

A SLOCAN RIVER STRING.

SANDON.

SANDON, better known throughout the Province as the Silver City of the Slocan, is situated in the heart of the Selkirks, about half way between the Kootenay and Slocan Lakes. It is the terminal point of the branch line of the Canadian Pacific Railway from Nakusp, and of the Kaslo & Slocan (Great Northern) Railway from Kaslo, these railways meeting and connecting here, and it is thus within easy reach of Nelson, New Denver, Kaslo and other points.

In the matter of personal comforts the town of Sandon offers advantages second to none throughout the district of Kootenay. Although built 3,500 feet above the sea level, the climate is mild and equable, the thermometer seldom falling below zero during the winter, and no matter how warm the summer may be, its nights are always cool and refreshing.

The scenery around Sandon is magnificent, and the mountaineer will find his labor well rewarded by the grand panoramic view of the Selkirks which can be obtained from the summits of the Galena, Payne and other mountains. These can be reached on horseback in a couple of hours or so from Sandon, and saddle horses for the journey can be easily obtained.

Excellent trout fishing can be obtained in the immediate neighborhood, and the adjacent mountains abound with grouse, while larger game is also to be found, bear being plentiful within a few miles of the town.