

Letter
Prof Hous
At Mill &
Peter Cove

Kings College Windsor
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My Dear Sir

I have been informed that some analysis of Nova Scotian Coals have been made in Canada from which it appears that the Coals of the Montreal and Pictou Co is the worst of the series. As I have found samples of this coal to be very good indeed I feel surpris'd at this result and can not help thinking that there has been some mistake in the selection of specimens or that the report has been got up for interested purposes. I am glad to hear that the coal has been rapidly improving in quality during the past six weeks: samples that I have lately seen bear out the Engineers report in this respect. If you can give me the details of the analysis above refered to you will much oblige me

I am very truly yours

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