

Montreal, 5 June 1875

My dear Dr. Dawson,

I am utterly at a loss to understand upon what ground Prentice can take any action against those from whom he purchased the mining rights.

Mr. Hamilton and I invited Mr. Cotte' to meet us last Monday but he did not come. He sent a note at the last moment to say that he was very much occupied - Mr. Crawford is

Mr Geo. Hamilton then wrote  
to ask Mr Follen to name a  
time that would be conve-  
nient for himself, but when  
I last saw Mr Geo. Hamilton  
no answer had been  
received. I think Mr Follen  
is acting with prudence. If so  
I fear that we are in a  
disagreeable mess.

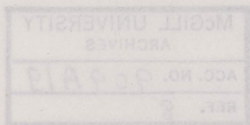
It seems impossible to have  
anything to do with mining  
enterprises without suffering  
either in pocket or in repu-  
tation, if not in both.

I am very sorry that you  
should be suspected of the  
annoyance which is threatened  
and I need hardly say that  
I will discourage it to the  
utmost -  
Yours very truly  
Peter Redpath

Principal Dawson

McGill College

D. Prentiss' note returned herewith.



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