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STATEMENT.

Financial Condition of Lincoln County New Mexico

YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, A. D. 1902

BONDED INDEBTEDNESS

Bonds of 1880 6 per cent,	$ 1,300	
Bonds of 1894 6 per cent	[illegible]	
Bonds of 1897 6 per cent	41,075	
	$41,3[illegible]	

INTEREST BONDS 1880 FUND

To bal Jan 6, 1902	$101.01	
Rec'd from tax collections	168.65	
By war & coupons Jan $101.01		
By bal Jan 5 1903 123.38		
	$270.59	$270.59

INTEREST BONDS 1894 FUND

To bal Jan 6, 1902,	$1448.97	
To tax collections	562.64	
By war & coupons paid $533.02		
By bal Jan 5, 1903 1478.99		
	$2011.61	$2011.61

INTEREST BONDS 1897 FUND

To bal Jan 6 1902,	$1001.93	
To tax collections,	506.98	
By war & coupons paid $[illegible]		
By bal Jan 5, 1903, 794.00		
	$1508.93	$1508.93

ROADS AND BRIDGES FUND.

To bal Jan. 6, 1902,	$ 980.53	
To tax collections	1128.52	
By warrants paid, $ 779.40		
By bal Jan. 5, 1903, 1258.50		
	$2038.05	$2038.05

WILD ANIMAL BOUNTY FUND.

To bal Jan. 6, 1902.	$466.55	
To tax collections,	861.20	
By warrants cancelled, $331.80		
By bal Jan. 5 1903, 995.94		
	$1327.75	$1327.75

PRECINCT FINE FUND.

To bal Jan. 6, 1902	$250.00	
To fines collected	132.05	
By apportionment to schools, $374.05		
By bal Jan 5, 1903 8.00		
	$382.05	$382.05

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 18 BOND FUND

To cash from sale of bonds,	$12078.98	
By warrants paid, $12075.09		
Bal Jan 5th 1903. 3.20		
	$12078.98	$12078.98

JUDGMENT FUND

To balance Jan 6 1902	$1098.60	
cash Vanderbilt G M Co Jan [illegible]	[illegible]	
By warrant paid Assessor $37.03		
" bal Jan 5th 1903. 1937.98		
	$1975.01	$1975.01

CHAVES COUNTY INDEBTEDNESS FUND

To balance Jan 6th, 1902,	$590.00	
By bonds paid & can'l'd, $4075.00		
bal Jan 5th 1902, 1915.00		
	$5990.00	$5990.00

GENERAL COUNTY FUND.

To balance Jan 6th, 1902	$3859.00	
" tax & license collected	10044.02	
By warrants paid $10036.96		
bal Jan 5th 1903 1907.06		
	$13903.02	$13903.02

SCHOOL FUND

To bal Jan 6th, 1902	$3[illegible]	
" tax license etc	[illegible]	
By warrants paid & apportionments to school districts $10648.94		
By bal Jan 5th 1903 2555.08		
	$13204.02	$13204.02

COURT FUND.

To bal. Jan. 6th, 1902,	$4778.58	
tax collections	9990.18	
By warrants paid, $8085.23		
bal Jan. 5th, 1903, 5183.53		
	$13868.76	$13868.76

COURT HOUSE & JAIL REPAIR FUND.

To bal. Jan. 6th, 1902.	$587.27	
" tax collections.	1999.16	
By warrants paid $574.74		
" bal Jan. 5th, 1903, 1612.69		
	$2187.43	$2187.43

NORMAL INSTITUTE FUND.

To cash rec'd,	$66.00	
By warrants paid $60.35		
bal Jan 5th 1903. 5.65		
	$66.00	$66.00

JOHN PHELAN ESTATE.

To cash from L. H. Rudisille.	$44.30	
By bal. Jan 5th 1903, $44.30		
	$44.30	$44.30

PRECINCT No. 13 LIQUOR LICENSE

To cash rec'd,	$183.90	
bal Jan 5th, 1903 $183.90		
	$183.90	$183.90

SPECIAL LEVY SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 1.

To bal. Jan. 6th. 1902,	$60.34	
By coupons paid, $45.00		
" bal Jan 5th, 1903 15.34		
	$60.34	$60.34

SPECIAL LEVY SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 8.

To balance Jan. 6th, 1902.	$858.10	
tax collections,	1891.63	
By war nt & coupons pd, $1485.43		
" bal Jan. 5th. 1903 1364.30		
	$2749.73	$2749.73

SPECIAL LEVY SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 20.

