

CHAPTER X.

The Bruce Mines—Rich Ore produced from them—The St. Marie River—Beautiful Scenery—Indians on its Banks—The Town of the "Soo"—The British Side—Pim's Hotel—A mining Captain—His Adventures—Lake Superior—Settlements—Steamers on the Lake—New Canal—Indian Chieftainess—Mr. Logan's Description of Lake Superior . . . Page 191

CHAPTER XI.

Fort Brady—Officers of United States Army—Gallant Exploit of an English Officer—Dutch Workmen—Transport of Steamers by a Tramway—The Sault St. Marie—Projected Excursion to the Falls of St. Anthony—Unfinished Chapel—Burnt Forest—House built by Captain Armytage—Trip to Gros Cap proposed—Hudson's Bay Company's Post—Mr. Hargraves—Anecdotes of Indians—Scoop Fishing—Wonderful Escape from Drowning 205

CHAPTER XII.

Walk into the Interior—Grave of the Backwoodsman—Snakes—The Fish of Lake Superior—Fisheries—Accusations against the Hudson's Bay Company—Decrease of the Indian Race—History of Luis Cadotto and his English Wife—Superior Enterprise of the Americans—Want of Religious Instruction—Proposed Plan of sending Shetlanders to Canada—Quit the Sault St. Marie 225

CHAPTER XIII.

Romantic Night Scene—Our Fellow-passengers—The American Army—The Island of Mackinaw—The River St. Clair—Fertility of Canadian Shore—Lake St. Clair—Detroit—Excellent Hotel—Sandwich—The Detroit River—Lake Erie—Voyage in the Buckeye State—Dance on Board—Buffalo—Shipwreck—The Emerald Steamer—Fort Erie—Experiences of a Settler—The Welland Canal—Tales of the Rebellion 247