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## BROME MOUNTAIN.

Brome momitain is a laccolith with an area of 30 square miles, and it is the largest of the Monteregians. It is rudely circular in form and the central portion is a nearly level basin 2 miles wide by  $2^{\circ}5$  miles in extent, with an absolute altitude of 500 feet, or 50 feet above the country level. Surrounding this basin is a nearly continuous rim of hills which rise 600 to 1,000 feet higher; the highest point on the mountain is thus 1,500 feet above the sea. In this ease there were three igneous intrusions: the first was an essexite magma with abont 90 per cent of plagioelase, varying from labradorite to bytownite, with a little nephelite; the second was composed of nordinarkite, which also contains about 90 per cent of feldspar, a kryptoperthic intergrowth of albite and orthoelase; the third intrusion was the smallest and proved to be a tinguaite, "a porphyritic rock having a green matrix and a few phenocrysts of light grey colour"; it contains nephelite, orthoclase, sodalite, and acgerite. There were relatively few dykes following these invasions.

The rocks exhibit a foliated and incipient schistose structure parallel in direction with the foliation of the surrounding sediments, and this is thought to have formed during a late stage in the folding of the Appalachians. This mountain is only 2.5 miles south of Shefford and from the similarity in the order and composition of the intrusions, Dresser' concludes that on the whole "it

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Summary from Report on the Geology of Brome Mountain, Quebec, Dresser, J. A., Can. Geol. Surv., Ann. Rept., Vof. XVI, Part G, 1906.