To tax collections.	$25.20	
By bal. Jan. 5th. 1903. $25.20		
	$25.20	$25.20

SPECIAL LEVY SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 28.

To tax collections.	$185.46	
By bal. Jan. 5th, 1903, $185.46		
	$185.46	$185.46

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 1.

To bal. Jan 6th, 1902,	$974.11	
" gambling license	368.02	
" app't gen'l school fund,	1319.54	
" poll tax,	8.00	
" fines,	22.00	
liquor license,	736.00	
By warrants paid $2327.13		
bal Jan 5th 1903. 1101.14		
	$3428.27	$3428.27

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 2.

To bal Jan 6th, 1902,	$172.18	
app't general school fund,	390.77	
liquor license	61.33	
poll tax	21.60	
By warrants paid. $166.00		
bal Jan 5th 1903. 539.88		
	$645.88	$645.88

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 3.

To bal Jan 6th 1902,	$62.50	
app't general school fund,	125.94	
By warrants paid. $113.50		
" bal Jan 5th 1903. 74.94		
	$188.44	$188.44

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. [illegible]

To bal Jan 6th 1902	$408.70	
" liquor license.	61.33	
fines	14.00	
app't gen'l school fund,	355.00	
By warrants paid, $357.00		
bal Jan. 5th, 1903 381.39		
	$738.00	$738.00

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 5.

To bal Jan. 6th 1902.	$103.62	
app't gen'l school fund.	163.51	
" liquor license,	61.32	
By warrants paid $141.00		
bal Jan. 5th 1903. 247.45		
	$388.45	$388.45

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 6

To bal Jan 6th, 1902,	$242.80	
app't gen'l school fund,	357.20	
fines,	210.00	
By warrants paid, $345.28		
transfer to dist. 7, 119.17		
" bal. Jan. 5th 1903. 345.73		
	$810.18	$810.18

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 7.

To transfer from district 6.	$119.17	
" app't gen'l school fund,	146.35	
By warrants paid, $40.00		
" bal. Jan. 5th, 1903 225.52		
	$265.52	$265.52

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 8.

To bal. Jan. 6th, 1902,	$58.85	
" app't gen'l school fund.	1181.00	
" fines,	100.00	
" liquor license,	300.01	
" gambling license,	40.00	
" poll tax,	150.00	
" transfer from special levy fund.	45.00	
By. warrants paid, $1631.35		
bal. Jan. 5th, 1903 343.83		
	$1975.18	$1975.18

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 9.

To transfer from district 11.	$45.57	
" app't gen'l school fund,	[illegible]	
By warrants paid, $80.00		
" bal. Jan. 5th, 1903. 96.08		
	$176.08	$176.08

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 11

To bal. 1st 6th, 1902,	$319.05	
" app't gen'l school fund.	407.79	
" liquor license,	306.03	
" poll tax,	33.75	
By warrants paid, $539.85		
" bal. 1st 5th, 1903. 528.27		
	$1068.12	$1068.12

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 12.

To bal. 1st 6th, 1902,	$337.90	
" app't gen'l school fund,	553.59	
" poll tax,	20.00	
" liquor license,	245.33	
By warrants paid. $110.00		
" transfer to dist. 25. 95.15		
" 1st 5th, 1903, 751.67		
	$956.82	$956.82

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 14.

To bal. 1st 6th 1902.	$183.40	
" app't gen'l fund,	285.52	
By warrants paid, $188.55		
" bal. 1st 5th, 1903, 280.37		
	$468.92	$468.92

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 15.

To bal. 1st 6th, 1902,	$36.10	
" app't gen'l school fund.	199.50	
" poll tax,	13.00	
By warrants paid, $75.00		
" bal 1st 5th, 1903. 83.69		
	$158.69	$158.69

DISTRICT No. 16.

To bal. 1st 6th, 1902,	$140.00	
" app't gen'l school fund,	334.32	
" poll tax,	5.40	
By warrants paid, $315.00		
" bal. 1st 5th, 1903. 165.32		
	$480.32	480.32

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 18.

To bal. 1st 6th, 1902,	$104.25	
" app't gen'l school fund.	223.03	
" fines,	3.00	
" liquor license,	42.00	
By warrants paid, 87.50		
" bal. 1st 5th, 1903, 364.78		
	452.28	452.28

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 20.

