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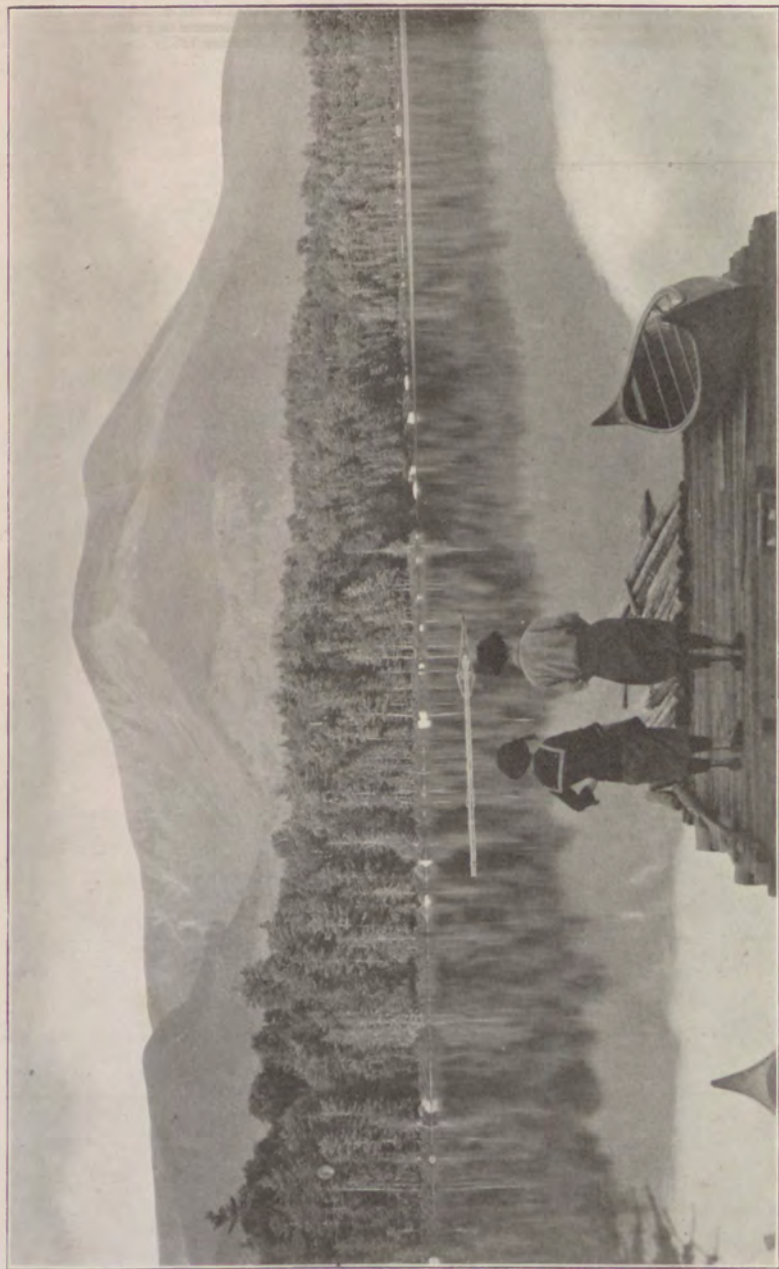
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Famous Mt. Katahdin from York's Camps, Daicey Pond (Photo by Call Studio, Dexter, Me.)



Fair Devotees of the Maine Woods at Fowler's Camps, Shin Pond

The Maine Woods

The Nation's Foremost Vacationland

"Who shall describe the inexpressible tenderness and immortal life of the grim forest, where Nature, though it be mid-winter, is ever in her spring; where the moss-grown and decaying trees are not old, but seem to enjoy a perpetual youth; and blissful, innocent Nature, like a serene infant, is too happy to make a noise, except by a few tinkling, lispings birds and trickling rills? What a place to live, what a place to die and be buried in! There certainly men would live forever, and laugh at death and the grave."

THOREAU'S sentences, found in his early classic, "Maine Woods," are not new to many readers of this publication of the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad, but where is there a more fitting quotation for an introductory chapter? As devotees of this great vacation country will attest, all the charm and beauty and wealth of scenic grandeur which enthralled the great naturalist more than half a century back are still to be enjoyed, and notwithstanding the inevitable advance of civilization, the Maine Woods still retain to a remarkable degree the primitive delights that have been the inspiration of poets and the rapture of the nature-lover.

IN THE MAINE WOODS is more than an information manual. It is a yearly invitation to men and women who already know this vacation land to come again, and to others, not yet acquainted with the offerings of this peerless paradise, for them to partake of the bountiful program of varied pleasures that is provided for all who come to this wonderland for recreation, rest and rejuvenation. After the first outing in this country to which the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad is the gateway, another enthusiast has been

made who, in turn, will become a zealot in securing yet others to be enrolled in the ever-lengthening list of enthusiasts of Maine Woods.

When it is remembered that in olden days, when getting to Moosehead, Katahdin and the other places popular even in those times, meant traveling under conditions that would be regarded as hardships for us, that the Maine Woods attracted many who came for fishing and hunting and canoe and camping, it is not surprising that now, with every comfort at hand, that there is a yearly influx of men and women which annually reaches new high points. The early-comers traveled by team and stage-coach, by slow steamboats and canoes, and it was a journey that required time for the accomplishment. Now an overnight trip from Boston and New York makes possible arrival in the woods the next morning.

The years of popularity and ever-increasing number of men and women who come regularly to the Maine Woods for their vacations has resulted in the perfecting of a system which is not surpassed. Outfitting stores, camp-owners, guides and hotels all join in the common effort to give satisfaction. The Bangor & Aroostook Railroad, through its Vacation Bureau, is always ready to give information and to supply detailed suggestions for vacations, canoe trips, hunting and fishing.

To many persons not yet familiar with the Maine Woods camps, an explanation of the camp plan is of interest. Most Maine Woods camps are located on the shores of or close by a lake. The establishments are generally some distance from settlements and are in themselves little communities. Supplies are kept stocked in the camps. Many of the camps have gardens for vegetables and provide their own dairy products, eggs and poultry. There is usually a central cabin which is used for a common dining room and assembly, and then apart are series of smaller cabins. These individual cabins may have two or four apartments for sleeping, and in addition a little sitting room with open fire. The camp plan followed in the Maine Woods has many advantages. The individual cabins provide privacy for families and parties and give a coziness that is not found in hotels. There are, of course, many varieties of equipment, but wherever you go in the Maine Woods you are sure to find satisfaction.

Life at a Maine Woods camp is a continuous span of pleasure and contentment. There are fishing parties, tramping expeditions, canoe picnics and many other forms of entertainment, and always the appetizing bills of fare to satisfy the ravenous demands that invariably come from the healthful, invigorating life in the open.

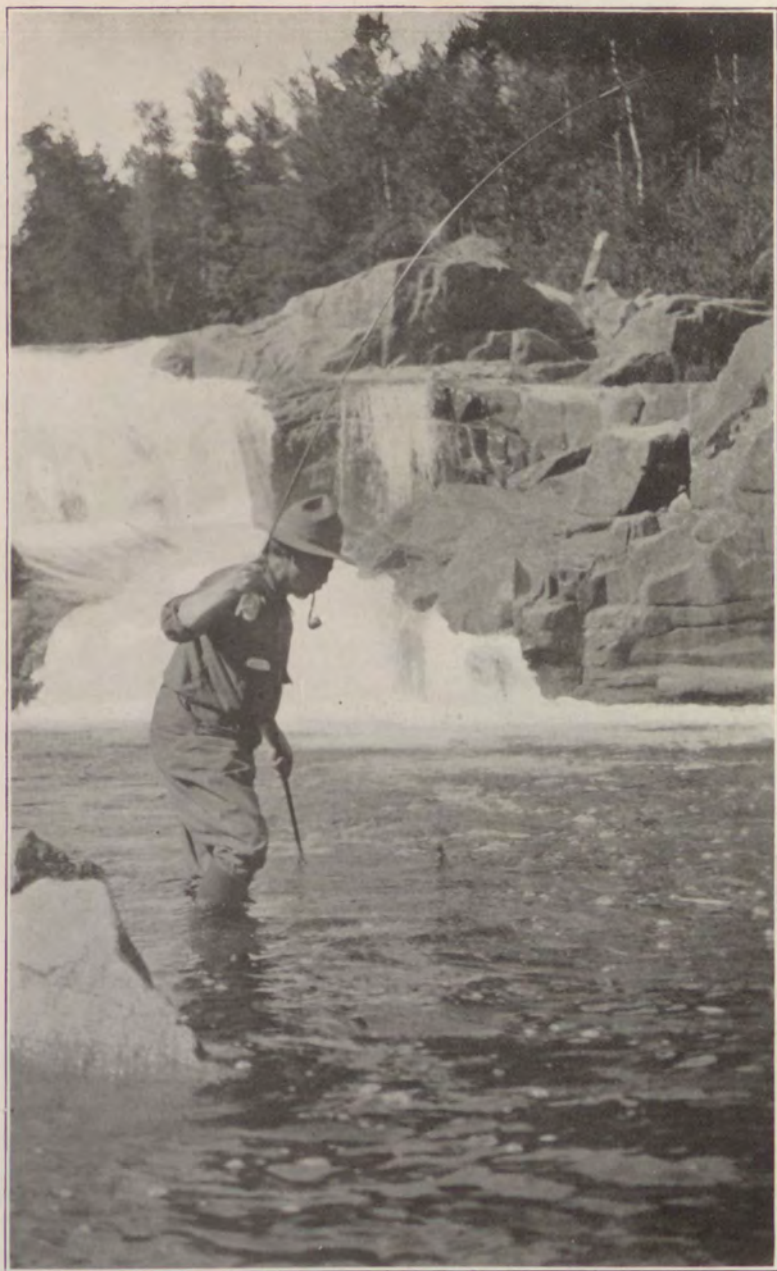
The long-favorite fishing waters and big game sections of the Maine Woods show a gain in popularity each season, as is evident from the increase in visitors, but recent years have witnessed a marked gain in favor for the marvelous country in the Mt. Katahdin region, — a section which offers in great abundance many

forms of vacation pleasures, —and the up-north Aroostook waters, known as the Fish River Waters, which are becoming widely famed for the splendid fishing which is available in the numerous lakes and streams. The popularity of the mountain-climbing opportunities offered by Mt. Katahdin is one of the noteworthy features of recent years. Climbing Katahdin has long been one of the special attractions of the Maine Woods, but in the past year or two Katahdin has become one of



On the Soudnahunk Tote Road
(Photo by Call Studio, Dexter, Me.)

the outstanding vacation centers of the Maine Woods. The modern comforts provided for railroad travel to the Maine Woods have removed all inconvenience in getting to this vacation wonderland, but the Maine Woods still retain all the attractions and delights of the olden times. Whichever locality may be the choice, and whatever the season, there is no question but that the Maine Woods vacation will be a red-letter event, and if it be the first woods vacation, it will be followed by many others. Maine, as a state, holds out a welcoming hand and all comers will be assured of that hospitality which is known far and wide.



Mr. George K. Woodworth Fishing in the Pool Below Little Niagara Falls
on the Sourdnehunk



Here's Proof of the Good Fishing on the Sourdnehunk

Dry-Fly Fishing on the Sourdnehunk

A Story that will Interest All Anglers

By GEORGE K. WOODWORTH, Boston

THIS is written, not for the old-time fly-caster who "chucks and chances it" with a team of two, and sometimes even three, gigantic flies, usually 6's and 8's, of the gaudy lake patterns, but for the modern angler who believes with Mr. Halford that it is more artistic, and in every respect more interesting, to take a trout by presenting to a feeding fish, in a natural manner, a more or less perfect imitation of the fly to which it is rising, and who, when he cannot spot a rise, will endeavor to tempt a rise by floating over a likely place imitations of such insects as are sailing down the stream.

Such an angler wades upstream, or at least casts upstream, or upstream and cross-stream. He uses one minute eyed-fly, Nos. 12-16 (a four-pound trout can be taken on a No. 16 as well as on a No. 6), the fly is anointed with a drop of paraffin oil, and between every cast or two a false cast is made in the air to snap the water out of the fly. The fly is tied with a Turle knot to a sixteen-inch 3-x drawn-gut leader point, and the leader point is tied with a double-water knot to a nine-foot tapered leader, usually tapering from "regular" to 1-x drawn-gut, or at least to "extra light," and sometimes the point is tied to a nine-foot level leader of 1-x drawn-gut. His line is light, usually a tapered F or a tapered G, and is kept well greased with deer fat to make it buoyant.

The dry-fly man usually knows at least the orders of the insects hatching on the water which he is fishing, and often can identify the families, genera and species.

The Sourdnahunk country offers exceptional opportunities to the dry-fly man, especially Sourdnahunk Stream, the most turbulent brook in Maine, which races about sixteen miles from Sourdnahunk Lake to the West Branch, and Katahdin Brook, which tumbles down the west side of Mt. Katahdin and flows into the West Branch about six miles away at a point about three miles below Sourdnahunk dam, passing through Grassy Pond, about one mile from Maurice York's camp on Daicey Pond.

From the Toll dam to the West Branch, three miles away, the Sourdnahunk Stream is a continuous series of falls, rapids and trout pools, the principal pools being the pool below the Toll dam



Little Niagara Falls on the Sourdnahunk

about twenty-five yards by fifteen yards, the pool below "Big Niagara" falls about two hundred feet by one hundred feet, the first pool below "Little Niagara" falls about one hundred feet in diameter, and the second pool below "Little Niagara" falls about fifty feet in diameter. Then follows about one-half mile of small pitches and pools to Windy Pitch, about one-quarter mile of as picturesque quick-water as will be found in the state, with numerous deep pools, and finally the turbulent stretch of about one mile and one-half from the lower end of Windy Pitch to Sourdnahunk Falls at the mouth of the stream, below which is a magnificent pool.

The stream can be followed from the Toll dam to the West Branch by the Sourdnahunk trail, and, if the water is not too high, it is possible to follow most of this stretch by wading and by walking along the rocks on the banks. Short trails connect the Sourdnahunk trail with almost all the best pools.

From the Toll dam there is a rather uninteresting stretch upstream of about one-half mile to York's bridge on the road between Twin Pine Camp and Kidney Pond Camp, and from York's bridge to Sourdnehunk Lake the stream follows a twelve-mile tortuous course with hundreds of deep trout pools cut by the swiftly running water. This entire stretch can be waded without getting in over waist deep, and the shelving banks on the concave portions of the numerous turns afford vantage places for casting up and across to the runs and the deep water under the bank at the opposing convex curve of the stream.

In this stream, as in Katahdin stream and all the ponds of the Sourdnehunk country, there are no fish of any kind whatever except native brook trout, the cataracts in the lower stretches of the streams preventing the chubs, pickerel, perch, etc., from



The Stretch of the Sourdnehunk Where There are Many Deep Trout Pools

running up, although sometimes salmon are taken in Sourdnehunk Stream as far up as the second pool below Little Niagara Falls.

The waters of the streams are as clear as crystal and very cold, even in July and August. Those who know, say that the famous chalk streams of southern England, the Test, Itchen and Kennet, and the famous Beaverkill of the Catskills, have nothing on the "Sourdyhunk" as a dry-fly water.

While the dry-fly was not intended primarily for use on still water, there are times when wet flies are quite ineffective on the Sourdnehunk Ponds, such, for instance, as during the remarkable hatches of the largest of the May fly species (*Hexagenia bilineata*), which rises in the evenings from the second week of July until September in Daicey, Kidney, Lost and Slaughter ponds to such an extent that these waters, especially Daicey Pond, simply boil with large trout. Any fair imitation of this fly, the female of

which in the sub-imago state has a brownish body one and one-quarter inches long and one-quarter inch in diameter, translucent light-green wings of about the same length, and two setae two inches long, will always kill.

The sub-imago male, which is about two thirds the size of the female, is similarly colored, and in the imago state the wings of both sexes are foxy-brown.

Dry flies cast over the spring holes in Daicey and Lost Pond, both of which, even the old-timers say, are hard to fish with wet flies, are almost always effective.

Below the Toll dam the trout average about three to the pound except in the pool below Sourdnahunk Falls, where they are much larger. Above the Toll dam, on the first portion of upper stretch to Sourdnahunk Lake, medium size trout are taken, and farther up they run very much larger, especially at the Slide dam, about four miles above York's bridge, and at Ledge Falls, about three miles above the Slide dam.



Sourdnahunk Falls, Below Which is a Magnificent Pool

The trout in Grassy Pond are usually small but very numerous, and those of the other ponds above mentioned, especially Daicey, are large enough to satisfy the most insatiable fly-caster. Fortunately, all the ponds are closed to bait fishing.

Authorities are agreed that the principal items in the dietary of *S. Fontinalis* are the members of the order Ephemera (May flies), the order Trichoptera (Caddis flies or Sedges) and the order Plecoptera (Stone flies).

Trout in waters in which these insects abound are always well conditioned and lively. The Diptera (two-winged flies) and the Hymenoptera (ants) also serve to fatten the trout.

As only one member of the order Ephemera (*Centropilum*

luteolum) is common to the United States and Great Britain, and as no members of the orders Trichoptera or Plecoptera are common to the two countries, the English dry flies, with the exception of Halford's Nos. 14 to 17 (Pale Watery Dun, male and female, and Pale Watery Spinner, male and female, perfect representations of *C. luteolum* in the sub-imago and imago states, respectively), cannot be used by those who demand *exact* imitations of the naturals.

Several years ago a New York artist-angler-author made a somewhat crude attempt to foist upon an unsuspecting public certain wonderfully and fearfully constructed alleged natural imitations of American trout stream insects, "nature flies," so called, and in his illustrated catalog followed the eccentric Theakston in his ludicrous endeavor to rewrite our entomological nomenclature, calling the Perlidae "browns," the Trichoptera "duns" and the Diptera "spinners" and inextricably confusing, in his tables, orders with families, as well as presenting, in his high-colored and ornate plates, strange misrepresentations of the naturals.

The less said about this brazen attempt to overturn the scientific work of generations, the better. Oh! that some American Halford would come forward.

The alleged natural imitations were thoroughly tried and found wanting. One of them, the Brown Drake, supposed to represent the *Hexagenia bilineata*, was never taken on Daicey Pond when there was a rise of those insects, although Halford's Nos. 1-6, as well as some very crude home-made imitations, tied with outwardly curving brown chicken feathers and heavy hackles secured in place with ambroid, invariably produced rises.

A large assortment of dry flies is not essential in the Sourdna-hunk country. The best flies for June, July and August follow:

NATURALS

EPEMERIDA

Hexagenia bilineata, large hatches the second and third weeks of July in Daicey, Kidney, Lost and Slaughter ponds, continuing at diminished rate to the end of August.

Centroptilum luteolum, hatches on stream in June and July, mornings and evenings, never seen on the ponds.

ARTIFICIALS

Halford's 1 and 2, Green May, male and female.

Halford's 3 and 4, Brown May, male and female.

Halford's 5 and 6, Spent Gnat, male and female.

Brown Drake.

Green Drake.

March Brown.

Floating Mays of various patterns.

Halford's 14 and 15, Pale Watery Dun, male and female.

Halford's 16 and 17, Pale Watery Spinner, male and female.

Pale Evening Dun.

NATURALS

A small bluish-gray dun, genus and species unknown, which hatches on the stream almost every evening in July and sometimes in the early morning.

A very small lightish dun (sedge ?), genus and species unknown, which rises on the stream during the latter part of July and the first part of August.

TRICHOPTERA

Phryganea cincrea, Walker, very similar to the "caperer" (*Halesus radiatus*) and to the "scuttling caddis" (*Phryganea grandis* or *P. striata*). Large hatches during July in Daicey and Lost ponds towards evening.

A small whitish sedge, genus and species unknown, which hatches on the stream and on Daicey Pond during the last two weeks of July and the first week of August at about sun-down.

PLECOPTERA

Nymph envelopes of the *Perla cephalotes* found in quantity on Lost Pond, but the flies themselves were never seen on the water.

DIPTERA

Bittacomorpha clavipes, "crane fly" of the family Tipulidae with white-banded black legs and wings. Stream and ponds.

Simulium molestum, the much dreaded Maine "black fly." Stream and ponds.

HYMENOPTERA

Winged Ants, black, occasionally found on Kidney Pond.

ARTIFICIALS

Halford's 7 and 8, Olive Dun.
Halford's 9 and 10, Dark Olive Dun.
Halford's 18 and 19, Iron Blue Dun.
Halford's 22 and 23, Blue Winged Olive.
Blue Quill.
Hare's Ear.
Blue Dun.
August Dun.

Halford's 11 and 12, Olive Spinner, No. 15 hook.
Halford's 24 and 25, Sherry Spinner, No. 15 hook.
Whirling Dun, No. 15 hook.

Halford's 29 and 30, Welshman's Button.
Halford's 31, Small Dark Sedge.
Halford's 32, Medium Sedge.
Halford's 33, Cinnamon Sedge.
Wickham's Fancy.
Alcock's Cinnamon Sedge.
Ginger Quill.
Red Quill.
Sand Fly.

Silver Sedge, No. 15 hook.
White Miller, No. 15 hook.
Royal Coachman, No. 15 hook.

Stone Fly.
Alder.
Greenwell's Glory.
Detached Badger.
Badger Quill.
Brown Hackle.
Almost any small dark fly on No. 14-No. 16 hook.

Gold Variant.

Halford's 26 and 27 Black Gnat on No. 15 hook.
Any Black Gnat on Nos. 15 and 16 hooks.
Partridge and yellow on Nos. 15 and 16 hooks.
Harlequin on Nos. 15 and 16 hooks.
Butcher on Nos. 15 and 16 hooks.

Halford's 28 Brown Ant on No. 15 hook.
Black Ant on No. 15 hook.
Red Ant on No. 15 hook.

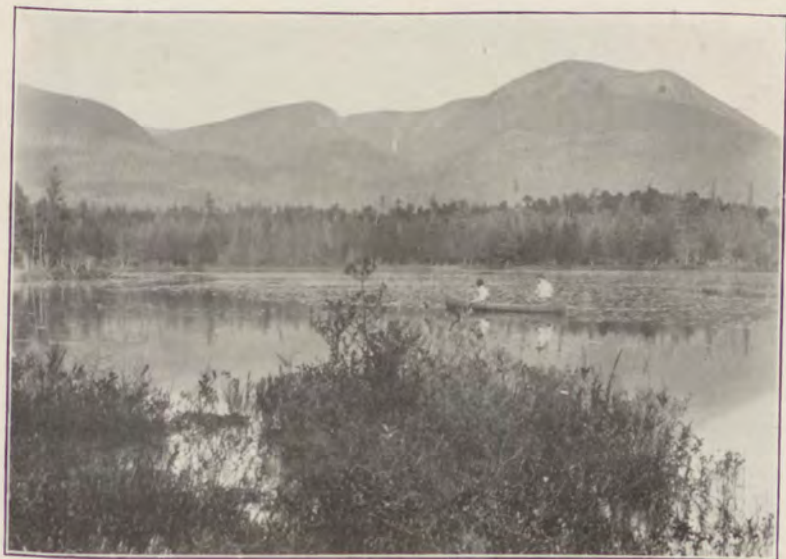
The Cow Dung, a good imitation of a land fly which is never on the water unless it is blown out, and the Grey Cahill, not an imitation of any natural, were good change flies on the Lost Pond spring hole, when the caddis flies were on the water.



Dinner Time at Camp on Chamberlain Lake

On Grassy Pond, fed by the icy water of Katahdin Brook, where every cast, if properly made, means a trout, the brighter flies, such as the Yellow Sally, Apple Green, Hoffland's Fancy, Claret Dun and Red Spinner were killing.

Various sialidae (alders) were observed on the shores of the stream and ponds, but the flies were never seen on the water.



Grassy Pond, a Famous Maine Woods Beauty Spot



At the Timber Line on the Hunt Trail Up Mt. Katahdin (Photo by Call Studio, Dexter, Me.)



The State Forestry Cabin on the Abol Trail, Mt. Katahdin

The "Pull" of Grand Old Mt. Katahdin

By ARCHER L. GROVER, Orono, Maine

"Ye who love the haunts of Nature,
Love the sunshine of the meadow,
Love the shadow of the forest,
Love the wind among the branches,
And the rain-shower and the snow-storm,
And the rushing of great rivers
Through their palisades of pine-trees,
And the thunder in the mountains,
Whose innumerable echoes
Flap like eagles in their eyries;
Listen to these wild traditions,
To this song of Hiawatha!" — *Longfellow.*

EVERY one who reads the *Lewiston Journal* knows Sam Conner, but maybe some of these same readers are not aware of the fact that Sam has climbed Mt. Katahdin. If there is doubt of this statement in the mind of any individual, I wish to refer him to the 1921 edition of *IN THE MAINE WOODS*, in which is a story entitled "O'er Katahdin's Rugged Sides." Yes, Sam wrote it. If one likes a good story, it's worth reading. If one has climbed Katahdin, it's worth reading twice.

"Some nubble!" mused Sam as he stood looking up at its craggy sides. "Yes, it's some nubble." And then he described it as follows: "Big, rugged, forbidding it looked and yet there

was a grandeur which acted upon us as the pull of a powerful magnet does upon a pile of iron ore; it drew us onward, but — there is something about the pull of Katahdin that keeps you going.”

