

William Kersteman
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Lead Mining

84 King St. East Toronto
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B. J. Harrington Esq.
 Geological Dept. —

Dear Sir,

Your of 16th inst is received —
 Since I left Belleville, some 12 years ago,
 I have not kept track of what has been
 doing in the mining line in the boy
 of Hastings, but I don't think anything
 very important has been discovered, or
 scarcely any mining business prosecuted.

The Gattling Mine I understand is in
 a measure in operation —

I think the best person to whom you
 could apply would be to Thomas Wills Esq.,
 M. P. P., Treasurer of the County at Belleville,
 who could, I am sure would collect
 for you any information you may desire

Truly yours

William Kerstman