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HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has been pleased to order that under the provisions of section 68 of the "Game Act," chapter 198 of the "Revised Statutes of British Columbia, 1956," the following regulations, to be known as "Game Regulations, 1955-46," be image;

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I. The prohibitions declared by section 18 of the "Game Act," being chapter 108 of the "Revised Statutes of British Columbia, 1936, as to the hunting, trapping, taking, wounding, and killing of game, are, subject to the provisions of sections 2 to 9, inclusive, of these regulations, hereby removed to the extent and within the period and limits and subject to the provisions bereinafter set out respectively, as follows:—

ws:-or the purpose of defining the open seasons
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and trapping of fur-For the purpose of nouning the open second for big game, game birds, and trapping of fur-bearing animals, the Province shall be divided into two districts, to be known as the Western and Eastern Districts.

"WESTERN DISTRICT" shall mean and "WESTERN DISTRICT" shall mean and

"WESTERN DISTRICT" shall mean and include all that portion of the Province situate and lying to the west of the summit of the Cascade Mountains and south of the Electoral District of Atlin, except that portion of the Electoral District of Skeena covered by the watershed of the Lakelse and Zymagotitz

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on micratory game birds, that portion of the
Electoral District of Lilloest situate and lying
to the cast of a line drawn north and south
(astronomic) of Alta Lake Railway-station on
the Pacific Great Eastern Railway and that
portion of the Skeena River and its watershed
situate and lying within the boundaries of the
Electoral District of Skeena east of a line
drawn north and south (astronomic) through
the mouth of Scotia River be construed and
considered as lying within the Eastern District.

All dates mentioned in these regulations are
inclusive.

### EASTERN DISTRICT (OPEN SEASONS). BIG GAME.

(a.) BEAR (except White or Kermodel Bear), in the Eastern District, open season on Grizzly Bear, from Suptember 1st, 1945, to June 30th, 1946, and on Black or Brown Bear there shall be no close season. Provided that no Bear shall be trapped in

June 30th, 1946, and on Black or Brown Bear there shall be no close season.

Provided that no Bear shall be trapped in the Eastern District.

(b.) Caribou, of the male sex, over one year of see, in the Eastern District of account of the Event first season from September 18th, 1945.

In the Eastern District situate and lying to the south of the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and that portion of the Cariboo Electoral District situate and lying to the south of the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and that portion of the Cariboo Electoral District situate and lying to the east of the Fraser River, open season from September 15th, 1945, to October 21st, 1945.

(c.) DEER (Mule, White-tail, and Coast), BUCKS ONLY, over one year of acc, throughout the Eastern District (sevept White-tail Beer, in the North and South Okanazan and Similkameen Electoral Districts), open season from September 15th, 1945, to December 15th, 1945, to DEER (White-stail only), DOES, over one year of acc, in the Nelson-Creaton, Cranbrook, Fernie, and the Columbia Electoral Districts, open season from September 1st, 1945, to September 14th, 1945.

DEER (Mule only), DOES, over one year of acc, in those portions of the Columbia Electoral Districts, open season from September 1st, 1945, to September 14th, 1946.

Provided that there shall be no open season on any member of the Deer family in those portions of the Eastern District described as follows:—

In that Columbia Clear of the International Pacific and passing through Spillimacheen Post-office and a straight line running due east and west and passing through Spillimacheen Post-office, open season from September 1st, 1945, to September 14th, 1946.

Provided that there shall be no open season on any member of the Deer family in those portions of the Eastern District described as follows:—

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portions of the Lastern District described as follows:—
In that portion of the Fernie Electoral District as follows: "Commencing at the junction of Morrissey Creck and Elk River; thence following the east and south banks of Elk River to a point one-half mile south of the junction of Wigwam and Elk Rivers; thence easterly following the summit of the watershed on the south side of Wigwam River to a point on the said river one-half mile south of the junction of said river and Lodgepole Creck; thence in an easterly direction following the summit of the watershed on the south side of Lodgepole Creck to the summit at the head-waters of said creek; thence northerly follow-naters of said creek; thence northerly follow-naters of said creek; thence northerly follow-

south bank of said creek to the point of commencement."

In that nortion of the Grand Forks-Greenwood Electoral District as follows: "Commencing at the junction of Williamson Greek and the Kettle River; thence following the east shore-line of said river in a northerly direction to the junction of Kettle River and Losthorse Greek; thence along said errect to its source; thence following the height of land in a southerly direction to a point directly east of an unnamed lake forming the source of Williamson Greek; thence westerly to the east shore-line of said unnamed lake; thence following the south shore-line of said lake and Williamson Greek to the point of commencement.

the watershed of the Kettle River and Rendell Creek from their junction and thence in a northerly direction for a distance of approximately six (6) miles to the mouths of Damlino and Arthurs Creeks.

In that portion of the Similkameen Electral District, as follows: "That portion threof being to the south of Whineau Creek between the content of the south of Whineau Creek between

Interict, as follows: "That pot ton thereof to the test of the white water for the Hope-Princeton Kona and the Similarate and Rocke Rivers and Cambic Greek to where Cambic Creek enters the Three Brothers Mountain Game Reserve."

