



GEOLOGICAL SURVEY OF CANADA

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My dear Harrington.

Thanks for your letter of 9th ea. here last night. I have rec^d. no official instructions from Ottawa yet and shall take no further steps in the Lab. matter till I do. — See Mr. Mills is gone to Washington on Indian business. — I am tracing the Lewis Cong. limestone most satisfactorily. We have brot them the whole way from Inverness to this point — and the crystalline schists come from beneath as regularly

along the whole line; both with a
constant north-westerly dip - I am now
going to carry the boundaries on to
the north-east across the Etheimie
River. - It becomes more than ever
apparent that the old subdiv. of Lewis
Lanxon and Liller as delineated on the
map are purely imaginary and will
have to be obliterated - Find the Cong. linetm
sometimes in the Lewis sometimes in the
Lanxon and sometimes in the Liller
and the old boundaries are almost
always drawn across the strike. This is
notably the case south of Inverness where
the fossilif. Lewis is connected with the crystalline
series - also mapped Lewis about Halifax