Outdoor Life in the Rockies

A Little Book of Information for the Vacation Seeker
Describing the Most Desirable Recreation Places in Colorado, Utah and New Mexico
To which has been added
Vacation Estimates
Giving the Cost of Outings in the Rocky Mountain Region

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"The Delectable Mountains"

Outdoor Life for All Among the Rockies

INTRODUCTION BY EDWIN L. SABIN

They came to the Delectable Mountains," runs the chronicle in the famous old Pilgrim's Progress; and the phrase applies in these later chronicles of the thousands of modern pilgrims who annually find heart's desire amidst peak and vale of America's famed Rockies.

That Rocky Mountain region included within favored Colorado, Utah and New Mexico is by every phase—clime, beauties, recreation, conveniences—the one outdoor place for the world. To the camper is proffered tent-life at perfection; to the way-farer awheel, the best of roads, magnificently planned; to the wilderness seeker, a myriad trails rarely trodden, but hospitably waiting; to the sportsman by rod or gun, fin, fur and feather in abundance; to the natural scientist, animal and plant life of all zones from the temperate to the frigid, and rock formations as varied; to the archæologist, cliff-dwelling and pueblo ruins centuries old; to the artist, marvelous vistas of valley, range and plain, most beauti-
ful effects of sunshine, cloud and shadow, entrancing sunsets and sunrises; to the weary and ill, peace and health; to the well of mind and body, added vigor and feats for testing their endurance.

Camping Perfection

Gloriously sunny days, restful cool nights, no dampness, an atmosphere sparkling, crisp, and so transparent as to be a treat to the eyes, with every breath a subtle healing draught of pungent pine and cedar and fragrant sage—this combination alone makes camping in the Rockies a constant surprise to the initiate and a never-failing delight to the veteran.

Such camping should appeal strongly to the head of a family. It is safe and practicable to take wife and children and to spend weeks or months, the tent for a habitation. Elsewhere this is difficult: dampness and consequent colds, sticky heat, insects, dirt, monotony of sites, warmish water, and other annoyances turn family camping into somewhat of a chore. But in the hospitable Rockies the rains are merely short, stirring thunderstorms which quickly pass, and are succeeded by brilliant, drying sunshine; chance colds are combated by deep breathing and bounding circulation; the heat is grateful, not sticky, for because of the thin air one may be instantly cool in the shade, and perspiration rapidly evaporates; mosquitoes need not be thought of, so limited they are, and they never bother at night; dirt is mainly pleasant pine needles, granite, or porous sand which promotes sanitation; no site is monotonous, and no two sites are alike; water is icy, so that every stream, fed by the melting snows, is a refrigerator.

There always is something for every member of the family to do; for the adults, trout fishing, mountain climbing, berrying, exploring some virgin gulch, roaming stately timber or waving meadows, collecting mountain wild flowers, taking pictures of peak, slope and stream, following bear, beaver or deer sign; for the children, rambles without fear of snake or noxious wet, all day in the genial sun, surrounded by a thousand wonders which otherwise they never could experience.

After the day ensues invariably a restful night. At the setting of the sun a delicious coolness rushes in. There is no sleep like sleep amidst the open in the Rocky Mountains.

Camping Conveniences

Even the amateur will appreciate a camping region where the weather is absolutely dependable, and helpful. In addition, there is the abundance of pure, cold running water, and of dry fire-wood. Again, the problem of transportation and accessibility must not be overlooked. Throughout the Rockies of Colorado, Utah and New Mexico extends the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad System, connecting town and wilderness. With camp goods stowed in the baggage car, by Pullman the camper may ride a hundred or a thousand miles, to the locality of his selection, may disembark and plunge into the great friendly open, there to establish his temporary home. When he wants supplies, the railroad will bring them to some near point; when he must leave, speedily he is whirled back to civilization. Thus he saves precious time and much discomfort. On the Denver & Rio Grande camp equipage is accepted and checked as baggage.

By Wheel

A camping trip by automobile, with the idea of halting whenever and wherever a spot appeals, is wholly practicable and will prove thoroughly delightful. It is a recreation trip more widely adopted every year; auto-
mobiles are crossing from Denver to Utah, and carrying their enthusiasm into the heart of the smiling ranges. The soil of this western mountain country contains enough sand and adobe so that it dries and hardens very quickly, and is marvelously resilient. The rapid evaporation through the thin, crisp air keeps it in the best condition—and it is this same atmosphere which, in conjunction with the inspiring scenes and the dependable weather, tends further to make automobilists amidst the Rockies a joy unspeakable.

The old stage-roads forcing the ranges by celebrated passes still furnish admirable highways; and these stage-roads, some of them still in use, penetrate through all sections, covering those localities not yet reached directly by the railroad. Moreover, in Colorado, as the pivotal one of the three mountain states, the mountain counties have organized in a concerted campaign of “good roads building.” Millions of dollars have been spent and millions are being spent, upon county-to-county roads, laid out and maintained for the pleasure of the tourist.

Far-Famed Roads

Among these splendid drives for which miles of granite ledges have been blasted and leveled, is the Rainbow route, from Denver to Canon City, at the mouth of the great Royal Gorge, where from the mountains bursts out the Arkansas River; thence by the Royal Gorge Drive (along the rim of that narrow, amazing chasm, instead of through the bottom where runs the railroad), and the Sky Line Drive (“most unique highway ever constructed by man,” says the traveler, William E. Curtis,) across the divide to Grand Junction of the Grand River, and there swinging south for the San Juan region of Silverton. Connected with this Rainbow Route are its variations which lead north and south, almost without terminus. The Holy Cross Way, the Triangle Drive, the New Santa Fe Trail which comes in at Pueblo—a plains trail that conducts to the mountains; these and others yet unchristened but known to the nature-lover and many a traveler awhirl are bound to be surprises to the uninitiated.

The Varied Way

Now threading a fragrant long valley hedged by slope after slope of evergreens, aspens and flowering plants and shrubs, with the snow-ridges above and beyond; now entering sudden picturesque mining camp, or equally sudden and picturesque little city, nestled like a many-faceted gem set about with design from a magician's hand; now climbing up, up, up, by switch-back loops securely ballasted and guarded, to the top of the world and to the very snow itself; now viewing abroad the majesty of the uncounted peaks, now entranced as much, but in different
chord, by peaceful vale, and park, and rippling stream; now passing mines, now ranches, now camp or town, and now traversing an apparent utter wilderness of pass or cañon or timber ranks, the traveler who elects to take his out-of-doors by automobile, by horse and carriage, by saddle, or by foot, will find the mountain roads from Denver to Santa Fe on the south and Salt Lake City on the west, highways of enchantment.

Moreover, owing to the railway facilities shipment of machine and supplies to any interior point is readily accomplished. Telegraph and telephone are constantly at hand. Ranch or settlement will be found awaiting even in the most out-of-the-way corners. So that, although in the wildest Rockies, the traveler will not be cut off from assistance, when required.

Those persons who would travel along by horse and carriage, or by saddle, need not provide their own outfit; for livery conveniences are proffered virtually wherever one may put one’s finger on the mountain map of Colorado, New Mexico and Utah.

Sites and Scenes

The Rocky Mountain region, as covered by the Denver & Rio Grande, provides every variety of sites for the camper, and halting-places for the way-farer. He has a choice of elevations, from 4,000 feet, as in the fertile valley of the Grand River or in the Salt Lake country of Utah, up to 10,000 feet, as upon the sunny slopes of Marshall Pass and by the Cumbres Divide along the dashing Osier. There are blue lakes, such as Trout Lake, Twin Lakes, Utah Lake, Lake San Cristoval; there are green or tawny rivers, such as the Eagle, the Arkansas, the Rio Grande, the San Juan, the Grand, the Gunnison, and their tributaries; there are deep cañons where camp and pine and river are shut in together, the sun by day and the stars by night looking in; spangled meadows like those of the Gunnison and the Tomichi; lofty passes where the aspens yellow early and where, behind tent or halted vehicle, is a snow-bank; emerald valleys broad like the San Luis, or small and sequestered, nestled among the hills; clear, tingling mountain brooks innumerable; flowery parks engirded by the dark timber. While everywhere are the pines and spruces and aspens, and the wholesome silvery sage, with the grey granite and the snowy crests sentinel about; spring and summer below, sparkling winter above.

Phenomena by Man

Man and Nature both have long been at work in this Tri-State mountain country, to make it the more fascinating, even beyond the fascination of scenic splendor. Back further, apparently, than reach the traditions of the modern Indian, lived, here—lived, built, tilled, loved, fought, died—a race forgotten, except as recalled by their broken pottery and their scattered walls. But in the Mesa Verde region of Southwestern Colorado, by the lower Green River of Utah, in Pajarito Park out of Española or Santa Fe, New Mexico, the tent of Today may be stationed amidst the deserted habitations of a far Yesterday, and wheel and hoof may invade where centuries ago pressed only the sandaled foot.

These ruins, rapidly coming under Government ownership and study, are the interesting remains of the Cliff-Dwellings. The Mesa Verde section (a national park) is perhaps the most celebrated, to date, and should not be omitted. The pueblo ruins are built upon the table-lands or mesas, instead of in the cañon walls. Such are the crumbling relics near Aztec, New Mexico. In fact, southwestern Colorado, southern Utah and north-central New
Mexico, compose one vast tract of these so-called "ruins;" some ruins in fact as in fancy, others only dismantled, as if the occupants had stepped out, changing residences.

This tract is alluring to the intelligent man or woman, whether scientist or not. Fortunately it is reached at once by Denver & Rio Grande train service, and thus is made available to the public. A central camp, for the housing of visitors, is maintained in the Mesa Verde; while the Pajarito National Park likewise is convenient by auto, wagon or horse. To explore other areas, less frequented, is wholly practicable: by excursion, for instance, with camp or touring outfit, from railroad point in Utah, southward to the Grand Cañon of the Colorado, viewing, en route, the Natural Bridges of Utah and the newly discovered Rainbow Bridge; or from the Mesa Verde country south to the lower San Juan River and the Navajo reservation; or from Santa Fe northwest and west indefinitely.

**Phenomena by Nature**

Besides the phenomena left by vanished man—and some of these phenomena are being repeated in the terraced dwellings and the life of the communal pueblo of the New Mexican mountains and mesas today—phenomena by Nature alone make wonderful this favored mountain land comprised in the triangle of the three states. Such is the celebrated Garden of the Gods, adjacent to Colorado Springs. It and its kindred resort of the Manitou district contain enough of drives and walks and climbs and views and springs and secret nooks to occupy the outdoor seeker throughout a summer. There is the national park of the Wheeler National Monument, near to Wagon Wheel Gap, and Colorado National Park, near Grand Junction—spots rife with curious weather-carved formations. And there are other parks, some large, some small, like the Hanging Lake out of Glenwood Springs, Monument Park south of Palmer Lake, in Colorado; the Hot Pots region, out of Heber, Utah; the warm springs of Ojo Caliente at the base of the not yet old volcano Cerro Colorado (Red Mountain), out of Barranca, New Mexico. For the mountain land of the Rockies is a veritable wonderland.
Those Simpler Joys

But let none overlook the fact that out-door life among the Rockies is made sweet through the very joy of living it. Phenomena are not required—although, to be sure, one never can be deprived, here, of the glories of sunrise and sunset, of the blue and the green and the gold and the white of the long bright days, of the cloud-shadows sometimes floating across peak and valley, of the grandeur of the occasional short showers sweeping from crest to crest. However, the mountain dweller may suit his methods to his means, his program to his bent, and miss naught. Mountain life is not all in climbing some peak or “doing” some scene or catching some trout; but the quiet lounging in a hammock amidst the pines, the peaceful gazer from the sunny crag, the slow loiterer in the flowery meadow, realizes that he also is feasting the full his soul, mind and bodily vigor.

Outing Supplies

The out-doors visitor in the Rockies should not be niggardly with his supplies. In the dry atmosphere foods keep indefinitely—subject, of course, to the appetite. Ice cold water is, as said, plentiful. Bedding should not be stinted. The nights are made for sleeping under blankets; and above 7,000 feet there is apt, any night, to be a frost; not killing but sharp. Think of that, you dwellers of the low and sultry levels! Blankets are superior to comforters, for when wet they dry quicker. Wool is the material to be worn next to the skin—or a preponderance of wool. Medium-weight underwear is light enough. For outer garments khaki is much in favor for both men and women; corduroy is standard, but is more bulky. However, it is warm and weather-proof. Stout leather gloves (horsehide is excellent) should be included, to be used in climbing among the rough rocks and trees; and equally stout shoes, with nailed soles—the heels particularly being thus rein-

forced. High shoes are in vogue; but shoes of ordinary uppers, and canvas leggings or puttees will be found sufficient. Thus the legs will be protected against rock and brush, and the ankle will have more freedom. Short divided skirts are the proper attire in this respect for women. Overalls are splendid for the children, and men do not commit any mistake in donning them. A mackintosh should not be forgotten, to be used when sudden showers sweep over; and, as dews are sometimes heavy, water-proof shoes are a comfort.

