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Dear Dick:

This for your advance information until I get further information from Charlie Lind on his latest work on the "5730" Drift.

As of last week-end he had advanced approx. 90' to a point just under 'No. 2' open cut on lower Pontiac with fair patches of ore mineralization but nothing of economic mineable width. As the face may still be in the 'footwall' of the downward extension of the vein under No. 2 open cut, I suggested he drive one more round to the right and test-hole from there. On second thought - if he doesn't hit anything there, I believe he should advance straight ahead and cross-cut again where the 'strike' should straighten out. This could be done later, following the new

move to strip the (2) portal section of Upper Pontiac - also outlined on my last visit.

Charlie and I checked the sunset stoppage sill following pumping-out operations. Stopping here, done since my last look at it in 1952 has left it in a shambles and what ore is showing is too narrow and inconsistent to mine or warrant a clean up and further deep development.

Apparently funds are still rather meagre so that work in the immediate future will have to be planned with this in mind. Perhaps you can give us an idea as to what money will be available for this season's work, and at the same time Charlie could summarize his costs to date to provide an idea as to what further work may be done - if agreeable to all.

With best regards,  
Yours very truly,

W. M. Sharp, P. Eng.