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**Front Cover:** The headframe over the Ross Shaft at the Homestake Mine at Lead, South Dakota. Opened in 1934, the shaft eventually reached five thousand feet. Since the Homestake ceased production at the end of 2001, the Ross Shaft has been substantially rebuilt to the 4850 level—a five-year project concluded in October 2017—to support the International Deep Underground Neutrino Experiment to be conducted in the former mine, now the Sanford Underground Research Facility.

**Back Cover:** J. Hattenbach and Bro. Grocery on Sherman Street in Deadwood, South Dakota, built by Joseph and Aaron Hattenbach in 1895. As was often the case in mining towns, the brothers divided their time between maintaining their business and their efforts to strike it rich. Apparently arriving in the Black Hills in 1876, in 1881 they invested in silver mines in the Carbonate District northwest of Deadwood and established the first smelter in the district, one of the earliest in the Black Hills. The Hattenbachs also invested in the Two Bit District, east of Deadwood, in 1896, and the Ragged Top District to the northwest in 1897, but, as was also often the case, their grocery store did much better than any of their mining properties.