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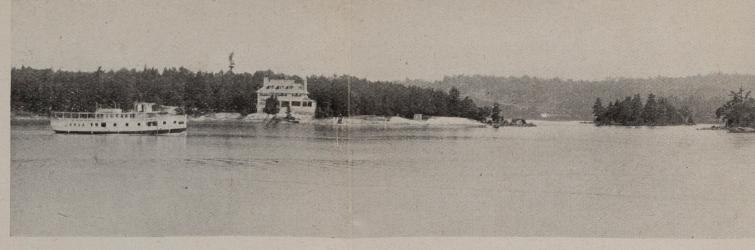
MUSKOKA LAKES.

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Through a maze of picturesque islands the Muskoka steamers wend their way from point to point.

CANADIAN EXPRESS COMPANY'S OFFICES ON MUSKOKA LAKES.

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The Royal Muskoka golf links offer lake-land views and ideal playing conditions.

	DISTANCE TABLE.	Miles	Hours' Travel
From	Toronto to Muskoka Wharf	112	3 1/4
From	Buffalo to Muskoka Wharf	229	8
From	Montreal to Muskoka Wharf	446	141/2
From	Pittsburg to Muskoka Wharf	481	18
	Detroit to Muskoka Wharf		171/2
	Philadelphia to Muskoka Wharf		22
	Chicago to Muskoka Wharf		24 1/2
	New York to Muskoka Wharf	642	22
From	Boston to Muskoka Wharf	781	26

BAGGAGE ARRANGEMENTS.

Sportsmen—For sportsmen and campers, singly or in parties on hunting or fishing expeditions one hundred and fifty (150) pounds of baggage and camping outfits will be checked free of charge on each full ticket, and seventy-five (75) pounds on each half ticket, provided it consists of wearing apparel, sportsmen's and campers' outfits, such as tents, small bundles of bedding, camp utensils and provisions in small quantities packed in proper receptacles, such as boxes with handles, or trunks, so that they can be checked, piled or handled as ordinary baggage.

Furniture, barrels, bags of flour, or like bulky articles of that nature, also articles containing liquids of any kind, will not be checked as baggage, but must be sent by express or freight. On the return journey, a game or fish catch of fifty (50)

pounds' weight, not in conflict with existing laws, may be

The City of Toronto is the objective point for all traffic for the "Highlands of Ontario"—a beautiful city full of interest to the tourist and sight-seer. Each year during the latter part of the summer the Toronto Industrial Exhibition, which is considered to be the best annual fair on the continent, is held here and is well worth a visit. In 1917 the Exhibition will be held from August 25th to September 16th.

MAGANETAWAN RIVER.

In its rivers as much as in its lakes lies the beauty of Muskoka. The Maganetawan is reached fifty-eight miles north of Muskoka Wharf, at Burk's Falls, on the Grand Trunk Railway. The Maganetawan River is just equidistant between the Muskoka Lakes and Lake Nipissing, and drains a surface of about four thousand square miles. Some idea may, therefore, be gathered of its magnitude and of the possibilities for canoeing opened up by the ramifications of the numerous tributaries and their connected

This is the very heart centre for sport for rod and gun. Its rivers and lakes can be ascended and descended in canoes, amid



The Beaumaris Hotel overlooks Lake Muskoka.

the best of sport, while the eye is fascinated by the fresh and unsullied wildness of its forest haunts. Burk's Falls stands upon the banks of the main Maganetawan at the head of steamboat navigation, and about half a mile below the forks of the river, where the two great north and south branches join. From here can be taken the steamers of the

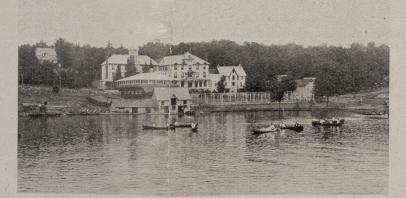


The Royal Muskoka is the social centre of this beautiful lakeland. It is magnificently situated and from its broad verandas lovely views are obtained.

ance" when checked to points in Canada only. Guns in wooden, canvas or leather cases may be taken into passenger cars, but if not protected, they must be conveyed in the baggage car at owner's risk. Canoes, skiffs and row-boats, not exceeding 18 feet in length, when accompanied by sportsmen or campers, will be taken in the baggage car at a nominal charge. Campers' outfits, etc. carried only at owner's risk. The foregoing arrange-

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ments apply to a limited district in Canada, including Algonquin Provincial (Ontario) Park, and certain other points north of Toronto.

