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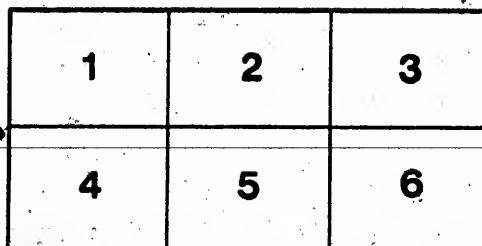
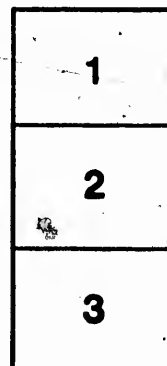
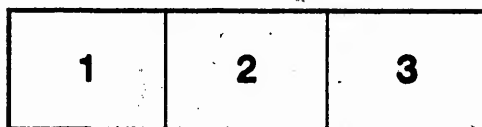
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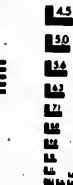
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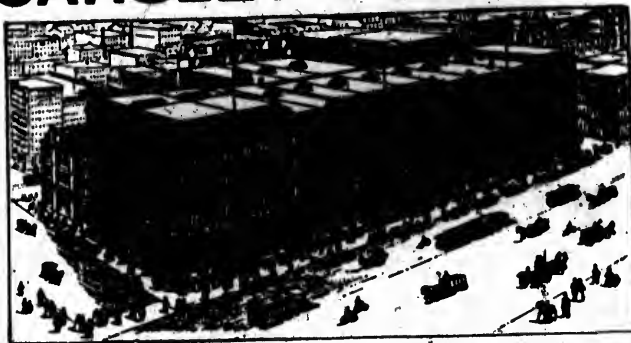
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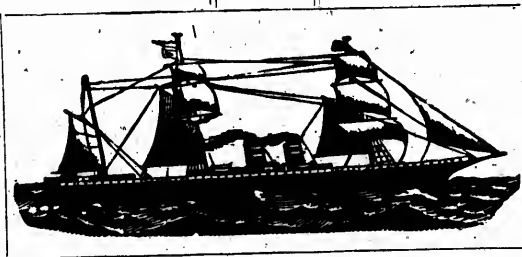
