little stream coming days our of high be carried through to completion stream, coming down out of high and that a suitable administration banks to twist away through sand of it that will somehow out through home for trust now.

Don't Deny Difficulties

They do not deny the manifold hideaways beneath the banks and what with local, state and federal rock-gravel patches to narrow the government, each with its own stream bed and agrate the water, ideas, to be appeased and cajoled, stream bed and aerate the water, ideas, to be appeased and cajoled, form the major part of stream and the great body of hunters and improvement work. Deflectors are conservationists raising a strong simply rock and log obstacles built voice on top of it all. The clash of at an angle from the banks out into the main channel of the water. They are placed cunningly to give the stream 2 back swirling under-the stream of its all by the shear current, and in no time at all the will come out of it all by the sheer

Wood county's land fits perfecttrout sweltering on a hot summer ly into the refuge picture with its town of Remington highly desired The tour, of course, had to be by the Resettlement administration. Mr. Schunke promptly No plan for the county-owned land got a pole, waded out on a deflect- has been worked out, nor is there or and showed the structure had any assurance, now, that the federdug an eight-foot pool. On either al government would buy the acreside of it the water was slipping age even if the county were willalong the sand at a depth of two ing to sell. Land purchase for the feet at most. The deflectors are refuge has ceased. What money rebuilt for permanercy and will be mains for the project is earmarkthere as long as any of us will be ed for labor. Mr. Knudsen, however, interested, says the manager. Where believes that the money will be the banks are suitable, usually at forthcoming if the county board a bend, log structures are laid over decides it wants to sell, and the the water just above the surface project manager has urged immeto create those murky hideaways diate action by the board in that trout love. Such structures have direction. It is the duty of the men been placed in the streams at fre- who visited the project to prepare

Expect Commendatory Report At the moment, it is safe to prediet that report will take the form Many of the flowages will of commendation of the refuge proadapted to bass propagation gress. Whether it will recommen

"Pretty Fair" Start was in a crove at the foot of a these patches to reduce the fire charge has been provided for the Juneau country where Site 1 is go the near future. He seems no reason to a dike and a dam, control the was many of the party shoot silent. The particular planting inspector derbrush has been cleaned out in spelled out in deer and chicken ianits trip through Jackson and into thement neadquatters available in the near future. He seems no reason the heavy hills of the watershed. As such trees as chosen cut out here thing for game? The expert says eral plan, varied as the country value. The country the many of the party shoot silent, and there there are the provided for the Juneau country where Site 1 is go the near future. He seems no reason why the idea cannot be worked as dike and a dam, control the was many of the party shoot silent. There's no doubt, even to the eye least trained in game or agricult- the yellow posters on them, indi-ter, create an environment and the yellow posters on the government, are presto—a refuge for the life that the section of the government, are presto—a refuge for the life that the section of the government, are presto—a refuge for the life that the section of the government, are presto—a refuge for the life that the section of the government, are presto—a refuge for the life that the section of the government and the section of the government and the section of the government are presto—a refuge for the life that the section of the government and an example drainage dams that have been con- figures like \$200,000 being used in structed by WERA and WPA labor. reference to a development plan in

It seems the refuge, if nothing has spent \$800,000 to buy up the else, will have proved a case in farms of the people in the game less, will have proved a case in refuge area, then it must be said in Site 2, smaller and more fully at the pure cause of conservation is if the people, victims of a social the culter township of North Milston and transport to begin and the individual rights scheme that diint work, are given and the people, victims of a social the culter township of North Milston and the people, victims of a social the culter township of North Milston and the people with the people, victims of a social the culter township of North Milston and the people with the culter township of North Milston and the people with the culter township of North Milston and the people with the culter township of North Milston and the people with the culter township of North Milston and the people with the culter township of North Milston and the people with the field acknowledged by came just like a dairy heritage area. The Weod a long was inspected with the field acknowledged and soy bean have stacked up in long, was inspected with the flow long, was inspected with the flow of country men agreed with the flow of soy bean have stacked up in long, was inspected with the flow of cultival says Mr. Shundke, talk time covering a lake about 200 acres of accomplishment in galaxies with a record of accomplishment in galaxies with a record of accomplishment in galaxies and the field acknowledged by came and trucks and trucks and pool like a claim to be sold the country men agreed with the field acknowledged by came and soy bean have such the field acknowledged by came and soy bean have such the field acknowledged by came and soy bean have are figures again repeated. This work is a feat that the field acknowledged by came and soy bean have and soy bean have in done, was inspected with the flow of cultival and soy bean have in add soy bean have in and soy bean have in resa, and where the two may be then Resettement that far has an early start in December, 1935 of the profess rost insistent first that he knows what he's taking. For unland game bin's, some 2.— So that, in brief sketch, is what not until see attended on your series of the profess rost insistent first that he knows what he's taking. For unland game bin's, some 2.— So that, in brief sketch, is what not until see attended on your series of the game density of the profess rost insistent first that he knows what he's taking. For unland game bin's, some 2.— So that, in brief sketch, is what not until see attended on your series of the game density of the profess of the game census taken the central Wisconsin game refuge, edge of Site 1 while the tour head-

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