

GOLD, SILVER AND COPPER

Montana's Exhibit at the World's Fair Opens the Eyes of the Visitors.

This Season's Work Will Tell the Story in the Kootenai Country.

Boston & Montana Closes Its Smelter in Butte—The Deep Creek Placer—Another Okanogan Strike.

Referring to the display of minerals made by Montana at the World's fair, the New York Engineering and Mining Journal says: In the Montana exhibit at the World's fair there is an exhibition display of gold that is calculated to open the eyes of the spectator. At least \$20,000 worth of gold in nuggets and placer washings, besides ore from which the gold proceeds in mass, form the exhibit. The First National bank of Helena contributed to this collection four nuggets weighing at least fifty ounces each, and several smaller ones, with a probable value of \$5,000 for the lot. Mr. Henry Eling, of Virginia City, displays 200 ounces of placer gold, taken from the Alder gulch. Mr. T. H. Kleinschmidt, of Helena, contributes to this exhibit at least 200 specimens of crystal gold, forming an attractive display, each crystal being different from the other. The first nuggets taken from the celebrated Ophir gulch are displayed; there are a number of them weighing from one to fifteen ounces. They are loaned by J. A. Brown, of Beaverhead county. The Elkhorn mine of Jefferson county displays in a separate case some fine specimens of native crystal silver. At least fifty specimens are shown; each has been cleaned by some solution, and presents an attractive grayish color. The Parrot Silver Mining company exhibits copper in the new product, the intermediate stages and refined forms. The Anaconda Mining company displays a great mass of rich sulphide ore, in which some silver is seen readily. The Cable mine ore, out of which the two immense pieces of ore, out of which the gold is proceeding on all sides. Prof. F. W. Trephager, of the chair of chemistry in the school of mines at Deer Lodge, has this important exhibit in charge.

MINING IN THE KOOTENAI

This Season Will Decide as to the Permanency of the Veins.

This season's work will go far towards proving whether or not mining is to be an industry in the Kootenai country, says the Nelson Miner. It is already known that there are numerous good prospects in a dozen different camps, but the properties known to be mines are few. This year development work will be carried on, in the main, under the direction of men who have made mining a business; men who do not expect to make a mine in a day out of a mere prospect, and who know that a large expenditure of capital must be made before that steady output of ore can be had which is the only safe gauge of a mine's worth. The country will be more thoroughly prospected than ever before, for the reason that the rich finds made in the Kootenai and Laroc counties have attracted the attention of intelligent men from all over the world. This year will also find the country with fair transportation facilities, so that the mine owner will not be required to pay in order to get it where it can be loaded on cars or aboard steamboats.

George Long returned to Nelson on Tuesday from Goat River district, where he had been looking after his several mining interests. He reports two good strikes made in that district lately. One on Goat mountain, adjoining Jap King's claim; the other close to the Lizard and President claims. The one on Goat mountain is named the Babcock. The ledge is wide and carries a vein of fine-looking cube galena, which assays 125 ounces of silver and 75 per cent lead to the ton. The other strike is named the Collins, and within its lines are distinct ledges, carrying galena of good grade. The Collins was located by Messrs. Leighton, Sloan and Dodds. John Pearson and Dan O'Hare are at work on the Altair and Interoceanic claims. Jack O'Neill and John Fritch are doing development work on the President. Messrs. McCormick and Dodds are opening up the Lizard and Lizard and both claims are showing up splendidly.

THE COLUSA CLOSURE

Boston and Montana Company Will Do No More Smelting in Butte.

The last furnace of the old Colusa smelter belonging to the Boston and Montana company ceased to turn out matte yesterday, says the Miner. During the last two weeks the works have been gradually closing down. At the two smelters, both of which are now dead to the world so far as activity therein is concerned, between 300 and 400 men are employed, many of whom have secured the employment at other works, while the majority are idling. In addition to those thrown out by the closing of the reduction plants, the working force in the mine has been reduced to a minimum; or, rather, to a number sufficient to get out enough ore only to keep the Great Falls smelter in operation. When the smelters here were consuming ore it required about 150 more men than the present force in the mine to supply them, but with the total suspension yesterday the last of the winding 150 were let go. The closing of the two smelters the working force of the camp has been reduced about 600 men, yet the company is still employing between 700 and 800 and will continue to do so as long as the Great Falls plant is in operation. This will possibly be during the next fifty or sixty years. Should the Parrot company decide to remove its plant, and there is every reason to believe it will do nothing of the kind, at least 100 more men would be thrown out of employment with the closing of the works here. One reason why the task of removing is supposed to be a fake is the fact that at the present time the company is engaged in making costly additions to the plant.

DEER CREEK PLACERS

The New Finds on the Old Crow Reserve May Create a Stampede.

