

« a trial ; it can be done quietly and then if
« it was not successful, we would not be worse
« off. »

On the 5th February 1902, Mr. E. E. Taché, Deputy Commissioner of Crown Lands wrote to the Minister of Colonization, informing him of the decision of the Minister of Crown Lands, to grant him a certain number of lots comprised in the Townships of Montigny, Boyer, Campbell, Rochon, Moreau and Wurtele.

The contiguous lots form a strip about three miles in width and 28 to 30 miles in length.

In his report to the Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Quebec, under date 18th January 1905, the Honorable Minister of Colonization and Public works stated : « The relative ease with which the First Colonization Reserve has been established has induced me to pursue the application of this system and I have no doubt that the wholly satisfactory results, already obtained with the Reserve in the County of Ottawa, will be reproduced at Sayabec-Matane and the Baie des Chaleurs.