

drawn from the fresh appearance of the post-glacial beaches from the height of driftwood, from the silting of the mouths of rivers that flow swiftly through alluvial plains or from the tales of the Indians who would doubtless regard the formation of a sand-bar as the receding of the the waters, is delusive, and that the post-glacial uplift of this portion of the shore of the Hudson Bay has virtually ceased, and that the land has now reached a stable or almost a stable condition."

In a previous issue of this magazine, (March No.), Dr. Bell holds the view that the shores of Hudson Bay are rising. His paper is entitled: "Proofs of the rising of the land around Hudson Bay."—H. M. A.

LAMBE, L. M.—*Description of a supposed new genus of Polyzoa from the Trenton Limestone at Ottawa.*" Ex. Can. Rec. Science, Jan. and April, 1896.

In this short paper Mr. Lambe describes a fossil from the Trenton Limestone of Hull, P.Q., suggesting for it a new genus *Astro porites*, and giving it the specific name *A. Ottawacensis*. It is stated to "approach most closely to the *Fenestellidæ*," but at the same time to differ considerably from any other known Polyzoa. A plate with three figures beautifully drawn by Mr. Lambe himself illustrates the paper, and shows some of the principal characters of this interesting new form.—J. B. T.

VAN INGEN, GILBERT AND THEODORE G. WHITE—"An account of the summer's work in geology on Lake Champlain."

Trans. N.Y. Academy of Science, XV. pp. 19—23 Oct. 28, 1895 re-issued as part of contributions from the Geol. Dept. of Columbia University, No. XXXIV. This part also contains.

WHITE, THEODORE G.—"*The faunas of the Upper Ordovician strata at Trenton Falls, Oneida Co., N. Y., (ibid.)*" pp. 71—96. Plates II—V.

The *Calciferosus Chazy*, as well as the *Trenton* and *Utica* formations have been studied *de novo* by Mr. White and form a most