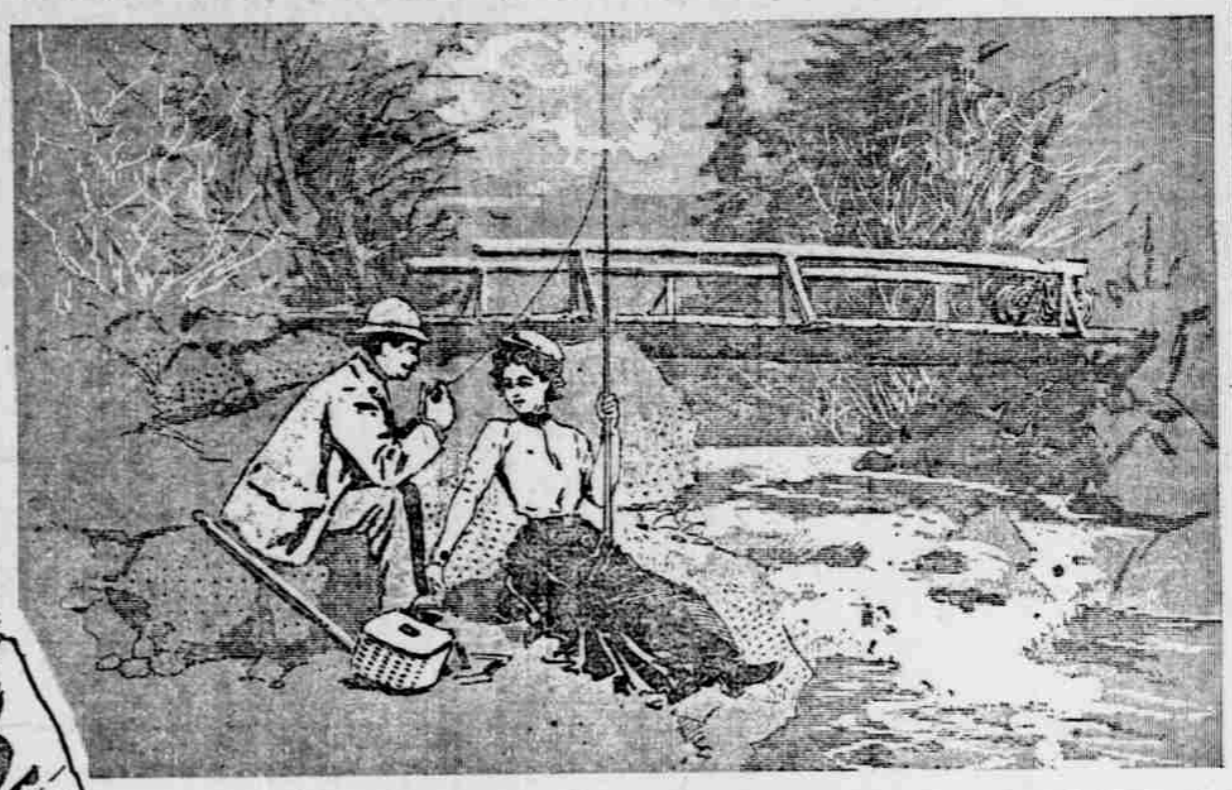


Opening of the Season



Long before the sun pokes his fiery rays over the jagged crest of the Cascades this morning...

The Lewis and Clark, while difficult of access, repays the trouble it takes to gain it...



There is one thing an angler prides himself upon it is his ability to call off the names of the fish he has captured.



species of trout recently introduced into the state by the State Fish Commissioner...

And when the fish are all in, nicely overlaid with meadow grass, and arranged with the big ones on top...

Most of the anglers who fish in the immediate vicinity of Portland—that is, within fifty miles—will find that the enterprising country boy has anticipated them...

Then the Williamson River, in Klamath County, has gained for itself a reputation as a trout stream which has passed far beyond the confines of the State.

Of course, the true sportsmanlike way to capture trout, and the one that gives the angler the purest and greatest joy he can know...

On some of the larger streams, and on the lakes of Southern Oregon, it is possible to fish from a boat...

From the time the white man first set foot upon his soil, Oregon has been the angler's paradise.

The fisherman who starts out today to land a good-sized creel of fish must be prepared for a good many hardships...

Ben Hazard's hut was smoky and cold. Ben Hazard, half blind, was black and old. And he cobbled shoes for his scanty gold.

Up toward the waters of the Clackamas, where Kipling caught his salmon, and on Eagle Creek, in the same neighborhood...

Such wholesale methods of slaughter as the explosion of dynamite in streams and setting the pools have been stopped almost altogether since the sale of trout was forbidden...

Most of the streams on which the fly fishing is good can be waded, and some fishermen prefer hip rubber boots for this occupation.

Repeated experiments in the transplanting of the true brook trout, the salvelinus fontinalis, from the East, have been made by the United States Fish Commission...

Fishing tackle, unless handled with the utmost skill and care, is likely to snarl and tangle; rods will break at the least resemblance of rough usage...

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But with all the information that science has supplied on the subject, with all the observation old fishermen have employed to learn the difference between the different species...

The art of putting a fly in just the spot along the stream which looks as if a trout might be lurking there is one which requires a natural gift for that sort of thing...

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