The Livingston Herald, referring to the Deer creek placers, in Park county, says: Frank Dugan, the original locator of the Deer creek placer diggings, came in from Deer creek last Thursday on business connected with the new mining camp. There are at present about fifty prospectors in the field and the number are being augmented from day to day. About three years ago Mr. Dugan found, at a point about five miles below the Lodge Pole trail on Deer creek, evidences of work that had been performed by placer miners at least twenty and perhaps thirty years ago. The evidences consisted in thin numbers laid out on slides and blocks of wood evenly and uniformly shaped. Decay had eaten into the wood for a space of two inches on each side. No prospect holes were found, however, and if any had been dug they had been filled up by the shifting sands. Enough was there, however, to arouse Dugan's curiosity, and although he was ignorant of the methods of placer digging he managed to get out enough color to satisfy himself that there was gold to be found there in quantities. At that time the locality was embraced within the Crow reservation and nothing was done to determine the extent of the gold deposit. Last fall, about the time that a part of the Crow reservation was

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thrown open to settlement by executive proclamation and the Deer creek region referred to the United States government, Dugan returned and passed out nine pans of dirt which yielded 95 cents in gold, one color amounting to 19 cents. On the 30th of April a party composed of Dugan, C. W. Lewis and George Heavals left for Deer creek to prospect. Several days were spent Tuesday night of last week and reported that the diggings would pay \$10 per day to the man. On Thursday Dugan arrived, and upon being questioned by a Herald reporter, related the facts as above stated. He further states that one of the prospectors saved \$1,27 out of seven pans of dirt, which might be above the average of steady work. A number of business men of Big Timber are interested in the diggings, and while no stamped paper is going on there are indications that a lively camp has been started. Lewis has been putting in his time hunting for the lead from which the placer gold has been washed and believes he has located it. Deer creek is forty-five miles from Livingston.

ANOTHER OKANOGAN STRIKE

A Find in the Tribune That Creates Some Excitement.

Letters were received in this city yesterday by W. H. Townsend, George Darby and Mr. Holley, of the Tribune mine in the Okanogan county, giving accounts of a wonderful strike made in the past few days, says the Spokane Review. The mine has been a puzzle for some time. The lead was prospected for in various ways, but the veins almost invariably took unexpected turns. A chart of the present situation, drawn by Mr. Townsend, shows that this year's development was in the right direction. A shaft was sunk on a vein sixteen feet wide, showing rich ore against the hanging wall. They proceeded downwards to a four-foot shaft, hugging close to the hanging wall. At a depth of twenty-five feet samples were taken from the full width of the sixteen inch pay streak, and the average assays showed 200 lbs. of gold to the ton. The three letters received all gave most encouraging reports of the discovery, and the writers agreed that the true lead had been found. This is one of the most important events in the history of the Okanogan country, as the value of the whole group of mines there will doubtless be greatly enhanced.

BOOTH'S FUNERAL

To Be Buried Friday in a Cemetery Near Boston.

New York, June 7.—Elihu Booth's body will be buried Friday afternoon in Mt. Auburn cemetery, near Boston. The funeral services will be held in this city at 9:30 a. m., in the Church of the Transfiguration, "the little church around the corner." Bishop Potter will officiate, assisted by Houghton, rector of the church, and Rev. C. W. Bishop, of Washington, D. C. The pallbearers will be Joseph Jefferson, A. M. Palmer, Et. Judge Chas. F. Daly, Parks Goodwin, Estuan Johnson, Horace Howard Farness and Wm. Bishop, treasurer of the Players' club, and one of Booth's most intimate friends. Tickets of admission to the funeral services will be issued. The chief mourners will be Mr. and Mrs. Ignatius Grossman and their two children, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bishop, Grossman's brother and sister, and John Henry Magazig and wife. Immediately after the funeral the funeral cortege will move to the Grand Central depot, be placed aboard the train which starts for Boston at 11. A cast of the dead man's face was made to-day. The body will be returned in a mahogany oak casket, bearing this simple inscription on a silver plate:

ELIHU BOOTH. Born Nov. 10, 1833. Died June 7, 1893.

No flowers will be taken to the church, nor placed upon the coffin, except a wreath of laurel from Mrs. Grossman's shop. A plaster bust of Booth will be made by the artist and sculptor, August St. Gaudens, from a cast taken this morning, to be placed in the Players' club.

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JOTTINGS ABOUT TOWN.

Sheep shearing has begun in North Chouteau county.

A daughter was born to the wife of Prof. J. Bruce Simpson last night.

The Great Northern has just issued a new folder with map covering its western extension.

Richard Mansfield will be the attraction at Ming's Thursday and Friday evenings, June 15 and 16.

The following lode locations were filed yesterday with the county clerk: Hegline, Nevada, located by G. A. Peterson; Fair, Stemmerick, located by W. J. Rickell.

At a meeting of the trustees of the Dividend Mining company held yesterday Richard Locky was elected president, Jno. B. Sanford vice-president, and Jno. W. Eddy is secretary and treasurer.

A telegram from Spokane yesterday announced that the excitement there over the suspension of the Cannon bank had subsided and that the prospect was that business would soon be back in the old lines.

The Great Northern Bulletin for May is a very attractive issue, giving a description of northwestern state buildings in the World's fair and a good notice of Helena and the Broadwater. It is for free distribution.

