

# MACON THEATRE

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## MAKIN' MACON Sports Rounds

By J. P. BRADY

Sportsmen, sportswomen, and sportskiddies. Sunday saw the trout season take off like a mink-coated government worker without a bill of sale and the catch reports have been filling their way in here fairly rapidly. One can consider one report rapid. But that one shooter of info is worth 50 others.

Bryan Setser, Wayah Refuge assistant, dropped by The Press office and filled our ears with the best true story on trout since Uncle Dudley pounded our ear drums with a tale about a 50-pounder that pushed his boat faster than a 22 horse outboard and wore the bottom out of the dingy from friction.

Setser related that on Sunday morn 32 men and one woman, Mrs. Jess Shope, dangled bait in the Rough Fork and Camp Branch streams, in the Wayah area, with the following results. They yanked out a total of 264 trout. To be still more specific, and to fill up more space, they caught 263 brook trout and one lonely little rainbow.

Now if that ain't haulin' 'em in!

You know, sometimes, unfortunately, The Press has to crop off bits of a story to make it fit in the chase. (The old adage, "Don't force it use a bigger hammer", somehow doesn't work too well around a newspaper office). Consequently, therefore, and whereas (we're determined to have a full column this week) in the trout feature on the front face of the April 12 issue we had to cut a priceless piece of information. Namely, where all of the restocking in the wildlife areas has been going on. And, the Rough Fork and Camp Branch streams opened their doors wide to 400 trout. So, asking the figure at face value—the Sunday catch—we find that there are still some 136 trout lurking in said streams awaiting your pleasure.

This column would be more than grateful if your fishermen would shove aside modesty for the remainder of the trout season and come in to The Press office and brag on your catches. At least it would let us know that this column is worth something in the sports line. One "Constant Reader" informed us on the QT that this column at least served one purpose. It makes nice and roaches sign suicide pacts.

Incidentally, if your catches are the least bit unusual The Press photographer will make your picture—free—for nothing! And then print it for the bene-

fit of putting a ring of truth to your fish story in later years. While on the subject of fishing we would like to pass on a little dope on these comparatively new fiber-glass fishing rods. From all we can gather they are the "cats" and have more snap than month-old chewing gum. Those who have made the switch from metal rods to the glass jobs say that metal rods are going to become as extinct as the dodo bird. If anyone would like to comment any further on the deal let us hear from you.

Well, I guess this fishing stuff is really expanding. It uster be that only sporting goods stores handled fishing equipment but in Macon County the trend is for every store, regardless of its line of merchandise, to have a healthy stock of gear on hand. Latest surveys show that the expansion is now covering drug and department stores. Be ore long it might be on a prescription basis—RX, would recommend about 75 yards of nylon line, closely compounded with shallow and deep running plugs and assorted flies, all subject to extended water treatments, said prescription to be followed to the letter at anytime the fisherman can sneak away for a while.

### LIE OF THE WEEK

The tale teller, relating to a credulous listener the following: "And would you believe it, I've only used one worm for the past year. Just sprinkle a few drops of Hada—you know what-col on him before I drop him

in the water and durn is if he don't slug every fish that swims near him. All I have to do is net 'em out. Nearly drowned the other day tho! That dad-jimmed worm started chasing a big bass down the lake and almost pulled my boat over. Gonna have to start cuttin' that stuff before I sprinkle it on him I guess."

Just for the record, five minutes after the fellow told the tale a gent in a white coat, carrying a strange looking belted jacket, came down the road inquiring about him.

CONGRATS  
To the Franklin High nine for almost putting the Lee H. Edwards boys through their paces on the diamond. And here's hoping that Paul Killian, the teams second sacker who broke his leg in practice, will be off his crutches soon.

THEY'RE BITIN'  
Here's the week's preedieshun on fishin'. From today (Thursday) through next Wednesday is Excellent angling.

### 'Rural Mail Box Improvement' Is Latest Of 'Weeks'

Here's another "week" coming up! And this is a brand new one!

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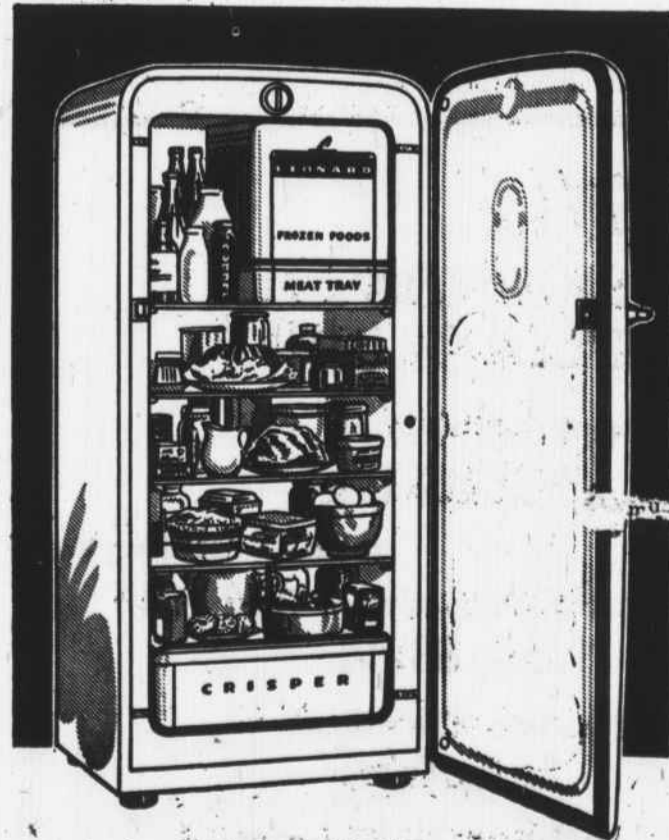
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