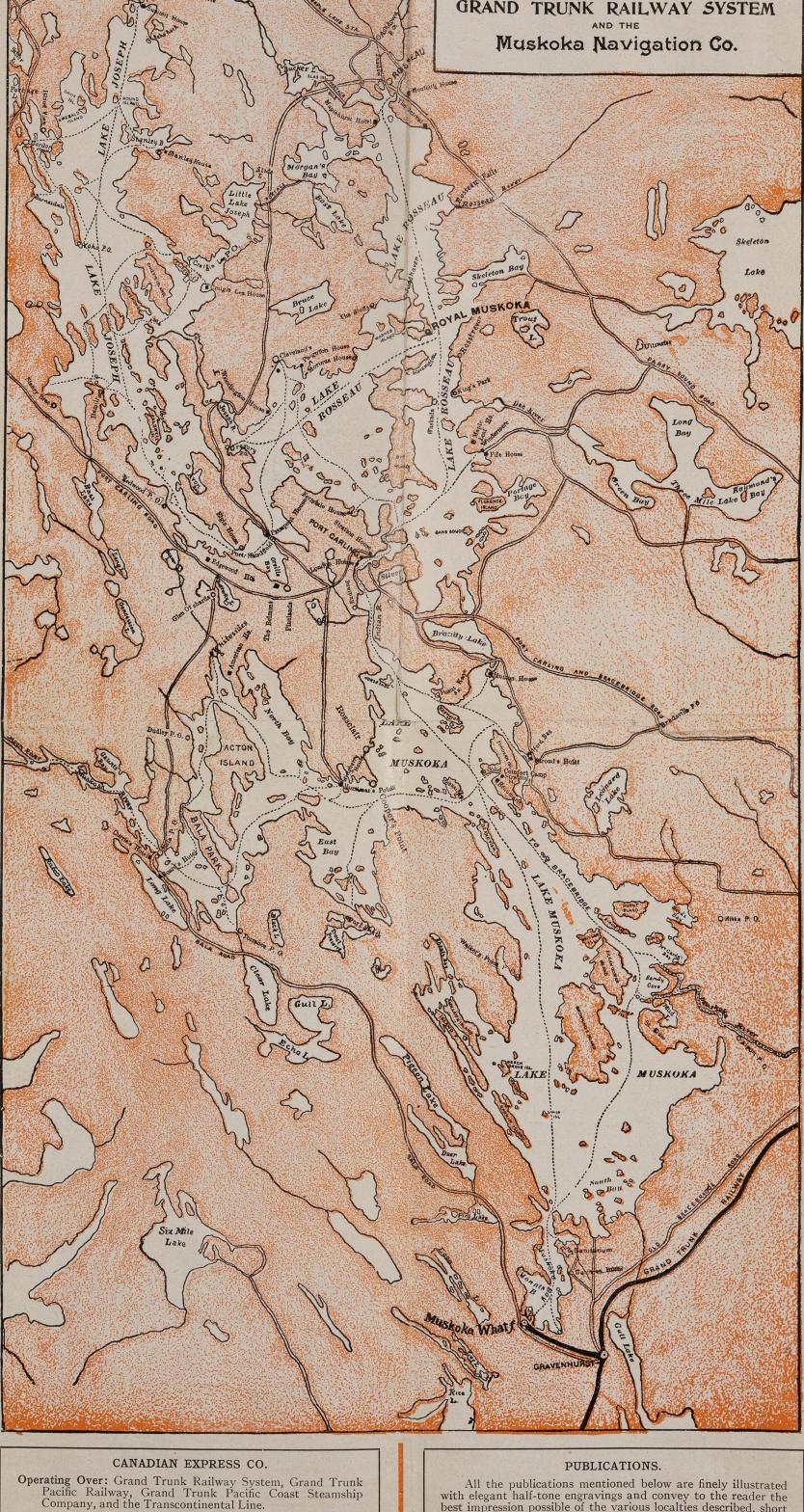


The Monteith House at Rosseau has a continent wide reputation, and hundreds of happy people gather here each year.