Sam certainly touched a responsive chord in the souls of all who have climbed the mountain when he speaks of the “pull of Katahdin.” It is just as fascinating as a political pull and has the additional advantage of being dependable. To all outward appearances, the mountain is solid granite, but somewhere beneath this forbidding exterior there must be a lodestone which reacts upon all those who love God’s rugged handiwork.

It was in response to this “pull” that a party of six men left Orono, Maine, on July 29, 1922. Let them be known as Boardman, Farnham, Gannett, Burden, Sweetser and Grover. Some of these were responding to the “pull” for the sixth or seventh time, others for the second time, while two of the party were novices so far as this particular trip is concerned. All camping parties should have organization. This one was not lacking in this prime requisite. First of all we had an executive secretary whose only duty it was to furnish materials and transportation and collect all the money he could from the rest of us to defray the expenses of these essentials. The member who so ably filled this important station was elected to it because of the efficient and cheerful manner in which he had discharged the duty of dishwasher on a similar journey the previous year.

Next to be mentioned is the cook. All he had to do was to cook, and when he had completed this important task, the only thing left for him to do was to *cook*. He finished cooking when the last meal was prepared before we broke camp. After that his time was his own for the remainder of the trip. The reason for his election to this honorable position was because on a previous expedition he had faithfully performed the same work and the other members of the party still survive.

Now and then we hear of a lucky individual who was “born with a silver spoon in his mouth.” Sometimes I think this was true of our cook, but the reason why a third member of the party was chosen to the enviable position of “hewer of wood and drawer of water” was because he was born with an axe in his right hand and a canoe paddle in his left, and since wood was plenty and water was free, he had time to perform various other odd as well as useful jobs.

It is one thing to be a fisherman, but quite another to be that kind of a fisherman who can always produce the fish when called for on the bill of fare. We had one of this latter variety. I’ve seen him catch a 2½-pound trout out of a pool in the smooth granite ledges of Katahdin Stream that was not deep enough to hold a half barrel of water. Since our bill of fare always called for trout, and since this member would do nothing but fish, there was no alternative but to make him the o-fish-al fish man of the party.

Every senior must have been a freshman; every master-workman must have been an apprentice. Thus it was that the washing of dishes, cleaning of fish, mowing the lawn with a hunting knife, and the removal of hornets' nests from the shrubbery fell to the lot of our two first-year men. Their faithfulness, fortitude, fervency and zeal will doubtless lead to future advancement and final reward.



A Good Catch at the Mouth of Katahdin Stream

So much for personnel and organization. Now I will give some idea as to where we went and what we did. Leaving Norcross by boat at 10.30, we arrived at Spencer's on Ambajejus Lake about noon, where we left all our wangan with the exception of our packs. Arrangements had previously been made with Roy Bradeen to tote the heavy part of our equipment to the mouth of Abol Stream. We then continued by boat to the head of Ambajejus Lake, where we had a good dinner at Chadbourne's and after dinner started up the West Branch in our three canoes. We arrived at Fred Pitman's "Katahdin View Camps" in good season for supper after making the short (?) carry "over the mountain" from Passagamoc Lake into Debsconeag Deadwater to avoid that portion of the river filled with floating pulpwood. Leaving Pitman's the next morning, we arrived at our camping ground at the mouth of Katahdin Stream about noon after having carried by Pockwockamus Falls and Abol Falls. Bradeen arrived with his tote-team and our wangan at the mouth of Abol Stream soon after we reached Katahdin Stream in our canoes. Tents

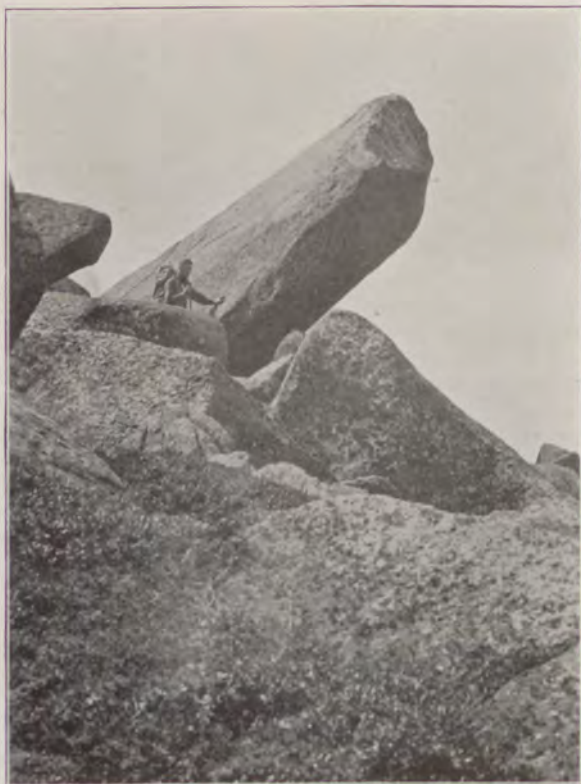
were pitched, fir-bough beds made and everything was cozy by night of the second day from home.

The head waters of Katahdin Stream are on the broad table-land of the mountain. Thence it finds its course down the western slope and joins the West Branch of the Penobscot at a point about seven miles from the summit of the mountain. In the minds of those favored individuals who have had the opportunity to follow Katahdin Stream from its confluence with the West Branch three or four miles up the slope of the mountain, there will always linger beautiful pictures of a wild mountain torrent. At times it is so deep in narrow chasms that it can only be heard — not seen; while a few hundred feet below it springs into the light of day and spreads itself on the smooth granite ledges in a sheet of water so thin that one wearing ordinary shoes can almost walk across dry-shod. Any real, red-blooded trout fisherman would rather fish on this rugged stream than on the most beautiful lake in the state.

There is a new view at each turn — the anticipation of something better just ahead, and it is seldom that this expectation is not realized.

Then, too, one who is not a mountain goat must "watch his step." The writer offers this bit of advice because it was learned by experience, and experience is an unusually hard teacher when it takes the form of a solid granite ledge approaching the upper portions of one's anatomy at the rate of a mile-a-minute.

After three days in camp,



Sentinel Rock on Pamola, Mt. Katahdin

two of the party could no longer withstand the "pull" of the mountain and after packing our knapsacks with provisions and the bare necessities of camping for a four or five-day tramp, started for higher altitudes.

We were prepared to travel as fast or as slow as circumstances permitted. We were guided by inclination and provisions. Could one start under more ideal conditions?

The first day we went up the south shore of Abol Stream to the Millinocket-Sourdnahunk tote road, and followed this north as it begins to rise on to the southwestern flank of the mountain.

After following it about one mile as it skirts the east bank of Little Abol Stream we came to the point where the south line of Town 3, Range 10, crosses the road. We followed this line east and in about ten minutes reached the southeast corner of Town 3, Range 10, which is the town containing a large part of Mt. Katahdin. Continuing on the south line of this town, we traversed a beautiful heavy-wooded country on which the stand was mostly spruce and fir with some mixed hardwood.

Numerous small brooks crossed our line of travel during the afternoon and about six o'clock we came to the shore of a good sized brook which was making its way down the mountain side "by leaps and bounds," evidently having Togue Pond as its destination. Since none of our maps showed a name for this beautiful stream we christened it "Tumbling Brook." The stream is large enough to be worthy of a name and we both agreed that "Tumbling" would be a most fitting title.



Pilgrim's Progress Across the Knife Edge, Mt. Katahdin



The Knife Edge, Mt. Katahdin, Which Provides Some Sporty Work by Mountaineers
(Photo by Call Studio, Dexter, Me.)

It was in this beautiful spot that we pitched camp the first night. I woke in the morning before my partner, cut a slender maple, tied about eight feet of line to it and to this attached a brown hackle that I purposely had in my wallet for just such emergencies. The eleven trout we ate for breakfast were big enough to clear the law and good enough to satisfy an epicure.

That forenoon we continued our journey eastward along the south line of Town 3, Range 9, and at noon came to the new tote road which the Great Northern Paper Company had built the previous year to their lumbering operations on Sandy Stream waters on the east side of the mountain. After having lunch at a Great Northern Paper Company road construction camp, we moved on up the road to the depot camps on Roaring Brook and after a short rest pushed on to the "No. 3 Camp" at Basin Pond. We found about forty-five men working at this camp, which is only one and three-quarters miles from Chimney Pond in the South Basin.

On the morning of the third day we left Basin Pond Camps and were soon standing on the north shore of Chimney Pond gazing with wonder and admiration at a close-up view of the grandest mountain scenery east of the Rocky Mountains. My vocabulary is too weak to attempt a description of this mountain wall towering fifteen hundred to two thousand feet above and sweeping through nearly one hundred and eighty degrees of arc. All I can say is, go and see it, then you will have a mental picture that is worth while and one that will stay with you for a lifetime.

Our course now took us up the South Basin or "Saddle Slide." This portion of our journey was uneventful except for the fact that we were caught in a thunder shower just before we reached the head of the slide and were unable to find shelter. Since it rained hard for thirty minutes the result will be obvious. We were wet, — yes, we were soaked. We were so cold the shivery shivers played tag up and down our spines, but what of that when one is really and truly going somewhere worth while.

We continued to the head of the slide and on to the middle tableland, thence across Abol tableland to the head of Abol Trail. Six o'clock that night found us making tea over the open fireplace in front of the deserted firewarden's camp on Abol Slide, where we spent a comfortable night.

Getting a late start the next morning, we took our time on the tramp down the trail to our home camp at the mouth of Katahdin Brook. Although rather "soft" when we started, we had made the trip leisurely enough so that at no stage had it been especially irksome. We did not start out to annihilate time and distance, but were enjoying to the fullest extent one of John Burrough's favorite maxims, "One cannot run and read nature."

It was Saturday afternoon, August 5, that this two-man party completed its four-day journey. On the next day at 4.00 p.m. a five-man party started for the mountain, each carrying a thirty-five pound pack with rations and equipment for four days. One



The Boulders on the Hunt Trail Up Mt. Katahdin

of the four who had not gone on the first mountain trip had met with an unfortunate accident which prevented him from tramping, and this accounts for the number five in this party instead of six.

Although we were prepared to stop wherever night overtook us, we had a rather definite course laid out as follows: Up Abol Stream to Millinocket-Sourdnahunk tote road, thence north

on this road about five miles to its crossing of Katahdin Stream, which is also the point where "Hunt's Trail" from Kidney Pond crosses the same road; from here to climb the mountain by Hunt's Trail, cross the table land and descend to the South Basin by the "Slide Trail" to Chimney Pond. Then we were to ascend Pamola, traverse the "Knife Edge" to the summit and then descend to the mouth of Katahdin Stream via Abol Trail. This course was followed exactly as outlined, except that we spent two nights and one whole day, on account of rain, at the first camp. This was at the point where the Katahdin Stream crosses the Millinocket-Sourdnahunk tote road.

Because a pup tent is an awkward shelter for five men (especially when playing cards), a "lean-to" was improvised to protect us during this rainy day. Between the showers we caught a fry of trout in the brook, picked enough raspberries for dinner, and pitched horseshoes. I think I hear some reader of this story saying, "The poor boobs to 'pack' horseshoes with which to amuse themselves on rainy days!" Not guilty. We found them in the ruins of an old hovel.

We started up Hunt's Trail the morning of the third day, which dawned with indications of clearing weather and were not disappointed, for by the time we reached the timber line the fog had disappeared from the lowlands and the summit, this giving us the exceptional opportunity of being on the mountain in "north-west clearing weather" immediately following a rainstorm. I doubt if there was better visibility during the summer than there was on this day.

That night we camped on the shore of Chimney Pond and when we arose the next morning there was a white frost on our tents. This was August 9. This proved to be nearly as good as the day before except that the visibility was slightly lower. There was no wind, however, which fact was appreciated as we were cautiously picking our way along the "Knife Edge," where a misstep would have meant a dangerous tumble. That night we enjoyed the hospitable shelter of the deserted fire warden's camp on Abol Trail.

On the morning of the fifth day we leisurely made our way down the Abol Trail, picking spruce gum as we went, and when we reached the home camp at the mouth of Katahdin Stream we found it deserted. The cook had "evaporated," but not without leaving material evidence of his recent departure. There was a pot of beans in the ground still warm, a pan of fresh corn bread and a pan of biscuits in the buckets. This goes to prove statements I made in the opening lines about our cook. He was "gone but not forgotten." He was the unfortunate sixth member of the party who, because of accident, had been unable to take this wonderful mountain trip as thoroughly enjoyed by the rest of us, — mosquitoes and solitude had driven him to the abode of man.



Where Katahdin Stream Flows into the West Branch



A Good Morning's Catch. Eight Salmon Weighing from One to Two-and-a-Half Pounds

Beautiful Davis Pond

a Typical Resort of the Maine Woods

By FRANKLIN P. SHUMWAY, Boston

EIGHT hours' sound sleep in a comfortable Pullman brings one at 6.30 o'clock to Sherman, where an early morning twenty-mile ride, so charming that it will never be forgotten, goes over the hills to Davis Pond tucked away in the beautiful green woods with nothing for miles around to disturb the pristine beauty of this mile-long pond, completely enclosed with wooded hills and guarded over by Kathadin, Sugar Loaf and Chase mountains.

This pond or lake takes its name from a hermit named Davis who for many years fished it, hunted on its shores, and lived near it in a cabin where tradition says he tamed partridge to live with his hens, deer to feed every day at his cabin door, and caused every bird and animal to recognize him as a friend.

We found his "pirogue" (a canoe hewn with an axe from a big log) afloat in the pond this summer, and as it now permanently rests on the shores of the pond, something of the kindly, peaceful spirit of Hermit Davis seems to brood over Wapiti Camp and cause it to be one of those quiet, restful spots that tired men and wearied women seek in order to gain the needed nerve and strength to withstand the rush and drive of the city.

Camp Wapiti itself consists of a group of ten well-built log cabins skillfully placed around the northern border of Davis Pond so that each faces the pond. They are at the same time so located as not to cause their occupants to interfere with each other, while yet near enough to be, shall I say, companionable.

The center of the camp is a beautiful dining cabin whose open fire, hardwood floor and large windows make it so homelike that

even if the food served there was not remarkably good from every standpoint, it would still be the natural center of the campers' indoor life.

If indoors is attractive, outdoors at Wapiti is alluring. First and foremost are the beautiful green woods with hardly a sign of man's devastating hand, except where trails have been cut all around the pond over to Sugar Loaf, across to the beaver dam

and elsewhere, and the two-mile winding auto road over to Harvey's, where one can buy gum, fairly good peanuts, a little candy, etc., and, best of all, get the mail on the few days when the camp auto does not bring it to the door.

The outdoor life of the camp centers around the pond, a superb sheet of water, and there is hardly an hour, day or evening, when the dainty canoes or the safer rowboats are not moving over its surface. For the man like myself, whose summer largely means "resting and fishing," Wapiti provides salmon and trout fishing that I have rarely seen equaled and I've fished for twenty years from Duluth, Minnesota, to Halifax, Nova Scotia, including many of the far-in-the-woods camps of Maine and New Brunswick. My usual schedule at Wapiti is a big night's sleep of about nine hours, a plunge in the lake, more breakfast than is really good for me, and at about 7.30 o'clock my guide and I take to the canoe for not over three hours' fishing.

When they bite sharp, we tend to business and bring in from two to eight or ten good-sized land-locked salmon or brook trout. If



Mr. Franklin P. Shumway and a Two-and-a Half-Pound Salmon



Mr. Shumway's Tent on the Shore of Davis Lake

they are fussy or not really hungry, we lay across the canoe bottom, tell stories, watch our friend the baldheaded eagle and his friends the kingfishers do their fishing, and very likely take a nap. About eleven o'clock we move ashore and, if not too lazy, pick some raspberries and then are ready for dinner. The usual after-dinner nap is worth the price of a day's board, and then it's a tramp across

country, a search in the woods for maiden hair, rock and some of the many other beautiful ferns and woods flowers, and either just before or after tea, and sometimes both, fishing again, followed after dusk by a chat with some of the guests, a brief bit of reading or a pleasant game of euchre or whist till bedtime. Somewhat monotonous, you say. Oh, no, for every minute there is something new to interest, and the so-called "long summer days" are all too short, for, after more than six weeks' stay, we go home with many trips untaken and jobs undone.

On several other days we take the "suburban," and a dozen or more go across country to climb Mt. Chase, the second largest mountain in Maine, or nearly the whole camp will tramp up to the top of Sugar Loaf with, in both cases, dinner cooked in the open, with side dishes of raspberries and blueberries.

When we are real good and don't kick even if the mail is late, our hostesses, two very cheery young ladies, invite every one to a picnic lunch on the island, where broiled fish, ham and eggs, raspberry jam on fresh home-made white bread, and lots of other

good things, including real ice cream, give us a "feed" that even the gods of woods would have licked their chops to have eaten.

One of the greatest attractions, especially for the ladies, the past two years has been a "gentleman" beaver, who has made his home in Davis Pond, built two houses, and become so tame that you can sit and watch him eat, swim, dive, try to scare you away by banging the water with his tail, as he dives, etc. To get as close as five feet to so wild an animal as a beaver is a rare treat. Another treat for the ladies is their daily swim at about 3 o'clock, when their shouting and laughter can be heard, well, say a mile at least.

On cool days, and the thermometer rarely goes to 80 even at noon, the air-tight stove in every cabin, and box filled with dry wood, are greatly appreciated, while the daily swept cabins with their more than comfortable spring beds, large roomy rockers, and wide piazzas make one's cabin a real summer home, and the table, with its choice meats, skillfully cooked, and its many dainty dishes rarely found in even the best camps, cause one to look forward to the meals as a real delight.

The "vital statistics" are: The nearest railroad station is Patten, ten miles away; there is fair auto road all the way to camp, mail comes every day, camp telephone connects with the entire "Bell" system, guides, canoes and rowboats can be hired at camp. Most of the cabins are leased for from four to eight weeks early every spring, although sometimes one can be secured late in the season. The cabins, table, service, fishing, tramping, etc., are all that any reasonable person will expect and far better than is usually found in woods camps.



A Picnic Party from Camp Wapiti



Vacationists at York's Camps, Daicey Pond, One of the Numerous Popular Resorts in the Mt. Katahdin Country
(Photo by Call Studio, Dexter, Me.)



Near Sourdnehunk Dam, on the Penobscot's West Branch

Canoe Cruises Thru The Forest Waterways of the Maine Woods

EARLY and enduring fame came to the Maine Woods because of the unsurpassed opportunities offered for fishing and hunting. While they have never been supplanted in popularity with fishermen and hunters, to-day, perhaps, the greatest number of enthusiasts of the Bangor & Aroostook territory are the men and women who make the canoe trips over the various water routes through regions celebrated for scenic charm and holding out many vacation allurements. The canoeing possibilities are apparent from even a casual acquaintance with the map of this entrancing section. A network of waterways and forest basins offers canoe trips of wide variety, and whether it be the splendid Allagash trip, most famous of all, or some of the short but delightful cruises between neighboring lakes, like those of the Fish River country, there are excursions so numerous that it would take many annual visits to Maine to exhaust the program.

A romantic and historic interest attaches to many of these canoe trips, the St. John River trip and the cruise down the Penobscot's West Branch, for instance, when it is recalled that in the pioneer days of the French explorers and colonizers, these rivers were the avenues of travel between Quebec and the outposts in what is now Maine. There was regular traffic by these canoe routes from interior points to Castine, on Penobscot Bay, and



The Trail at Foss and Knowlton Pond
(Photo by Call Studio, Dexter, Me.)

other settlements of the French and the Indians, and it is easy to imagine some of the picturesque birchbark squadrons transporting redskins and imposing uniformed soldiers of the Old World, oftentimes on sanguinary expeditions, that have passed up and down the routes now so popular with vacationists.

Of the many canoe trips in the Maine Woods the most celebrated are the Allagash trip, which covers 203 miles; the trip down the Penobscot's West Branch, a distance of

80 miles; the cruise through the waters of the East Branch of the Penobscot, 118 miles from start to finish; and the long voyage down the St. John River, covering 231 miles. For the ideal vacation offering a combination of pleasures that cannot be duplicated by any other form of outing there is no surpassing a Maine Woods canoe trip. The hundreds of men and women who yearly make canoe cruises through waters of the Maine Woods are the most convincing endorsement.

Many of the Maine Woods canoe cruises are an excursion over waters which lead through territories rich in scenic delights and provide the finest form of outdoor recreation. For the man or

woman who wants to fish, these canoe trips through the country traversed by the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad open the way to lakes and streams which are renowned among anglers.

Canoe trips have long been popular with the men and women for whom a vacation in the woods is a yearly event. Recent years have brought increasing popularity for canoeing among women. Many parties of business and professional women, and teachers and their students, make the canoe trips through the Allagash, West Branch and other waters each season as regularly as the summer comes. Canoe trips give an opportunity for a certain amount of "roughing it"; indeed, it is because of this that they have so many enthusiastic devotees.

The efficient system prevailing in the Maine Woods makes it possible to have arranged in advance all the details of a trip, the matter of supplies, camping outfit, canoes and guides, so that everything is in readiness for starting out on a day decided upon. The Vacation Bureau of the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad at Bangor arranges canoe trips for many individuals and parties each season. With the information in hand as to the size of the party and the length of time to be given to the trip, various outlines of canoe trips will be supplied and estimates of expenses and other matters will be submitted. After the first canoe cruise has been made through the Maine Woods it is certain that thereafter a canoe trip will be a regular program for the annual vacation. The common verdict of hundreds of men and women is that these trips are the best and most profitable, in health returns and enjoyment, of all outings.

THE FAMOUS CRUISE DOWN THE ALLAGASH

Starting point, Northeast Carry, Moosehead Lake.

Terminus, Fort Kent, on the St. John River.

Distance, 203 miles.

Time, from eight days to four weeks.

MOST famous of all canoe trips is the Allagash excursion through the picturesque waterways of the great Aroostook north country. It starts at Northeast Carry, on the Penobscot's West Branch, and ends at Fort Kent on the St. John River, a cruise of more than two hundred miles. The Allagash trip is extraordinary not only because of the almost endless stretch of fine scenery which it unfolds, but also on account of the many opportunities for fine fishing in the lakes and streams en route. Also it offers exceptional opportunities for enjoying the pleasures of the real woods vacation. The Allagash trip is generally admitted to be the finest canoe trip of the continent and it is made annually by hundreds of men and women.

Northeast Carry, the starting point for the Allagash trip, is reached by the way of Moosehead Lake, being one of Moosehead's extremities. The "Carry" is two miles across the ridge which separates the waters of the Penobscot and Kennebec rivers. For the Allagash trip the canoe goes into the Penobscot's West Branch for a pleasant dash of twenty miles to Chesuncook Lake.

The "Halfway House," a favorite camping spot if the start is made in the afternoon, is ten miles from Northeast Carry. In the second ten-mile course, Moosehead, Ragmuff and Pine streams are passed and then the canoe enters Chesuncook Lake, at the head of which is Umbasooksus Lake. It is a paddle of a mile over the lake to a carry of a couple of miles.

At the carry teams transport the canoes overland. At the end of the carry is Mud Pond, and then there is a mile stretch down the outlet to Chamberlain Lake. It is a paddle of six miles to the head of Chamberlain Lake, and after a short carry around the dam, the canoe goes into the stream for a run to Eagle Lake. It is a ten-mile paddle over Eagle Lake, after which the canoe enters the thoroughfare of two miles connecting Eagle and Churchill lakes. Churchill Lake is five miles long and at its foot is Chase Carry, about a mile in length. At the end of the carry the canoe goes into the Allagash River for ten miles to Umsaskis Lake. Five miles over the lake and a thoroughfare leads into Long Lake, and then there is another five-mile stretch to the Allagash River, after which it is a straight course of ten miles, bringing up at Round Pond.

It is three miles over the pond to another entry into the Allagash for a fifteen-mile dash to Allagash Falls. At the falls, the canoe is taken out for a short carry, and it goes into the river below the falls. After the falls are passed it is smooth going to St. Francis, the point of confluence of the Allagash and St. John rivers.

Although St. Francis is the actual terminus of the Allagash trip, it is generally continued down the St. John River to Fort Kent. At St. Francis, the Bangor & Aroostook train may be taken to Fort Kent and thence to Bangor or to other points. There is also railroad connection between Fort Kent and Van Buren, and the trip is interesting as it skirts the border line and follows closely the banks of the St. John River. On both sides of the St. John River the towns are inhabited largely by French-speaking people who are descendants of the early Acadian settlers. The picturesque villages are quite different from what is generally expected of New England towns and never fail to interest tourists.

A visit to Van Buren gives an opportunity for going down to the Grand Falls of the St. John River, appropriately called "the Niagara of the East," and well worth the time it takes, as the falls are only a dozen miles away.

It is customary to take tent, provisions, cooking utensils and other necessities for the Allagash trip and then go into camp whenever night or the inclination to get ashore overtakes the



Maine Woods Waters Hold the Supreme
Place Among Canoeists

canoeist. There are numerous good camping places with clear springs for drinking water, and surroundings that are alluring, and there are various camps along the Allagash where provisions may be secured if the supply is running low. If desired, meals and lodging may be had at these camps which are:

Joe Smith's, the Half Way House, about ten miles from Northeast Carry.

