into the Columbia river—is for some 20 miles a foaming torrent, with here and there a quiet pool that will charm and satisfy the most enthusiastic fisherman.

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From Nelson excursions can be made to the various places of interest throughout the whole district. Daily trains carry one to the Boundary country; the Rossland camp, the site of the celebrated LeRoi mines; to the



coal fields of East Kootenay; to the Slocan country, with its rapidly developing silver-lead mines; to the Ymir mines and other large and important mining centres.

The sportsman can find every requisite for shooting, fishing, hunting and camping in the well furnished retail stores of Nelson and neighboring towns of the Kootenays.