Maganetawan River Line. For fifteen miles the river winds to and fro as all Muskoka rivers seem to do. Lake Cecebe forms the next link for ten miles, at the foot of which is the village of Maganetawan. After passing through the locks the steamer continues for three miles more n the river, and then enters Lake Ahmic. This is another of the gems of Muskoka most quaint in form. It is twelve miles in length, and provides another excellent route for boating, as there are no rapids to interfere or portages to make; a nice diversity of paddling or rowing in the river is interspersed with sailing on the lakes.



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LIST OF HOTELS ON MUSKOKA LAKES

D O Addross	Hotel or Resort	Accom-		ates	
P. O. Address		modates	Per Day	Per Week	
LAKE MUSKOKA	Windsor Hotel	157	\$1.50-2.50	210.00	
Bala	The Swastika	100	2.00	\$10.00-15.00 10.00-14.00	
"	Jackson House	30	1.50	8.00 up	
"	Moon Shute House	30	1.50	7.00 up	
	Musquash Lodge	30 150	1.50	8.00 up	
Beaumaris	Beaumaris Hotel	20	3.00 up 2.00	14.00 up 9.00-12.00	
Torrance	Brighton Beach	60	1.50	6.00-10.00	
Dudley	Rocky House	20	1.00	6.00	
	Cape May	35 50	1.00 up 1.50	7.00 up	
Whiteside	Acton Island	30	1.50	7.00- 9.00 7.00- 9.00	
Hutton House	Hutton House	50	2.00	8.00-10.00	
	Scarcliff	20 80	$\frac{2.00}{2.00}$	8.00-12.00	
Milford Bay	Cedar Wild	40	2.00	9.00-14.00 10.00-12.00	
Mortimer's Point	Winberry House	50	1.50	8.00- 9.00	
"	Pleasant View	30	1.50	8.00-12.00	
Rossclair	Rossclair	50 50	1.50 2.00-3.00	8.00-12.00 10.00-18.00	
Gravenhurst	Empress Hotel	50	2.00	10.00	
"	Fern Glen Pinedale (on Gull Lk.)	40	2.00	8.00-10.00	
	Pinedale (on Gull Lk.) Camso Cottage	100	2.00-3.00	12.00-18.00	
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Bracebridge	Albion Hotel	75 75	2.00-2.50 On appl	Special	
	Queens Hotel		on appr	reaction	
LAKE JOSEPH	D.1 II	100	0.00	10.00	
Pinelands	Belmont House	100 50	2.00	10.00 up 8.00- 9.00	
Elgin House	Elgin House	300	2.00 up	12.00-20.00	
Redwood	Bay Leaf	30	1.00	7.00-10.00	
Hamil's Point	Hamil's Hotel Staney Braes	75 30	2.00 On appl	9.00-16.00	
Staney Braes Craigie Lea	Craigie Lea House	50	2.00 up	ication	
Claigic Beatter	Carlingford House	50	1.50	7.00- 9.00	
Barnesdale	Barnesdale House	60 50	1.50	8.00	
Gordon Bay Stanley House	Island View Stanley House	90	2.00	8.00-10.00 9.00-12.00	
LAKE ROSSEAU					
Windermere	Windermere House	200	2.00-2.50	10.00-16.00	
"	Fife House	60	2.00	8.00-10.00	
	Ingleside House	60	1.25	6.00- 7.00	
	Maple Leaf	60 120	1.50	6.00-10.00 8.00-12.00	
	King's Park	75	1.50-2.00	9.00-12.00	
Royal Muskoka	Royal Muskoka	300	3.50 up	18.00 up	
Judd Haven	Ernscliffe	100 25	1.50-2.50	10.00-15.00 7.00-10.00	
	The Bluff	50	1.50-2.00	7.00-10.00	
Maplehurst	Maplehurst Hotel	30	2.25 up	14.00-18.00	
Rosseau	Monteith House	250	2.50-4.50	15.00-25.00 8.00-12.00	
"	Rossmoyne	30	1.50-2.00	8.00-12.00	
"	Lakeview	20	1.50	7.00	
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Muskoka Takes

HE Muskoka Lakes enjoy an international reputation. The beauty of their scenic setting, their cool, health-giving, breezes and the wonderful facilities which they offer for recreation, have won for them a firm hold on the affections of large numbers of discriminating travellers from

all sections of the Continent. The reason of their popularity is found immediately you enter the region. Nature has here been lavish with her finest handiwork—pine scented forests, sparkling, island studded, lakes, laughing streams and waterfalls, are all part of a wonderful heritage.

