## Report Upon the Property of the Great Bras D'Or Cold Mining Company

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## Goldbrook, September 1st, 1908.

This property is situated in the Wagamatkook Gold District, Victoria County, Island of Cape Breton, Nova Scotia, Canada, about 22 miles, in a northwesterny direction, distant from Baddeck, the county seat, having an excellent harbor, and daily steamship connection with the Intercolonial Railway, at Grand Narrows, C. B.

The second Gold Brook, a branch of the Middle River, a magnificent stream, passes through the property, from South to North.

The holdings of the Company consist of 208 areas, held by 40 years Leases from the Government, and 16 areas, held by Prospecting License.

The Company has also applied and paid for 600 acres of timber-lands, adjoining the above Mining ground on the East and South.

All the property is covered with a dense growth of timber, such as Birch, Maple, Beech and some Spruce and Fir, and is all very well watered.

## GEOLOGY:

The district, being of the Pre-Cambrian age, has been visited by emiment Geologists and Mining men, such as Messrs, Hugh Fletcher, E. R. Faribault, J. Edmund Woodman and B. Sadtler, all expressing great possibilities for the future yield of Gold.

Mr. Fletcher who visited the country in 1880-81-82 says in his "Report on the Geology of Northern Cape Breton," 1884, published by anthority of Parliament:

"In the Second Gold Brook the following rocks are found, the dip being uniform, and the aggregate thickness about 5500 feet.

"1. Light-grey and bluish-grey, fine, pearly, micaceous, felsitic shales, sometimes contorted, thickly covered with rusty spots. The mica is finely divided and sometimes predominates.