SECRETARY'S OFFICE,

Montreal, 20th July, 1847.

SIR,

I have had the honor to receive and to lay before the Governor General, your letter of the 16th instant, transmitting a printed copy of a report or remarks on the mineralogical character of the Seigniory of Rigaud-Vaudreuil, in the County of Dorchester, by J. P. Cunningham, Esquire, and containing a statement of the nature, situation and extent of the ores, minerals and mines supposed to exist, containing gold and other precious metals within the limits of the said Seigniory, in conformity with the terms and conditions of the Letters Patent, bearing date the 18th September, 1846, for exploring the said ores, minerals and mines.

I have the honor to be,

Sir.

Your obedient servant,

D. DALY,

CHS. DELERY, Esquire,

&c., &c., &c.

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,

Jesuits' Estates and Crown Domain Branch,

Quebec, 4th August, 1864.

SIR.

I have the honor to direct your attention to the 33rd and 34th Sections of the Act 27th and 28th Victoria, chapter 9, intituled: "An Act respecting Gold Mines," Letters Patent, with reference to mines of gold, having been granted on the 18th September, 1846, to the owners of the Seigniory of Rigaud-Vaudreuil, of which it appears you are now sole proprietor.

I have the honor to be,

&c., &c., &c.,

(Signed,) A. CAMPBELL,

Commissioner.

ALEXANDRE CHAUSSEGROS DELERY, Esquire,

&c., &c.,

Ste. Marie or St. François,

Beauce.

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DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,

Jesuits' Estates and Crown Domain Branch, Quebec, 12th September, 1864.

SIR,

As you have failed to supply the returns and make the payments required by the Act enclosed in my letter of the 4th ultimo, for the territory mentioned in the Letters Patent referred to in said letter, I am again under the necessity of directing your attention to the matter, in the hope that, by an immediate compliance on your