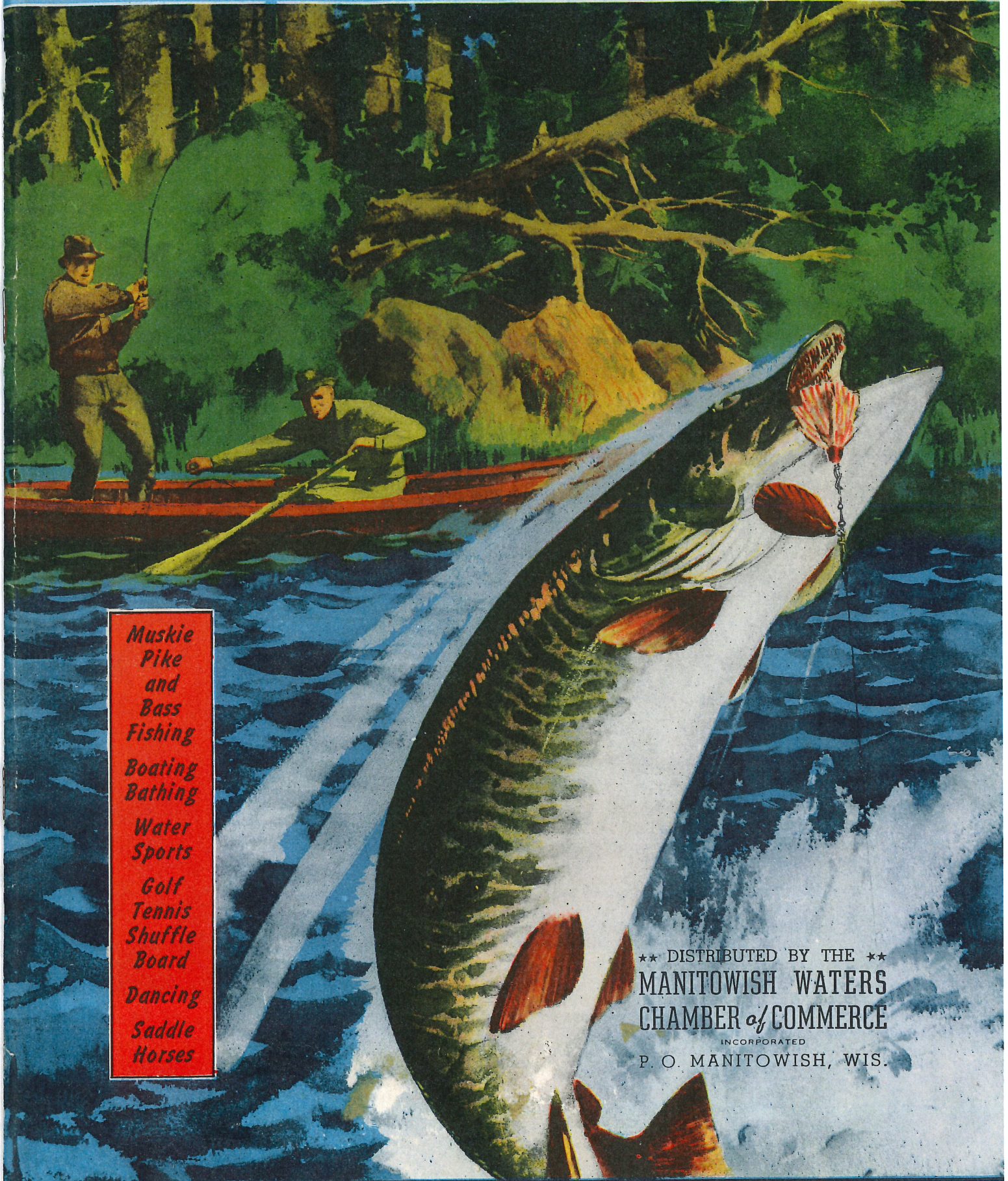


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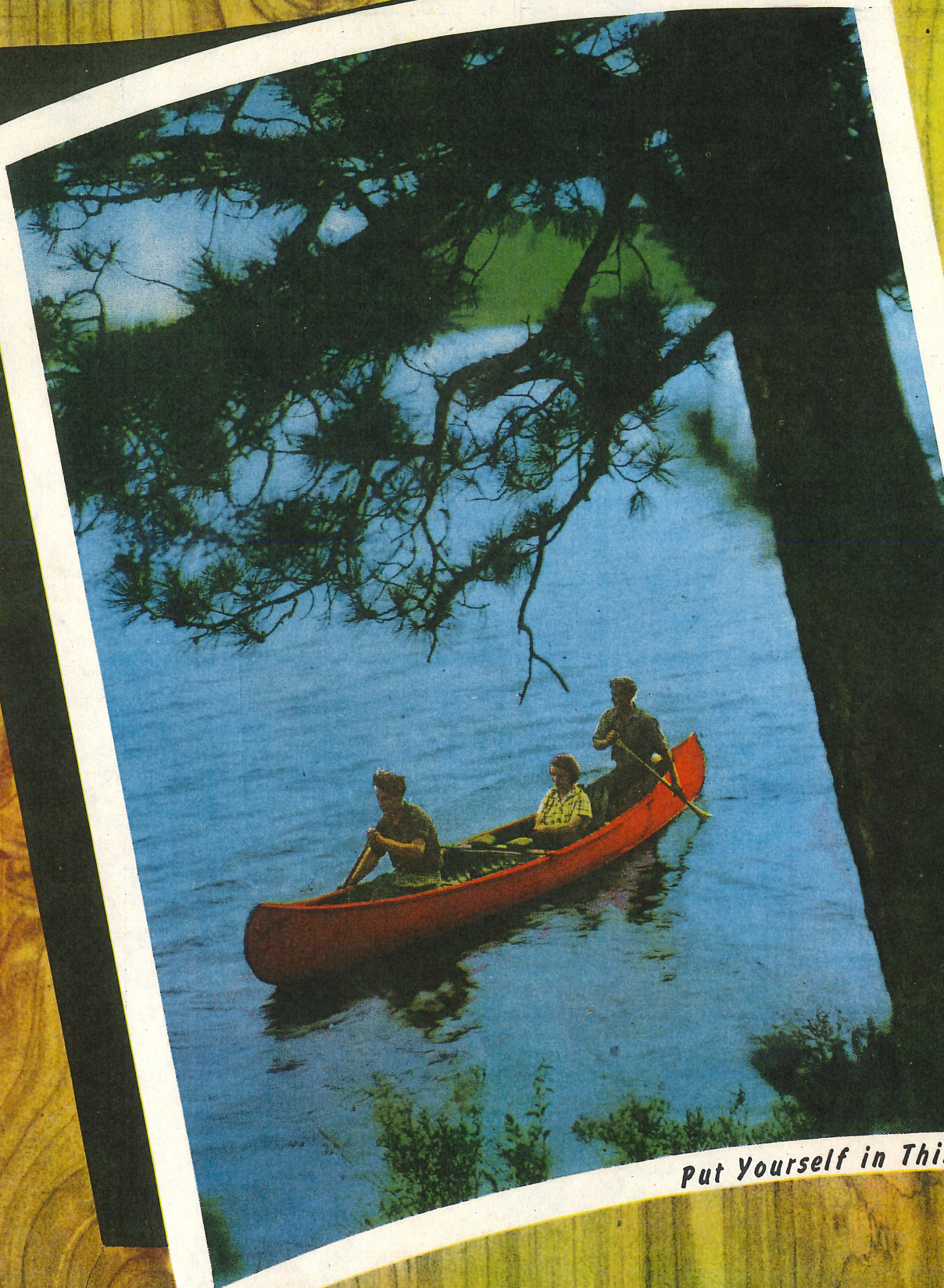
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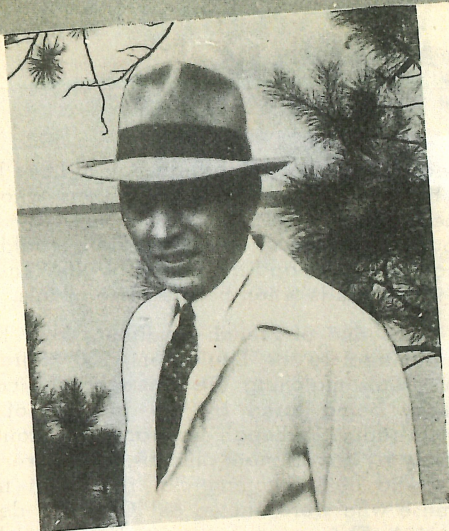
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On behalf of the organization I represent, our fine resorts and cooperative business men, let me extend a sincere invitation to visit the Manitowish Waters region.

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The Chamber of Commerce will be pleased to be of any assistance possible. Copies of this book will be sent free to anyone upon request. Information of the region as a whole will be gladly given but any details regarding a certain resort, rates, etc., will have to be obtained from that source.

In the pages toward the end of this book, you will find prepared inquiry forms for your convenience. Please use these forms when writing to resorts. Send a letter along if you wish special information not covered by this form. We suggest making reservations as soon possible.

So . . to enjoy your hard earned recreational period to the fullest extent possible, come to the peaceful land of woods and waters in the great Wisconsin north woods. We'll be looking forward to your visit to our region this summer.

Sincerely,

Roy J. Jorgensen
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HISTORY..

FOR A LITTLE MORE THAN A CENTURY — FROM about 1650 to 1760 — France, by virtue of exploration of her subjects in the New World, claimed all the vaguely bounded land west of Lake Michigan and called it "Ouisconsin," the French version of an Indian word meaning "Gathering of the Waters." Previously (about 1512) Spanish explorers in the southeastern part of the United States made claim to all unknown land that stretched to the north and west of where they stood and named it "Florida" though no Spaniard ever penetrated the vast northwest.

France's dominion in the New World was ended by British military occupation in 1763. Not many years later, the fervent freedom-loving Americans pushed the English to the north of Great Lakes and thirteen colonies became the nucleus of the United States with the far flung unchartered territory of the west, the material from which new states were to be carved from time to time.