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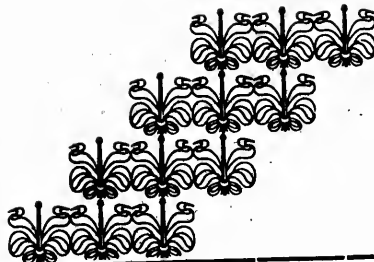
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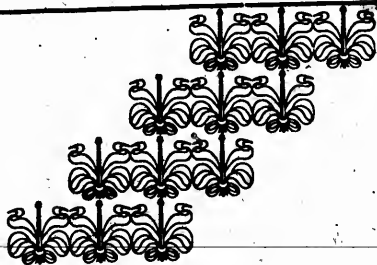
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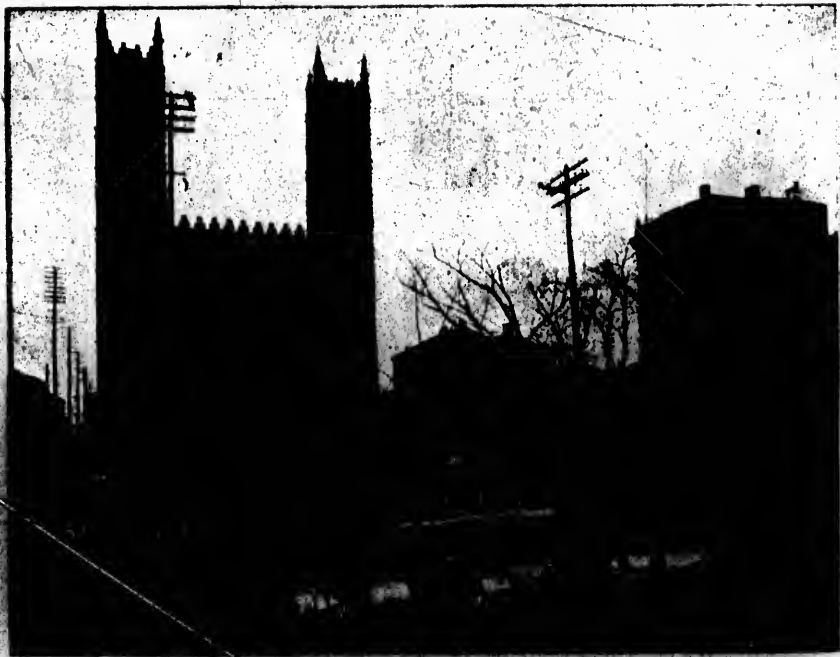
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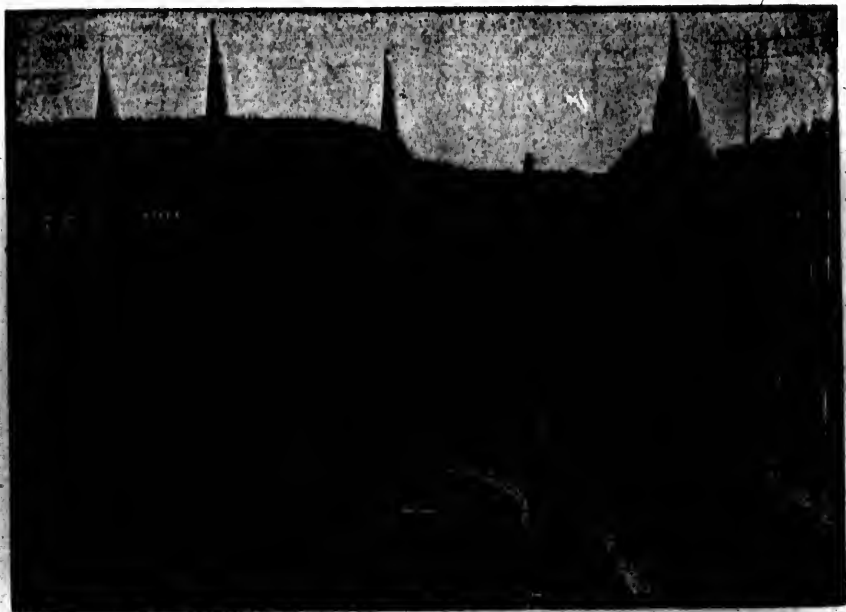
