

LETTER  
OF  
THE SECRETARY OF WAR.  
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*Report of engineer reconnaissance of the Yukon River, Alaska Territory,  
with appendix and map.*

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WAR DEPARTMENT, April 15, 1871.

The Secretary of War has the honor to submit to the United States Senate the accompanying report of an engineer reconnaissance of the Yukon River, Alaska Territory, made under the orders of the commanding general Military Division of the Pacific, which, with the accompanying appendix and map, it is believed will be of interest to the public generally.

WM. W. BELKNAP,  
*Secretary of War.*