

J. G. Hiestand and R. D. Weir have secured a lease of the new Casino at the foot of the Cog road and will have it open for business as soon as it is possible to get it in shape. The construction of this place has led to a considerable enlargement of the original plan, and ground was broken today for another building, which will be located adjacent to it, covering the creek, the lower story to be 40x100 feet, and containing six bowling alleys, billiard tables, etc. while the upper story will be 60x100 feet, provided with the finest dancing floor in the state, made from the best quality of hard maple. The two buildings will be connected by an ornamental covered bridge spanning across from the second stories. The furnishings of each will be of a very extravagant and attractive character, and \$15,000 will be expended in the new project. The splendid Ouray iron spring which was recently discovered there, will be improved and put in shape for use, and the improvements to be made there will be one of an extensive nature, and when finished will make this one of the most attractive places in Colorado. The work will be pushed ahead now as rapidly as possible, and it is intended to have the new building completed by the middle of August.—*Manitou Journal*.