In that portion of the Lilloost Electoral District as follows: "Commencing at the junction of Gun Creek and the Bridge River; thence in an easterly direction following the north shareline of Bridge River to the junction of said river and Tyaughton Creek; thence following entre line of said creek in an easterly and north-westerly direction to the junction of an unamed branch of Tyaughton Creek; thence along the south shareline of this unamed creek in the south shareline of the summed creek in a cast of the south shareline of the summed creek in a continuous Creek; there along the south shareline of Pearson Creek, though the shareline of Pearson Creek; thence along the south shareline of Cyck; thence along the north shoreline of Gun Creek; thence along the north shoreline of Gun Creek; in a south-easterly direction to the point of commencement."

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creek and Gun Creek; the about-easterly direction to the point of commencement."

"DEER K PAMILY" for the purpose of these regulations shall mean and include Moose, Carliou, Deer, and Wapiti (Elk.)

(d.) MOOSE, of the male sex, over one year of age, in the Atlin, Port George, Feace River, and Omineca Electoral Districts, and that portion of the Secena Electoral District, strate and Iying within the Eestern District, open season from September 1st, 1945, to December 16th, 1945.

In the Carlboo Electoral District, those portions of the Lillooet Electoral District strate and lying to the north of the 61st purallel of north latitude and east of the Fraser River, and the Carlboo Electoral District strate and lying to the north of the 61st purallel of north latitude and east of the Fraser River, and Illist hat portion of the Kamloops Electoral District of the Canadian Factor that the main line of the Canadian Factor that Illist hat premise and Columbia Electoral Discounter District of the Pervis and Columbia Electoral Discounter District Discounter District Discounter Discounter

season from September 15th, 1945, to December 15th, 1945.

In the Fernie and Columbia Electoral Districts, open season from September 15th, 1945, to November 15th, 1946.

(c.) MOUNTAIN-SHIEEP, of the male sex.

of the 56th parallel of north latitude, open season from August 15th, 1935, to November 15th, 1945.

In that portion of the Eastern District situate and lying south of the 56th parallel of north latitude and north of the main line of the Canadan National Railway (Prince Rupert to Jasper Line) and in those portions of the Caraboo and Lillouet Electoral Instricts situate and lying-to the south of the Main Chilcotin Elver and west of the France Room, open season from September 18t, 1945, to N. vember 15th, 1945.

In the Fernic, Cranbrook, and Columbia Electoral Prince Carabook, and Columbia Electoral Districts open season from September 18th, 1945.

In the Pernic, Cranbrook, and Columbia Electoral District situate and Salmon Arm Electoral District situate and exact by Admin Lake, on the south by Sunmax Creek, and on the south are considered to the St. House of the 6th meridian, open season from October 15th, 1945, to October 31st, 1945.

(f) MOLNTAIN-GOAT, over one year of

son from October 1910, 1945.

(f.) MOUNTAIN4:OAT, over one year of age, in the Eastern District, in that portion thereof situate and lying to the north of the foith parallel of north latitude, open season from August 15th, 1945, to December 15th,

56th parallel of north latitude, open season from Auxust 15th, 1945, to December 15th, 1945.

In the remainder of the Eastern District (except the South Okanagan, Grand Forks-Greenwood, and Simikameen Electoral Districts), open season from September 1st, 1945.

In that portion of the Simikameen Electoral District situate and lying west of the Ashnola River and south of the Simikameen River, open season from September 15th, 1945, to September 30th, 1945.

(g.) Wal'l'II (ELK), of the male sex, over one year of age, in the Fernie Electoral District situate and lying to the east of the Columbia Electoral Similary of the September 15th, 1945, to September 15th, 1945, to September 15th, 1945, to Lecember 15th, 1945, and the season from September 15th, 1945, to December 15th, 1945.

In that portion of the Salmon Arm Electoral District situate and lying within the watersheds of the Upper Adams River and Garnet Creek, both flowing into the north end of Adams Lake, open season from October 15th, 1945.

In those portions of the Similkameen and South Okanagan Electoral Districts situate and lying to the east of Okanagan Lake and River, open season from September 15th, 1945, to December 15th, 1945.

In the remaining portions of the Similkameen Electoral District, open season from October 18th, 1945, to December 15th, 1945.

PURBEARMING ANIMALS.

October 1st, 1945, to October 31st, 1945.

FUR-BEARING ANIMALS.

(A.) BEAVER, MUSKRAYS, and OTTER (except Sea-otter), in that portion of the Eastern District situate and lying to the north of the 51st parallel of north latitude and in the Yale and Kamloops Electoral Districts, open season from March 1st, 1946, to May 15th, 1946; provided that in that portion of the Eastern District situate and lying north of the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, Otter may be trapped from November 1st, 1946, to April 3046. In the remainder of the Eastern District, open season from March 1st, 1946, to April 30th, 1946.

ALL OTHER RUBBARING ANIMALS (except Bedger) throughout the Eastern District, except Bedger) throughout the Eastern District, except Bedger) throughout the Eastern District,

Note. Squirrels are included in the defini-tion of fur-bearing animals.

(i-1.) DUCKS (except Wood and Eider Ducks), COUTS, GEFSE, in the Eastern District, in the Fence River Electoral District; those pertons of the Atlin, Omineca, and Fort George Electoral District; stimular and lying north of the 56th parallel of north latitude, when the first propulse 1c. 1015, c. 10.

north of the 56th parallel of north latitude, the first produce 12, 1915, to the cemiter 15th, 1945. In the remainder of the Eastern District, open season from September 15th, 1945, to December 30th, 1945.

