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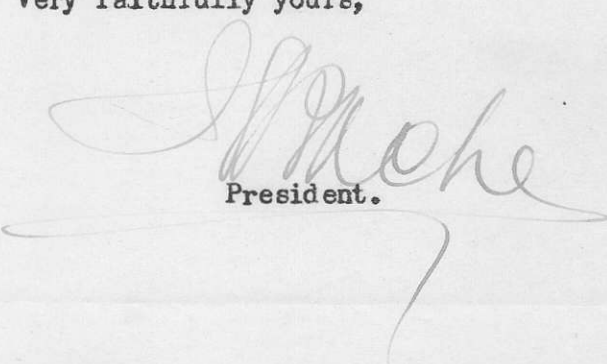
November 4, 1926.

H. P. De Pencier, Esq.,  
Vice President & General Manager,  
South Porcupine, Ontario.

My dear De Pencier:

I enclose two letters from Mr. C. A. Mackenzie, of  
Victoria, B. C., concerning the Northern Light property.

Very faithfully yours,

  
President.

29 Winch Building

Victoria. B. C.

Oct. 25th. 1926.

J. S. Bache Esq.

42 Broadway

New York. N. Y.

Dear Mr. Bache:-

Your Engineer has arrived in Stewart and is now examining the Northern Light property which I hope he will find satisfactory.

One of the owners Mr. William Bunting, who was also owner and locator of the present Premier Gold Mine property is showing him over the Northern Light and will be able to give him valuable information in regard to the property and surrounding mineral district.

The B. C. Silver through its Manager have made offers to Mr. William Bunting, for the Northern Light, and also Mr. C. Vincent of London, wrote to Mr. Charles Bunting (co-owner with his brother of the Northern Light) wishing him to take up negotiations with a Mr. Bancroft, Engineer of the Sebakwe in reference to an option on the Northern Light.

It is natural they would wish to acquire the property as it would make a great addition to their present holdings and prolong the life of their mine.

I hope Mr. James may be able to return by way of Victoria, when I shall have an opportunity of meeting him, and give him any further data he requires, that I have.

I thank you for sending the Engineer and would appreciate an early decision in regard to his report, so I may govern any further movements with clients in regard to the prop-

erty.

We are still having Summer weather on the Coast, warm and continuous sunshine.

Victoria has a very mild and agreeable climate for Winter.

Very Sincerely Yours

*C. A. Mackenzie*



29 Winch Building

Victoria. B. C.

Oct. 29th. 1926.

J. S. Bache Esq.  
42 Broadway  
New York. N. Y.

Dear Mr. Bache:-

I am enclosing you a copy of a letter written me by Mr. William Bunting, one of the owners of the Northern Light who accompanied Mr. V. L. James while examining the property.

It is a plain exposé of his views, and I notice that he anticipates some influence being brought to bear upon your Engineer, by the Engineers of the adjoining properties, the Premier Gold Mine and the B. C. Silver.

I have already written you of the advances made by the principals of the B. C. Silver to Mr. Bunting and naturally they do not wish to see, so important a company as the Dome Mines take up a property so valuable to them.

My views I have set forth in my report and further I would not have placed it before you unless I had felt certain that it was a good commercial proposition.

The Algonican Co. did some diamond drilling on the property, and their Engineer Mr. Melosh, strongly endorsed it to his principals, but the company (a Belgian Co.) went into bankruptcy and they had to give up the Northern Light, as well as other properties they had bonded, in the district.

I believe this incident of the drilling was told to Mr James as being unsuccessful, which was not the case.

As to the ores going in depth is endorsed by the Government Geologists.

Mr. Price advised to this effect Mr. Untermayr and Keith when they purchased the Premier Gold Mine, and their workings now prove it.

As you may note from the copy of a letter I sent . written by Prof. W. Lindgren to me, he judges the continuation of the ores in their deposition go from the Premier through the Northern Light.

In presenting the property to you I had my judgement endorsed by what I considered competent and conservative backing.

