

shipping to those of Buctouche. The tide flows about seven or eight miles up this river.

Two rivers fall into the Shediac harbour, known as the *Shediac* and *Sadouk*, neither of which are navigable for vessels, although they are somewhat extensive. Boats and other small craft penetrate the country they traverse for many miles.

The *Aboushagan* is a small river, and, like those of *Shediac*, not navigable except for boats and fishing craft for a short distance.

Great and Little Shemogue rivers are shallow—not navigable even for small vessels above the harbours.

Gaspereau river has its source in Square Lake, about twelve miles from its mouth, and empties itself into the north west side of Bay Verte. It is navigable for schooners not exceeding one hundred and fifty tons burthen for about three miles.

Tidnish river takes its rise in Nova Scotia, and empties itself into Bay Verte, on the east side of the harbour; it is similar in size and extent to the Gaspereau. A due east line drawn from the source of the Missiquash is supposed to intersect the south east side of Bay Verte, near the mouth of the Tidnish river, and to form the boundary between New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, but it has never yet been surveyed and established.

LAKEs.—*Miramichi*, *Salmon*, and other Lakes, are situate on the head waters of the south west branch of the *Miramichi River*. The *Nipisiguit Lake*, near Bald Mountain, is distant only three miles from the *Nictau Lake*, on the *Tobique River*. There are a number of small lakes on the head waters of that river, lying southerly of the two last named lakes.

Square Lake, in the eastern part of the county of Westmoreland, is the principal source of the Gaspereau River, and is only about a mile square.

There are numerous small lakes scattered over different parts of this province, the names of which are only known to lumbermen, and whose position and dimensions have been ascertained only as far as they have been surveyed by the eye and pace of these pioneers of the forest.

The harbours of this part of the province are all bar harbours, with the exception of the Bay of Chaleur; but they afford excellent shelter for small craft. There are numerous roadsteads, formed by the indentations of the coast, where experienced navigators can always find shelter.

Table of Latitudes and Longitudes of the principal Seaport Towns in New Brunswick.

	Latitude.	Longitude
City of Saint John,	45° 15' North.	66° 4' West.
St. Andrew's,	45 11 "	67 0 "
Sackville,	45 45 "	65 45 "
Bay Verte,	46 2 "	64 7 "
Shediac,	46 15 "	64 35 "
Richibucto,	46 42 "	64 53 "
Chatham, Miramichi,	47 3 "	65 30 "
Bathurst,	47 37 "	65 42 "
Dalhousie,	48 4 "	66 25 "
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