

Big Game Gunning Season Announced

New York's big game gunning season will begin October 25 in the Adirondack and Northern Zone counties and November 15 in the rest of the State where it is legal to shoot deer and bear. All regular seasons end Dec. 7, except in Delaware, Greene, Sullivan and Ulster counties where the bear season continues through Dec. 15.

The 1965 season will be the longest possible under existing State law, which sets the Southern Zone season to run from the third Monday in November to the first Tuesday in December. It will be 1971 before the calendar provides a similar extended season.

Basic dates for the big game gunning season are set by law, but quotas and area boundaries for the "party permit" system are established by the Conservation Department. (A party permit enables a party of four licensed hunters, except Area M where a party size is three, to take one deer, with or without antlers, in addition to any deer legally allowed individual members of the party.)

Based on the 1964 deer harvest winter starvation data, talks with sportsmen, landowners and Department field personnel as well as other factors, guidelines for the party permit program are established. A total of 41,600 permits, a drop from last season's 48,000, will be available in 1965 for 13 deer hunting areas. Permit applications and season details will be available at license-issuing agents around mid-September.

Quotas and general descriptions of the party permit areas follows: Adirondack: — (15,050 permit total)

Area A — 4,450 permits for portions of Essex, Clinton, Franklin, Hamilton and St. Lawrence.

Area B — 3,400 permits for portions of Hamilton, Herkimer, Saratoga and Warren.

Area C — 4,200 permits for portions of Franklin, Hamilton, Herkimer, Lewis, Oneida and St. Lawrence.

Area M — 2,700 permits available for parties of three hunters for portions of St. Lawrence.

Area N — 200 permits for portions of Jefferson, Lewis and Oswego.

Catskill-Hudson Valley — (7,400 permit total)

Area D — 4,050 permits for portions of Broome, Chenango, Delaware, Orange, Otsego, Sullivan and Ulster.

Area E — 2,750 permits for portions of Columbia and Dutchess.

Western New York — (19,150 permit total)

Area F — 6,500 permits for Schuyler and Steuben and portions of Chemung and Tioga.

Area G — 6,000 permits for Allegany, Cattaraugus and Chautauqua.

Area H — 2,900 permits for Livingston and Yates and portions of Genesee, Monroe, Ontario and Wyoming.

Area I — 1,450 permits for Niagara, Orleans and Wayne and portions of Erie, Genesee, Monroe, Ontario and Wyoming.

Area J — 2,300 permits for portions of Broome, Chemung, and Tioga.

Holdes of a special archery license may take a deer of either sex and one bear during the 14 days immediately prior to the opening of the gunning seasons. Starting dates are October 11 in the Northern Zone and November 1 in the Southern Zone. In Westchester county, long bow only hunting is permitted from Nov. 1 to Dec. 7.

Archers may use their special archery license during the regular gunning season but deer taken then must have antlers at least three inches long. Except as provided by the party permit program or in a special early bear season a person may take only one deer and one bear during the entire season.

The Northern Zone bear season coincides with the deer season Oct. 25 — Dec. 7, except for Jefferson and Oswego where no bear season on bears will be held this year. Southern Zone counties where it is legal to hunt bears include all of Allegany, Cattaraugus, Chautauqua and Orange counties and portions of Otsego, and Schoharie counties from Nov. 15 — Dec. 7. Also, Delaware, Sullivan, Greene, and Ulster from Nov. 15 — Dec. 15.

Hunting hours, including opening day, are from 7:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. (prevailing time). Except for long bow during the special archery season, there is no Sunday hunting in the western and central portions of the State.

Dates Claimed

Sept. 29 — UPW Smorgasbord and Farmer's Market.

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SOCIAL NOTES

Monday Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Spicer and house guests attended the Spicer family picnic held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Spicer of Wellsville.

Miss Marcieane Middaugh spent Wednesday night as a guest of Linda Davis in Elm Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Vars

nis mother, Mrs. Marian Vars, accompanied Miss Diane Vars to Mansfield, Pa., Monday where their daughter and granddaughter entered Mansfield State College as a freshman. She plans to major in music.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard Bennett and daughter, Miss Susan of Pleasantville were Wednesday callers of his aunt, Mrs. Nettie Reynolds at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Lang.

