country is of the canoe form, many of which are built in the Province of Ontario and elsewhere. The pattern I would suggest is commonly known as the Peterborough, or Rice Lake canoe, of which many kinds are made. Bass wood is the best wood for all round use. I give the dimensions of some of them.

A 17 foot canoe, 41 inches wide and 17 inches deep, will weigh about 130 or 140 pounds when dry. This canoe will carry twelve or fourteen hundredweight, and two or three men. Of course this will load it pretty well, and if our load is bulky it requires some experience to stow it away in a boat of that size. Practice soon overcomes this.

An 18 foot canoe, 43 inches wide and 18 inches deep, will weigh a little more, and carry a hundred or two hundred more pounds easily.

A 19 foot canoe, 46 or 47 inches wide and 18 inches deep, will weigh when dry about 175 or 180 pounds, and will easily and safely carry eighteen or twenty hundredweight and two or three men.

Larger ones are made of which I give some figures.

Length.	Width.	Depth.	Weight.	Capacity.	Price.
21 feet	49 inches	18 inches	135 lbs.	2200 lbs.	$51.00 to $57.00
22 "	50 "	18 "	140 "	2500 "	54.00 to 60.00
23 "	51 "	18 "	145 "	2700 "	57.00 to 63.00
24 "	52 "	18 "	150 "	2900 "	60.00 to 66.00
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23 "	50 "	24 "	275 "	2850 at 12" draft 5120 at 20" draft	cost $58.00
25 "	50 "	24 "	300 "	3200 at 12" draft 5600 at 20" draft	cost 60.00
30 "	50 "	24 "	350 "	3800 at 12" draft 6500 at 20" draft	cost 75.00

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Nulato, Lower Yukon, Alaska.—Steamer "J. J. Healey" at the Beach.