Ansel B. Smith's, at the head of Chesuncook Lake.

The Lincoln Pulpwood Company's Camp at the Chamberlain Farm on Chamberlain Lake.

W. H. Cunliff & Sons' Camp on Umsaskis Lake.

J. T. Michaud's Farm, about two miles before reaching Allagash Falls.

THE POPULAR TRIP THRU WEST BRANCH WATERS

Starting point, Northeast Carry, Moosehead Lake.

Terminus, Norcross, at the foot of North Twin Lake.

Distance, 80 miles.

Time, from four to seven days.

SINCE the coming of the first canoeing enthusiasts to the Maine Woods, one of the most popular of the many fine routes is the canoe cruise down the Penobscot's West Branch. The popularity of the West Branch cruise is due to the comparatively short time in which it can be made, an important consideration forced upon many vacationists, and also by the fact of the many scenic attractions. Still another attraction for men and women who want to fish en route are the many good angling waters easily reached from the main course. The West Branch trip begins at Northeast Carry, reached from Moosehead Lake. The canoe goes into the West Branch waters at the carry and it is a picturesque course down the West Branch for twenty miles to Chesuncook Lake. Midway on the West Branch, between Northeast Carry and the entrance to Chesuncook, is the Half Way House, which is a favorite camping place, particularly if the start is made from Northeast Carry in the afternoon. When Chesuncook Lake is reached the canoeist decides whether the distance

of eighteen miles down the lake will be paddled or whether the steamboat will be taken for the run down Chesuncook and Ripogenus lakes, which are now one.

The Great Northern Paper Company, at the foot of Ripogenus Lake, has one of the world's greatest water storage dams, and because of it a carry is necessary and arrangements can be made for transporting of canoes and dunnage over land. At the end of the carry the canoe is put into West Branch again at a point known as the Big Eddy. Upper Umbajackamegus Falls are encountered shortly and the canoe goes through this quick water, but at the "lower" falls it is necessary to carry for half a mile.

The succession of swift pitches, about two and a half miles in extent, are known as "The Horse Race," and if conditions are favorable the canoes generally go through these rapids with passengers aboard. Occasionally the water is sufficiently turbulent to make the passengers choose the path which runs along the bank while the guide negotiates the current, and at other times low water makes some extra carrying.

At the end of the Horse Race the canoe goes through Sourdna-hunk Deadwater to the dam at the foot of Sourdna-hunk Stream, where there is a small carry. Four miles down the West Branch are Abol Falls, which makes necessary another carry, after which the canoe goes into a straight course down the river to Pock-wockamus Deadwater and then it is clear traveling to Debsconeag Falls, where the West Branch takes a drop thirty or so feet, and these falls make necessary still another carry. At Passamagomac Falls there is the last carry of the trip and then there is a clear stretch into Ambajejus Lake. When the head of Ambajejus Lake is reached, steamboats may be boarded for the trip down Ambajejus Lake to Pemadumcook Lake, thence to North Twin Lake to Norcross, the terminus of the West Branch canoe trip. At Norcross there is a hotel where clothes may be changed and preparations made for the trip home by the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad.

The entire course of the West Branch canoe trip abounds in scenery and attractions which are hard to equal. There are many opportunities for side-trips for fishing, hunting and camping out along the West Branch cruise. Fishing and canoeing waters along the West Branch canoe route include Caribou, Cuxabexis, Caucomgomac Lake, the Hurd Ponds, Rainbow Lake, First, Second and Third Debsconeag Lakes. From Third Debsconeag Lake there is a passage to the head of Pemadumcook, and from Pemadumcook can be reached Jo Mary Stream to Jo Mary Lake. The Jo Mary waters have long been renowned in hunting and fishing circles. Millinocket Lake, reached from Ambajejus Lake, is another favorite with fishermen. Two streams which are popular with the anglers are Aboljackamegus and Aboljackamegassiss streams, which flow into West Branch in the vicinity of Abol Falls.

There is a fine trail to Mt. Katahdin from Abol which is much used by mountain climbers. Getting to famous Mt. Katahdin by the way of the West Branch, whether the start is made at Northeast Carry or at Ripogenus, reached by the "short-cut" by way of Lily Bay and Kokadjo, means adding to the delights of a Katahdin trip all the pleasures and exhilarating experiences of canoeing and camping.

From Northeast Carry there are two short and popular canoe trips to Pine Pond and Lobster Lake. The Pine Pond trip leads down the West Branch from Northeast Carry for seventeen miles, when a turn to the east is made up Pine Stream for eight miles into Pine Pond. This is a picturesque excursion and offers opportunity for good fishing.

Lobster Lake is considered to be one of the most beautiful in the Maine Woods, and is easily reached from Northeast Carry. Only four miles down the West Branch from Northeast Carry is Lobster Stream and then it is four miles up the stream, an uncommonly beautiful woods' waterway, to Lobster Lake, considered by many one of the outstanding beauties of the Maine Woods.



Davis Pond Where Canoeing is a Favorite Recreation With Its Many Vacationists

THE EAST BRANCH CANOE CRUISE

Starting point, Northeast Carry, Moosehead Lake.

Terminus, Grindstone on the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad.

Distance, 120 miles.

Time, from seven to ten days.

THE canoe trip down the East Branch of the Penobscot is not only longer than that down the West Branch, but it also offers surroundings somewhat wilder than are found in the West Branch country. This cruise covers a distance of 120 miles and traverses such well-known waters as Chesuncook and Chamberlain lakes and the succession of pitches known as the Grand Falls of the East Branch.

The start for the East Branch trip is from Northeast Carry. The course is twenty miles down the West Branch to Chesuncook Lake. Instead of turning south down Chesuncook, as in the case of the West Branch trip, the canoe is headed north and leaves Chesuncook by Umbazooksus Lake. From the lake the route leads to Mud Pond Carry and thence into Mud Pond, which is the first dip into the waters of the East Branch. It is three miles over Mud Pond to Chamberlain Lake, and a paddle of five miles over Chamberlain brings the canoe to the thoroughfare leading to Telosmis, and after Telosmis comes Telos Lake. Telos is a favorite camping place because of the favorable surroundings, and from there side trips are often taken into Sourdnahunk Lake. A canal connects Telos with Webster Lake, and if there is a good pitch of water this will afford a passage to the canoe.



Lost Pond, Another Canoeing Pond Midst Mountainous Surroundings

From Webster Lake to Grand Falls it is necessary to take out the canoe for a mile overland by tote team. When the canoe goes into the water again, there is good going to Second Lake, four miles long, and for another four-mile stretch over Grand Lake. From Grand Lake there is a five-mile run of rough water, which means vigorous paddling, to Stairs Falls, but after the falls are passed, there is a smooth run to Haskell Rock Pitch, where there is another carry.

The Grand Falls of the East Branch are composed of the series of pitches which are encountered in the next four miles. Pond Pitch comes first, then Grand Pitch, the third is the Hulling Machine Pitch, and last is Bowlin Falls. If wind and water conditions are right, the canoe is navigable through the swift current



The Maine Woods Have Many Fair Devotees

between the pitches, but each of the pitches except Bowlin mean a carry. At certain seasons, and under extraordinary conditions it may be necessary to carry around Bowlin, but generally it can be gone through with safety.

From Bowlin there is a stretch of good canoeing for a distance of fifteen miles, which brings the canoe to the point of junction of the Wissataquoik and the East Branch. The Wissataquoik offers a pleasant side trip up its sixteen-mile length, and the Sebois, which comes into the East Branch just above the Wissataquoik's place of confluence, flows through a country famous for its big game.

From the mouth of the Wissataquoik it is only a dozen miles to Grindstone. In covering this stretch there are the Whetstone, Burntland and Grindstone Falls to be encountered. Under favorable conditions the canoe can get through without a carry, but unless the pitch of

water is exceptional, it is more than likely that Whetstone will be unnavigable even if the other two are.

The East Branch canoe trip is popular with fishermen because its waters are famous for the prizes they yield, and the sport provided by the gamey trout is a strong lure to the route.

THE PICTURESQUE ST. JOHN RIVER TRIP

Starting Point, Northwest Carry.

Terminus, Grand Falls, N. B.

Distance, about 231 miles.

Time, three to five weeks.

THE St. John River canoe cruise is the longest of Maine Woods voyages and traverses territory which is veritable virgin forest. It opens up a really "wild" country, and in the course of the two hundred and thirty-one miles that are covered by the trip there are opportunities to exhibit canoeing skill, as some of the stretches of rough water can be classed as hazardous and must

be negotiated with extreme care. For the canoeist of experience, these quick waters call for skill, and a certain amount of daring add zest to the splendid St. John cruise.

The following paragraphs are reprinted from a story in a former issue of *IN THE MAINE WOODS*, contributed by Prof. W. K. Morehead, of Andover, Mass., famed as an archeologist and a lover of the outdoor life. Professor Morehead is a devotee of the Maine Woods and is particularly enthusiastic over the canoe trip down the St. John. His account of the St. John cruise is regarded as the most satisfactory.

This is Professor Morehead's description:

"I do not know that the distance has been measured, therefore some of my estimates may not be correct. From Northwest Carry to the West Branch is two miles — good road. Proceed up the West Branch to Pittston Farms (mostly deadwater), where is the supply camp of the Great Northern Paper Company. Here the stream forks, and you proceed by the north branch of the West Branch about twenty miles to Doyle Brook. There, canoes can be poled part of the way, but must be dragged the rest of the distance.

"From Doyle Brook to the Bog Lake Dam is at least fifteen and possibly twenty miles. This is called Aboconetic Bog. It is five miles from this bog through a sluggish winding stream to the head of the river where used to live two French-Canadians in a small cabin. These two men maintain the carry. Canoes have to be dragged the last two miles. From this cabin to St. John Pond is five or six miles over hills. From St. John Pond, it is twenty miles to Baker Lake. The stream is small. It is necessary to drag the canoes part of the way. At Baker Lake there is an old lumber camp, but it is not in very good condition. After leaving Baker Lake it is about twenty miles to Morrison Depot Camp, where campers can be put up if desired.

"Here the river is a little larger and swifter. About ten miles from Morrison's Camp the southwest branch of the St. John comes in. This is a very good game country and there are also many trout. There are no houses or buildings until one reaches Seven Islands. It must be forty miles from the forks of the river to the mouth of the Southwest Branch. The water is swift and can be run in a day, but I advise spending three days, as there is much to see. Through this region one can find beaver dams by ascending side streams.

"From Seven Islands to the mouth of the Big Black River the distance must be eighteen or twenty miles, and there are bad rapids above the mouth of the Big Black River. I advise stopping several days at the mouth of the Big Black River, as there one finds good fishing and hunting. Here the river is larger and swift. From the mouth of the Big Black River to the mouth of the Allagash must be nearly forty miles. There are two or three houses on a high bank to the left, and I would advise that one of the French-Canadians who live there be secured to guide the party

through the channels. At certain stages of water different courses are taken, hence you need some one who knows the channels. It would be easy to upset canoes in these waters, and, therefore, if canoeists are not experts they must proceed with caution.

"From the mouth of the Allagash on down to St. Francis (about fifteen miles), there are houses here and there, and accommodation can be secured by those who do not care to set up tents. My advice to canoeists would be to go slowly through and not hurry, and spend three weeks in journeying from Northwest Carry to St. Francis, which must be, counting all the turns in the river, distant at least two hundred and twenty-five miles from St. John Pond.

"Side trips up the Tobique, the St. Francis and the Big Black are recommended. The upper river is more charming than the lower. It is an absolute forest, free from the haunts and habitations of man, — is that upper St. John."

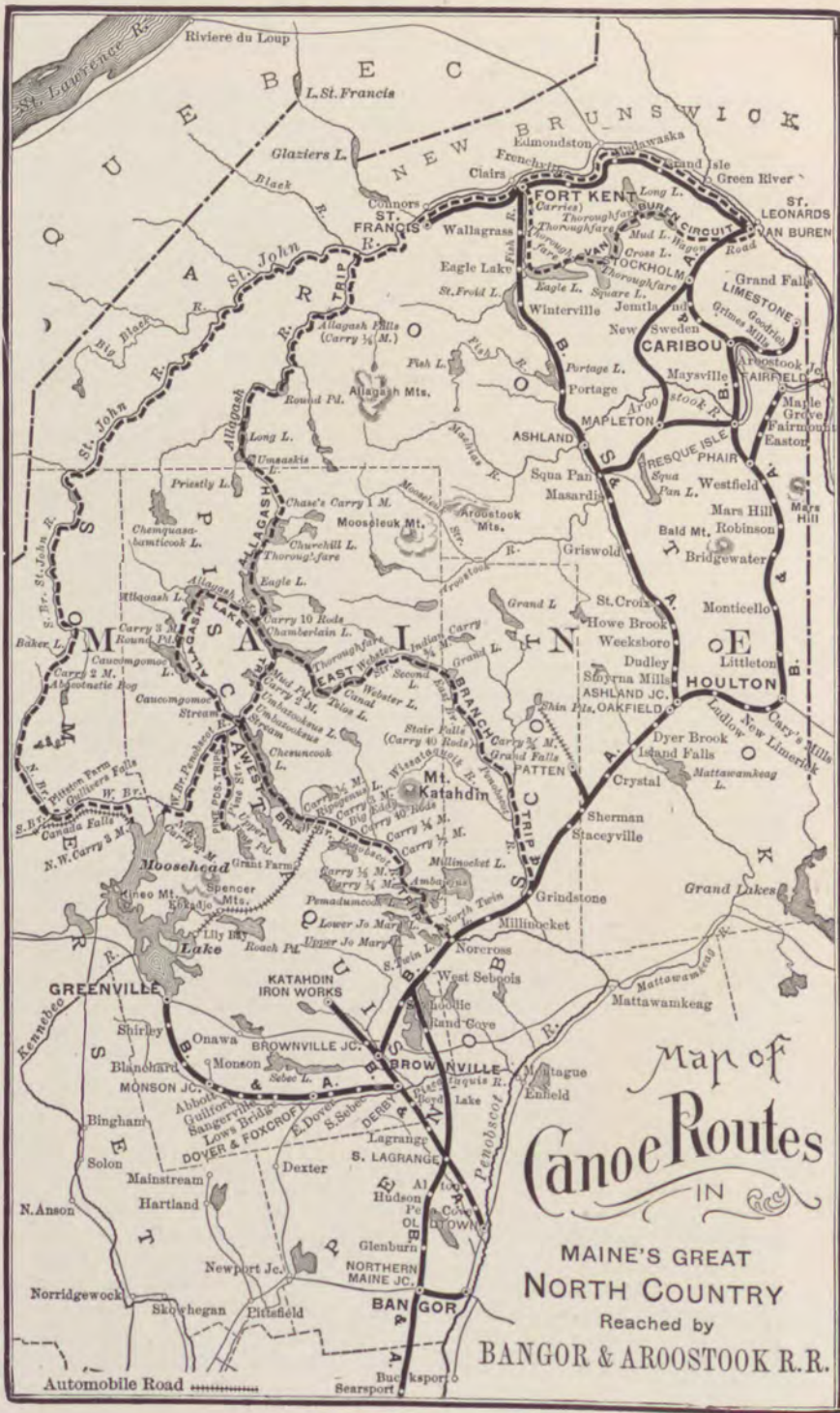
NORTH AROOSTOOK CANOE TRIPS

THE Fish River system of lakes and streams, away up north in the very peak of Maine, are among the newer waters in the catalogue of canoe cruises offered to the comers to the Maine Woods. This region is steadily growing in favor as a vacation region and is already famous for its fine fishing, for the big game which frequents the locality, and for the rugged scenery which is found on all sides.

Van Buren, one of the terminal points of the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad, is a starting point for a canoeing excursion through the Fish River basin. From Van Buren it is a twelve-mile drive to Long Lake, a magnificent sheet of water, which is the point of embarkation. It is a paddle of eight miles to the thoroughfare leading to Mud Lake, less than a mile away. From Mud Lake, two miles long, there is a thoroughfare of a mile, ending at Cross Lake. There is a stretch of four miles to Cross Lake and then there is another thoroughfare into Square Lake. Four miles on Square Lake and four miles more in a thoroughfare and Eagle Lake is entered.

THE KOKADJO CANOE ROUTE

FROM Lily Bay, on Moosehead Lake, to Ripogenus there is a splendid automobile highway which offers a new itinerary for the canoeist, as it gives an automobile approach to Chesuncook as well as Ripogenus. Canoeists can take a Coburn steamboat to Lily Bay and from there can go by special auto or by the Great Northern Paper Company's "jitney" to either Chesuncook or Ripogenus Lakes. At these points start may be made for canoe trips — up Chesuncook for the Allagash trip or down the West Branch waters, if Katahdin or Norcross are the destinations,



Reference Map of Canoe Trips in B. & A. Territory

With Table of Estimated Distances from Point to Point
along Each Route

West Branch Trip—80 Miles

	Miles		Miles
Northeast Carry	2	West Branch	3
Penobscot West Branch	20	Carry	$\frac{1}{2}$
Chesuncook Lake	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	Pockwockamus Deadwater	3
Ripogenus Lake		Carry	$\frac{1}{4}$
Carry	3	Debsconeag Deadwater	2
Gulliver's Pitch	$\frac{1}{4}$	Carry	$\frac{1}{4}$
The Horse Race	2	West Branch	1 $\frac{1}{2}$
Sourdnahunk Deadwater	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	Carry	$\frac{1}{8}$
Carry	40 rods	Ambajejus Lake	6
West Branch	4	Pemadumcook Lake	4
Carry	$\frac{1}{4}$	North Twin Lake	4

Allagash Trip—203 Miles

	Miles		Miles
Northeast Carry	2	Chase's Carry	1
Penobscot West Branch	20	Allagash River	10
Umbazooksus Stream	9	Umsaskis Lake	5
Umbazooksus Lake	1	Long Lake	5
Carry	2	Allagash River	10
Mud Pond	1	Round Pond	3
Outlet	1	River to Allagash Falls	15
Chamberlain Lake	6	Carry	$\frac{1}{4}$
Carry	10 rods	Allagash River	13
Eagle Lake	12	St. John River to Connors	16
Thoroughfare	2	St. John River to Fort Kent	14
Churchill Lake	5	St. John River to Van Buren	50

East Branch Trip—118 Miles

	Miles		Miles
Northeast Carry	2	Indian Carry	$\frac{3}{4}$
Penobscot West Branch	20	Penobscot East Branch	1 $\frac{1}{2}$
Umbazooksus Stream	9	Second Lake	4
Umbazooksus Lake	1	East Branch	4
Carry	2	Grand Lake	4
Mud Pond	1	East Branch to Stair Falls	5
Outlet	1	Carry	40 rods
Chamberlain Lake	5	East Branch	2
Thoroughfare	3	Carry	$\frac{3}{4}$
Telos Lake	5	Quick Water and Falls	4
Canal	1	East Branch to Wissataquoik	15
Webster Lake	3	East Branch to Grindstone	14
Webster Stream	10		

Van Buren Circuit—111 Miles

	Miles		Miles
Wagon Road	10	Eagle Lake to station	6
Long Lake	8	Lake from station to river	3
Thoroughfare	$\frac{3}{4}$	Fish River	14
Mud Lake	2	Carry	50 rods
Thoroughfare	1	Fish River	2
Cross Lake	4	Carry	30 rods
Thoroughfare	$\frac{1}{2}$	Fish River	2
Square Lake	4	St. John River to Van Buren	50
Thoroughfare	4		

Allagash Lake Trip—99 Miles

	Miles		Miles
Follow Allagash River trip to Chamberlain Lake		Round Pond	1
Up Chamberlain Lake	9	Deadwater	4
Allagash Stream	7	Caucomgomoc Lake	$\frac{3}{4}$
Allagash Lake	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	Caucomgomoc Stream	12
Carry	3	Return from Chesuncook by West Branch route	

Pine Ponds Trip—27 Miles

Northeast Carry... 2 miles Penobscot West Branch... 17 miles Pine Stream... 8 miles

St. John Trip—231 Miles

	Miles		Miles
Northwest Carry	3	Sweeney Brook	4
West Branch to Gulliver's Falls	10	Baker Lake	2 $\frac{1}{2}$
West Branch to Big Island	4	St. John South Branch	14
West Branch to Jet. N. and S. Branches	2	St. John River to Allagash	85
North Branch to Abacotnetic Bog	25	St. John River to Fort Kent	30
Carry	2	St. John River to Van Buren	50

Making Their Way Thru
The Boulders, Mt Katahdin



The Pack-Carrier Makes a Halt

Another View of The Boulders.
Mt. Katahdin



The Cave on
The Hunt Trail up Katahdin



One of the Typical Maine Woods Camps of Which There are Many
in the Various Vacation Centers

Magnificent Moosehead Lake and its Manifold Attractions

MAJESTIC Moosehead Lake, largest fresh water basin wholly within the United States, has been one of the most potent advertisements of all the many natural beauties which have made Maine famous all over the world. Moosehead shares the honors with Mount Katahdin, which, appropriately enough, looms sufficiently high in its domain to the north to be plainly visible from the great inland sea that is one of the most conspicuous attractions of the Maine Woods. Moosehead was the magnet which drew the first-comers to what is now one of the greatest vacation centers of the nation. In the early days it was a long and tedious trip by stage to Moosehead's shores, but inconvenience of travel lessened in not the slightest degree the enthusiastic rhapsodies of the pioneer hunters and fishermen and canoeists who turned to Moosehead for their annual vacations. There have been many changes since those early days at Moosehead. Now Moosehead's shores are dotted with resorts offering all the comforts of to-day. There is the great hotel, the New Mount Kineo, and here and there are "camps" which still retain many of the characteristics of the old-time resorts without depriving guests of conveniences



The "Three Sisters" on the Abol Stream

which are now looked upon as necessities even in the woods. Notwithstanding inevitable transitions, Moosehead still offers in large measure all the charms of scenery, all the magnificence of its sunrises and sunsets, all the variety of kaleidoscopic colors over mountain-tops and wooded stretches that thrilled and inspired the devotees of other years.

Moosehead's natural beauties are undiminished and,

too, Moosehead still retains its place of fame as one of the finest fishing waters on the continent. From the time for early spring fishing, immediately following the "going out" of the ice, there is the finest sport. Wherever the followers of Izaak Walton foregather will be heard stories of the splendid prizes taken from Moosehead. As in most of the waters of the Maine Woods, there is good fishing at Moosehead throughout the season, although for the out-and-out angler Moosehead is at its best in May or early June. It is for these enthusiasts of the Waltonian fraternity that the gladdest tidings of the year is the message from Moosehead that "the ice is on the move." There are many interesting stories of the stage-coach journeys to Moosehead. Then, as now, the favorite approach to Moosehead was by the way of Greenville, and it is at Greenville that the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad touches Moosehead's shores.

The resorts in the Moosehead region offer many and varied attractions for the vacation-seeker, the fisherman and the hunter.

There are many pleasant outing possibilities by taking the trip to Moosehead from Greenville Junction to Northeast Carry and

spending a day or two at the different points which are so popular with the regular comers to Moosehead. To really enjoy Moosehead it should be explored from end to end. The Bangor & Aroostook Railroad runs to the shore of Moosehead at Greenville Junction where the Bangor & Aroostook meets the Canadian Pacific Railway. At Greenville Junction, ninety-one miles from Bangor, there is a good hotel, the Piscataquis Exchange, outfitting stores and other establishments of interest to sportsmen and persons on vacations. Greenville Junction, and Greenville, a mile away, have long been important centers for canoeists, fishermen and hunters. A mile and a half from the village, on the shore of the lake, is Squaw Mountain Inn, an increasingly



A Trio Out for a Tramp

popular resort, with many attractions for its guests, who come from Maine and many outside state points. It can be reached from Greenville by automobile, over a good road, or by motor boat. Squaw Mountain Inn is picturesquely situated and is a good "base" for the numerous vacation trips around Moosehead.

There is good steamboat service on Moosehead provided by numerous first-class boats of the Coburn Steamboat Company, and not until the full steamboat trip from Greenville Junction to the head of the lake, forty miles away, is enjoyed, has Moosehead been seen. There are two routes for the steamboats. One runs straight up the lake to Northeast Carry, and the other is to Lily Bay, for years an important Moosehead Lake



There Are Numerous Opportunities for Mountain Climbing Around Moosehead Lake



Moosehead Lake Is a Favorite Location for Boys' Camps

successful sportsmen. Greenville Junction in the background, the first stop on the trip up the lake is Capen's, the popular resort on Deer Island which has long been one of the landmarks on Moosehead. Beside the hotel there are numerous outlying cabins for the guests. Even from the passing view from the steamboats, Capen's presents a most attractive and inviting aspect.

After Capen's the steamboat's next stop is the renowned Mt. Kineo House, twenty miles from Greenville Junction. The world-known resort is on a peninsula which makes into the lake from the base of Mt. Kineo, a massive eminence of solid flint which springs from the surface of the lake. The legend is that the flint from Kineo was known to the Indians throughout this section of the land and that the redskins came by canoe from far-distant points in Canada to secure the flint for arrowheads, hatchets and other primitive utensils of war and domestic use. From a rendezvous of the aborigines, Kineo has become the most famous fresh-water resort on the continent. Beside the mammoth hotel, handsome cottages, the yacht club, the golf club, and bridle paths, expansive lawns and the numerous mountain trails contribute to the completeness of the resort.