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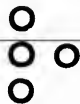
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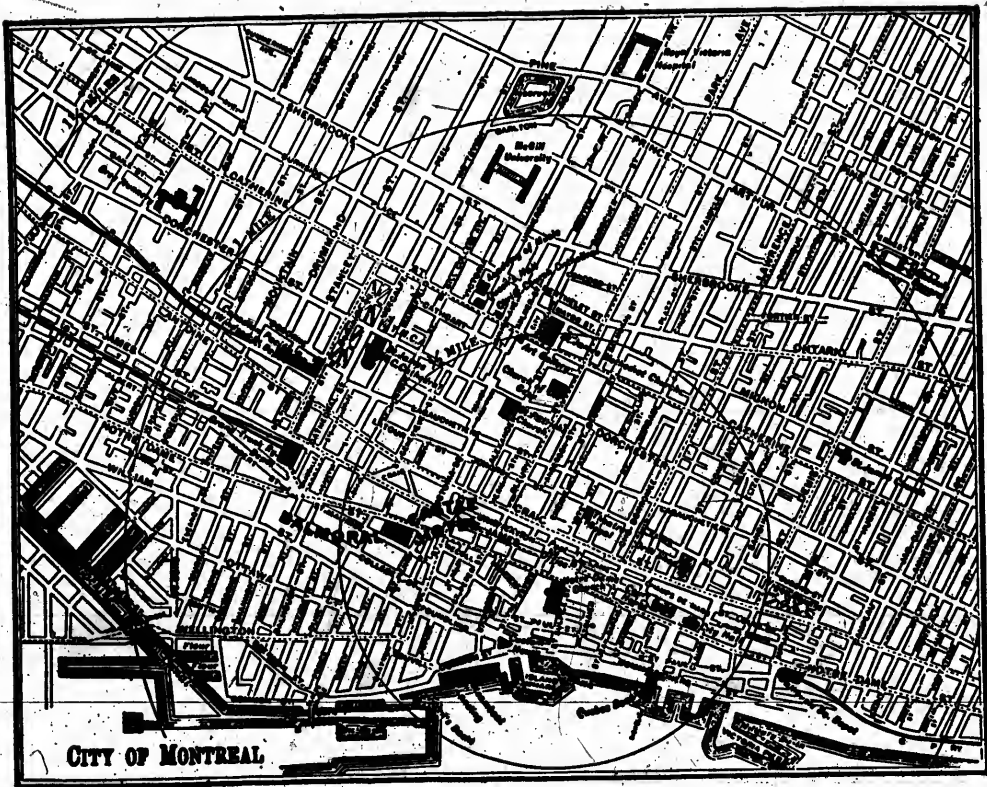
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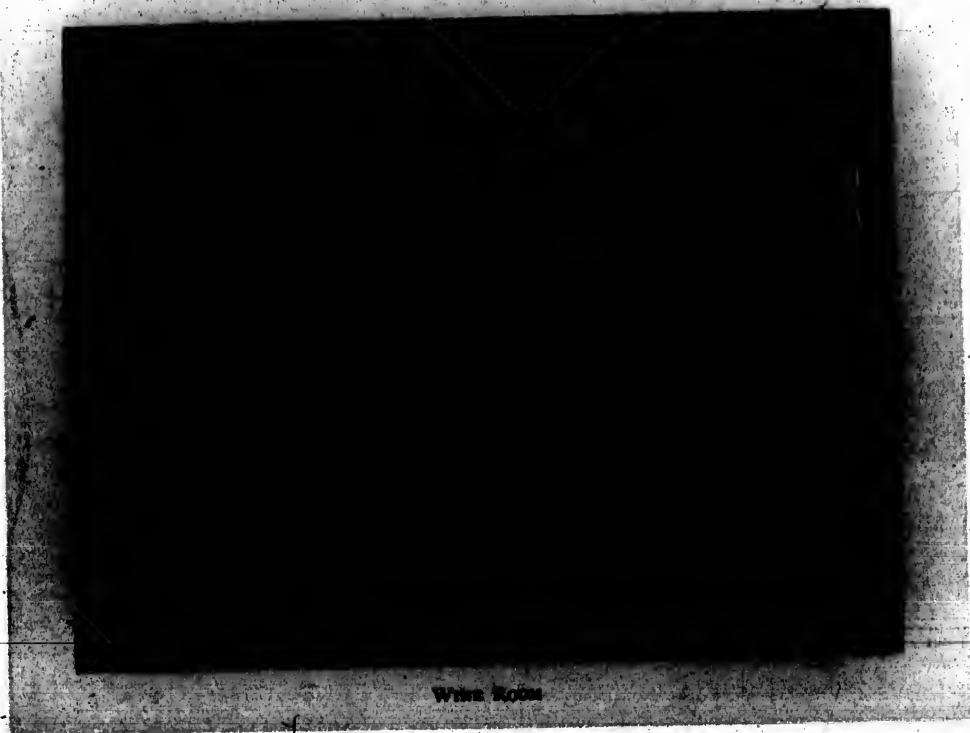
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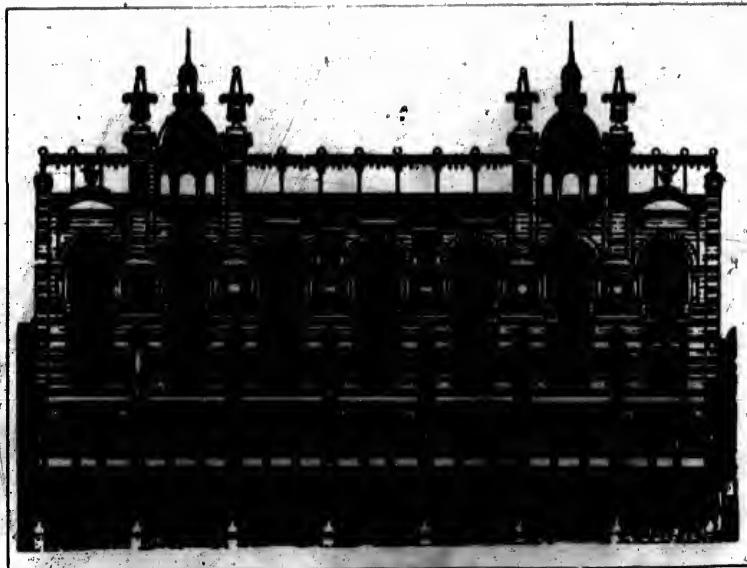
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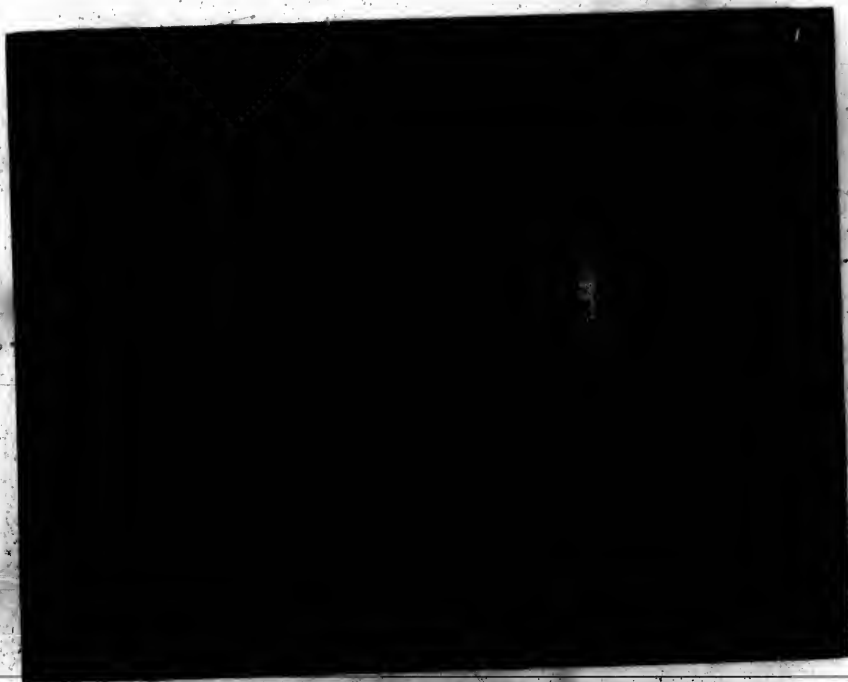