The following transfers were filed with the county clerk yesterday: W. C. Birkhead to Wm. Booth, one-half interest in the Towsley lode and one-fourth interest in the Nile lode in Towsley gulch, \$200; Oscar Bradford to Sophie Anderson, lot 8, block 307, Ames addition, \$200.

An entire family by the name of Burns are now in jail at Butte. The parties live at Centerville. The father is in for beating his wife, the mother for discharging conduct and as there was no one to take care for the children, aged two and four years, they were taken with the mother.

Chief Deputy Clerk George O. Freeman, of the district court, has been presented with a handsome gold headed cane. It was made by James Ryan who was sentenced to the State Prison for forgery, and has resided in Helena about two years. After an eastern trip Mr. and Mrs. Henry will take up their residence in Helena.

Stole Company Secrets.

PITTSBURGH, June 7.—The grand jury returned true bills against C. A. Coffin, of Boston, president of the General Electric company, and other officials of that company, and several former employees of the Westinghouse company, for conspiracy to secure tracings and prints of certain machinery owned by the Westinghouse company.

CONSUMPTIVES CURED.

Wonders Accomplished by the Use of Dr. Amick's Cure.

New York, June 7.—The Recorder detailed the cure of several consumptive patients at Ward's island under the direction of the city authorities. As only charity patients in the last stages of consumption are admitted there the Recorder claims the cure, for which it awarded Dr. W. H. Amick, of Cincinnati, \$1,000, has accomplished something almost miraculous. It says also that the Cincinnati doctor has agreed to keep the hospital supplied with medicines sufficient for all the consumptive cases at his own expense. As only third stage cases are taken there no tests severe test could be invited. While it is now generally admitted that the Amick discovery is a certain specific in the earlier stages of consumption, Amick has never heretofore claimed that it would cure more than 20 per cent of third-stage consumptives. In his test just made by the city three out of four were either cured or astonishingly benefited. It is easy enough for any sufferers from the disease to test the new discovery through their family physician, for Amick sends medicines for the purpose free of cost, and invites impartial tests of it by the medical profession everywhere.

PERSONAL.

Capt. John B. Rodman is down from Fort Assiniboine.

Representative C. E. Dudley, of Maryland, is a visitor in Helena.

Mrs. Hedger and daughter and Miss Harbourn left last night for the World's fair.

John W. Eddy left last night for Wallace, Idaho, on business that will detain him for the remainder of the week.

Departures via the Great Northern yesterday were J. L. Henry and wife for Minneapolis, Miss Jurgens for Minneapolis, E. Newman for Sioux City, Ia.

Mrs. Johnson and daughter and Miss Freeman, of New York, were the guests of Mrs. Brooks yesterday. They are on route to the Pacific coast.

George Heavly, of Winston, left for New York yesterday for the first time in twelve years. He has been east but twice in thirty-seven years. He will visit the World's fair.

Geo. W. Palmer and P. Madison for Denver, Agnes Turner for Chicago, Gene ette Darler for Denver, E. J. Burgess for Boston, M. D. Murphy, S. Aurn and Mr. and Mrs. A. Harris for Chicago, were among the Union Pacific departures yesterday.

Mrs. C. Hedger, Mrs. J. M. Woodbridge, Mrs. E. W. Knight Miss Belle Harbourn, Geo. Heavly for Chicago, Walter Christy for Byron, Ohio, Miss Nannie Owens for Axcello, Mo., A. E. Giles for San Francisco, were among the departures via the Northern Pacific yesterday.

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Arrivals at the Grand Central.

- M. F. Allen, Choteau; Joe J. Hall, St. Paul; F. B. Hanning, Poncha; O. F. Travis, Butte; Mrs. W. T. Cornwell, Denver; Miss May Duffy, Winston; H. Sedwick, Eozeman; J. E. Taylor, Minneapolis; Andrew Madison, Big Horn; M. L. Shea, Marysville; S. E. Rowley, Marysville; John J. Quinn, Chicago; P. J. Quinn, Ravenna; Wyo; John H. Martin, Livingston; F. H. McDonald, Burns; Tom, Mo.; G. M. C. Port Lozan; H. L. Loomis, Hoboken; Henry Annier, Butte; James Mooney, Kalamazoo; Hermann T. Ternon, New York; Tom Gordon, Seattle; D. O'Donnell, Great Falls; E. J. Maloney, Butte; E. J. Harris, Butte; Mrs. J. Brown, Bald Butte; W. T. Cornwell, Denver; Gilman Higgin, Great Falls; A. McDonald, East Falls; Albert Winston, Newport; Mrs. Shea, Marysville; Mrs. Rowley, Marysville; J. J. Nicker, Billings; W. S. Edge, Winston; Mrs. Francis, Marysville; H. H. Grotting, Marysville; George Temple, Minneapolis; M. M. Ketchum, Spokane; Charles Dennis, Hoboken; Mon; Joe A. Leacock, Kalamazoo; James A. Morgan, Seattle; Frances O'Hara, Seattle.

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