

269. **WERNERITE**—Scapolite is very frequently met with in the Laurentian: it occurs in large crystals and cleavable masses, with pyroxene and sphene, in Hunterstown (Maskinongé Co.); in the townships of Grenville—in the Augmentation of, pale lemon-yellow—(Argenteuil Co.), Templeton—where good, and occasionally very large though less perfect, crystals are met with—Portland and Wakefield, etc. (Ottawa Co.), and Calumet Island—lilac-colored—(Pontiac Co.), province of Quebec. In very large, but imperfect crystals, on Turner's Island in Lake Clear, in the township of Sebastopol, at Golden Lake in the adjoining township of Algona (Renfrew Co.), and in good crystals in the township of Ross, in the same county—province of Ontario. Analyses, T. S. Hunt, *Geol. Can.*, 1863, p. 474, and F. D. Adams (showing presence of chlorine in scapolites), *Rep. Geol. Can.*, 1877-78, p. 32 a.
270. **WILSONITE**—Fine specimens of this mineral are found in the townships of Portland, Templeton and Hull (Ottawa Co.), in the province of Quebec. As there met with, it is most frequently intimately associated with scapolite, the two minerals occasionally blending into each other. It also occurs in the townships of Bathurst—the locality of its first discovery by Dr. Wilson—and North Burgess (Lanark Co.), in the province of Ontario.
271. **WINKWORTHITE**—The name proposed by Prof. How for a mineral found by him, in gypsum at Winkworth, Hants county, province of Nova Scotia. Analyses, H. How, *Phil. Mag.*, 4 ser., vol. xli, p. 270, 1871. [Assumed to require further investigation.]
272. **WITHERITE**—Occurs in a silver-bearing vein—the veinstone of which consists of calcite and quartz with some fluorite, carrying argentite and native silver—at Twin Cities mine, near Rabbit Mountain, Thunder Bay, Lake Superior, province of Ontario.
273. **WOLFRAMITE**—Was found by Prof. Chapman, in a large boulder of gneiss, on the north shore of Chief's Island, in Lake Couchiching, province of Ontario. Anal. T. S. Hunt, *Geol. Can.*, 1863, p. 503.
274. **WOLLASTONITE**—Fibrous wollastonite is often found in the limestones of the Laurentian series, associated with pyroxene, felspar, quartz, mica and other minerals. Some of the best known localities of its occurrence are: St. Jérôme and Morin (Terrebonne Co.), and the township of Grenville (Argenteuil Co.), in the province of Quebec—and the townships of North Burgess (Lanark Co.), and Bastard (Leeds Co.), in the province of Ontario. Anal., Mr. Bunce, *Geol. Can.*, 1863, p. 465.
275. **ZIRCON**—Small brownish crystals of zircon, with tourmaline, are found in granitic veins which traverse gneiss on the North River, in St. Jérôme (Terrebonne Co.); reddish-brown crystals, which are sometimes half an inch in diameter, occur, in association with wollastonite, pyroxene, sphene, plumbago, etc., in abundance in the crystalline limestone of the township of Grenville (Argenteuil Co.), and it is of frequent occurrence, often in fine crystals, in the apatite veins of Templeton and adjoining townships (Ottawa Co.), province of Quebec. Handsome crystals, including fine twins of zircon, are found in the township of Sebastopol, also large and good crystals of the same in the adjoining township of Brudenell (Renfrew Co.); in small crystals in a graphitic vein in the township of North Burgess (Lanark Co.), and in a syenitic rock on Pic Island in Lake Superior, province of Ontario.
276. **MENACCANITE**—See notes to "Ilmenite," "Iserite."