Tents may suit the party taste and means. Because of the dependable climate the simple lean-to, wherein one may stick his head at night, is entirely feasible, and this may be constructed with just a tarpaulin; but a family will require more.

Outing Suggestions

In all the streams above 7,000 feet or thereabouts the trout will be found in cold storage, waiting; in the streams lower, such as the lower Grand, are other fish—a so-called salmon, cats, etc. The fly fisher may pin his faith to the neutral tints. Anybody who takes in his kit the coachman, grey hackle, professor, red ant, willow, black gnat, and similar combinations, will not far miss his guess. Grasshoppers for the bait fisher are plentiful throughout the summer; earth-worms should be imported, although where there is sufficient moisture they seem indigenous to some localities. The rod should be a light fly or bait rod, nine or nine and a half feet long. The casting rod as used in the East for bass, pickerel, etc., is not practicable for mountain streams.

Supplies of all nature may more conveniently be purchased at the starting-out place—as Denver, Pueblo, Salt Lake, or intermediate towns. And there will be within reach of almost any camp a store, in town or at cross-roads, where ordinary wants can be filled.
The outer in Colorado, Utah and New Mexico is asked to read and to observe the game laws and the forest reserve regulations against fire. The wild life, in animal, tree and shrub, is one of the great charms of the Rockies; and the person who wantonly destroys it is working a wrong upon himself and an injustice upon others. Even the chipmunk and the columbine have their right to consideration.

Care, also, should be exercised in shooting with the high-power rifle.

*Outing Seasons*

The Rockies invite from May until into December. The late spring has its appeal of fresh, bursting verdure; the summer allures with its freedom and coolness; for those who have experienced it, the fall is supreme, when the frosts are painting the long slopes with yellow and maroon, and the days are a constant crisp October, when the big trout are hungry and the deer are sleek and fat. But spring or summer or fall, it is the Rockies, ever the "Delectable Mountains," white-crested, blue-hazed, piney and murmurous and waiting. Whoso visits them once, thereafter yearns to come again.

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*Where to Camp*

**DENVER to GRAND JUNCTION**  
(COLORADO)  
Main Line—Standard Gauge

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**SEDALIA**  
(25 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 5815 Feet.)

Good camping grounds in Devil's Head country, fourteen miles distant, fine canon scenery, pine and spruce trees. Plenty of good spring water. Good roads and some hunting in open seasons. There are bear around the foothills, about seven miles from Sedalia. Camp grounds on public domain. Supplies and livery at Sedalia. Hotel accommodations at reasonable rates.

**CASTLE ROCK**  
(32 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 6218 Feet.)

Some camping grounds in this neighborhood, on Plum Creek. Climate all that could be desired. Supplies at Castle Rock, and from ranches in vicinity.

**PALMER LAKE**  
(52 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7237 Feet.)

Fine camping grounds one-fourth to two miles from station. Easy walking distance or can be reached by carriages, which meet all trains. Grounds are public and no charge for their use. Well timbered, excellent water, beautiful scenery and delightful climate. Fair trout fishing in North and South Monument creeks, Stone Canon, Crook Creek, etc. Row boats on Palmer Lake can be rented at 25 cents per hour. Supplies and good livery at reasonable rates.
GLEN PARK
(52 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7350 Feet.)

The railway station for Glen Park is Palmer Lake, as noted above. Here is one of the most delightful camping places in the Rocky Mountains. The spot is ideal and arrangements can be made for board and tents at reasonable rates.

PINE CREST
(53 Miles from Denver. Elevation 7500 Feet.)

One mile from Palmer Lake. Fishing in Monument and South Monument creeks and in the reservoirs. Thirty cottages, eight designs. Cottages built to suit the tenants with modern conveniences, for sale or rent. Hotel accommodations at The Inn for cottagers and transients. Dancing pavilion, modern steam-heated swimming pool, billiards and pool, bowling alley, six tennis courts.

MONUMENT
(56 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 6972 Feet.)

Good camping grounds half mile from station, on both public and private property, but permission to camp can be secured. Good fishing in Monument reservoir and creek. Nearest supply point, Monument. Good hotel accommodations and livery in connection, at reasonable prices.

COLORADO SPRINGS
(75 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 6036 Feet.)

The Pikes Peak region affords many delightful locations for campers. In the vicinity of Colorado Springs there
are many such sites, made easily accessible by the suburban steam and electric railways. Accommodations may be secured at reasonable rates near the entrance to Cheyenne Canons, at Manitou, at Cather Springs, Rosemont, and Clyde on the Short Line, at the Ute Pass resorts, in Mt. Manitou Park, and at the Halfway House and other points along the Pikes Peak Cog Road; at these various places there are many furnished and unfurnished tents and rustic cabins which may be secured. There is also some good free camping ground. While camping is prohibited in the city park system and on the city water sheds, there are numerous shady nooks and cool retreats on the public domain where no charge is made for rental. Crystal Park, at an elevation of nearly 9,000 feet above sea level, and 2,500 feet above Colorado Springs, nestles a natural amphitheatre of 1,200 acres, studded with beautiful open groves of pine, spruce and quaking aspen, with a lovely growth of meadow grass, exquisite flora and ferns; and offers any number of delightful nooks and corners, ideal for picnicking or any kind of a gathering seeking enjoyable seclusion for their outing. The park is accessible by automobile road, which was constructed in 1910. The manifold attractions of Colorado Springs and Manitou during the summer months make the Pikes Peak region particularly delightful for the summer camper and afford the unusual combination of life in the heart of the mountains with all the conveniences of the modern city close at hand. Camping supplies of all kinds, together with livery outfits and food, can be obtained at Colorado Springs, Colorado City and Manitou, and any one of them will serve as headquarters for mail. There are a great number of hotels and boarding houses at all these points, and it is conservatively estimated that the Pikes Peak region can satisfactorily accommodate upwards of 10,000 visitors during a single day. While fishing opportunities are limited, Colorado Springs is the outfitting point for many of the better-known fishing resorts along the western section of the Denver & Rio Grande. The Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce at Colorado Springs or the agents of this company at any of the above-named points will cheerfully furnish more detailed information upon application.

COLORADO CITY

(27 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 6128 Feet.)


There are many good camp grounds in the neighborhood of Colorado City along the Fountain, and adjacent to the Garden of the Gods. The attractions of Manitou and Colorado Springs are set forth elsewhere in this book and apply equally well to Colorado City, which lies midway between the two points. The scenery is particularly beautiful and the climate all that could be desired. Supplies, livery and postoffice at Colorado City.

MANITOU

(80 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 6336 Feet.)


Many persons camp within the city limits of Manitou during the entire summer, and arrangements can be made for use of vacant property at nominal rental. Furnished and unfurnished tents and cabins may also be rented at reasonable rates. The principal camping grounds are in the vicinity of the Iron Spring, in Ute Pass, at the mouth of Williams Canon, near points along the Cog Road, in Crystal Park and on Mt. Manitou. There is little fishing and no game to speak of, but the manifold attractions of Manitou render it one of the most desirable places to spend the summer for rest and quiet. Many springs noted for their curative properties abound, and altogether Manitou will be found an ideal place for camping. There are many good hotels and boarding houses. All manner of supplies may be secured in the town at very reasonable rates, and there are several large livery establishments, with excellent carriages and saddles. Manitou is located at the foot of Pikes Peak, and that, together with the proximity of the Garden of the Gods, Glen Eyrie, Ute Pass, Rainbow Falls, Williams Canon Cave of the Winds, Crystal Park, Mt. Manitou Incline railway, Red Mountain Incline, and many other points of historic and scenic interest lend beauty and romance to the surroundings.

PUEBLO

(119 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 4722 Feet.)

Situated at the foot of the Rocky Mountains, on the Arkansas River, and justly called "The Pittsburg of the
West, and the second city in the state. It is the center of the smelting and steel industries of the West, and has large stock-raising interests. There are all metropolitan adjuncts of paving, electric cars and electric lighting, combined with first-class hotels. Within Pueblo are 330 acres of parks. There are no good camping grounds in the immediate vicinity of Pueblo. Beulah, twenty-seven miles southwest of Pueblo, and Rye, thirty-five miles southwest, are fine resorts and well patronized during the summer season, both having good hotel accommodations. Supplies of all kinds and first-class livery at reasonable rates obtainable at Pueblo.

BEULAH

(27 Miles Southwest of Pueblo.)

Beulah, in the Greenhorn range, is an excellent camping ground. Here is a popular summer resort in a highly productive agricultural district. Beulah Valley, abundantly irrigated, which is traversed before reaching the town, is especially attractive. This country is unique, as one finds here a combination of mountain scenery, running water, meadow and orchard, which is satisfying for the average vacation. Hunting, fishing, driving and horseback riding, along the streams and numerous trails, afford the nature lover all that he is looking for, and it is all that can be desired for the rest seeker. Beulah has good stores, hotel accommodations, telephones and daily mail stage from Pueblo. Fare, $1.00 each way.

RYE

(35 Miles Southwest of Pueblo.)

A beautiful little village at the foot of Old Baldy, reached via daily automobile and stage from Pueblo or from Graneros, fifteen miles east, via stage daily. The Greenhorn

River flows through the village, and only a short distance is the St. Charles River, both abounding in salmon, rainbow and mountain trout. Deer, bear, mountain lion, grouse and smaller game are plentiful in the mountains adjoining. Magnificent scenery, splendid mountain trails. Facilities for camping are unsurpassed. Complete outfits can be obtained at low cost. Summer cottages, nicely furnished, can be rented at nominal prices. Good hotel accommodations. Supply point, Pueblo.

FLORENCE

(152 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 5199 Feet.)

Good camp grounds on Beaver Creek, ten miles north of town. Good fishing in Beaver Creek and some hunting. Camp grounds on public domain. Duck hunting one to three miles, and deer within ten to fifteen miles of Florence, which is the supply point for twenty miles north and south.

Splendid automobile road just completed between Florence and Colorado Springs, and fine roads in all directions from Florence to camp grounds. Florence is the supply point.

The Sky Line Drive, Canon City

CANON CITY

(160 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 5344 Feet.)

Between Canon City and the entrance to the Royal Gorge, six miles west, there are many places where campers may find suitable locations. The Royal Gorge Hot Springs, with good hotel, are adjacent and afford healthful bathing. The soda and iron springs on western border of the town are noted for their health-giving properties. A beautiful trip may be made from Canon City to the summit of Royal Gorge, eight miles, via the famous Sky Line Drive and Royal
Gorge Road. Canon City is nearest point for supplies, where fishing and camping outfits may be obtained, as well as livery for excursions into the mountains. Good fishing in Beaver Creek.

**PARKDALE**

(171 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 5800 Feet.)

This station is at the western end of the Royal Gorge, nestling at the north side of a natural park, with mountain peaks all around. There is practically no fishing at this point, but game is plentiful, and there is ample room for campers on the banks of the Arkansas River on land belonging to the railroad company. Many trails lead through the mountains, making this spot a beautiful place for a day's outing.

**TEXAS CREEK**

(184 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 6210 Feet.)

Good camp grounds near Hillside and Verdenmont stations on Westcliffe Branch, on public and private lands. Hunting and fishing good. Texas Creek is the supply point.

**WESTCLIFFE**

(209 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7867 Feet.)

On Westcliffe Branch of the Denver & Rio Grande R. R., twenty-three miles from Texas Creek.

The Wet Mountain Valley, of which Westcliffe is the postoffice and supply point, is prolific in camping grounds. The east slope of the Sangre de Cristo range, a few miles distant from Westcliffe, is a heavily timbered and well-watered region, abounding in desirable camping grounds. In this locality are several mountain streams and natural lakes, all of which have been plentifully stocked with trout in recent years. Some deer and grouse in season. The climate in summer and fall is delightful. Livery and supplies at reasonable rates at Westcliffe.

**COTOPAXI**

(192 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 6385 Feet.)

Splendid camping grounds, adjacent to station, on public domain. No fishing, but some hunting—deer, bear, grouse, etc.—ten to fifteen miles from station. Cotopaxi is the supply point.

**HOWARD**

(203 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 6718 Feet.)

Outfitting point for Pleasant Valley. One of the most favored localities in the state for climate and scenery. Situated between Salida and the Royal Gorge, through which flows the Arkansas River and into which empties Cottonwood, Hayden, Stout, Cherry, West, Howard and Bear creeks, which come tumbling in from the everlasting snows of the Sangre de Cristo range of mountains on the south at the rate of a thousand feet per mile, and Badger Creek from the north. Bear, mountain lion, bob cat, coyote, deer, grouse and good camping on all these creeks.

**SALIDA**

(215 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7050 Feet.)

