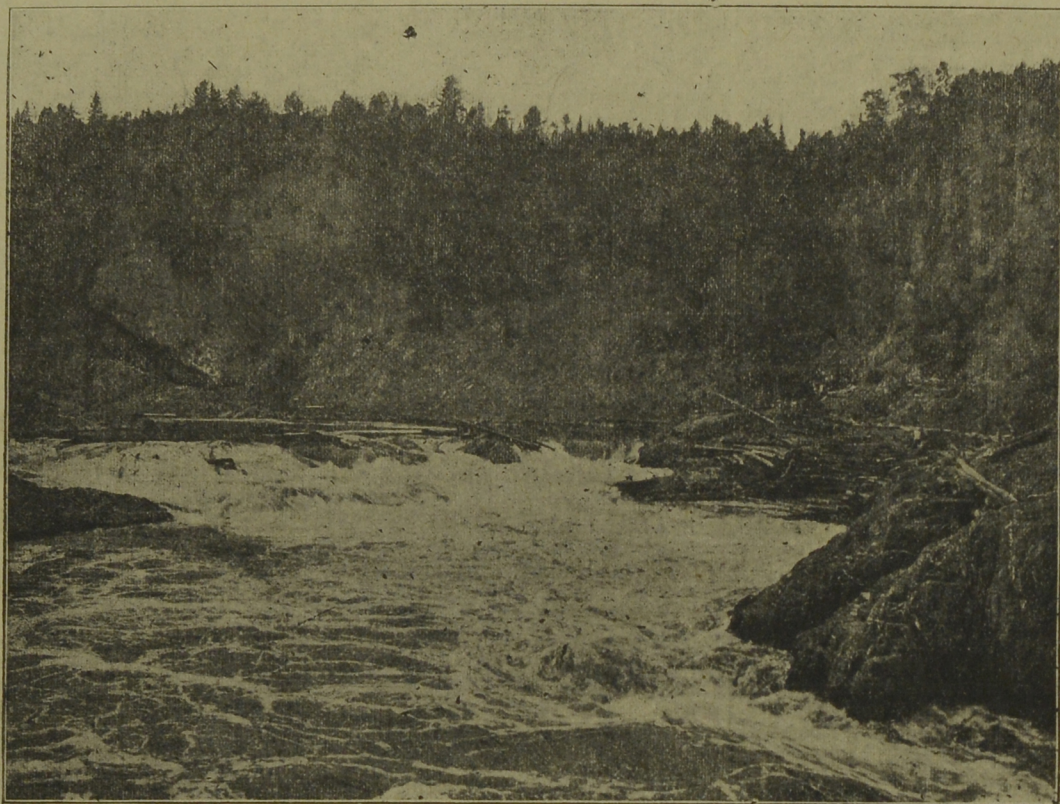


St. John River's Cataract One of the World's Wonders

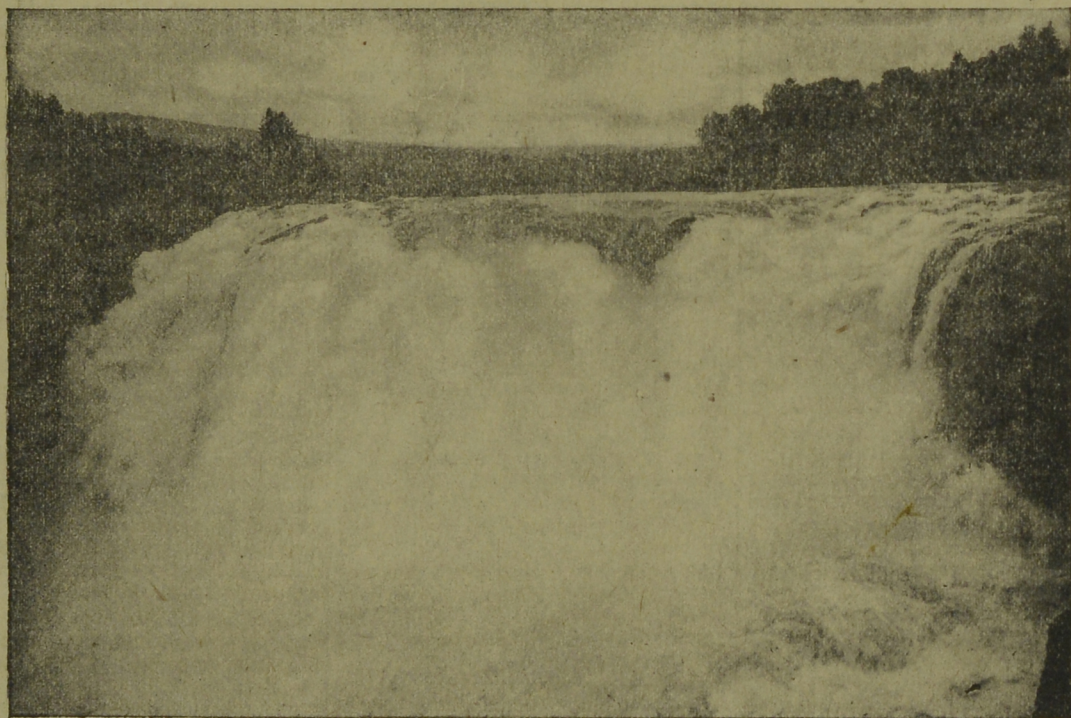
The Grand Falls of the St. John River the largest cataract east of Niagara, is beyond a doubt the greatest scenic marvel of New Brunswick. For the information of strangers it might be said that the Falls are at the town of Grand Falls, which is located on the River St.

