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PARIS.

An incorporated town and station of the Grand Trunk and Great Western Railways, beautifully situated on the Grand River in the townships of South Dumfries and Brantford. It was laid out in 1830, by Hiram Capron, Esq., and received its name from the large quantities of gypsum or plaster of Paris found in the immediate vicinity. It is divided into the upper and lower town, the lower town being within the forks of the river, and the upper on the opposite side of Smith's Creek, in the township of Brantford. The town is beautifully situated in the midst of a rolling country and surrounded by excellent and well cultivated farms. Paris possesses every facility for becoming a place of great manufacturing importance, having the advantage of very extensive water privileges.

The settlement of the village commenced about the year 1820. In 1829, Hiram Capron, Esq., purchased one thousand acres, including the site of the town. In 1850, it contained a population of one thousand, and was incorporated as a village, and in 1855, as a town. Population, 1867, about 3000.

A reference to the subjoined list of residents, will give a sufficient idea of the mechanical, mercantile and professional prosperity of the town. The chief manufacturing establishments are the new Paris flouring mills, containing six run of mill stones, and capable of manufacturing 400 barrels a day, employing fourteen hands; the Paris mills, capacity 200 barrels a day; the brick mill, chiefly employed in gristing; Brown & Vivion's tobacco factory, employing thirty hands, and manufacturing about 800 lbs. a day; The British American Sew