Massachusetts, Connecticut and Virginia, with undefined Western boundaries, once claimed territory in Wisconsin, but ceded these claims when a congressional ordinance of 1787 provided for the governmental machinery of the Northwest Territory comprising the land northwest of the Ohio River. After being variously included in the territories of Indiana, Illinois and Michigan, Wisconsin territory was authorized in 1836 with boundaries including what is now Iowa, Minnesota and parts of the Dakotas.

Twelve years later, Wisconsin was admitted to the Union as a State and consisted of 29 counties. From time to time, new counties were created as the population shifted northward until 1901 when the total of 71 counties made up the present State of Wisconsin.

In unrecorded ages, primeval forests, endless and almost impenetrable, threaded with shiny rivers and lakes, covered the entire State of Wisconsin, with the Creator's blessings in that respect bestowed on the northern portion of Wisconsin most generously. Vilas County, in which the Manitowish Waters are located, has a total of 346 lakes which occupy 140 square miles or more than 15 per cent of the area of a county almost as large as the State of Rhode Island.

Jean Nicolet was the first white man known to set foot on Wisconsin soil. He arrived in the summer of 1634 and history records experiences which they mention in their missionary report to their order in Europe, saying "When they (Nicolet and his companion) reached their destination, they fastened two sticks in the earth and hung gifts thereon so as to relieve the tribes from the notion of mistaking them for enemies."

Nicolet had come to find the "People of the Sea" perhaps Asiatics, said to be living far beyond the last out-

post of French discovery in Georgian Bay of Lake Huron. He found, however, the Winnebago Indians who were awed by the stranger in magnificent Chinese robes which he had brought in the event his adventures would bring him to the great Orient, and frightened by the "Thunder" he carried in his hands when he fired two pistols.

During the period of French Dominion, from 1660 to the fall of Montreal to the English in 1760, there were many brave souls matching the courage of Nicolet; a large majority being lured by the promise of great wealth in fur trading although fur trade was controlled as a monopoly by government officials. There were bold free-traders who defied commercial restriction trading without license who were known as "Coureurs de Bois" (wood rangers). There were undoubtedly many of these daring traders who bartered with the Indians of Wisconsin long before history records the arrival of the first European.

Two such Coureurs de Bois visited Green Bay in 1654 and explored the Lake Superior region in 1656 and again in 1659, spending a winter on Chequamegon Bay in a rude fortified hut of brush and logs — the first man's dwelling in Wisconsin. In 1660 Rene Menard, an aged missionary, withstood the rigors of the long journey from Montreal to Wisconsin only to lose his way in the woods and die not far from the present city of Merrill.

The fur trade lasted until shortly after the Civil War. In about the year of 1800, a post had been established at Lac du Flambeau. The trader was Francois Victor Malhiot. He traded for the Northwest Fur Co., and brought goods from Kaministiquia on the northwest shore of Lake Superior (now Fort William). In his journal, he described the portage from the mouth of the Montreal and the canoe journey to Lac du Flambeau and incidents of the winter's trade.

The let-up in the fur trade was the signal for the starting of the lumbering period, an era which lasted into the present century.

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In 1884, Peter Vance, guide, land cruiser and typical northwoodsman, left Menomine, Wisconsin, and headed for the Manitowish Waters. Vance started out with two helpers and their means of transportation consisted of three canoes. They paddled up the Chippewa River to the mouth of the Flambeau, up the Flambeau River into the Manitowish River and through Sturgeon and Benson Lakes into Rest Lake where their journey came to an end. They had left Menomine in April, 1884, and arrived at their destination in August of that year. Many stops had been made enroute but the actual traveling time was one month. Distance traveled was approximately 200 miles. Their canoes were loaded with a year's provisions, guns, ammunition, surveying instruments and various tools. Vance had been engaged by the Chippewa Logging and Boom Co., to survey the land for logging operations.

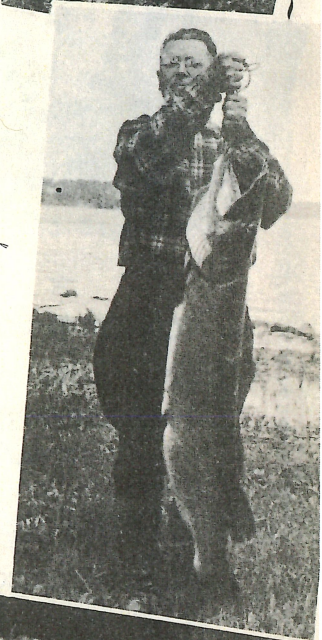
And so, in August of 1884, Peter Vance arrived in the famous Manitowish Waters region, the first white man to establish a residence in that locality. Little did Vance dream that this very portion of "Ouisconsin" (Gathering of the Waters) was destined to become one of the greatest vacation centers in the years to come.

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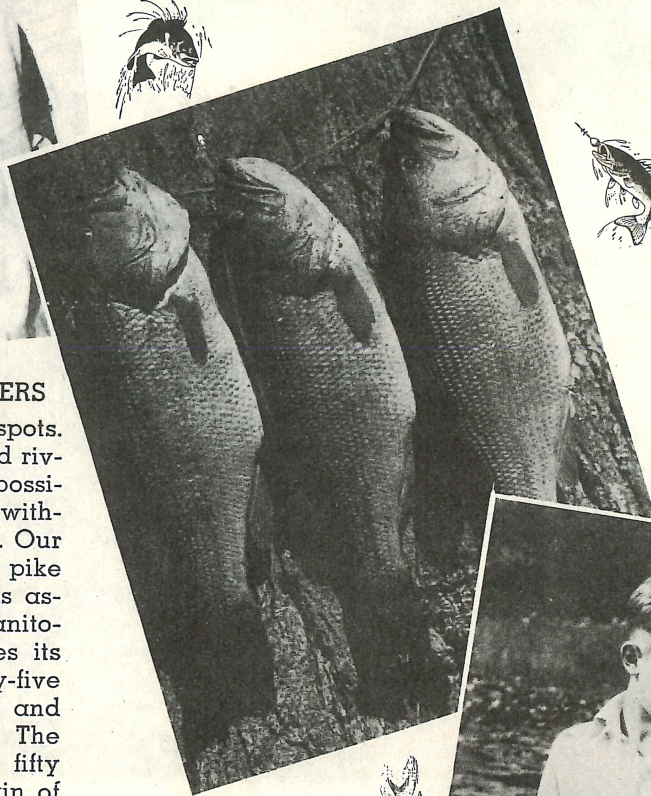