On Muskoka's placid waters sunny days may be dreamed away in canoe or launch, there are glistening stretches of sandy beach where you may bathe in safety, golf links overlooking lovely lakes and a multitude of lovers' walks through the fragrant woods.

The turmoil of city life is soon forgotten when you fall under Muskoka's spell. There is never any "crowding," the territory being so large that you might plan a fresh trip for each day of your stay, and still travel in a veritable kingdom of your own.

MUSKOKA'S PERFECT CLIMATE.

Muskoka's name is derived from the great chief of the Hyrons "Musaquado," signifying "clear sky" and no happier appellatio could have been adopted. Situated about 1,000 feet above sea level, the altitude produces a modifying effect on the sun's rays and makes the climatic conditions ideal for the holiday-maker even in the height of midsummer. Hay-fever is unknown.

In the variety of excellent accommodation offered to the visitor Muskoka has few rivals among resort districts. You may make a choice of hotels, ranging from the modest to the fashionable, boarding houses, of peaceful country homes or of cozy island

The Muskoka territory is directly under the control of the Provincial Legislature, thereby presenting the charms of an unsettled region, while at the same time it affords all modern conveniences such as mail, telegraph, telephone and railway service.

GEMS OF THE LAKELAND.

The district is part of the famed "Highlands of Ontario." Many hundreds of square miles in extent, the "Highlands of Ontario" are in turn part of the great Laurentian range. They are thickly wooded with stately pines, giant hemlock, fragrant balsam and wide-spreading maples, and are dotted with hundreds of pretty lakes of all sizes and depths. Three of the largest and most beautiful of these are comprised in the group called "Muskoka Lakes." They are lakes Resseau, Joseph and Muskoka.

You are amazed at the extent of these lakes, which appear so small on the map. You had perhaps expected to see some charming miniature, some pretty historic pond, through which a tiny vessel would travel fretfully. But in any other country than Canada the Muskoka Lakes would be called "great," and geographers would lecture on them at length. Secondly, the multitudes of islands and diversified shore-line cause you to wonder how the captain finds his way. These lakes are a veritable maze, a watery labyrinth, the haunt of novel illusions and evasions. Against the steep woodlands, in which trees deciduous and trees evergreen commingle, nestle pretty cottages and summer villas, the owners of which have fallen in love with Muskoka. In nearly all cases these charming summer homes harmonize with their surroundings of wistful waters and br oding woods.



Where the heart of the golfer rejoices—the eighteen hole golf course at Beaumaris.

THE TRIP TO MUSKOKA.

The gateway to Muskoka is at Muskoka Wharf, 112 miles north of Toronto. To this station the Grand Trunk Railway System operates, during the tourist season, a splendid service of express trains with the most modern equipment, including dining, parlor and Pullman sleeping cars. (See "How to reach Muskoka" in this folder).

The trip from Toronto is a most interesting one, taking the traveller through a continuous scene of hill and dale, diversified with beautiful lakes and rivers. Until the more rugged portion of the country is reached, the prosperous farmer is much in evidence, with well-tilled fields on every side.

Many pretty and flourishing towns are passed on the way up, including Allandale, a divisional point on the Grand Trunk System. Next we come to the crescent town of Barrie, charmingly situated on the shores of Kempenfeldt Bay, an arm of Lake Simcoe. Orillia, a thriving town is next passed. Orillia boasts of many beautiful residences, good stores and manufacturing establishments. It is beautifully situated on the shores of Lake Couchiching, which is connected with Lake Simcoe.

Twenty-six miles farther north we reach Gravenhurst, a town of considerable importance, lying at the foot of Lake Muskoka, the most southerly of the three Muskoka Lakes.

FINE STEAMER SERVICE

Pausing for a moment at the station of Gravenhurst, the train

You may spend many pleasant days exploring the lakes on the steamships of the fleet.

proceeds to Muskoka Wharf, one mile distant, where the splendid

steamers of the Muskoka Navigation Company, with steam up

are ready to speed away up the lakes. The Company maintains

on the lakes a fleet of eleven modern and up-to-date steamers,

ranging from the natty, swift running steam yacht, "Charlie M," to

the stately flagship "Sagamo," capable of carrying hundreds of pas-

sengers. These steamers are well kept, comfortably furnished, hav-

ing large observation dining saloons, and, in fact are calculated to

meet the most exacting demands of the Twentieth Century tourists.