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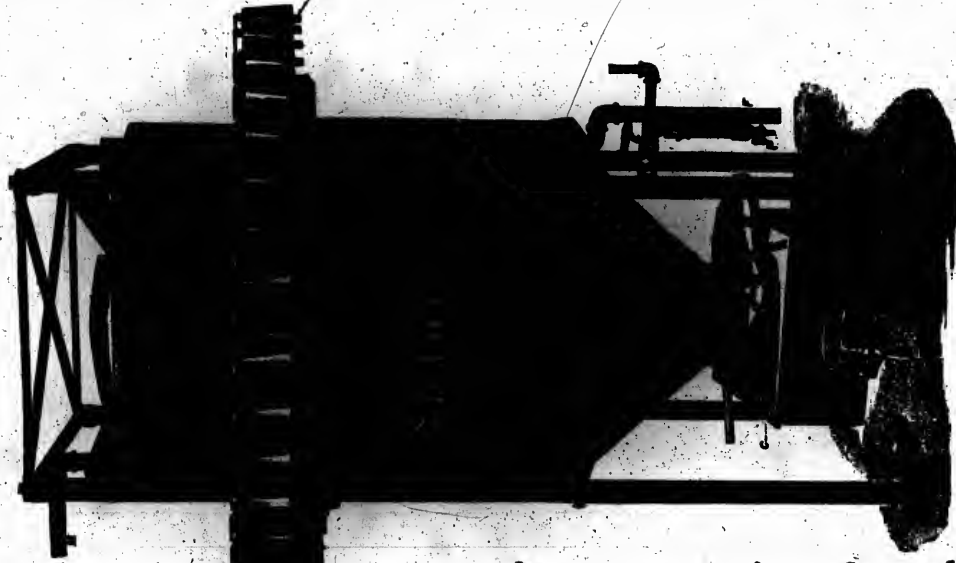
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STARTING from Montreal, the Intercolonial takes the shortest and most direct route to Quebec, the ancient capital, and thence follows the south shore of the Lower St. Lawrence among picturesque French villages,