Across the lake from Kineo is Rockwood, known also as Kineo Station. Here the Maine Central Railroad touches Moosehead's shores. From Rockwood there is one of the Great Northern Paper Company's famous forest automobile highways through the woods to Seboomook. From there it runs on to Canada Falls, twenty-seven miles distant, and to Russell Stream, sixty miles away. Both these points are widely known for their fishing and for the big deer which are found thereabout.

The popular West Outlet Camps conducted by Gilbert & Coombs are twenty-four miles from Greenville Junction and they are regular stopping places for the Coburn steamers. From Rockwood, the boats make for the head of the lake.

At the end of one of Moosehead's arms is Northwest Carry, now

station both with sportsmen and with the companies that carry on lumbering operations on Moosehead's shores. Lily Bay is well known among hunters because of the big game that is shipped from this point by suc-

generally known as Seboomook, and at the terminus of the other arm is Northeast Carry. At the former is the Seboomook House, which is picturesquely located and which commands a fine view of the mountains which line Moosehead's eastern shore.

One of the best known points in all the Maine woods, because of the fact that it is the starting point for most of the parties making the canoe trips through the Allagash and Penobscot waters, is Northeast Carry. Here is the Winnegarnock House, with outlying cabins and the big outfitting store. Northeast Carry is more than the starting point for the canoe parties, as it has won a widespread fame because of its own attractions as a resort, and the man or woman going there for a vacation is sure to have the best of times. From Northeast Carry is reached Lobster Lake, one of the most beautiful of Maine Woods waters, and there are numerous other places nearby which are favorite spots with fishermen and hunters. The trip down the West Branch to Lobster Stream and then up the stream to the lake is a delightful side trip.

To reach Lily Bay, one of Moosehead's large inlets after leaving Greenville Junction, the steamboats continue up to the lake for half a dozen miles and then leave the up-lake route for a turn into the bay. The first resort is Greenleaf's Camps on Sugar Island, eight miles from the Junction. These camps have had a long span of popularity. Their picturesque location and the general satisfactory surroundings have won many enthusiastic friends. Another mile brings the steamboat to the camps of the Nighthawk Club.

Lily Bay, the terminus, is twelve miles, and here is the Lily Bay House, long known to fishermen, hunters and lumber operators. Lily Bay is renowned not only for its own attractions but also because it is the entrance to a widely famous vacation section. From Lily Bay there is the splendid automobile road leading past Kokadjo, on First Roche Pond, on through the woods for twenty-three miles to Ripogenus, where is located the gigantic dam of the Great Northern Paper Company. This dam is one of the five greatest storage basins of the world and attracts many sight-seers.

This automobile highway also leads to the foot of Chesuncook Lake for canoe parties. This automobile road through the forest from Moosehead Lake to Ripogenus gives an opportunity for an extraordinary motor trip and it is taken advantage of each season by many of the visitors to Kineo and other resorts in this locality. Lily Bay, besides being accessible by this pleasant steamboat trip, can now be reached also by way of the fine automobile boulevard from Greenville.

With all its natural beauties, its many vacation advantages, and its accessibility from Boston and New York, it is not surprising that Moosehead Lake is a favorite place for summer school camps for boys and girls. These summer schools for boys and girls are becoming vastly popular and no place provides opportunities among more entrancing surroundings for all the summer camp programs of recreation and practical lessons in woodcraft than does Moosehead Lake.



Sourdnahunk Deadwater on West Branch
Lost Pond

Lily Pond
Daicey Pond

Elbow Pond
Little Grassy

Kidney Pond
Jackson Pond

Rocky Pond
Draper Pond

Windy Pitch Pond

Grassy or Katahdin Pond

This Remarkable Panorama Was Taken from the Top of the Hunt Trail, Mt. Katahdin. The Photograph Shows Only a Few of the Many Lakes That Can be Easily Picked by Name (Photo by Call Studio, Dexter, Me.)



The Maine Woods Offer the Finest Deer Hunting on the Continent

The Hunting Grounds for Big Game Reached by The Bangor & Aroostook Railroad

THE best big-game hunting grounds on the continent's easterly side are reached directly by the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad and its immediate connections with railroads across the New Brunswick border. The mere mention of the Maine Woods causes a visualizing of a vast tract of forest expanse which is the natural abode for deer and moose. Here were the haunts of game in the days of earliest historical chronicle, and to these woods, many stretches of which are still the "forest primeval," came the Indians and early settlers from points remote and near. There have been inroads by settlers, prosperous towns have pushed back the dividing line between forest and village, great industrial developments have sprung up, but in spite of the changes which time has brought about, the Aroostook country continues to be the premier section for deer hunting. Over the Canadian border, in New Brunswick, is the continuation of this natural game country which is divided only by the St. John River. There, just the river's width away, begins another long sweep of unbroken forest, and the celebrated Restigouche region is accessible most quickly and comfortably by the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad.

The hunters of to-day have the advantage of both the Maine and New Brunswick game sections through the service offered by the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad. All the famous Maine big game centers, — names that have come down through many



Maine Deer Are of Good Size

generations—Moosehead, Katahdin Iron Works, Patten, Ashland, the vast domain over which Mt. Katahdin stands sentinel, the lakes reached by the way of Norcross,—these are still popular, and then there are the more recently exploited regions in which are the Fish River chain of lakes. Added to these, the result of transportation extension, are the unsurpassed hunting grounds in the Restigouche country and the other game

centers between the St. John River and the Bay Chaleur.

In former years, to reach the Restigouche region required no end of time and round-about, but now it is easily reached by the way of the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad and its connections. The sportsman in Philadelphia or New York or Boston can take a night train from New York or Boston and, traveling by the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad, practically all points in the Maine Woods can be reached before the next day. If the Restigouche is the objective, the arrival at Van Buren will be in time for mid-day dinner. The remainder of the day and night can be enjoyed at the Hotel Hammond, an exceptional hotel for a town of Van Buren's size, and a side trip can be made to Grand Falls, the Niagara of the St. John River. Start may be made for the Restigouche or other points in New Brunswick in good season the following morning.

Maine moose, now protected for a period of years of close time, have long been noted for their size, the spread of antlers, and for the sport which they provided for the hunter who pursued them. In the summer, moose are frequently seen by the canoeists, and when they are at the water's edge or perhaps feeding on lily pads or taking a cool plunge to rid themselves of the troublesome black fly, they give opportunity for getting the coveted moose snapshot which is one of the prize souvenirs of a woods vacation.

As moose are now protected in Maine by close time laws, the only shooting of moose that can be done lawfully is with a camera, and a moose snapshot is an interesting souvenir of a Maine woods vacation.

Maine deer have always been desired by hunters because of their size, and among the finest hunting trophies are Maine deer heads. The fine moose and caribou hunting in the Restigouche region is unsurpassed this side of the Rocky Mountains. For sport in Maine, next to deer, come the big black bears, which are multiplying rapidly since the removal of the bounty. Maine bears exceed five hundred pounds in weight, and notwithstanding their apparent clumsiness, they are crafty and quick to elude pursuers, so that to bring one indicates skill as a hunter. Foxes, red, gray and black, are frequently shot, and bobcat and lynx are not uncommon. Along the shores of streams, mink, otter and fisher are frequently found.

Deer are frequently seen in streams and coves during the summer, some canoeists having counted them by dozens during extended cruises. With the departure of summer and the approach of cooler weather, the deer take to traveling. Before the leaves begin to fall, the autumnal dryness prevails and the woods become more or less "noisy." The deer, alert for every sound, takes flight at the rustling of twigs or perhaps the crack of the dry leaves and is off in a twinkling.

Following October rains the leaves and underbrush get well wet down, there is less crackling, and conditions are materially changed. The coming of the early snow means even greater advantage for the huntsman on the trail for moose or deer. Then it is easier to know the presence of game and to follow their tracks. Some buck weigh as high as three hundred pounds, and no handsomer specimens are to be found than in the Maine Woods.

The table of figures printed elsewhere in this book shows the amount of game shipments from various stations and gateways. As a matter of fairness it should be borne in mind that some stations are shipping points for a wide range of game land, while others send down deer and moose shot in the immediate vicinity. Norcross, for instance, receives and ships game for the entire lower Penobscot West Branch country, and Greenville for points in all directions, covering an area of two thousand square miles, and so it is with other stations.



Bear Shooting is Counted Good Sport by Many Hunters

The Fine Bird-Shooting Offered by The Maine Woods

IT is not only to the sportsman intent on big game that the Maine Woods and the adjoining New Brunswick territory reached by the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad make an appeal. They also hold out exceptional attractions to the bird hunter. Partridge and woodcock are found abundantly in this game country, and there are also snipe, black ducks, mallards, sheldrakes and wild geese. For the majority of bird-hunters who come to the Maine Woods, the partridge is the enticement.

The partridge has a hard time to survive the chicken stage under ordinary weather conditions normal to Maine, but because of the extremely mild springs during the past several years the mortality among young birds has been exceedingly low and now the Maine Woods, long a favorite partridge country, is many times better than heretofore. The "big woods" partridge is quite another bird from the shy, suspicious, quick-flying partridge which are hunted in the neighborhood of towns or settlements. The partridge of forest is comparatively tame, but this does not mean he does not provide sport for the hunter who uses his rifle instead of a shotgun. Partridge shooting with a rifle is real sport. It calls for the most skilled markmanship and is something entirely apart from using the shotgun. A high powered rifle, if the bird is shot in the body, will, naturally, blow a partridge into shreds. The sport comes in shooting the partridge in the head, which makes a clean hit, if successful, and means that the bird's body is unharmed. For the woman who wants to try her skill with the rifle, there is no better test than partridge hunting

with a .22 rifle, and the woman who can "crown" a partridge is entitled to a badge of merit.

There is good partridge shooting over a bird dog during the first two weeks in November. Then the partridge is oftentimes found in open country, feeding on alders and clover. The partridge flies seventy-five to ninety feet a second. In alertness and sagacity it is unsurpassed by bird or beast, and to bring down a partridge requires, on the part of the bird hunter, quickness, sureness and agility of decision. Then it is a matter of less than seconds to swing the gun to the shoulder, unlock the safety and pull the trigger. It is all over in much less time than it takes to tell the process. There is good partridge hunting with a tree dog throughout the bird-hunting season, but this sport is not considered in the same class with wing shooting over a bird dog. Bird hunters compare wing shooting with fly fishing and hunting a tree-dog to "plug" fishing.

Woodcock hunting is a premier form of sport in the Maine Woods. The woodcock is well named "the bird of mystery."

The Maine woodcock is the same gamey bird that is known variously in the southern states as the brier-snipe, the swamp-snipe and the goose bird. Wherever found, the woodcock has the same characteristics. No hunter, however well versed in the art, pretends to know the woodcock, but every hunter recognizes woodcock-hunting as the premier form of sport.

The best season for woodcock shooting



For the Bird Hunter the Aroostook Country Provides
the Best of Sport



The Limit of Partridges

equatorial region. The woodcock is a small bird, hardly larger than the robin. It feeds almost wholly on worms and does its eating at night. In the daytime it is drowsing in the fields and when come upon by the dog is slow to shake off its napping. It is in this drowsy stage that the hunter gets his point and prize.

is from the 10th to the 25th of October; at least, this period averages well over a period of years. The woodcock follow the valleys of streams and rivers in their line of flight, instead of flying as "the crow flies," reach the coast by following the rivers to sea, and thence on their migration to the



Many Sporting Camps Have Exhibits Like This During the Hunting Season



Buck's Cove in Beautiful Sebec Lake

The Vacation Delights of Picturesque Sebec Lake

By JOHN H. REVENAUGH, New York City

HAVE you ever sat at your desk on one of those days when, despite all of your efforts and the exigencies of the hour, your mind simply will not cling to the matters before you, but follows your gaze out of the window and floats away to some sylvan dream spot in Nature's bosom?

In the midst of the city's turbulence, its lead-colored skies, its unwholesome vapors and wrangling palpitance, have you ever longed to be some place where the sky is blue, where there are vast silences and space in which you can expand your cramped and restricted soul? Where men and conditions do not seem bent upon contesting every bit of joy you try to get out of life? Where you can find peace and harmony in which to gather together the tired and scattered atoms of yourself, and cool your care-worn brow in the gentle, balsam-laden breezes that bring contentment?

Or maybe you just sigh occasionally for some place in the heart of Nature where you can spend a perfect vacation; where you will enjoy to the fullest every moment of your stay, and on leaving find a lump in your throat?

Then it is time you became acquainted with Sebec Lake, for there you will find Elysium, and scenery in such splendor that you will lavish upon it all of that innate love and appreciation of Nature which is in the heart of every man.

Situated about twenty miles north of Dover and Foxcroft, Sebec Lake is thirteen miles long, and from the inside shore of



A Prize to Be Proud Of

Buck's Cove across to the extreme shore of Tim's Cove it is approximately seven miles. This is its greatest width, and it is at its upper end. The shores are adorned with every scenic beauty that is native to the Maine Woods; there is nothing missing. Giant hills compose an undulating shore line, some of them rising almost perpendicularly from the water's edge, and others gracing the landscape further back, their peaks draped in veils of beckoning blue and purple.

Here and there along the shore are stretches of hard, silvery sand through which

trickle rivulets of cold, delicious spring water from the deep woods. These beaches are ideal for bathing on the warm days when the cool, laughing wavelets entice you.

Fish? Yes, indeed; lots of them — if you can catch them. You see it's this way: The fish in Sebec Lake are smart; they are just as smart as the devil, and full of almost as many tricks. They are not so much interested in bait as they are in the man who is angling. If they see that he is a clean-cut sport, one who can give them a real, exciting battle, they take a chance with him, and then, may the best one win. That's the reason for the smiles of satisfaction on the faces of those fishermen who come shoreward there in the late afternoons, glorying in the splendor of a golden sunset and the amber after-glow of a wine-golden day.

You will spend hours at Sebec simply looking out over the lake. There is a charm about the views that is indescribable, a lure that is irresistible, and this is particularly so in September when Nature dons the flaunt colors of her autumnal pageant. Never twice do you find the same picture before you. The bosom of the lake is a constant mirror for the ever-changing moods of the surrounding earth, air and sky, but never is it more enchanting, more appealing, than when the shadows are lengthening, and the surrounding mountains, the spruce, cedar and balsam, the maples with their leaves changing into yellow and blood red, and the great white birches, are reflected along the peaceful shores; when from some far-off shore comes the lonely cry of a loon, and in the air hovers a sleepy quiet; when out of the forest comes the droning of wood-crickets, the last twitterings of day-birds and the beginning of night sounds.

There are several canoe trips that one may take up the streams that empty into Sebec Lake, and there are a great many smaller lakes, such as Grindstone Pond, Bennett Pond and the Butter-milk Ponds, which are easily reached by trail.

It is an intensely interesting trip to the Buttermilk Ponds, where Burt Packard has a camp for overnight parties. The trail leads in from the lake through a forest wilderness, and the two miniature lakes with the roaring waterfall joining them are things of great beauty. The fishing is exceptionally good.

The Gorge is another scenic attraction that you will visit. You can hike there if you wish, or go by automobile to within a mile of it, and then over a most fantastic trail, an old logging road, into a virgin forest. Here is where Little Wilson Stream falls over the rocks between massive granite walls into the chasm over a hundred feet below. If you are fond of climbing, the trip through this gorge is something to photograph and remember.

About a mile up Wilson Stream, that flows into the lake, is a most beautiful waterfall, and a stone's throw above is another even larger one. You will walk there every day just for the exercise. Here is where the Onawa Trail begins, and a two-mile walk along this path brings you to Cowyard Falls, a most impressive bit of wild cataract in Shippon Stream. These waterfalls are especially attractive in September when the salmon are jumping.

Buck's Cove, just around Deer Point, is the nearest thing to Arcadia you will ever see. With its many small islands scattered about, you will find in it the realization of that dream you had back in your office.

From almost any point in Sebec Lake you can see the double top of Boarstone Mountain, and it will beckon to you each day until you finally join one of the parties that go up to Onawa and climb it. It is precipitous, but you will be amply repaid by the view that is yours when you get to the fire warden's cabin at the top. You can see over half the State of Maine, and with Onawa Lake deep down in the valley between you and Barren Mountain, it is one of Nature's scenic masterpieces.

A much milder climb, and one which you will take often, is up and over the mountain that stands beside Packard's Camps and down the other side into the ravine, where huge boulders in a bygone age have tumbled from the mountain beyond and lie piled in a seismic mass in the chasm.



Sebec Lake Has Long Been Popular
With Fishermen



After an Early Snowfall on a Maine Woods Lake

This is known as the Ice Cave and derives its name from the fact that ice is often found in summer deep down in one of the crevices between the rocks.

The trail from the camp over to the Ice Cave will appeal to all the poetry in your nature. The tree-tops hang in a tangled canopy overhead, and there is the gloom of twilight in places and where the sunshine comes through it is like filtered moonlight.

Cool, mossy resting places are everywhere along the way, and invite you to pause and listen to woodland's whispered symphony.

If you are a poet, row alone across the lake to South Cove and hear Nature's heart-throbs in that virgin wilderness. You will get inspiration for more poetry than you can write in five years.

But no matter what your temperament may be, you will have your cup of satisfaction filled to overflowing at Sebec Lake. If I am enthusiastic, it is because of all that it has meant to me through the vacations I have spent there the last twelve years, and all that it has meant to dozens of others I know.

Just one more thing. Sebec Lake is an ideal place for a honeymoon, as is evidenced by the presence each year of those would-be unconcerned couples with the tell-tale shyness. And it's just like a honeymoon even if you're an old-timer, for in this paradise you couldn't help falling in love all over again. Everywhere you turn there is some bit of Nature breathing of sentiment and romance.

You can go to Bangor by boat, and the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad will take you from there to Dover and Foxcroft. Or, you can leave Boston at 9.00 P.M. on the sleeping car of the



An Enticing Bit of Woods Scenery

Bangor & Aroostook Railroad, that runs to Greenville, and get off at Dover and Foxcroft at 9.30 the next morning. Here you can take an automobile for about twenty miles over good roads, or you can go by automobile out to Greely's Landing, and across the lake in the little lake steamer, and you arrive in time for dinner.

If you want to get away from the artificial, away from conventionality, and have a real vacation where every moment is pulsating with enjoyment, go to Sebec Lake.



On Doubletop Mountain with the Fire Warden's Lookout in the Distance
(Photo by Call Studio, Dexter, Me.)



The Monument, The Goal of All Parties Climbing Mt. Katahdin (Photo by Call Studio, Dexter, Me.)



The Call for Luncheon at Daicey Pond (Photo by Call Studio, Dexter, Me.)

Roosevelt's Favorite Lake in The Maine Woods

By JOHN P. FLANAGAN, Bangor, Maine

INNUMERABLE are the advantages and attractions that Nature has lavished upon the Mattawamkeag Lake section of the Maine Woods, located on the main line of the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad near Island Falls, and the vacationist who wishes to enjoy to the utmost a week or a month or more can select no better spot than this charming locality. And he will find that he has a distinguished predecessor who found health and strength and vacation there, no less than a former President of the United States, Theodore Roosevelt, the apostle of the great outdoors, who got his first start on the road to rugged, vigorous manhood when he visited Mattawamkeag Lake in the early eighties.

One of the treats of a trip to Mattawamkeag Lake is to talk with "Bill" Sewall, the Maine guide who introduced Roosevelt to the woods of Maine. The fact that "Bill" is in his seventy-seventh birthday doesn't mean anything as far as enjoyment of life and telling stories about his intimate friend and hero. He is a born *raconteur*; he has read and thought much, and there are few living men who enjoyed such close companionship with the former President and world figure as "Bill" Sewall. He is a most delightful old guide, full of woods lore and eager to introduce the



"Bill" Sewall, Roosevelt's Friend

visitor into the pleasures of the open; he has been at this game all his life and time does not dull his zest in that respect.

"Bill's" latest project is the erection of a game warden's camp at Munsungun Lake, one of Roosevelt's favorite camping spots. The state fish and game department is co-operating, and the plan is to locate the camp on the very spot where Roosevelt and his guide camped and it is to be known as Roosevelt Camp.

Mattawamkeag Lake is a great silvery sheet of water entirely surrounded by woods, and the ozone of the atmos-

phere will put new life, enthusiasm and pep into the tired city man or woman. The fishing on the lake is excellent. William Wingate Sewall was the first white child born in Island Falls, and in his childhood days wolves and bear were numerous there. Strange as it may seem, there are many more deer in the Mattawamkeag Lake region now than there were when he was a boy; the reason for this he ascribes to the fact that the wolves have been killed off. "Bill" Sewall first met Roosevelt when the future President was a frail youth of eighteen. He was warned to take good care of young Theodore, not to take him on too hard jaunts, for it was explained that the young man's grit and ambition were greater than his physical strength. The Maine guide found that this was true, but young Roosevelt thrived on life in the woods, and it was not long before they were hiking from fifteen to twenty-five miles a day together.

"I have often read," Mr. Sewall said to the writer one June evening at Mattawamkeag Lake, "that Roosevelt was a weak, puny young man, but that is an exaggeration from my knowledge of him. He was not very strong and yet he was not a weakling. He was all grit, that man was, and it was will power that carried him through the trying years of the Presidency. As a young man, he had an idea that he was going to be a naturalist and was in the habit of collecting butterflies and bugs. Trout fishing was not so attractive to him as hunting; he was always eager to start off rifle under his arm."



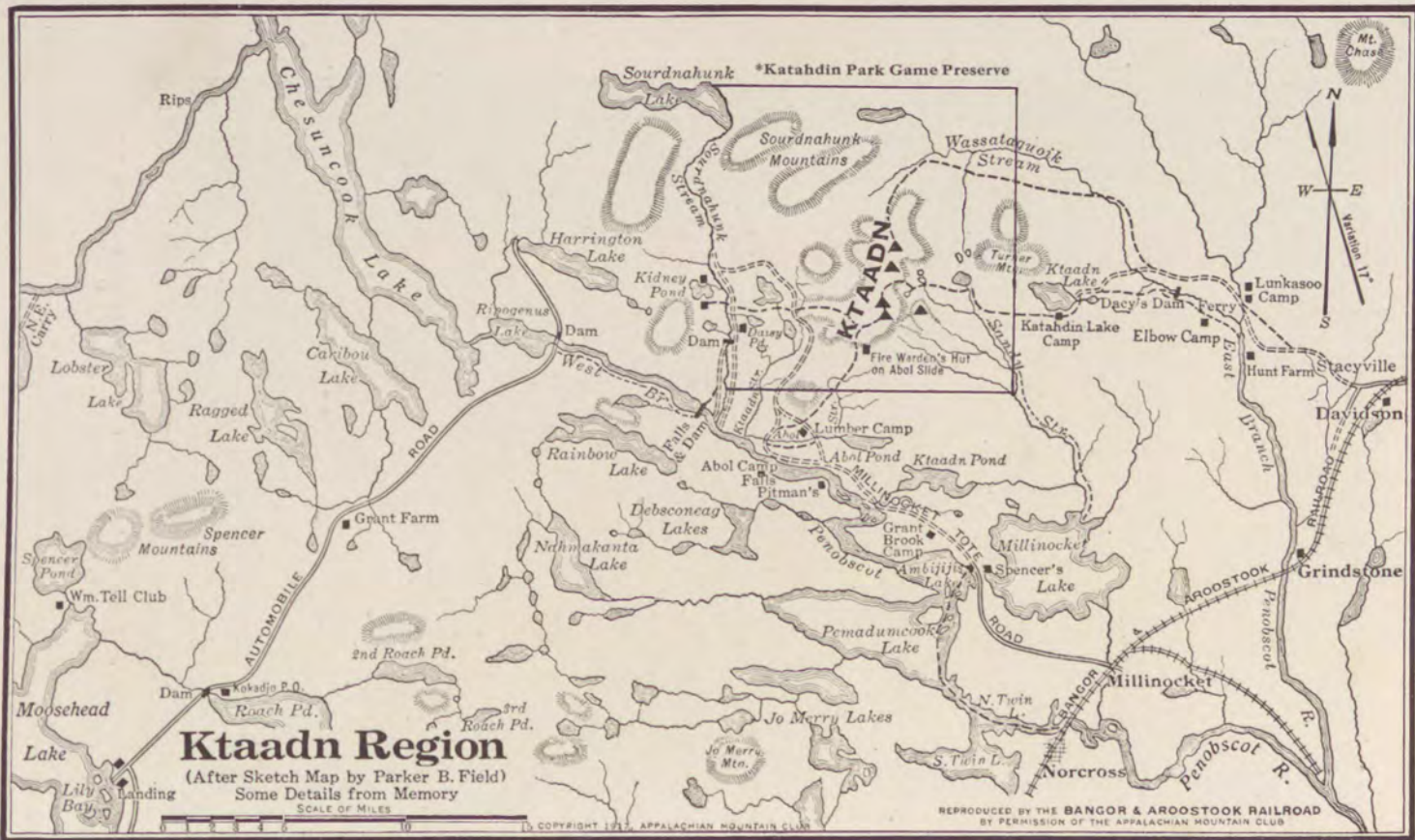
Panola and the Knife Edge,
from the Saddle,
Mt. Katahdin.



