To Alfred R. C. Selwyn, C.M.G., LL.D., F.R.S.,

Director of the Geological and Natural History Survey of Canada.

SIR,—I beg to present herewith a report of a geological reconnaissance in the southern part of the West Kootanie District, British Columbia. The field-work, of which this report gives the main results, occupied about a month in the early part of the summer of 1889.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

GEORGE M. DAWSON.

Оттама, March 18, 1890.