I would not bore you with this letter except that I had received word today that Major North (Engineer of the B. C. Silver) had stated he would block the deal if it was possible, and I believe has tried to do so. to help his Manager Mr. Banks to acquire the property later on.

Mr. Banks I believe has one of the owners in his employ as scout, and was promised an option in case the property reverted back.

As you no doubt are quite familiar with the tactics often employed by some mining companies, in connection with adjoining properties; it may be clear to you the reasons they have in trying to discourage your Engineer.

Mr. Pitt in the mining papers was attacked only a few weeks ago for just such methods.

However I feel confident in the judgement of your Engineer and further I would not wish you to take a property unless it proves a commercial success.

I would like to write you of more agreeable sub-

jects, but think it only fair to Mr. William Bunting that I send you this information.

I hope I may have the privelege of see you in New York this Winter as I intend going to England for a vist later in the year.

Sincerely yours

*C. A. Mackenzie*



Wm. Bunting  
Hyder. Alaska.  
Mr. Mackenzie:-

(copy)

Oct. 20th. 1926.

Dear Friend:-

Your letter received today, and I was glad to hear from you, and was sorry to hear the news that Mr. Hayes wife was so sick, and was unable to make the trip, it would have been a safeguard to our interests, for then we would have been sure that Pitt or Major North, would not have been able to say anything against us, that is why I wanted Hayes up, as you know that I cannot go with anyone to the Premier Mine, and you know that they are able to say what they please to our man, when he gets up there and he went up there today to look the mine over also the B. C. Silver, but I have prepared him with dater and blue prints, showing the stoping right up to our line and other profe, that I am sure he will see thru them, I feel sure that he will listen but they will have a hard time to convince him to there story.

Now for the news of our trip over the Northern Light; he arrived on the Prince Rupert on Sunday so we started up at ten o'clock as I was there to meet him. It had been snowing Saturday. Four veins were sampled and other showings that you have not seen, but would show the continuation for a great distance of the vein on the fraction claim with the two feet of ore that would stand shipping, he was very pleased with what he saw and I am sure that he checked up with your report, also I feel certain that he will get good results from his sampling, then I took him over the Premier Extension and showed him their veins, which surprised him, and the mining they are doing on their property, they have to throw the ore on the Northern Light ground which we have given them permission to do, as their showings are right on our line, and they have no dumping ground of their own, all these things are strong in our favor, and I am sure he likes the property, and unless Pitt and North lie like Hell they have no way of blocking the deal, I was up at the B. C. last week and Major North let me stay in the office, without asking me to go into the mine to see the showings, so the next morning I asked him if I had been black-listed from the mine, he then said do you want to go thru the workings, I said you do not think I came up just to look at you, but if Mr. Banks told you not to let me thru the mine, I would not want you to get in any trouble, he then took me thru the mine, and I found out quite a lot, they are not shipping any ore at present, owing to the fact that the ore in the tunnel, will not stand shipping, the ore they have been shipping is from the shaft they sank on the dip of the vein, which is running into my ground, at 55 degrees, and believe me the Northern Light will be the biggest Mine on the Hill.

The Premier Mine have sunk a shaft 350ft. below the number for tunnel and drifted right up to the N. L. side line (south) on No. 2. claim in good ore all the way, so I am certain that the N. L. will be the biggest mine of the bunch, for we have the dip of the Premier veins and B. C. Silver veins and then we have the veins of our own, and I feel sure that Mr. James has seen enough to convince him that I am right and that your report just hits the nail on the head, I will write you the news after he comes down from the B. C. and Premier and tell you what he thinks after he got thru. I wish that Hayes had come along when we would have blocked them from saying anything to Mr. James, however I feel sure that he will have a good report on the property and I will say this for him that he is no sissy and I am sure that he can stand as tuff a trip as any man I have been out with, for it rained all the time we were together, and not a cross word so I am sure he is the right man in the right place. (signed) Wm. Bunting