Fine camp grounds at Wellsville, six miles east on the Arkansas River, Hot Springs and baths for bathing; camp grounds free to patrons of the springs. Good wagon road from Salida to Poncha, five miles southwest of Salida, near hot springs and bath house. Camp grounds free; good fishing in South Arkansas and on Monarch Branch of the Denver & Rio Grande R. R. Fine mountain camp grounds in North Fork country, eighteen miles from Salida; excellent fishing and delightful climate. Salida is nearest supply point, and livery may be obtained at reasonable rates.

**VILLA GROVE**

(245 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7972 Feet.)

On the San Luis Valley Branch of the Denver & Rio Grande R. R., thirty miles from Salida. Valley View Hot Springs, within one mile of station, are noted for their curative qualities, and health seekers desiring to camp near these springs can be accommodated. Supplies at Villa Grove.

**MOFFAT**

(263 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7879 Feet.)


**CRESTONE**

(274 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7881 Feet.)

On the Crestone Branch of the Denver & Rio Grande R. R., twelve miles from Moffat. The scenery in its vicinity is unsurpassed in diversity and grandeur, hunting and fishing are of the best, and it is an ideal camping ground. Trout are plentiful in the mountain streams and in Twin Lakes, which are located on the Crestone Peaks. These lakes are reached from Crestone on burros. Deer, bear, wild cats, grouse and other game abound in the vicinity. Crestone can be reached by train three times weekly, by stage or automobile daily from Moffat. Camping grounds are free. Crestone has a good hotel and general stores, where supplies of all kinds can be purchased.

**BUENA VISTA**

(240 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7968 Feet.)

Good free camping grounds on Arkansas River and Cottonwood Creek, short distances from town. Fine camp grounds at Cottonwood Lake, nine miles distant, good fishing in streams and lake, and grounds well timbered. Good camping grounds on the property of the Mt. Princeton Hotel and Hot Springs Company. Fine fishing in Chalk Creek and boating on Mt. Princeton Lake, eight miles from Buena

CLEAR CREEK RESERVOIR—(Granite)
(257 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 8,943 Feet.)

A lake of clear water, one mile long by one-half mile wide, surrounded by well-timbered hills, one and one-half miles east of Granite. Heretofore fishing has been restricted in the reservoir, but in future will be free. The reservoir is well stocked and excellent fishing is afforded. Boats will be placed on the lake and tents may be rented at $5.00 per week. A large dancing pavilion will be one of the features. The climate and surroundings cannot be excelled for a summer outing.

TWIN LAKES—(Granite)
(257 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 8,943 Feet.)

Twin Lakes, nine miles distant from Granite and eighteen miles from Leadville, by daily auto stage, is one of the most delightful and romantic spots in Colorado. The scenery is superb and the fishing excellent, and the campgrounds on public lands are well timbered, shady and cool. Cottages may be rented if desired, and there are good hotel accommodations. This is the home of the land-locked salmon and Mackinaw trout, which at their prime weigh from ten to twenty-four pounds, affording the fisherman the greatest sport to be had in the state. Long distance telephone at Twin Lakes. Supplies from Leadville or Granite.

LEADVILLE
(273 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 10,000 Feet.)

This great mining city lies almost in the center of some of the best trout fishing in Colorado. In the immediate vicinity are the Arkansas River, Tennessee River and Lake Creek, and the beautiful Turquoise and Evergreen lakes, fed from clear ice cold streams from the Saguache Range. All abound in trout. Good camping grounds on public and private lands.

U. S. Government Fish Hatchery at Evergreen Lake

Located near Leadville is one of the largest and best equipped United States fish hatcheries, which distributes enormous quantities of young trout in the adjacent lakes and streams.

TENNESSEE PASS
(281 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 10,410 Feet.)

This station is situated at the very top of the great Continental Divide. Excellent camping grounds on public domain are within short walking distance. Extreme high altitude has proven most beneficial for consumptives. Fishing very good within two miles from station. Splendid spring water. Beautiful scenery. Thickly timbered pine forests and cool weather in hot months make this an ideal camping ground. Nearest postoffice, Pando. Supply point, Leadville, fourteen miles.

PANDO
(293 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 10,599 Feet.)

Situated in Eagle Park, the first fishing camp on the Eagle River, eighteen miles from Leadville, and is a very desirable place to camp and fish. Fish range in size in the river at this point from seven to fifteen and sixteen inches, which make very wholesome eating. Fishing is good from the opening to the close of the season. Hotel accommodations. Supplies and livery may be obtained here. Postoffice and telegraph station at Pando.

RED CLIFF
(294 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 8,668 Feet.)

Many good camping grounds on public lands. South for distance of fifteen to twenty miles is an unsettled mountain country abounding in springs and small streams, with finest
mountain scenery, including the Mount of the Holy Cross. North for 100 miles is wild mountain country. Piney Lake is a considerable body of water on mesa twelve miles north and good place for camping. From two to four miles east is the valley of the Eagle; both east and west of station the Eagle is noted for fine trout fishing, which can be found within fifty yards of the Denver & Rio Grande depot and along the Homestake Branch of the Eagle River, about one mile distant, and some hunting in open season. Good grazing for horses and ample fuel. Red Cliff nearest supply point. Teams and saddle horses at reasonable rates.

MINTURN
(302 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7825 Feet.)

Good camp grounds within short distance from the station on railroad company's lands, for which no charge is made. Eagle River, with excellent water, is well stocked with trout. Splendid fishing and good hunting, up Gore Creek, and good camping grounds. Ranches supply bread, butter, eggs and milk. By previous appointment, it can be arranged to pack from here to Piney Lake, about fifteen miles, for fishing and hunting in season. A two-hour climb over Lion's Head will give one a splendid view of the Gore Range and the Holy Cross country.

AVON
(308 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7465 Feet.)

Situated at the junction of Eagle River and Beaver Creek. Fine fishing, grouse and deer hunting in season. Beaver Lake five miles from station. The flora of Beaver Creek is luxuriant and abundant,—ample material for botanists and lovers of nature. For mountain climbing "Old Baldy" and "Bruin Mountain" afford attraction. Water of creek certified medically pure. Well wooded and grand mountain scenery. Excellent accommodations, livery and supplies can be obtained here.

BERRY'S RANCH
(312 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7300 Feet.)

This is the well-known fishing point on the Eagle River, often called "The Frenchman's." Also excellent fishing up Lake Creek, where good camping grounds are available. Supply point, Avon.

WOLCOTT
(319 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 6970 Feet.)

This station is situated on the Eagle River, which is one of the famous trout streams of the state; camping grounds close to station. There is a good hotel at this point. This is the most accessible route to reach Piney Lake and Creek; good wagon road, which is used daily by the ranchmen located in the neighborhood of the lake; from Wolcott the distance is only twelve miles.

EAGLE
(329 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 6598 Feet.)

Good public camping grounds, well timbered, fine scenery and excellent water almost any desired distance from the station. Good trout fishing in the Eagle River and Brush Creek. Hotel, livery and food supplies to be obtained at Eagle.
GYPSUM

(936 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 6225 Feet.)

Good fishing and fine camping grounds on upper Gypsum Creek, about ten miles distant; also Sweetwater Lake, about twenty miles distant by good wagon road, affords excellent sport for fishermen. Good hotel accommodations in season and fine camping grounds. Livery and supplies obtainable at Gypsum at reasonable prices. It is an interesting drive from Gypsum to Sweetwater Lake, passing over the lava beds near Dotsero and within a mile from an extinct volcano; also Grand River Canon, enroute, cannot be surpassed for beauty and ruggedness. Livery and supplies obtainable at Gypsum.

SHOSHONE

(939 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 6119 Feet.)

In the Canon of the Grand, 350 miles from Denver. Elevation 6,119 feet. Some good camping grounds, with the marvelous Hanging Lake and Coffee Pot caves nearby. Good hunting in season.

GLENWOOD SPRINGS

(960 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 5751 Feet.)

Many good camping grounds on No Name and Grizzly creeks, three to seven miles from town. Canon Creek eight miles, Roaring Fork one mile, are excellent fishing streams, both reached by good wagon roads. Grouse shooting in foothills nearby. Bob cat and mountain lion hunting within five miles of town. Good spring duck shooting five miles distant. Fine scenery, well timbered, excellent water, good fishing. Easily reached by good roads are the Elk Farm and Fish Hatcheries, an eight-mile drive; time required, about two hours; cost, 75 cents per capita for party of four or more, and can take care of any number of people. Hanging Lake can be made for two dollars per capita for party of four or more; this makes a beautiful drive for parties desiring an outing for half a day or a day. Marvin Lake, forty miles; Big Fish Lake, sixty miles; Trappers' Lake, seventy-five miles; Deep Lake, twenty-eight miles, and Sweetwater Lake, forty miles, afford excellent hunting, and can be made with saddle and pack outfit at a cost of about three to five dollars per capita per day. Livery, camp and food supplies obtainable at Glenwood Springs, which is nearest postoffice. Glenwood Springs is one of the most noted resort points in the inter-mountain region; has marvelous hot springs, elegant bathing facilities, many hotels, one the finest resort hotel on the continent.

THE CAPTURED BEAR.
CARBONDALE
(373 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 6181 Feet.)


Ideal camping grounds within reasonable distance, ranging from five to thirty miles; reached by team from Carbondale or by taking Crystal River Railroad to Redstone and Crystal River & San Juan Railroad to Marble, in the heart of the mountains. Grounds are all public, with exception of private park at Redstone. One can find either mountain canons or timbered parks. Excellent view of Mt. Sopris, which rears its head over 12,000 feet above sea level. Many beautiful canons, through which flow clear streams, affording most excellent fishing. Good hunting for deer, elk or bear in the more rugged portions of the mountains in open seasons. The Crystal River and all its tributaries afford ideal country for camping. At Hot Springs, on the Crystal River Railroad, twelve miles from Carbondale, are hot springs, affording good bathing. No charges are made for any of the grounds, all being public. Carbondale, Redstone, Marble and Crystal are points at which supplies and mail can be secured.

ASPN
(401 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7874 Feet.)

Numerous fine camping places near Aspen, up Hunter Creek, Castle Creek and Roaring Fork River, nearest being three miles from postoffice, and from that distance all the way up to a day's drive. Plenty of conveyances can be had to take parties to these places, it being arranged to call for them at a given time. Camping spots generally located close to streams, with timber, brush and mountains adjacent. Very little hunting, good trout fishing on any of the streams named. From Aspen the mountain climbers outfit and start. This sport is gradually coming into favor in this country and appeals to those sound in heart, wind and limb. The Elk Mountain Range, in Pitkin County, has the most rugged peaks and among the highest in the state. In these mountains every sort of climb can be had, from icy slope to rocky buttress, or plain straight up and down. The highest point is Castle Peak, 14,259 feet. Pitch your tent by a trout stream and between times mountaineer.

NEW CASTLE
(373 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 5562 Feet.)

Camp grounds of first-class character all the way from two to seventy-five miles from the station. They are on the public domain, well timbered; good water, fine fishing and hunting in the open seasons. Situated on Elk and Canion creeks, which have been restocked with trout for the last three seasons. Livery and food supplies obtainable at New Castle, which is nearest postoffice. It was from New Castle that President Roosevelt entered the mountains for his famous bear hunt.
generally. Meeker has excellent stores and livery and is headquarters for guides, and with this point as a base, excursions into the game country, varying in distance from five to one hundred miles, may be made, well-repaying the participants for the outlay of time and money. The principal places are along the North and South Forks of the White River and on the White River itself, Marvine Creek, Trappers' Lake, Big Fish Lake, Marvine Lakes and numerous tributaries of the streams named. Parties who prefer hotel accommodations to camping can be provided for at the hotels of Meeker, or at the game and fishing lodge known as Marvine Lodge, Patterson's Home, Mountain Dell Home and at various ranch houses along the river at very reasonable cost. Guides, horses, wagons, pack horses, dogs, fishing tackle, guns, ammunition, tents and camp equipage together with all manner of food supplies, are obtainable at Meeker at reasonable rates. The country around Meeker is prolific in all kinds of big game, and in the open season is the Mecca of many sportsmen from all over the United States. Meeker is the central point and the principal postoffice, though mail may be sent to other points in the vicinity, depending on the location of the camp. Mr. W. E. Saltmarsh, Agent for the Denver & Rio Grande at Meeker, will give his personal attention to any requests for information, or will make advance arrangements for parties desiring to visit this region.

GRAND VALLEY
(404 miles from Denver. Elevation, 5,105 feet.)

Fine camping grounds, fair fishing and good hunting eight to twenty miles on Battlement and Parachute creeks. Deer in season, bear, bob cat and mountain lion. Good hotel accommodations and livery may be obtained at Grand Valley, which is also the postoffice.

DE BEQUE
(417 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 4,915 Feet.)

