2.—Locations, Dates Established, Areas, and Characteristics of the National Parks of Canada and Dominion Reserves, 1940—continued

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Park	Location	Date Estab- lished	Area	Characteristics
			sq. miles	
Scenic and Recreational Parks—con.	ļ			
Glacier	Southeastern British Columbia, on the summit of the Selkirk Range.	i	521-00	Superb example of Selkirk Mountain region, with snow-capped peaks, glaciers, luxuriant forests, alpine flower-gardens, numerous big game. Illecillewaet and Asulkan Glaciers; Rogers Pass; and famed Macdonald tunnel.
Waterton Lakes	Southern Alberta, adjoining Glacier Park in Montana, U.S.A.	1895	220.00	Canadian section, Waterton-Glacier International Peace Park. Mountains noted for beauty of colouring; lovely lakes, picturesque trails, waterfalls. Recreations: motoring, riding, fishing, tennis, golf, camping.
Jasper	Western Alberta, on east slope of Rockies.	1907	4,200.00	Largest national park in North America, rich in historical associations. Immense region of majestic peaks, deep canyons, beautiful lakes, containing famous resort, Jasper. Also Miette Hot Springs, Maligne Lake, Mount Edith Cavell, and Columbia Ice-field. Big-game sanctuary. Recreations: motoring, climbing, riding, bathing, fishing, golf, tennis, skiing.
Mount Revelstoke	Southeastern British Columbia, on the west slope of Sel- kirks.		100-00	Alpine plateau on summit of Mount Revelstoke, accessible by spectacular 18-mile drive from Revelstoke. Contains mountain lakes, alpine flora, camp-sites. Game sanctuary; winter sports centre.
St. Lawrence Islands.	In St. Lawrence River between Morrisburg and Kingston, Ont.	(Reser-	185-60 (acres)	Mainland reservation and thirteen islands among "Thousand Islands". Recreational area; camping, fishing, bathing.
Point Pelee	Southern Ontario, on Lake Erie.	1918	6.04	Most southerly mainland point in Canada (41° 54′ N.). Recreational area with unique flora and fine beaches. Resting place for many migratory birds. Bathing, camping.
Kootenay	Southeastern British Columbia, on the west slope of Rock- ies.	1920	587-00	Mountain park bordering Vermilion- Sinclair section of Banff-Windermere Highway. Contains Sinclair Canyon, Radium Hot Springs, Marble Canyon. Big-game sanctuary. Recreations: motoring, bathing, camping.
Prince Albert	Central Saskatche- wan, north of Prince Albert.	1927	1,869.00 (approx.)	Forested lakeland of northwestern Canada, with extensive waterways and fine beaches. Interesting fauna; summer resort. Recreations: boating, bathing, fishing, camping, tennis, golf.
Riding Mountain	Southwestern Mani- toba, west of Lake Winnipeg.	1929	1,148-04	Rolling woodland, with crystal lakes, on summit of Manitoba escarpment. Natural home for big game, including elk, deer, moose. Summer resort. Recreations: bashing, boating, fishing, tennis, golf, camping.
Georgian Bay Islands (including Flower- pot Island Reserve)	near Midland,	1929	5•37	Thirty islands in Georgian Bay. Recreational and camping area; boating, bathing, fishing. Unique limestone formations and caves on Flowerpot Island.
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