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MORE FISH FOR THE SERPENTINE.

The waters of the Serpentine, where public fishing is now permitted for the first time, have been enriched by sixteen hundred fish from the River Kennet. This river is considered by many fishermen to yield a greater variety of coarse fishing than any other in the kingdom.

The fish was a gift to Lord Portal, Minister of Works, from Sir George Usher, Director General of Tank Supply, Ministry of Supply. They were netted on Thursday in Sir George Usher's waters at Tyle Mill, Sulhamstead, Berkshire, and put into the Serpentine in the evening.

They include barbel, chub, perch, roach, dace, and gudgeon, varying in weight up to 2½ pounds.

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