(i.e.) WILSON'S SUPPE, in the Eastern District, in the Peace River Electoral District, in the Peace River Electoral District, those portions of the Athio, Omineca, and Forter those portions of the Athio, Omineca, and Forter north of the foth parallel of north latitude, open season from September 18th, 1945, to October 31st, 1945. In the remainder of the Eastern District, open season from September 15th, 1945, to November 15th, 1945.

#### UPLAND GAME BIRDS.

(j.) CALIFORNIA QUAIL, in the South Okanagan and Similkameen Electoral Districts, open senson from October 15th, 1945, to November 15th, 1945.

(k.) ELROPEN PARTRIDGE, in the Kamberst Schum Arm and North Okanagan.

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1945.
(m.) PTARMIGAN, in the Eastern District, in those portions thereof known as the Fort George, Feace River, Omineca, Skeena, and Atlin Electron Districts, open season from September 1st. 1945, to October 3lst, 1945. In the remainder of the Eastern District (except the remainder of the Eastern District (except Similkameen, North and South Okanacan, Nelson-Creston—east of Kootensy Lake and River, Cranbrook, Fernie, Columbia, Lillooet, and Caribos Electral Districts), open season from September 15th, 1945, to October 15th, 1945.

River, Cranbrook, Fernie, Columbia, Lilicoet, and Cariboe Electoral Districts), open season from September 15th, 1945, to October 15th, 1945.

(ii.) PHEANANTS, COCK BIRDS ONLY, in the Eastern District, in the Salmon Arm, Kambops, North and South Okanagan, Similkabor, and Columbia C

son from October 10th, 1946, to October 21st, 1945.
COCK BIRDS ONLY, in that portion of the Kaslo-Slocan Electoral District situate and lying within a radius of five miles of the post-action of Nakusa, open season from October 13th, 1945, to October 15th, 1945.
Provided that the hunting or shooting of Phensants in those portions of the Eastern District provided with an open season (except Nelson-Creston Electoral District) shall, on the first three days of the open season, be between the hours of 12 noon and 5 p.m. and during the transmiss days in said district between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.
In the Electoral District of Nelson-Creston the hunting or shooting of Phensants shall, on the dist day of the open season, be between the hour of 12 noon and 5 p.m., and on each or any day during the remainler of the open wason between the hours of 9 s.m. and 5 p.m.

WESTERN DISTRICT (OPEN SEASONS).

BIG GAME.

(0.) BEAR (except White or Kermodel Bear), throughout the Western District, epen senson, on terizity Bear, from September 15th, 1945, to June 20th, 1946, and on Black or Brown Bear there shall be no close senson. Textures that no libear than the trapped in the Western District.
(n.) DEER (Mule and Coast), BUCKS ONLY, over one year of arc, on Vancouver Island and including all of the islands in the Comox and Nanaimo and The Islands Electoral Districts, open season from September 15th, 1945, to November 30th, 1945.

BUCKS ONLY, over one year of arc, throughout the remainder of the Western District, open season from September 16th, 1946, to Newmber 30th, 1946.

(b) MENSE, of the male sex, over one year of arc, in those portions of the Mackenzie and Cariboe Electoral Districts situate and lying north of the 51st parallel of north latitude, open season from September 15th, 1945, to December 15th, 1945, to Ilecember 15th, 1945, to December 15th, 1945.

#### FUR-BEARING ANIMALS.

(e.) ALL FUR-BEARING ANIMALS (except Sea-otter and Hadger), in those portions of the Western District situate and lying north of the 51st parallel of north latitude, open season from November 1st, 1945, to February 28th, 1946; and in those portions situate and lying south of the 51st parallel of north latitude, open season from December 1st, 1946, to February 28th, 1946. Provided that the forezoing shall not apply to the trapping of Heaver, Muskarts, and Otter in that pertion of the Lilioott Electoral District situate and lying to the east of a line drawn north and south (astronomic) of Alta Lake Railway-station on the Pacific Great Eastern Railway and including the watershed of the Upper Lilioott River. Provided further that there shall be no open season for the trapping of Heaver on Vancouver and Queen Charlotte Islan's.

BEAVER, MI SSRATS, and OFTER (except Sea-outer), in that portion of the Eilhoset Electoral District situate and lying to the east of a line drawn north and south castronomic) of Alta Lake Railway-station on the Pacific Great Fastern Railway and including the watershed of the Upper Lilioet River, open season from December 1st, 1945, to April 30th, 1946.

Note.—Squirrels are included in the defini-

## MIGRATORY GAME BIRDS.

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Ducks), GOOTS, and GEESE, (except like Brant and Some Goore), throughout the Western District, except after of the Queen Charlett, except after of the Queen Charlett of the Sind parallel of north latitude, open season from October 13th, 1945, to January 27th, 1946.

In that portion of the Western District situate and lying north of the 52nd parallel of north latitude and includine all of the Queen Charlette Islands, open season from November 1st, 1945, to February 14th, 1946.

(1-2) WILSON'S SNIPE, throughout the Western District, sexept all of the Queen Charlette Islands and that portion of the Western District situate and lying north of the 52nd parallel of north latitude, open season from October 13th, 1945, to December 18th, 1945.

