

AUTHOR'S PREFACE.

My former pupil, Mr. Frederick Prime Jr., a very enthusiastic student in this branch of geology, has received my full approval and permission to translate my book on ORE DEPOSITS. I have suggested many alterations, and additions, which he will set forth in this translation; so that, as a whole, it may be considered as a new edition (the third one) of my work. From the attention I have given to it, as the translation progressed, I feel justified in approving it as a whole.

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