

Paul Minepence was the first one to tell the story
of that lead mine in Traveller. The story was that
an old man of the tribe knew where there was lead and
always could get it when he wanted it; he had been
following a moose one day and as the creature ran up
the mountain side its foot slipped on a ledge and there
was revealed, where it had rubbed off the incrustation, a
bright streak of lead. Always after he got all the lead he
wanted. One time some young men tried to find it. When
they got to a big cedar it grew dark. Paul stopped sentimentally,
why didn't

It was claimed to be discovered at Stair Falls, then
at Grand Pitch ("Gran Fitch") Old Francemey Pners
was the one who salted the mine for the priest
going three days journey up the Sack Branch & running
some silver dollars into the cracks in a rock. On the
way back to the mine the priest whom he had lured
by tales of gain was taken very ill. "Joupe by hell ole
debble she would die, so in 'er' all our silver dollars"