To bal. 1st 6th. 1902,	$21.05	
" app't gen'l school fund,	385.94	
" bal. rec'd from bonds,	140.00	
" liquor license,	61.32	
By warrants paid. 678.32		
" bal. 1st 5th. 1903, [illegible]		
	$1098.31	$1098.31

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 25.

To transfer dist. 12,	95.15	
" app't gen'l school fund,	81.13	
By warrants paid. 5.00		
" bal. 1st 5th, 1903, 141.28		
	176.28	176.28

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 27.

To bal. 1st 6th, 1902,	122.81	
" app't gen'l school fund,	190.00	
" fines,	41.00	
By warrants paid, 90.00		
" bal. 1st 5th, 1903. 235.47		
	334.47	334.47

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 28.

To bal. 1st 6th, 1902,	939.58	
" app't gen'l school fund,	1245.50	
" fines.	230.00	
" poll tax,	16.70	
" liquor license,	190.07	
By warrants paid, 2550.97		
" bal. 1st 5th, 1903 402.44		
	2953.41	2953.41

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 32.

To bal. 1st 6th, 1903,	144.98	
app't gen'l school fund	960.05	
" liquor license,	76.04	
By warrants paid, 528.47		
" bal. 1st 5th, 1903, 793.20		
	1231.67	1231.67

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 33

To bal. 1st 6th, 1902,	202.75	
" app't gen'l school fund,	1[illegible].05	
" fines,	[illegible].00	
" liquor license,	[illegible].32	
By warrants paid, 401.95		
" bal. 1st 5th, 1903 279.17		
	681.12	681.12

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 35.

To bal. 1st 6th, 1902.	46.88	
" app't gen'l school fund	119.54	
" poll tax.	8.00	
By warrant paid, 71.00		
" bal. 1st 5th, 1903. 74.42		
	145.42	145.42

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 40.

To bal. 1st 6th, 1902.	234.33	
app't gen'l school fund,	183.40	
" poll tax,	10.00	
By warrants paid 323.25		
" bal. 1st 5th, 1903 104.43		
	427.63	427.63

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 43.

To bal. 1st 6th, 1902,	567.27	
app't gen'l school fund	190.44	
" liquor license	122.05	
" poll tax,	16.20	
By warrants paid 208.44		
" 1st 5th, 1903 577.00		
	875.55	875.55

Total cash in Treasury January 5th, A. D. 1903, $32,440.93.

J. Leslie Ellis, Clerk of the Probate Court and Ex-Officio Recorder of the County of Lincoln New Mexico, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct statement of the financial condition of Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the records of this office.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto signed my name and affixed my official seal, this the 25th day of April, A. D. 1903.

LESLIE ELLIS,
Probate Clerk and Ex-Officio Recorder of Lincoln county, New Mexico.

Oil Situation at Santa Rosa.

The O. K. Crude oil company of Santa Rosa, N. M., is about the only company operating in that field that is now doing any active development work.

This company is now down to a depth of 850 feet, but as yet has not struck oil in commercial quantities. Lately the company has made very slow progress in drilling and is experiencing considerable trouble in getting the machinery out of the well and several new parts have had to be replaced.

Work has been suspended on the Newman well and the machinery will be used in drilling another by another company a mile or so distant from the Newman well. The most of the companies are evidently holding off to let the present companies that are drilling explore the field.

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Notice of Suit.

In the District Court, Lincoln County New Mexico.

Orson E. Clark, vs. The Apex Gold Mining Company, A. F. Smith, A. F. Smith, Trustee, Martha A. Smith, Charles M. Putnam, S. P. Wardwell, Lynn Mining and Industrial Company, Charles H. Baker, William J. Creighton, George A. Creighton, Louis G. Brockway, John G. Foster, William Watson and Alfredo Gonzales. No. 1110.

To the defendants, The Apex Gold Mining Company, A. F. Smith, A. F. Smith, Trustee, Martha A. Smith, Charles M. Putman, P. S. Wardwell, Charles H. Baker, William J. Creighton, George A. Creighton, and Louis G. Brockway: You are notified that a suit in Chancery has been commenced against you in the District Court, for the County of Lincoln, Territory of New Mexico, by Orson E. Clark Complainant.

