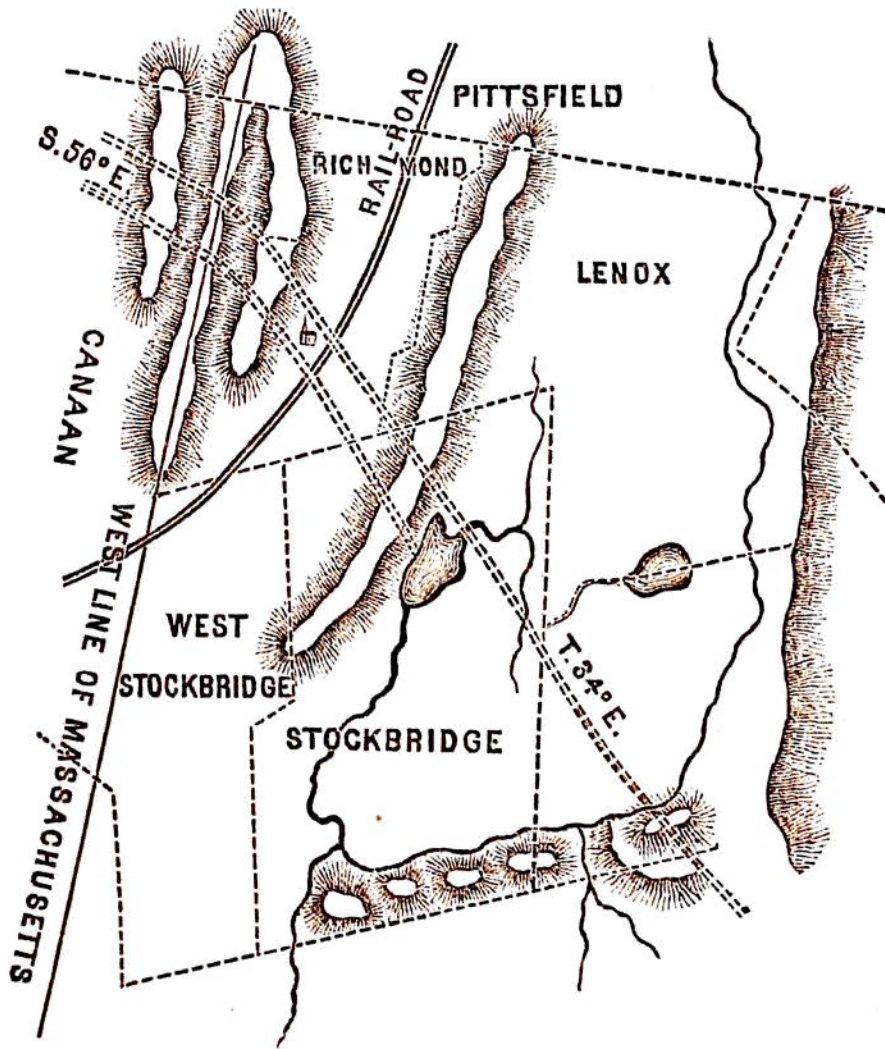


Fig. 104.



tons; and in some places they almost cover the surface. The trains lie upon the surface of the common drift, and are not mixed with it. An analogous case, one mile long, is in Huntington, Vermont.

We incline, upon the whole, to regard these trains as *Osars*, to be described under Modified Drift.

*Vertical and Horizontal Limits of the Drift Agency.*—The drift agency was mainly confined to the colder regions of the globe. In America it extended to the fortieth degree of latitude from both poles. Upon the eastern continent the southern limit is variable, reaching, in one case, to the thirty-second degree of north latitude. In the southern parts of both Asia and Africa there is no drift except where glaciers exist or have existed, as in the Himalayahs.

The upper limit of the drift is a little over 5,000 feet in this