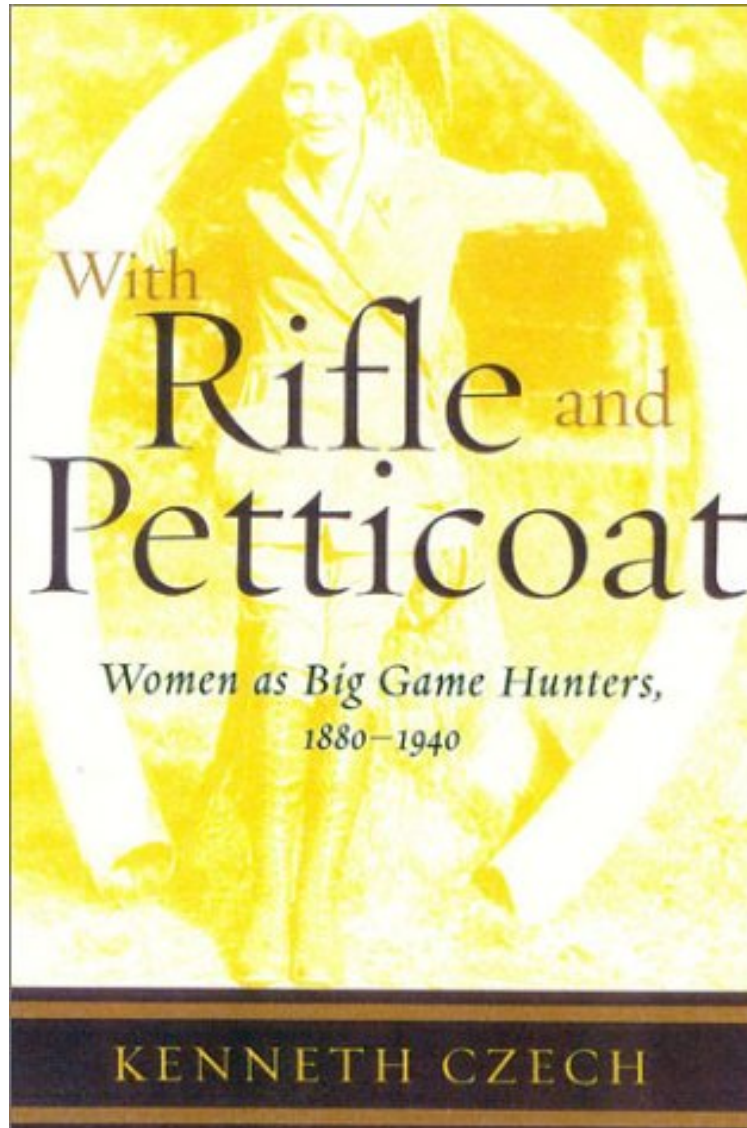


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**Kenneth Czech : With Rifle Petticoat: Women as Big Game Hunters, 1880-1940** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised With Rifle Petticoat: Women as Big Game Hunters, 1880-1940:

Detailing specific time periods, regions hunted (Africa, Alaska, The Plains) and individual women, Kenneth Czech explores the interesting women who hunted a variety of big game animals around the world.

Amazingly, this book by Ken Czech is the first to deal specifically with woman as big game hunters and authors of big game hunting books. As you will see, their accomplishments in the hunting field have been substantial. (Ellen Enzler, Herring from the foreword *Guns and Gear*)It's not unusual these days to see women hunting deer or other big or small game. But, of course, it hasn't always been so. Czech, a history professor and antiquarian bookseller from St. Cloud, writes about the early women who hunted big game, usually with their husbands and often on safaris in Africa. As Czech writes, the story of women as big-game hunters is virtually unknown. Until now. (Star Tribune Mn)*With Rifle and Petticoat* is a not-to-be-missed read as you share adventures, misadventures and emotions of these intrepid women hunters. (Linda Hoff *Women's Outlook*)After closing the back cover of *With Rifle and Petticoat*, hunters of this century will take pride in the moxie of the women before them who blazed now forgotten trails into the sport of hunting. (Marilyn Stone *Women In The Outdoors*)We had known from the very first that our men regarded the feminine part of our expedition very much in the light of an American dime show... Why talk to them of our experiences\_ days with rhino, lion, leopard. It always seems to me that when anything you have done in the past looms very large and splendid in your eyes, it argues that you have not accomplished much today. (Agnes Hebert, author of *Two Dianas in Alaska Guns and Gears*)Many modern women rightly pride themselves on their savvy in the field. Yet this book, an enjoyable excursion down darkening roads into a past we have largely forgotten, reminds us that in some senses there is nothing new in the world. (Cindy Ross *Women In The Outdoors*)About the Author Kenneth Czech is a history professor at St. Cloud State University in Minnesota. His previous books include *Snapshot: America Discovers the Camera*, and *An Annotated Bibliography of African Big Game Hunting Books, 1780-1950*. He has also contributed to numerous journals and magazines. He is also an antiquarian book dealer specializing in sporting books.