

WACHORN'S GUIDE.

ONTARIO.—May, 1898.

Open season, both days inclusive.

1st Sept. to 15th Dec.	Ducks of all kinds.
15th Sept to 1st May.	Geese and Swans.
15th Sept to 15th Dec.	Grouse, hares, *partridges, *snipe, *woodcock, plover, squirrel, pheasants, English and Mongolian, protected till 15 Sept 1900. Prairie fowl, close season till 15th Oct., 1900.
15th Oct to 15th Dec.	Quail Rail. Wild Turkeys protected till Oct 15th, 1900. Beaver, protected till 15th Nov., 1900.
1st Nov. to 1st April.	Musk Rat, not to be shot during April.
1st Jan. to 1st May.	Deer—Limit, 2 deer each person, one season
1st Nov to 15th Nov.	Not to be taken in or hunted in water.

Elk, moose, reindeer or cariboo, close season till 25th Oct., 1900.

* May not be sold before 15th Sept., 1900.

No trapping, snares, lines, etc., allowed. Sunday & night hunting illegal and between $\frac{1}{2}$ hour after sunset and $\frac{1}{2}$ hr before sunrise.

Non-residents require a license fee, \$25. Permit to a guest one week free on application to Provincial Secretary, Toronto.

NORTHWEST TERRITORY. (30th Sep. '95)

(a) No Elk, Moose, Cariboo, Antelope, Deer or their fawn, Mountain Sheep or Goat, shall be hunted, taken or killed between the first February and the first October; provided always that no person shall be allowed to kill or take more than six head of the aforesaid animals in any one season, except for the purpose of food for himself or his family.

South of the line between Tps 22 and 23 and east of a line between Rgs. 23 and 24 west of the 2nd mer., none of the above named animals can be hunted, taken or killed until October 1, 1901, but the fawn of any of the said animals may be taken alive and domesticated.

After the first day of October, 1898, the sale or exposure for sale, barter or trade, and the purchase or obtaining by barter or trade, or in any other manner of any mountain sheep or goat or any part thereof is prohibited.

(b) No person shall fire at, hunt, take or kill, in any year, any Buffalo; any Grouse, Partridge, Pheasant or Prairie Chicken, between the 15th Dec. and the 15th Sep; and not more than 20 birds any one day, any kind of Wild Duck between the 15th May and the 23rd Aug; any Plover, Snipe and Sandpiper between 1st Jan. and 1st Aug.

No person shall at any time disturb, injure, gather or take the eggs of any species of wild fowl or birds mentioned in this Ordinance.

None of the contrivances for the taking or killing of the wild fowl, known as Swans, Geese or Ducks, which are described as swivel guns, batteries, sunken punts or night lights, shall be used at any time, nor shall any person use grain, seed or other description of food steeped in opium, alcohol or other narcotics, for the purpose of stupefying and capturing any species of wild fowl, except Geese.

(c) No person shall hunt, trap or kill in any year, any Mink, Fisher or Marten between the fifteenth April and the first November; any Otter or Beaver between the fifteenth May and the first October; any Muskrat between the 15th May and 1st November. Killing of beaver in Eastern Assinibola is prohibited till 1st Nov 1901

No bird named in the foregoing Sections, except Geese, shall be taken or killed at any time by means of any rope, snare, spring, cage, net or trap, nor shall such be set for. And no engine shall be at any time for such purpose, placed, constructed, erected or set, either wholly or in part; and any person finding any rope, snare, spring, cage, net or trap, or engine so placed, constructed or set, may take possession of or destroy the same without such person thereby incurring any liabilities therefor.

Permission can be granted by the Government to procure birds and eggs for scientific purposes during Close Season.

Person, in actual want may kill birds or animals for immediate necessities.