Four steamers make close connections with the Grand Trunk trains,

and on their way up the lakes are met by others of the fleet at junc-

tion points, which relieve the boats from the trains of part of their

loads, and by diverting routes are so run that all parts of the lakes can

be reached twice daily in either direction. Then there are steamers

there, the most enjoyable possible.

which take up excursion routes, dodging in and out among the islands,

threading their way through narrow and intricate channels, revealing

to the visitor rare scenic beauties unseen from the decks of the regular

liners. In fact, both the railway and navigation companies put forth

their best efforts to make the visitors' trip to Muskoka, and their stay

in a comfortable armchair on the waiting steamer's spacious shaded deck.

The few moments elapsing ere she starts are quickly passed watching the

scene of activity on the wharf below as the hands hurry on board the huge

trucks loaded with baggage, endless numbers of express packages and

On leaving the train at Muskoka Wharf, the tourist locates himself

At last the whistle sounds, the lines are

cast off and the trim steamer swings

her head up the lake with her load, a

point, to Port Carling, the junction of Lakes Muskoka and Rosseau, the dis-

tance is twenty-one miles; from the

same starting point to Rosseau, at the

head of the lake of this name, it is

thirty-three miles, while the most dis-

tant point on the three lakes, Port Cock-

burn, at the head of Lake Joseph, is

forty-five miles from Muskoka Wharf,

The width of the lakes varies from chan-

nels a few hundred yards across to open

stretches of water about six miles wide.

MUSKOKA'S RIVERS.

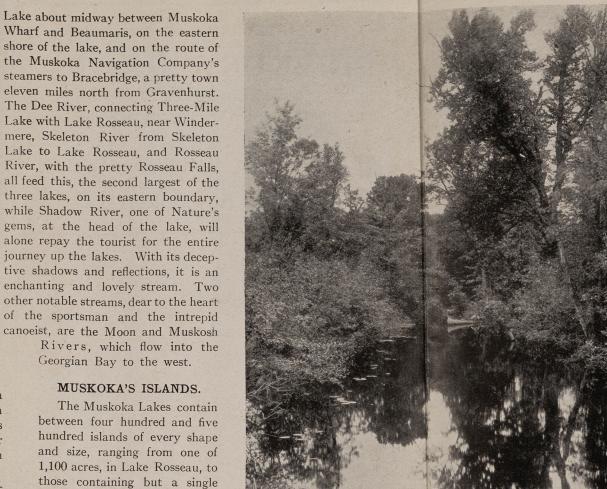
and streams, chief among them being

the Muskoka River, entering Muskoka

The lakes are fed by several rivers

From Muskoka Wharf, the starting

happy joyous throng.



islands, however, are densely covered with pine, balsam, cedar, birch, maple, oak and other varieties of tree life. Many of the islands, on which have been erected handsome dwellings, are the private property of wealthy Americans and Canadians, but there are hundreds of choice little spots on which visitors are at liberty to take up their abode for the season.

tree, or a rock rising sheer from

the water's edge. Most of the

HOTELS AND BOARDING HOUSES.

Muskoka is noted for the number and variety of its hotel and boarding-house accommodations, situated at various points along the lakes. A complete list of such will be found at the back of this folder. From these the visitor can select a place to suit his taste and purse. There are comfortable farmhouses, and scores of cleanly, well-kept hotels offering good substantial food and endless variety of other attractions. The prices range from the modest fee of \$6.00 per week up to those of greater pretensions.

THE ROYAL MUSKOKA.

The Royal Muskoka Hotel, located on Lake Rosseau, in the heart of the Muskoka district, is one of the finest summer hotels in Canada.

It was constructed by the Muskoka Lakes Navigation Company, with a view to offering first-class accommodation to those who appreciate quality. The hotel has accommodation for three hundred guests, and among other attractions has a splendid ninehole golf course, miles of delightfully wooded walks, bathing beaches, tennis courts, bowling greens, canoe courses, etc.