Grand Mesa Lakes twenty-five miles south, by private conveyance. There are thirteen lakes and fishing is excellent; they are under Government control and camping and fishing allowed under certain restrictions. (Also reached from Delta, on the Marshall Pass-Gunnison Line.) Scenery and climate excellent, good water. Nearest postoffices and supply points, Hotchkiss, Paonia, Delta and De Beque. Glen Beulah Park, Antlers Lodge, Roan Creek and tributaries, Carr Creek and tributaries, lying five to thirty miles north of De Beque, afford excellent camping facilities, with splendid hunting and fishing in the open seasons. Some lands private, with nominal charge, and others on public domain. Ranches and lodges take boarders at reasonable rates. Livery and supplies to be secured at De Beque.

COLLBRAN
(440 Miles from Denver.)

Twenty-three miles southeast of DeBeque, reached by stage daily except Sunday.

Good trout fishing in both Plateau and Deep creeks, from one to three miles from Collbran. Leon Lake, at the head of Plateau Creek, about twenty-five miles distant, and Silver Lake, at the head of Deep Creek, about eighteen miles distant, afford excellent trout fishing. Both streams are kept well stocked, the Collbran Fishing Club having a fish hatchery on the ground. Supplies can be obtained from either DeBeque or Collbran.

GRAND JUNCTION
(450 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 4,583 Feet.)

Golby's Lake, twenty-five miles distant, affords good camping facilities, with excellent trout fishing. Grounds are on public domain and no charge for their use. The country is mountainous, with plenty of timber and shade and delightful scenery and climate. Some large game in the open seasons. Grand Junction is nearest postoffice, and supplies of all kinds, together with first-class livery, may be obtained at reasonable rates.
PUEBLO TO DURANGO
Main Line

GRANEROS
(146 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 8804 Feet.)

Rye and Greenhorn, both reached by stage from Graneros, the former being fifteen miles distant and the latter ten miles. Fine camping grounds at both places, fine shade, unexcelled water, high and cool, with no charge for use of ground for campers. Good hunting and fishing. Good board and lodging at either place in farm houses at about $7 per week. Good hotel at Rye, $7 to $10 per week; very reasonable rates for saddle horses. Mountain trails in fine shape and scenery very fine. All kinds of groceries can be obtained at the stores at either point at reasonable rates. There is a postoffice at each place, also telephone to all points in the state.

HUERFANO
(157 miles from Denver. Elevation, 5665 feet.)

Hotel rates, $7 per week. Baldy Mountain, elevation 14,176, in the Greenhorn Range, fifteen miles from Huerfano can be reached by private conveyance, at the base of which are excellent camping grounds, fine cool water, abundant shade, grazing for horses, trout fishing and plenty of big game in open season. No charge for camp ground. Splendid mountain scenery. Saddle horses and provisions can be had at reasonable rates at Huerfano. Mountain trails in fine shape. Postoffice, Huerfano.

TRINIDAD
(310 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 5994 Feet.)

Twenty-five miles from Trinidad is one of the prettiest camping districts in Colorado. From the Spanish Peaks south to the Vermijo is a series of parks, with luxuriant grass and numerous streams flowing through. On the surrounding hillsides are forests of pine and spruce, interspersed
with quaking aspen thickets, forming ideal places to camp. It is easy to find unoccupied government land on which to camp beside the different branches of the Purgatorio River, fed by the perpetual snows on the Sangre de Cristo Range. Nearest postoffice, Stonewall, in the center of the Stonewall Valley. Railway station, Weston, on Colorado & Wyoming Railroad, eight miles from Stonewall. (Tourists who go to the Stonewall country can find excellent accommodations at the Duling Hotel or Cottonwood Hotel. Rates, $1.50 per day or $8 per week.)

Further south is Costilla Park, situated in the center of the range, consisting of many thousands of acres, through which flow the head waters of the Costilla River. Distance from Weston thirty miles. Hunting and fishing are better here than in the Stonewall Valley, but nearest postoffice and stores are in the valley. On the range there are bear, mountain sheep and deer. Good trout fishing in any of the streams.

Tents, supplies, fishing tackle and other equipment can be obtained in Trinidad, and, if preferred, teams can be hired there to take parties to the valley or to the Costilla.

One of the finest scenic drives in America has been recently completed between Trinidad and Raton, N. M., which is to form part of a grand interstate highway extending from Cheyenne, Wyoming, to El Paso, Texas.

**LA VETA**

(150 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7924 Feet.)

La Veta nestles in a beautiful valley, almost surrounded by high mountains, which are full of splendid camping places, plentifully supplied with good water, timber and fire wood—everything necessary to make camping life pleasant. A number of streams flow from the mountains, all of which supply good fishing. Watotoya Creek, six miles east of the town, has cut its way through canons and gorges of almost unsurpassed beauty and grandeur.

The Cuchara Camps, twelve miles south of La Veta, on the beautiful Cuchara Camps Valley Ranch, affords excellent fishing and an occasional bear for the grown-up hunter. A more beautiful spot than that on which the camp is located will be hard to find, situated as it is in the San Isabel National Forest, in the midst of the beautiful pine, balsam spruce and fir. There are a number of well-appointed cottages, which can be rented at reasonable rates. A commissary has been provided, where campers can procure their supplies.

**GARLAND**

(228 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7936 Feet.)

Good camping grounds. One of the most popular locations is at Fort Massachusetts, on Ute Creek, seven miles from station. Fine trout fishing. Another fine locality is Trinchera Creek, noted for trout fishing, deer and grouse hunting. Mountain Home, five miles from station, is on this stream, being located in a valley twelve miles long and three miles wide, with timber-covered mountains on either side. Sierra Blanca is also located at this point. It is a three days' trip up this mountain and back, by wagon road and trails. En route three beautiful lakes are passed, 13,000 feet above sea level. Livery supplies and guides can be procured at Garland.

![Trinidad Peak, Sangre de Cristo Range, near Stonewall Valley](image1)

![Duck Shooting in the San Luis Valley](image2)
ALAMOSA TO DURANGO
Main Line

ALAMOSA
(252 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7546 Feet.)
The Rio Grande River flows through the town. Good
duck hunting in the open season; also brant and geese. Camp
grounds along the river and at various points in the San
Luis Valley. Supplies of all kinds and livery at Alamosa.

DEL NORTE
(283 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7868 Feet.)
Pinus Creek, thirty minutes' drive; good fly fishing. Rio
Grande River, one hour's drive; good fishing. Myers Creek,
nine miles west; good fishing. All necessary accommodations
at reasonable rates. Board and room, $1.50 to $2.50 per day.

SOUTH FORK
(298 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 8188 Feet.)
On the Creede Branch of the Denver & Rio Grande R. R.,
fourty-six miles from Alamosa.
Situated at the confluence of the South Fork and the Rio
Grande. Good hunting and fishing. Camping grounds in
vicinity. Saddle horses may be hired for trips into the inte-
rior. Telephone connection with outside points. On the
upper branch of the South Fork there are several large lakes
well stocked with trout. Tents and supplies may be obtained
at South Fork. Board and room may be had from $1 to
$2.50 per day.

WAGON WHEEL GAP
(312 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 8449 Feet.)
On the Creede Branch of the Denver & Rio Grande R. R.,
sixty miles from Alamosa.
The country in the vicinity of Wagon Wheel Gap, South
Fork, and in fact all up and down the Rio Grande for a dis-
tance of thirty miles will be found to be one of the most
delightful portions of the state, affording many beautiful
spots for camping. The fishing in the Rio Grande,
Goose Creek and other streams is excellent. At Wagon
Wheel Gap are the famous Hot Springs, noted for their
curative properties. The Hot Springs Hotel, with its new
and strictly modern cottages, heated with hot water, and
the magnificent bath house are situated on Goose Creek, a
short distance from the Rio Grande. Supplies can be ob-
tained at Creede and from the adjacent ranches. Good camp
grounds are within a short distance of the railway. Teams
are not necessary, except for excursions into the interior.
Long distance telephone at Wagon Wheel Gap.

CREEDE
(321 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 8852 Feet.)
On the Creede Branch of the Denver & Rio Grande R. R.,
sixty-eight miles from Alamosa.
Creede is situated in the heart of the Rocky Moun-
tains, close by the Rio Grande, one of the best trout streams
in Colorado, and has over 200 miles of fishing streams and
tributaries within the borders of Mineral County, as well as some of the largest lakes in the state, all abundantly stocked with different varieties of trout. The great Clear Creek Falls and Clear Creek are considered among the finest trout waters in the state. These noted places are reached by good roads.

Creede also contains many other attractive features for the camper in its great mines, tunnels, mills, etc. The largest silver mine in the world is located here. During the hunting season much game is killed in this section, comprising deer, bear, lynx, etc.

Wagon Wheel Gap Hot Springs are located eight miles south of Creede. The surrounding mountains near Creede are full of interest to the tourist. The Wheeler National Monument Park is located but five miles away.

Result of a Morning's Rabbit Hunt near Alamosa

LA JARA
(266 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7609 Feet.)

Plenty of good camping grounds, public and private, both free. Timber lands, grand scenery. Trout fishing, ducks, deer, bear, coyotes and rabbits. Conejos, Alamosa and La Jara creeks. Supply point, La Jara. Climate unsurpassed; good water and grass.

ROMEO
(273 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7736 Feet.)

The Conejos River, with its gorges, is noted for its most beautiful scenery and excellent fishing. Free camping grounds, private and public. Excellent automobile roads and drives far up the canon. Good hotel accommodations and livery.

ANTONITO
(280 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7888 Feet.)


ESPAÑOLA (N. MEX.)
(372 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 5590 Feet.)


Very good camping grounds from twelve to twenty miles away, on Indian Reservation. Public grounds. Teams can be hired at reasonable rates. The grounds are in canons and along the cliffs, and where the Cliff Dwellings are located. There are a number of small streams containing trout. There is but little game to be found. The postoffices are Espanola, Santa Cruz, Chimayo, Pojuaque, Santa Fe and Las Truchas, N. M., and supplies may be had at any of these places. The Pajarito Park Cliff Dwellings, near this point, are very interesting.

SANTA FE (N. MEX.)
(408 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 6968 Feet.)


Nearest camping grounds are located on the Pecos Reserve, a distance of thirty-five miles, reached by private conveyance at reasonable rates. A portion of the grounds are private, but terms for rental are reasonable. Grounds are beautifully timbered, located on the Pecos River, a very beautiful stream and well stocked with mountain trout.

For those interested in archaeology, ethnology, etc., Santa Fe offers one of the best fields for such study in the United States. The summer session of the School of American Archaeology, which is a popular session, will be held at Santa Fe October 3rd to 30th, 1912, inclusive. Probably most of the time will be spent excavating at the Rito de los Frijoles. Last year a similar camp was established and archaeologists from all parts of the world came and lectured or gave talks around the camp fire at night.

OSIER
(518 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 9647 Feet.)

Good camp grounds, hunting and fishing. The famous Toltec Gorge, at mile post 315, is one of the most attractive gorges in Colorado, noted for its sublime scenery and good fishing. The fish in the gorge are native and rainbow, and run up to six pounds in weight. The distance through the gorge is about 800 yards, and the angler is assured of real sport and a full creel. Fishing is excellent for twenty miles above and below the gorge. Nearest supply point, Osier, about two and one-half miles.
CHAMA (N. MEX.)

(344 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7863 Feet.)

Beautifully located at the foot of the Conejos Range of Mountains, in probably the least known and best fishing grounds on the Denver & Rio Grande R. R. system. The Brazos, Navajo, Los Pinos, Elk Creek and Chama rivers are all noted trout streams within easy distances. An organized fishing club keeps the streams well stocked with all varieties of trout. Rigs and saddle horses can be secured at reasonable rates. Good camping grounds near the town or on any of the streams. Good hunting in the surrounding mountains—deer, bear and elk. The scenery is unsurpassed.

PAGOSA SPRINGS

(421 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7108 Feet.)


Here is the camper's paradise. There are numerous streams and lakes, well stocked with eastern brook, rainbow and native trout. Pagosa Springs has a rod and gun club, which, with the co-operation of the County Commissioners, attends to the stocking of streams each season. Within a day's drive of Pagosa Springs are the Navajo, Blanco, Little

Turkey Creek Lake

Blanco, San Juan, Turkey, Wolf, Piedra, Williams and Wimnenuche creeks, Upper Pine River and numerous smaller streams, all well stocked with the speckled beauties. Among the lakes are Born's Lake, Palisade, Turkey Creek Lake, Lost or Granite Lake, the Gun and Rod Club lakes, and many others. The climate is unusually fine, making camp life ideal.

Along these streams and around these lakes are some of the most beautiful camping places on earth. For the hunter there are plenty of bear, lions and bobcats all the year round and deer and grouse in season. For the mountain climber there is Pagosa Peak, Saddle Mountain, Eagle Mountain, Treasurer Mountain, Old Square Top and many others, all far above timber line.

During the summer the mountain berries are very plentiful, and the flavor cannot be surpassed. The hills are covered with beautiful flowers all season, and the mountains abound in columbine. Good permanent accommodations at all the lakes. Tents and camping outfits can be rented at reasonable figures. Nearest postoffice and supply point, Pagosa Springs.

