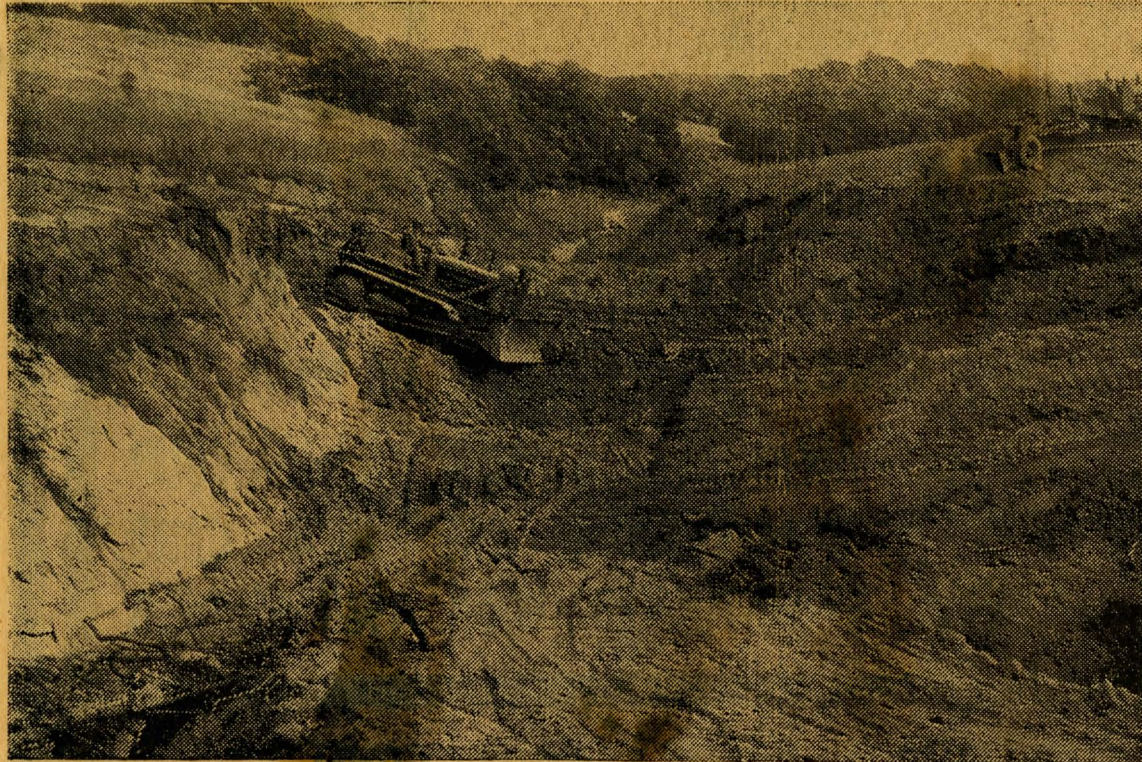


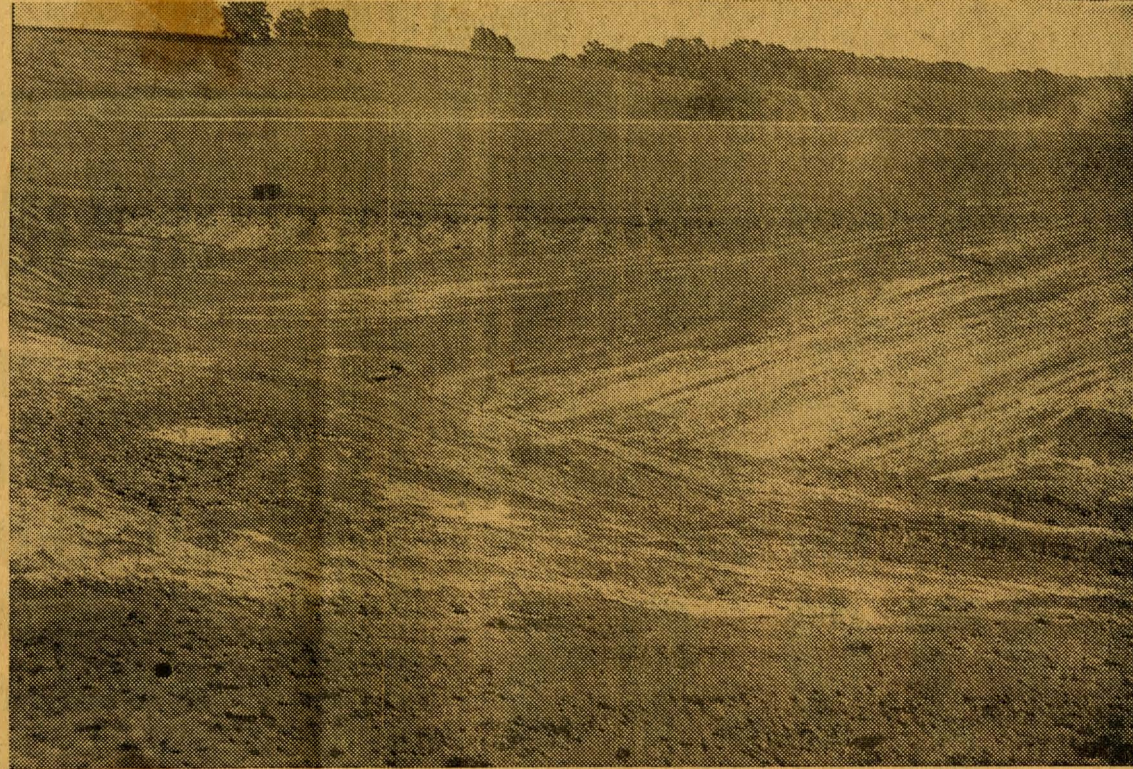
Pine Lake Wildlife Club's Conservation Project Completed Near Here



The above before and after pictures pretty well illustrate work done the past three weeks on construction of a dam across a large ravine that enters the middle portion of Upper Pine Lake from the west. In the left photo can be seen the deep ravine that

has for years been causing an erosion problem at the lake. The right photo was taken following completion of the dam which consists of some 5,535 cubic yards of earth fill. The dam is 26 feet high from the bottom of the gully which is close to 40 feet wide. Back-

ground trees which are very visible in the left picture can barely been seen in the right shot. The project, which cost some \$3,000, was planned, financed and will now be maintained by the Pine Lake Wildlife Club, which has contributed a great deal toward con-



servation practices and the improvement of Pine Lake for years. The Wildlife Club investigated erection of the dam for a couple of years before construction work began the early part of August. It was built for the purpose of erosion and silt confinement.

Located southwest of the Wildlife clubhouse east of the Eldora-Steamboat Rock road, the dam ties in well with the Upper Pine Lake improvement project which is expected to get underway soon. The Wildlife Club also donated \$1,000 to kickoff the rais-

ing of local funds for the Lake project. Club members who headed up the dam project include Gene Farmer, Gene Setchell and Cal Moore. Financial assistance was received from the State Conservation Commission and the Agricultural Conservation program.