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Mr. W. A. McKay Makes Things Hum in Little Bay

(To Editor of Mail and Advocate.)
Dear Sir,—Allow me, through the medium of your widely read and patriotic paper to say a few words with regard to the doing of this dear old Little Bay of ours. Well, Sir, I may say, first, we are living here some-what after the manner of the Zidonians, peaceable and secure, watching thousands, eye tens of thousands of dollars worth of copper passing fearfully from the old abandoned mine into the waters of the harbor—never more to be gathered on the shores of our dear old Terra Nova; but, Sir, there is no good in crying over "spilt milk." W. A. McKay and his associates, are to be congratulated upon their good fortune in securing not the "option," for we are sick and tired hearing of this company and that company having an "option" on this, that and the other mining property, but W. A. McKay has secured and purchased all the right, title and interest of Mathison & Co. in and to this Little Bay Mining property, with all appurtenances thereto belonging. There is 640 acres under grant from the Crown, to the Little Bay Mining Company and I say without fear of contradiction that there is less than fifteen acres of it that has ever been prospected.

Ellershausen, in the first few months of its working, quarried out of the cliff, or side of the hill, ten thousand tons of ten per cent. copper ore, and thousands of tons of 5, 6 and 7 per cent. ore was simply shoveled off the "copper floor" in the rush to keep the "floor" clear for the "higher grade" ore into the marsh, where it now awaits the pick and shovel of the man who has already caused "a great shaking among the dry bones—old dumps from the mine and "Sleepy Hollow," but the latter place will no longer be known as "Sleepy Hollow," it will henceforth be known as Hoboken, the "Smoke Pipe"—a place where the miners and settlers met the Indian chiefs and "smoked the pipe of peace."

It was only the other day that one of the "settlers" took Mr. McKay to this "Hollow," or Hoboken, and showed him a very rich vein of copper ore, right to the surface, only had to remove the turf, where the prospector had never before "struck a lode."

Will any commonsense man have the foolhardiness to say "there is no copper ore in or about the old Little Bay Mine. If there be such a man within reach of your paper, let him come to Little Bay Mine and see what the men of pluck and foresight have done, with only fifteen or twenty mines in a couple of months, and let that "unbelieving Thomas," or whoever he may be, just pull off his "kid" and put his hand down into the stream running from the mine into the pond and on, out into the sea, and take up the pure copper, precipitate and let him no longer be an unbeliever in the wealth of this Newfoundland of ours, and let him no longer be a "knocker" but a "country builder," and on his return home from here he will be able to say, like the Queen of Sheba, "the half of the riches and treasures of Little Bay Mine has never been told." W. A. McKay is a "hustler," he has a new pier now at the landing cove, where he can tie on the largest freight boats with a fishing line, so to speak, in perfect safety from any storm, no matter from what point of the compass it may come.

Little Bay Mine is only twelve miles by carriage road from the Indian Falls, from which McKay can get power enough, not only for all mining purposes, but will have sufficient reserve to drive all "knockers" out of our Island Home. I would ask the readers of the Mail and Advocate to remember that Mr. McKay is a typical Newfoundland, who knows no defeat. Not only has he a new pier now ready, but he has also a splendid railway track from the pier right in to the ore "dumps," a half a mile long, built in three clear days. He has also fifty tons of high-grade material, in casks—regulus, precipitate, and grey metal, on the pier, ready for the first steamer due here, under charter, about the end of the week.

Every man, woman and child in Little Bay wish McKay every success. I have no hesitation in saying right here and know now that success is absolutely certain, because he has the ore in sight, in the dump—sufficient, six per cent. copper ore—that is a low average, as parts of the dumps have given an assay of eighteen per cent. copper—to keep a smelter running at one hundred tons per day, for several years. But some parties, "knockers," have said there is no copper in the Little Bay dumps and that they have all been picked over and if there were any copper in them some one would have taken hold of it long ago. My reply to the "knocker" is this, that Mr. Someone hadn't pluck and foresight enough to treat Mr. Knocker's opinion of the dumps and this mine for what it was worth,

Foxtrap Orangemen Hold Successful Soup Supper

(To Editor of the Mail and Advocate.)
Dear Sir,—In your very much esteemed paper I beg to make a comment on some facts which, speaking for the public in general, is regarded with interest. I shall use as my base the word "watch," as that is done by all in the place to which I am about to make reference.

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Having so far successfully succeeded with their undertaking, they resolved to hold a soup supper the following night. It was as they wished they were pleased to find that they had realized the sum of \$107.56.—I am, etc.

A LOOKER-ON.
Long Pond, Jan. 4, 1916.

OBITUARY.

(Editor Mail and Advocate)
Dear Sir,—Allow me space in your most esteemed paper to relate the death of Miss Dinal Greening who passed peacefully away to the great beyond on December the 30 after a lingering illness, aged 21 years. Deceased was a daughter of Moses and Sarah Greening. She leaves a Mother, Father, two brothers and four sisters to mourn her sad loss.

W. J. GREENING.
Summersville, Jan. 3rd, 1916.

CHURCH UNION LOST

WINNIPEG, Dec. 28.—Rev. A. R. Baird, Principal of Manitoba College, who in all probability will be Moderator of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, when it meets in Winnipeg next June, said to-day that the Church Union cause was lost. Dr. Baird has been for many years a most devoted advocate of this proposal and his deep regret when he announced the failure of the plan was apparent.

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