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People gather in Glace Bay for stories about mining

Not in 'Happy Mine' From a British coal mining textbook 1880s At the coal face, loading a car.

Coal Mining in Cape Breton & colliery systems

Coal was extracted from exposed seams along the cliffs and in 1720 the first coal mine was officially opened at Cow Bay, or Port Morien as it is now known. . If the grade of the mine is not too steep when he reaches the foot of the first chamber he is to supply, he unfastens the front car from the others, drives the horse up the incline with it, and leaves it near the face to get filled; the other empty cars are distributed in the same way.

History of Mining

Instead, it is provided in an historical context. Shale, slate and other rocky contaminants would not burn and miners might be docked if their coal was found to be too contaminated by the company weighman - after all, the company was paying them for a specific weight of COAL .

The Louis Frost Notes: History of Sydney Coal Field

The continuity of the other seams at workable thicknesses is not as persistent throughout the three basins as is the case of the seam mentioned. Unloaded, the coal wagon is lighter.

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A trapper boy operates the air door which is opened only for traffic. .

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