

J. F. Foster

Limn Brook Jan 3<sup>rd</sup> 1874

To J W Dawson

Dear Sir

I have a little information which I wish for to give you regarding the Limonite at East River & one at Kenedys also position of Hematite at J W Foster River as far as known -  
1<sup>st</sup> at Widow Camerons Carmichael sunk a pit 42 ft deep tumbled across the ore and found it 21 ft 8 inches, at this place the carboniferous rocks were nearer

the surface some 15 feet  
than the Silurian the clay  
still holding its own position  
See Sketch No. 1. - Should the  
ore be found elsewhere when  
the opposite walls or rocks  
are come to then we may  
look for a large increase of  
ore - No. 2. was found by  
Hudson 2 rods above the road  
15 ft below the drift Hudson  
claims 22 ft of ore see sketch  
No. 2 - this ore is very brown  
much honeycombed

at Passer Saddle the vein  
followed (or appeared to) the  
strike of the rocks as



far as traced ~~by~~ south  
by Carmichael

at Kennedy's the bed Hematite  
as far as I traced it looks  
well I found the true strike  
as shown in the sketch and  
seen indications some distance  
North at John W. Fraser

A River the bed of ore is very  
crossed I think more so  
than at Webster's the work

done there by the Messrs. Pimrose

shows ~~an~~ <sup>m</sup> immense quantities of  
good ore see sketch for

Position of ore at Fraser

the place marked thus \* is the first

place the ore was found

I have nothing further  
for to add save I feel sorry  
that the prospects of getting  
our Iron works started look  
somewhat flat — You will  
accept of my compliments  
for the new year

Yours

Donald Fraser