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In that pertion of the Western District situate and lying north of the 52nd parallel of north latitude and including all of the Queen Charbette Islands, open season from November 1st, 1945, to December 31st, 1945.

Provided that in those portions of the Western District known as the Dewdney, Chilliwack, Delta, North Vancouver, New Westminster, Vancouver-East, and Burnaby Electoral Districts, the hunting and shooting of migratory game birds shall cease on each day designated and at or on the time mentioned hereunder:—
October 13th to October 31st 7.10 p.m. November 1st to November 14th 6.45 p.m. November 1st to November 31st 6.20 p.m. January 1st to January 1st to 5.0 p.m. January 1st to January 1st to 5.0 p.m. January 1st to January 1st to 5.0 p.m. January 1st to February 1st to February 1st 1.7.20 p.m. February 1st to February 2st 1.7.20 p.m. February 1st to February 2st 1.7.20 p.m. February 1st to February 2st 1.7.20 p.m. February 1st to February 1st 1.7.20 p.m. February 1st to February 1st 1.7.20 p.m. February 1st 1

BLACK BRIANT and SNOW GESEE, throughout the Western District, oven season from December 1st, 1945, to February 28th, 1946.

Provided in that portion of the Lower Mainfall Research of the Market Mark

## UPLAND GAME BIRDS.

(a.) CALIFORNIA QUAIL, on Saturna and Saltspring Islands, open season from October 13th, 1945, to October 31st, 1945.

On the Mainland, in that portion thereof nown as the Municipality of Delta, open sea-on from October 15th, 1945, to October 21st,

1945.
(c.) EUROPEAN PARTRIBGE, no open season anywhere on the Western District.
(a.) 61091 SE (Hiee only), throughout the Western District (except Texada, Hornby, and Denman Islands, the islands in Howe Sound, and that nortion of the Mackanze Electron.

open season between sunrive and 6:30 p.m.
(9.) PTARMIGAN, in the Prince Rupert Electron District, open season from September 15th, 1945, to October 15th, 1945.

# BAG-EIMITS (EASTERN AND WESTERN DISTRICTS).

BIG GAME.

In respect of big game throughout the Province as defined in the "Game Act," no person in that portion of the Province in the Eastern District north of the main line of the Canadian National Railway (Frince Rupert to Jusper Line) shall at any time kill or take or have in

their possession during the entire open season more than two CARIRIO I and the MATAIN. SHEEP, all of the male sex, over one year of age.

In the terminder of the Eastern District provided with an open season on CARIRIO and the male sex, over one year of age.

In the terminder of the Eastern District provided with an open season on CARIRIO and the MATAINSHEEP, all of the male sex, over one year of age.

Throughout the Province no person shall at any time kill or take or have in their possession during the entire open season more than one MONSE. two MONTEANSHEEP, all of the male sex, over one year of age.

Throughout the Province no person shall at any time kill or take or have in their possession during the entire open season more than one MONSE. two MONTEANSHEEP, and one GRIZZIAY BEAR, and one GRIZZIAY BEAR between September 1st, 1945, and one GRIZZIAY BEAR and Openaber 1st, 1945, and one GRIZZIAY BEAR between January 1st and June 30th, 1946, except in that nortion of the Province situate and lyour morth of the 57th parallel of north latitude and west of the Recky Mountains the hand-limit REZZIAY and season in said and the state of the male sex; provided that in the health of the control of the season in said and time the health of the control of the male sex; provided that in the Nelson-Creston, Crambreck, Ferrie, and Columbia Electoral Districts the seasonal bag-limit shall be three DEFR, one of which may be a WHITE-TAIL DEFR of the female sex, are plets killed or taken or had in possession must be over one part of the control of the cont

## THROUGHOUT THE PROVINCE.

No person shall in any district hereinafter designated kill or take on any one day any greater number of game birds than the daily bar-limit hereinafter set out respectively; nor kill or take or have in their possession, throughout the Pravince, during the entire open season, more game birds than the maximum number permitted to be killed, taken, or had in possession in any district.

MIGRATORY GAME BIRDS.

COOTS: Daily bag-limit, 25; season bag-DUCKS (except Wood and Eider Ducks); bally bardimit, 15 in the argregate; season

Daily burshint, 15 in the aggregate; season bag-limit, 150 in the aggregate; season bag-limit, 150 in the aggregate; season bag-limit, 8 in the aggregate; season bag-limit, 25 of each species; except in the Nelson-Greston bag-limit, 150 in the aggregate; season bag-limit, 25 of each species; except in the Nelson-Greston bag-limit, 150 in a way to be a limit of the Nelson-Greston bag-limit beautiful to the Nelson-Greston beautiful to the Nelson-Greston bag-limit beautiful to the Nelson-Gr shall be three (1) geess and the season bag-limit shall be fifteen (15) geess in the aggre-gate of all kinds.

\*\*PIGEONS (Bund-tailed) (Western District only): Daily bag-limit, 10; season bag-limit, 50)

WH.SON'S SNIPE: Daily bag-limit, 8; season bag-limit, 50.

## EASTERN DISTRICT.

UPLAND GAME BIRDS. CALIFORNIA QUAL: Daily bag-limit, 6; season bag-limit, 24.
EUROPEAN PARTRIDGE: Daily bag-limit,

senson bag-limit, 24.