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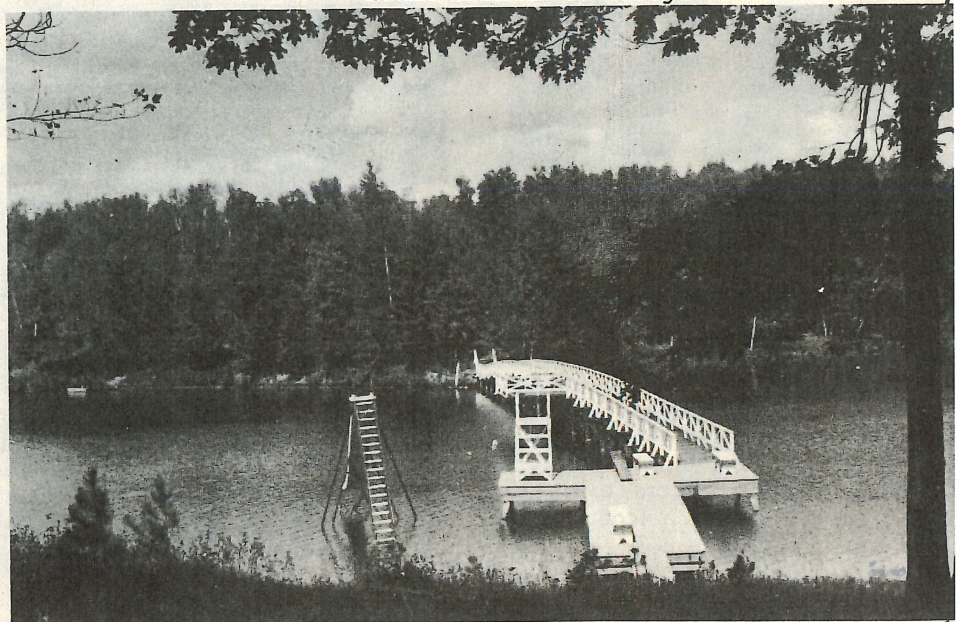
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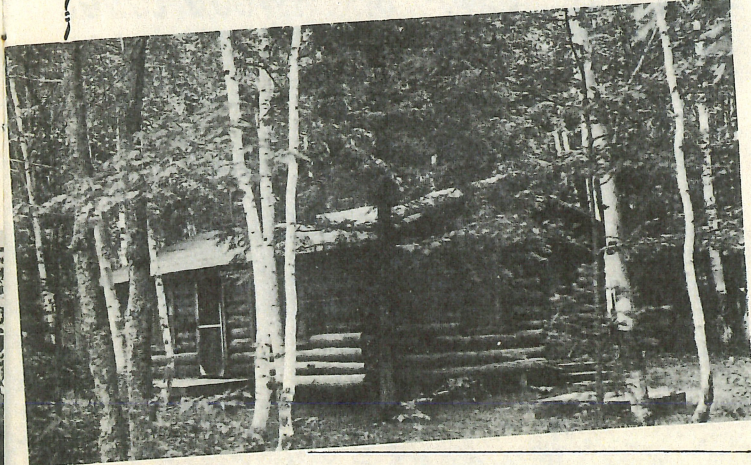
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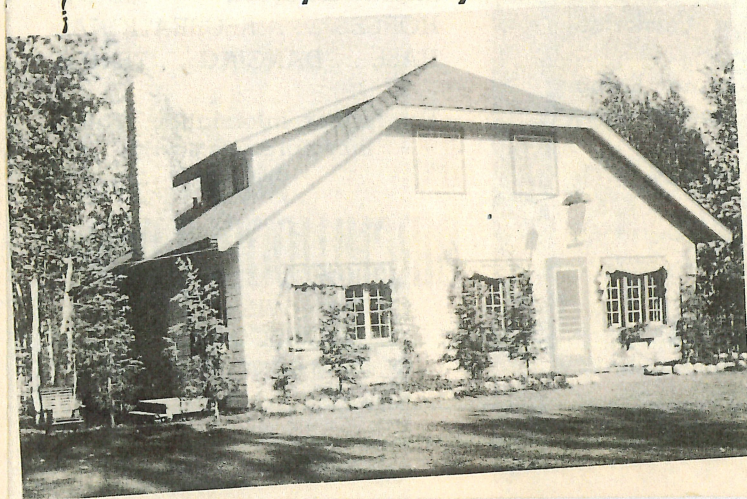
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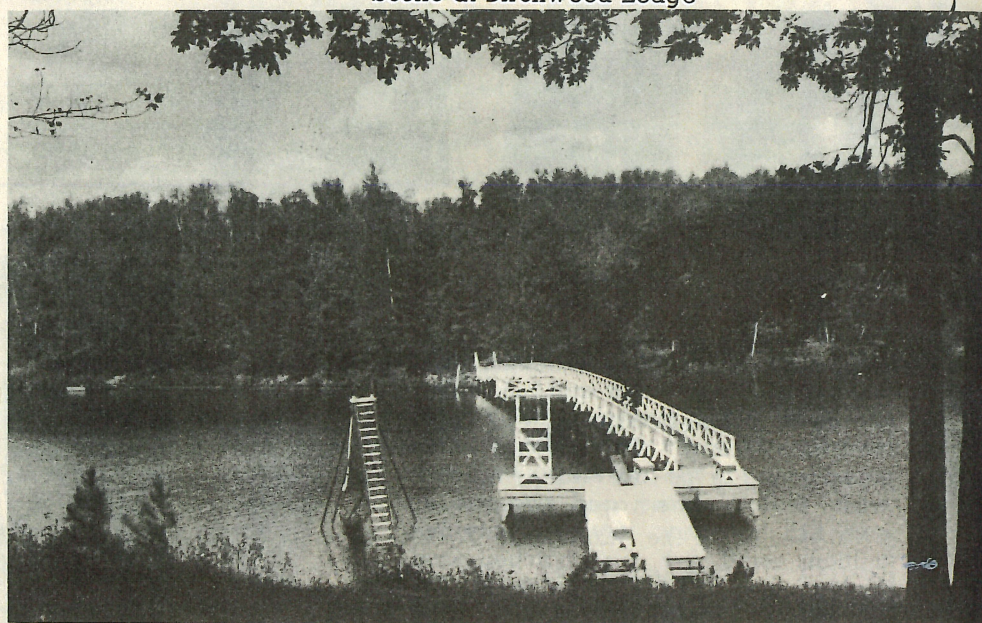
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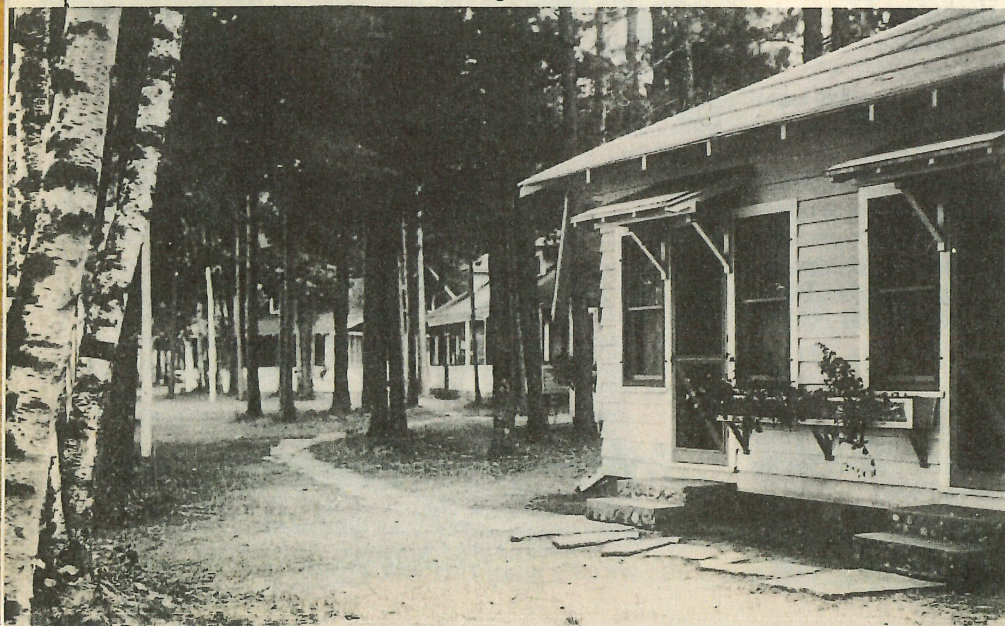
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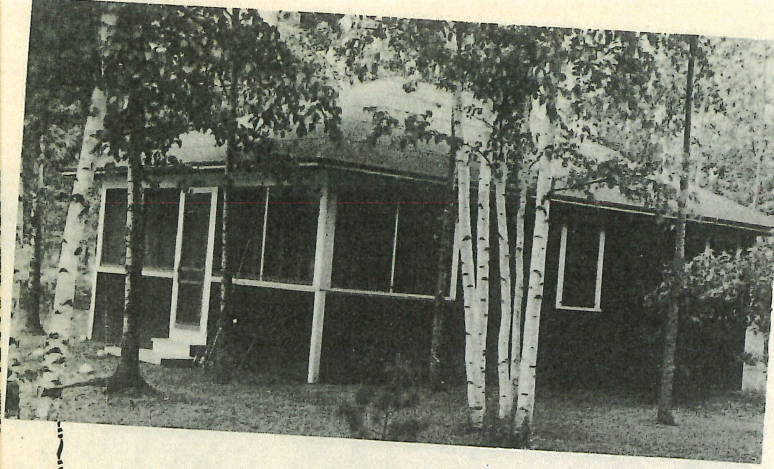
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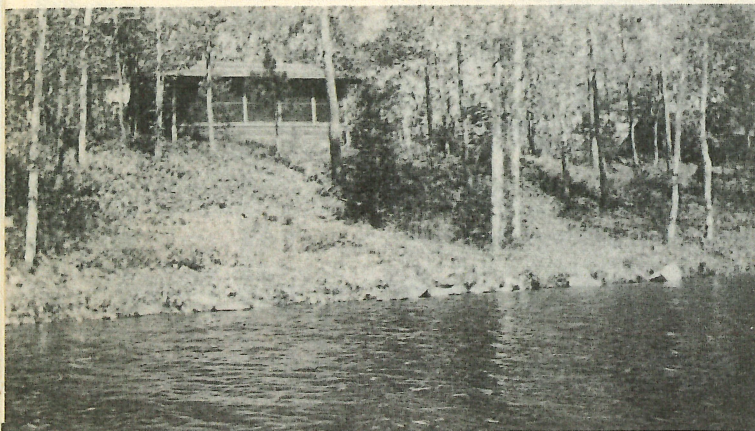
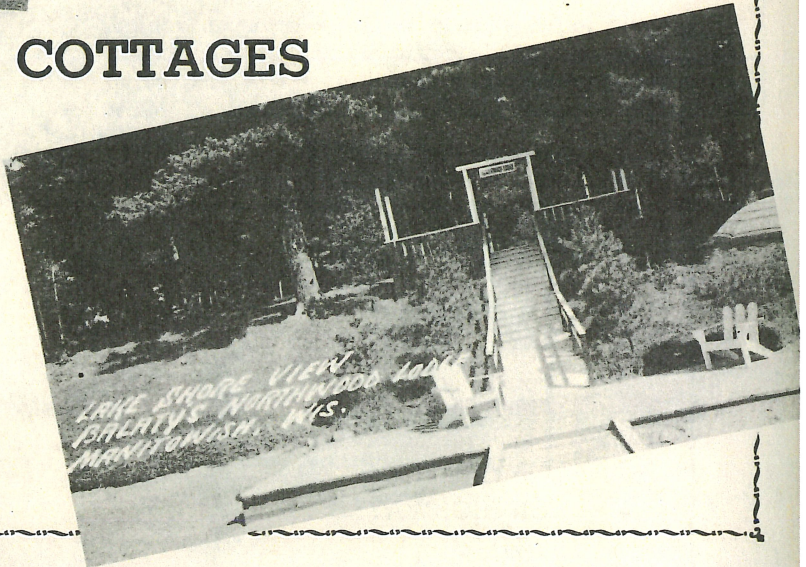
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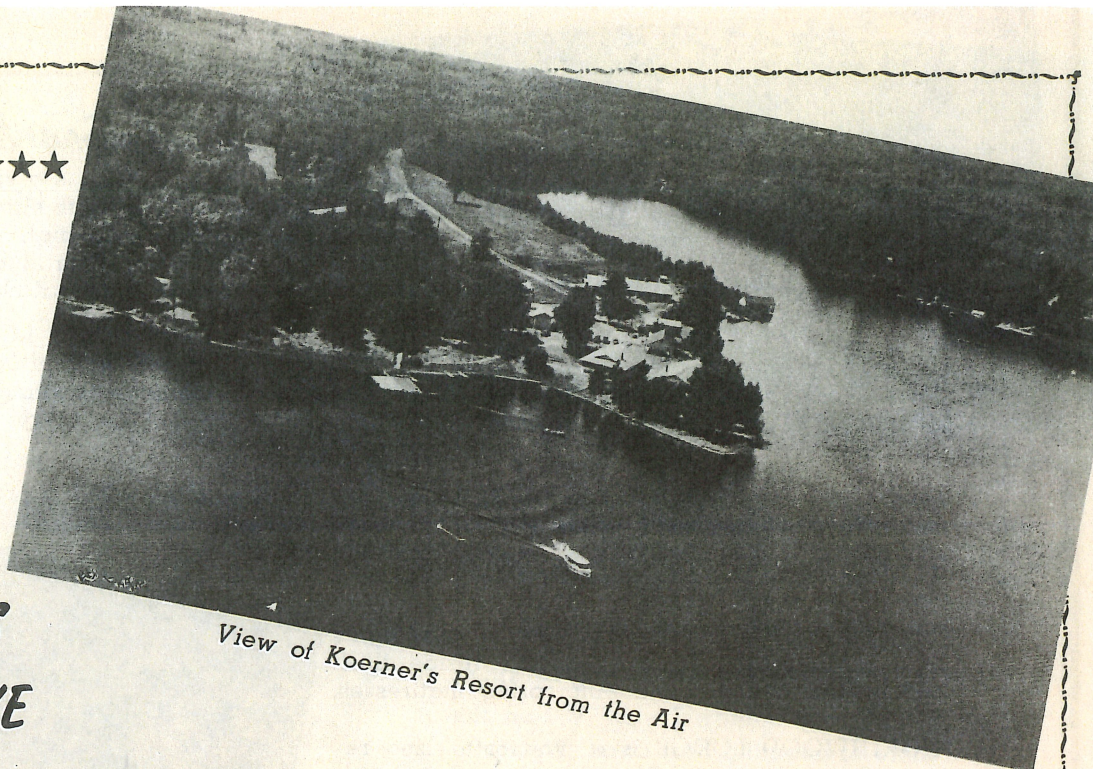