Emerald Lake at the Head of Pine River

IGNACIO

(426 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 6425 Feet.)

From Ignacio there is fine fishing thirty-five miles up the beautiful Pine River, at the head of which is located the Emerald lakes, well stocked with fish. Good hotel accommodations and livery at reasonable rates.

BAYFIELD

(10 Miles from Ignacio.)

Bayfield is located on the Pine River, where fishing is fine; also good camping grounds. Stage leaves Ignacio for Bayfield daily except Sunday. Fare, $1. Good hotel accommodations.
DURANGO

(451 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 6520 Feet.)

The Pine, Piedra, Florida and Vallicito are streams that the state stocks with trout, and it follows that splendid fishing is found in their waters, which flow through scenery of unexcelled beauty and grandeur. Along their banks may be found excellent camping grounds. At Emerald lakes, forty miles from Durango, splendid fishing. Teams, camping outfits and supplies may be arranged for in Durango for the outing twenty to fifty miles distant.

Cascade Lake, covering an area of 1,000 acres, leased from the San Juan Water and Power Company by the Electra Sporting Club, situated twenty miles north of Durango, on the Silverton Branch, has been stocked with 2,000,000 rainbow and brook trout. Excellent fishing, hunting, motor boating and camping facilities. Railroad station, Tacoma. Permits can be obtained from the secretary in Durango.

Duck, grouse and dove shooting in season. Large game also plentiful.

AZTEC (N. MEX.)

(482 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 5686 Feet.)


Good camp grounds near station. Hunting and fishing fair. Cliff ruins accessible from this point. Aztec and Blanca, New Mexico, nearest supply points.

FARMINGTON (N. MEX.)

(496 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 5305 Feet.)


Good camp grounds, public and private, near station. Good water and shade. Hunting and fishing fair. Farmington nearest supply point.
supplies may be secured at Parlin, but most are gotten from Gunnison. Numerous good ranches are in the immediate vicinity, affording excellent accommodations for tourists. Comfortably furnished rustic cottages may be secured. Within easy excursion distance of the famous Black Canon of the Gunnison.

**GUNNISON**

(289 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7682 Feet.)

Gunnison is situated in the upper end of a delta formed by the junction of the Gunnison River and Tomichi Creek. These are two of the greatest trout fishing streams of Colorado, the fame of the Gunnison as a trout stream being known far and wide. Ohio Creek, Beaver Creek, East River, Quartz Creek, Cochetopa Creek and many other smaller streams are located in the immediate vicinity of Gunnison and afford the finest trout fishing in the entire country. Wild game abounds in the gulches near the town. Mountain lion hunting is a favorite sport of the ranchers. Field shooting is the finest, there being plenty of grouse, ducks and sage chickens. Within a few miles of Gunnison are found bear and elk. Being centrally located, Gunnison is a fine supply and outfitting point for camping, hunting or fishing parties. Waunita Hot Springs nestles among the pines at the base of Tomichi Dome.

**COTTONHURST RANCH**

(295 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7680 Feet.)

Situated five miles north of Gunnison, on the Upper Gunnison River, is the Cottonhurst Ranch. The ranch controls a great stretch of river for fishing, and at several points the stream widens into deep pools, where the famous Loch Leven trout make their home. Cabins and tents may be rented at reasonable rates.

**ALMONT**

(300 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 8042 Feet.)


Located at the junction of the Taylor and East rivers, which form the Gunnison. Here are forty miles of excellent fishing on the Taylor River and Clear Creek, Taylor River abounding in large rainbow trout and Clear Creek in native trout. Many good camp grounds on public domain near station free of charge. Excellent fishing in all streams in neighborhood. Numerous cabins and a comfortable hotel building at Almont add materially to the attractiveness of the place as a summer resort. One of the best fishing and resort places in the state.

**JACK'S CABIN**

(303 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 8309 Feet.)


To the northward is Crested Butte, Colorado's famous coal camp, and still farther northward lies Italian Mountain,
A Camp in the San Miguel Range, near Trout Lake
a great metalliferous mining section. If you would roam in
a perfect wilderness of flowers, as a diversion from fishing
and hunting, you have but to start from Jack's Cabin to the
northward, and soon you will find yourself in a very riot of
color. The gulches and hills in northern Gunnison County
are famous for their wild flowers. Taylor and East rivers are
easily accessible, and both give the fisherman full measure
of pleasure for his efforts. Good hunting in season. Ranch-
ers in the neighborhood will furnish board and teams for
travel over the country.

CRESTED BUTTE

(316 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 8878 Feet.)

On the Crested Butte Branch of the Denver & Rio Grande
R. R., twenty-seven miles from Gunnison.

This little "paradise of sport" reposes in the center of a
beautiful range of the Rockies, known as the Elk Mountain
range. Fine mountain trout fishing in Taylor River, Slate
River, and a great many tributaries.

Large area of attractive camp grounds. Small and big
game hunting—grouse, sage hen, rabbit, mountain lion, deer
and bear—unsurpassed in radius of twenty miles. The fine
water, healthful climatic conditions, and the diversified and
magnificent mountain scenery combine to make this locality
unusually enticing for those seeking rest and recreation. The
flora of this section is remarkable for its many beautiful
species. Good hotel accommodations at reasonable prices.

Crested Butte nearest supply point.

PITKIN

(316 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 9188 Feet.)

Good hunting and camping grounds and fine fishing.
Grouse and sage hen shooting on Bowerman Mountain
during season. Good hotel accommodations at Waunita Hot
Springs and Pitkin.

IOLA

(299 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7434 Feet.)

There are many desirable camping grounds along the banks
of the Gunnison within short distances from the station. The
fishing in the Gunnison River is excellent, being among the
very best in the state. Sage chicken shooting in vicinity.
At Iola is a good hotel, and livery may be obtained there as
well as supplies. South of Iola, at Powderhorn, is excellent
trout fishing and deer hunting in season. Cebolla Hot
Springs is eighteen miles from Iola by daily stage, where good
hotel accommodations will be found as well as ample camp-
ing grounds. Powderhorn is postoffice for the Hot Springs
and vicinity.

CEBOLLA

(297 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7354 Feet.)

One of the finest and most desirable fishing points
along the Gunnison River. Has gained a world-wide reputa-
tion in recent years for the number and extraordinary size
of trout caught there. Cebolla River empties into the Gunni-
son at this point. Both streams are kept plentifully stocked
with trout. Sage chicken shooting is fine around Cebolla
Excellent hotel and fourteen log cabins.

SAPINERO

(316 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7355 Feet.)

Numerous public camping grounds along the many beau-
tiful mountain streams and natural springs. Mountain and
brook trout in abundance in Elk Creek, Sapinero Creek, Pine
Creek and Gunnison River. Up these streams from five to
twenty miles are found blue and willow grouse and sage
chickens in abundance and some larger game. Sapinero is
located near the mouth of the Black Canon, at the junction
of the Lake Fork and the Gunnison, one of the most beau-
tiful scenic spots in Colorado. This is where the larger
tout abounds, three prize trout having been caught in the
Black Canon of the Gunnison, making Sapinero a popular
resort for fishermen who like to connect with the big fellows.
First-class hotel accommodations and log cabins in connection
at reasonable rates. Supplies and conveyances or burro trains
with guides can be secured at reasonable figures.

LAKE CITY

(351 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 8666 Feet.)

On the Lake City Branch of the Denver & Rio Grande
R. R., thirty-six miles from Sapinero.
Good camping grounds from five to thirty miles distant, on public domain. Trout fishing close to town, in the Lake Fork of the Gunnison and in Henson Creek. Excellent fishing is also found four miles distant in Lake San Cristoval (altitude, 9,000 feet), one of the largest and most beautiful bodies of water in Colorado. Here is a magnificent twelve-mile drive, skirting the very edge of the lake. Delightful climate and an ideal spot for camping. Some of the most magnificent scenery in the Rockies is found in this vicinity, while mountain climbers may try their skill on the precipitous Uncompahgre Peak, a few miles to the west. Fine duck and deer shooting adjacent to Lake City in season. Supplies and livery at Lake City.

Enjoying Life near Cimarron

CIMARRON
(339 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 6926 Feet.)

Situated in the Black Canon of the Gunnison. Fine camp grounds from two to fifteen miles from the station on Cimarron River; excellent fishing on the Gunnison River, and for twenty miles on the Big and Little Cimarron. Camp grounds on public domain adjoining streams, for which there is no charge; good water in stream and fine timber; scenery very beautiful and climate delightful. Cimarron nearest post office and supply point. Good board at Cimarron and at ranch houses at reasonable rates.

CEDAR CREEK
(341 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 6731 Feet.)

Good camp grounds on public domain adjacent to station. Fine camping grounds and fishing at River Portal of Gunnison, nine miles from station. Grand scenery in the Black Canon nearby.

MONTROSE
(352 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7811 Feet.)

Montrose is situated in the heart of the great fruit belt, on the Uncompahgre River. There is some game back in the foothills at the base of the Grand Mesa, and naturally many places where camps may be established to advantage. Livery and all manner of supplies obtainable at Montrose, which is also nearest post office.

RIDGWAY
(377 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7003 Feet.)


Good camp grounds at Hortellis Lake, three miles distant. Private lands, no charge. Plenty of shade and fine scenery. Dallas Creek, two and one-half miles; Cow Creek, five to eight miles; Beaver Creek, eight miles, and Owl Creek, ten to fifteen miles, afford good fishing and fine water. Splendid camping grounds. Beautiful scenery. Livery and supplies can be procured at Ridgway at reasonable rates.

OURAY
(387 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7721 Feet.)


Good camping grounds, both public and private, reached by private conveyance, from five to ten miles distant. Well-timbered lands on the Uncompahgre. Magnificent scenery and delightful climate. Livery and all kinds of supplies to be obtained at Ouray. This is the starting point of the Circle Route stage for Silverton, a distance of twelve miles.
DELTA
(373 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 4980 Feet.)

Many good camping grounds at Grand Mesa Lakes, and on Surface Creek, Ward Creek, Young's Creek and the Gunnison River, five to forty miles from Delta. The fishing is good and climate delightful. Most of the camp sites are located in the cedar timber and afford good shade and cool resorts. Postoffices at Cedaredge, Eckert, Austin, Hotchkiss, Paonia and Delta. Supplies may be obtained from all these points, though largest stores will be found at Delta.

HOTCHKISS
(398 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 5369 Feet.)


Excellent camp grounds on La Roux, Crystal and Holy Terror creeks and Gunnison River, ten to twenty-five miles distant. Situated on public domain, well timbered, abounding in game of all kinds, including trout, deer and bear, and amid magnificent scenery. Reached by good wagon roads and trails. Supplies, livery, etc., at Hotchkiss. Postoffices at Hotchkiss, Crawford and Maher.

PAonia
(406 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 5604 Feet.)


Splendid camping grounds on public lands on Holy Terror, Hubbard, Elk, Big Muddy, Little Muddy, Bear and Cow creeks and Gunnison River, five to thirty miles from station by good wagon roads and trails. Camp grounds on timbered lands for four miles distant. Camp grounds are located on timbered land amid a profusion of beautiful scenery, and abounding in game of all kinds, including trout, deer, elk, bear, etc. Supplies and livery at Paonia.

SOMERSET
(415 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 6655 Feet.)


Good camping grounds, timber and open, and excellent fishing on Anthracite Creek from seven to sixteen miles from Somerset. Nearest supply station, Somerset. Pack outfit can be obtained by arrangement with ranchers five to seven miles up the North Fork. Plenty of scenery, but no wagon roads. Excellent grouse and bear hunting.

WHITEWATER
(412 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 6655 Feet.)

Good fishing fifteen miles distant on Kalnrah Creek. Deer, grouse and sage hen hunting twenty miles distant. Camping grounds reached from here are at an elevation of from 7,000 to 10,000 feet, and are delightful and cool. Best of water. Arrangements can be made from this station for bear and lion hunts. Good hotel accommodations and livery at Whitewater, which is nearest supply point.
THE RIO GRANDE SOUTHERN RAILROAD
(COLORADO)

PLACERVILLE
(404 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7341 Feet.)

Good camping grounds from one-half to twenty miles distant, reached by team or saddle horse, grounds both public and private; no rental charge; both timber land and plains; very good scenery; trout fishing in creeks tributary to San Miguel River; small game. Hot Mineral Springs open the year round; baths, etc. Good hotels at reasonable prices. Nearest postoffices, Leonard, Saw Pit, Placerville and Norwood, last three towns being supply points.

TELLURIDE
(422 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 8256 Feet.)

Telluride is located amid grand and impressive scenery, and on the slopes of the pine-clad mountains will be found many desirable locations for healthful camps. Good fishing in the South and Lake Forks of the San Miguel and Trout Lake, which are of easy access by rail. Telluride is a good outfitting point for the above fishing resorts, and livery, supplies, tents, etc., may be secured at reasonable rates.

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OPHIR
(422 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 9236 Feet.)