reaching such well known summer resorts as Riviere du Loup, Cacouna and Little Metis. Beyond these it passes through the famous Metapedia Valley and enters upon the great salmon fishing region. This includes such noted rivers as the Metapedia, the Restigouche, the Nepisiguit and Miramichi, as well as the rivers in Gaspé. Entering New Brunswick at the Restigouche, the railway passes along the shore of that beautiful and spacious haven, La Baie de Chaleur. On the

opposite side of this wonderful natural harbor is seen the Gaspé Peninsula, the land of great fishing and of striking scenery, which is of itself well worthy of a visit. Dalhousie and other places on the New Brunswick side of the Bay have great advantages for sea bathing, and are in other ways most attractive as summer resorts. Continuing along the railway, Moncton is reached, the place where the strange tidal phenomenon, known as the Bore, is seen to better advantage than in any other part of the Bay of Fundy. From this point one may make a choice as to the order in which he will see the respective attractions of Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia.

Prince Edward Island is reached from the Intercolonial by taking that line to Point Du Chene, 19 miles from Moncton, and thence by a fast and finely appointed steamer across the Strait of Northumberland to Summerside; or the Island may be reached from Nova Scotia by steamer from Pictou to Charlottetown. Of the Island itself, the Garden of the Gulf, no brief account can give an adequate idea. It is one of the fairest and most fertile portions of Canada, and one delightfully adapted to summer outings, with an abundance of surf bathing, trout fishing and sea fowl shooting. The best of country and seaside board may be had on the Island at very moderate rates. From Prince Edward Island, or from Pictou, N.S., one may visit the Magdalen Islands, that curious group in the middle of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, so little known to the great bulk of the travelling public.

West from Moncton the Intercolonial runs 89 miles through a flourishing and settled country to St. John, the commercial capital of New Brunswick and the winter port of Canada for transatlantic trade. The summer climate of St. John is delightfully cool, and the city has many attractions for visitors. A steamer voyage on the river to Fredericton reveals some of the finest scenery of the kind in America.

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South from Moncton the railway enters Nova Scotia and runs through a most interesting country to Halifax, the famous military and naval station of North America. If desired, the line to Cape Breton may be taken before reaching Halifax, but as a rule the latter city is first visited and made the point of departure. There is much in and around Halifax to attract and interest the visitor, both in the way of the fortifications and war vessels and in the places of interest which the city possesses of itself. The surroundings are especially inviting.

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RUNNING easterly from Truro is the portion of the Intercolonial which goes to the Strait of Canso, and the latter having been crossed, the Intercolonial is continued through Cape Breton along the wonderful inland sea known as the Bras d'Or, to Sydney, whence it is but a short railway journey to the ruins of historic Louisburg. From Sydney, too, fast steamers run to that hitherto almost unknown country, Newfoundland, making the passage in a few hours.

Cape Breton is the veritable paradise of the tourist, and much as has been said in praise of it the half has not been told. No brief account can give any true conception of the many and diverse attractions of this beautiful country, the fame of which has reached to all parts of the earth. Much as has been written of the Bras d'Or and of such places as Baddeck and Whycocomagh, they are but a portion of what is worth seeing, and which once seen will not be forgotten.