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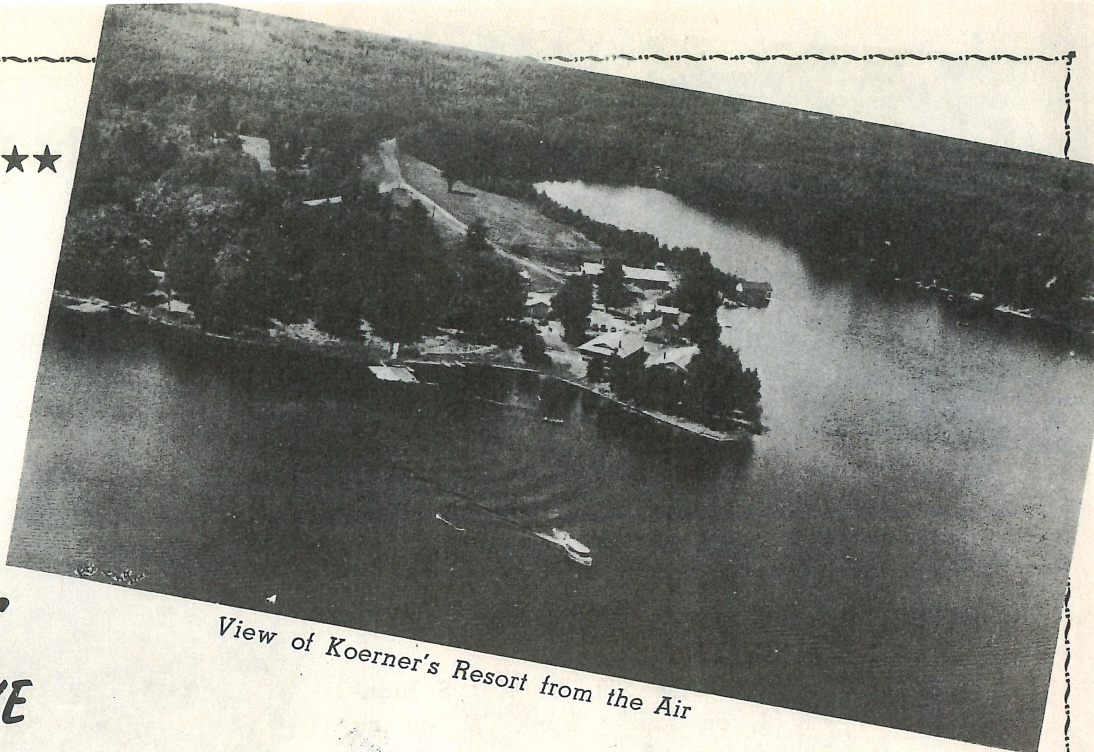
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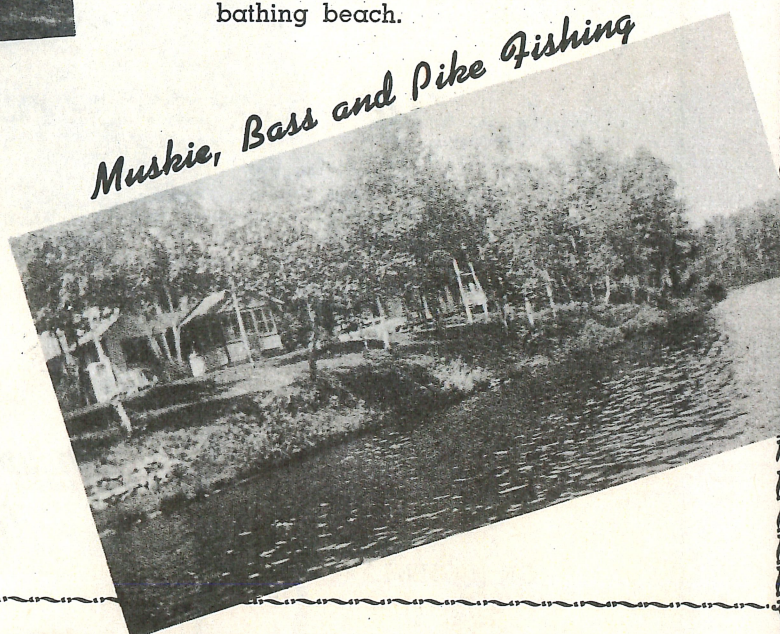
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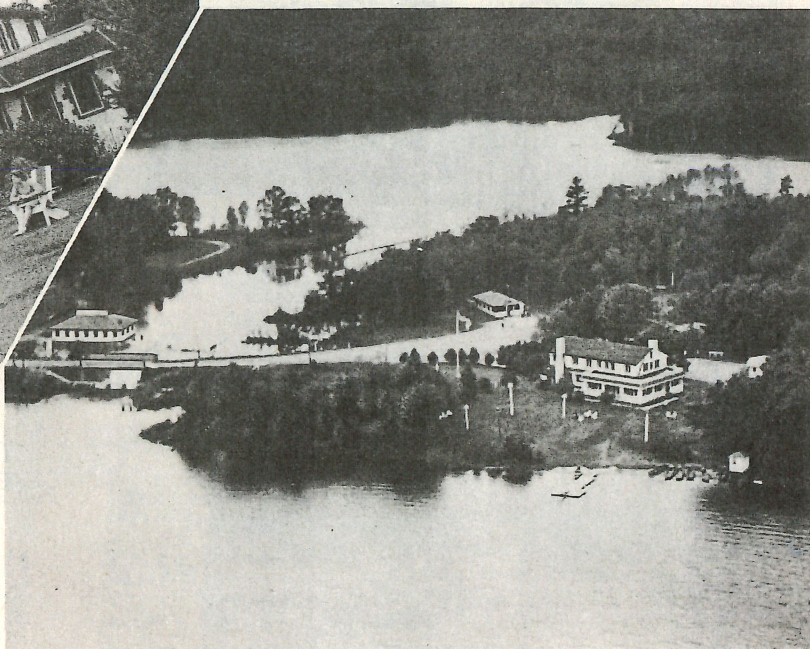
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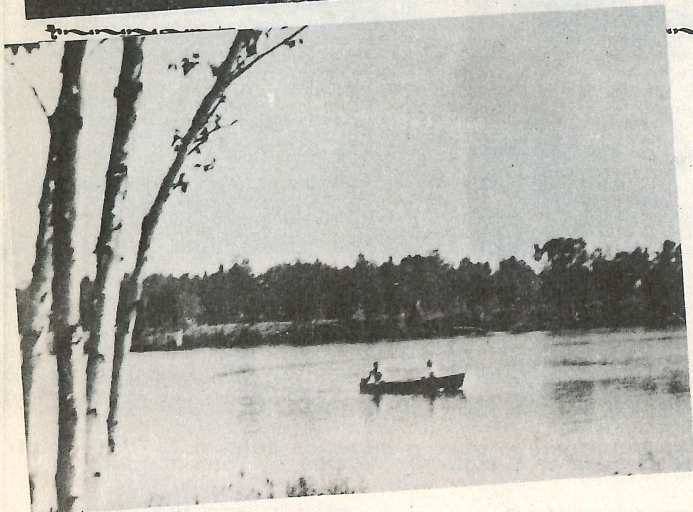
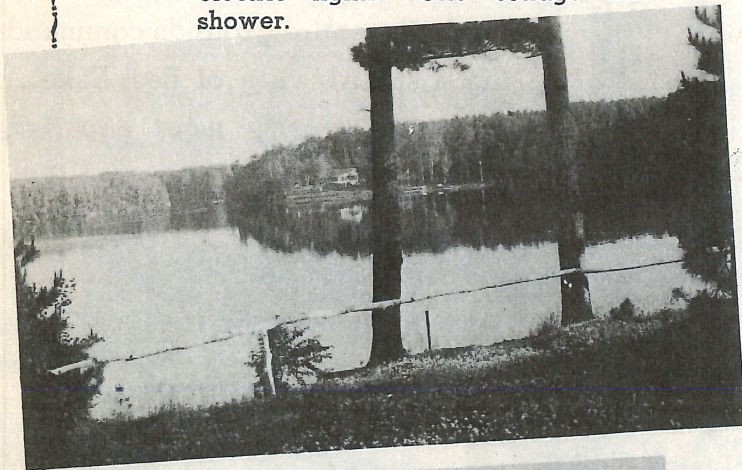
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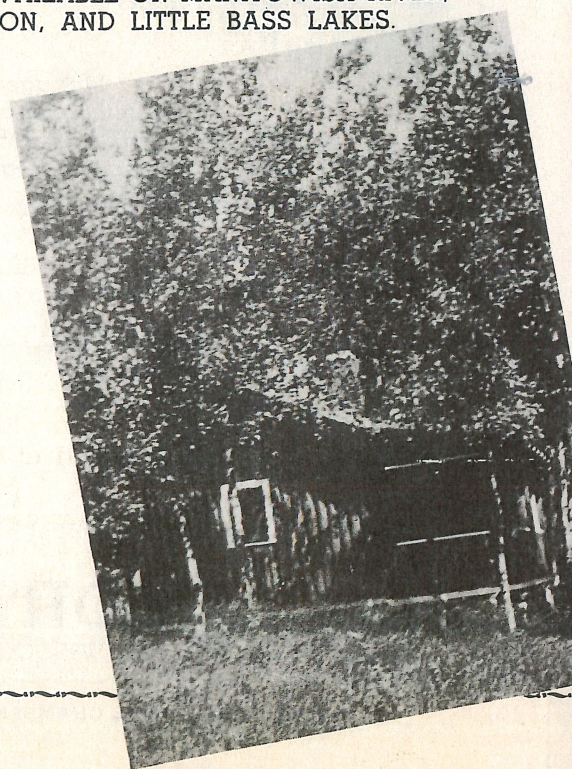
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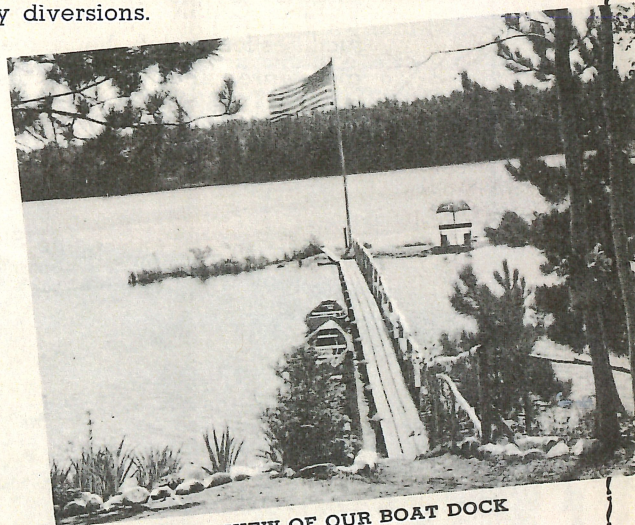
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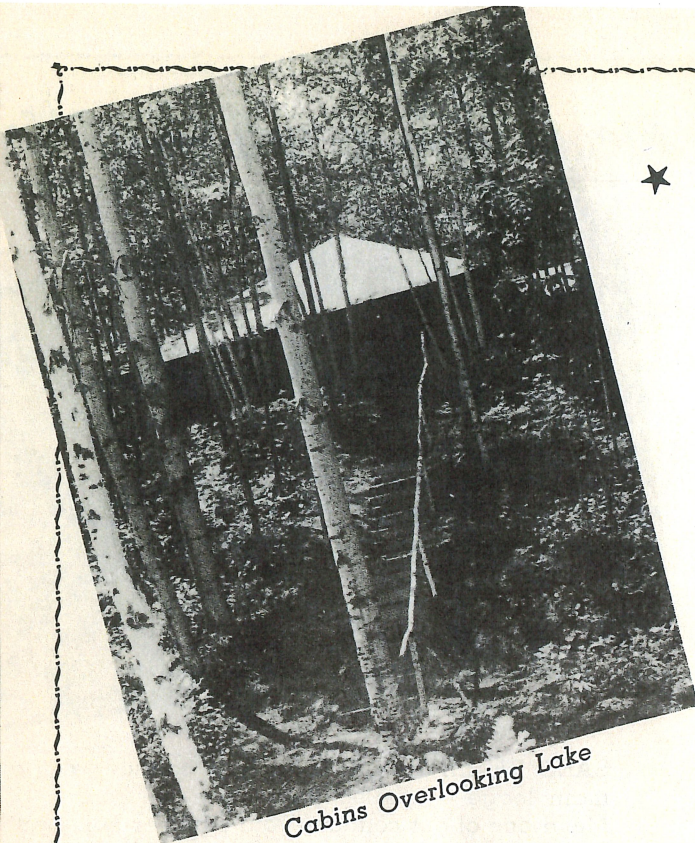
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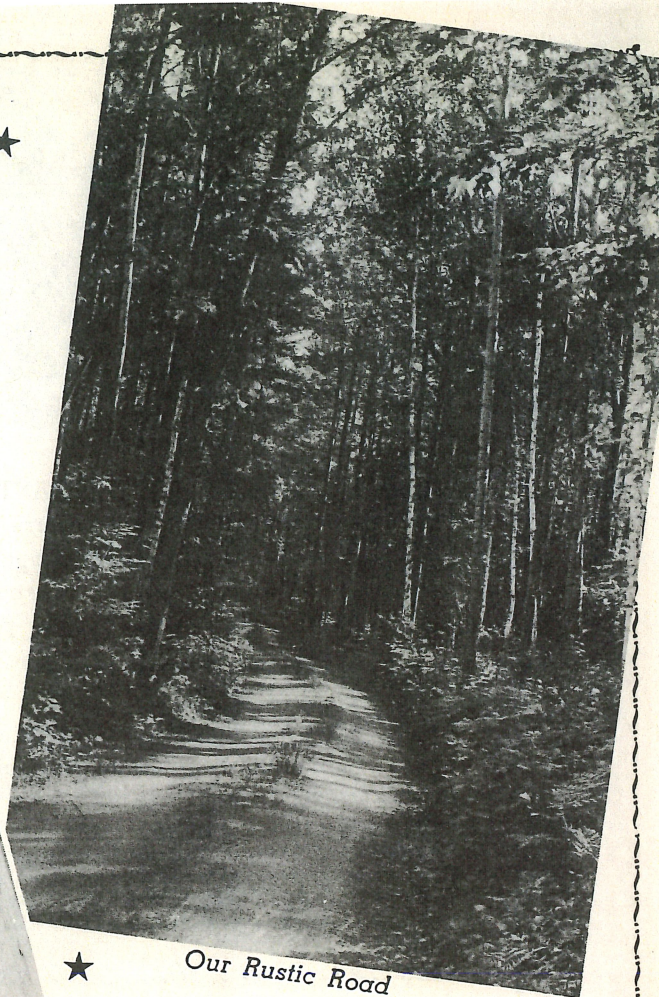