ELROPEAN PARTRIDGE: Daily bag-limit, 47 senson bag-limit, 20.

GROUSE and PTARMIGAN (except Prairie-chicken or Sharp-tailed Grouse): Daily bag-limit, 60 of one species or 12 of all species; season bag-limit, 50 in the argregate.

PRAIRIE - CHICKEN or SHARP - TAILED GROUSE: In the Peace River Electrical Districts: Daily bag-limit, 6; season bag-limit, 50. In the Fort George and Omineca Electoral Districts: Daily bag-limit, 4; season bag-limit, 15.

PHEASANTS (Cock birds only): Daily bag-limit, 4; season bag-limit, 20 (except the Nelson-Creston, Grand Forks-Greenwood, Kaslo-Slocan Electoral Districts). Daily bag-limit, 2; season bag-limit, 12, in the Nelson-Creston and Grand Forks-Greenwood Electoral Districts, Total and season bag-limit, 2, in the reson-derivative of the Kaslo-Slocan Electoral Districts of the Kaslo-Slocan Electoral Districts provided with an open season.

### WESTERN DISTRICT.

CALIFORNIA QUAIL: Daily bag-limit, 5;

california, 40 Alta (baily bag-limit, 5); esson bag-limit, 20.
GROUNE: Daily bag-limit, 6 of all species of which not more than 3 shall be Ruffed or Willow; season bag-limit, 24 of all species, FHEASANTS (cock birds orly); Daily bag-limit, 3; season bag-limit, 20, FTARVHGAN; Daily bag-limit, 6; season

PTR MIGAN: Daily long-mone, or hard-bar-limit, 21.
Every person shall, upon request of any Game Warden or Constable, furnish satisfac-tory proof to him of the locality and date on which any game was by him killed or taken or had in tra-ession.

which any game was by him killed or taken or had in pro-ession.

2. The problibitions declared by subjection (1) of welfon 25 of the "Game Act" as to the buying, selling, and having in prosession lawfully killed or taken, are breiely removed to the extent and within the periods and imits and subject to the provisions hereinafter set out as follows:

(a.) MODE and CARIBOU, bulls over one

t as follows:—
(a.) MOOSE and CARIBOU, bulls over one (a.) MOOSE and CARIBOU, bulls over one year old, in the Allin and Ominene Electoral Districts, north of the 57th parallel of north lattitude, from September 1st, 1945, to December 1sth, 1945.

(b.) BEAR (except White or Kermodel Boar), throughout the Province at any time during the open senson.

Provided that no other big game or portion threef shall be sold in any part of the Province.

during the open senson.

Provided that no other big game or portion thereof shall be sold in any part of the Province.

3. The open seasons declared by these regulations shall not apply to the following parts of the Province.

(a.) Kaien Island, in the Prince Rupert Electoral District Known as the Colony Farm, and that further portion in said electoral district in the vicinity of Harrison Hot Springs, more particularly described as follows: "Commencing at the mouth of an unnamed slouch entering Harrison Lake west of the Harrison Hot Springs Hotel; thence along the south shore-line of said unnamed slouch to the Agassiz-Harrison Highway; thence anong the south shore-line of said unnamed slouch to the Agassiz-Harrison Highway; thence anotherly along said highway to Harrison Lake; thence westerly along in shore-line of That the contract of Commencing Harrison Lake; thence westerly along the shore-line of That the state of the point of commercement."

(d.) That portion of Namaimo Harbour and vicinity described as follows: "Between highwater mark on Vancouver Island and a line drawn as follows: Commencing at Brechin Point, Departure Bay, near the City of Namaimo; thence in an easterly direction to the most westerly point of Newastle Island; thence along the shore-line of Newastle Island; thence south easterly, and southerly direction to the most easterly, and southerly direction to Stevens and Wright's shingle-mill on Vancouver Island; thence to Jacks Point on Vancouver Island; thence in Agastic Harce to Harrison and Wright's shingle-mill on Vancouver Island; thence in Agastic Harce to Jacks Point on Vancouver Island; thence in Agastic Harrison of the Set Arm of Kootenay Lake at Willow Point Wharf; thence following the Buhamel or 6-Mile Creek Road to the intersection of the Set Arm of Kootenay Lake and Grohman Creek to the mouth of said tirohman Creek; thence across the West Arm of Kootenay Lake and Grohman Creek to the mouth of said tirohman Creek; thence across the West Arm of Kootenay Lake and Grohman Creek to the

Provided that the provisions of this clause nall apply only in respect to the hunting of

main apply only in respect to the nonting of game birds.

(f) That portion of the South Okanagan Electoral District in the vicinity of Kelowna known as Lot M, Plan 1920, Osoyoos Dividen of Yale District. (Comprising land surround-ing trout-souds near Kelowna.)

(g.) That portion of the Salmon Arm Elec-toral Divisor in the highest Scanages, proce-

(g.) That portion of the Salmon Arm Electoral Divisor to the distinct of Salmon Arm Electoral Divisor to the distinct of Salmon and
particularly described as follows: "Commening at the south-cast corner of Lot 525; thence
in a northerly direction following the
west
shore-line of Sicanous Narrows to the Gavernment Wharf; thence in a north-westerly direcment Wharf; thence in a north-westerly direcment of Shusway Lake and Sicanous Narrows to the south-west corner of Lot 452; thence
in a south-westerly direction across Sicanous
Narrows to the point of commencement."

