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MOTHER LODGE NEWS

New Boilers—Strike by Diamond Drill—Painting and Repairs

THE News reporter was a visitor at the MOTHER LODGE mine on Saturday of last week.

The new boilers, which are being put in for the crusher plant at the top of the hill, are nearly completed. Work will shortly begin on hauling the old crusher from the mule tunnel plant up the hill and on installing the same. The second engine is also soon to be put in for this plant.

The diamond drill is at present employed running a hole towards the lime dyke from the topmost quarry. This was in over 45 feet on Saturday and just struck the lime. After penetrating a few feet of waste over 36 feet of fairly good ore was encountered. The last eight or ten feet were in extra fine ore. This continued to the lime wall, from which it was separated by a sharp contact.

Work is progressing on the repairs to the coal tram down to the compressor. This was badly damaged in the big cloudburst of Sunday the 2nd. The roads damaged by this storm have also been fixed up.

Much painting is also going on at present. The big gallows frame has been given a coat, as have the crusher buildings. It is likely that the main ore bins will be painted in the near future.

STRIKE ON MOONSHINE

Contact Lead 12 to 20 Inches On Surface—Shows up Nice Galena

THE editor was a visitor at the MOONSHINE, owned by Mr. W. S. McDonald of Anaconda and situated on the old No. 7 trail about halfway between Anaconda and Boundary Falls, on Monday last.

On this claim a contact lead measuring between twelve and 20 inches on the surface has just been struck. It runs east and west and west and seems to dip to the north. This has been exposed in a trench for a distance of 38 feet, and is at present being explored by a cut some distance down from the main workings. No assays have as yet been had from this lead, but it looks very promising. It is intended to sink a shaft on the ore body in the near future.

The ore is galena showing some signs of ruby silver, together with carbonate of lead. Several cuts have been run in on a cross-vein some distance down the hill from the new strike. Work has also been done on an iron ledge to the south.

WORK is progressing on the water works. The trench down Everett Ave. is almost completed, and work is being rushed on that down Tacoma Ave. and 2nd. St. A good deal of pipe has been laid, especially in Lind Creek gulch and on Everett Ave.

About Town.

Yesterday was payday on the water works system.

A new city hall costing \$6,000 is planned for Phoenix.

Mr. J. P. Anderson is thinking of building a frame house on his lot on Butte Ave.

Mr. J. Kirkup, gold commissioner, visited Anaconda yesterday on the assessment question. He notes changes for the better.

A bad fire occurred at Cascade on Thursday. Almost the entire business portion of the town was destroyed, the loss being estimated at between \$25,000 and \$30,000.

This week's edition of The News consists for the first time of 150 copies, 145 being the issue heretofore. Attention is also called to the remaining professional card for sale on this page.



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Rainfall-Temperature.

July 10th to July 16th.

Rainfall	in.	Coldest	Warm't
Monday	M 43	M 86
Tuesday	T 44	T 80
Wednesday	W 40	W 85
Thursday	½	T 39	T 72
Friday	1	F 39	F 75
Saturday	1	S 47	S 82
Sunday	½	S 43	S 75
Total, W'k	1½	W'k 39	W'k 86
Forward	25	Rec. -19	Rec. 98
To Date	26½	Mean C.	R.,D 95 ²
Tot. S. Win.	50½	Wk 42.14	Mean W.
C. W'k J.9-15	4½		Wk 79.28
Av. T. Win.	26½	General Mean C. &	
C. D. (F.10)	-19½	W., Week	60.71

¹ Trace of rain on two days equals about ¼ inch.

² Record day, July 9th.

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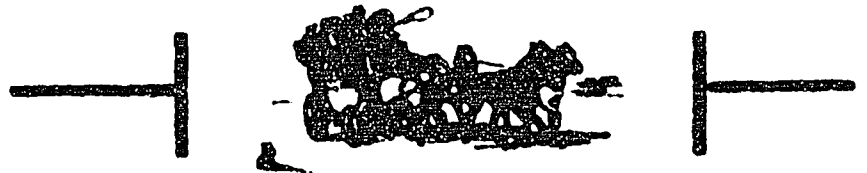
Remember—This is to be the Town

Cultus Hehe.

Last winter a Topeka society woman wanted to get rid of an old prarrot which she owned. It had only one tail feather, but possessed an extensive vocabulary of choice cuss words. A bright idea struck her. She was the hostess for her card club one day, and gave the parrot as the booby prize. The woman who won it took it home and bided her time. It soon came her time to entertain the club and furnish prizes. So she gave the parrot as the booby prize, too. From that time on the parrot became the booby prize, and made the rounds of most of the homes of the women. Finally the woman who originated the idea won the booby prize and carried the old bird home. The parrot recognized his former home. He craned his neck, blinked his eyes several times, and then, with disgust, said:

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Mining Notes.

On the Preston the double compartment shaft is down about 60 feet. They are bringing up very rich silver gold ore.

Shipments have been recommenced from the E. P. U.

With the coming of the railway the big coal interests of the Nicola country are looking up.

The Twin is showing up a fine lead of galena ore running up to \$60.00 a ton and measuring over two feet.

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THE MINING NEWS

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During the six months ending June 30th 458,000 tons of ore were shipped from Boundary mines. This had an estimated value of \$2,290,965.

Work has been started on the new wagon road to the BAY mine. Several cars of nice ore that are now waiting will be sent down as soon as it is finished. The ledge is looking finer than ever.

Next Friday will be the 14th anniversary of the location of the KNOB HILL and OLD IRONSIDES mines in Phoenix.

Work will soon be recommenced on the HIGHLAND QUEEN.

The HELEN is looking well. The lead on the lowest level now measures over 20 inches.

A contract has been let for the work of continuing the shaft on the MOUNTAIN QUEEN.

In the shaft on the MAVIS the lead is twelve to fourteen inches thick, and shows up much free gold.

The TIP TOP mine, on the BAY and MAVIS lead, is looking well at the present time.

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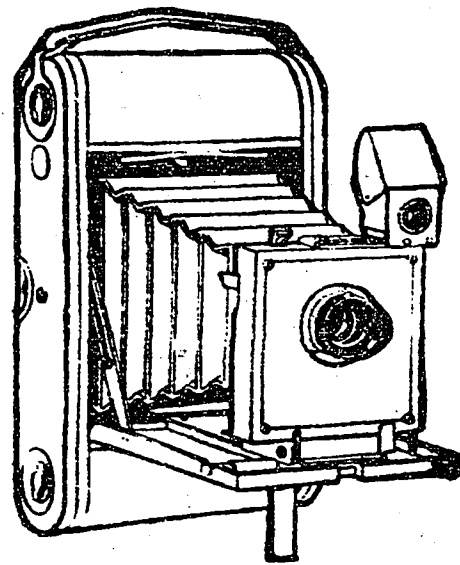
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