

mergansers, &c., which visited other waters and returned to Pembina Lake with the eggs adhering to them. As is well known, suckers and carp are most destructive to spawn. However, I sincerely hope that the multitudes of trout in the Pembina will annihilate these suckers in a short time. Future observations on this subject will be eagerly expected and prove interesting. I have obtained a sample of this little fish."

The following is a list of fishes of the Ottawa District preserved in formalin in the collection of the Fisheries Museum, with the localities where they were found :

Silvery lamprey (*Ichthyomyzon concolor*). Ottawa River.

Rock sturgeon (*Acipenser rubicundus*). Lac des Chêne.

Gar-pike (*Lepidosteus osseus*). Vicinity of Ottawa.

Dog-fish (*Amia calva*). Ottawa River.

The two specimens of dog-fish have been long in the museum, and are labelled Ottawa River. Possibly they may have been found beyond the limits of the district, but are included in the list as shewing that that species exists in the Ottawa.

Horned pout (*Ameiurus nebulosis*). Gilmour's Mills, P.Q., Rideau Canal near Ottawa, and Kinburn, Ont.

White sucker (*Catostomus commersoni*). Vicinity of Ottawa.

Eel (*Anguilla chrysypa*). Gilmour's Mills.

Brook Trout (*Salvelinus fontinalis*). Gatineau District, near Ottawa.

Pike (*Esox lucius*). Gilmour's Mills, and a large head from Shirley's Bay.

Killifish (*Fundulus*). Hull, P.Q.

Brook stickleback (*Eucalia inconstans*). Stittsville, Ont.

Grass or calico bass (*Pomoxis sparoides*). Lewis Dam and Gilmour's Mills, P.Q.

Rock bass (*Ambloplites rupestris*). Near Hog's Back.

Pike perch (*Stizostedion vitreum*). Upper Ottawa River.

Ling (*Lota maculosa*). Lac des Chêne and Rideau River, near Ottawa.

There is also a large mounted maskinonge (*Esox nobilior*)