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All about village of ...  
and to - looks like ...  
they do as  
the Indians have it ...  
Hoop ...  
long - diameter like wolf - head walls ...  
are round and in following road  
works ... by - at all ... stones very hard  
that does not contain any  
piece of gold - yellow - tan all  
is yellowish - reddish rock and  
sandstone & it does not contain  
any  
minerals larger than bird  
feathers

Lead  
Nephrite

Dr Dawson  
Montreal

My dear Dr

Charlottetown 5<sup>th</sup> Oct 1877

I take the liberty of enclosing  
two specimens of minerals which have recently  
been obtained from a small boring in  
Kings County P.E.I. between Morell & Middle  
Rivers. A well had previously been sunk  
about 30ft which had gone dry so a boring of  
2 $\frac{1}{2}$  in dia sunk about 2 feet when specimens  
of pure Lead were obtained. The bore was  
a chisel pointed bar, worked by hand so the  
specimens obtained were necessarily very  
small. Some were much larger than the  
one enclosed. All appeared as melted lead.  
The small piece of mineral also came from  
the same boring. A larger piece has been  
subjected to a good blowpipe blast with no.

Dunwell A

effect - it bears a high polish. Probably you can decide what it is.

The party formed to explore & work the mine (if successful) are about to sink a shaft and test the exact nature of the vein. I thought from the interest you have manifested in this Province, that you would like to get the above information at an early date.

I do not recollect reading of a vein of pure Lead such as this, especially in connection with the Red Sandstone formation.

With kind regards remain

Yours truly

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