

**HETTINGER COUNTY**

Planning Unit 025: AML Printout # 20: T136N, R97W, Section 21, SE, SE

Additional Legal Location: Section 21, SE, SE, E1/2

Name:

Owner:

Aaby (aka Abbey) Light & Power Co.  
(aka Aaby Coal Mine)

Aaby Light and Power Co.

Category: Commercial/local; Industrial/local

Type: Strip (surface); Underground (drift) planned in about 1925

Overburden:	Coal Seam:	Thickness Mined:	source:
No data	8-10 ft.	No data	Leonard et al.:1925

Cultural Resource Site Number: Not formally recorded

Basic Data (excerpted from primary sources):

This mine is listed as a new mine in 1920. The mine is reported as closed in 1925. Leonard et al. (1925) indicate that "It (Aaby mine] was formerly mined by stripping, but a drift is now being run in along the seam and underground mining will be carried on in the future. M electric undercutting machine is used in mining the coal. The electrical light and power plant which supplied New England is located at the mine." However, no listings were noted for this mine following 1925, and it is not known if the mine ceased operations or if it was operated, but not reported.

Descriptive information pertaining to this mine is included in:

[source:year (pages) ]

CMID:1920(20)  
CMID:1921(29)

Leonard et al.:1925(95)  
WCB Map:1921

Notes:

The Morris Coal Mine also may be located at this Planning Unit and AML location.

Sources (primary and secondary):

CMID:see table, next page, for appropriate years  
Leonard et al.:1925(95)  
WCB:1921

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Year	Days Operated	Employees	Price Per Ton	Tons Produced	Tons Local Trade	Tons Shipped	Owner or Superintendent*
1920	200	7	3.00	2,800	2,800	none	Otto Chamberlain**
1921	240	6	3.50	5,040	4,963	77	F.S. Sleight**
1922	no report						
1923	no data	no data	no data	no data	no data	no data	no data
1924	no report						
1925	"closed"						

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\*Unless otherwise indicated, name listed is that of owner.

\*\*Individual was superintendent of the mine; owner not listed.

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