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North side of Wallace Street, between Main and Van Buren (Masonic
Temple on extreme right) whole block owned by Bovey Restorations, Inc.

WELLS FARGO & CO.
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Wells Fargo Office, recently restored and opened as a coffee house,
south side of Wallace, between Jackson and Main (whole block owned by
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Residence on south side of Idaho Street

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Fairweather Inn, modern hotel with Victorian decor, originally site of the Anaconda Saloon, then Humphrey's Gold Dredging Company in 1930s, then remodeled by Boveys into hotel in 1940s.



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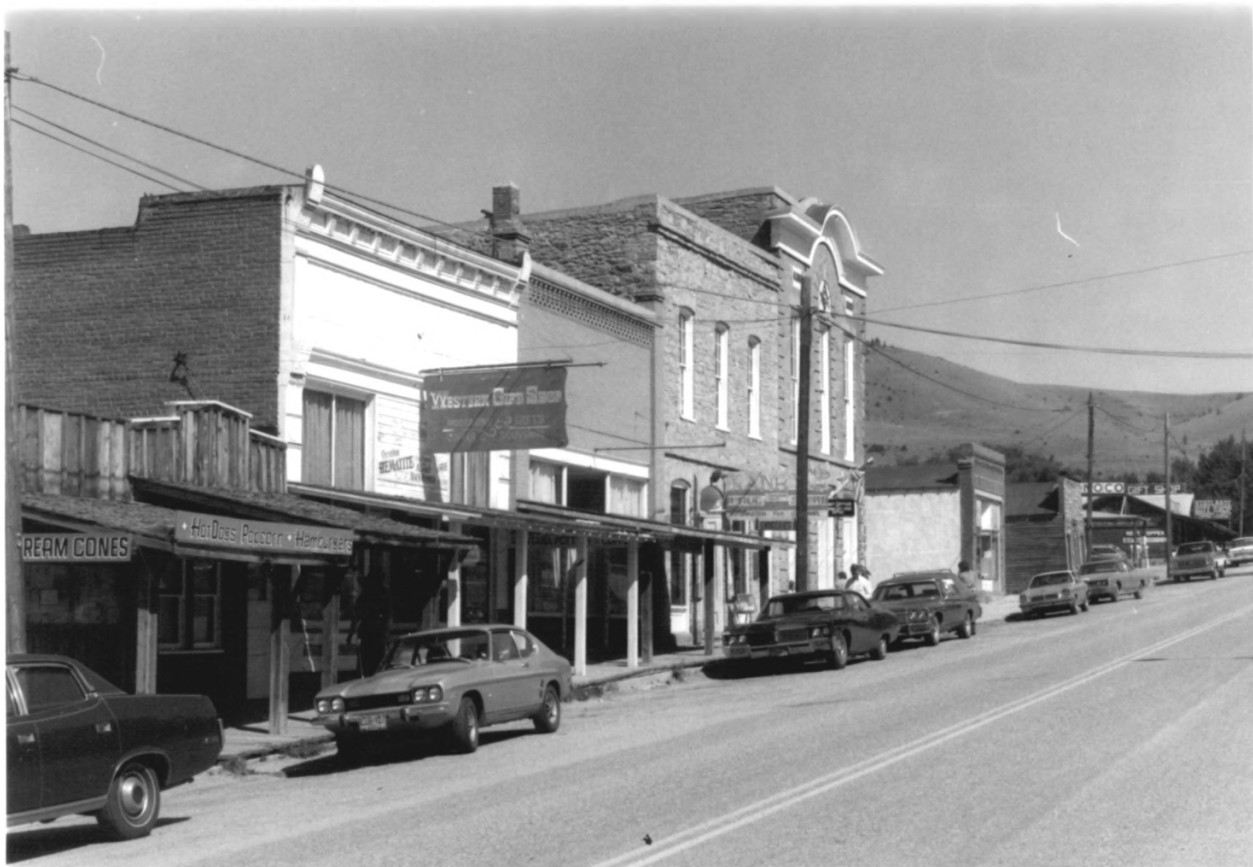
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Bonanza Inn, now a small hotel operated by Bovey Restorations, long known as the Catholic Sisters' hospital.



ICE CREAM CONES

Hot Dogs • Pies • Hamburgers

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North side of Wallace Street, between Jackson and Van Buren. Two-story stone building at center is Rank's Drug Store, which claims to be the State's oldest operating store and ^{scene} of Vigilante meetings. Right of that is the Masonic Temple (1864)



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Content Corner, center of town activity in gold rush days, Territorial officers' building, today operated as general store by Bob Golen, grandson of Va. City pioneer and vigilante. Now owned by Bovey Restorations, Inc.



