

Canada, which deposit will be returned in full, provided the articles are exported from Canada within six months.

The nearest ports of entry for sportsmen who are going into the New Brunswick Woods from the United States, via the Inter-colonial Railway, are Montreal, St. John, N.B., or Halifax, N.S.

THE HUNTER'S EQUIPMENT

Should Carry Only What is Necessary.

What hunters require when going into the woods after big game, is an important matter for consideration. It is essential that they be properly clothed and fully equipped, for once in the heart of the wilderness, it is impossible to rectify any lack of accoutrement, as they will be several miles from the town where supplies may be obtained. It is safer to take too much, rather than too little clothing into the woods, as a surplus can be readily laid aside, while a lack of essentials cannot easily be remedied. But there should be a limit. Only clothing of a necessary kind should be taken, and as much as possible carried on the person. Many of the so-called "hunting costumes" are made up of a fabric that is utterly unsuited to "still hunting." It is better to wear coat and trousers made of some soft woollen material, a sweater, or knitted jacket, flannel shirt, woollen underwear, with woollen leggings and moccasins or lumbermen's overshoes. Extra underwear, shirts, socks, and plenty of handkerchiefs, will be found convenient. Duck and canvas suits are noisy, and corduroy is heavy and easily soaked by rain. Rubber boots should have no place in a hunter's outfit, as they draw the feet, and induce perspiration which condenses and makes the pedal extremities clammy and damp. The guides are partial to oil tanned moccasins, which are soft and warm on the feet, and enable them to move noiselessly among the twigs and brush. Long hunting boots, such as are worn elsewhere, have the disadvantage of having stiff soles, which are apt to be noisy in the stillness of the forest. There is a moccasin with an extra sole but no heel, that is greatly commended by guides and experienced hunters. Knit woollen socks, such as may be purchased at any country store, are the best kind to wear with the moccasins. The hunter should plan his outfit so as to make the greatest saving in weight and bulk. Baggage is never too light when it has to be carried through the woods; and all that is not required should be