

River Falls. For a river of this width, the word "cascade" is certainly a misnomer. Yet with a vertical fall of but twenty-four feet, the more pretentious word "cataract" magnifies. Words aside, this water-fall is most pleasingly remembered among the charmingly beautiful views of this favoured and much admired route for the tourist; and no less, before railroad times, by the eternal followers of old Izaak Walton.



INDIAN GRAVE-MOUND, NEAR ST. ALBANS.

The great Kanawha is one of the noblest rivers of Western Virginia. Many of its storied memories are of especial interest. At Point Pleasant, where that stream enters the Ohio, was fought (1774) the desperate battle which



ANVIL ROCK, GREENBRIER RIVER.

decided the white supremacy of the Ohio Valley—the Colonial forces commanded by Andrew Lewis and the Indians by their chief, Cornplanter. Indian relics abound in the valley, reminding

us that it was one of their favourite resting-places, and well worth a death struggle. The accompanying cut, of one of the Indian mounds, is suggestive in this connection.

There are also many objects of scientific interest to the geologist in this picturesque region. One of these, a huge boulder, known

as Anvil Rock, we illustrate in the adjoining cut. Its immense size will be noted by a comparison with the figures