The general objects of said suit are to set aside, a judgment of the Lincoln District Court, against the North Homestake Company, to set aside an order of sale under said judgment, to set aside and cancel Sheriff's sale, to set aside and cancel Sheriff's deed, to William Watson, to set aside and cancel deed of the said Watson to the Lynn Mining and Industrial Company, regarding the North Homestake Mine and other property belonging to the Apex Gold Mining Company, in White Oaks Mining District, in said county and Territory, to re-establish in, and restore to the said Apex Gold Mining Company all of its corporate property, to have a Receiver appointed to take charge of said property to enjoin the said Lynn Mining and Industrial Company et al, from interfering with said corporate property, to authorize and empower the shareholders of said Apex Gold Mining Company to meet and elect directors of said Company and to pay the indebtedness of said Company, and to wind up the business of said Company, if the same be necessary, and for other relief in the premises and unless you enter your appearance in said suit on or before the [illegible] day of May, A. D. 1903 judgment by default, and a decree pro confesso therein will be rendered against you.

JOHN E. GRIFFITH, Clerk

By E. W. HUBBERT, Deputy.

Geo. W. Prichard, White Oaks, New Mexico, Attorney for Complainant.

First publication April [illegible]

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Notice For Publication.

Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, February 25, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim and that said proof will be made before the United States Commissioner at Lincoln, New Mexico, on April 14th, 1903 viz: Francisco Otero, Homestead application No. 415, for the w½ se¼ sec. 8 and w½ ne¼ sec. 17, twp. 7 s., range 14 e.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Jesus Mirabal, Ramon Mirabal, Ramon Luran and Crecensio Gamboa, all of Lincoln, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Roswell, N. M., March 16, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim and that said proof will be made before the United States Commissioner at Lincoln, New Mexico, on May 1st, 1903, viz: Franklin A. Dubois, Homestead application No. 2287, for the e½ se¼, sec. 5, and the s½ sw¼ sec 4, twp. 1 s., [illegible] 13 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz.

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THURSDAY, MAY 7, 1903.

A Stay of Penalty.

Property owners and taxpayers are required, under the law, to file schedules for assessment on or before the 30th day of April each year. A penalty of 25 per cent for failure to comply with the law will be added to their property valuations by the assessor.

The foregoing article which appeared in the last week's Capitan Progress is erroneous. While that may be the Statutory Law it is left entirely to the discretion of the assessor. The Territorial Auditor was late in getting blank schedules to us and the assessor is not to blame for the delay.

There will be no penalty added to a schedule turned in before the first Monday in June.

R. V. Hurt, Assessor.
By Roy Gorsuch, Deputy Assessor.

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Cement Factory.

V. Lawrence and business associates will open a new cement factory at once on the Pecos river about fifteen miles from the city. This is an important news item, as the new factory will be a large one and will employ not less than 50 men. Mr. Lawrence thoroughly understands the business being connected with the cement factory at Acme, Texas, which is the largest one in the state. This will be a great benefit to Roswell, as the workmen will make this their trading point. Mr. Lawrence was having the site surveyed yesterday. Roswell Record.

Friends.

Thomas E. Keith, Curtis, Texas, and Judge Davenport, Tularosa, formerly of Eastland, Texas, long time friends, and at the same time several years ago county commissioner and county judge, respectfully of Eastland county, met here in White Oaks Tuesday morning.

Mr. Keith is a Texas attorney and yet lives at Curtis. Mr. Davenport is interested in mines in Jicarilla and one of the owners of the Tularosa Democrat.

Badger fighting is getting to be a popular sport now at Carrizozo. One of the hardest fought battles that probably ever occurred took place there a few days ago.

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May Day Party at Eagle Hall Largely Attended.

LOCAL NEWS OF INTEREST.

Regular Correspondence.

Mr. Leach of Chicago, who is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Austin, was a guest at the May day party at Eagle Hall.

Amos Gaylord and miss Minnie Gaylord were guests of the Rices at their May day party. Misses Mae and Ula Gilmore were also among the guests.

Miss Ula Gilmore will begin Monday a three months school at the Eagle Creek school house, situated at the mouth of Tan Bark canyon. Miss Gilmore is an excellent teacher and we are glad to have her in this neighborhood.

Among the party from your town who were guests at the Eagle Hall May day dance, we noticed the following: E. L. Stewart, J. A. Gumm, Marshall Parker, Misses Mabel Stewart and Bessie Reid.

Miss Pettibone, of Chicago, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Rice and family for some time, will return home in about two weeks. She is greatly infatuated with our mountains and perpetual sunshine.

