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## Advertisement for Trapper Nelson's Indian Pack Boards

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## Light — Strong — Durable

The entire outfit is light, strong and durable. It adjusts itself perfectly to the curves of the back, permitting the load to be carried where the load will be felt the least and allows freedom of movement. The air-space between the load and the board prevents the back from becoming heated and this also prevents the corners of cans or boxes gouging into the packer.

For the hunter, trapper, angler, prospector or mountaineer, or for any hiker who wishes to carry a pack, it is the ideal outfit and offers a comfort in packing which cannot be secured with any other type of pack.

Sizes and weights are as given below:

| Size       | of Frame<br>of Bag<br>of Pocket | 18 x11      | x8½<br>Wt. 4¾ lbs. |
|------------|---------------------------------|-------------|--------------------|
| Sizo       | of Frame<br>of Bag<br>of Pocket | 18 v12      | wt. 5 lbs.         |
| No. 3—Size | of Frame<br>of Bag<br>of Pocket | 30 x14½ x13 | x10                |

#### CHARLES TRAGER

Manufacturer of

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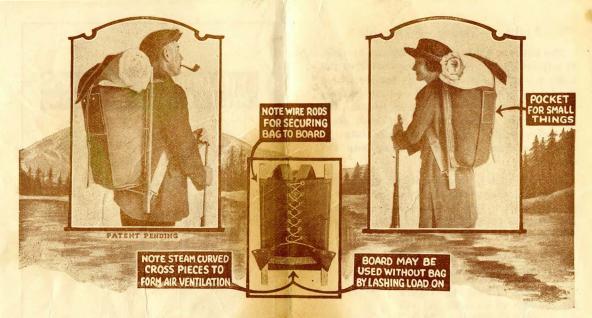
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# TRAPPER NELSON'S INDIAN PACK BOARDS





### Packing Made Pleasant

Out of his long experience in packing in the forest and the mountains, and from his familiarity with the best methods used by Indians and professional packers of the North, Trapper Nelson has devised a combination pack board and knapsack which takes the curse (and the cursing) out of packing.

Whether you are an old-timer with a pack or a novice at the art of transporting your belongings on your back, you will find Trapper Nelson's Indian Pack Boards will make the long trail shorter and the load seem lighter.

"The last long mile" will find you still packing without discomfort, with no galls or sore spots on your back and with shoulders unstrained by improper distribution of the weight.

#### A Combination of Boards and Sack

Trapper Nelson's Indian Pack Boards consist of two parts—the packboards and the sack. A set of strong, light uprights of spruce, connected by special steam-curved oak crosspieces bound with a strip of strong khaki canvas which laces in the center, form the board proper. Broad webbing shoulder straps are attached to the uprights. This board can be used without the sack when it is desired to carry a bulky load, by simply lashing the load to the board.

The knapsack is a wedge-shaped bag made of water-proof khaki canvas with a wide flap at the top to keep out the rain and a long strap to cover the blanket roll. It also has a special pocket for carrying small articles. Three eyelets in the stout seams on each side of the bag permit it to be easily attached or detached by simply pushing in or pulling out the two wires that key through the eyes.