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Dr Dawson

My dear Sir

I have been laid up  
or should have written you before on  
the iron matter of which we talked  
when I saw you in Montreal, I  
saw Mr Hamilton & found some one was  
trying to sell it but if nothing done  
soon would like me to handle it if  
I could, I think owing to a peculiar  
condition of things & my connections  
with the right parties that I could  
make up a Co this season & carry  
out a programme which would  
please & satisfy all interested & doubt-  
lessly make you more than you  
ask for the property. My plan  
would be about as follows - form  
a Company of first class men  
whose names would be sufficient

in the Centers of trade to give the  
Co & stock a first class place & make  
it negotiable at once, have the  
majority of stock taken by these men  
& sufficient money put in I can't to  
carry on a strong business at mines  
- tramways built & large output  
calculated on, you parties to be  
paid for your lands by taking say  
one quarter of stock of Company fully  
paid up & non-assessable, such stock  
with plenty Capital supposing you  
had say \$10,000 would be at par at  
once & be saleable in New York or Boston.  
I might be able to get you some  
Cash down too as well as the stock -  
as we might agree, I would form  
such Co either in Boston or New  
York & would embrace my present  
Associate Jas L Peap of Quebec  
some strong men of Boston & New York  
& center in Boston, I am doing this  
now with another property,

If you will confer with Mr  
Hamilton & let me know the state  
of things I will be obliged. It  
is just the time now for me to  
act, and I may not see the time  
again very soon, if I do anything  
it will be solid & satisfactory.

I am

Yours resp'y  
Levin Campbell

P.S.

Address me on this care of Sumner  
Eq 33 School St Boston Mass.  
-Have written Hamilton but don't know C.C.  
that I have addressed him right

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Crawford  
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