P. G. Peters, of Angus, informs us that the fruit crop is entirely destroyed. The freeze a few nights ago did the work. The weather man may now go way back and sit down, as no further damage may be done in this season's fruit business.

We are not a knocker nor kicker, but we wish a rattle snake would bite the man who fenced up the road in Nogal canyon, and that too when he is a thousand miles from a remedy. Where is the road supervisor and what is the matter with the county commissioners?

There is plenty of water in the Rio Bonito, but the speckled beauties are very scarce. The fishing season opens 15 days earlier than heretofore, this being a provision of the Acts of our last territorial Assembly. The angler would better look out for the eagle eye of the game warden, however, as he has strict orders to vigorously prosecute offenders. This fish law is a failure though, at best, the open season should begin at least a month later and close a month earlier in order to preserve the trout. Trout are just beginning to spawn about May 15, consequently the catch of a half dozen may be the means of destroying as many thousand of spawn. If the streams are thronged with fisherman from the 15th of May through the open season, trout fishing in Lincoln county will hereafter be a thing of the past.

MAY-DAY PARTY.

The May day party at Mr. Rice's was the social event of the life of Parsons. The guests began arriving at about 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and all were present in time for dinner. Promptly at 8 o'clock the masqueraders appeared in the large decorated hall, the last two being Mrs. Garst and Miss Rice, who at the piano, sang a duet, "My Kentucky Babe." Following was the Grand March and mask dancing until 10 o'clock, when masks were discarded and dance continued to 12 o'clock, at which time refreshments were served. Supper over the music was going, and the fun resumed, continuing on, and on, to the "Wee sma' hours." During the course of the happy hours, swiftly flitting, were such selections as "Oh that we two were Maying," and "Go Lovely Rose," by Mr. and Mrs. Garst and "Father O' Flin," by Mr. Garst. Efficient hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Rice, Misses Helen and Irene Rice and Mr. Grace Austin, to all of whom much credit is due for the pleasant and agreeable manner of entertaining those present.

After breakfast the guests visited the Hopeful mine and other places of interest, returning in time for luncheon, after which they began taking their departure.

Baxter Register.

T. F. Wurzien, Denver; Richard Hall, San Francisco; Charles Knoblock, El Paso; C. B. Hatfield, Joe Ross, E. H. Talbot, M. H. Price wife and daughter, Jicarilla; E. G. Knotts, Chicago; Geo. W. Harbin, Waterloo, Iowa; W. A. McIvers, C. E. Niles, Nogal; W. S. Peters, C. F. Goddard, Ancho; H. M. Beason, C. M. Gale, J. E. Shiffbette, Carrizozo; J. V. Lathain, Alamogordo; J. M. Rice and wife, Parsons.

L. J. McCourt, Armour's man, made his regular round this week. Mrs. McCourt and children are coming up soon and will spend the summer here.

Advertised Letter List.

Letters remaining uncalled for in the White Oaks postoffice May 1, 1903:

Mr. Albert Cook
Mr. Domenico Gisols
Mr. Buck Moore
Mr. S. H. McKnight
Mr. H. D. Reiseen
Mr. William Yeats

Respectfully,
JOHN A. BROWN, P. M.

The Mining School "Expert."

A dainty little expert
With his pretty little pick
Dropped from the stage one evening
At the camp of Cherry Creek.
He wore bright yellow leggings,
All free from dirt and dust,
Astride his nose were glasses,
His pick was free from rust.
At sunrise the next morning
He started for the mines,
He peered at float and boulders,
Then gazed about for "signs."
Old miners stood awe stricken
As he swung his little pick
While tallow dripped from candles
And flame crept down the wick.
He talked of "faults" and "gash veins"
Of "fissures," "contracts," "lodes,"
Of "Apex," "trend" and "angle,"
Discussed the mining codes.
Of oxides, shale and schist,
Of wonderous ledges he had struck
Which common men had missed.
He called the stope a tunnel,
The winze he named a shaft,
And when he spied an upraise
He said it was a draught.
At last a grim old miner
Who'd watched the little game,
Pulled out a shining "specimen"
And begged to know its name.
With lips compressed and furrowed brow
The expert blandly eyes
The curious rock, looked wise, and said
"That's copper, red oxide."
Then rose a shout of laughter
At the expert with his pick.
For the "red oxide of copper"
Was common old redbrick.
The mining school young expert,
Dropped tape and sampling pick,
And vanished, cussing men and mines,
In the camp of Cherry Creek.

