

Outdoor Life



First Choice of Discriminating Sportsmen

353 FOURTH AVENUE - NEW YORK 10, N. Y.

SHOOTING DEPARTMENT

JACK O'CONNOR, EDITOR

August 6, 1956

Mr. L. Tyas
2866 Montana St.
Oakland 2, California

Dear Mr. Tyas:

If I were you, I do not believe that I would get a .35 Whelen for use in the Yukon. In the first place there isn't anything that you can't kill very dead in the Yukon with the .30/06, particularly with the strongly constructed 220 gr. bullet. In the second place, I think you would be extremely unwise to go up there with a wildcat because you would find ammunition exceedingly difficult and complicated to obtain and you would not want to burden yourself with loading tools. On the other hand, the .30/06 is a widely distributed cartridge and you could obtain ammunition even in little frontier trading posts.

I have hunted in the Yukon many times and, indeed, am going up there again this coming September.

My best wishes,

JO'C:DC



Conservation Pledge
I GIVE MY PLEDGE AS AN AMERICAN TO SAVE AND FAITHFULLY
TO DEFEND FROM WASTE THE NATURAL RESOURCES OF MY COUNTRY -
ITS SOIL AND MINERALS, ITS FORESTS, WATERS, AND WILDLIFE

Jack O'Connor
Jack O'Connor