Mountains, is this: It has recently been scientifically demonstrated at the Washington Agricultural College, in the United States, that



Broad Fields and Modern Methods.

but few of the leguminous plants, and especially red clover, can or will propagate or even live where the moisture content of the soil at any stage of its growth falls below 15 per cent. But the disposition or ability of said plant to hold and flourish in the soil here year after year places this portion of the country almost in a class by itself, neither burning up in the summer nor freezing out in the winter. We know of no other portion of Canada (or it might be said of the north temperate zone) where there is such a uniformly distributed precipitation-moderate, yet generous enough to meet all growth requirements. And also, thus carrying within and of itself, through its own legume-producing qualities-the best of the elements for its own soil upkeep and upbuilding-while at the same time producing



Nulki Lake, West of Prince George.