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'Teddy's comin'! Teddy's comin'!
O'er the wires it goes a-hummin
People at the train, hooravin,
Flags a-wavin', bands a-plavin',
Soldiers through the streets paradin',
Sire an' dame an' youth an' maiden
Rubberneckin' at the stations
Mothers with the kids named "Teddy"
Got their faces washed an' ready
For the kisses they're a thinkin
Sure 'll happen, an' the blinkin
Little popsies hear the clatter
Wonderin' w'at t'ell's the matter!
Some a-grinnin', some a-screamin',
Some asleep an' sweetly dreamin',
Brides an' grooms in bran new dressin
Wait the presidential blessin'
An' the earnest adjuration
To increase the population.
Cowboys with their spurs a-clinkin',
Whoopin' like they had been drinkin'
Somethin' worse than apple cider,
Wait to greet the boss Rough Rider
City mayors, politicians,
Men in federal positions,
Congressmen who seek his favors
Corner grocery country savers,
Old spell-binders, hot-air fellows
Loaded like a blacksmith's bellows,
With excitement all a-bristle,
Wait the tootin' of the whistle
Kodak ketchers standin' ready
For a snap at tourin' Teddy,
Democratic wise-heads standin'
'Round in little groups an' handin'
Out some language to each other
Of the way in which they'll smother
The ambitious of the terror
If they get the standard bearer
That they win' ag'in this rover,
Which his name begins with Grover.
On the back porch of the pullman
Stands the great died in the wool-man,
Stands the stalwart, through his glasses,
Scan up the crazy masses
With those far famed ivories gleamin
Through the smile he's set a-beamin'
On the face the cartoon wretches
Mangle in their funny sketches,
And he thinks while he is bowin
To the cheerin' an' kow towin
If this fever effervescence
Kin be held from convalescence,
Kin be kept in proper action
Till the day of next election
There will be some more tooth gnashes
Le some more sackcloth in ashes
A' the Democratic legions
Hit the pike fur way-back regions,
Weary Grover sadly leadin',
With his neck all gashed an' bleedin'.

James Barton Adams in Denver Post

LOCAL and PERSONAL NEWS.

Corn and Millet seed at T. M. & T. Co's.

Cake Keith is at work on the lumber yards at Almogordo.

A May day dance was had at Jicarilla last Friday night.

One hundred Coke ovens are now in operation at Dawson, N. M.

W. C. McDonald, who only a short time ago shipped 1,000 head of cattle east, is now gathering for a second shipment.

Texas Park had one of their noted bailes last Friday night. A number of people attended from town.

Jessie Vanderyort went to the Jicarillas Tuesday to accept a position on the Big Placer machine for the American Placer Co.

Jos. A. Gumm went to the Jicarillas Tuesday to assist Mr. Goddard in surveying some placer claims for the American Placer Co.

The latest styles of Hamilton & Brown's shoes will soon be in; wait for them it will pay you. T. M. & T. Co.

W. H. Lumbly, that indefatigable worker for the Singer Sewing Machine people was in the city yesterday.

Dr. Welch Pentecost informs the Eagle that he will be in his office in White Oaks upstairs in the Hewitt block the week beginning May 11th.

John A. Brown went to Albuquerque, to meet the G. A. R. of the territory, and as a member of the reception committee to meet the President.

Mayflower Lodge No. 10 Knights of Pythias, Capitan, are going to entertain to-night. Several members of the order will attend from Nogal and White Oaks.

Miss Edna Pankey will leave this afternoon, returning to Dallas to take her place as teacher of stenography in one of the schools of that city.

The public school, a long and useful term, ends here next week. White Oaks has always had the best public school in the county and this year's term has been especially profitable.

Col. G. W. Prichard and wife went out on Saturday's stage enroute to Santa Fe, where Col. Prichard has legal business. They will probably go on to California to spend the season at Catalina Island.

Sebe Gray arrived in the city yesterday from Capitan, the White Oaks country, to personally supervise the training of his race horse, Capitan, which he will take on the eastern circuit this summer. El Paso Times.

Jhon M. Keith, Thomas E. Keith, Miss Pearl Keith and Miss Nettie Lee went to Alamogordo Tuesday. Thomas Keith enroute to San Antonio, Texas, and the rest of the party to attend the Methodist Conference now in session at that place.