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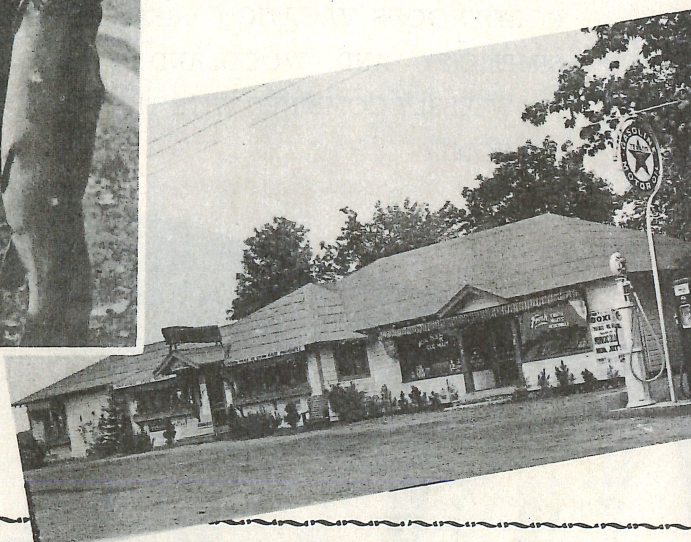
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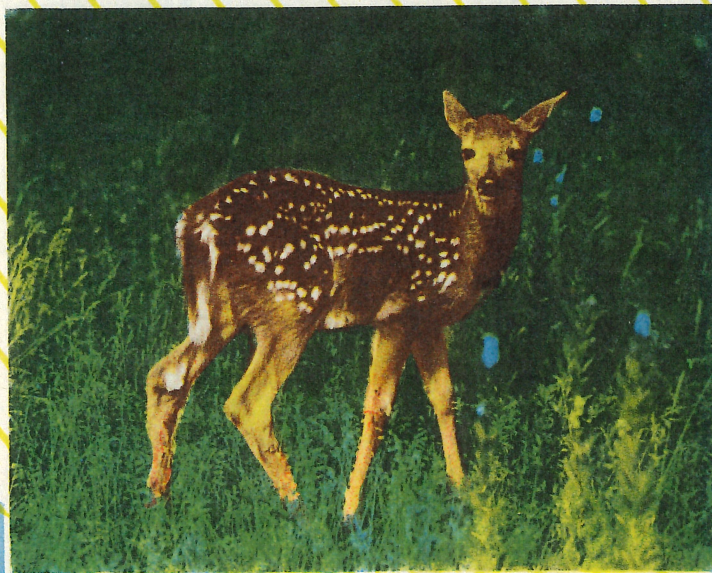
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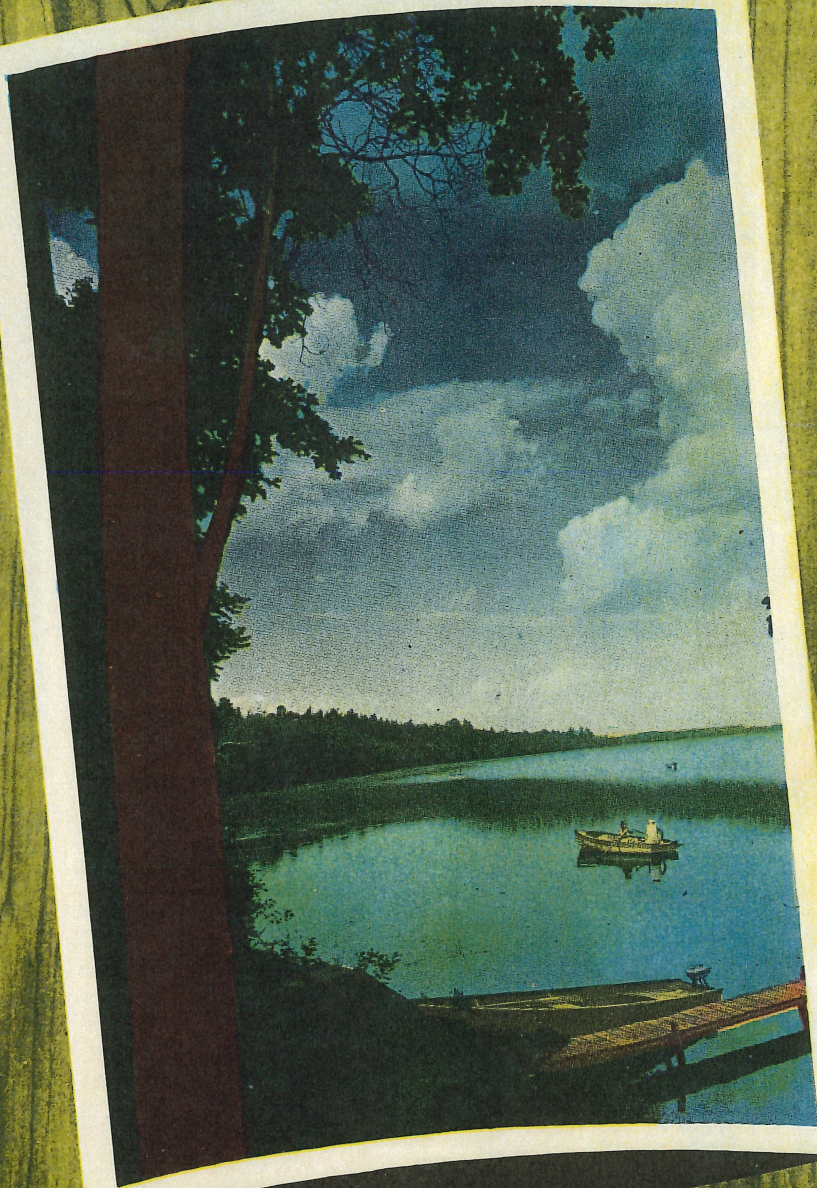
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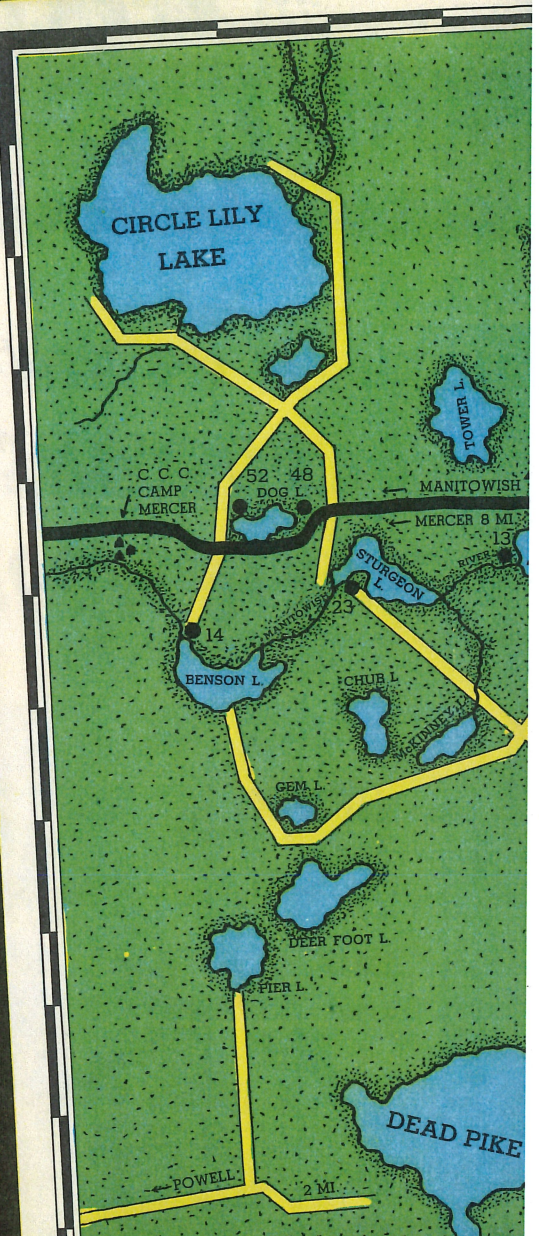
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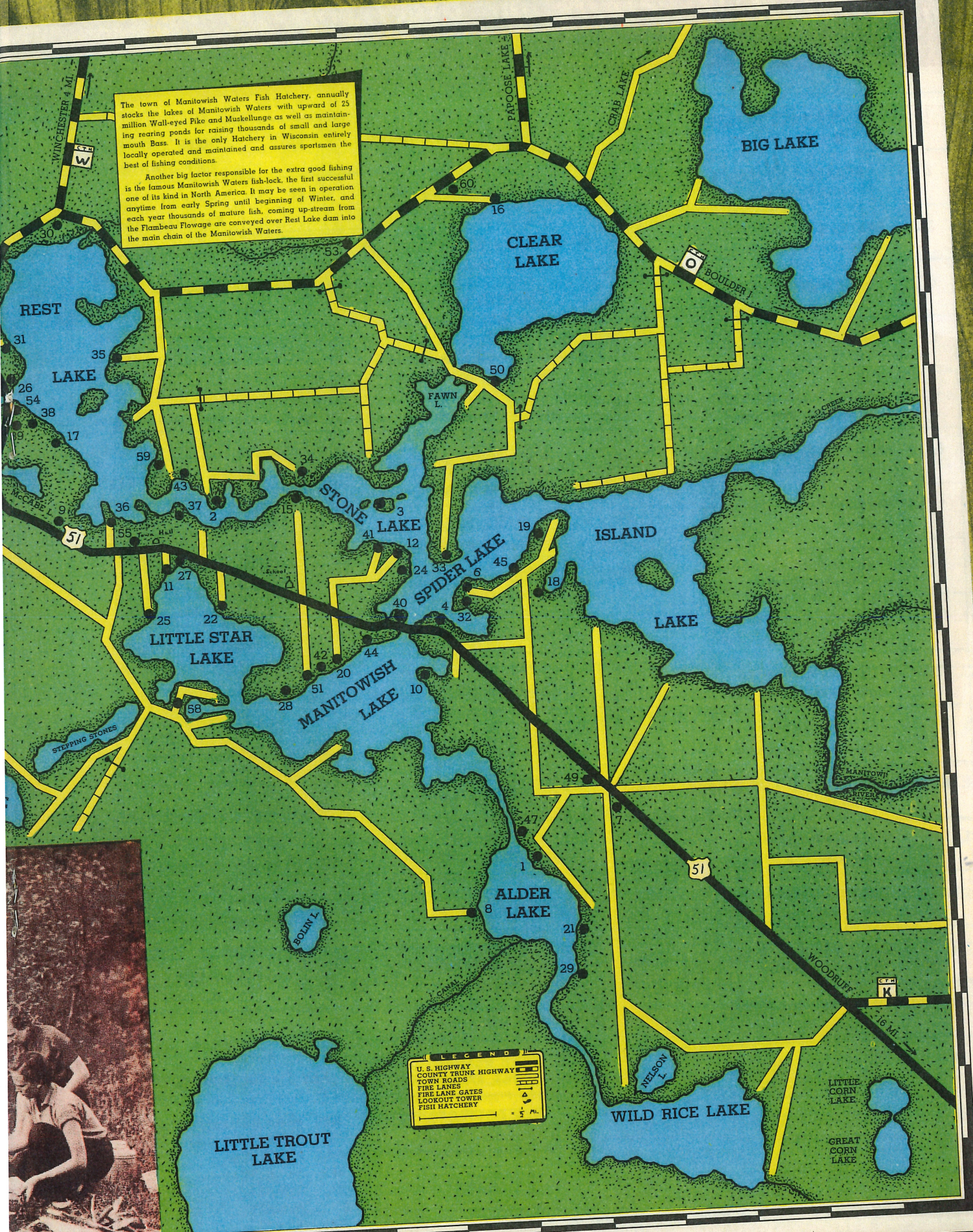


