

snow from the heavens, and that drifted from the hills, comes down in a fine powder, and totally hides roads, fields, and every thing else that stands in its way. The poor traveller is then frequently lost, and his body never found till the snow melts in the spring.

The most remarkable animal that is found in Canada is the beaver, which is said to be the connecting animal between quadrupeds and fishes. If you had seen its works and fortifications, you would have been surprised at the astonishing degree of art and sagacity which it displays, particularly in the con-