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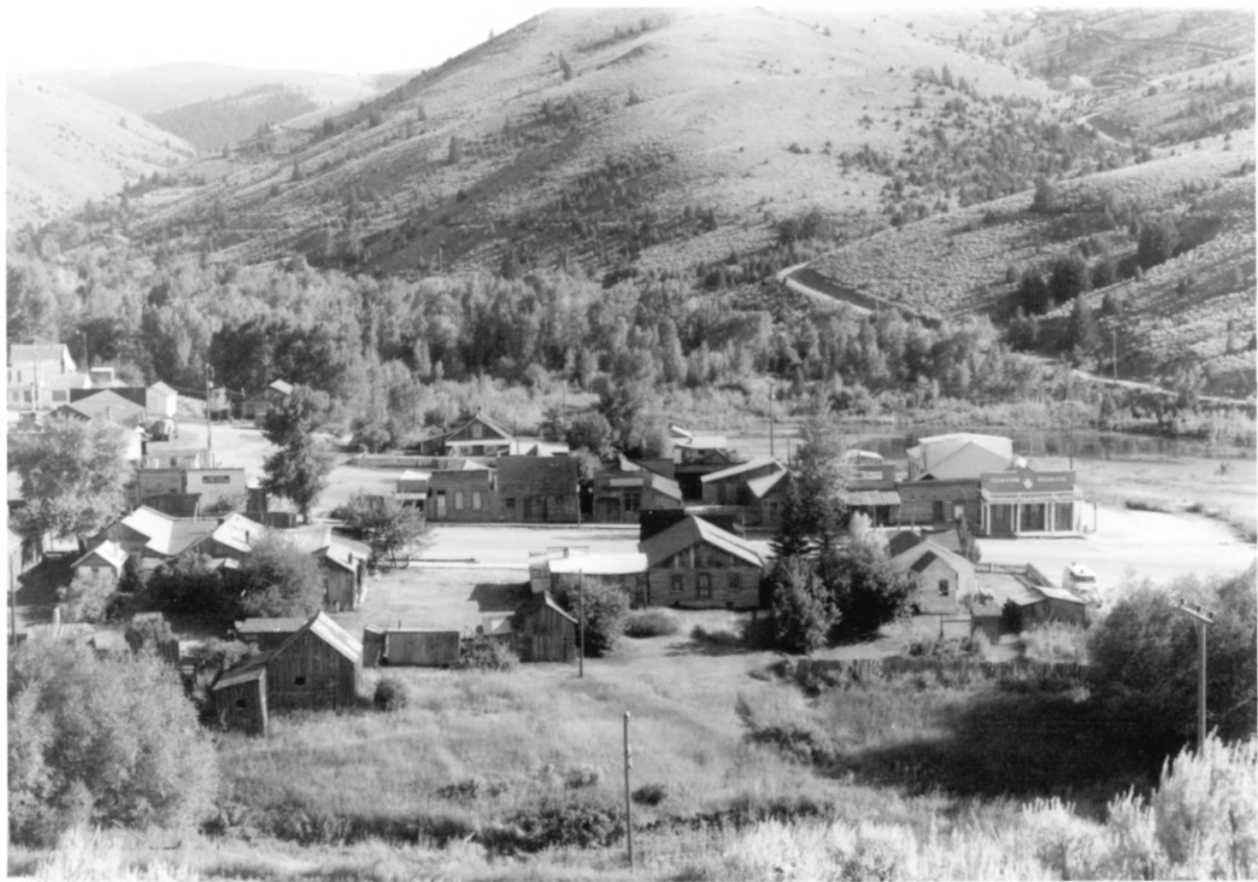
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View south of the west section of town, from Boot Hill



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View south, of the west end of town, from Boot Hill



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West end of Wallace St., view of east, Opera House and Bay of Hay
Saloon to the right.



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"Daylight Village," a modern motel with frontier town facades, constructed
by C. Bovey, located north of Wallace Street at east end of town.



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View south, of middle of town (courthouse in center with cupola)
from road leading to Boot Hill.



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View of southwest end of Wallace Street. At least several of these
frame structures have been moved to the site by Bovey Restorations, Inc.



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View of eastern section of town, looking southeast
from Boot Hill



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South side of Wallace Street, Content Corner west of Jackson

Frame buildings west of Bob's have been moved in by Bovey Restorations, Inc.