THE GORGE AT GRAND FALLS



John 125 miles above Fredericton and 210 miles from St. John. The river at that point is quite narrow and the Falls take a straight pitch of eight or five feet. Grand Falls may seem small in comparison with Niagara, but after all in many respects

THE CATARACT AT GRAND FALLS



it will not suffer from a comparison with the mighty cataract. At Niagara there is what are known as the American and Canadian Falls, which are separated by Goat Island. The volume of water which passes

so swift and the water so deep that there would be no chance for a "Maid of the Mist" to go dodging about carrying sightseers for a dollar apiece. The Canadian or Horseshoe Falls

The famous cataract at Niagara attracts one million tourists a year and there is no reason why thousands upon thousands should not visit Grand Falls each season. (Continued on page 3)

STRANGE DREAMS AND THEIR PORTENTS

Do People of the Present Age Still Believe in the Supernatural? —It Would Seem So

Most people have, deep down in their natures, a private and unconfessed faith in dreams, premonitions, forebodings, says the Toronto Star. Some hard-headed business men will not start on an important journey nor embark on a big business venture on a Friday, although they do not actually say so, and you may do business with them for years without finding it out. They contrive matters so that it is never necessary to admit that they have a fear of Friday. It would be too absurd a thing to admit, and they do not actually confess it to themselves. Or if they ever admit it to themselves or to their closest friends they speak of it, not as a real superstition, but as a humorous little oddity which interests and amuses them. The present age is one of levity, but the truth is that mankind is strongly predisposed towards superstition and to a belief in the supernatural.

Strange stories are told in connection with the loss of the Empress of Ireland. People had dreams, premonitions, and forebodings. We have no wish to express a doubt as to the truthfulness of anybody who relates an experience of this kind. In fact, we see no reason for doubting the truth of all the evidence produced, but we see no reason for assuming that these dreams and forebodings were a bit different from what they would have been if the Empress of Ireland had enjoyed a prosperous voyage. What we mean to say is that when a thousand people are about to make a journey by sea, there will be among them, and among their relatives, many who will have dreams and forebodings, which will possess significance if a shipwreck occurs, but which will possess no significance at all and will never be heard of if the journey is a happy one.

There is the story of the ship's cat, which, although it had kittens on board, ran away, and although brought back, escaped again and did not sail on the Empress. This story will pass into tradition. About it we would say that it needs to be verified. Even if verified, we would expect to find the explanation in the life and affairs of the cat, rather than in any mysterious fore-knowledge or foreboding of the animal that in a future fog at sea the captains of two ships would misunderstand each other and cause a disaster.

WHO ARE THE JAPS?

Ferrero Believes They Are Fellow Race of South American Indians

Guglielmo Ferrero, the famous Roman historian, believes with many eminent ethnologists that the South American Indians and the Japanese are kindred races, and he looks forward to their eventual alliance, if not amalgamation. He tells how Porfirio Diaz, when President of Mexico, received from the Mikado a dispatch, in which the latter saluted the President as "the ruler of a brother state"—a land populated by the same race. He tells us that he found in Chile, Brazil and Mexico most of the population belonging to the native races, while the Europeans formed an aristocratic minority. He asks:

"To what race to these native populations actually belong, populations which have resisted with such vigor the influences of European conquest and immigration? Anyone, without being a professional anthropologist, can discern in them a certain resemblance to the Japanese. I shall never forget, for instance, an impression produced on my mind at Uspallata, in the Andes, by the men who arrived to carry the mail from Argentina to Chile. At that time the trains did not stop at Uspallata in winter. 'But aren't these men Japanese?' I inquired of my companion. 'They might well be Japanese,' was the reply. 'There are a number of Japanese in Chile. But they might also be Chileans.'"

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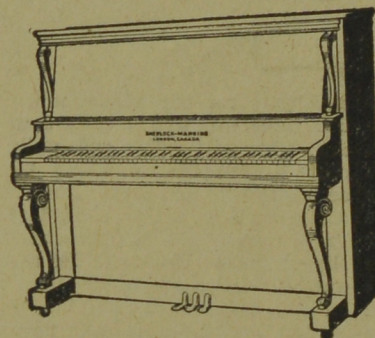
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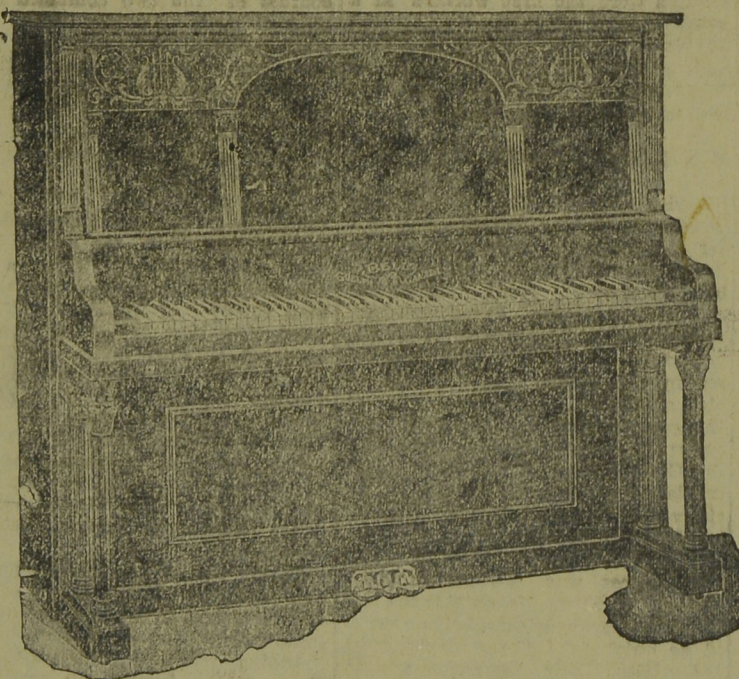
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