The continued popularity of this fine hotel is the best testimonial to the service offered and the unequalled location chosen for the resort.

Royal Muskoka Golf Links.—In connection with the Royal Muskoka Hotel, Lake Rosseau, Muskoka Lakes, there is a ninehole watered golf course laid out by an expert, and exceptionally attractive. It is situated within three minutes of the hotel. In addition, it possesses rare charm because of its picturesque situation. It is kept in good condition during the season and lies over well-tufted and highly diversified ground. A professional keeper is in charge and is available for those desiring his services

Beaumaris Golf Links.—One of the most interesting and picturesque eighteen-hole golf courses in Ontario is situated at Beaumaris, within an hour's sail of Muskoka Wharf and the through trains of the Grand Trunk. The scenic surroundings are superb—Lake Muskoka

Shadow River, at the head of Lake Rosseau, is a sanctuary for bird life and one of the loveliest spots in the whole Muskoka Region.

other, with beautiful stretches of woodland. The course is kept in splendid condition by the Beaumaris Golf and Tennis Association, and is in the centre of a district of magnificent summer homes. Very reasonable fees are charged by the Association for playing privileges and hotel accommodation is had right at the links, where the Beaumaris Hotel is situated. The general layout of the course is admirable. There are five one-shot holes, a couple of long ones, respectively 467 and 476 yards, with a good sprinkling of 300-yard holes. The bogey of the course is 72.

on one side and Milford Bay on the

Rosseau Golf Links. - Within a short distance of the Monteith House at Rosseau, Muskoka Lakes, a firstclass nine-hole golf course has been laid out. It is now in its fourth season. and improvements and additions have made it very popular with visitors to Muskoka. It is a course of 2,150 Detroit. From each of these points the trains of the Grand Trunk convey the passengers to Muskoka Wharf. yards and is under skilled and careful management.

SPECIAL FEATURES.

Beautiful Side Trips.—The leet of fine steamers of the Muskoka Lakes Navigation Company gives a splendid twice-daily servce to and from all points on the akes, and the time tables are arranged for the convenience and comfort of tourists at all points ffording many a delightful cruise through the chain of lakes and rivers among the hundreds of slands and rugged scenery.

The Fascinating Falls of Bala.—There will come a day among these land-locked lakes when the quietness brooding over all seems to oppress, when one longs for the water to ripple and swish. Then it is that one should take the trip to Bala Falls. When once there, if you are of the venturesome kind, have the guide direct your canoe or rowboat close to the swirl of water, but if of a dreamy turn of mind, go sit on a rock near by and hear the water gurgle and laugh as it rushes along towards Moon River.

Charming Waterways and Enchanted Islands.—Take a trip on the Queen of the Fleet, the "Sagamo," and feel that there is nothing to do but sail on and on through all the lovely day.

Swinging out on our voyage through fairyland, the shores of the mainland widen and become distant, but other shores rise up around, of islands little and big, near and far, rocky or covered with luxuriant green to the edge of the water, and the only sign of human life is here and there a

red peak among the trees, or a tiny pier and boathouse at the edge. Island folds back on island, in innumerable shades of rich sunlit green, till the distant ones, veiled in mist, blend with the sky; island on island, from the large tract of many wooded acres to the stubborn little rock thrusting up its brown head with one rugged storm-beaten pine. Farmhouses nestle on the banks, and here and there are little spots chosen by "rolling stone" holiday makers as a resting-place.

At times we think we must be caught in the maze of islands, but the boats take a gentle turn and lo, the channel lies before us. Thus we wind in and out until with the setting sun lighting the panorama before us we glide into port.

The Mysterious Rivers of Shadows. - Shadow River sounds inviting as a day's outing. Seating ourselves comfortably in canoe or boat and half-shutting our eyes to get the proper view of the labyrinth of beautifully wooded islands before us, we set out from

Soon we are creeping steadily and stealthily into the deep mystery of shadows. We seem to be in perpetual circles of branches and boughs and boughs and branches, above and below. Which the real and which the image our fingers soon discover as they slip into

GO DREAM AWAY THE WEEK-END.

