

MINING IN THE BLACK HILLS

Victoria Company Uncovers Rich Ore in Ragged Top District.

WILL ERECT A CYANIDE PLANT

Omaha Parties Are Interested in the Company, Which Owns a Large Number of Valuable Claims.

DEADWOOD, S. D., Feb. 1.—(Special.)—

The Victoria Gold Mining and Milling company has recently uncovered some very rich ore in its Ragged Top district. The work which the company has been doing in the Ragged Top district proves that the big ore shoots which have been opened up in the Spearfish, Deadwood, Standard and other properties have their counterparts in the Ragged Top district.

MINING MAY BE SOLD

CURBER CITY, S. D., Feb. 1.—(Special.)—The Minnie May, located about three miles from this city, one of the best developed gold propositions in the district, and owned by Tom Dickson, has been sold for \$25,000 to eastern parties and the first payment has been made.

Cleopatra Shows Rich Ore.

The development work on the Cleopatra, which adjoins the Rip Rap group, is proceeding on the quartzite and a little ore is coming into the drift which has been started from the bottom of the deep shaft.

FEMALE PRACTICAL JOKERS

Doesn't the Stamford Affair Repute the Theory That Women Lack Humor.

From time immemorial, says the Chicago Tribune, they have been charged against women that they are lacking in, if not entirely destitute of, a sense of humor. The charge has been disputed over and over, but it is repeated persistently, even though one woman set herself up as a professional humorist and arranged to give a mouse baiting contest as one of its features.

Will Send a Carload to Denver.

LEAD, S. D., Feb. 1.—(Special.)—The Rex Mining company, which is developing a six-foot vein of free-milling ore on Whitehall gulch, a short distance from this city, will this week send a carload of the ore to Denver to have a mill test of it made.

A Little One-Sided.

"Some women are very unreasonable," said the young man. "I'll get you." "I'm afraid so. I'm expected to give up smoking. Here is a girl who recites 'Curfew Shall Not Ring Tonight,' plays popular marches on the piano, whether it's in tune or not, and cooks things in a chafin dish, who says she couldn't think of marrying a man who has any bad habits."—Washington Star.

ADJOINS, still with depth it is believed that the values will increase.

Examines the Ida-Florence.

T. R. Griffith of Bridge, Colo., has been in Keystone for several days making an examination of the Ida-Florence property, and so far as his examination has gone, Mr. Griffith expresses himself as very well pleased with the outlook for a rich mine. He believes that the vein from which so much rich ore has been taken is a permanent one and that with a little more development it will be a great producer.

The shaft on the Fraternity property is now down about seventy-five feet and when twenty-five feet further has been sunk, a station will be cut and drifting for the vein begun. The shaft will be sunk for several hundred feet, and at the various levels stations will be established.

RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR TO DATE.

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