Mrs. H. B. Atkinson is seriously sick of pneumonia. Mr. Atkinson brought her to town from their home at Corona for medical aid. Dr. Paden is attending her. They occupy the Watson cottage on the south side.

Fruit Generally Killed.

The Rinaldo fruit was done up on the morning of April 30, all fruit was frozen and killed. I dont know to what extent this is the case over the county, but after a thorough examination of my own orchard I find that the fruit crop for this year will be a total failure here, and I find it is general through this section. J. N. Cox.

A Good Time.

The knight's entertainment last Friday evening was a great success, about 125 people being present. Judge Hudspeth's address was greatly appreciated by all who heard him. The program of music was excellent. The hit of the program of music was rendered by Miss Gusta Kastler. I Am a Dude. A. Ridgeway also highly entertained for a few minutes with the recitation, "Making Coal for Baer."

JICARILLA NEWS.

The Camp is the Busiest Place in all of Lincoln County.

Regular Correspondence.

W. A. McIvers has moved into the camp and has gone to work in Jack mountain. He intends to remain here for some time.

Joe Gumm is here from White Oaks surveying a townsite. The place selected is ideal if sufficient water may be had, which is almost certain to be developed at a shallow depth.

E. H. Talbot has bought Ludlam's horse and now moves around the camp with apparent satisfaction. Mr. Talbot has a small force at work on the Geneva.

The camp puts on a business look every day now at the postoffice. A good number of strangers coming right along looking for mines and mining prospects.

The contract for the poles for a telephone line to Ancho has been let, thus we will soon have connection with the outside world. There is some talk of changing the mail route from White Oaks to Ancho and making it tri-weekly.

Messrs. Stewart and Handy are doing assessment work on the Belmont.

Geo. Tompkins has returned from Roswell and is at work on the Juana and Conrad claims, both of them showing up well.

Alto News.

Regular Correspondence.

The freeze on the 28, 29 and 30th of April killed about all the fruit in the white mountain country. All garden vegetables were killed.

The people of Alto and Angus communities met at Angus the first Saturday in May and worked all day in clearing up and fencing the cemetery, which had been neglected for several years. At noon every body partook of a bountiful repast provided by the women.

Mr. W. H. Walker gave the young folks a party the night of May 1.

The Misses Gilmore attended an entertainment given at Mr. John Rice's of Parsons.

Miss Ula Gilmore begins teaching a three months school at Parsons Monday 4.

Mr. Pettibone and daughter Charlotte stopped over night on Eagle Creek last night at Mr. Gilmore's. They were on their way to La Luz from where they will go to Chicago in a few days.

Mr. F. W. Peebles has returned from the rail road. Horace Slack of Alto has gone to the R. R. with his teams. Mr. Slack, the mill man, has a great deal of lumber on his yard now.

M. A. Wharton & Co. Burned Out.

Regular Correspondence.

Wharton's store was burned to the ground last night. Walter Hyde and John Wharton arrested Francisco Analla for setting the store on fire. Also arrested Timoteo Analla for resisting an officer. They were taken to Capitan today to have preliminary hearing. John Wharton tracked Francisco Analla from the store building to his home, got the horse he rode and also Analla's boots which correspond exactly with the track made near the house. horse was tied at the creek, and then Analla took the horse home, riding him part of the way and walking part of the way, found the horse at Analla's house and saddle-blankets were wet, horse tracks correspond exactly with the tracks near the creek where the horse was tied.

Wharton lost everything, store building and all the goods, dwelling not burned. Fire started about 3 o'clock Wednesday morning.

LINCOLN, N. M., 4-28-03.

Cabinet Photographs.

For the next few days we will make Cabinet Photos at $2.00 per dozen, and all other sizes at proportional rates. Photo tent on White Oaks avenue.

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Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico,
April 20, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the United States Commissioner at Lincoln, New Mexico, on June 15, 1903, viz: Arch Parker, Homestead application No. 10142, for the nw¼ ne¼, n½ nw¼ and sw¼ nw¼, Sec. 7, T. 10 S., R. 14 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Geo. W. Barrett, George Akers, Reuben Copeland and B. R. Land, all of Angus, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

First publication May 7, 1903.

Roy Gumm has sufficiently recovered from his wound to assume his duties as deputy assessor for this end of the county.

A new smoke stack for the Old Abe mine arrived this week. The heavy wind a short time ago wrecked the old one at the mill.

