

2.—Locations, Years Established, Areas and Characteristics of the National Parks of Canada and Dominion Reserves, 1946—concluded

Park	Location	Year Established	Area	Characteristics
Historic Parks—conc.				acres
Fort Beauséjour.....	New Brunswick, near Sackville.	1926	59	Site of French fort erected in middle of 18th century. Renamed Fort Cumberland by British on capture in 1755; original name since restored. Contains museum with many exhibits relating to history of region.
Fortress of Louisbourg.	Cape Breton Island, N.S., 25 miles from Sydney.	1941	340	Old walled city and strategic military and naval station built by the French, 1720-40. Captured by the British in 1758, it was destroyed in 1760. A museum on the site contains interesting mementoes of historic past.
Port Royal.....	Lower Granville, N.S., 8 miles from Annapolis Royal.	1941	17	Reconstruction on the exact site of the Port Royal "Habitation" erected by DeMonts and Champlain in 1605. The original group of buildings, which sheltered the first permanent European settlement in Canada, was destroyed in 1613.
Fort Chambly.....	Chambly Canton, Que.	1941	2.5	French fort first constructed in 1665 on Richelieu River. Rebuilt of stone in 1711, it figured in several wars. Contains a museum housing many interesting exhibits. A military cemetery outside walls of fort is included in park area.
Fort Lennox.....	Ile-aux-Noix, Que., near St. Johns.	1941	210	Military post constructed by British on site of early French fort, to command Richelieu River water route from south. Several well-preserved stone buildings together with the earthworks and moat remain.
Fort Wellington.....	Prescott, Ont.....	1941	8.5	Contains well-preserved earthworks, block-house and other buildings constructed by British as base for defence of communications between Kingston and Montreal. The block-house contains a small museum.
Fort Malden.....	Amherstburg, Ont..	1941	3	Situated on the banks of the Detroit River, the site of one of the principal frontier military posts in Upper Canada. A new museum building contains interesting exhibits of the region.
Fort Prince of Wales.	Northern Manitoba, near Churchill.	1941	50	Massive stone fort built 1733-71, to secure control of Hudson Bay for Hudson's Bay Company and England. The fort was captured and partially destroyed by a French force in 1782.

SUMMARY OF THE AREAS OF NATIONAL PARKS, BY PROVINCES

Province	Area	Province	Area
	sq. miles		sq. miles
Prince Edward Island.....	7.00	Saskatchewan.....	1,869.00
Nova Scotia.....	390.60	Alberta.....	20,937.20 ¹
New Brunswick.....	0.09	British Columbia.....	1,671.00
Quebec.....	0.33	Northwest Territories.....	3,625.00 ¹
Ontario.....	11.72		
Manitoba.....	1,148.16	Total.....	29,660.10²

¹ Including portion of Wood Buffalo Park. in extent (see p. 35).

² Not including area of Gatineau Park, 25 sq. miles