This is a photocopy of a history of Mine La Motte in Madison County, Missouri, compiled by Gertrude Scott Hall. Mrs. Hall is the daughter of William A. Scott, who was a director of the Mine La Motte Company (1869) and mine manager (1869-1879).

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Mrs. Hall is the daughter of William A. Scott, who was a director of the Mine La Motte Company in 1869. He sold his holdings to Rowland G. Hazard in 1870, but remained at Mine La Motte as manager until his death in 1879.

Both primary and secondary sources are cited in Mrs. Hall’s history. She also drew on recollections of conversations with her father concerning the “Mansion House” at Mine La Motte.