Provided that the provisions of this clause
shall apply only in respect to the hunting of
game birds.

(h.) That portion of Gances Harbour below

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(A.) That portion of canges rearrous penow high-water mark lying north of a straight line running from Scott Point due west to the near-cet point on the west shore-line of said harbour.

(4.) That portion of the Skeena Electoral District known as follows: "All that area in the vionity of Terrace bounded on the north the vionity of Terrace bounded on the north the vionity of Terrace bounded on the north the third of the Skeena River, including Lot 3355 ("nam's Islandy). Lot 5759 on unnamed island), and Lot 6762 (Ferry Island); on the east by the bridge joining Lots 368 and 374; and on the west by a line running directly south of the south-west corner of Lot 1705 to the centre line of the Skeena River."

(j.) That portion of the Mackenzie Flectoral District as follows: "Commencing at the point of intersection of the southerly boundary of Lot 1153 and the west shore of Cousins Inlet; thence exesterly 1,500 feet; thence ensterly 3,000 feet; thence northerly 3,000 feet; thence ensterly 1,500 feet; thence casterly 3,000 feet; thence southerly 4,400 feet; thence casterly 3,000 feet; thence southerly 4,500 feet; thence southerly 4,500 feet; thence northerly 4,500 feet; thence southerly 5,500 feet; thence northerly 4,500 feet; thence south-westerly 3,000 feet; thence south-westerly 3,000 feet; thence south-westerly 3,000 feet; thence northerly 1,500 feet; thence of Link Lake: thence and the west shore of Link Lake: thence and the west shore of Link Lake: thence westerly 2,500 feet; thence north-westerly 3,500 feet; thence north-westerly 5,500 feet; then

back Reservoir. Ine discharge of frearms on or across this water-flow line for any purpose is prohibited."

(n.) No person shall hunt or shoot migratory game birds below high-water mark in those waters on Vancouver Island known as Brentwood Bay and Tod Inlet extending south of a straight line running east and west from Strice that the country of the straight line and the straight line for the straight line and the straight line and line and the straight line and line an

thence southerly along said boundary to the shore of Langford Lake; thence westerly, southerly, and ensterly along the said shore of Langford Lake to the said westerly boundary of Esquimait Land District; thence southerly along maid boundary to the southerly boundary of the Esquimait and Nanaimo Italiway right-of-way; thence casterly along the said southerly boundary to its intersection with Dunford Italian and the said railway right-of-way a distance of three hand failway right-of-way a distance of three hundred (300 yards; thence in an ensterly direction burnled (300 yards; thence in an ensterly way right-of-way to the into the said railway right-of-way to the into the said railway right-of-way with the Island Illian and the said rail stand Highway to the westerly boundary of the Sooke and Metchosin Road; thence northerly along the said westerly boundary of the Sooke and Metchosin Road and the Island Highway to the point of commencement."

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(p.) All and singular that area or tract of land situate, lying, and being in the Municipality of Delta and which may be more particularly described as follows, that is to say: "Commenging at a point on the west boundary: Inco of Green Road at intersection of south boundary of District Lot 116, Group 2; thence westerly along the south boundary of District Lot 116 to Chlukthan Slough; thence southerly along the sasterly hank of Chlukthan Slough; along the sasterly hank of Chlukthan King Edward Street to east of Chlukthan Street of Active Street of the Street of Street

shells, in the hunting of big game, including Beer, is prohibited.

The killing, taking, or trapping of fur-bearing animals by the use of spring-pole traps anywhere in the Province is prohibited.

7. No person shall hunt, kill, or attempt to kill any Migratory Game Bird on any area where baiting is being done or has been done at any time within the calendar year immediately preceding such hunting, killing, or attempt to kill any digratory Game Bird by the or aid of baiting, whether being done at the err aid of baiting, whether being done at the trapped of the distance intervening between the place where such hunting, killing, or attempting to the distance intervening between the place where such hunting, killing, or attempting to being done or has been done; and for the gurass of this reculation baiting shall be interpreted as the attracting or feeding of any with the different principles of the pure shall be interpreted as the attracting or feeding of any symptomy of placed to decoy any wild bird or wild mammal.

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8. There is no open season on any game other than in the open districts and during the periods mentioned in the foregoing regulations.

9. The open season declared by these regulations shall cease to be in effect in any area covered by a closure order issued by the Forest Service of the Department of Lands and Forests and shall continue to be ineffective during the period covered by such Forest Closure Order.

All times mentioned in these regulations refer to Pacific War Time.

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HUNTING ACCIDENTS - During the calendar year 1944 a number of hunting accidents were reported. Careless handling of firearms was responsible for these accidents, with fatal results in many instances. ALL HUNTERS ARE WARNED that any person responsible for the negligent or careless handling of firearms is liable to prosecution under the provisions of the Criminal Code,

# HELP PREVENT FOREST FIRES

PROTECT AND PRESERVE THE FORESTS AND THE GAME &

A PERSONAL MESSAGE FROM THE . GAME DEPARTMENT.

GAME DEPARTMENT.

