

course of the stream, which is very serpentine, there are perpendicular falls of about *fifty feet*, over a ledge of limestone rocks extending across the river. The stream at this place is about seventy yards wide, and dashes with great impetuosity for a mile and a half below the falls. Immediately under the fall the water forms a whirlpool, in a basin, which is about twenty feet deep. The whole formation of this cataract, and the wild scenery surrounding it, presents a romantic and interesting appearance. There are exuberant groves of Maple and Beech in the neighborhood of these falls, which is the best evidence of the fertility of the soil; and a short distance below, on the south side of the mill, the Indians have Sugar Camps, at which they manufacture large quantities of sugar. Above the falls the water continues rapid through the whole distance, bounding the country of the New York Indians, and contains valuable mill privileges. The land is covered with a thriving growth of Oak, Beech and Maple, and some of the valuable Prairies I have already mentioned are convenient to these mill seats.

As near as I have been able to ascertain the position of this tract of country, without a survey, I am of the opinion that the upper boundary line, running back from the "old mill dam," at Little Kaccalin, will strike a point about two miles north of *Lake Shawano*; and the distance from the lake to Oconto is about ten miles, in a N. E. course. There are three small lakes between Shawano and Oconto; one is called *Menominin* or Rice Lake, and is covered with the Rice peculiar to this climate, which is gathered in large quantities by the Menominies, and is used as a subsistence for head stuff. The distance from Lake Shawano S. W. to Wolf river, is about four miles by the course of a small stream navigable for canoes and light boats. Wolf river is a considerable stream, navigable for large boats, emptying into Fox river about twelve miles above its entrance into Winnebago Lake.

The above view of the country intended for the future home of the New York Indians, comprises all the informa-