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The Province of Quebec



THE Province of Quebec ranks second among the Provinces of the Dominion of Canada, both with respect to size and population. British Columbia is larger and the Province of Ontario has a greater number of inhabitants.

The Province of Quebec contains a superficial area of 347,000 square miles. It is as large as France and Germany combined and three times as large as the Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

By the census of 1901, the population of Quebec numbered 1,648,898.

The Province of Quebec extends from the east to the west from l'Anse au Blanc-Sablon at the entry of the straits of Belle-Isle, the gate way to the Atlantic, Ocean, to Lake Témiscamingue which forms its western limit. These two places l'Anse au Blanc-Sablon and Témiscamingue are situated, the first in longitude 57° west and the second in 79° 30 west, meridian of Greenwich. From the south to the north the Province extends from the 45th to the 53rd parallel of latitude, thus comprising eight degrees of latitude and more than twenty-two of longitude.