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ONE of the most delightful and beautiful trips that may be taken in Canada, and not surpassed in any other country, is through and among the islands of the Georgian Bay, that great arm of Lake Huron lying west of the Muskoka Lakes, and which is easily accessible from Midland or Penetang, two points on the GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM, in which lie an extensive archipelago of more than 30,000 islands, and which bears the name of his late Majesty, King George the Third. In general character they are similar to the Thousand Islands situated in the St. Lawrence River, but of course, are infinitely more numerous. This magnificent bay has no equal on the American continent. The steady increase of tourists to this locality is alone proof that it has become the most popular resort on the Inland Lakes. It is impossible to describe this wonderful waterway with any degree of satisfaction, as nature has been so generous in beautifying and adorning it with a lavish hand and has gifted the region with gorgeous scenic effects, rugged promontories, charming summering places on beautifully wooded islands, intricate channels and narrows, that it is one grand panorama of vistas from beginning to end. Islands of every shape and size, from those of but a lone rock to some of hundreds of acres in extent, are beheld on every hand, most changeable in their variegated foliage and moss-covered rocks; peeping out of the blue depths of clear crystal-like water, for the inspection of the beholder.

MUSKOKA LAKES.—A region of unsurpassed natural beauty is Muskoka, a land where health and pleasure go hand in hand, where freedom abounds, and where the hand of man is not greatly in evidence, but nature's untouched beauty is beholden on every side, a picturesque wilderness of ever-changing loveliness, among the "Highlands of Ontario." To one fond of the woods, the rippling brooks, the rivers and lakes—and who is not?—the Muskoka Lakes take precedence over all other resorts. This vast region, known as the Muskoka Lakes District, lies in the northern part of Ontario, east of the Georgian Bay, and north of Lake Ontario, and the point of embarkation for the trip on the lakes is situated 112 miles from Toronto. The total area of the district covers a large tract of that portion of the country, and some idea of its extent may be had when it is known that some 800 lakes and rivers are embedded within its boundaries.

This incomparable range of waters, studded over a vast area, like crystalline gems set with emeralds, in one of those gorgeous pictures of nature which defy the power of creative genius to depict, and baffle the skill of brightest imitation, is without doubt, the tourists' Mecca **PAR EXCELLENCE.** The region is replete with historical interest, as being the home of the ill-fated Hurons. Now all is forgotten, the scene is changed, and it is only now and then, in a reflective mind, that the name of a village or lake will awaken the memory of some Indian legend, "dark with phantoms and shapes of wild enormity."

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CAP A L'AIGLE, another growing resort. From Capé Tournant all the way to Murray Bay, the steamer keeps close to the precipitous shore, which rises in places to a height of two thousand feet, and is clothed with a thick, warm growth of evergreen, varying in hue from the lighter color of the cedars to that of the deep, dark-shaded pines. Many prefer this portion of the trip to the Saguenay itself, as being equally grand and at the same time brighter. At Murray Bay and beyond, look out for porpoises. At Cap a L'Aigle the river is eleven miles wide.

RIVIERE DU LOUP is a favorite watering place. It is a prosperous town of 7,000 people, and a divisional point on the Intercolonial Railway. The Temiscouata Railway, from this point to Edmundston, on the C.P.R., forms the short line connection to St. John, N. B. Six miles east of this on the south shore, is the village of Cacouna, the most important watering place on the Lower St. Lawrence, with its excellent hotel, the St. Lawrence Hall. Leaving Rivière du Loup, the steamer again crosses to the north shore, where

TADOUSAC, twenty-two miles distant, at the mouth of the Saguenay River, is reached. Tadousac—Crée Tatoushak—signifies "Nipples."—Jacques Cartier anchored here under the shelter of Hare Island. It was also the centre whence the first Jesuit Fathers started for the Saguenay, Mistassins and Hudson Bay. The Montagnais Indians included the Papinachosis (or "Ever Smiling"), whose gentle nature has been ascribed to the whole Montagnais branch, Ojibwapians, Pickongamians, Tadousacians, Betsiamites, Chicoutimians and Mistassins. They were tall, straight, strong, agile, and fond of fun; honest as compared to the Hurons, who were thieves and nomads, living exclusively by fishing and the chase, as distinguished from the Iroquois, who built and fortified villages and tilled the ground. There is a large and very excellent hotel owned and kept by the Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Company. Boating, golf, fishing and other amusements are available. Among the cottages is one formerly owned by Lord Dufferin, one of the Governor-Generals of Canada.

