

is relished by those who seek in a first-class hotel the indispensable adjunct to comfortable summering by the sea. It has moreover splendid facilities for boating and bathing, as well as for the occupation of the Nimrods and Izaak Waltons who resort to it for sport. At Campbellton, at the head of deep-water navigation on the Restigouche, we arrive at the boundary which separates the Province of New Brunswick from the Province of Quebec. From Sugar Loaf Mountain, near by, a beautiful view presents itself of the scenery of the district, which is rugged and varied, and from which one can discern the Gaspé Mountains, in the distance, and the noble estuary of Chaleur, gleaming in the sunset at one's feet. Thirty miles from the bay, the Restigouche receives the waters of the Metapedia River, flowing down from the Metis Mountains in Quebec, and one of the finest fishing-grounds in the world. Close to the junction of the two royal rivers is Metapedia station and "Fraser's," now the headquarters of the "Restigouche Salmon Club." Here the Intercolonial spans the Restigouche by a fine bridge over a thousand feet in length. In the Metapedia and its tributaries, salmon-fishing becomes a royal sport, for here, some years ago, H. R. H. the Princess Louise landed one forty pounds in weight, while the scales have been tipped by the catch of others equally fortunate, at fifty-four pounds! On the Cascapedia, some distance eastward, towards the Gaspé district,

even better fishing is to be had, and on that now famous stream is the fishing-lodge of His Excellency the Governor-General.

Leaving the valley of the Metapedia, the next important stations we come to on the Intercolonial are Little Metis and Rimouski. The tourist will now be aware, by the speech that reaches his ear, and by the picturesque garb of the *habitans*, that he is in the old French Province. Little Metis is the most easterly and seaward of the many delightful watering-places on the Lower St. Lawrence, and, besides its attractions as a summer resort, it has in the Little Metis river and in the lakes of the region special attractions for the sportsman. Geese, duck, and sea-fowl are to be found on the coast, while inland, caribou and other large game are to be met with. At Rimouski, where the ocean-going steamers of the Allan line receive and land Her Majesty's mails, there is also good sport, Rimouski River being noted for its salmon and trout. A little way up the St. Lawrence from Rimouski is Bic, and a little way below it is Father Point, an important telegraph and signal station for the ocean steamers.

Continuing our way Quebecwards, we come to Cacouna, the "Saratoga" or "Brighton" of Canada, as it is frequently and admiringly called. It is the chief summer resort on the St. Lawrence of the fashion of Quebec, Montreal, and of not a few of the cities and