TROUT LAKE
(426 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 9802 Feet.)

This magnificent sheet of water lies within a few steps of the railway and affords many delightful camp grounds. It is an ideal summer camping resort. Myriads of trout inhabit the lake, the climate and scenery are superb and the pleasures of a camp at this spot are many. Ranches border the lake, where horses, boats and small supplies may be secured. There is no rental charged for camping. Supplies may be secured at Ames, Ophir and Telluride. Postoffices at Ames and Ophir.

RICO
(443 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 8737 Feet.)

Many delightful camping grounds on Dolores River, Coal Creek, Fish Creek, Scotch Creek and their tributaries, from two to twenty miles from station, amid grand scenery and delightful climate. Fine soda springs inside city limits. Excellent mountain water in the streams and fine fishing and hunting in open seasons. Dunton Hot Springs, sixteen miles distant, is a fine resort, with good bathing facilities, and surrounded by excellent camp grounds. All camp grounds are in the midst of fine timbered region on public domain, affording cool, shady retreats. Rico and Dunton nearest postoffices and supply points. Good livery to be secured at Rico at reasonable rates.

DOLORES
(479 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 6957 Feet.)

Dolores is the gateway to the hunting and fishing country in the Montezuma National Forest Reserve. There are many good camping places, the most important being Dolores Hot Springs, about thirty miles distant. The Cliff Houses are about twenty-five miles away. Grounds are public. There is a hotel at Hot Springs; scenery is beautiful, mountain and plain. Dolores and Cortez are supply points. Dolores is a good point from which to reach the Cliff Dwellings. Some bear, deer, trout and all kinds of small game.
Mancos

(499 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7088 Feet.)

Excellent fishing in Mancos Creek. Good lion, bear and bobcat hunting in this vicinity. This is the debarking and outfitting point for the wonderful ruins of the ancient homes of the Cliff Dwellers. This is an outdoor journey and camping experience made doubly interesting by the antique ruins and delightful scenery. Journeys to the ruins can be made lasting from three days to as many months, and each day will be replete with new and startling wonders. Guides, camp outfits, horses and pack animals and all manner of supplies to be secured at Mancos. The agent of the Rio Grande Southern Railroad at Mancos will make advance arrangements with guides and liverymen for parties desiring to visit the Cliff Ruins, on application by mail. The Mesa Verde where the Cliff Dwellings are located, has been set aside by Congress as a national park, the superintendent's office being located at Mancos.

Camping Out—A Typical Summer Scene in Colorado
GRAND JUNCTION TO OGDEN

Main Line

LOMA
(464 miles from Denver. Elevation, 4,595 feet.)
Salmon and white perch fishing in Grand River, two miles. Beautiful camping grounds in Horse Thief Canon, scenery grand. Deer hunting in season ten to fifteen miles. Postoffice and supply point, Loma.

FRUITA
(450 miles from Denver. Elevation, 4,530 Feet.)
White River, thirty miles north; Douglas Creek, thirty-five miles east, and Pinon Mesa, thirty miles south, with Kalmah Creek and the Little Dolores running near, furnish fine camping grounds. Excellent fishing in any of the streams and good hunting in the surrounding country. All points reached from Fruita via wagon road. Reasonable rates for livery. Several days can be spent to advantage among the monoliths, in the recently created park, Colorado National Monument, the entrance being only two miles from Fruita. Good hotel accommodations obtainable here.

GREEN RIVER
(UTAH)
(555 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 4,080 Feet.)
Good camping grounds adjacent to station and for several miles up and down the Green River, reached by private conveyance. Private grounds mostly, but usually no objection to camping on same. A day's ride with a good pack outfit brings one to the head of Rattlesnake Canon, at the top of the divide between the great Uintah country and the Green River Valley. Here you are in the midst of the bear and deer country. Plenty of the best of water, wood, etc., making ideal camps. A three days' ride down the river in a gasoline launch brings you to the cataracts of the Grand Canon of the Colorado, where the walls of the canon are a mile high, overlooking the Natural Bridges of Utah, among the greatest wonders of nature in the West, where the Green River approaches the Grand Canon of the Colorado, thence up the Grand to Moab. Beyond these are seen the tops of the Henry and Blue mountains, covered with verdure, extending high above the other country like an oasis in the desert, on whose sides are numerous trout streams, and where large game abounds. Plenty of fish common to the Green River, small game near station and large game plentiful (such as deer and bear) twenty-five to forty miles out. Supplies, conveyances and packs can be secured at Green River station. Fine scenery, fishing and hunting may be had on this trip. Gasoline launches and row boats can be secured at any time with or without attendants for trips up or down the river.

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PRICE
(619 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 5,547 Feet.)

COLTON
(644 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7,170 Feet.)
The Pleasant Valley Branch, between Colton and Scofield, affords beautiful camping and fishing grounds. Grounds mostly public. Mountain scenery, streams, small valleys and some timber. Fine trout fishing in the streams. Nearest postoffice and supply point, Colton.

SCOFIELD
(660 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 7,675 Feet.)
Good camping grounds on Fish Creek in this vicinity. Public grounds. Good fishing on Gooseberry Creek, some miles distant, but necessary to pack. Also other points two to five miles above station, in timber lands. Scenery grand, altitude 8,000 feet, weather cool during entire summer. Teams can be had at Scofield to take parties to grounds. Good duck hunting and some deer within five miles of Scofield. Scofield nearest postoffice and supply point.

TUCKER
(658 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 6,275 Feet.)
First-class camp grounds on Soldier Fork, Spanish Fork, Tie Fork, Clear Creek, Indian Creek and in Pleasant Valley, on public lands; climate delightful and scenery magnificent; well-timbered lands. Fishing in all above streams is fairly good.

THISTLE
(676 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 5,933 Feet.)
Good camping grounds on Diamond Creek five to ten miles distant. Public grounds, reached by wagon. Good water in Diamond Creek, and usually good fishing. Timber along creek, good mountain scenery. Thistle nearest postoffice and supply point.
FAIRVIEW
(709 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 6953 Feet.)
Good camping grounds about six miles distant, on Small Creek. Public lands, well timbered. Very good fishing twelve to thirteen miles distant on Huntington. Good camping grounds, well timbered. Fairview nearest postoffice and supply point,ivery, etc.

MT. PLEASANT
(713 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 5857 Feet.)
East of Mt. Pleasant, about ten miles, and extending a distance of probably twenty miles north and south along the mountain top, is a series of plateaus, which provide splendid camping grounds during the summer months. The streams provide fine fishing, water and feed are plentiful. the scenery is magnificent and the timber and undergrowth provide ample shade for all purposes. Bear are plentiful throughout the mountains, and deer are numerous. The fishing grounds are reached by several good wagon roads and are about four hours’ drive from Mount Pleasant.

MANTI
(727 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 5330 Feet.)
Good hunting in the mountains near by; bear, deer and mountain lion in season. Beautiful camping place at Funk’s Lake, a natural reservoir in a basin, high mountain peaks on the east and low foothills on the west and north. Five miles from Manti; stage or private conveyance. Grounds are private, but rental would not exceed $1.50 per week. Rabbits, sage hens and prairie chickens abound. Nearest postoffice and supply point, Sterling, one-half mile.

RICHFIELD
(780 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 5308 Feet.)
Camp grounds at Fish Lake, thirty miles distant, at an elevation of 9,750 feet. Here is located a hotel with many cottages and tents for rent at reasonable prices. Gasoline launch and row boats on the lake. Excellent trout fishing in lake, as well as numerous streams. Mountain climbing. Teams to be secured at Richfield or Salina, which are nearest postoffices and supply points. Good fishing and scenery.

ELSIMORE
(788 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 5335 Feet.)
Good camping grounds in Monroe Canon, two miles distant. Fine fishing. Magnificent scenery. Large plunge baths. Waters noted for their medicinal quality. Reached by stage from Elsinore, four miles distant. Supply point, Monroe.

MARYSVALE
(808 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 5839 Feet.)
Splendid camping grounds along the Sevier River and adjacent canons, on Government land. High mountains rise on both sides, and mountain streams teeming with trout pour into the Sevier River at frequent intervals. Country is well timbered. Marysvale supports several good stores and hotels. Panguitch, at a distance of sixty-five miles, south of Marysvale, furnishes good fishing, and is situated in a canon with good camping grounds all around on public land. Panguitch, nearest postoffice and supply point, fourteen miles from lake. Several good stores and hotels. Some of the best fishing in the state is no doubt found here. Good hunting in the surrounding country, close to station—bear, deer, mountain lions, rabbits, grouse and a few quail.
CASTILLA SPRINGS

(680 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 4912 Feet.)

These hot springs are fast becoming famous for their medicinal qualities. Good camp grounds in the vicinity and on Diamond Creek, one and one-half miles distant, well appointed hotel and excellent fishing. Supplies obtainable at Springville, Castilla and Thistle.

SPRINGVILLE

(691 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 4555 Feet.)

Good camping in Hobble Creek Canon, six miles from Denver & Rio Grande depot. Grounds at Kelly's, Sanford's, Crandall's, and other ranches. Especially fine for families on summer outings. Grounds private but free. Good board at reasonable prices if desired.

Good trout fishing in Hobble Creek. Good hunting in surrounding mountains. Bear, deer, mountain lion, grouse and quail.

Good fishing and duck hunting at Utah Lake, three miles from town, in season. Three livery stables. Reasonable prices.

Outfitting point for the famous Strawberry Valley, where fishing and hunting are good the entire season. Nearest post-office and supply point, Springville.

SPANISH FORK

(693 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 4558 Feet.)


PAYSON

(702 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 4610 Feet.)


The shores of Utah Lake, ten miles distant, afford many delightful camp grounds. Good fishing, and duck shooting in open season. Postoffice, livery and supplies at Payson.

PROVO

(696 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 4512 Feet.)

Excellent private camping grounds can be had at Upper Falls resort, and at Forks, located on the Provo Canon Branch of the Denver & Rio Grande, eleven and twelve miles respect-
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shady camp grounds and delightful scenery and climate. Post-office, livery and supplies at Charleston. Strawberry Valley, described under Heber, is also accessible from Charleston.

HEBER

(722 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 5599 Feet.)


There are numerous places in Provo Canon which offer tempting invitations to parties desiring to camp out, chief among these being Spring Dell and Upper Falls, at both of which places hotel accommodations may be secured. There are also tents for rent to parties who wish to avail themselves of the same, a nominal rate being charged. There is excellent trout fishing in the stream which runs through the canon, and grouse and small game upon the hills. In the immediate vicinity of Heber are the Hot Pots at Midway, about three miles from the Heber depot. About one mile beyond the Hot Pots is Hoover's Grove, which is quite popular as a camping ground. But by far the most popular camp-

Lake Blanche, Cottonwood Canon, Utah

ing place is Strawberry Valley, about twenty-five miles distant, and easily reached by wagon. Here are all kinds of game, both large and small, and the finest specimens of brook trout are to be found in abundance. There are several hotels, at which excellent accommodations may be had. A good livery stable, fully equipped, is ready at all times to supply the needs of campers at a moderate charge.

GENEVA

(705 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 4502 Feet.)

Resort located on the shores of Utah Lake, which is twenty miles in length and twelve miles wide, in the heart of Utah Valley, at the foot of the Wasatch Mountains. Hotel accommodations. Good camping grounds at small rental. Fine bass and trout fishing. Lake boating.

Bass Fishers, Utah Lake

AMERICAN FORK

(709 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 4563 Feet.)

Good camping grounds on shore of Utah Lake, one and one-half miles from station, also in American Fork Canon, seven to twenty miles. Both reached by private conveyance. Free private camping grounds at lake. Public grounds in canon. Grouse and sage hens in canons. Catfish, bass, trout and suckers in Utah Lake. Artesian water on lake shore. American Fork Canon, celebrated for its varied and beautiful scenery. Fine springs and clear cold running water in canon. Above point also reached from Lehi.

LEHI

(713 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 4550 Feet.)

Five miles southwest of Lehi, near banks of Utah Lake, are situated Saratoga Springs—a delightful bathing resort, hot water—containing splendid medicinal properties, particularly beneficial for rheumatism. Utah Lake is a fresh body of water, about one and one-half miles from Lehi, and is noted for trout, black bass and catfish fishing. Good hotel accommodations and livery at reasonable rates.

MIDVALE

(730 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 4365 Feet.)

Private camping grounds and summer resort at Wasatch, eleven miles east of Midvale, in Little Cottonwood Canon, Wasatch Range of mountains. Reached by team from Midvale. Number of good cottages, rent $2 to $5 per week. Fine trout fishing.
MURRAY
(23.4 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 4310 Feet.)

Nearest camping ground is six miles from station in Big Cottonwood Canon, reached by stage every day during season. Grounds public; some private grounds cost $1 per week for camping privilege. About twelve miles from mouth of canon is Brighton, a summer resort, with cottages and tents to rent. Has hotel and store during season, and is a very desirable place to camp. Trout fishing very good in Big Cottonwood Creek. Postoffice and supply point, Brighton.

