

Peter 29th Nov 80

My dear Sir

Mr Pottenger has paid us the balance due of principal and Interest on his Mortgage to you \$24⁴². Before remitting you the amt. we thought we would ask you if you intended this year, as formerly, to give, through us, \$20 to the Foreign Mission Fund of our Presb^{ry} Church as in that case it would save you trouble by paying the amt to Rev D. W. Gregor as usual and remitting you the balance.

We send by this mail a small specimen of some mineral substance found near Riverdale. We do not know what it is or whether it occurs in quantity but if you could, without much trouble let us know what it is

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and whether it is of value or not
we should feel much obliged. If
of sufficient importance please
telegraph us at our expense.

You would be sorry to hear of
the terrible disaster at the Ford
Pit. It will seriously cripple our
coal industry here - there is no
telling to what extent the mine
has been damaged - the loss of life
is very deplorable.

I thank you for the Re-
view article from your pen which
you so kindly sent to me. I am
getting the "Pioneer" for November as
it contains an article on the Sabbath
question - a vital one - we want all
that can be said put ably and
forcibly to prevent the day from
being secularized which would
deal a deadly blow at religious life

We are all well and give
our kindest regards to you all.

Principal Dawson
Montreal

Very truly yours
H. W. Wood