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July 27, 1970

Mr. K. Johnson,  
430 Merritt Avenue,  
OAKLAND, California 94610,  
U.S.A.

Dear Keith:

Thank you very much for your letter of July 21st.

Since undertaking the Adanac project on Ruby Creek I have been mindful of my previous contact with you and your father concerning placer gold possibilities in the region. For the present, at least, our Adanac project is so important to us that it is requiring all of our attention and a considerable portion of our resources. We therefore are not able to give any further thought to the gold possibilities of which you think so highly.

Please extend my best wishes for better health to your father. I often recall the pleasant meetings I had with him and yourself.

With kindest regards,

Yours sincerely,

Paul M. Kavanagh  
Vice-President

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Ruby Lake Area BC

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MR. PAUL M. KAWANAGH  
KERR ADDISON MINES LTD.  
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DEAR PAUL:

IN A RECENT EDITION OF THE NORTHERN MINER I READ THAT KERR ADDISON HAD COMMITTED THEMSELVES TO SPEND A CONSIDERABLE SUM OF MONEY ON A MOUND DEPOSIT ON RUBY IN THE ATLIN B.C. AREA.

RUBY CREEK, AS YOU NO DOUBT KNOW, ENTERS SURPRISE LAKE ABOUT ONE AND ONE-HALF MILES EAST OF WHERE OTTER CREEK ALSO ENTERS THE LAKE BUT ON THE OPPOSITE SIDE.

TO REACH RUBY CREEK FROM ATLIN OR WHITEHORSE BY CAR IT IS NECESSARY TO DRIVE OUT PIDE CREEK TO THE FOOT OF SUPRISE LAKE.

THE THOUGHT OCCURED TO ME THAT, HAVING BEEN SO CLOSE, YOUR COMPANY MIGHT TAKE A LOOK, AND FURTHER INTEREST IN THE PIDE-OTTER DREGING PROPERTY.

WE BELIEVE THAT THIS PROPERTY CONTAINS ABOUT 23,000,000 CU. YDS THAT IS 85% PROVED BY PROSPECTING AND ACTUAL MINING.

I NEVER DID AGREE WITH SOME OF THE STATEMENTS MY FATHER MADE TO YOU WHILE YOU WERE HERE. I BELIEVE THAT THERE IS ROOM FOR

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DEVELOPING CONSIDERABLE MORE YARDAGE ON BOTH PINE AND OTTER CREEKS. ONLY FURTHER DRILLING WILL TELL THE FULL STORY.

SPRUCE CREEK, WHICH ENTERS INTO PINE CREEK ON THE LEFT LIMIT, WAS THE BIGGEST GOLD PRODUCER IN THE AREA. A SMALL DREDGE WAS BUILT ON SPRUCE CREEK IN ABOUT 1906. IT, LIKE THE ONE BUILT ON PINE CREEK ABOUT THE SAME TIME, WAS BOTH TOO SMALL AND TOO UNDER POWERED TO DO THE JOB. THIS CREEK PRESENTS THE POSSIBILITY OF DEVELOPING INTO A LARGE DREDGING OPERATION. HERE AGAIN ONLY MORE DEVELOPMENT WORK WILL TELL THE STORY.

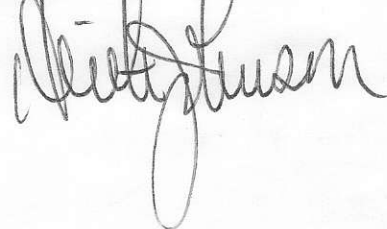
MY FATHER HAS NOT BEEN ENJOYING GOOD HEALTH AND AT PRESENT IS LIVING IN A CONVALESCENT HOSPITAL HERE IN OAKLAND. HE SUFFERED A STROKE A YEAR AGO LAST OCTOBER, HAS HAD TWO SINCE AND HAS BEEN IN AND OUT OF HOSPITALS, CONVALESCENT HOSPITALS ETC. SINCE THAT TIME.

PLEASE LET ME HEAR FROM YOU

PAUL - I SURE WOULD LIKE TO SEE SOME ACTION ON PINE AND OTTER CREEKS.

I AM UNCOMMITTED AT THE MOMENT AND OPEN FOR EMPLOYMENT.

Sincerely,



Keith Johnson  
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