SALT LAKE CITY
(741 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 4235 Feet.)

"Camping out" is a favorite summer diversion of residents of and visitors to Salt Lake City. There are so many ideal camping-out places, distant from 12 to 100 miles, that it is hard to particularize. It might be said with accuracy that camping is found highly enjoyable all about the "City of the Saints." The City Creek Canon, which is reached in a few minutes' walk from Temple Square, gradually widens out as it reaches the summit of the hills many miles away, affording innumerable camping grounds amid the shade of the cottonwood and other trees and shrubs that line the banks of the little stream. Emigration Canon, reached by electric cars from Main Street direct to the summit of the Wasatch Range, from which point a magnificent panoramic view of mountain ranges and valleys for a hundred miles in all directions is obtainable. Eight miles distant from the heart of the city, begins the favorite canon known as "Parley's," through which winds a branch line of the Rio Grande road, always keeping company with the little mountain stream that dashes over the precipice to the power house and reservoirs below. In this canon are several popular resorts, the principal of which are Pharaoh's Glen, Mountair and Felt's Resort, all of which offer particular advantages to campers. The railroad affords additional attrac-
tions in that you can board a train and reach Salt Lake City or the opposite terminus, Park City, in an hour's time. Parley's Canon presents a succession of shady places suitable for camping along its entire length, with the novelty of good trout fishing and hunting, as well as mountain climbing, in the immediate vicinity. No place in Utah is more attractive nor the environment more beautiful than Parley's Canon. The Little and Big Cottonwood canons, reached by team from the city, lead through countless groves of cottonwood trees to "Brighton's," or the "Summit." In the vicinity of Brighton, twenty-five miles from Salt Lake City, and along the shores of Lake Mary, Lake Blanche or Silver Lake, Nature has fashioned the contour of the country as if with special aptitude to the wants of campers. Here are fishing, boating, hunting and mountain climbing at an altitude of 7,000 to 9,000 feet, where the days are always bright and warm and the nights so cool that blankets and comforts are brought into requisition. Saltair Beach, thirteen miles from Salt Lake. Suburban trains every forty-five minutes in season. Fare, twenty-five cents. Finest salt-water bathing in the world. Immense dancing pavilion and other amusements. Lagoon Resort, fifteen miles from Salt Lake. Electric service every forty-five minutes. Fare, fifty cents. Salt Lake City is the natural outfitting point for most of the trips mentioned in Utah, and as all tourists would naturally want to see the attractions of this quaint and picturesque city of the Mormons, it is well to purchase your ticket to that point and make your diverging trip therefrom.

OGDEN

(778 Miles from Denver. Elevation, 4293 Feet.)

Good camping, fishing and hunting in vicinity. Ogden Canon, one of the most beautiful in the West, is reached by electric lines of the Ogden Rapid Transit Company, and a fine automobile road.

Good hotel accommodations at the Sanitarium, Hermitage and Idlewild resorts, located respectively two, seven and eight miles from Ogden.

Plenty of timber and good camping grounds at various points in the canyon. Good trout fishing in Ogden River and its tributaries.

Malan's Heights, eight miles from Ogden and 4,000 feet above the city, is reached by private conveyance. Ample hotel accommodations and fine camping grounds.

From this point can be plainly seen the snow-capped peaks of adjoining mountain ranges, the Great Salt Lake and the highly cultivated valley below, dotted with prosperous orchards and farms.

The famous Utah Hot Springs, located twelve miles north, are reached by an electric car line. Good hotel accommodations.

Good duck shooting in vicinity, among which might be mentioned the grounds of the Wasatch Gun Club, twelve miles northwest of the city and two miles from car line. Also North Shore Gun Club, ten miles west of Ogden. Arrangements can be made for a few days' good shooting during season at either of these clubs and at a reasonable expense.

Good deer and bear shooting during season in the mountains east of the city, from five to fifteen miles distant.
Trips to Mountain Resorts
For Health and Pleasure Seekers

In the following estimates seven days is the length of time figured at each hotel, as it is presumed that those who are simply in search of rest or health will wish to spend at least that period at one resort. If, however, a shorter or longer stay is anticipated, it will be an easy matter to reduce or increase the estimate accordingly. Very often, of course, considerable reduction in the hotel rate can be secured for a longer period.

PALMER LAKE AND GLEN PARK

Palmer Lake is 52 miles from Denver on the exact summit of the divide between the Platte and Arkansas rivers (altitude, 7,237 feet). It is just at the foot of the mountains, into which most enjoyable excursions may be made riding, driving or on foot. Glen Park and Pine Crest adjoin Palmer Lake on the south. There are also excellent golf links in the vicinity.

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PINE CREST

Pine Crest is a delightful resort adjoining Palmer Lake on the south, recently established for the benefit of those who desire to purchase or rent cottages. A boarding house will provide meals for those who do not care to do their own cooking. Dancing pavilion, modern steam-heated swimming pool, golf links, tennis courts, etc.

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Vacation Estimates

It is not to be expected that all tourists will care to spend their entire outing in camp, and for the purpose, therefore, of giving the vacation-seeker some idea as to the cost of various sight-seeing tours a few "Estimates" have been carefully prepared, showing approximately the railroad fares, hotel bills and incidental expenses.

The estimates shown herein under "No. 1" include room and board at the higher-priced hotels, also somewhat more expensive carriage drives, i.e., for more elaborate turnouts, smaller parties, or greater distances. Under "No. 2" the estimates are based on prices at less expensive hotels where satisfactory accommodations can be secured. It should be understood that all figures excepting railroad fares are approximate, although in no case will the cost vary greatly from the amount shown.

The railroad fares given are special rates in effect daily throughout the season, May 15th to October 31st. It should be remembered, however, that at frequent intervals still lower rates are made on account of conventions, excursions, etc., of which you can take advantage and thus materially reduce your expenses.
COLORADO SPRINGS AND MANITOU—PIKES PEAK REGION

These popular resorts are so close to each other, both as to distance and interest, that we include them under the same heading. Colorado Springs is 75 miles from Denver, while Manitou is five miles farther west at the foot of Pikes Peak. The two points are connected by a branch of the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad and by an electric street-car line. Among the many sights places in the vicinity are the Garden of the Gods, Glen Ferie, Williams Canon, Cave of the Winds, Monument Park, Pikes Peak, Ute Pass, Rainbow Falls, Mt. Manitou, Red Mountain, Crystal Park, reached by a newly built private auto road ten miles long. Grand Caverns, Cheyenne Canons and Seven Falls, while the iron and soda springs at Manitou constantly afford refreshment for the tourist. Lovers of golf will find first-class links at Colorado Springs.

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Fare from Pueblo to Colorado Springs, $2.45 (Manitou 20c higher).

CANON CITY AND THE ROYAL GORGE

The Royal Gorge—in the Grand Canon of the Arkansas, 165 miles from Denver—is the most remarkable chasm in the world through which a railroad passes. Like Niagara Falls, the Yellowstone National Park and the Natural Bridges of Utah, the Royal Gorge is one of Nature's masterpieces, and its grandeur has been heralded in all parts of the world. A few minutes' ride beyond the peaceful town of Canon City, the train enters the portals of the Grand Canon of the Arkansas, whose walls narrow rapidly until at the Hanging Bridge they are only thirty feet apart and rise perpendicularly for over half a mile. Words cannot depict the grandeur of this eight-mile ride through the Canon of the Arkansas. When first examined it seemed impossible that a railroad could be constructed through this stupendous canon. There was scarcely room for the river alone, and granite ledges blocked the path with their mighty bulk. But the energy of man in time conquered, the obstructions were blasted away and the roadbed, closely following the contour of the cliffs, was made, and today the canon is a thoroughfare and a world-wide wonder for thousands of transcontinental travelers. The top of the Gorge (2,027 feet straight above the track and river bed) can easily be reached by wagon or auto from Canon City by way of the famous Sky Line Drive and Royal Gorge Highway. En route from Denver you will pass Palmer Lake at the summit of the divide, Colorado Springs, with Manitou and Pikes Peak nearby, and Pueblo, with its great
smelters and steel works. Stop-overs are allowed at Canon City within transit limit on all Colorado and Utah Tourist and Pacific Coast tickets.

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BUENA VISTA HOT SPRINGS

This resort is located 245 miles from Denver near the Collegiate Peaks, Mount Princeton, Yale and Harvard. The springs are in the romantic Cottonwood Canon and have a temperature of from 120 to 140 degrees F. The water possesses great curative properties, and ample bathing facilities are afforded. Within easy access is Cottonwood Lake, well stocked with mountain trout, forming a great attraction for the angling vacation-seeker. These hot springs are located five miles from the town of Buena Vista. En route from Denver you will pass Palmer Lake, Colorado Springs, with Manitou and Pikes Peak nearby, Pueblo, Royal Gorge in the Grand Canon of the Arkansas, Salida (from which point a one-day side trip may be made up Marshall Pass, if desired), Brown's Canon and the Collegiate Peaks.

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LEADVILLE

Leadville, the highest city in the world (altitude, 10,200 feet), is 275 miles from Denver, in the center of the great gold and silver mining district which became famous in the late seventies. On account of its lofty position and the famous mines which are so easily accessible, the city is of extraordinary interest to the tourist, and for the sportsman it is a most convenient outfitting point for the fishing grounds along the Eagle River and at Twin Lakes, both of which localities are well stocked with mountain trout. On the way from Den-

A Mountain Lion at Close Quarters
 ago by a gradual deposit of lime from the mountain streams. Luxuriant pines, ferns and moss combine with the lake and falls to form one of the most beautiful spots in the Rockies.

En route from Denver to Glenwood Springs, the traveler passes Palmer Lake at the summit of the divide, Colorado Springs, with Manitou and Pikes Peak nearby; Pueblo, with its great smelters and steel works; Canon City, with the State Penitentiary, Royal Gorge and the Grand Canon of the Arkansas; Salida, Brown's Canon, Collegiate Peaks, Leadville, the highest city in the world; Tennessee Pass and the canons of the Eagle and Grand rivers.

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Week end tickets, good 10 days, on sale Fridays and Saturdays. $10.00.

GUNNISON

Gunnison, situated 288 miles from Denver, is a most desirable resort point and is particularly attractive to the fisherman. It is located on the Gunnison River, famous for the great trout catches made every season by the devotees of the rod and line. Excellent hotel accommodations are afforded for those who desire to remain in town and take occasional fishing and pleasure trips into the surrounding country, while the sportsman who wishes to follow his pastime more strenuously can obtain a suitable camping outfit in Gunnison at a reasonable price. The well known fishing points of Cottonhurst Ranch (summer camp of the Denver Press Club), Almont, Pitkin, Parlin, Iola, Doyle, Cebolla, Hierro, Kezar, Sabinero and Cimarron are all in this vicinity and may be easily reached.

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OURAY

Set in a great amphitheater, from which there are but two outlets, is Ouray, the famous resort of southwestern Colorado. It is situated 387 miles from Denver on the narrow gauge line, being reached via the Marshall Pass route. For picturesque location Ouray surpasses all other towns in the Rocky Mountains, while its hot springs have gained fame for their remarkable curative properties.

Among the carriage drives the visitor should not fail to take the trip over the famous Circle Route Stage Line from Ouray to Red Mountain, which comprises twelve miles of the grandest mountain scenery in the world. Box Canon is also one of Ouray’s attractions and is within easy walking distance.

On the way to Ouray the traveler passes some of the most magnificent scenic wonders of all those afforded by the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad, including Colorado Springs, with Manitou and Pikes Peak nearby, Royal Gorge in the Grand Canon of the Arkansas, the far-famed Marshall Pass,

Landing a Big One on the Gunnison
the Black Canon of the Gunnison and the remarkable Cure-canti Needle, besides traversing the great fruit districts near Canon City and Montrose and in the Uncompahgre Valley.

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WAGON WHEEL GAP

Wagon Wheel Gap is located 312 miles from Denver on the Rio Grande, the best trout stream in southern Colorado. It is attractively situated and has become a favorite health and pleasure resort, possessing excellent mineral hot springs, which are noted for their curative properties. The recently established Wheeler National Monument Park, with its wonderful sandstone formations, is easily reached by a new Government trail from Wagon Wheel Gap, being twelve miles distant. In addition to the carriage drives in the immediate vicinity, various side trips on the railroad may be made to Del Norte, Monte Vista, Creede and other adjacent points. The Hot Springs Hotel is well appointed and conducted, while the spacious bath house is provided with every variety of baths, including two large swimming reservoirs. Wagon Wheel Gap is visited annually by many expert anglers from the East, who have always found the waters of the Rio Grande abundantly supplied with the gamey mountain trout.

En route to Wagon Wheel Gap the following points of interest are passed, at which stop-overs may be made if desired: Palmer Lake, Colorado Springs, with Manitou, Pikes Peak nearby, Pueblo, La Veta Pass, Spanish Peaks, Sierra Blanca and Alamosa, the metropolis of the great San Luis Valley.

