

Local News.

ACADIA MINES NOTES.

What about the Great Village Railway. Mrs Hart left for British Columbia on Wednesday. Miss Alice Brown arrived home from Wallace on Wednesday. Miss Wood of Pictou is the guest of Mrs. F. H. Johnson.

Several Springhill men claim to have discovered a zinc mine near Pugwash.

We are glad to hear Miss Annie Morris is recovering after her severe illness.

Mr. and Mrs. John Atkins left for British Columbia on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cockell arrived home from Boston Thursday.

Mr. Collin Campbell a genial composer of the Guardian, was in town on Monday.

What about incorporation, we would like to have the opinion of some of our citizens on the matter.

The Blast Furnace has been lighted, and things are humming around that part of the works again.

Messrs A Robb & Sons intend erecting their new buildings twice the size of their former.

F. H. Johnson intends fixing up the upper story of the store lately occupied by G. W. Cox & Co. for a Salvation Army barracks.

To Let—Part of the shop lately occupied by G. W. Cox & Co suitable for Gent's furnishings of General Dry Goods.

F. H. Johnson The Dominion Government have purchased a steamer for the transfer of cars from the I. C. R. across the Strait of Canso to the C.B.Ry. The boat is named the Queen, and cost about \$200,000.

A dividend of 12 per cent to shareholders and 6 per cent to non-shareholders on last quarters business, will be payable at the office of the Co-Operative Society on and after Monday 22nd.

We hope the rumour that has been going the rounds to the effect that the C. P. Ry. Syndicate contemplated locating their Machine Shops near this place may prove true. It would be a fine thing for Nova Scotia in general, and this place in particular.

Silver is reported to have been discovered near Brookfield in this county. It is said that a rich gold lead also exists near the same place in connection with which it is said by a person competent to know a 100 stamp mill will be running in one year.

WHISPERED AT THE MINES

That they smelt him coming. He was so glad to see her they tore the vines down.

Who got left making paste.

That they got elegant prizes.

That they lost their way from DeBert.

That when he went down in the pit his opponent begged for mercy

That they cabbaged two stocks corn.

That he lost a letter out of the wooden mail bag.

That she said when she got on her Skates, she'll be square with them.

TRURO NOTES.

Truro should have a Clerk's union.

50 new houses in course of erection.

St Flunkard is again coming to town.

Dr. Thos. Chalmers V. S. is now permanently located in Truro.

Shenton Biguey, of Bigney Bros. Acadia Mines was in town Tuesday.

Business is reported to be booming at the Springhill collieries.

Some parties claim to have found lead in paying quantities in Colchester.

Tranton Steel works are running full blast.

Gays River Gold Mine is booming.

Pictou town is agitating for a summer hotel and water works.

The Glass Factory of Trenton is about to resume operations again.

The New Presbyterian church at Trenton is about finished.

Pictou town celebrated its 117th. birth day in grand style Tuesday last.

James MacMillan our energetic bill poster is erecting some extensive Bill Boards about town.

Mrs. James Q. MacGregor died at her home Stellarton, Friday the 12th inst.

A 12 year old son of Mr. Angus Kennedy was killed in the pit at the Old Mines Friday the 12th.

A Truro spectator says he has found an A.I. manganese mine in close proximity to the town.

Policeman Green is quite ill. Mayor Muir is away to the Northwest.

There is to be a grand promenade concert in the Victoria Park on Friday evening next.

The weather during the latter part of last and first of the present week was exceedingly warm.

A gentlemen just returned from the Mountains of Montana, says he saw the band stand on a snow drift and played Yankee Doodle, Hail Columbia etc. on the 4th of July.

Mrs. Cottam, widow of the late Captain Wm. Cottam raised on her farm at DeBert, this summer a cucumber 12 1/2 inches in length 10 inches in circumference, weighing 2 pounds.

T. G. McMullen's saw mill was totally destroyed by fire at Shubenacadia Saturday last, along with a large quantity of pine lumber, loss \$12,000 insurance \$2,000.

It was rumoured in town Friday morning that the Stallions Israel of New Glasgow, and Gladstone of Windsor had been matched to trot in New Glasgow on the afternoon of that day for \$500 a side.

We are pained to learn of the death of William Phillips, eldest son of the late Dr. Phillips, River Phillip. Mr. Phillips has been ailing for some time, and a short while ago went to the Victoria General Hospital, but the doctors could do nothing for him, he returned to Truro and stopped over with his sister, Mrs. R. A. Smith of this town, at whose house he died on Monday.

HISTORICAL FACTS.

Apples were first grown in Nova Scotia in 1633.

First recorded mention of coal in Nova Scotia, 1654.

First attempt at mining coal in Nova Scotia was in 1720.

The first Canadian coin was

issued in 1858.

The first Railway advertisement appeared in the Montreal Gazette 1837.

The first horse in Canada arrived 20th June, 1647, and was presented to the Governor M. de Montigny.

The first smelting of iron in Canada took place at the St Maurice Forges in Quebec, October 1733.

NOTICE!

J. W. Walsh who came to Truro one year ago and opened a first-class Barber Shop on the Esplanade, Truro, has worked up an exceedingly large business, his shop is open from 7 a.m. to 9 p.m., on Saturdays until 12 p.m. He has increased his number of private mugs to one hundred. Every regular customer gets a mug and brush free for his own use.

He has lots of obliging and efficient help, and all unnecessary waiting is avoided.

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1 small farm containing 12 1/2 acres, situated at Johnson's crossing, 4 miles from Truro House and Barn on the premises in good state of repair, and a never failing well of pure water.

also 1 Mare, 11 years old, 3 tons of Hay, Sleigh, Harness and Buffalo Robe,

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Sept 20th, 1m

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