DON'T destroy fences or property of the FARMER and always ask for permission to shoot over his property.

DON'T shout unless you clearly see and are sure of what you are shooting at. It may be a doe, a cow, or a MAN.

DON'T go hunting until you are acquainted with the game laws.

DON'T shoot harmless wild life. Practise on crows, magpies, and that ilk.

DON'T enter a boat or car with a loaded firearm.

DON'T discharge firearms from an automobile or other vehicle. It is dangerous and against the law.

LEAVE A CLEAN CAMP and a clean record. You may want to come back.

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BE A SPORTSMAN—respect the rights of others. Report violations of the "Game Act."

"Organized distance."

"Organized district" under the "Game Act"
means all that portion of the Province
south of the 53rd parallel of latitude.
Unorganized district "means any past of the
Province north of the 53rd parallel of latitude.

LOADED FIREARMS.—ANY FIREARM HAVING LIVE AMMUNITION in the magazine or breech is considered as being loaded under the "Game Act."

NOTICE TO PROSPECTORS.

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A prospector as defined under the "Game Act" is as follows:—

"Prospector' means a person who is the holder of a free miner's certificate under the 'Mineral Act' or the 'Placer-mining Act' and only while he is actually engaged personally in placer-mining or prospecting.'

Any bona-fide prospector who is the holder of any licence to carry firearms under section 34 of the 'Game Act' may during the open or close season in any unorganized district as defined above hunt and kill and retain in his possession any game for his own use when in actual need of the same for food.

Any bona-fide prospector in an organized district as defined above may hunt and kill and retain in his possession any game during the open season when in actual need of the same for food, and in an organized district during the close season hunt and kill and retain in his possession any animals of the deer family, other than wapiti, of the male sex over one year of age, after having obtained a permit therefor.

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## " BRITISH COLUMBIA ' GAME ACT.'

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"Any non-resident hunter, in order to export trophies secured, must obtain a permit for this purpose from any Game Warden, Provincial Constable, or Government Agent. This permit will be issued upon payment of the fees due on trophies being exported as set forth in subsection (/) of section 34 of the 'Game Act.'

"Non-residents of the Province hunting big game must be accompanied by a British Columbia licensed guide, or a resident under special permit from the Game Commission."

Hunters who wish to ship their trophies from the Province must comply with the provisions of the "Game Act." and the Dominion Customs Regulations in that regard.

The following is a summary of the Customs and Game Regulations which are being furnished for the convenience of non-resident biggame hunters:—

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"Declaration Form in connection with the Export of Moose and Deer (copy of which form can be secured from any Express Agent) must be duly completed. With this declaration the hunter must personally appear before a Canadian Collector of Customs, and only when approved by him and form returned to the Express Company will shipment be permitted to leave Canada.

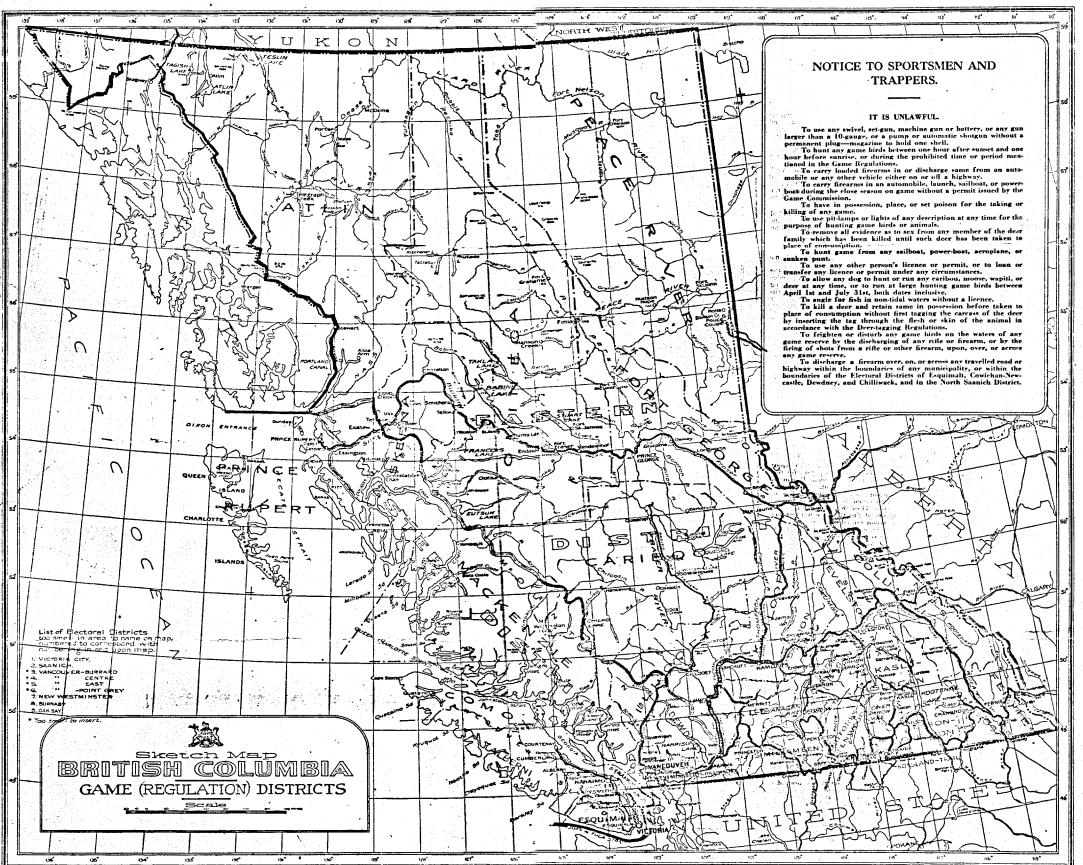
"Customs invoices and Export Entry Forms must also be tendered with the shipment.