When you consider that Muskoka resorts are within three and a half hours' ride by the Grand Trunk from Toronto, and proportionately accessible from many of the larger centres of Ontario, as well as being easily reached from Buffalo, Niagara Falls and other American cities, no more delightful week-end trip can be planned. A pleasant journey of a few hours by train; a delightful sail of from one to four hours through beautiful lake and island scenery; a couple of days' sojourn at a well-conducted hotel or boarding house at moderate rates; indulging in such recreations as are freely provided at all those resorts, completes a most enjoyable week-end.

HOW TO REACH MUSKOKA.

From points in the South, passengers reach the Grand Trunk Railway either by way of Buffalo and Niagara Falls, or by way of



Balsam scented breezes sweep over the lakes and hay fever is unknown. From points in the East and south of Buffalo, including the States of New York, Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Maryland, etc., the route is by way of Niagara Falls, thence Grand Trunk Railway.

In the West, from Chicago, and points in the Western States,

bassengers are carried over the main line of this system by way

of Port Huron and Toronto, passing through some of the principal

cities of the United States and the western part of Ontario. From

New York and Buffalo, trains are run over the Lehigh Valley

and Grand Trunk, crossing the Grand Trunk's single-arch, double-

From Toronto, fast Grand Trunk express trains are run solid

Passengers from eastern points, such as Quebec, Portland and

Tourists from the Maritime Provinces reach the Grand Trunk by

The district may also be reached from Montreal and eastern

ntermediate stations, proceed via the main line of the Grand Trunk

Railway through Montreal to Toronto, and those from Boston and all

New England points by connecting lines via the same route, and

the Canadian Government Railways (Intercolonial Railway) via

points over the Ottawa Division of the Grand Trunk System, passing

through Ottawa, the Capital City of Canada. This division of the

Grand Trunk also passes through Algonquin Provincial (Ontario)

Park, a new and attractive region set aside by the Provincial Govern-

ment as a reserve. It is a region that has won favor with a large

number of tourists looking for new fields to explore. Special publica-

tion has been issued on this district, which may be obtained from

thence on to Muskoka by the Grand Trunk Railway System.

Montreal, and proceed over the main line as above described.

track steel bridge over Niagara River.

any of our agents.

OWN A SUMMER HOME IN MUSKOKA.

Come up this summer and view the country. Buy an "Around the Lakes" ticket. If in a hurry you can cover the three lakes, i.e., Rosseau, Joseph and Muskoka, in three days.

To live in Muskoka does not mean roughing it. Provisions are easily obtainable. Supply boats, carrying fresh fruit, groceries, fresh meat, etc., call at cottages at least every other day from June to October. Fresh milk in abundance supplied by nearby

There are many islands, and mainland and island points for sale; for the more economically inclined there are shore lots from \$100 upwards; there are cottages for sale and for rent, and there are a few hotels offered.

The Muskoka Navigation Company, Gravenhurst; Monteith Bros., Rosseau, Ont., or Mahaffy Bros., Bracebridge, Ont., will be pleased to supply information and assist anyone interested.

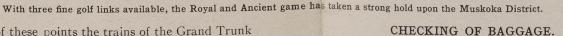
MUSKOKA'S CURATIVE WATERS

The most scientific methods have been generally adopted to prevent any pollution of Muskoka's waters. These waters are naturally pure and being free from lime salts. The Muskoka rocks are Laurentian

ess waters have been declared to be of special value to overworked men and women, especially if showing any high blood pressure or arterial changes. The advantages of a soft water supply combined with an ideal climate should be considered when planning a vaca-

RELIEF FROM HAY FEVER

It should also be emphasized that Muskoka, in common with the whole Highlands of Ontario, offers perfect immunity from hay fever. Thousands of people suffer annually from that most distressing and annoying ailment. many of whom are not convalescent for weeks after an attack of the malady. The disease is also called by other names, such as "autumn catarrh," 'hay asthma," and "rose catarrh" In some cases it comes on in June with the advent of the roses; in others, with the new-mown hay; but with the majority during the month of August. At this season of the year the Muskoka district is in Nature's most beauteous



Passengers for the Muskoka Lakes should see that their baggage is checked THROUGH TO DESTINATION ON THE LAKES, BUT IF NOT POSSIBLE TO SO ARRANGE WITH RAILWAY AGENT AT STARTING POINT, IT SHOULD BE CHECKED TO MUSKOKA WHARF. (See Page 18 regarding Customs Arrangements.)

GUIDES.

