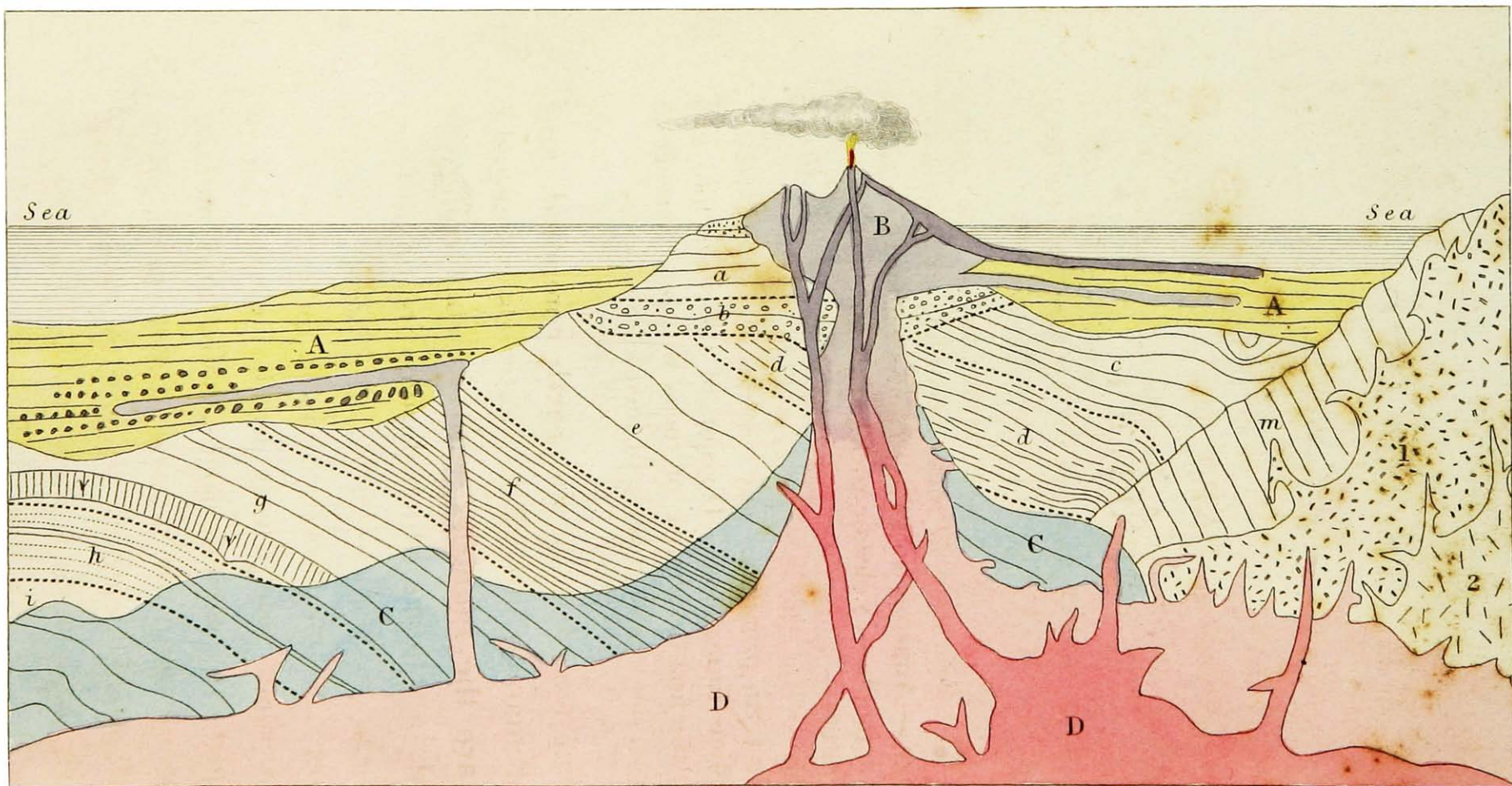




IDEAL SECTION of part of the Earth's crust explaining the theory of the contemporaneous origin of the four great classes of rocks.— see Chap. 1.

A Aqueous

B Volcanic

C Metamorphic
(Gneiss, mica-schist, &c.)

D Plutonic
(Granite &c.)

All the rocks older than A.B.C.D are left uncoloured.