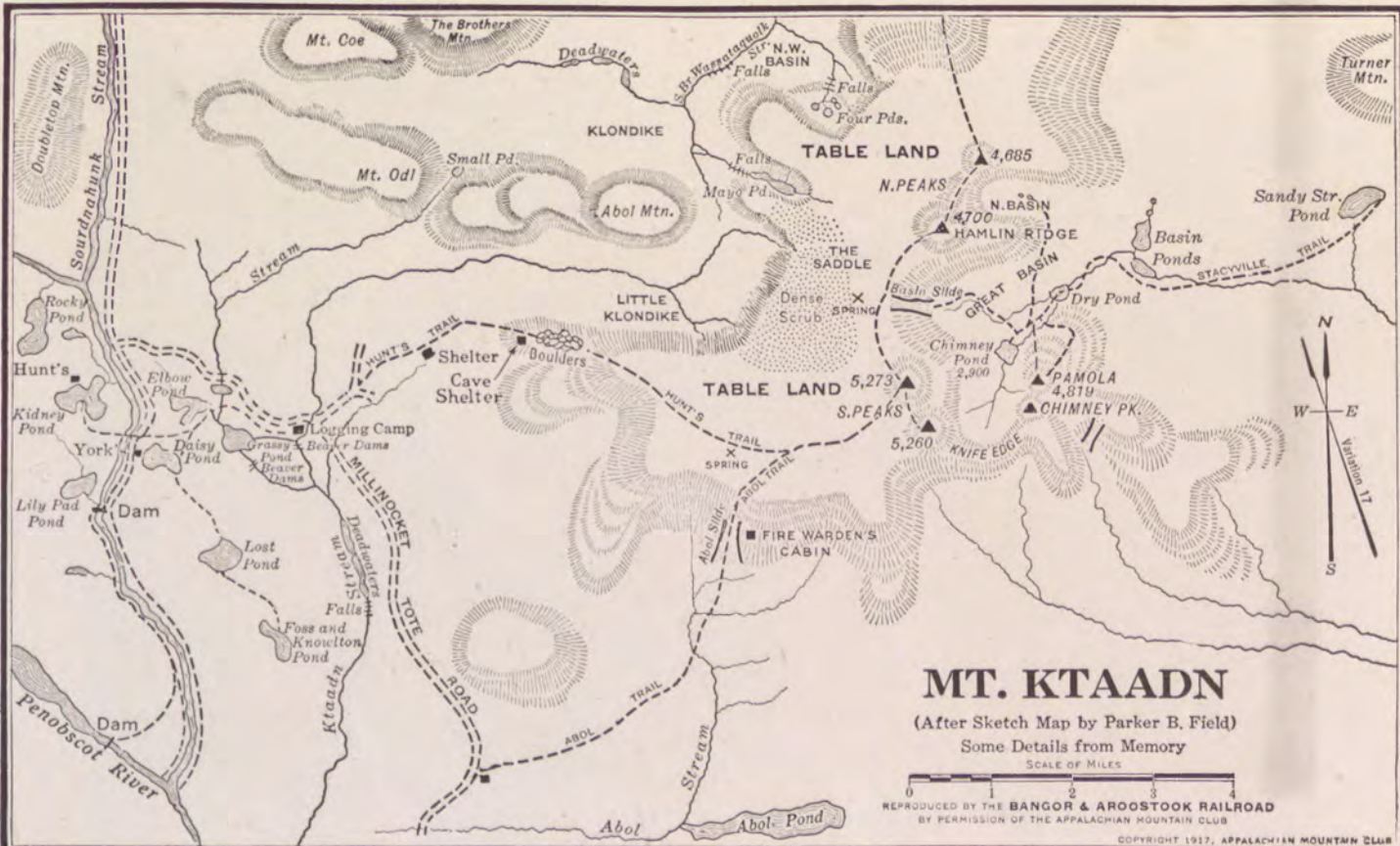
Picturesque Katahdin
Stream
One of the Many Scenic
Delights of the
Mt. Katahdin
Climb.



Up Hunt's Trail. —One More
Climb to the Table-Land.



*Katahdin Park Game Preserve: Established by Maine Fish and Game Commissioner on petition June 24, 1921, extended August 1, 1921, and March 31, 1922; approximately 12 miles square; 90,000 acres. All hunting prohibited for four years from May 1, 1922. It is hoped to make this big game sanctuary permanent by act of Legislature.





Around the Luncheon Fire at The "Cave" on the Hunt Trail Up Mt. Katahdin
(Photo by Call Studio, Dexter, Me.)



Here's a Pretty String Caught at Long Pond

The Famous Fishing Waters in The Aroostook Country

"Doubt not but that Angling is an art; is it not an art to deceive a Trout with an artificial fly? A Trout! that is more sharp sighted than any Hawk you have named, and more watchful and timorous than your high mettled Merlin is bold? And yet, I doubt not to catch a brace or two to-morrow, for a friend's breakfast; doubt not, therefore, Sir, but that Angling is an art and an art worth your learning; the question is rather, whether you be capable of learning it! For Angling is somewhat like Poetry, men are to be born so; I mean with inclinations to it, though both may be heightened by discourse and practice; but he that hopes to be a good Angler must not only bring an inquiring, searching, observing wit; but he must bring a large measure of hope and patience, and a love and propensity to the art itself; but having once got and practised it, then doubt not but Angling will prove to be so pleasant that it will prove to be, like virtue, a reward to itself."

SO says Izaak Walton, the patron saint of the brotherhood of anglers, and had he known the fishing opportunities open to his followers to-day in the lakes and wooded streams of the Maine Woods, who can doubt that he would have penned a tribute to the finest fishing waters on this old sphere even more eloquent than his praise of the piscatorial art. Doubtless, too, the gentle Walton would have pointed out the potent charm of these waters — how they transform into ardent anglers men and women who knew little of the art when they first arrived on vacation bent, but who, under the magic of the woods, tasted of the fishermen's joys only to become enthusiastic followers of the reel and rod.

The Maine Woods country, admittedly, is the finest fishing section on the continent. Indeed, it is a question whether a section of like size can be found that possesses so many lakes and streams yielding the prizes that await the fishermen who come to the Aroostook country. Always, in this region of manifold attractions, there are many other diversions at hand so that a fishing trip can be combined with canoe excursions, mountain climbing, tenting out and other pleasures.

To attempt a catalogue of the Maine Woods fishing waters would be a well-nigh endless task, although, of course, some of the long-famous names are recognized in the angling fraternity the country over. The list is naturally headed by Moosehead Lake, which, because of its leadership in size, and the fact that it was one of the earliest Maine Woods attractions, deserves to have the



A Typical View on Beautiful Sebec Lake, Famous for Bass and Salmon

top place. Moosehead, however, is only one of hundreds of waters. There are many new names which would be unfamiliar to the old timers, such as the Fish River chain of lakes, far up in Maine's northmost peak. This is a splendid fishing section and one that sees increasing popularity each season.

Sebec Lake, for instance, has been long famous for its land-locked salmon and for some of the best fly-fishing for small-mouth black bass in Maine. Schoodic and the waters reached by the way of Norcross; the lakes and streams in the vicinity of Katahdin Iron Works, and various waters in the course of the Allagash, West Branch and East Branch canoe trips offer fine sport. If you have never been on a fishing trip to the Maine Woods, you can choose almost any station on the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad and you'll find that fishing waters are reachable without much travel.

An important advantage of fishing in the Maine Woods country is that there are so many waters and so variously located that it is possible to find continuous sport from early spring right through the summer until late in September. So cool are the spring-fed waters that even in the heat of midsummer, when fishing in most places is a thing of the past, it is possible to enjoy fly-fishing in many of these splendid waters. This is particularly noteworthy in the case of the up-north lakes and streams known as the Fish River chain of waters. This



Isn't This a String to be Proud Of?



Catches Like This are a Daily Occurrence
at the Thorofare Camps

fine summer fishing, which brings no end of favorable comment, particularly from anglers who have been disappointed in waters outside of Maine, is explained by the fact that many of the lakes besides being spring-fed are of considerable altitude, which means cool water despite the thermometer's high temperature. The Vacation Bureau of the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad has detailed information regarding fishing waters and you have but to give the time of your vacation to secure expert advice as to what locality is most favorable for the particular kind of fishing which you wish to enjoy. There are



There Was Fine Sport in Making This Catch

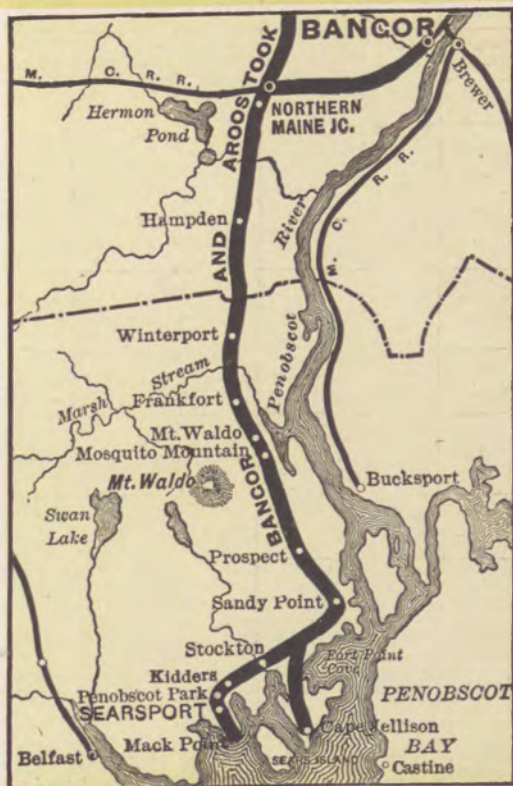
waters right at hand, those far distant from the customary routes of travel, so whatever your preference, you can be suited.

The premier prize is the royal salmon, king of all fish, and there are also trout, togue, black bass, perch and pickerel, and dozens of Maine waters are celebrated for their trout, and in many places white perch, pickerel and black bass offer sport hardly less exhilarating than the aristocratic salmon and trout. The fishing season opens with the departure of the ice from lakes and ponds. Fly-fishing continues at its best until summer weather, and in not a few localities even the warmest days find the waters sufficiently cool to make good sport. As summer ends there is fine fly-

fishing generally and many anglers look forward to the fall sport with just as much zest as in the spring.



Slaughter Pond, Which Boasts Fine Scenery and Big Fish
(Photo by Call Studio, Dexter, Me.)



The Sportsman's Directory

A practically complete list of sporting camps, hotels and fishing waters reached from each station on the

Bangor & Aroostook Railroad

Camps and hotels are numbered to show by comparison with the list of Fishing Waters on what lake, stream or river they are located.

HOTELS, CAMPS AND FISHING WATERS	DISTANCE, MILES	CONVEYANCE	RATES PER DAY	PER WEEK	CAPACITY
SEARSPORT (36 miles* from Bangor)					
Hotel	PROPRIETOR				
Grinnell's Inn	W. E. Grinnell	1½	Team or auto	3.00	50
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH				
1 Swan Lake*	Salmon and Trout	5	Team or auto		
WINTERPORT (16 miles from Bangor)					
Hotels	PROPRIETOR				
Commercial House	G. H. Dunton	2½	Team or auto	10.00	25
The Prescott	Esther Prescott	2½	Team or auto	7.00	15
BANGOR					
Hotels	PROPRIETOR				
Bangor House	H. A. Chapman	1	Auto	4.00	300
Penobscot Exchange	Moon & Cratty	1	Auto	4.00	250
Windsor Hotel	F. W. Durgin	1	Auto	1.50-2.00	200
Sea salmon are taken at the Bangor Pool, in they run up the river in spring en route to weighing up to 30 pounds. Best fishing during the P higher May					
Penobscot River, at waters to spawn. and June.					
Salmon are taken the head of tidewater, as there					

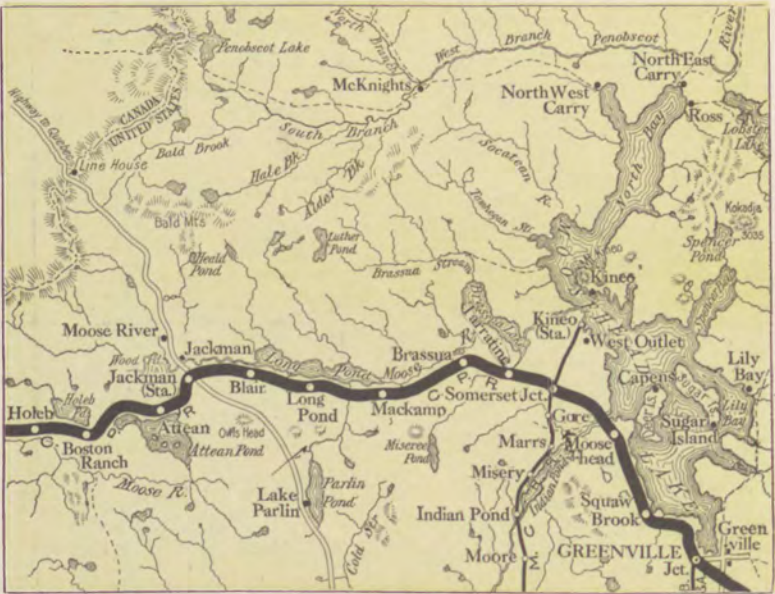
* See Stockton.

HOTELS, CAMPS AND FISHING WATERS		DIS- TANCE, MILES	CONVEYANCE	RATES PER DAY WEEK		CAPAC- ITY
SOUTH LAGRANGE (31 miles from Bangor)						
Waters Reached KIND OF FISH						
Birch Stream	Trout	$\frac{1}{2}$	Walk			
Dead Stream	Trout	$\frac{1}{2}$	Walk			
Ten-Mile Brook	Trout	2	Walk			
ALTON (22 miles from Bangor)						
Waters Reached KIND OF FISH						
Birch Stream	Pickereel and Trout	1	Team			
Brown Brook	Trout	1	Team			
Costigan Brook	Trout	$1\frac{1}{2}$	Team			
Pickereel Pond	Pickereel	$2\frac{1}{2}$	Team			
Pug Brook	Trout	$2\frac{1}{2}$	Team			
Pug Pond	Pickereel	$2\frac{1}{2}$	Team			
RAND COVE (53 miles from Bangor)						
Camp PROPRIETOR						
1 Five Islands Camp*	Miss M. Partridge	$\frac{1}{2}$	Boat	300.00 per season for children		40
*Boys' Camp.						
Waters Reached KIND OF FISH						
1 Schoodic Lake	Trout	0				
2 Sebouis Lake	Pickereel and Perch	1	Walk			
LAGRANGE (35 miles from Bangor)						
Waters Reached KIND OF FISH						
Coldbrook Stream	Trout	4	Team			
Hemlock Brook	Trout	5	Team			
BOYD LAKE (37 miles from Bangor)						
Waters Reached KIND OF FISH						
Boyd Lake	Perch, Bass, Pick'r'l	$\frac{1}{2}$	Walk			
DERBY (43 miles from Bangor)						
Hotel PROPRIETOR						
Piscataquis Hotel	N. B. Trask	$\frac{1}{2}$	Walk	3.75		60
Waters Reached KIND OF FISH						
Piscataquis River	Bass and Pickereel	$\frac{1}{2}$	Walk			
SOUTH SEBEC (49 miles from Bangor)						
Hotel PROPRIETOR						
Sebec House	R. P. Lampson	5	Stage	2.00	14.00	40
Waters Reached KIND OF FISH						
Sebec Lake*	Pick'r'l, Bass, Salmon	5	Stage			
*See Dover and Foxcroft.						
DOVER AND FOXCROFT (56 miles from Bangor)						
Camps and Hotels PROPRIETOR						
Blethen House	Blethen Bros.	$\frac{1}{2}$	Team or auto	3.50 to 4.50		45
Exchange Hotel	A. O. Robbins	$\frac{1}{4}$	Team or auto	2.50		25
Packard's Camps*	B. M. Packard	10	Team & steamb't	3.50 and up		65
* Packard's Camps are located on all of the following waters. At Buttermilk Pond a guide with boats and canoes stays at the camp throughout the summer. At Peenuguma Pond is a set of tents and boats so that parties from the main camps at Sebec Lake can go to Peenuguma for a day's trip or longer when accompanied by a guide.						
Waters Reached KIND OF FISH						
Bear Pond	White Perch	13	Team, canoe, stbt			
Bennett Ponds (2)	Black Bass, Pickereel	$13\frac{1}{2}$	Team, canoe, stbt			
Benson Ponds (2)	Togue and Trout	16	Team, steamboat			
Burdin Pond	Trout	15	Team, canoe, stbt			
Buttermilk Pond	Trout, Salmon and Togue	$13\frac{1}{2}$	Team, canoe, stbt			
Crooked Pond	Trout	15	Team, canoe, stbt			
Fourth Pond	Trout	16	Team, canoe, stbt			
Greenwood Ponds (2)	Togue and Trout	15	Team, steamboat			
Little Grindstone Pond	Trout	$13\frac{1}{2}$	Team, steamboat			
Millbrook Pond	Trout	15	Team, canoe, stbt			
Millbrook Stream	Trout	15	Team, canoe, stbt			
Peenuguma Pond	Small-mouth B. Bass	14	Team, canoe, stbt			
Sebec Lake*	Perch, Pickereel, Bass, Trout, Salmon	5	Team or auto			
* See South Sebec.						
GUILFORD (64 miles from Bangor)						
Hotels PROPRIETOR						
Braeburn	W. E. Cobb	$\frac{1}{2}$	Auto or team	3.50 up		50
Hotel Early	W. L. Early	12	Auto			50

HOTELS, CAMPS AND FISHING WATERS		DIS- TANCE, MILES	CONVEYANCE	RATES PER DAY WEEK	CAPAC- ITY
GUILFORD — Continued					
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH				
Foss Pond*	Salmon, Togue and Trout	14	Auto		
Lake Mahannock	Trout and Pickerel	1	Auto		
Punch Bowl	Trout	11	Auto		
Sebec Lake	Trout and Salmon	12	Auto		
Silver Lake	Trout and Salmon	10	Auto		
* See Abbot Village.					
ABBOT VILLAGE (67 miles from Bangor)					
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH				
Bear Brook	Trout and Togue	6	Team or auto		
Foss Pond*	Trout, Togue and Salmon	7	Team or auto		
Piper Pond	Trout and Salmon	5	Team or auto		
Sebec Lake	Trout and Salmon	11	Auto		
Thorne Brook	Trout	4½	Team or auto		
Whetstone Pond†	Trout and Togue	6	Team or auto		
* See Guilford. † See Monson Jct.					
MONSON JUNCTION (70 miles from Bangor)					
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH				
Lake Juanita	Trout and Togue	3			
MONSON (76 miles from Bangor)					
Hotel	PROPRIETOR				
Thomas House	Harry Thomas	½	Walk	3.00	10
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH				
1 Bear Pond.	Trout	6½	Team		
2 Bell Pond	Trout	3	Team		
3 Dougherty Ponds	Trout	2½	Team		
4 Eighteen Pond	Trout	2½	Team and boat		
5 Hedgehog and Brown	Trout	15	Team		
6 Lake Hebron	Trout	0			
7 Long Pond	Trout and Salmon	18	Team		
8 Meadow Pond	Trout	5	Team		
9 Monson Pond	Trout and Salmon	2	Team		
10 North Pond	Trout	6	Team and walk		
11 Onawa Lake	Salmon	10	Team		
12 South Pond	Trout	6	Team		
13 Two Greenwood	Salmon	9	Team		
BLANCHARD (78 miles from Bangor)					
(Altitude at Station, 798 feet)					
Hotel	PROPRIETOR				
River Side House	Mrs. M. F. Worcester	½	Team	7.00 and up	25
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH				
Bald Mountain Stream	Trout	6	Walk		
Blackstone Brook	Trout	2	Walk or team		
Bog Stream	Trout	6	Walk		
Bunker Pond	Trout	4	Team		
Crocker Pond	Trout	10	Walk		
Douty Pond	Trout	3	Walk		
Lake Hebron	Trout and Salmon	2	Walk		
Lily Pond	Trout	3	Team		
Marble Pond	Trout	6	Walk		
Mud Pond	Trout	7	Team		
Ordway Pond*	Trout	5	Walk		
Piscataquis River	Trout	½	Walk		
Spectacle Pond*	Trout	7	Team		
Spectacle Pond (in Monson)	Trout	3	Team		
Thanksgiving Pond	Trout	7	Team		
* See Shirley.					
SHIRLEY (85 miles from Bangor)					
(Altitude at Station, 1047 feet)					
Camps	PROPRIETOR				
12 Beech Tree Camp	J. H. Church	8	Team		6
12 Camp Comfort	J. H. Church	4	Team		10
10 Cedar Tree Camp	J. H. Church	7	Team		6
5 Moxie Pond Camp	C. H. Littlefield	8	Team		6
12 West Bog Camp	C. H. Littlefield	4	Team		10



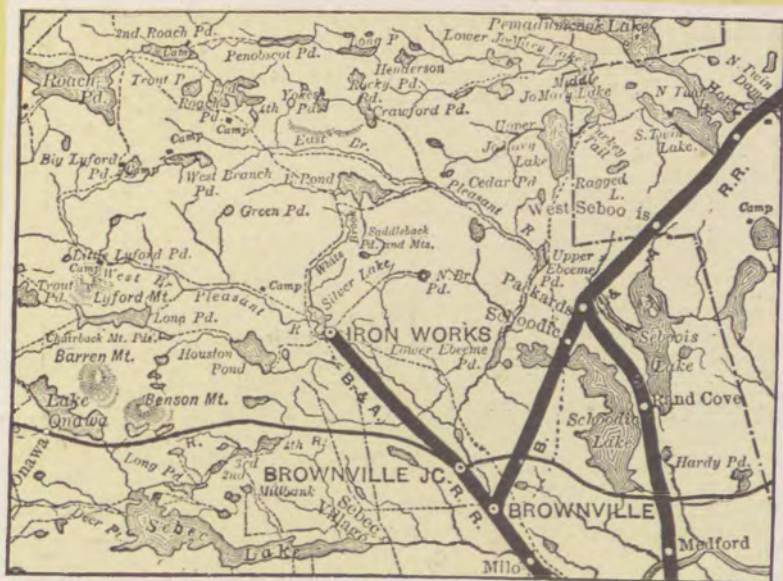
HOTELS, CAMPS AND FISHING WATERS		DIS- TANCE. MILES	CONVEYANCE	RATES PER DAY WEEK		CAPAC- ITY
SHIRLEY — Continued						
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH					
1 Gold Brook	Trout	1	Walk			
2 Gravel Brook	Trout	1½	Walk			
3 Indian Pond*	Trout and Togue	7	Team			
4 Main Stream	Trout	6				
5 Moxie Pond	Trout	7	Team			
6 Notch Pond	Trout	7	Team and walk			
7 Oakes Bog	Trout	4	Team			
8 Ordway Pond†	Trout and Togue	5	Team			
9 Round Pond	Trout	10	Team			
10 Spectacle Pond†	Trout and Salmon	3	Team			
11 Trout Pond	Trout	7	Team and walk			
12 West Bog	Trout	3	Team			
* See Greenville. † See Blanchard.						
GREENVILLE (91 miles from Bangor) (Altitude at Station, 1040 feet)						
Hotels and Camps	PROPRIETOR					
1 Attean Camps	R. E. Holden	42	Canadian Pac.Ry.	3.00 up		
	(Jackman)					
13 Camp Greenleaf	A. E. Van Skoik	9	Steamer	3.50 up	24.50 up	45
	(Sugar Island)					
13 Capens	G. W. Gourley	10	Steamer	3.50 to 4.00		50
	(Capens)				21.00 up	
22 Chadwick's	F. W. Chadwick	30	Steamer, stage			
			and canoe	3.00 up		30
7 Heald Pond Camps	Fred Henderson	50	Canadian Pac.Ry.	3.00 up	21.00 up	45
	(Jackman)					
11 Lake Parlin House and Camp	H. P. McKinney	54	Canadian Pac.Ry.	5.00 up	24.50 up	
	(Jackman)					
13 Lily Bay House	H. N. Bartley	13	Steamer, summer:			
	(Lily Bay)		stage, winter	2.00 up		20
3 Lyford Pond Camps	F. N. Webster	29	Steamer, stage,			
	(Kokad-jo)		canoe and carry	3.00 up		26
13 Mount Kineo House	Ricker Hotel Co.	20	Steamer	5.00 up		500
13 Northwest Inn	R. L. Keating	40	Steamer	3.50 to 5.00		
	(Seboomook)				25.00 to 30.00	50
13 Outlet House & Camps	A. J. Wilson	11	Canadian Pac.Ry.	4.00 up		40
	(Moosehead)					
13 Piscataquis Exchange	H. N. Bartley	¼	Team	4.00 up		50
	(Greenville Jct.)					
13 Spencer Narrows Camps	E. G. Stevens	16	Steamer, canoe	3.50		50
	(Greenville Jct.)					
13 Squaw Mountain Inn	A. A. Crafts	1¼	Auto and boat	4.00 to 7.00		75
	(Greenville Jct.)				28.00 up	
Thorofare Camps	T. E. Heald	9	Steamer	3.50	24.00	60
13 West Outlet Camps	Gilbert & Coombs	21	Steamer	5.00 up	35.00 up	75
	(West Outlet)					
13 Winnegarnock House	Mrs. T. B. Snow	40	Steamer	4.00 to 5.00	30.00	50
	(Northeast Carry)					
25 Yoke Pond Camps	C. Berry	35	Stmr., team, canoe			12
24 Henderson's Camp	E. A. Henderson	42	Canadian Pac.Ry.	3.00 up		
	(Jackman)					
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH					
1 Attean Lake	Trout	42	Canadian Pac.Ry.			
2 Benson Pond	Trout	18	Canadian Pac.Ry.			
3 Big Lyford Pond*	Trout	29	Stmr., stage, canoe			
4 Big Squaw Pond	Trout	4	Walk			
5 Burnham Pond	Trout	9	Boat and carry			
6 Fitzgerald Pond	Trout	5	Walk			
7 Heald Pond	Trout	50	Canadian Pac.Ry.			
8 Horseshoe Pond*	Trout	8	Team, boat, carry			
9 Indian Pond*	Trout	4	Walk			
10 Lake Onawa†	Trout and Salmon	15	Canadian Pac.Ry.			
11 Lake Parlin	Trout	54	Canadian Pac.Ry.			
12 Lower Wilson Pond	Trout	3½	Team			
13 Moosehead Lake	Trout, Togue, Salmon	6				
14 Mountain Pond	Trout	8	Team, boat, carry			
15 Prong Pond	Trout	8	Boat and carry			
16 Roach Pond	Trout, Togue and Salmon	19	Steamer and team			
17 Rum Mountain Pond	Trout	5	Team and walk			
18 Spencer Pond	Togue	22	Boat and carry			
19 Squaw Bay	Trout	2½	Boat			
20 Squaw Mountain Pond	Trout	3¼	Walk			
21 Upper Wilson Pond	Trout	5	Team			



