



BIRDS-EYE VIEW OF HORSESHOE FALL.—The Horseshoe or Canadian Fall extends from the Canadian shore to Goat Island, the width being estimated in round numbers at 2,500 feet. The perpendicular height of this Fall, is 158 feet, or 3 feet less than the American Fall, a discrepancy that is caused by the slope of the land. It has been roughly estimated that 1,350,000 cubic feet of water pass over these falls every minute. Near the center of the Fall there is presented a rare picture of Nature's beauty, in the shape of a gigantic plume of spray that dashes into the air for a hundred feet. It is caused by a portion of the Fall striking an immense mass of rock which in some former age was broken from the center of the precipice.