Muskoka Lakes and Maganetawan River.

RATES—\$2.00 per day and up, board. Boats and canoes extra. BALA-H. Wilson, Calvin Irwin, Evan Roberts. BEAUMARIS—Richard Schell, W. Clarke, Jr.

BRACEBRIDGE—James Cooper.

PORT CARLING—Alex. Harris, Geo. Harris. PORT COCKBURN—J. A. Wilson, J. Robinson, Ed. Robinson.

PORT SANDFIELD—Thos. Henshaw.

Rosseau-H. Webster, Jos. G. Dixon, A. T. McGary, Lorne

FOR MAGANETEWAN COUNTRY—Geo. Ross, Spence P.O.; Dan Staratt, Burk's Falls. FOR BLACKSTONE AND CRANE LAKES-Robinson Bros., Port Cock-

Boats to be had almost anywhere at reasonable rates.

FISHING NOTICE.

e pickerel fish hatchery at Port Carling has been taken over by a new organization, and under the new organization last year in the Muskoka Lakes five and a half million pickerel fry, and this year it is the'r aim to deposit at least fifteen million.

non-resident of the Province of Ontario desiring to angle in the waters of the Province must first obtain an angling permit the fee for which shall be \$2.00 per rod, said perm t to be good until the 31st of December of the calendar year, and must be proy the person angling when required to do so by the Overseer official authority. When remaining on their own boats t temporarily residing at hotels or boarding-houses, or living in their own cottages, the fee is \$5.00 per rod. The holder of such permit shall be entitled to take with him, when leaving the Province, the awful catch of two days' fishing, when the coupon accompanying the permit is attached to the receptacle containing the fish, otherwise the fish will be liable to confiscation. These regulations do not apply to the following waters: Niagara River Detroit River, River St. Clair and St. Mary's River, opposite the State of Michigan. Non-residents fishing in these waters will be charged a fee of \$2.00 rod, whether they are residing in the Province or fishing from ir own boats or yachts.

Permits may be obtained from officers of Game and Fisheries, from the Department, Legislative Building, Toronto, Ont. ersons acting as guides for hunting or fishing parties must take

OPEN SEASON FOR FISH AND GAME. Province of Ontario.

It is clearly stated in "Playgrounds"—a short treatise on rist, fishing and hunting resorts—published by the Grand unk Railway System.

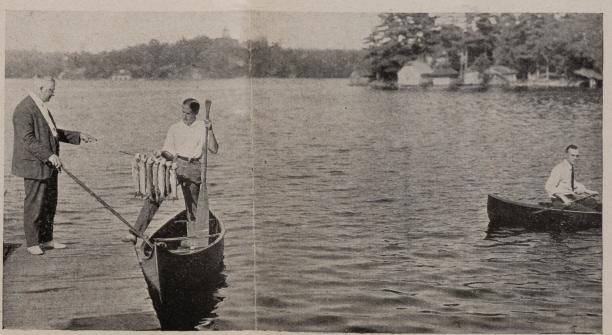
CUSTOMS ARRANGEMENTS.

Persons visiting Canada for a limited period may bring with m guns, fishing tackle, tents, camp equipment, cameras, bicycles, required for personal use, and such articles must be reported to nada Customs Inspector when baggage is inspected, and an ount equal to the duty deposited thereon, which amount will be nded, if the articles are exported from Canada within six months. riding the articles are reported to the Canada Customs Inspector he time of exportation.

The Customs examination should be attended to at the first t of entry to Canada, but baggage may be bonded to stations Canada where a Customs Officer is located regularly, and for convenience of passengers, Customs Inspectors are located Muskoka Wharf, Huntsville and Burk's Falls during the summer

Likewise, a United States Customs Officer will be located at Muskoka Wharf during the tourist season for the examination and bonding of baggage destined to the United States on the return

There is also a Canada Customs Inspector stationed at the Lehigh Valley station in Buffalo during the summer season, to examine baggage for Canada. United States Customs Inspectors for the examination of baggage for the United States are located at oronto, Montreal, Ottawa, London, Collingwood, Quebec, Levis and Muskoka Wharf (during the summer season).



A string of Muskoka trout. The rivers in the Muskoka District offer splendid sport.



The Muskoka Lakes offer unrivalled opportunities to the lover of the motor boat, canoe, or sailing craft.