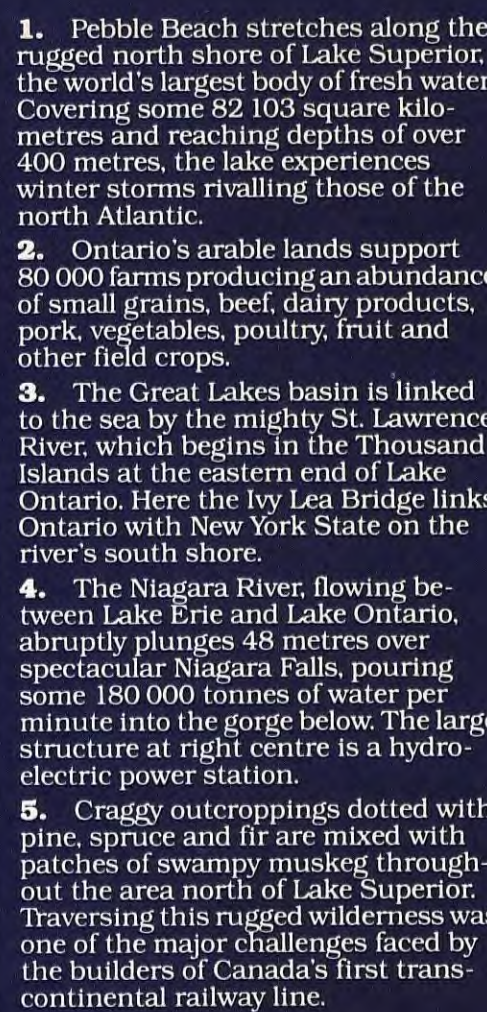




craft, petrochemicals, textiles and electrical and electronic equipment. Ontario Hydro, the province's electric power authority, produces 35 per cent of the province's electricity with Canadian-developed CANDU nuclear reactors.

The Great Lakes basin provides a major agricultural region, including some of Canada's finest fruit and dairy farms and many of its vineyards. The growing season in Southern Ontario extends from early April to mid-November.



1. Ontario orchards, principally in the Niagara region, produce large quantities of grapes, apples, peaches and pears as well as smaller quantities of berries and plums.
2. Centred in the city of Hamilton, Ontario's steel industry can produce up to 20 million tonnes of crude steel per year, or about 80 per cent of Canada's output.
3. Some 16 million tonnes of prairie grain annually are transferred from rail cars to ships through these terminals at Thunder Bay on the shores of Lake Superior.
4. Lightweight aluminum cars, trucks and trailers, and noise-reducing radial trucks running on elevated guideways are features of a new transportation system for Canadian export markets.
5. The Boeing 747-300, a 50-passenger jetliner, produced in Ontario, crosses over the Toronto skyline, dominated by the 554-metre CN Tower.
6. Ontario accounts for about 75 per cent of Canada's output of electronic equipment including telephones, office machines, instruments and computers.
7. Molten material flows like lava in a smelter near Sudbury, Northern Ontario, where nickel is refined.
8. The \$100-million "Canadarm" used to manipulate cargo in orbit on the U.S. space shuttle was developed over a five-year period in Ontario.
9. Ontario accounts for more than 90 per cent of the output of the automotive vehicle industry, producing one million cars and trucks yearly.

1. Skaters of all ages enjoy 7.8 kilometres of frozen Rideau Canal clear for use during Ottawa winters.
2. St. Marie Among the Hurons was built in 1639 as a central residence for the Huron people of the St. Lawrence and Georgian Bay (Lake Huron) region. Its fortified facilities included Ontario's first school, first hospital and first farm.
3. The Peace Tower and the Parliament Buildings in Canada's capital city of Ottawa rise behind the Rideau Canal.
4. Ontarians indulge their love of the outdoors in 130 provincial parks comprising thousands of square kilometres of scenic wilderness.
5. The renowned Stratford Shakespearean Festival attracts over 500,000 people annually to this garden setting on the banks of the Avon River.

The Roberts Library is one of the most modern buildings on the campus of the University of Toronto. It is one of Ontario's 17 institutions of higher learning.

6. Ontario Place on Toronto's water front welcomes nearly three million visitors a year to its theatres, restaurants, playgrounds and marina.
7. The recently restored Victorian Gothic tower of St. Andrew's Church contrasts with the strikingly contemporary architecture of Roy Thomson Hall, the new home of Toronto's Symphony.
8. A link with Ontario's pre-colonial heritage is preserved in the graceful form of the canoe as popular with today's sportsmen as it once was with fur traders and *voyageurs*.