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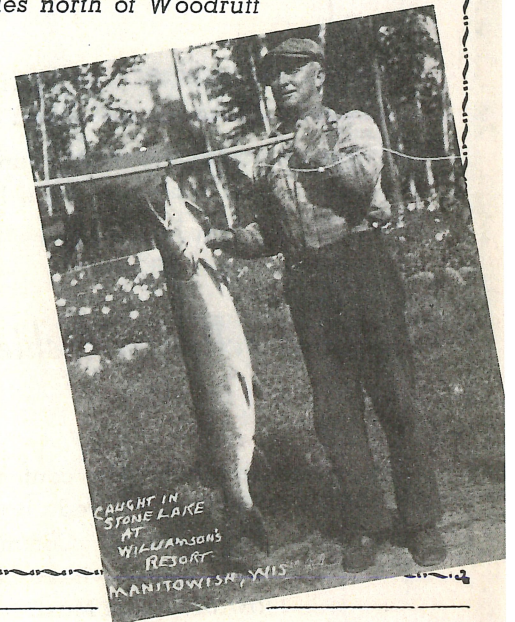
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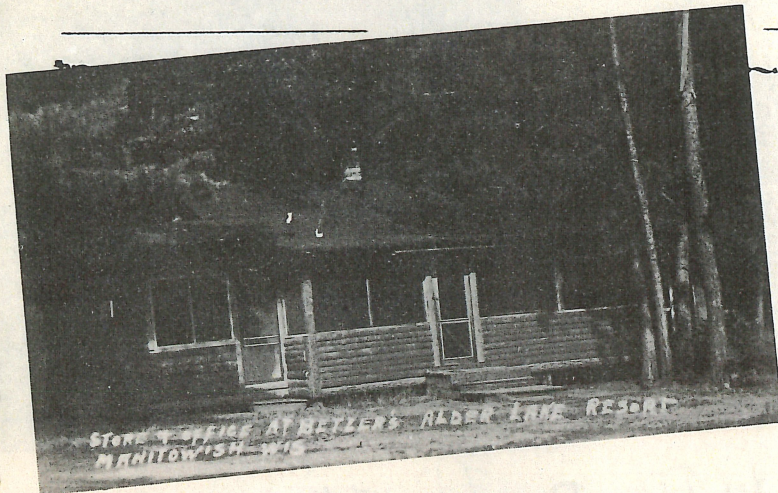
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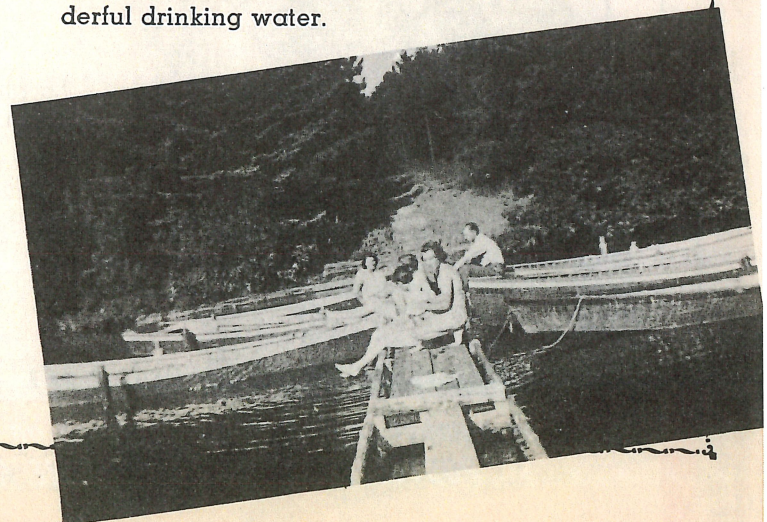
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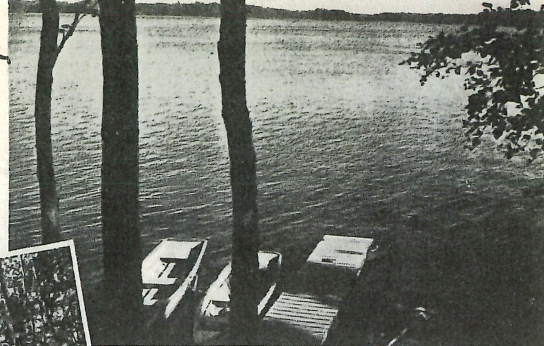
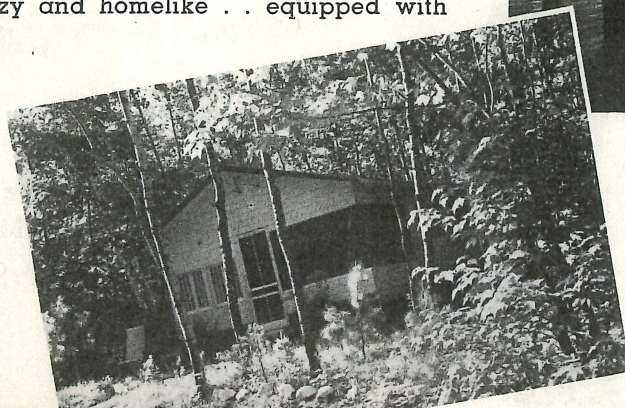
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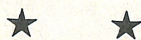
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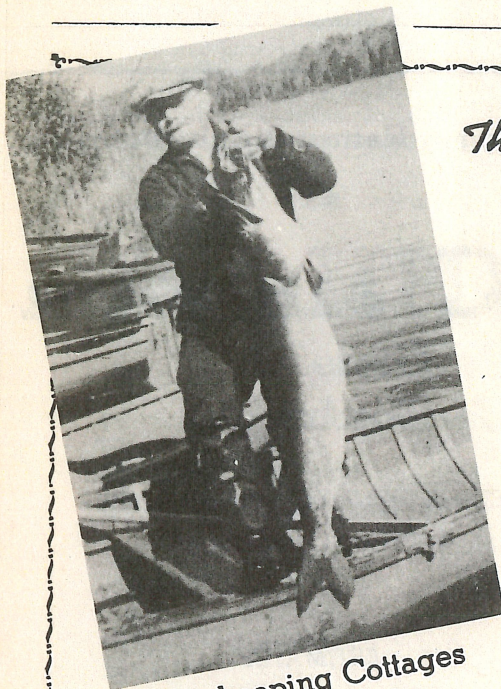
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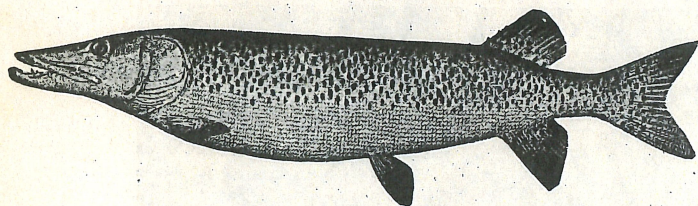
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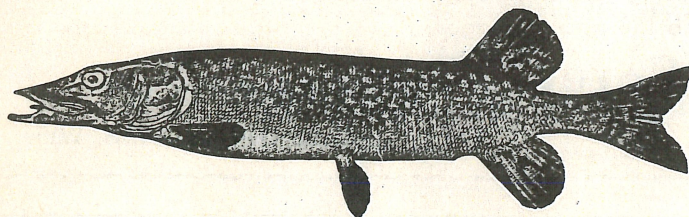
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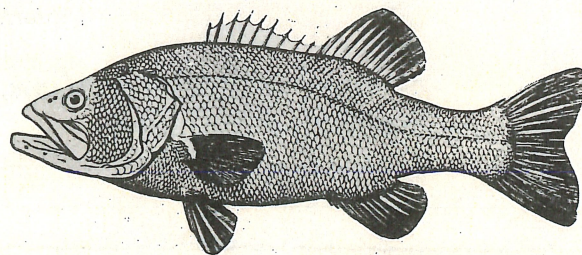
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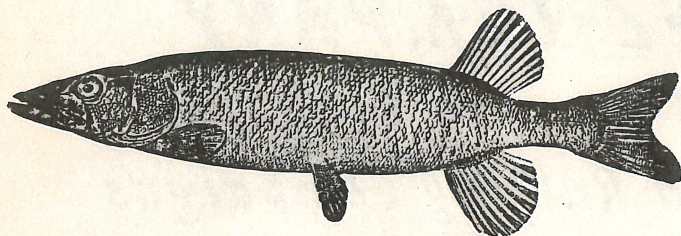
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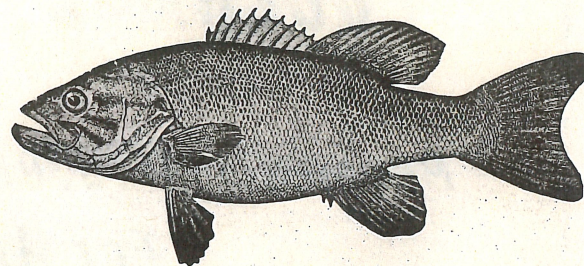
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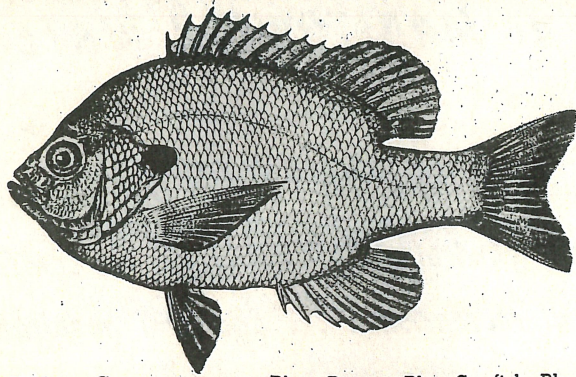
SMALL MOUTH BLACK BASS: Common names, Tiger Bass, Jump-er. Heaviest fish on record caught with fishing tackle weighed 14 lbs. Belongs to the Sunfish family and feeds on minnows, frogs, crawfish, dobson, night crawlers, insects and flies. Female fish carries from 2,000 to 10,000 eggs at spawning time. Will strike at artificial lures and ranks very high among anglers. Season: June 20 to Jan. 15; legal catch, 7 per day; minimum length 10 inches.

