

surface, but during the summer months are taken only by use of a copper line and solid copper wobbler in deep water.

On the south side of this lake there is a hardwood bush where bear are very numerous, particularly in fall when they are after beech nuts. Good accommodation at Brownell's Hotel; the Bolger House and Camp Wee-Mac.

### **SOUTH MAGNETAWAN, ONT.**

From Toronto, 185 Miles.

Considering the beauty of this district the excellence of the fishing and the quantity of game, comparatively few people know the southern reaches of the Magnetawan. There is no finer deer country in Canada.

For hunters a good vantage point is down Deep Bay, a part of which can be seen from the railway, and is often taken for the main body of the river. Down the river about six miles opposite three small islands is a portage on the west side to Harris Lake. This lake is only known to comparatively few people, but they come up each year for fishing in the summer time and enjoy splendid sport with the big black bass and yellow pickerel, and in the fall excellent hunting, deer being as numerous as in any part of Ontario. A district that has been little frequented, and which offers many attractions lies up the river some four miles from the railway, and is reached with only one portage of a quarter of a mile at Big Dam, one and one-half miles in. There are splendid camping sites on both sides of the river, but the north bank is preferable. The fishing is good, and so is the hunting. During the past few years quite a number of timber wolves have been killed in the neighborhood, but they are not as plentiful as in former years. From Big Dam very interesting canoe trips can be taken up into the main body of the Magnetawan River, following the river to Ka-She Creek, with two lifts-out into Lee Lake, then into Ka-She Lake, then through to the railway at Bolger Station. Weemac Inn at South Magnetawan Station, provides accommodation, also guides, boats and canoes.

### **NORTH MAGNETAWAN, ONT.**

From Toronto, 188.3 Miles.

There is very good fishing and hunting both east and west at this point. There are a number of rapids on the stream, and from the middle of July fishermen are sure of getting a catch below any of them; the immediate waters have been very little fished. Fishermen who want to reach the waters of the Pickerel system can go in at North Magnetawan. Up the river a portage is made at Three Snye Dam, thence through Island Lake to a portage on the Magnetawan into Portage Lake. Good fishing is to be had in this lake, large-mouth bass being numerous. From Portage Lake it is a short distance to Crow Lake, then a mile and a quarter into Mud Lake, a lift-out into Lost Lake, down Lost Lake into Sandy Lake, one-half mile portage into Clear Lake, then down the Still River into Nogonosh, then by the route hereafter described in connection with the road from Salines. (See Salines). In Island Lake there is bass fishing and yellow pickerel are numerous. From the Canadian Northern Railway at North Magnetawan through to the Forks is a little over seven miles. The fishing is fairly good all the way. At the Forks the stream divides into the North and South Magnetawan Rivers, and there is clear water for about seven miles above this point, up to what is known as the Canal Rapids; good fishing all the way.

For the deer hunter no district can be more strongly recommended than the Magnetawan; on the main stream above the Forks, deer in numbers can be seen all along the river in the summer time, and in the open season the hunting round the small lakes a short distance in to the north cannot be better. During the latter part of the open season, if there is plenty of snow, deer are seen travelling in small bands through this district on their way to winter quarters.