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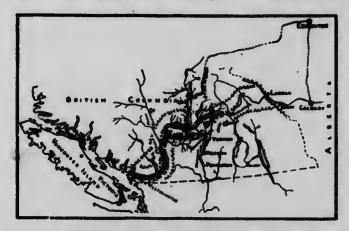
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### KAMLOOPS, B.C.

THIS geographically favored city has earned for itself two excellent and thoroughly well sustained titles: "The Place in the Sun" and "The Hunters' Paradise." So much, however, has been written of the sunny days of Kamloops that merely this reminder will suffice for climatic conditions, which may be finally dismissed with one word—Perfection.

#### Kamleops for the Hunter

The man who seeks his enjoyment with rod and gun



has asked why he should book to Kamloops. He has readily found sufficient encouragement in the answer to warrant the experiment of a trip, and his invariable return to this incomparable fin, fur and feathery resort, season after season, is the only excuse existing for placing on record such general information as may be found within these pages for the benefit of the ever increasing sports-loving community and the general travelling public.

#### Kamloops' Geographical Position

A divisional point on the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, Kamloops may be reached from the Pacific Coast in a little over ten hours, while Calgary is but eighteen hours distant in the reverse direction.

An advantage—and a most important one—that Kamloops possesses over so many other similarly



A Hunter's Camp in the Kamloops District

described resorts is its possession of modern and beautifully appointed Hotels, General Stores, Sporting Goods Houses, Garages, Auto Services, Handsome Residences and the like, embodying all the comforts one associates with city life. Yet within thirty minutes one may reach the haunts of the grouse, deer and other big game, and numerous lakes and streams with numberless species of the finny tribe may be found, where the close proximity of

a thriving and busy city, with a population of five thousand, is difficult to conceive.

#### **Hunting Points**

Worthy of especial note several districts less than an hour's auto run from the city, and a typical instance of the variety of fare provided for the huntsman within a very limited radius is discovered on a trip to the Lake LeBois neighborhood, eighteen miles due north of Kamloops on the west side of the North Thompson river. Duck and Grouse are found after six miles have been traversed. and a succession of lakes. leading to Lake LeBois itself, provide continuous opportunity for a quick eye and steady aim. From Lake LeBois northwards there is vast tract of country stretching for many miles where Ptarmigan, Grouse, Deer and Bear abound in

### 'The Bay'

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almost unbelievable numbers. No less than twelve bears have been seen this September (1915) within the limited area of one square mile.



#### **Fishing**

Two well known and heavily stocked lakes, Paul Lake and Penantan Lake, situated twelve and eighteen miles respectively north-east of the city, are a source of keen satisfaction to the most exacting disciple of Izaak Walton.

To mention any resort in particular, however, seems almost invidious, yet Fish Lake has some undoubted



Kamloops, the Hunters' Paradise
Junction of North and South Thompson Rivers

claims to special remark. Two and a half miles long and with an average width of half a mile, this stretch of water lies due south of the city, twenty-two miles distant, with an altitude of about 1,450 feet above sea

level. An excellent road for autos leads up to a scenic panorama to which it would be difficult to do justice in a cursory description. broad vista reveals picturesque timber land, hills and dales, with numerous lakes where every known species of British Columbia Duck abound in plenty. It is in this neighborhood too that Osprey, Geese, Great the Northern Diver. Sandhill Crane, Bear and Deer have their various haunts. Rainbow Trout of excellent taste. up to a weight exceeding six pounds have been caught with the fly, while two, three and four pounders are common to such a degree as to almost take the edge off the angler's enjoyment. With enterprise typical of locality, a good comfortable Hunters' Hotel has been erected. Indeed. business men and their families are so attracted by the neighborhood that it has leapt into

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VICTORIA STREET, KAMLOOPS favor as a summer camp colony from which the male member of the family keeps in touch with his business by motoring back and forth night and morning. Wonderful mountain flora abounds everywhere, so that the members



A Two Hours' Catch at Penantan Lake

of the fair sex find much to delight them in the hours when they prefer easy recreation to more strenuous pastimes. It is a significant fact that for several years past visitors from as far afield as Honolulu have been regular devotees to sport at this pretty resort, and each year the number of visitors steadily increases.

#### The Useful Guide

The local automobilists who ply for hire at most moderate rates know practically every inch of the country, and particularly those spots which have earned for "The Place in the Sun" the well deserved and easily substantiated second title: "The Hunters' Paradise." Let the devotee of the gun remember, then, that if he wants to hunt, in every sense of the term, he must insist on the Tourist Agent booking him to Kamloops, and Kamloops will see he is not disappointed. Worthy of mention, also, is the fact that much good shooting in enclosed preserves may be readily obtained on request.

### **Hunting Licenses**

There are various styles of licenses issued under the Game Laws of British Columbia, and they may be classified as follows:

Special License: To hunt Deer, Birds, Caribou, Bear, Trapping, \$10.00. General License: Birds, Bear, Deer, \$5.00. Ordinary Firearms License: Birds, Deer, \$2.50. Issued to Non-Residents: License for all Hunting Privileges for the season, including Big Game and Angling, \$100.00; to hunt Bear, Deer, etc., \$25.00; to Fish, \$5.00; Short Period License, \$5.00.

### **Hunting Seasons**

Grouse: Sept. 15-Nov. 30; Chicken: Sept. 15-Oct. 15; Ducks: Sept. 1-Jan. 31; Geese: Sept. 1-March 31; Deer: Sept. 1-Dec. 15; Goat: Sept. 1-Dec. 15; Bear: All the year round. The dates vary from year to year, but the above schedule is not materially affected.

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