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This ore body, now worked out, was discovered in 1909 by Monarch, No. 1 Tunnel which struck it unexpectedly on its way to another ore body. As shewn in the picture this deposit missed having an outcrop by a few feet of rock only. Over 100,000 tons were opened up. Practically all this tonnage was shipped, the stoping loss being almost nil. The extraction of the remaining pillars recently caused the roof to fall in, the cave-in being facilitated by the slip shewn at the left. Almost all the ore was drawn from one chute - probably a record for a chute. With the exhaustion of this tope, the Gold Drop Mine became a mine of the past.



*Knob Hill - Ironsides Mine.*