CHICOUTIMI, 4,000. At the head of navigation, the headquarters of the Saguenay lumber trade, and the centre of a good dairying country. The Chicoutimi River here joins the Saguenay from the west. From Lake Kenogami, seventeen miles from Chicoutimi, this river falls 486 feet. The portage at one of the falls is called "Portage de L'Enfant," from the story of an Indian baby left in a carelessly fastened canoe, which was carried over the fall of fifty feet without upsetting. The splendid new Hotel Chateau Saguenay, opened here, will be found all that tourists and sportsmen can desire. Passengers for Roberval take the rail at Chicoutimi.

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The completion of the Labelle branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway has made easy of access these Laurentian lakes and opened up new and virgin fields of sport, and in no place can the lover of the rod well spend a week or two with more glorious certainties of an excellent catch. The scenery along the route is of a varied and most interesting character, including forests, lakes, rivers and mountains, not one of which is uninteresting, and on account of which this district has so aptly been termed the Switzerland of America. The great Horseshoe Curve in the mountains is a worthy rival of that of the famous Pennsylvania in the splendors of scenic beauty it reveals. The charms of this vast region are now becoming known to the lovers of nature and of outdoor life; its healthfulness is proverbial. The pure mountain air, laden with the balmy odors of cedar and spruce, the cool, sparkling lakes, added to the freshness and charm of nature, make this whole region one of incomparable beauty, and just the place one seeks for rest.

It is only 20 miles to Ste. Therese, where the railway through the Laurentians branches off to the north, and thirteen miles further on is St. Jerome, from which another branch leads to Ste. Julienne, past New Glasgow, prettily situated on the side of a mountain and in the valley below, near the waterfalls of a mountain stream. There are two hotels and excellent facilities for camping amidst the most delightful environments. Above the falls is good fly trout fishing, and in Lac L'Acchigan, about eleven miles away, there are speckled and grey trout, while in the lakes a few miles further north bass are plentiful. Between St. Jerome and New Glasgow is Ste. Sophie, where there is excellent trout fishing, and to which place sportsmen are attracted in the fall of the year by the capital woodcock shooting on the flat lands.

Shawbridge, nine miles from St. Jerome on the Labelle branch, and forty-two from Montreal, is the gateway to the lake district of St. Angelique, a region little known to tourists and where there is good camping, boating and fishing. Two miles further on the Montfort Junction Railway leads off to another virgin field,

winding up the mountain sides to one of the highest points in the Province. In the lakes and brooks are trout, both red and grey, and in the woods are red deer, partridge and rabbits. There is a fine new hotel at Montfort, and another at Arundel, the terminus of the line.

From St. Margaret's, or Belisle's Mills, it is a three-mile drive to Ste. Marguerite, a pretty village on Lac Masson, where from the crest of a near-by mountain a glorious landscape is obtained. Within view are no fewer than eighteen lakes—all capital fishing waters—and north and east is Lac Charlebois, famous for its trout. By a series of dams a waterway has been constructed from Lac Masson to Lac des Islets, the banks of which afford good camping grounds.

Near where the Laurentians reach their greatest altitude is the pleasant village of Ste. Agathe des Monts, which is sixty-four miles from Montreal, and is delightfully situated on one of the most winsome lakes—des Sables—and within a radius of seven or eight miles are no fewer than thirty-three lakes, in nearly all of which there is good trout fishing. There is a steam launch on the lake, and small boats can easily be engaged, the larger hotels usually supplying them free to guests. The roads in the vicinity are good, enabling visitors to drive through the country and reach nameless lakelets in which few lines have ever been cast. Good hotel accommodation is provided, there being five hotels and several boarding houses in the village. The principal hotel—Castle des Monts—is erected on an island connected with the mainland by a bridge. The rates at the hotels are from \$1.00 to \$2.00 per day, with material reductions for prolonged visits, and good accommodation can be secured elsewhere from \$3.00 per week upwards.

From Ste. Agathe it is an attractive seven-mile drive to Ste. Lucie, around which cluster twenty fishing lakes. The village boasts of a comparatively large hotel, at which visitors can be supplied with boats, fishing tackle and vehicles. Eighteen miles away—and more tempting to the sportsman than to those in quest of rest and repose—are Lakes Archambault and Ourreau, two of the largest sheets of water in the Laurentians, in a wild region where red deer, lynx, partridge, and occasionally a moose, are found.

