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Dear Sir

The study of Phys. Geog. has for several years been a favorite pursuit, a rather I may say recreation of mine, and though I have not the honor of being personally known to you I hope that circumstance will be a sufficient apology for the liberty I take in asking you a question or two upon the subject of barometric men. of altitudes.

In taking a few measurements during Windsor county summer during the last summer, with my brother C. M. Roy of Woodstock - that co. who is also much interested in the same study we

was much surprised to find that the <sup>direction of the highest</sup> ~~altitude~~ <sup>altitude</sup> ~~had extended to a much greater~~ <sup>was much greater</sup> height on the spine of the G. M. than we had <sup>been generally</sup> supposed, & we propose during the next year to multiply these observations to an great an extent, in different parts of the state, as we shall find practicable.

It is, of course, a matter of much interest to determine as accurately as