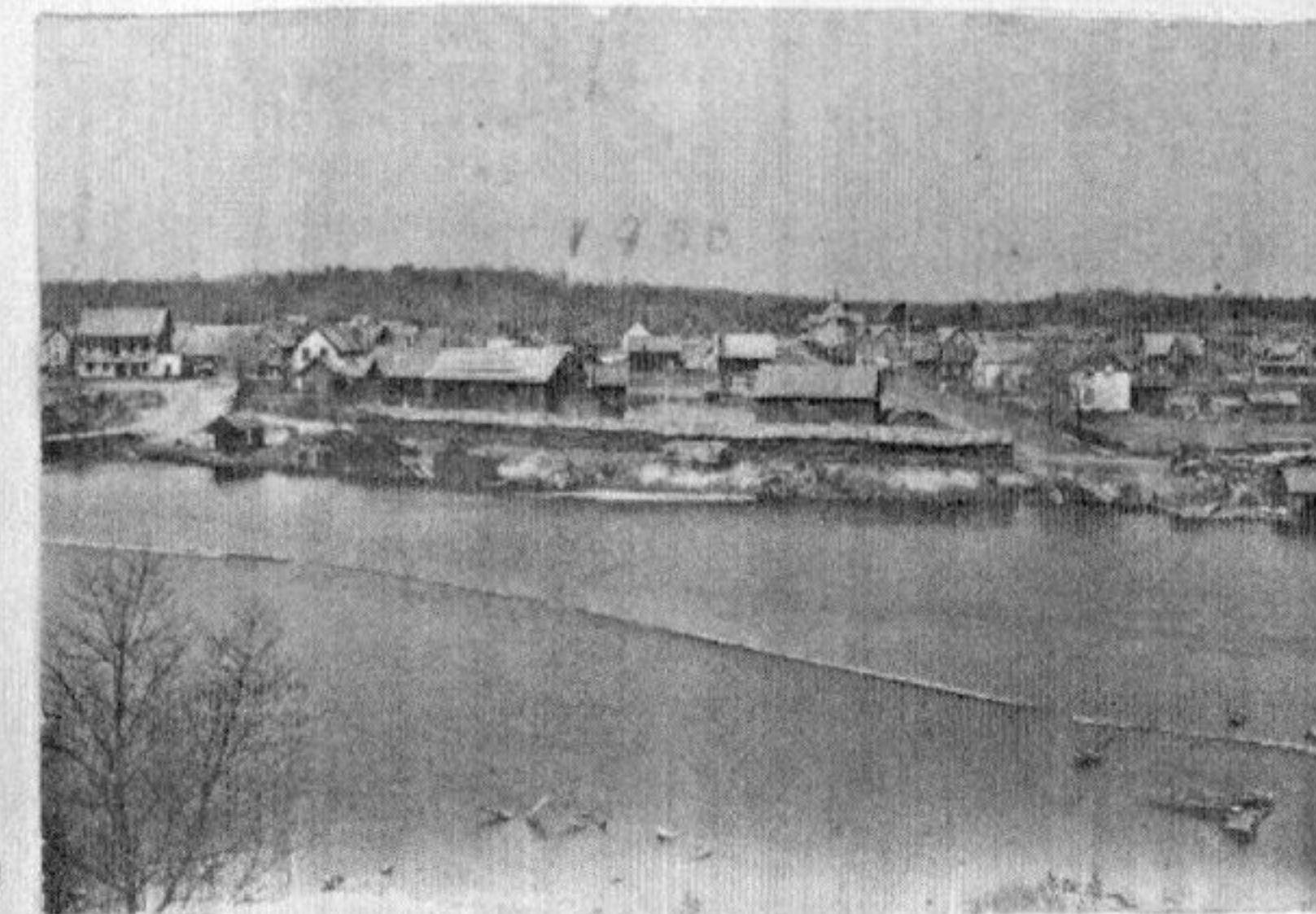
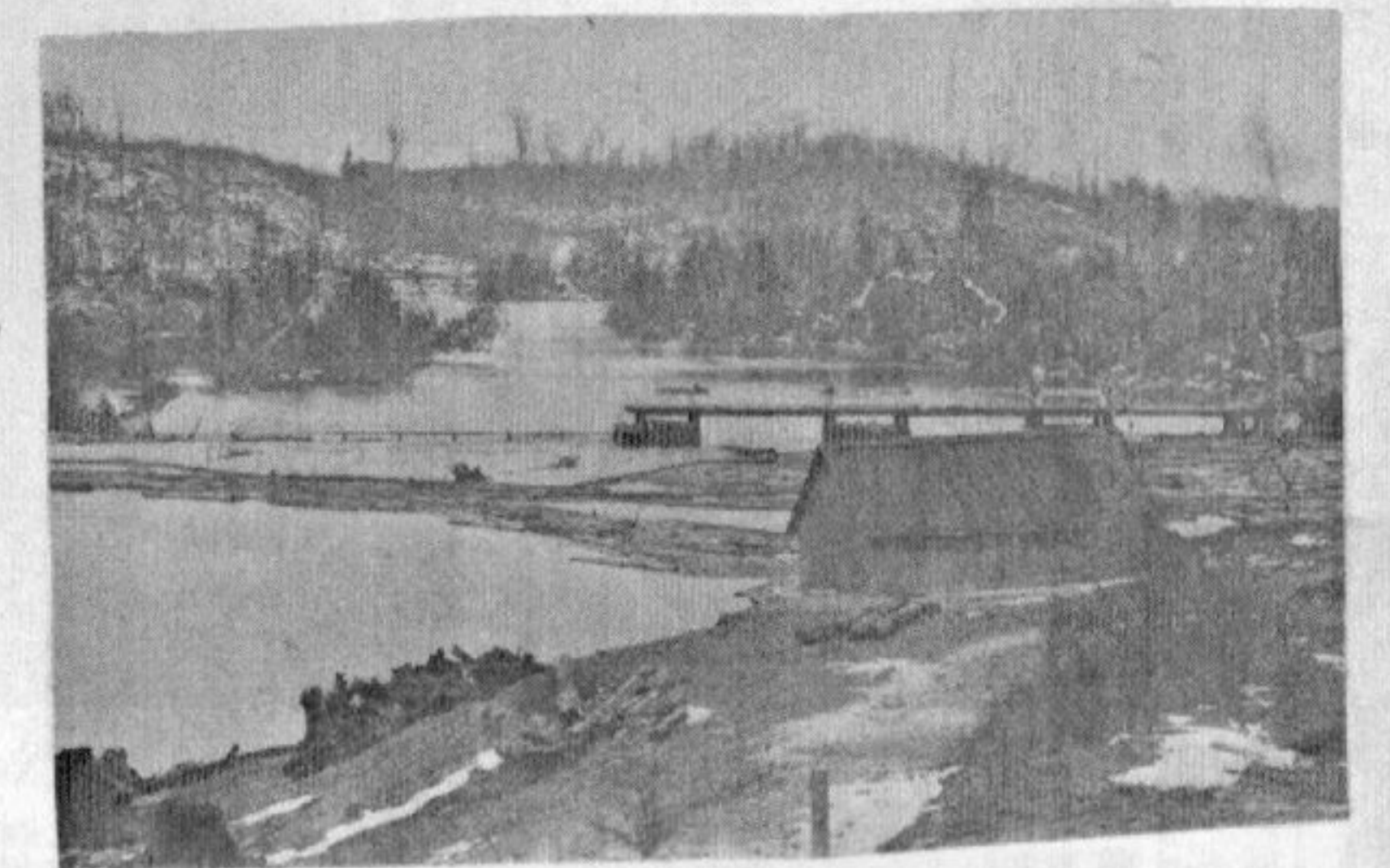


This shows a view of the village taken by Mr. Judson Henderson of Toronto about 1890. Mr. Brown's saw mill had been built, running by water power from the Falls in 1873. Several lumber companies combined to form a Boom Company who built a dam at Baysville to raise the water level between lake and river so that logs stamped with companies' initials brought down from around the lake to the narrows could be set free. Guided by lumbermen, carried by the current were put through openings in dam and carried on over dam at South Falls on to a sorting jack at Bracebridge. On opposite side of river is shown Wm. Gammage's home, a grist mill, grinding wheat, oats and corn for settlers 1877. Before that all provisions were carried from Bracebridge.

This shows the dam built by the Boom Company. Two new ones have been built since, 1914, 1963. Land on both sides of river was acquired by ^{FALLS} Government's power house built at Muskoka which furnishes electricity for quite a large area.



This shows the wharf and store house where Capt. Marsh's boat the Mary L docked till wharves were built by government. Also shows Mickle Dymont's property, office, foreman's home, store, houses, barns, blacksmith shop and piles of tan bark. This property was sold to Judson Henderson 1903. Pulford House built 1904. This road along the river called Baysville Terrace.