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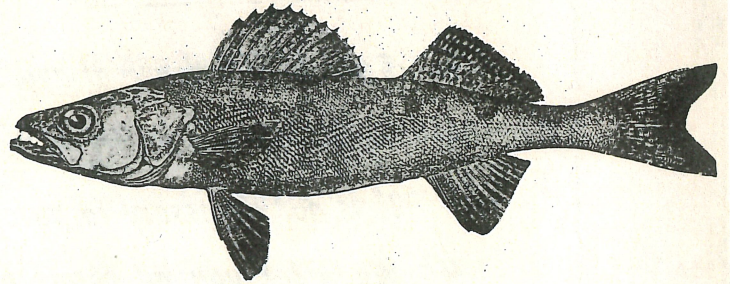
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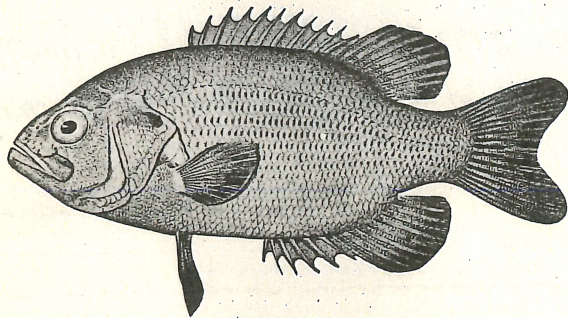
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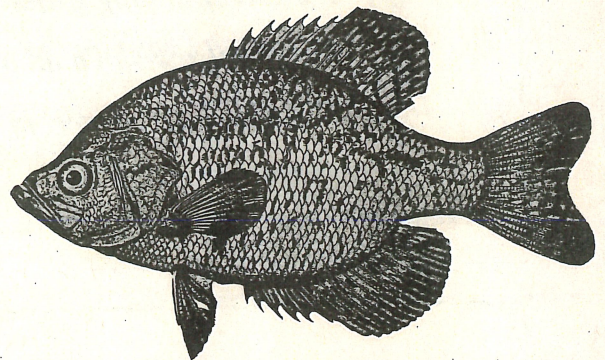
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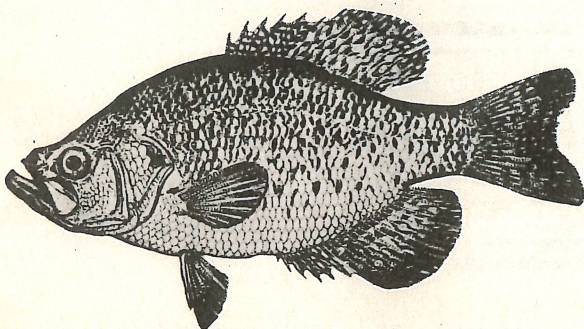
WALL-EYED PIKE: Common names, Pike-perch, Dery, Pike, Yellow Pike, Blue Pike, White-eye, Jack Salmon, River Trout, Jack, Dore, Blow-fish, Pickerel. Heaviest fish on record caught with fishing tackle weighed 18 lbs. Belongs to the Perch family and feeds on minnows and frogs. Female fish carries from 100,000 to 500,000 eggs at spawning time. Will strike at artificial lures and has considerable game qualities. Season: May 15 to Jan. 15; legal catch, 7 per day; minimum length 13 inches.



