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SIR,—I beg to submit herewith my report on the work of the past two seasons, 1885 and 1886, on the geology of a portion of the Eastern Townships of Quebec.

The accompanying map is the south-eastern quarter-sheet of that known as the map of the Eastern Townships, compiled by the late Mr. R. Barlow, and first engraved in 1868, but hitherto published only as a topographical map. Although many additional surveys have been made since that date, in several of the townships embraced in the quarter-sheet, these have not all been incorporated in full, since, while not affording much assistance in the interpretation of the geology, it is found that such a course would further delay the present publication.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

R. W. ELLES.

Ottawa, April 12th, 1887.