



FISHING FROM CANOE.

would enjoy the exciting trip down the river to the Exploits Station, with several rapids to shoot.

Another fine trip is from Badger Brook up Red Indian Lake and headwaters down the LaPoile River to LaPoile. Another, opening up entirely new country, is up Gander Lake and River from Glenwood on the east coast to Burnt

Hill Pond, with two or three very short portages, to Round Lake, and down to Hermitage Bay, from which point the steamer "Glencoe" can be taken to Port-aux-Basques or Placentia.

There are hundreds of square miles, mere blanks on the map, totally unexplored, not too far from rail or water communication waiting to be explored in Newfoundland; the whole country which is teeming with game, affords innumerable opportunities for adventure and to see the caribou in herds.

GROUSE SHOOTING.

Grouse shooting comes next to deer-stalking in the Terra Novian sporting bill of fare. A more health-giving, fascinating pastime can hardly be imagined. By far the most extensive grouse moors and "barrens" are to be found on the southeast part of Avalon Peninsula, from Cape Ray to Cape St. Mary's.

There is no grouse disease, as in Scotland; the coveys are well apart. It takes a lot of walking and good shooting to get a dozen brace, but the clear, fine, bracing air, and the interest in watching the well-trained dogs, combine to make the grouse shooting in Newfoundland the most entrancing of sports.



LIFTING CANOE OVER RAPIDS.

BLACK BEAR, ETC.

Besides caribou, there are in some localities numbers of black bear. Wolves are now seldom met with; the lynx abound. Beaver, otter and foxes are to be found all over the Island. There are immense numbers of the American or varying hare. There is a big Arctic hare indigenous to the colony, of which a large number are killed every year on the southwest coast and in that section of the country near the Gaff Topsails and Quarry.

FISHING.

Lakes and Rivers.—Newfoundland is a country bountifully supplied with lakes and rivers; all of these abound with trout.

Trout.—The climate and waters of the colony seem to suit the *salmo fontinalis* to perfection. Imported Rainbow and Loch Levens thrive wonderfully. The brown trout, called in America the brook trout,

and by the natives the mud trout, is the most widely distributed of this family. It is found everywhere throughout the Island. Strange to say, in the big salmon rivers they are not so numerous



SALMON.