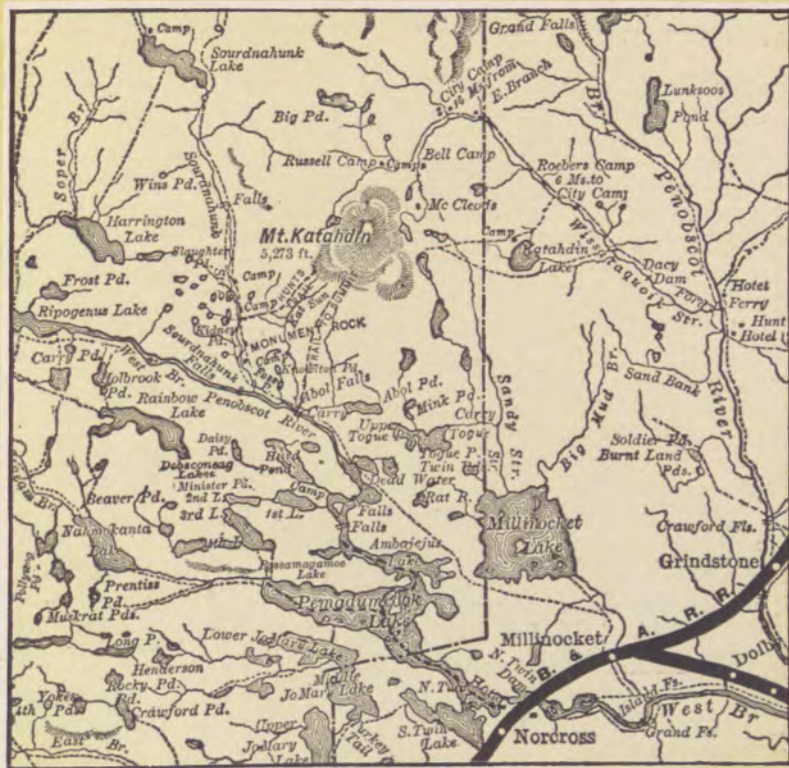
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GREENVILLE — Continued						
Waters Reached						
22 West Branch Pond*		30	Stmr., team, canoe			
23 Wilson Stream		4½	Walk			
24 Wood Pond		41	Canadian Pac. Ry.			
25 Yoke Pond*		35	Stmr., team, canoe			
* See Iron Works. † See Brownville Jct.						
In addition to the foregoing list, camps and hotels are reached from Greenville via the Canadian Pacific			at Jackman, Skinn	er, Holeb and Low	elltown	
			Railway.			
MILO (44 miles from Bangor)						
Hotel						
Dillon House PROPRIETOR		¼	Team	3.50 up		30
W. E. Dillon						
Waters Reached						
Alden Brook		2	Team or walk			
Sebec River		¼	Team or walk			
Bass and Pickerel						
BROWNVILLE (49 miles from Bangor)						
Hotel						
Hotel Herrick PROPRIETOR		½	Hack	3.00-18.00		25
F. L. Fogarty						
BROWNVILLE JCT. (52 miles from Bangor)						
Hotel						
Pleasant River House PROPRIETOR		½	Walk	2.50-16.00		140
J. E. Dillon						
Waters Reached						
Lake Onawa*		18	Canadian Pac. Ry.			
* See Greenville.						
KATAHDIN IRON WORKS (62 miles from Bangor)						
(Altitude at Station, 595 feet)						
Camps						
1 Big Houston Pond PROPRIETOR						
Camps (9)		3½	Auto and Team	3.00 up	21.00	30
W. L. Arnold						
10 Chairback Mountain						
Camps (12)		9	Team	3.00 up		40
Clarence W. West						

HOTELS, CAMPS AND FISHING WATERS		Dis- TANCE, MILES	CONVEYANCE	RATES PER		CAPAC- ITY
				DAY	WEEK	
KATAHDIN IRON WORKS — Continued						
Camps		PROPRIETOR				
9 Little Lyford Pond	E. A. Sherburne . . .	12	Team	3.00	16.00	30
2 Lyford Pond Camps*	F. N. Webster . . .	18	Team	3.00		25
10 Mtn. View Camps*†	W. M. Dore . . .	10	Team and canoe	2.50		20
21 Yoke Pond Camps*	C. Berry . . .	17	Team or walk	3.00	21.00	12
* More easily reached from Greenville via Kokadjo.						
† Also reached via Brownville Jct. and Onawa.						
That part of the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad between Brownville Jct. and Iron Works has been discontinued, jitney service is maintained. Miles given to camps and ponds are from Iron Works, 9.4 miles.						
Waters Reached		KIND OF FISH				
1 Big Houston Pond	Trout and Togue . . .	3½	Team			
2 Big Lyford Pond*	Trout . . .	18	Team			
3 B Pond	Trout . . .	12	Team and walk			
4 Dam Pond	Trout . . .		Reached from Big Houston			
5 East Chairback Pond	Trout . . .	8	Team and walk			
6 Horseshoe Pond*	Trout . . .	15	Team and walk			
7 Indian Pond*	Trout . . .		Reached from Big Houston			
8 Little Houston Pond	Trout . . .	2	Team or walk			
9 Little Lyford Pond	Trout . . .	13	Team			
10 Long Pond	Trout and Salmon . . .	9	Team			
11 Lost Pond	Trout . . .	7	Walk			
12 Middle Branch Brook	Trout . . .	6	Walk			
13 Mountain Brook Pond	Trout . . .	15	Walk			
14 Pleasant River	Trout . . .	8	Team			
15 Silver Lake	Pickarel and Salmon . . .	0				
16 Spruce Mountain Pond	Trout . . .	7	Team and walk			
17 Spruce Pond	Trout . . .	4	Walk			
18 West Branch Pond*	Trout . . .	20	Team			
19 West Chairback Pond	Trout . . .	6	Team and walk			
20 White Brook	Trout . . .	2	Team			
21 Yoke Pond*	Trout . . .	17	Team and walk			
* See Greenville.						
EBEEME (48 miles from Bangor)						
Camp		PROPRIETOR				
1 Camp Marquot	L. Leighton . . .	1	Boat and walk			25



HOTELS, CAMPS AND FISHING WATERS		Dis- TANCE, MILES	CONVEYANCE	RATES PER DAY WEEK		CAPAC- ITY
EBEEME — Continued						
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH					
1 Ebeeme Pond	Pickereel and Perch	½	Walk			
SCHOODIC (59 miles from Bangor)						
Camp	PROPRIETOR					
3 Schoodic Lake Camps	C. S. Cable	0		Cabins for rent		75
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH					
1 Cedar Pond*	Trout	10	Walk			
2 Jo Mary Lakes	Trout	10	Walk			
3 Schoodic Lake	Trout, Bass, Salmon and Togue	0				
* See Packards and Ingalls.						
PACKARDS (63 miles from Bangor)						
(Elevation 445 feet)						
Camp	PROPRIETOR					
1-2 Camp Moosehorns	Brackett & Pease	1	Canoe	3.50 up	21.00	50
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH					
1 Cedar Pond*	Trout	10	Walk			
2 Northwest Pond	Trout	0				
* See Schoodic and Ingalls.						
WEST SEBOOIS (68 miles from Bangor)						
Camp	PROPRIETOR					
6 Camp Lakeside	E. W. Harris	7	Walk			10
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH					
1 Bear Brook	Trout	3	Walk			
2 Patrick Brook	Trout	4	Walk			
3 Ragged Mt. Pond & Str'm	Trout	3	Walk			
4 Seboois Lake	Pickereel and Perch	2½	Walk			
5 Seboois Stream	Trout	0				
6 Upper Jo Mary	Perch, Trout, Togue	7	Walk			
INGALLS (71 miles from Bangor)						
(Elevation, 582 feet)						
Camp	PROPRIETOR					
1 Cedar Lake Camps	F. M. Smith	3	Walk			20
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH					
1 Cedar Pond*	Trout	3	Walk			
* See Schoodic and Packards.						
NORCROSS (76 miles from Bangor)						
(Elevation, 499 feet)						
Camps and Hotels	PROPRIETOR					
13 Buckhorn Camps	Bert Haynes & Son	15	Stmr. and canoe	3.50 up		10
2 Camp Chadbourne	A. E. Chadbourne	12	Steamer	3.50 up		15
16 Camp Eureka	Spencer Bros.	12	Steamer	3.50 up		20
25 Camp Phoenix	C. A. Daisey	45	Stmr., canoe, team	4.00	28.00	20
24 Camp Uno	C. H. Collins	26	Stmr. and canoe	3.00-3.50		20
22 Katahdin View Camps	F. M. Pitman	20	Stmr. and canoe	3.50 up		25
26 Kidney Pond Camps	Bradeen & Clifford	32	Stmr. and canoe	4.00 up		25
24 McDougall's Camps	Robert McDougall	25	Stmr. and canoe	3.50-4.00		10
19 Norcross House	A. F. Fowler	0		5.00		25
20 Passamagamoc Camps	Eugene Hale	14	Stmr. and canoe	3.50 up		20
9 Pleasant Point Camps	N. H. Shorey	18	Stmr. and canoe	3.50 up		10
12 The Antlers Camps	L. E. Potter	14	Stmr. and canoe	3.50 up		20
5 Twin Pine Camps	M. V. York	31	Stmr. and canoe	3.00 up		25
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH					
1 Abol Lake	Trout	27	Stmr., carry, canoe			
2 Ambajeus Lake	Pick'r'l, Perch, Togue	10	Steamer			
3 Ambajenackomus Lake	Trout	32	Stmr., carry, canoe			
4 Beaver Pond	Trout	18	Stmr., carry, canoe			
5 Daisy Pond	Trout	19	Stmr., carry, canoe			
6 Debsconeag Lake (1st)	Trout and Togue	18	Stmr., carry, canoe			
7 Debsconeag Lake (2d)	Trout and Togue	18	Stmr., carry, canoe			
8 Debsconeag Lake (3d)	Trout and Togue	17	Stmr., carry, canoe			
9 Debsconeag Lake (4th)	Trout and Togue	18	Stmr., carry, canoe			
Debsconeag Lake (5th)	Trout					
10 Foss and Knowlton	Trout	28	Stmr., carry, canoe			
11 Hurd Pond	Trout and Togue	18	Steamer and carry			
12 Jo Mary Lake (Lower)	Pick'r'l, Perch, Trout	12	Stmr. and canoe			



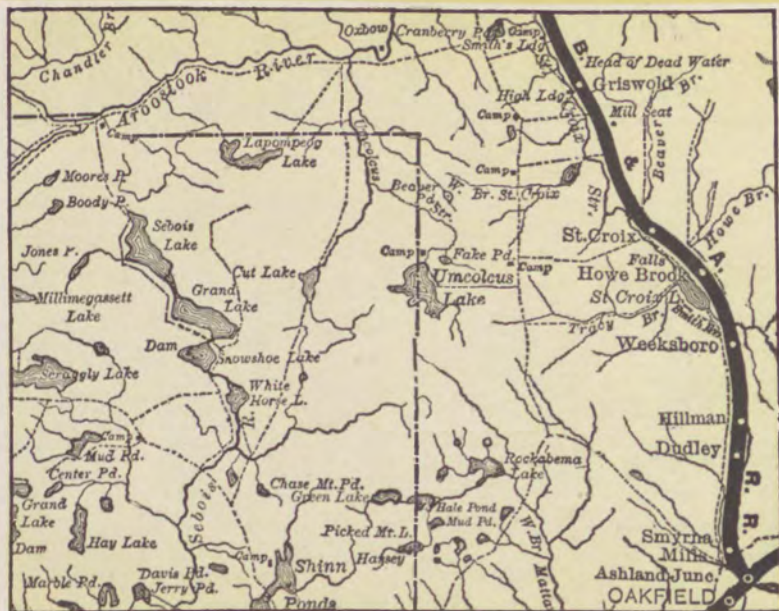
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NORCROSS — Continued						
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH					
13 Jo Mary Lake (Middle)	Pick'r'l, Perch, Trout	15	Stmr. and canoe			
14 Jo Mary Lake (Upper)	Pick'r'l, Perch, Trout	17	Stmr. and canoe			
15 Katahdin Stream	Trout	25	Stmr., carry, canoe			
16 Millinocket Lake*	Pick'r'l, Perch, Trout	11	Steamer and carry			
17 Minister Pond	Trout	18				
18 Nahmakanta Lake	Trout and Togue	22	Stmr., carry, canoe			
19 North Twin Lake	Pickerel and Perch	0				
20 Passanagamoc Lake	Pickerel and Togue	14	Stmr., carry, canoe			
21 Pemadumcook Lake	Pick'r'l, Perch, Togue	5	Steamer			
22 Penobscot River (W. Br.)	Pick'r'l, Perch, Trout	20	Stmr., carry, canoe			
23 Pollywog Lake	Trout and Togue	28	Stmr., carry, canoe			
24 Rainbow Lake	Trout	26	Stmr., carry, canoe			
25 Sourdahunk Lake	Trout	45	Stmr., canoe, team			
26 Sourdahunk Stream	Trout	28	Stmr., carry, canoe			
27 South Twin Lake	Pickerel and Perch	1	Walk			
* See Millinocket.						
MILLINOCKET (82 miles from Bangor)						
Hotel	PROPRIETOR					
Great Northern Hotel	Ralph Washburn	½	Auto	4.00-4.50		50
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH					
Cherry Pond	Trout, Perch and Pickerel	1	Walk			

HOTELS, CAMPS AND FISHING WATERS		DISTANCE, MILES	CONVEYANCE	RATES PER		CAPACITY
				DAY	WEEK	
MILLINOCKET — Continued						
Waters Reached		KIND OF FISH				
Millinocket Lake*	Trout, Perch and Pickerel	8	Team			
Millinocket Stream	Trout	0				
Schoodie Brook	Trout	2	Walk			
Smith Brook	Trout and Pickerel	3	Team			
Wollesenaic Lake	Perch and Pickerel	7	Canoe			
* See Norcross.						
EAST MILLINOCKET (91 miles from Bangor)						
Hotels		PROPRIETOR				
Exchange Hotel	A. W. Scott	0		3.00		40
Union House	A. E. Ham			2.00	10.00	30
Waters Reached		KIND OF FISH				
Dolby Pond	Pickerel	3	Team or auto			
Penobscot River (E.Br.)	Pickerel and Bass	2½	Team or auto			
Salmon Stream		5	Walk			
GRINDSTONE (91 miles from Bangor)						
Hotel		PROPRIETOR				
Powers House	C. T. Powers	5	Team			10
Waters Reached		KIND OF FISH				
1 Lunksoos Pond*	Trout and Togue	28	Canoe and carry			
2 Meadow Brook	Trout	2	Walk			
3 Messer Pond	Trout and Togue	28	Canoe and carry			
4 Penobscot River (E.Br.)	Pickerel and Bass	0				
5 Round Pond	Pickerel and Perch	2	Canoe			
6 Salmon-Stream Pond	Pickerel and Perch	5	Walk			
7 Sand Bank Brook	Trout	7	Canoe			
8 Schoodie Brook	Trout	7	Walk			
9 Soldier Pond	Trout and Pickerel	7	Walk			
10 Wissataquoik Stream*	Trout and Salmon	14	Canoe			
* See Stacyville.						
STACYVILLE (102 miles from Bangor)						
		(Elevation at Station, 526 feet)				
Hotels and Camps		PROPRIETOR				
3 Cushman's Camps	J. E. Cushman	22	Team			40
Davenport House	J. E. Davenport	0				20
2 Katahdin Lake Camps	Ralph E. Dorr	22	Team			
12 Mattagamom House	I. E. Palmer	7	Team			25
Waters Reached		KIND OF FISH				
1 Davidson Pond	Trout and Pickerel	2	Walk			
2 Katahdin Lake	Trout	22	Team			
3 Kellogg Pond	Trout	10	Team and canoe			
4 Lunksoos Pond*	Trout	17	Team and canoe			
5 Messer Pond	Trout and Pickerel	11	Team and canoe			
6 Moose Pond	Trout	13	Team and canoe			
7 Penobscot River (E.Br.)	Trout, Pickerel and Salmon	7	Team			
8 Salmon Stream Lake	Trout and Pickerel	18	Team			
9 Sand Bank Brook	Trout	7	Team			
10 Six Ponds	Trout	20	Team			
11 Spring Brook Pond	Trout	10	Team and canoe			
12 Wissataquoik Stream*	Trout and Salmon	7	Team			
* See Grindstone.						
SHERMAN (106 miles from Bangor)						
		(Elevation, 487 feet)				
Hotels and Camps		PROPRIETOR				
Benedicta House	Jerry Perry	7	Stage			20
5 Echo Island Camps	B. A. Gantnier	15	Auto			25
		(Benedicta)				
1 Bowlan Camps	C. E. McDonald	25	Team, saddlehorse			25
Richmond House	Mrs. F. Richmond	0				10
Sherman House	H. G. Perrin	3½	Auto			20
Waters Reached		KIND OF FISH				
1 Bowlin Pond	Trout	25	Team, saddlehorse			
2 Maewahoc Lake	Perch and Trout	15	Auto			
3 Molunkus Stream	Perch and Trout	½	Walk			
4 Salmon Pond and Stream	Trout and Salmon	8	Stage			
5 Salmon Stream Lake	Trout and Salmon	15	Auto			



HOTELS, CAMPS AND FISHING WATERS		DISTANCE MILES	CONVEYANCE	RATES PER		CAPACITY
				DAY	WEEK	
PATTEN (113 miles from Bangor)						
(Elevation at Station, 558 feet)						
Hotels and Camps PROPRIETOR						
Hay Pond Camps . . .	O. W. Hall . . .	28	Auto or team	3.00	20.00	25
21 Birch Point Camps . . .	Walters & Gould . . .	12	Auto and boat	3.00	20.00	25
10 Camp Fairview . . .	E. F. Fowler . . .	12	Auto and boat	3.50		30
3 Camp Wapiti . . .	Camp Wapiti Assoc. . .	11	Team	4.00		40
Crommett House . . .	T. Crommett . . .	12	Auto	3.00		50
12-15 Hall's Camps . . .	Harry Hall . . .	14	Auto	3.00		20
1 McDonald's Camps . . .	C. E. McDonald . . .	20	Team	3.50 up		25
11 Second Lake Camps . . .	Lincoln Pulp Wood Company . . .	36	Auto, team, boat	2.00	14.00	25
10 Shinn Pond House . . .	Z. L. Harvey . . .	10	Auto	2.00		60
20 Trout Brook Farm . . .	Lincoln Pulp Wood Company . . .	30	Auto and team	3.00		30
5 Young's Camps . . .	Young & Myrick . . .	30	Auto and team	3.00		25
Waters Reached KIND OF FISH						
1 Bowlin Pond . . .	Trout . . .	20				
2 Crystal Lake . . .	Pickarel . . .	4	Auto or team			
3 Davis Pond . . .	Trout and Salmon . . .	14	Auto or team			
4 Fowler Ponds . . .	Trout . . .	35	Auto or team			
5 Grand Lake-Sebois . . .	Trout . . .	24	Auto or team			
6 Green Pond . . .	Trout . . .	16	Auto and team			
7 Hay Brook . . .	Trout . . .	16	Team			

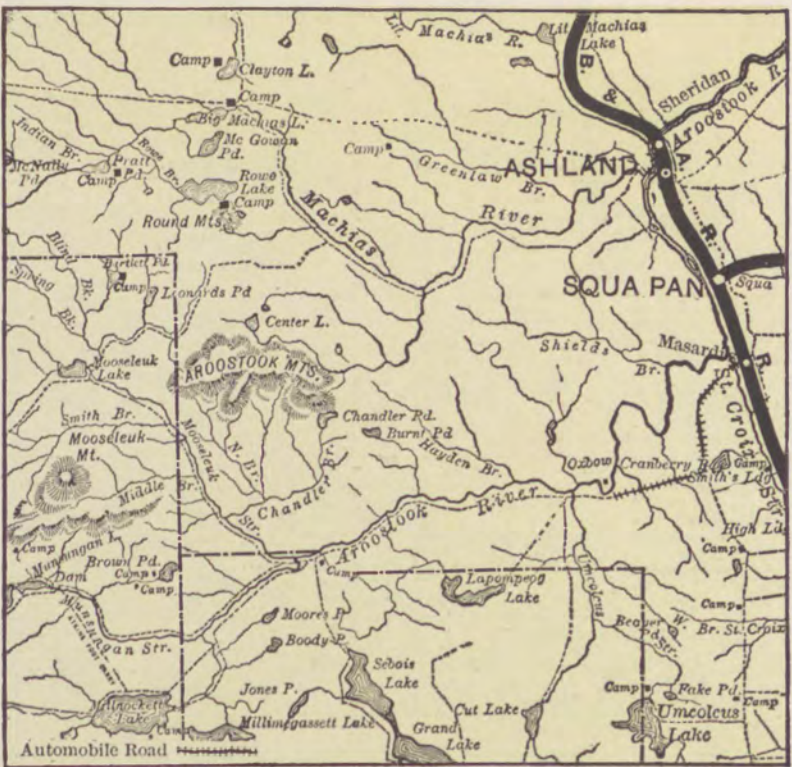
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PATTEN — Continued					
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH				
8 Hay Lake . . .	Trout and Salmon	28	Team		
9 Jerry Pond . . .	Trout	23	Auto or team		
10 Lower Shinn Pond . . .	Trout and Salmon	10	Auto		
11 Matagamon Lake . . .	Trout and Togue	30	Auto or team		
12 Mud Lake . . .	Trout	14	Auto and team		
13 Penobscot River (E. Br.)	Trout and Salmon	28	Team and canoe		
14 Picked Mountain Pond . . .	Trout	12	Team		
15 Pleasant Lake* . . .	Trout	12	Team		
16 Sawtelle Brook . . .	Trout	25	Auto or team		
17 Scraggly Lake . . .	Trout and Togue	30	Auto or team		
18 Sebosis Stream . . .	Trout	7	Team		
19 Snowshoe Lake . . .	Pickereel	22	Team or auto		
20 Trout Brook . . .	Trout	32	Team or auto		
21 Upper Shinn Pond . . .	Trout and Salmon	11	Auto		
22 White Horse Lake . . .	Pickereel	20	Auto or team		
* See Smyrna Mills.					
ISLAND FALLS (117 miles from Bangor) (Elevation, 458 feet)					
Hotels and Camps	PROPRIETOR				
Exchange Hotel . . .	G. F. Paul . . .	3	Hack	3.50	25
6 Hook Point Camps . . .	W. W. Sewall . . .	8	Auto and boat	3.00	30
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH				
1 Caribou Lake . . .	Pickereel and Perch	6	Team and walk		
2 Cole Brook . . .	Trout	6	Team and walk		
3 Dyer Brook . . .	Trout	2	Walk		
4 East Branch River . . .	Trout	12	Auto, canoe, walk		
5 Fish Stream . . .	Trout	1 1/2	Canoe		
6 Mattawamkeag Lake . . .	Pickereel, Trout, Bass	1 1/2			
and River . . .	and Perch		Team		
7 Otter Lake . . .	Trout	7	Team and canoe		
8 Pleasant Pond* . . .	Trout, Bass, Pickereel	4	Team		
9 Sly Brook . . .	Trout and Pickereel	4	Team and walk		
10 Warren Falls . . .	Trout	4	Canoe and walk		
*See Smyrna Mills.					