St. Faustin, on the railway line, seventy-eight miles from Montreal, has its quota of well-stocked lakes, in close proximity, and at Bullrush Lake, six miles away, rude accommodation is furnished.

St. Jovite, eight miles further north, is another charming lake centre. The village is picturesquely situated in a broad valley, and although its birth dates back only a few years, evidences a material and prosperous growth. The Riviere au Diable, a noted trout stream, flows through the village. Among the lakes in the immediate vicinity are Lake Long, $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles away, celebrated for its salmon trout and large pike; Lake Brochet, two miles from the village, in which pike, perch and carp are plentiful; Lake Ouimet, three miles, an island-dotted sheet, which has been called "the fisherman's paradise," and Lakes Lamoureux, Clair, Desmarais, Sam and others as yet unnamed, which comprise, with those about Ste. Agathe, the best trout fishing waters in America.

Lac Tremblant, the largest lake in the district, is reached from either St. Jovite or Conception, the next railway station north, and it is on the shores of this magnificent body of water that it is proposed to erect a sanitarium, so favorable for such an institution are the existing conditions of salubrious climate, altitude and delightful environments. Salmon trout and grey trout, the latter of which average from seven to ten pounds,

are plentiful, and there is fair shooting in the locality. Mount Tremblant is alluring to mountain climbers, it being a day's scramble to the top, where the incomparable views which its eminences afford amply recompense one's exertions. On the summit and side are the three Stair lakes, connected by grand waterfalls, whose thunderings vibrate the earth and give the mountain its name. So peculiarly fascinating are the surroundings, and so eminently fitted for the purpose is the place, that its early erection into a great national park is assured.

Labelle is the terminus of the railway, around which cluster innumerable lakes, rivaling those further south in their charm of surroundings and repute amongst anglers. From a quarter of a mile to twenty miles they are to be found, some easy and some more difficult of access, but in none of them will the tourist be disappointed. Here, as at the other places mentioned, reliable guides are procurable, vehicles and boats are for hire, and the tourist can be assured of a maximum of pleasure at a minimum of expense.

Beyond Labelle, carriage roads lead to Macaza and to the Nominique district, from which canoe trips can be made in many directions.

While there are hotels scattered throughout this vast region—and in some places very comfortable ones—many families find the greatest enjoyment in camping on the margin of some pretty lake, and revelling in the luxury of outdoor life, with all the pleasurable accompaniments of boating, bathing and fishing at command. Permission to pitch tents is readily obtainable, or, in some sections, a small plot of ground can be cheaply purchased outright, on which the erection of an unpretentious cabin meets present requirements, and may be the precursor in many instances of handsome summer residences.

LAKE TEMISKAMING. The great Lake Temiskaming—"the lake of the deep water"—is reached at Temiskaming station, a two hours run from Mattawa. The railway, notched in the river bank, closely follows the sinuities of the Ottawa, which north of Mattawa is a succession of long reaches and expansions with intervening rapids. There is the interesting scenic combination of great pine lands, rugged mountains, many sparkling streams and dashing waterfalls, which, with the swirling waters of the greater river, present a glorious panorama. To the east, Beauchene and Boisfranc lakes and their outflowing streams furnish good sport.

Lake Temiskaming is a magnificent body of water that stretches for 75 miles north; along its entire length the grandeur of the scenery appeals as strongly to the lover of nature as the prolificacy of its woods and waters does to the ardent sportsman. It is the great link in the chain of waterways by which all parts of this region are reached.

At Temiskaming station is a fine hotel—the Bellevue—which is the most convenient as well as the most comfortable headquarters for sportsmen and tourists visiting the country, and also a favorite rendezvous for persons suffering from hay fever and other maladies, the air being clear and bracing, the surroundings congenial and the conditions favorable for recuperation. Good guides, canoes and all necessary supplies are procurable here, and licenses to hunt can be obtained at the hotel.

All this region are lakes abounding with speckled trout, black bass, grey trout, pike, dore, maskinonge, and there are moose, deer, bear, partridge, duck, and further north caribou.

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