A

PROSPECTUS

OF

Mining and Manufacturing Company.

APRIL 20, 1839.

To the business Capitalists, and Gentlemen of British North America, having surplus capital, which they are desirous of employing at this period of commercial stagnation. It is presumed that the following Prospectus presents an opportunity so rarely to be met with, where, by the outlay of a small sum, large remunerating profits will be secured almost without the possibility of loss. The Proprietor of the Mines here proposed to be disposed of, having in his possession the exclusive right for a long term, (by Government grant,) of working the said Mines, as well as a lease from the Freeholder, proposes to dispose thereof, by forming a Company, to be Incorporated by Provincial Act of Parliament of Upper Canada.

The Proprietor wishes to be remunerated for the expences for discovery and exploring the said Mines, as well as numerous experiments to develope the same.

The Proprietor is proud to state that he feels himself perfectly warranted (not only by his own opinion, but by the united opinions of several operative Miners,) in stating, that these Mines will yield at a moderate calculation, a net profit of eighty per cent. for capital sunk, as soon as the said Mines can be brought into fair operation.

It is proposed that the whole amount of Stock, Estate, and Property, which the said Company shall be authorised to hold, including the Stock or Shares hereinafter mentioned, shall never exceed in value one hundred thousand pounds; and that a share in the Company shall be one hundred pounds—and the number of Shares shall not exceed four hundred.