Mrs. F. G. Crawford entertained the members of the Entre Nous Club at her home on Pleasant Ave. Thursday evening at a 7:30 bridge dessert followed by cards. Honors were presented to Mrs. Lee

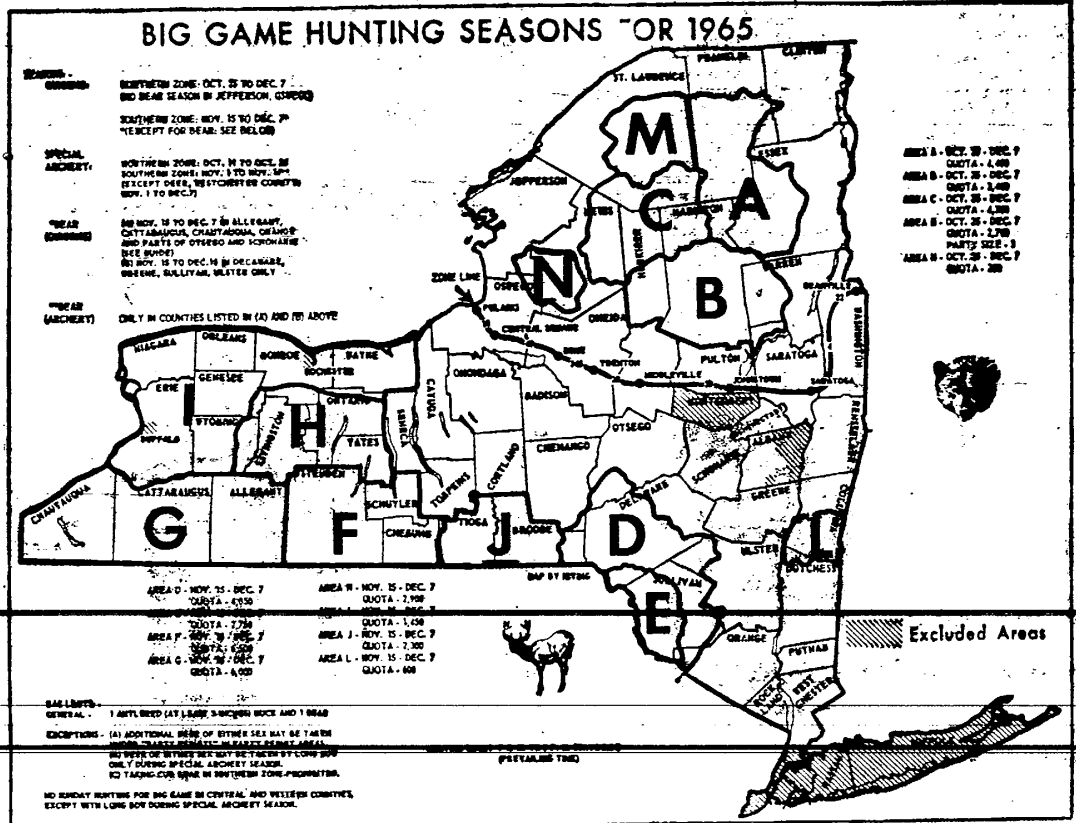
Snyder, Mrs. Max Richardson and guest prize to Mrs. Frank Holmes.

Arthur Mill, Jr., had the misfortune to catch his left hand in the binder Monday morning. The injury required sixteen stitches.


Mr. and Mrs. James Brandage have rented the Walter Green apartment on Water St.

Altar Society Notice

The Altar Society of the Blessed Sacrament Church will have a tureen supper in the Church Hall at 6:30 p. m., Thursday, Sept. 16. A general meeting will follow the supper, and all ladies of the parish are invited to attend.



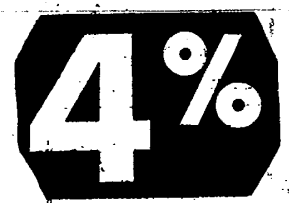
Area K — 2,200 permits for portions of Franklin, Hamilton, Herkimer, Lewis, Oneida and St. Lawrence.




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