

### A Trip To The Saguenay.

In the month of July last year, I started from Toronto for my long desired trip to the far famed Saguenay. After a couple of days sailing, in which we visited all the important places on Lake Ontario, and on the St. Lawrence, we arrived at Tadousac, which is at the mouth of the Saguenay. This is a very pretty place. It was once the capital of the French settlement; also, it is here that Sir William Phips stationed his fleet the night previous to his attack on Quebec. The first stone building ever erected in America was here, and was the home of Father Marquette, the explorer of the Mississippi River. I went to see the little Jesuit Chapel, which is over two hundred years old, and also the great salmon, reserves kept up by the government. Having gone on board again I was soon sailing up the Saguenay. My eyes were strained to see everything possible of this beautiful river, up which we were now passing. The river is about one hundred miles long, and two and a half wide at the mouth, but is only navigable as far as Chicoutimi. Its waters are very clear, and in some places are over one thousand feet deep. For the last seventy-five miles it flows between cliffs, which are often one thousand feet or more in height. The river is the scene of many fishing expeditions, as its waters abound with salmon, trout, and other fish. Next we came to the two great capes, Eternity and Trinity, which are most worthy of notice, because of their great height and ruggedness. Cape Eternity, which is by far the most imposing, is one thousand seven hundred feet in height, while Cape Trinity is one thousand eight hundred feet. It is a grand sight, these two great masses of rock rising almost perpendicularly out of the water, which is over one thousand feet deep. The two capes are separated by Eternity Bay, which is quite small and very desolate looking. Indeed, all of the Saguenay is very still and deserted, as no fields can be found for the cattle to pasture and few birds can be seen. The only thing which breaks the stillness, is the sound of the boat ploughing its way through the deep waters. On Cape Trinity can be seen a very correct profile of a human face, and also a statue of the Holy Virgin, which has but recently been placed there. The next place of note was a very picturesque spot, Ha! Ha! Bay, so called because some early navigators, having tried in vain to anchor in the river, at last arrived at this bay, and on finding anchorage, burst out laughing. The water

in the Saguenay being too deep for anchorage, ships moor to rings fixed to some of the precipitous walls. Then we arrived at Chicoutimi, the most important port on the Saguenay, and the end of my delightful voyage. Chicoutimi is a small town whose population numbers about three thousand, the majority of whom are French Canadians. It is noted for its numerous saw mills, and good cheese, large quantities being exported every year to the lower lakes and the maritime provinces.

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### The Hockey Season.

Shortly after reopening at Christmas, the following Hockey committee was elected:—

Chairman—Mr. W. C. Michell.

Hon-Secretary—Mr. C. A. S. Boddy.

Committee—A. W. Mackenzie, (Captain), G. McG. Maclaren, W. E. H. Carter, H. R. Harmer, T. B. F. Benson.

The secretary immediately set to work and managed to arrange some matches. U. C. C. was up to its old trick of not answering our challenge; and, with T. C. S., Port Hope, it was "The Boys" must not go away from home. Efforts were made to get leave for the team to go to Port Hope, but this could not be managed. Several attempts were made to get on a game with the St. Catharines team, but these were unsuccessful.

The Team left on the morning of February 2nd, and journeyed to Toronto to fight for the honor of their College against the Victoria colts. The game commenced at 4 o'clock with Ridley playing West. For the first ten minutes Ridley had things very much their own way, and managed to score two goals to their opponents nil. Then the Vics. wakened up, and before long evened the score. During the first half the play was very even, and at half time the score stood 5 to 3 in the Vics. favor.

After a few minutes rest the strife commenced again with Ridley playing shinny instead of Hockey. During this half the play was chiefly on Ridley's side of half way, and the game ended with the score 8—5 in favor of the Victoria Colts.

The teams were:—

Victoria Colts—goal, McMurtry; point, F. Morrison; cover point, Baily; forwards, P. Morrison, (Captain), Hill, Manson, ———.