

Pictou 3<sup>d</sup> Sept 1872

My Dear Sir

I have mentioned to Mr McKilay your proposition that we should give the parties objecting to the pit digging a letter stating that their consent would not prejudice their interests in any way but Mr McKilay says it will be compromising ourselves if we either by ourselves or our agents asked permission to exercise a right which we already claim to hold. As you and Fraser however are not acting for us at all but for Prentice there would be no impropriety in you or Fraser asking as a personal matter to be allowed to put down the pits and of course the

Consent of the parties to you or  
him could in no way affect  
their position as regards their  
Claims and ours. They may  
be under the impression you  
are working for us and this  
you could readily explain to  
them is not the case.

We shall be glad to  
hear from you how you are  
getting along and, if not  
too much trouble, would you  
kindly bring me when you  
come again a good specimen  
of the specular ore from the  
McDonald area.

Whatever you ask let  
it be for yourselves and Mr Prentice  
and not for us.

Yours Truly

Howard Prentice

Geo. McDougal

October 23rd 1872

My dear Sir

I have pleasure

in Mr. [Name] your proposition  
that we should give the parties  
objecting to the first design a  
letter stating that their consent  
would not prejudice their future  
in any way but Mr. [Name]  
says it will be comparatively  
smaller if we rather by [Name]  
or we should rather [Name]  
to [Name] a right which we  
[Name] [Name] [Name]. As  
you are [Name] [Name] and we  
[Name] for us about [Name]  
[Name] then [Name] we  
[Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]  
[Name] as a [Name] [Name]  
[Name] [Name] to put down  
[Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]



University of the Pacific paper as  
been used in no way affect  
their position as regards their  
charitable purposes. They may  
be under the impression you  
are making for us and that  
you could easily explain to  
them is not the case.

It shall be glad to  
hear from you how you are  
getting along and if you  
to travel through, how you  
enjoy being in when you  
come again a good specimen  
of the specimen are from the  
Museum are

Whether you will be  
of the for your school and that  
account for us.

Yours truly  
Howard Pomeroy

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