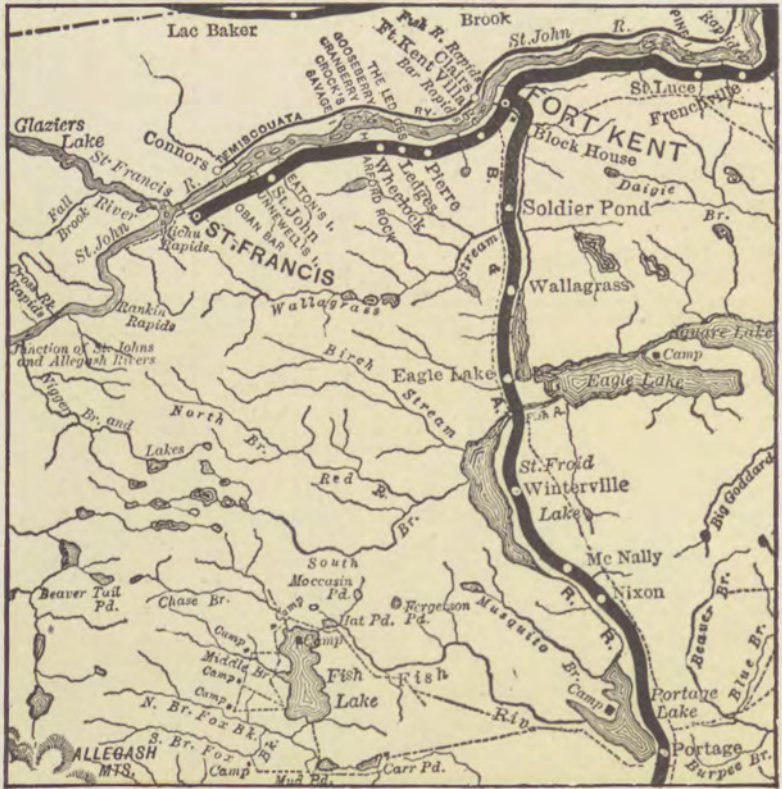
HOTELS, CAMPS AND FISHING WATERS		DIS- TANCE, MILES	CONVEYANCE	RATES PER DAY WEEK		CAPAC- ITY
OAKFIELD AND SMYRNA MILLS (126 miles from Bangor) (Elevation at Station, 578 feet)						
Hotels and Camps PROPRIETOR						
11 Dunbar Place	F. McMannus, Jr.	14	Team or auto			20
3 Hale Pond Camps	John Mitchell	14	Team			10
11 McMannus' Camps	F. McMannus	16	Team or auto			10
9 Chase Camps	Coburn Brothers*	12	Team or auto			10
The Inn	Chas. C. Merrill	12	Team or auto			50
11 Umcoleus Camp	John Tinney	18	Team and canoe			45
* R.F.D. No. 3, Smyrna Mills.						
Waters Reached KIND OF FISH						
1 Dudley Brook	Trout	2	Team			
2 Green Lake	Trout	14	Team and canoe			
3 Hale Pond	Trout	8	Team and canoe			
4 Hastings Brook	Trout	8	Team			
5 Mattawamkeag River	Trout	0				
6 Mud Lake	Trout	16	Team and canoe			
7 Pleasant Lake	Trout	16	Team and canoe			
8 Pleasant Pond	Togue	8	Team			
9 Rockabema Lake	Trout	14	Team			
10 Spaulding Lake	Pickarel	2	Team or auto			
11 Umcoleus Lake	Trout	18	Team and canoe			
WEEKSBORO (138 miles from Bangor)						
Waters Reached KIND OF FISH						
Smith Brook*	Trout	$\frac{1}{2}$	Walk			
Smith Brook Deadwater*	Trout	$\frac{1}{3}$	Walk			
* See Howe Brook.						
HOWE BROOK (142 miles from Bangor) (Elevation, 664 feet.)						
Waters Reached KIND OF FISH						
Beaver Brook*	Trout					
Cut Pond*	Trout					
Howe Brook	Trout	$\frac{1}{4}$	Walk			
St. Croix Lake	Trout and Perch	0				
St. Croix River*	Trout					
Smith Brook*	Trout					
Smith Brook Deadwater*						
Tracy Brook		1	Boat			
* Smith Brook and Smith Brook Deadwater are best reached from Weeksboro. Cut Pond best reached from Shoreys. St. Croix River and Beaver Brook are best reached from St. Croix.						
MASARDIS (159 miles from Bangor) (Elevation at Station, 581 feet.)						
Hotels and Camps PROPRIETOR						
Arbo Camp	M. D. Arbo	12	Auto	3.00	17.50	30
Chase's Camps						
Libby's Hotel and Sport- ing Camps*	Will T. Libby	10	Auto	3.00 up	17.50	40
7 Soule's Camps	Billy Soule	10	Auto	2.00 up		10
* Forty camps located on head waters of Aroostook and Allagash rivers. Reached from Ox Bow by stage from Masardis.						
Waters Reached KIND OF FISH						
1 Aroostook River	Trout	$\frac{1}{2}$	Walk			
2 Beaver Pond	Trout	32	Team and canoe			
3 Brown Brook Pond	Trout	45	Team and canoe			
4 Chandler Brook	Trout	25	Team and canoe			
5 Clear Lake	Trout and Togue	52	Team and canoe			
6 Long Lake	Trout	38	Team and canoe			
7 Millimegasset Lake	Trout	33	Team and canoe			
8 Millnockett Lakes	Trout	35	Team and canoe			
9 Mooseleuk Stream	Trout	22	Team and canoe			
10 Moose Pond	Trout	30	Team and canoe			
11 Munsungan Lakes	Trout and Togue	40	Team and canoe			
12 Reed Pond	Trout	41	Team and canoe			
13 St. Croix River	Trout	$\frac{1}{2}$	Canoe			
WASHBURN (189 miles from Bangor)						
Hotel PROPRIETOR						
Washburn House	E. L. Hodgkins	$\frac{1}{4}$	Walk	2.50	15.00	35

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formation write W.
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HOTELS, CAMPS AND FISHING WATERS		DIS- TANCE- MILES	CONVEYANCE	RATES PER DAY WEEK		CAPAC- ITY
WASHBURN—Continued						
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH					
Aroostook River	Trout	1	Team			
Beaver Brook	Trout	8	Team			
Brown Brook	Trout	5	Team			
Gardiner Creek	Trout	5	Team			
Salmon Brook	Trout	$\frac{1}{2}$	Team			
West Branch	Trout	$\frac{1}{2}$	Team			
ASHLAND (169 miles from Bangor) (Elevation at Station, 576 feet)						
Hotels and Camps	PROPRIETOR					
Exchange Hotel	W. R. Tyrell	$\frac{1}{2}$	Team or auto	3 50		40
2 McNally's	W. McNally	20	Team	3.50 up	28.00	30
3 McNally's	W. McNally	28	Team or canoe			
4 McNally's	W. McNally	35	Team, canoe, walk			
5 McNally's	W. McNally	25	Team or canoe			
6 McNally's	W. McNally	23	Team or canoe			
7 McNally's	W. McNally	23	Team or canoe			
1 McNally's	W. McNally	25	Team or canoe			
2 Rafford's Camps	H. Rafford	15	Team	4.00	28.00	20
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH					
1 Clayton Lake	Trout	25	Team or canoe			
2 Machias Lake & Stream	Trout	20	Team or canoe			
3 McNally Pond	Trout	28	Team or canoe			
4 Musquacook Lake	Trout and Togue	35	Team, canoe and 9-mile walk			
5 Pratt Pond	Trout	25	Team or canoe			
6 Round Mountain Pond	Trout	23	Team or canoe			
7 Rowe Lake	Trout	23	Team or canoe			



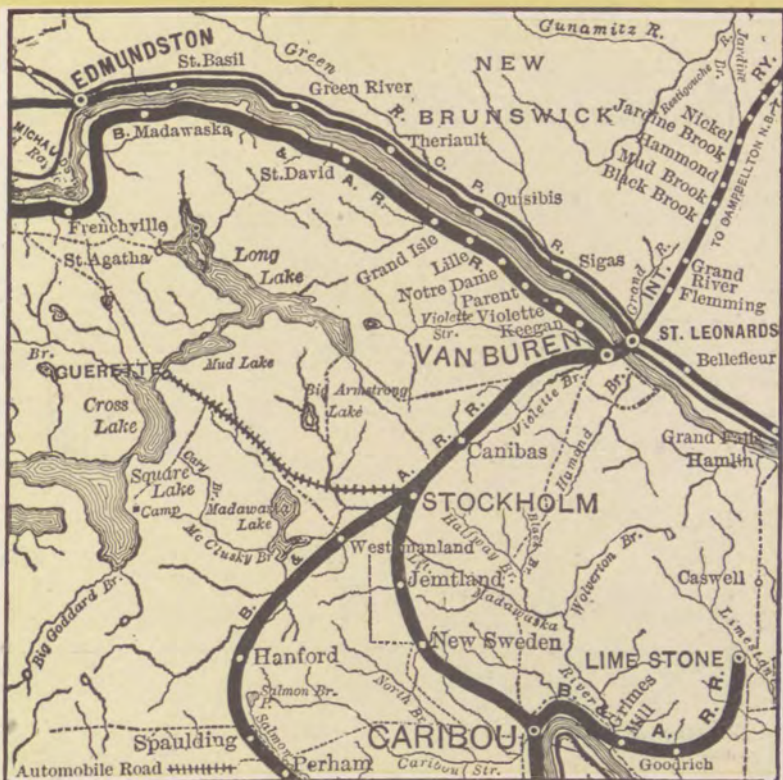
HOTELS, CAMPS AND FISHING WATERS		Dis- TANCE, MILES	CONVEYANCE	RATES PER DAY WEEK	CAPAC- ITY
PORTAGE (181 miles from Bangor) (Elevation at Station, 643 feet)					
Camp	PROPRIETOR				
1 Zella Isle Camps . . .	W. T. McNally . . .	20	Boat		10
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH				
1 Fish Lake	Trout, Togue and Salmon	20	Motor boat, canoe		
2 Portage Lake	Trout and Salmon	$\frac{1}{8}$	Walk		
WINTERVILLE (198 miles from Bangor) (Elevation at Station, 622 feet)					
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH				
Red River	Trout	1	Motor boat or canoe*		
Red River Lakes†*	Trout	16	Canoe or walk*		
St. Froid Lake	Trout, Salmon and Togue	0			
* Arrangements for transportation can be made by writing R. C. Brown, Quimby P. O.		0	men must tent out.		
† A chain of 14 small lakes. No camps.					
EAGLE LAKE (204 miles from Bangor) (Elevation at Station, 609 feet)					
Hotels and Camps	PROPRIETOR				
1 Eagle House	A. Cyr	0		2.00	10
1 Eagle Lake Camps	Saul Michaud	6	Motor boat	4.00 up	50
2 Inlet Camps	C. H. Fraser	16	Boat	3.50 up	40
2 Square Lake Camps	J. P. Yerxa	18	Boat	3.50 up	10
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH				
1 Eagle Lake*	Trout, Salmon, Togue	$\frac{1}{4}$	Walk		
2 Square Lake†	Trout, Salmon, Togue	12	Motor boat		
* See Wallagrass. † See Stockholm.					
WALLAGRASS (209 miles from Bangor)					
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH				
Blake Lake	Trout	2	Team		
Eagle Lake*	Trout, Salmon, Togue	0			
Wallagrass Lakes	Trout and Salmon	10	Team		
* See Eagle Lake.					
SOLDIER POND (213 miles from Bangor)					
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH				
First Lake	Trout	2	Team		
Round Pond	Trout	3	Team and canoe		
Sly Brook	Trout	2	Team		
Soldier Pond	Trout and Salmon	0			
Third Lake	Trout	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	Team and canoe		
FORT KENT (221 miles from Bangor) (Elevation, 540 feet)					
Hotels and Camps	PROPRIETOR				
Arcadia Hotel	James Corey	$\frac{1}{2}$	Hack	3.50 up	35
4 Glazier Lake Camps	J. C. Morris	21	Auto	3.00	25
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH				
1 Bahen Lake, N.B.	Whitefish and Trout	9	Team or auto		
2 Fish River	Salmon and Trout	$\frac{1}{2}$	Walk		
3 Five Finger Brook*	Trout	56	Canoe		
4 Glazier Lake, N.B.†	Whitefish and Trout	21	Team or auto		
5 Umsaskis Lake†	Trout and Togue	74	Canoe		
* Reached from Allagash River. † See St. Francis.					
ST. JOHN (234 miles from Bangor) (Elevation, 565 feet)					
Hotel	PROPRIETOR				
Connors Hotel, N. B.	Eddie Savage	1	Auto		25
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH				
Black Lake	Trout	5	Walk		
Blue River	Trout	24	Canoe		
Bow Lake	Trout, Togue, Perch, Salmon, Whitefish	12	Canoe		
Cross Lake	Trout, Togue, Perch, Salmon, Whitefish	9	Canoe		



HOTELS, CAMPS AND FISHING WATERS		DISTANCE, MILES	CONVEYANCE	RATES PER DAY	PER WEEK	CAPACITY
ST. JOHN—Continued						
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH					
Gilbert Lake	Trout	5	Walk			
Glazier Lake	Trout, Togue, Perch, Salmon, Whitefish	6	Team or auto			
Hanowell Lake	Trout	3	Team			
Plourde Brook	Trout	0				
St. John River	Trout	0				
Santimos Lake	Trout	5				
Savage Lake	Trout	3	Team			
Sinclair Brook	Trout	½	Walk			
ST. FRANCIS (239 miles from Bangor) (Elevation, 639 feet)						
Hotels and Camps	PROPRIETOR					
1-2Allagash Farm House	J. T. Michaud	28	Team or auto			25
American Hotel	P. C. Clair					
9 Cunliffe Sporting Camps	W. H. Cunliffe	56	Canoe			35
4 Five Finger Camps	W. H. Cunliffe	38	Canoe			15
5 Morris' Camps	J. C. Morris	5	Team or auto			30
7 Nigger Brook Camps	C. E. Jones	11	Team			50

HOTELS, CAMPS AND FISHING WATERS	DIS- TANCE. MILES	CONVEYANCE	RATES PER DAY WEEK	CAPAC- ITY
ST. FRANCIS — Continued				
Waters Reached KIND OF FISH				
1 Allagash River . . . Trout	12	Team or auto		
2 Big Rapids (St. John) . Trout	20	Team or auto		
4 Five Finger Brook* . Trout	38	Canoe		
5 Glazier's Lake† . . . Trout, Togue, Perch, Salmon, Whitefish.	5	Team, canoe, auto		
6 Little Black River . . Trout	16	Team or auto		
8 St. Francis River . . Trout	1	Canoe		
9 Umsaskis Lake† . . . Trout and Togue . . .	38	Canoe		
* Reached by Allagash River.				
† See Fort Kent.				
LUDLOW (133 miles from Bangor)				
Waters Reached KIND OF FISH				
Barker Lake Trout, Salmon . . .	1	Car; walk ½ mile		
Cochrane Lake Pickerel and Salmon	0			
County Road Lake . . . Pickerel	1½	Team or car		
NEW LIMERICK (137 miles from Bangor)				
Camp PROPRIETOR				
4 Lakewood Camp* . . . Arthur Ross . . .	2	Auto or team	2.50 up	50
* Three outside cottages. Rates, \$2.00 per day, \$14.00 per week				
Waters Reached KIND OF FISH				
1 Drew's Lake† Trout and Salmon . . .	3	Team or auto		
2 Green Lake Pickerel and Salmon .	1	Walk		
3 Nickerson Lake† . . . Pickerel and Perch . .	2	Team or auto		
* See Ludlow. † See Houlton.				
HOULTON (143 miles from Bangor)				
Hotels PROPRIETOR				
Clark's Hotel Mrs. M. F. Wier . . .			2.00 up	35
Elmeroft Mrs. F. A. Nevers . . .			1.00 4.00-7.00	5
Exchange Hotel* . . . Earle & White . . .			0.75-1.00 up	56
Snell House Mercier Bros.		Hack	4.00 up	56
Union Square M. A. Clifford . . .			1.00 up	25
* No meals served.				
Waters Reached KIND OF FISH				
Drew's Lake* Trout and Salmon . . .	8	Team or auto		
Meduxnekeag Lake† . Trout and Salmon . . .	6	Team or auto		
Nickerson Lake* . . . Pickerel and Perch . . .	5	Team or auto		
* See New Limerick. † See Monticello.				
LITTLETON (151 miles from Bangor)				
Waters Reached KIND OF FISH				
Augusta Lake Trout	4	Team		
Big Brook Trout	2½	Team		
Leary Brook Trout	5	Walk		
Logan Lake Trout	0			
Ross Lake Trout and Perch . . .	2½	Walk		
MONTICELLO (155 miles from Bangor)				
Waters Reached KIND OF FISH				
Conroy Lake Trout and Perch . . .	1½	Team		
Meduxnekeag Lake* . . Trout and Salmon . . .	½	Walk		
No. 9 Lake† Trout	9	Team		
White Brook Trout	3	Team		
* See Houlton.				
† See Bridgewater and Robinson.				
BRIDGEWATER (166 miles from Bangor)				
Hotel PROPRIETOR				
Central House J. Sargent	1	Team		15
Waters Reached KIND OF FISH				
No. 9 Lake* Trout	9	Team		
* See Monticello and Robinson.				
ROBINSON (170 miles from Bangor)				
Waters Reached KIND OF FISH				
Burnt Land Stream . . Trout	9	Team		
Mill Pond Trout and Salmon . . .	1	Walk		
No. 9 Lake* Trout	10	Team		
Prestile Stream Trout	1	Walk		
Three Brooks Trout	1	Walk		
Young Brook Trout	3	Team		
* See Monticello and Bridgewater.				

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MARS HILL (173 miles from Bangor)					
Hotel	PROPRIETOR				
York House	S. E. York	0		3.25 9.00	50
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH				
Presque Isle Deadwater	Trout	19	Team		
Presque Isle Stream	Trout	0			
Young Lake	Trout	4	Team		
WESTFIELD (178 miles from Bangor)					
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH				
Clark Brook	Trout	3	Team or auto		
Prestile Stream	Trout	0			
Young Brook	Trout	3	Team or auto		
PHAIR (183 miles from Bangor)					
Camp	PROPRIETOR				
Echo Lake Camps		3	Team		
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH				
Prestile Stream	Trout	1½	Team		
Spragueville Lake	Trout and Perch	1½	Team		
MAPLE GROVE (192 miles from Bangor)					
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH				
Bryant's Pond	Trout	½	Walk		
FORT FAIRFIELD (196 miles from Bangor)					
Hotel	PROPRIETOR				
The Plymouth	E. E. Young	½	Auto	4.00 up	100
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH				
Aroostook Falls	Trout and Salmon	6	Team		
Brown's Pond	Trout	6	Team		
Gannett Pond	Trout	4	Team		
Gillespie Lake	Trout	14	Team		
Munsons Pond	Trout and Salmon	4	Team		
Tomlinson Pond	Trout	7	Team		
The Tobique River waters are also reached from Fort Fairfield.					
PRESQUE ISLE (189 miles from Bangor)					
Hotel	PROPRIETOR				
Presque Isle House	O. E. Blackden . . .			3.50 and up	80
CARIBOU (203 miles from Bangor)					
Hotel	PROPRIETOR				
Vaughan House	Fogg & Buckley . . .	½	Hack	4.00 up 20.00	60
GRIMES MILL (207 miles from Bangor)					
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH				
Aroostook River	Trout and Salmon	½	Walk		
Gerrard Lake	Trout	7	Auto		
Madawaska River	Trout and Salmon	0			
Peers Lake	Trout	5½	Auto		
LIMESTONE (219 miles from Bangor)					
Hotel	PROPRIETOR				
Kimball House	G. S. Kimball	¼	Hack	3.00	50
NEW SWEDEN (212 miles from Bangor) (Elevation at Station, 703 feet)					
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH				
Baisley Brook	Trout	3	Auto		
Madawaska Stream	Trout	3	Auto		
JEMTLAND (217 miles from Bangor)					
Waters Reached	KIND OF FISH				
Madawaska Stream	Trout	½	Walk		
STOCKHOLM (220 miles from Bangor) (Elevation at Station, 593 feet)					
Camps	PROPRIETOR				
10 Inlet Camps	C. H. Fraser	15	Team and boat	3.50 and up	50
10 Square Lake Camps . . .	J. P. Yerxa	20	Team and boat	3.50 and up	50



HOTELS, CAMPS AND FISHING WATERS	DISTANCE, MILES	CONVEYANCE	RATES PER DAY	PER WEEK	CAPACITY
STOCKHOLM — Continued					
Waters Reached					
1 Big Armstrong	Trout	3	Walk		
2 Cary Brook	Trout	5	Team and canoe		
3 Cross Lake	Salmon and Trout	10	Team		
4 Johnson Brook	Trout	5	Team and canoe		
5 Little Armstrong	Trout	2	Walk		
6 McClusky Brook	Trout	5	Team and canoe		
7 Madawaska Lake	Trout and Salmon	3	Team		
8 Madawaska River	Trout	1/2	Team		
9 Mud Lake	Trout	6	Walk		
10 Square Lake*	Trout, Salmon, Togue	10	Team		
* See Eagle Lake.					
VAN BUREN (236 miles from Bangor)					
(Elevation at Station, 504 feet)					
Hotel	PROPRIETOR				
Hammond House	A. J. Violette	1/4	Team	4.00 up	40
PARENT (244 miles from Bangor)					
Hotel					
Parent	V. Cyr	1/4	Auto		6

HOTELS, CAMPS AND FISHING WATERS		Dis- TANCE MILES	CONVEYANCE	RATES PER DAY WEEK		CAPAC- ITY
NOTRE DAME (246 miles from Bangor) Hotel PROPRIETOR						
Ouelletts	P. Ouellett	0				5
LILLE (249 miles from Bangor) Hotel PROPRIETOR						
Lille House	B. A. Thibodeau	4	Team			10
FRENCHVILLE (269 miles from Bangor) Hotels PROPRIETOR						
Frenchville Hotel	Fred Bouchard	4	Team	3.00	15.00	20
St. Agatha Boarding House	J. Bouchard	5	Stage	2.00	10.50	12
Waters Reached KIND OF FISH						
Long Lake	Trout, Salmon, Togue	5	Stage			

The foregoing list is compiled for the fresh-water fisherman. Those desiring salt-water fishing should go to Searsport or Stockton. These places, situated on Penobscot Bay, offer the vacationist fishing for cunners, tom-cods, and flounders, and the digging of clams. Deep-sea fishing parties may also be arranged at these places.

It will be noticed that rates per day or week are not filled in, in several cases, but on account of existing conditions, the hotel and camp proprietors did not feel justified in giving rates for season 1923 so far in advance. Rates, however, will be given upon application, and such rates as are already given are subject to change.

A WORD TO CAMP-OWNERS

In the spirit of co-operation and for the further development of the Maine Woods as the nation's premier vacation section, it is suggested that camp-owners give particular attention to answering inquiries and replying to letters from prospective visitors to Maine. In case camps are already filled, the inquirer should be treated courteously with the idea that later, when accommodations are available, he may become a patron. It is unnecessary to emphasize the importance of fair treatment to all visitors, particularly in regard to the avoidance of over-charges. It is noticeable that the best conducted camps, the owners of which are alert and eager to meet the desires of their patrons and who are equitable in the treatment of all their guests, have the same patrons year after year and these regular patrons pass along the word among their friends so that there is never a lack of patronage. Let's all work together to keep Maine in the lead as the great vacation state.



This Cat Which Likes Canoeing is a Pet of Many Vacationists at Kidney Pond

Questions and Answers About The Allagash Trip A Chapter of Vacation Information

What is the approximate cost covering party of two and two guides starting at head of Moosehead Lake, two weeks' trip, guide providing canoe, tent, cooking utensils, etc.?

The expense of an Allagash canoe trip, as in the case of a vacation in any locality, depends upon the person. Some people will make the trip with considerable economy, while others will go over the same trip regardless of expense. It is not advisable, and, in fact, very few guides will take more than one person in a canoe. A guide's charge for one person is six or seven dollars a day. The canoe, tent and cooking utensils are supplied by the guide. If a single guide is taking along two persons his charge will probably be eight dollars a day. The guide's board is paid by the sportsman. This means taking along sufficient provisions and making arrangements for accommodations at terminal hotels for the guide. The outfitting stores at Greenville and Northeast Carry have had many years of experience in equipping canoe parties. In arranging for supplies, information and details can be secured from D. T. Sanders & Sons Co., Greenville; A. A. Crafts, Greenville Junction; Mrs. T. B. Snow, Winnegarnock House, Northeast Carry, Moosehead Lake, Maine. The appended table is furnished by the Northeast Carry supply station:

For a party of two making the Allagash canoe trip, the total expense will approximate \$315.00-

\$4 per day for provisions for 14 days (approx.)	\$56.00
One tent for two sportsmen, 14 days at 25 cents.	3.50
\$6 per day each guide (\$12 for 14 days) includes canoes.	168.00
Two canoes hauled across carry at North East, maximum (each \$2 if outfitted here, \$3 if elsewhere)	6.00
\$5 each canoe at Mud Pond Carry	10.00
Rent of 4 pairs wool blankets, 10 cents per day, 14 days.	5.60
	\$249.10
Return fare and expense of canoe and outfit for each guide from Fort Kent to North East Carry, \$25 to \$28 each.	56.00
	\$305.10

What is the approximate cost of above with party of two and one guide?

