## Shawinigan Progress

In connection with the announcement yesterday by the Shawinigan Water and Power Company that the second unit of four of 40,000 h.p. each, being installed at Rapide Blanc on the St. Maurice River, had been placed in operation, the company stated that the increases in consumption indicated in the annual report for 1933 have been continued during the first two months of the year. With the completion of the above-noted unit, the present capacity of Shawinigan is brought up to 809,200 h.p., making it one of the largest producers of water power in the world. The Rapide Blanc development is running well ahead of schedule and the construction department of the company are deserving of congratulations on the successful completion of these units, as in carrying out of work they have had to operate under the most adverse weather conditions since the inception of the company. MARC DÉSAULNIERS