"Norg.—Should there not be a Customs Officer at point of shipment, consign trophies to yourself at nearest Customs export point, have form completed on your arrival there, and deliver to the Depot Agent of the Express Company with request to reforward shipment to destination."

## NOTICE TO SPORTSMEN.

All sportsmen are asked to co-operate by taining their firearms licences early in order assist in eliminating the usual last-minute sh.

After careful consideration it has been de-cided to ask the co-operation of all hunters to adopt a uniform distress signal as follows: "Any hunter in the field, in case of accident, distress, or otherwise, should, as a signal, fire three abots, allowing a space of five seconds between each shot, and should any one hear this signal he should reply by firing one shot. Distress signal to be given, if possible, until replied to. If, after a signal has been replied to, tho party in need of assistance should repeat his first signal, but if not in need of assistance it will not be necessary to repeat signal."



Under amendments to the "Game-tag Regulations" a system was put into effect commencing with the season 1933, whereby any person ing with the season 1933, whereby any person purchasing deer-tags will be given credit in the following season for any unused tags, provided he produces his old licence and the unused tags at the time he makes his application for a new licence, the number of the unused tags then being entered on the new licence.

Hunters are requested by the Game Commission to refrain from killing female Bear when it is known they are accompanied by cubs. Do not shoot, take, or molest Bear cubs.

From now on, if at all possible, fishermen obtaining resident anglers' licences will be supplied with copy of the British Columbia Special Fishery Regulations showing open seasons, etc.

LICENCE-HOLDERS HUNTING IN A MUNICIPALITY ARE ADVISED TO AC-QUAINT THEMSELVES WITH ANY BY-LAWS COVERING THE DISCHARGE OF FIREARMS THAT MAY BE IN EFFECT THEREIN.

## A SPECIAL MESSAGE TO TRAPPERS.

The Game Department is extremely anxious to impress upon all trappers the necessity of preserving their fur-bearing animals, especially Beaver. Trappers should refrain from trapping these animals unless they have a sufficient number on their trap-line to warrant trapping.

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The Game Department will give trappers who try to conserve their Beaver, as well as other fur-hearing animals, all the assistance in its power to protect their lines from poachers, but on the other hand, will cancel the lines of those trappers who wilfully overtrap.

Registered trappers are particularly requested to adhere to the following:—

(1.) Do not overtrap; conserve the furbearing animals on your trap-line and refrain from trespassing on any other trappers line or private land.

(3.) Please make your application for renewal of your registered line and your return of catch covering the past season's operations after the expiration of your Special Firearms Licence, or at least before September 30th, as failure to renew or submit your return of catch may place your application for registration in line for cancellation.

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(4.) Report every violation of the "Game Act" or Regulations immediately to the nearest Game Warden or Provincial Constable.

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(5.) Suggestions for improvement of the Trapping Laws will gladly be received at all times and given careful consideration by the Game Department.

(6.) Remember that the use of poison or pit-lamps in taking fur is prohibited.

(7.) Sale or transfer of registered trap-lines is prohibited except under certain conditions, and only on permission of the Game Commission.

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ditions, and only on permission of the Game Commission.

(8.) White men and Indians are urgently requested to co-operate in conserving fur-bearing animals.

(9.) PREVENT FOREST FIRES.—Report any forest fire immediately to the nearest Fire Warden, Game Warden, or Provincial Constable.

(10.) Under 1931 amendments to the "Land Act," it is provided that where any land described in any application for pre-emption record comprises an area situate within the limits of a trap-line registered under the "Game Act," the Minister of Lands and Forests may direct that the pre-emption record shall be granted subject to the continued exercise by the registered holder of the trap-line of all his gifts thereto or thereunder, including the exclusive rights of trapping over that area, for a period not exceeding two years from the date of the pre-emption record, in which case the Minister of Lands and Forests shall cause a notation to be made on the certificate of pre-emption record for entry in the Land Office register and notice thereof to be given to the pregrammation.

(11.) For full information in regard to the Game Laws and Regulations, write to the Game Lows and Regulations, write to the Game Commission, 540 Howe Street, Vancouver, B.C.

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THE OPEN SEASONS DECLARED BY THESE REGULATIONS SHALL CEASE TO BE IN EFFECT IN ANY AREA COVERED BY A CLOSURE ORDER ISSUED BY THE FOREST SERVICE, DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND FORESTS, AND SHALL CONTINUE TO BE INEFFECTIVE DURING THE PERIOD COVERED BY SUCH FOREST CLOSURE ORDER.

> PREVENT HUNTING ACCIDENTS. WEAR SOME DISTINGUISHING CLOTHING. IT IS SUGGESTED THAT "BURNT ORANGE" BE THE COLOUR ADOPTED.