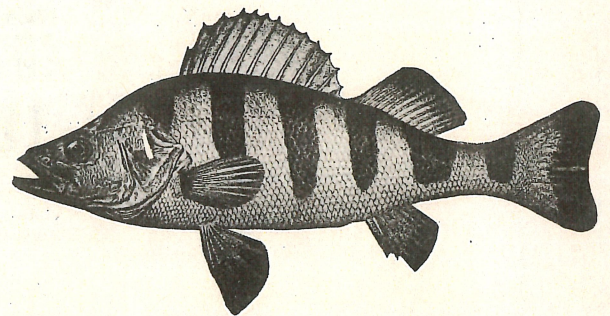
ROCK BASS: Common names, Red-eye, Goggle-eye, Warmouth, Rock Sunfish. Heaviest fish on record caught with fishing tackle weighed 2 lbs. Belongs to the Sunfish family, feeds on minnows, angle worms, insects and flies. Female fish carries from 1,000 to 2,000 eggs at spawning time. Will strike at artificial lures and shows fight. Season: May 15 to Jan. 15; legal catch, 15 per day; minimum length 6 inches.



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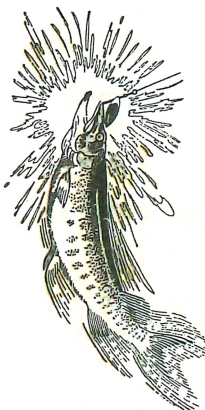
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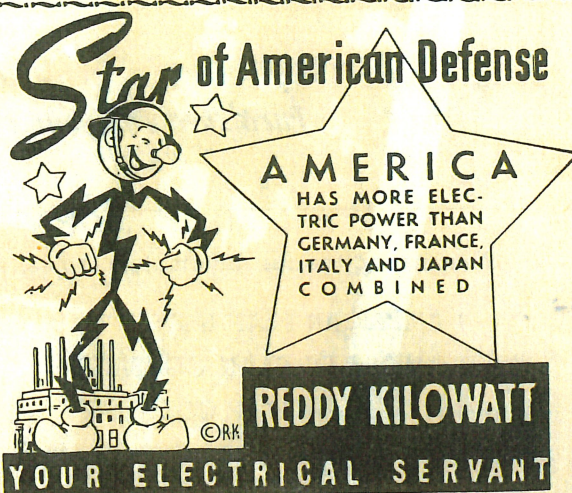
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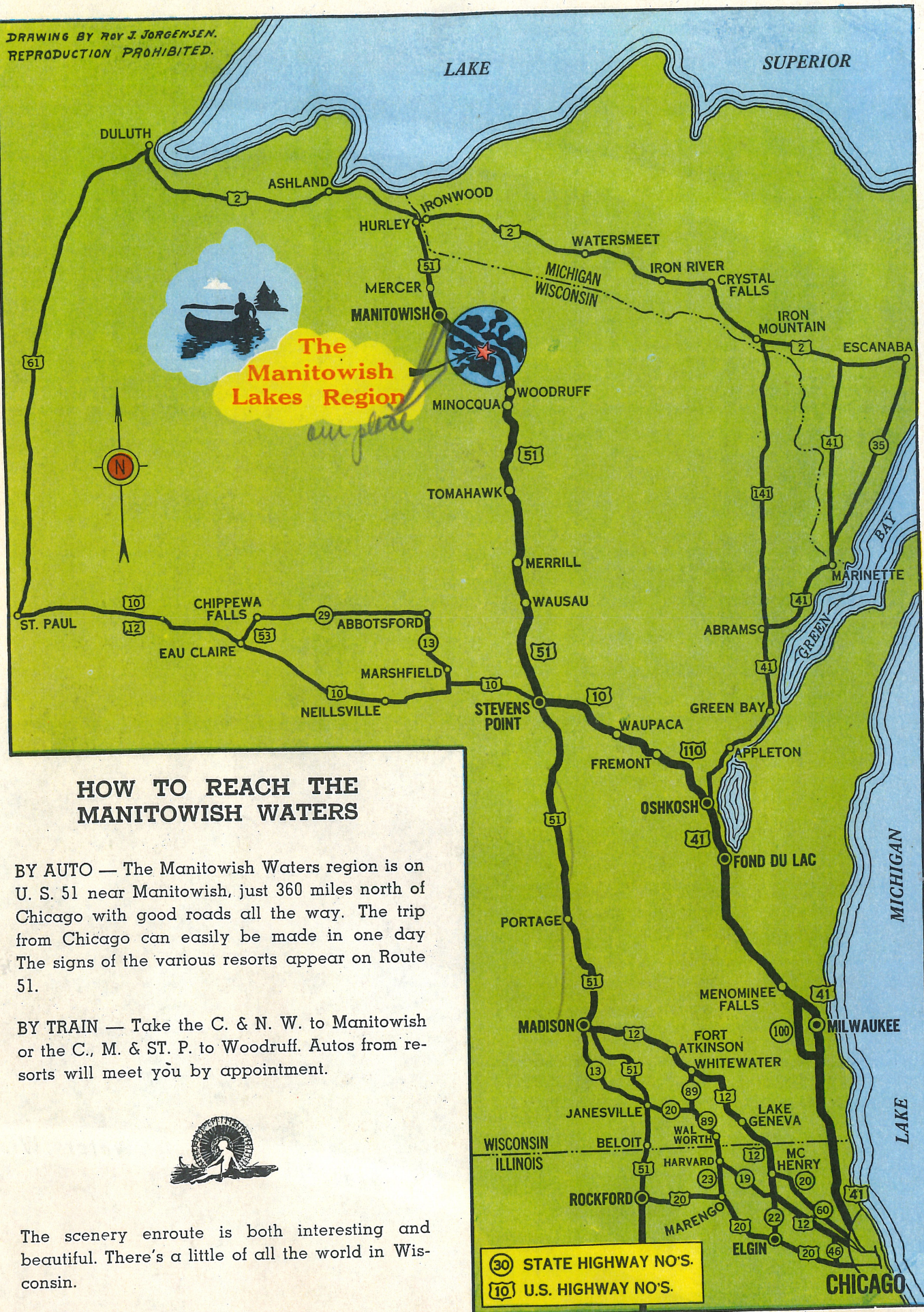
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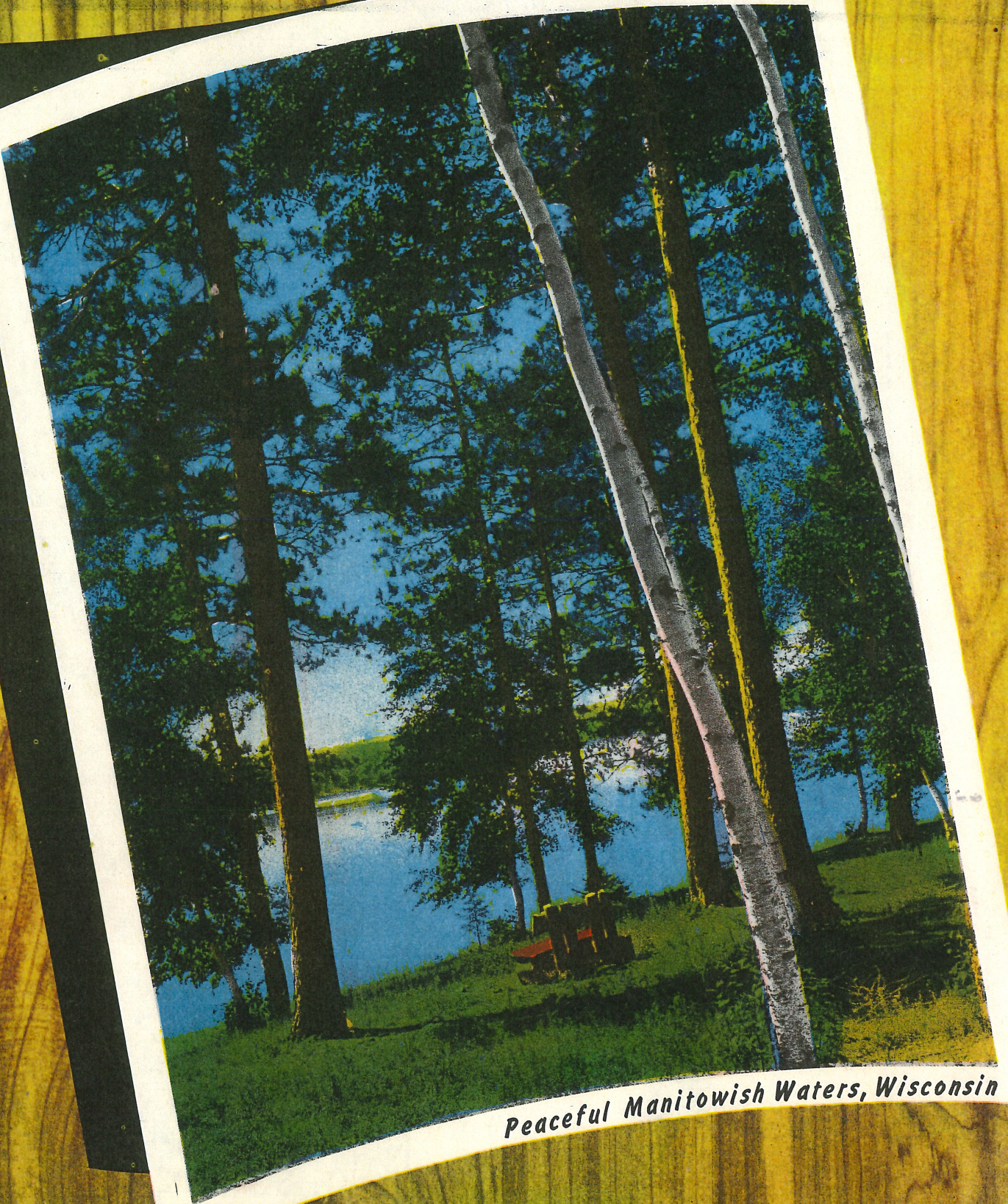
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