One guide cannot safely make the Allagash in one canoe as the weight of three people with the outfit and provisions overloads the canoe for rough water. A second canoe may be hired at \$1 per day and the extra man paddle it with a portion of the outfit. This would be about \$205.00.

Is it necessary for tourist to bring tent and bedding?

If the tourist has his own tent and camp bedding, he may prefer to bring it. Outfit can be bought or rented at Northeast Carry or Greenville from one of the outfitters above mentioned. Advance arrangements must be made through guide or outfitting house if sportsman is to bring no equipment from home.

How much time is necessary for the trip?

The trip can be made in ten days; in fact, with good weather, and traveling every day, it is possible to cover the route in seven days from Moosehead Lake. Such a hurried trip is not advisable as it makes it impossible to take any of the pleasant side trips for fishing and for viewing the many scenic delights that are to be enjoyed on all sides. A hurried trip will be a disappointment, particularly to new comers. The trip can be made comfortably in two weeks, but many parties who wish to camp en route and enjoy to the fullest the vacation offerings of this great region, take three and even four weeks.

What is the boat fare Greenville to Northeast Carry?

In the season of 1922, and probably in 1923, \$2.50.

Can a canoe be procured at Greenville? At Northeast Carry? Terms.

Canoes can be secured through the sportsmen's outfitting stores at Northeast Carry or Greenville. It is advisable to make reservations in advance of going. The charge is \$1 per day.

Can provisions be bought en route? What places?

It is recommended that tourists anticipate their needs and start from Greenville or Northeast Carry with all provisions which they will probably need. At the outfitting stores at Greenville and Northeast Carry everything necessary can be procured; at Chesuncook, Ansel B. Smith, proprietor of Chesuncook House and Farm, has a small store where stock supplies can be

secured; at the Tramway at Eagle Lake usually one can secure flour, meal and sometimes potatoes; sometimes similar provisions can be secured at Long Lake Dam at the Lumber Depot Camp. Additional supplies, much wider range of stock, can be secured at Michaud Farm, which is located a short distance above Allagash Falls, toward the end of the trip.

Is a guide necessary for party of Maine residents who have never been on this trip?

A resident of Maine is not required by the game laws to employ a guide unless he wishes to, but a person unfamiliar with this trip would be unwise to undertake to navigate the rapids without at least one experienced guide in the party. For safety and comfort it is certainly wise to take a guide who is efficient in poling a canoe over the very rapid waters encountered on the trip. It usually saves swamping an outfit.

Can non-residents make trip without guide?

With reference to non-residents, the law requires non-residents who are camping or kindling fires in unorganized territory to be in charge of a licensed guide if hunting or fishing or having firearms or fishing tackle in possession, which is *prima facie* evidence of hunting or fishing. Non-residents who are simply on a camping or canoeing trip without firearms or fishing tackle — who do not fish or hunt — are not obliged to employ a guide. No one, however, should undertake this trip without some one in the party who is experienced in quick water navigation or with the rapids on this trip. Trips have been made without a guide, but usually regretted when the canoe has been cut in two on such places as Chase Carry.

When canoes are rented for the trip, what disposal is made of them at end of trip?

They are returned by express from St. Francis or Fort Kent to the owner. Sometimes sportsmen purchase at Greenville a canoe and sell it at a discount when they reach St. Francis or Fort Kent. Many prefer to use a new canoe for this trip, but of course one is not always sure, if obliged to leave St. Francis or Fort Kent very soon after arrival, of an opportunity to sell the canoe to good advantage. Second-hand canoes are usually on sale at Northeast Carry.

Where are city clothes left during trip?

If sportsman is not returning to Moosehead Lake, send them by express or insured parcel post to Fort Kent. They could be sent in care of "Hotel Arcadia" where sportsman would probably stop one night at least on the way out. The landlord of the Arcadia should be notified in advance to hold package pending arrival, or the package could be simply held at express office for arrival of owner.

Are July and August good months for salmon fishing?

Yes, on the smaller lakes on the trip. The water is colder on the small lakes that are shut in by high ridges, but generally speaking, July and August are not as good as earlier in the season or in the September fly fishing season.

What is the best month for this canoe trip?

The majority of tourists prefer latter part of July to the last of September, when insects are not troublesome. Of course water is apt to be lower than earlier in the season. Early autumn is a delightful time for an Aroostook canoe trip.

Where could one make arrangements to join party taking this trip?

Generally one makes up a party of friends before coming, but now and then Mrs. T. B. Snow, Northeast Carry, has requests for arranging to join parties and she is glad to do what she can for them.

To whom would it be necessary to write to engage a guide? What do guides supply?

Guides can be secured through Mrs. T. B. Snow, Northeast Carry, the Sanders Company, or A. A. Crafts, referred to in Answer 1. It is a part of the business of the hotel at Northeast Carry to secure guides for these trips as its guides have made these trips all their lives, are expert canoemen, and know all the channels and where the fish are to be found. The guides are all good cooks and first-class guides. They supply canoe, cooking outfit, one tent and their own blankets. When but one man goes with a guide, and he so desires, he may share the guide's tent without extra expense.

Would it be practicable or possible to proceed down the river from Fort Kent to St. John City?

This has been done in the past but it has not been a common occurrence in recent years. There are numerous carries below Fort Kent and the river runs through a settled country.

Can Mt. Katahdin be visited on this canoe trip?

Not conveniently if one goes via Greenville, Northeast Carry and Chesuncook. If one is going to Chesuncook Settlement by way of Greenville and the Great Northern Paper Company's automobile road to Chesuncook Dam, a side trip could be made via Ripogenus Dam and tote road (secure permit from Great Northern Paper Company to cross) to Sourdnhunk tote road, thence six miles over tote road on foot or buckboard to Daisey Pond. This is an easy trip for experienced tramps from Daisey Pond to the summit and return. One ought to take at least five days for this side trip.

What is the minimum list of supplies that should be taken?

\$1 per day for each person for provisions, two to four blankets per person, according to season. Tent and rubber blanket.

Where would it be best to rent canoes and hire a guide?

At Northeast Carry or Greenville.

How many of each (canoes or guides) are necessary for party of three?

A guide with his canoe for each member of the party.

Of the supplies and outfit, what could be rented and what should party bring?

Every part of the outfit may be rented or bought at the store at Northeast Carry. If one desires he might bring fishing tackle, but a full supply is carried here. A fair line of sporting clothes are carried also, as well as raincoats.

What is the approximate cost of the various items?

It is hard to list a supply with approximate costs as each party requires a different outfit. Mrs. T. B. Snow, Northeast Carry, and the Greenville outfitting stores supply camping lists with supplies and are glad to send them on request, or if a member of a party will send a special list they will be glad to carry out prices for approval. Answer to Question No. 1 covers the general expenses of outfit.

How far in advance should canoes and guides be engaged, and how best to do this?

Extra canoes should be engaged a week or more in advance. A few days' notice will secure a good guide. Sometimes a party desires certain guides who have been recommended to them and engage them weeks ahead.

ANSWERS TO SOME QUESTIONS REGARDING WEST BRANCH CANOE TRIP

What is the cost of West Branch trip?

About \$65.00 for one sport and one guide for the six days besides the return expense of the guide and his outfit from Norcross to Northeast Carry.

What is the length of time required?

The trip can be made in five days, but as in the case of the Allagash, haste is not advised and two or three weeks can be pleasantly and profitably occupied in the West Branch trip.

Where should one write to employ guides?

To Northeast, as for Allagash Trip.

What equipment is necessary; what do guides furnish?

Provisions, tents, blankets and one guide who furnishes canoe, one tent and cooking outfit.

How many guides are necessary for party of two?

One guide for each sportsman, as more than two in a canoe with the necessary outfit overloads a canoe and sinks it too deep into the water to go over swift places and sharp rocks under the surface.

What is the best time of year to take this trip to avoid insects?

August and September are ideal months to take any of the canoe trips as flies rarely bother at that time.

Where are supplies obtained?

At Northeast Carry and Greenville, at places named in Allagash Trip.

What is the suitable tackle for fishing? Kind of fish?

Six to nine ounce rods and flies. The favorite flies are "Silver Doctor," "Brown Hackle," "Montreal," "Parmachini Belle." Trout from one-half pound to four pounds are caught mostly.

What are the side trips to be taken?

One fine side trip can be taken to the Sourdnhunk Lake country which has fine trout fly fishing section, and Mt. Katahdin can be climbed via Hunts Trail or Abol Trail. These are the principal side trips.

Is it necessary for one to have a license to camp when making a canoe trip?

The state does not issue licenses authorizing residents or non-residents to camp on land of another person. A non-resident who is fishing or has fishing tackle in possession must be equipped with a non-resident fishing license, fee \$3.15. If hunting or having firearms in possession, should be equipped with a non-resident hunting license; \$5 license previous to October 1, \$15 commencing October 1. Game laws may be changed at the 1923 session of the Maine legislature. All vacation visitors should be familiar with those laws.



The Swimming Float at Camp Wapiti

Aroostook, The Greatest Agricultural County in Forty-Seven States

By FRANK P. WASHBURN, Maine Commissioner of Agriculture

SOME years ago a prominent Bangor man who had been consulted by a scribe seeking information concerning this great agricultural section of our state said: "Let your pen gallop, write everything good you please, you cannot overdo Aroostook." To-day we are still looking toward our northern county as the standard bearer of our agriculture, and it is still impossible to overdo or overvalue Aroostook's position among the great agricultural sections of New England and the entire country.

It must be a surprising bit of information to those who look upon Maine as a small state when considered in terms of agricultural output to learn that we have the greatest agricultural county in the United States with one exception, which is Los Angeles County in California, a section blessed with a climate suitable to products of an almost endless variety. In 1919 the comparative figures in round terms were \$62,000,000 for the California county and \$53,000,000 for Aroostook in agricultural products alone.

Aroostook farmers have always specialized in potatoes, and in 1921 they produced \$31,000,000 of the \$37,000,000 bushels, which put ours at the head of the list of potato-producing states. Soil, climate and the underlying rock formation are particularly adapted to the successful cultivation of this crop, and yields of three hundred bushels per acre are common. In fact, the average yield in 1921 was 315 bushels and the Aroostook farmers some-

times marvel at the small yields reported from western states and wonder that their brethren there can long maintain their interest in the business.

It should not, however, be understood that the broad acres of this county produce nothing but potatoes, since it is a fact that each normal seed time witnesses the seeding of more than seventy thousand acres of oats, from which an average yield of thirty-eight bushels per acre is realized. In the carefully observed rotation practiced in Aroostook, clover is also an important factor, and an annual production of nearly two hundred thousand tons of hay is the result. The raising of wheat attained considerable importance during the war and is even now nearly one hundred and fifty thousand bushels annually, with a per acre production that compares most favorably with that reported from some of the great wheat-producing sections. One half the barley produced in Maine grows in Aroostook, and five sixths of all buckwheat.

In area Aroostook would contain the three great northern agricultural counties of New York state, namely, St. Lawrence, Clinton and Franklin, and yet have a very respectable remainder of eight hundred and forty square miles. It is as yet largely undeveloped, but its wealth of timber and wild life provide great attractions for lumber operators and sportsmen, and a source of permanent income to its citizens.

The farmers of Aroostook are beginning to realize the value and importance of co-operation and will undoubtedly complete within the year some plan of organization which will stabilize their business and do much to solve their problems of marketing and quality of product.



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SHIPMENT OF BIG GAME

Season of 1922

STATIONS SHIPPED FROM	OCTOBER			NOVEMBER			DECEMBER			TOTAL		
	†DEER	**MOOSE	BEAR	†DEER	**MOOSE	BEAR	†DEER	**MOOSE	BEAR	†DEER	**MOOSE	BEAR
Norcross	17			40						57		
Millinocket				14						14		
Grindstone	1			25						26		
Davidson	2			20						22		
Sherman	13			28						41		
Island Falls	3			22						25		
Oakfield	5			52						57		
Monticello	4			16						20		
Stockholm	4			9						13		
Shirley	3			14						17		
Blanchard				8						8		
Greenville	185		4	590		2				775		6
Brownville Junction	3			21						24		
Patten	94		1	261		7				355		8
Howe Brook	23			46						69		
Masardis	43			184		1				227		1
Ashland	72			108						180		
Portage	9			41						50		
Winterville				16						16		
Eagle Lake				23		1				23		1
Other Stations	13			57						70		
Total	494		5	1595		11				2089		16
Total Shipped 1895	669	53		501	21		411	38		1581	112	
" " 1896	1029	79		718	19		498	35		2245	133	
" " 1897	1246	55		1023	37		671	47		2940	139	
" " 1898	1348	71		1347	77		682	54		3377	202	
" " 1899	1433	80		1960	63		363	23		3756	166	
" " 1900	1298	83		1516	63		565	64		3379	210	
" " 1901	1331	99		1905	97		646	64		3882	259	
" " 1902	1469	68		2192	110		834	66		4495	224	
" " 1903	1350	79		1758	106		678	47		3786	232	
" " 1904	1088	62		1813	101		657	59		3558	222	
" " 1905	1538	81	15	2187	87	15	909	39	8	4634	207	38
" " 1906	838	65	9	1678	90	3	861	43	5	3377	198	17
" " 1907	678	56	14	1559	92	17	916	107	28	3153	255	59
" " 1908	1111	44	6	1992	48	5	412	17		3515	119	11
" " 1909	683	43	13	1652	62	17	931	70	14	3266	175	44
" " 1910	1225	56	2	2216	68	2	1165	89	9	4606	193	13
" " 1911	622	38	12	1572	35	10	831	115	20	3025	188	42
" " 1912	543	15	18	1689	25	13	861	57	35	3093	97	66
" " 1913	376		5	1452	28	4	805	32	1	2633	58	10
" " 1914	364		10	1614	25	27	569	29	8	2547	54	45
" " 1915	530		23	1358	*	13	708	*	5	2596	*	41
" " 1916	380		3	1614	*	1	702	*	1	2696	*	5
" " 1917	449		2	1325	*	4	778	*	2	2552	*	22
" " 1918	246		3	797	*	2	472	*	1	1515	*	6
" " 1919	†344	++	7	†1609	†23	5				†1953	†23	12
" " 1920	†330	++	6	†2128	†19	14				†2518	†19	20
" " 1921	†431	**	4	†2385	**	2				†2816	**	6

The game shown as shipped in December includes that killed in open season, and shipped by special permit after the season closed, or left with a taxidermist to be mounted.

The above statement, compiled from records kept by station agents, comprises only game shipped by visiting sportsmen from points on the line of this Company, and does not include that killed by native hunters, nor the large quantity consumed in camps.

* Closed time on Moose until November 1, 1919.

** Closed time on Moose until July 9, 1925.

† Open season on Deer, October 1 to November 30, inclusive.

‡ Open season on Moose, last ten days in November, 1920.

Summer Tourist Fares from New York, Boston and Portland

TO	FROM		
	New York	Boston	Portland
South Sebec (Sebec Lake).....	\$33.40	\$18.50	\$11.40
Dover Foxcroft (Sebec Lake).....	34.05	19.15	12.05
Guilford (Sebec Lake).....	34.65	19.75	12.65
Monson Junction.....	35.15	20.25	13.15
Blanchard.....	35.80	20.90	13.80
Shirley.....	36.35	21.45	14.35
Greenville (Moosehead Lake).....	36.90	22.00	14.90
Lily Bay.....	39.15	24.25	17.15
Deer Island.....	38.65	23.75	16.65
Mt. Kineo House.....	39.15	24.25	17.15
North East Carry.....	41.15	26.25	19.15
North West Carry.....	41.15	26.25	19.15
Moosehead.....	37.75	22.85	15.75
Jackman.....	39.60	24.70	17.60
Holeb.....	40.35	25.45	18.35
Megantic.....	42.30	27.40	20.30
Lowelltown.....	41.10	26.20	19.10
Derby.....	32.95	18.05	10.95
Brownville.....	33.35	18.45	11.35
Brownville Junction.....	33.65	18.75	11.65
Onawa.....	37.33	22.43	15.33
Schoodic (Schoodic Lake).....	34.05	19.15	12.05
West Seboois.....	34.60	19.70	12.60
Norcross (Twin Lakes).....	35.20	20.30	13.20
Millinocket.....	35.55	20.65	13.55
Grindstone.....	36.15	21.25	14.15
Stacyville.....	36.95	22.05	14.95
Sherman.....	37.20	22.30	15.20
Patten.....	37.75	22.85	15.75
Island Falls.....	37.95	23.05	15.95
Oakfield.....	38.55	23.65	16.55
Howe Brook.....	39.80	24.90	17.80
Griswold.....	40.60	25.70	18.60
Masardis (Oxbow).....	41.25	26.35	19.25
Ashland.....	42.05	27.15	20.05
Portage.....	43.00	28.10	21.00
Winterville (St. Froid Lake).....	44.35	29.45	22.35
Eagle Lake.....	44.85	29.95	22.85
Fort Kent.....	46.30	31.40	24.30
Houlton.....	39.70	24.80	17.70
Monticello.....	40.55	25.65	18.55
Bridgewater.....	41.25	26.35	19.25
Robinson.....	41.55	26.65	19.55
Mars Hill.....	41.75	26.85	19.75
Fort Fairfield.....	43.50	28.60	21.50
Presque Isle.....	42.80	27.90	20.80
Caribou.....	43.75	28.85	21.75
New Sweden.....	44.40	29.50	22.40
Stockholm (Square Lake).....	44.85	29.95	22.85
Van Buren.....	46.00	31.10	24.00
Grand Isle.....	47.05	32.15	25.05
Madawaska.....	47.65	32.75	25.65

Tickets will be on sale May 1 to November 25, good for return passage until November 30 of year sold. Tickets reading via steamer or stage lines will be good only during season of service.

Fares shown from New York are via direct rail lines and Boston; the fares via Sound Lines are \$3.60 less than quoted above.

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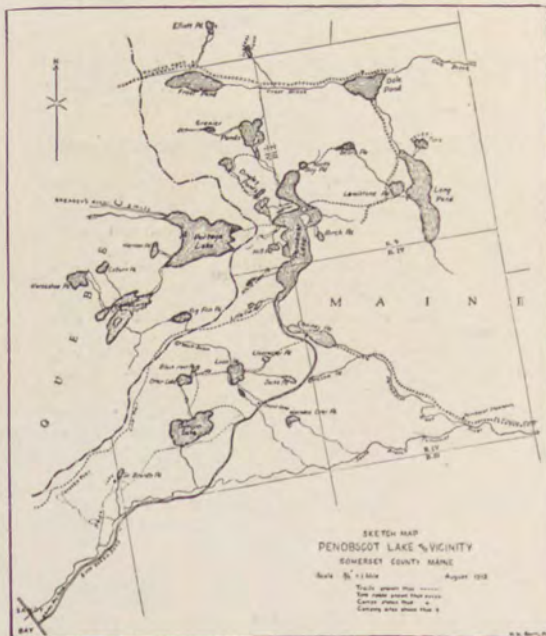
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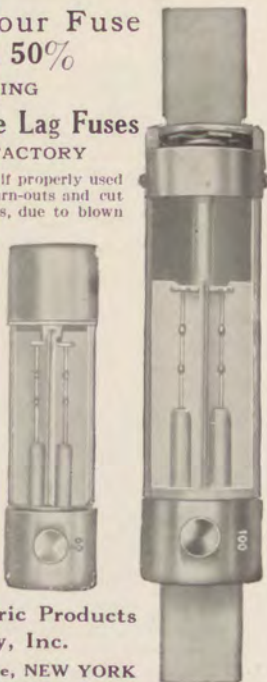
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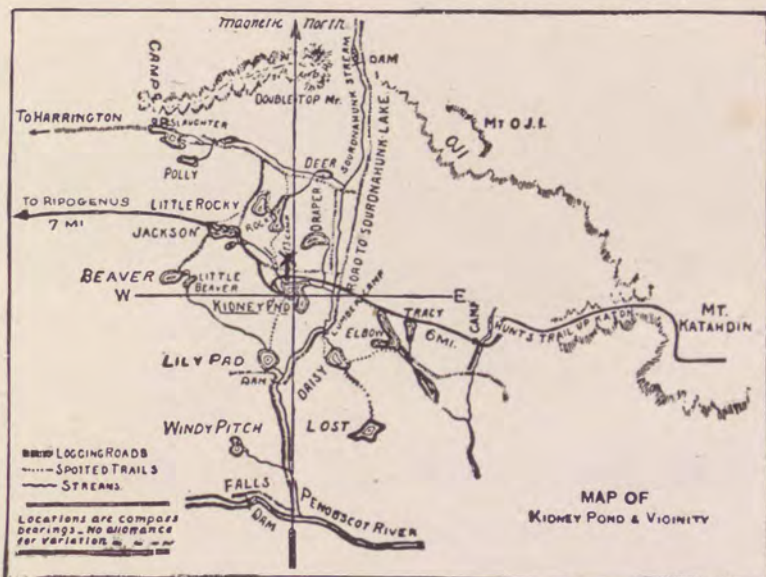
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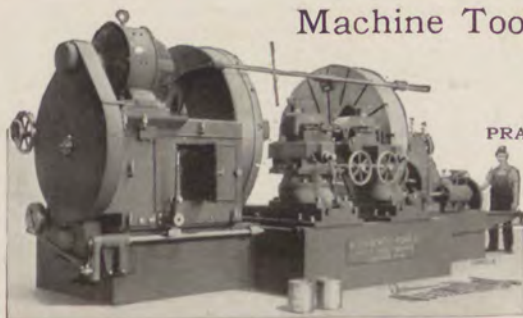
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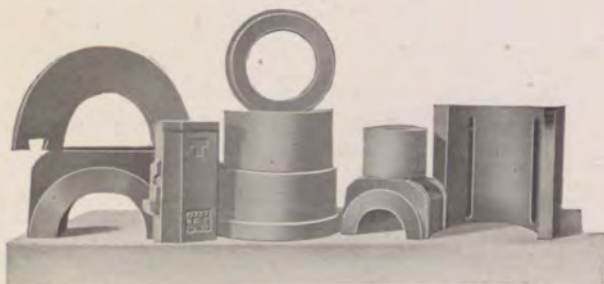
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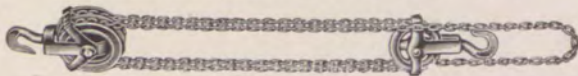
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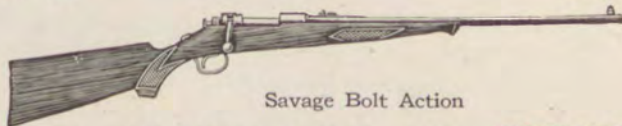
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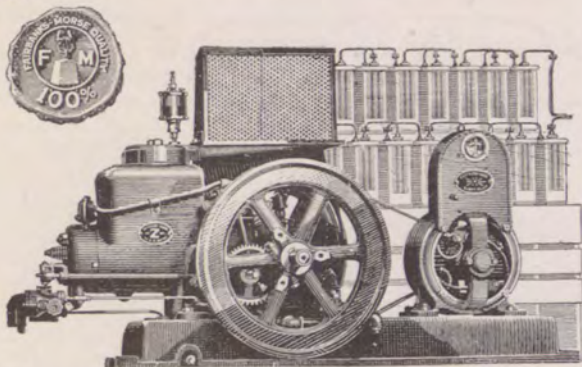
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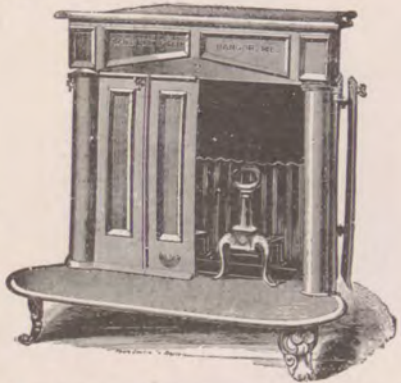
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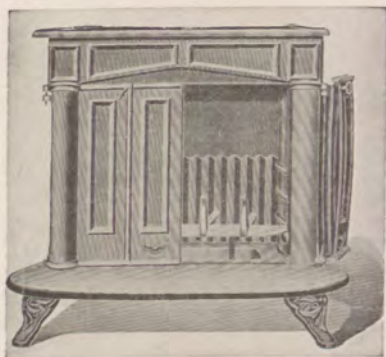
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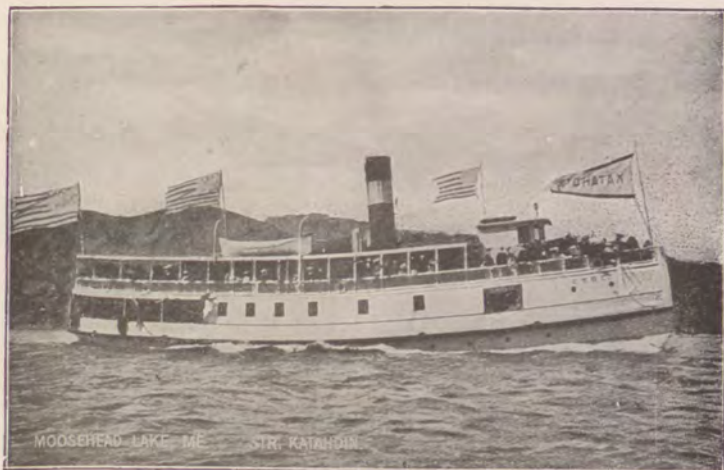
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