

Though taking Ottawa as our starting point, we will add that Temiskaming can be as easily reached from Sault Ste. Marie and all points south and west, by the Canadian Pacific Railway ; from Toronto, and all points south and east as far as Trenton, by Canadian Pacific, Grand Trunk, and Canada Atlantic Railways ; from Kingston, by Kingston & Pembroke Railway and Canadian Pacific Railway ; from Brockville, by Canadian Pacific Railway. All other points east and south will find Ottawa the convenient place from which to start.

Leaving Ottawa, for a diversified run of 198 miles—now skirting the wide waters of the Ottawa, with the Laurentian Mountains as a distant background ; then thro' beautiful pas-



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toral scenery, alternated with thriving towns and villages ; then again the gaze meets the placid—mayhap, unruly, wind-toss'd—Ottawa, along the bank of which a rapid course is taken. And with ever-changing scenes, we run amid mountains, rock, swift rivers, and calm lakes, till at last we again behold the Ottawa River—deep, narrow, and confined—for now the Laurentian range (the distant background of an earlier scene) form its precipitous side on the Quebec shore. Thus, thro' now bold and rugged scenery, our course lies along the river bank until Mattawa is reached, at which place passengers change cars for Temiskaming.