

WILD FOWL MILLIONS TAKE AUTUMN WING

water fowl

It's the/hunting season in Southern Oregon.

Millions of wild ducks and geese swarm with a tremendous whirl into the air as the guns of sportsmen invade this hunters' paradise.

The birds are under the care of the Government's Wild Life Service, which allows shooting in

the Autumn. Only a very skilled marksman indeed could avoid hitting a lot of targets with every shot.

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(2 out) When they take wing the waterfowl seem like a cloud, an unforgettable sight as they almost hide Mount Shasta.. Gorged on grain they are delicious eating. Supper round the camp fire after a day in the open - it makes a perfect holiday.

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BIRDS BY THE MILLIONS

Hunting Season report from the Klamath Basin National Wildfire Refuges, in Southern Oregon and northern California. A hunter's paradise, covering thousands of acres, where millions of waterfowl, ducks and geese, are supervised by the Federal Wild Life Service. Here, licensed sportmen must obey many restrictions; the fees they pay actually help preserve the birds, through the maintenance and expansion of breeding areas and refuges.

And now the birds are rising to black out Mount Shasta.....

A solid cloud of winged beauty.... an unforgettable picture for our newsreel album of nature's own spectacles!