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Pagosa Springs is in southwestern Colorado, 421 miles from Denver. Its elevation is 7,108 feet. The town is provided with good hotel accommodations and bath houses. The waters carry a very high degree of natural heat and have some remarkable cures to their credit. The beautiful San Juan River, abounding with trout, runs through the village, making it an ideal resort for the fisherman.

En route from Denver to Pagosa Springs the tourist passes Palmer Lake, at the summit of the divide, Colorado Springs, with Manitou, Pikes Peak and the numerous other attractions adjacent thereto, Pueblo, "The Pittsburg of the West," La Veta Pass (9,392 feet), the great San Luis Valley, the magnificent Toltec Gorge, and the Jicarilla Indian Reservation, just over the boundary line in New Mexico.

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Round trip fare from Colorado Springs, $23.85; from Pueblo, $21.85; good 30 days.
Famous Scenic Trips
For Sight-Seeers

The following estimates are arranged for those vacation seekers who do not desire simply to go to one point and remain, but who wish to cover the ground in a sight-seeing way, with occasional short stops at points en route. The estimated time at destination is therefore made as short as possible. Open-top observation cars are operated during the summer months on daylight trains through the Royal Gorge, Grand Cañon of the Arkansas, Cañon of the Grand River and Black Cañon of the Gunnison furnishing ample opportunity for viewing the magnificent scenery. Dining cars (service a la carte) are run on all through standard gauge trains.

DENVER TO GRAND JUNCTION AND RETURN

On this popular trip you pass the following points: Palmer Lake, Pine Crest, Colorado Springs, with Manitou and Pikes Peak nearby; Pueblo, where may be seen the great...
OUTDOOR LIFE IN THE ROCKIES

smelting and steel works; Florence, the oil center of Colorado; Canon City, where is located the Colorado State Penitentiary; Royal Gorge, in the Grand Canon of the Arkansas; Marshall Pass (altitude 10,846 feet); Curecanti Needle, in the famous Black Canon of the Gunnison, and the great fruit districts of Montrose, Delta and Grand Junction. At Grand Junction close connection is made for the return trip via the standard gauge line through Glenwood Springs, where at least one day’s stop-over should be made. On leaving Glenwood Springs the route is through the Canon of the Grand River, Eagle River Canon and over Tennessee Pass, returning at Salida to the line on which the going trip was made and thus affording another opportunity to view the wonderful Royal Gorge on the return to Denver.

This trip is planned to leave Denver on the evening train. Should one desire to leave on the morning train and lay over night at Salida, this could be done at approximately the same expense by eliminating the Pullman charge.

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DENVER TO SALT LAKE CITY OR OGDEN AND RETURN

Up to Grand Junction this trip is the same as the “Grand Junction” trip preceding and to that point the foregoing description will suffice. Soon after leaving Grand Junction, Utah is reached. The first locality of special interest is the wonderful Green River country, which has lately come to the front as a great fruit-raising section. Leaving the station of Green River, the train passes the high Book Cliffs, lying to the north and west. Far to the south may be seen the outlines of the strange rock formations where the Green River approaches the Grand Canon of the Colorado. Following Price River, the train enters the canon of the same name and soon the beautiful Castle Gate bursts into view. A little later the older settled sections of Utah begin to appear and there is much of interest all the way on to Salt Lake City and Ogden, including the fertile Utah Valley and Utah Lake. In Salt Lake City the visitor should spend at least three days, and a still longer period can be utilized to advantage. The principal points of interest are those in connection with the Mormon Church, being the famous Temple and Tabernacle, the Bee Hive House (formerly the home of Brigham Young’s wives), the Lion House, the old School House, Young’s grave, etc., etc. Fort Douglas, the United States Military
Post, is located near the city. Of course at least one trip should be made to Saltair Beach, on the shores of the great salt sea. From Salt Lake City many beautiful excursions can be easily made to Park City, the Hot Pots, Bingham and other points of interest in the vicinity. The Denver & Rio Grande continues northward, through a curious lagoon region, the Great Salt Lake and Antelope Island on the left, the Wasatch range on the right, past steaming hot springs, many thriving truck ranches and orchards, thirty-seven miles to Ogden. This, in size the second city of Utah, snugly nestling where a spur of the Wasatch terminates, contains good hotels, broad streets, handsome residences; and has large manufacturing interests. Ogden Canon, opening out of the city and reached by auto or other vehicle over a superb road, is a marvelous beauty spot. Four miles from the city is a hot springs resort.

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**AROUND THE CIRCLE**

One Thousand Miles Through the Rockies

Years ago this great trip was planned by the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad and became popular at once, until now the name is familiar throughout the country. There are several ways of making this journey. The most popular trip is from Denver, Colorado Springs or Pueblo via the Royal Gorge, Salida, Marshall Pass, Black Canon, Montrose, Ridgway, Durango, Toltec Gorge, Alamosa and La Veta Pass. And in this route there are two variations, viz., between Montrose and Durango. If the "rail" route is desired, the trip is made via the Rio Grande Southern Railroad from Ridgway through Telluride, Rico and Mancos, from which point the Cliff Dwellings are reached. If the traveler wishes to use the stage line, he should take the Denver & Rio Grande from Montrose to Ouray, the Circle Route Stage line to Red Mountain, the Silverton Railroad to Silverton and the Denver & Rio Grande through Las Animas Canon to Durango.

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The "Circle" trip can also be made via Grand Junction and Glenwood, in lieu of Marshall Pass and Black Canon, at an additional charge of $5.00.

The side trip from Mancos to the Cliff Dwellings, occupying three days, may be made at an additional cost of $15.00 for one person, or $2.50 each for two or more, which price includes team, guide, meals and lodging.

The Aztec Ruins near Aztec, N. M., may be visited with a one day side trip from Durango, at a cost of $2.50 for railroad fare and approximately $5.00 for livery hire.

**DENVER TO SANTA FE**

Santa Fe, the capital of New Mexico and the oldest city in the United States, is 406 miles from Denver and is of great interest to tourists because of its antiquities and its connection with the early history of the country. There is evidence that this locality was inhabited as far back as 1325, which would antedate the Pilgrim Fathers by nearly 300 years. The queer streets, the low adobe houses, the historical buildings and the Mexicans themselves serve to make a stay in the City of Holy Faith a most interesting and enjoyable one. Several days should be utilized for sight-seeing in Santa Fe.
En route from Denver you will pass Palmer Lake, Colorado Springs, with Manitou and the Pikes Peak region nearby; Pueblo, Walsenburg and the surrounding coal mining regions; La Veta Pass, Spanish Peaks, Sierra Blanca, Alamosa, in the fertile San Luis Valley; the volcanic formations in the northern part of New Mexico, and then the series of picturesque Indian pueblos to be seen at frequent intervals from Embudo to Santa Fe, among them being San Juan with its two churches and gilded statue of the Virgin, Santa Clara and San Idelfonso. From Servilleta, a side trip by stage may be made to the famous Indian pueblo of Taos, twenty-five miles to the east, at a cost of $10.00 for the round trip. A stop-over at Espanola will afford an opportunity to visit the queer Mexican town of Santa Cruz, with its ancient church. The Pajarito Park and the Cliff and Cave dwellings are all easily reached from that point.

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Round trip rate from Colorado Springs, $18.15; from Pueblo, $18.35.

Trip from Espanola to Pajarito Park and Cliff Dwellings, including guide, team, meals, etc., $10.00 per day. Similar arrangements may also be made at Santa Fe.

Local Tourist Rates

During the entire summer season the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad will sell Local Tourist Round-Trip Tickets from Denver, Colorado Springs, Manitou, Pueblo and Trinidad to many points on its main line and branches in Colorado, Utah and New Mexico at greatly reduced rates.

Tickets on sale for only 30 days from May 15 to October 31, 1912, inclusive. Limit thirty days from date of sale, not to exceed November 15, 1912.

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*Limit 90 days. On sale June 1st to September 30th, final limit October 31, 1912. Tickets with Limit 30 days, 90 days or November 15, allow stoppers in both directions within final limit. Side-trip tickets may be purchased from Durango to Aztec, N. M., and return at $2.20, or to Farmington, N. M., and return at $3.00 in connection with any round-trip ticket reading to or through Durango. $10 Day Limit. $20 Day Limit.


**Condensed Game Laws**

**COLORADO**

Open season for trout and grayling in running streams (not less than seven inches long), May 25th to October 31st; and in lakes, May 1st to October 31st; and in no instance between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 4:00 a.m.

Open season for doves, August 1st to September 1st, except in altitudes of 7,000 feet or over, it shall be July 10th to August 10th.

Open season for prairie chickens, mountain and willow grouse, August 15th to October 15th.

Open season for sage hens, August 1st to September 1st.

Open season for one deer with horns, October 1st to October 5th.

Open season for ducks, geese, brants, swans, cranes, and other waterfowl, September 20th to April 15th next ensuing.

Open season for curlews, snipes, plovers, and other wading marsh and shore birds, March 1st to April 15th and August 1st toNovember 30th.

No open season on elk, mountain sheep, antelope, pheasants, grouse, wild turkeys or quail.

No person permitted to hunt either protected or unprotected game without first procuring a License from County Clerk or State Game Commissioner.

License permits hunting during the open season only. Killing is allowed for food purposes only.

Cost of resident license, $1.00. Anyone entitled to a resident license does not require a license to fish.

Non-residents and all persons not citizens of the United States must have a non-resident hunting license (cost $5.00) to hunt, and a fishing license (cost $1.00) to fish.

Limit: Twenty pounds of trout in one calendar day; twenty-five pounds in possession at one time. Twenty birds in the aggregate of all kinds in any one calendar day; thirty birds in possession in the aggregate of all kinds at one time. No person shall take, kill or have in his possession in the aggregate in any one open season more than one game quadrupled of the same kind; nor shall any person under twelve years of age be entitled to hunt except on his own premises or those of a relative or guardian, or take, kill, or have in his possession more than half the number of birds, or half the weight of fish as above.

**UTAH**

Open season for trout and bass, June 15th to November 30th, not less than eight inches. Unlawful to sell any game fish. May be taken by angling only. Limit, fifteen pounds per day.

Open season for doves, August 1st to November 30th. Limit, twenty-five per day. Unlawful to sell.

No open season for partridge, pheasant, prairie chicken, sage hen and grouse, except that sage hen can be shot at in Rich, Box Elder, Sevier, Wasatch, Uintah, Carbon, Emery, Garfield, Grand, Beaver, Kane, Millard, Morgan, Piute, San Juan, Summit, Wayne, Washington and San Pete Counties, August 1st to November 30th.

Open season for quail, month of October in Salt Lake, Davis, Weber, Utah, Sevier and Carbon Counties, and in Washington, Garfield and Kane Counties, August 1st to February 1st. Unlawful to sell quail. Limit, fifteen per day.

Open season for ducks, geese, snipe, shore-bird, brant and swan, October 1st to December 31st. May be shot at one-half hour before sunrise to and including one-half hour after sunset. Government standard time. Shotguns larger than ten-gauge prohibited. Sink boxes, sneak boats or floating blinds unlawful. Limit, twenty-five ducks, five geese, brant or swan per day, but not more than twenty-five of all birds mentioned.

Open season for deer, October 15th to November 14th. Resident of Utah only may kill one deer with horns per year.

State license to fish and hunt, male citizen of State, resident, over twelve years of age, $1.25 per year. All non-resident citizens of the United States, over twelve years of age, $5.00. Aliens, $100.00 per year.

**NEW MEXICO**

Open season for trout and game food fish (trout not less than six inches long and bass not less than seven inches long), May 15th to October 15th.

Open season for doves, August 1st to October 31st.

No open season for prairie chickens until 1915.

No open season on elk, mountain sheep, beaver or ptarmigan.

Open season for wild turkey, November 1st to December 31st.

Open season for grouse, native or created, Messina, California or helmet quail from October 1st to December 31st.
Open season for deer with horns October 15th to November 15th. Limit: Fifteen pounds of trout or bass, two wild turkeys, six grouse, twenty ducks, thirty other birds in any one calendar day. No person shall kill, take or have in possession in any one open season more than one deer with horns, four wild turkeys, six grouse, thirty ducks or other birds, nor more than twenty-five pounds of trout or bass, and no game or fish shall be held in possession by any person more than five days after the close of the season.

Shooting from public highway prohibited. Coursing game with dogs prohibited. Trapping or obtaining by any other method than gun or hook and line prohibited, provided, that dogs, sinks, blinds and decoys may be used in hunting water fowl. In no instance shall fishing be done between 9 o'clock p.m. and 4 o'clock a.m.

License: All non-residents will be required to pay a fishing license of $1.00. For residents a charge of $1.00 will be made for big game or bird license and $1.50 for a general hunting license. For non-residents a charge of $5.00 will be made for a bird license and $25.00 for a big game license.

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