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 Glasgow 23 January 73

Dear Sir

Mr. L. B. Prentiss for  
 whom I have been acting  
 as solicitor in regard to the  
 proposed formation here of  
 a Company to acquire his  
 mineral rights in Portau  
 has asked me to send  
 you a few lines to explain  
 that in cabling out to  
 Montreal the conclusion of  
 a definite arrangement he  
 had been only giving reference  
 to what all these concerned  
 with him here, including  
 myself, (with the exception of  
 the one individual though

when the negotiations broke  
down at least for the  
time of being to be the  
real state of the case.

We to take in Salisbury  
afternoon a long after  
business hours, we all  
of us believed the matter  
to have been finally accepted  
and only to await the  
final signing of the  
papers. But the following  
are laid up to this  
time to show the Cashier's  
part in the negotiation  
showing the Cashier's account  
to advance conditions which

were wholly incompatible with  
the previous understanding of  
all of us, in fact with  
any arrangement whatever.

I may mention that  
before calling the Practice  
had taken the precaution  
to ask this very party  
if he was justified in  
doing so, in his  
approval. —

I am glad that  
this opportunity of  
justifying the conduct  
of the Practice, by proposing  
this matter, as I think

W. B. G. P. P.

he has been  
used, and in a manner  
he used not to be  
satisfied. - He has gone  
to London for a few  
days and I trust will  
be able to write you  
very shortly that his  
efforts have been crowned  
with success. - The thing  
now wanted is a little  
time to turn round in after  
a relapse is unexpected, &  
at the very last moment. -

I am Dear Sir

Yours faithfully  
Principal Dawson  
W. B. G. P. P.