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Teachers' Institute.

The regular Teachers' institute is to be held at Capitan, beginning on Monday, August 3rd, 1903, and to be in session four weeks. The regular examination of teachers takes place on Friday, August 28th.

As heretofore, teachers are required to attend the County Institute at least two weeks; but as little benefit work can be done in such a limited term, it has been decided that we have two weeks longer session than usual, and it is to be hoped that all teachers will attend the full time.

EDW. J. COX,
County Supt. of Schools.

Supreme Court Term.

The supreme Court meets at Santa Fe the first Wednesday after the first Monday in January.

Terms of District Courts.

FIRST DISTRICT.

At Santa Fe, United States Court First Mondays in March and September.

Santa Fe County First Mondays in March and september at Santa Fe.

Rio Arriba County Fourth Mondays in April and October, at Tierra Amarilla.

San Juan County Second Mondays in April and October, at Aztec.

Taos County Third Mondays in May and September, at Taos.

SECOND DISTRICT.

At Albuquerque, United States Supreme Court Third Mondays in March and September.

Bernalillo County Third Mondays in March and September, at Albuquerque.

McKinley County First Monday in June and third Monday in November, at Gallup.

Sandoval County To be designated by District Judge.

Valencia County First Mondays in March and September, at Los Lunas.

THIRD DISTRICT.

At Las Cruces, United States Court First Mondays in April and October.

Dona Ana County First Mondays in April and October, at Las Cruces.

Grant County First Mondays in March and September, at Silver City.

Luna County Second Mondays in June and December, at Deming.

Otero County First Mondays in May and November, at Alamogordo.

Sierra County, Fourth Mondays in May and November, at Hillsboro.

FOURTH DISTRICT.

At Las Vegas, United States Court Second Mondays in May and November.

San Miguel County Second Mondays in May and November, at Las Vegas.

Colfax County Third Mondays in March and September, at Raton.

Mora County Fourth Mondays in April and October, at Mora.

Quay County To be designated by District Judge, at Tucumcari.

Union County First Mondays in March and September, at Clayton.

Wood County Fourth Mondays in April and October, at Santa Rosa.

FIFTH DISTRICT.

At Socorro, United States Court Third Monday in May and fourth Monday in November.

Socorro County Third Monday in May and fourth Monday in November, at Socorro.

Chaves County Second Monday in April and Third Monday in October, at Roswell.

Eddy County Fifth Monday in March and first Monday in October, in Carlsbad.

Lincoln County First Mondays in March and September, at Lincoln.

Roosevelt County Third Mondays in March and October, at Portales.

A complete and well assorted stock of job supplies just received a few days ago. We can do your printing.

New Schedule.

The following is the schedule of departures and arrivals of mails, Carrizozo to White Oaks, now in effect

Leaves White Oaks.....at 6 p. m.
Arrive Carrizozo.....at 8 30 p. m.

Leave Carrizozo daily, after receipt of mail from train but not later than 8 o'clock; and arrived at White Oaks in two hours and thirty minutes.

Postmaster Brown informs us that under this new schedule mail for rail road closes at 5:30 p. m.

The Tucumcari Times says that city's postoffice will be made a presidential office about July 1.

In the District Court.

Territory of New Mexico,
County of Lincoln.

Sidney M. Parker, Plaintiff,
vs.
Benjamin F. Gumm,
Martha A. Gumm,
The San Miguil Bank of Las Vegas, N. M.
Defendants

Whereas by a decree entered in said court on the 8th day of December 1902, in above entitled cause, it was ordered and decreed that certain mortgage given by the said defendants, Benjamin F. Gumm and Martha A. Gumm be foreclosed, and that the property be sold at public auction; and whereas the undersigned, having been appointed special master to conduct said sale,

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of said decree and order, I the undersigned, will, on Monday, the 4th day of May, 1903, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, expose for sale at public auction, and sell to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the Postoffice, in the town of White Oaks, Lincoln county, New Mex., the following described property

Lots 1, 2 & 3 in Block 6, in the Buckhorn Addition to the town of White Oaks N. M. together with the improvements, houses, buildings, and appurtenances to the same belonging or in anywise appertaining.

To the purchaser thereof I will execute a good and sufficient deed.

The amount due on day of sale will be $1194.15 and costs of sale.

EUGENE L. STEWART
Special Master.

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E. P. N. E. TIME CARD.

Effective April 5, passenger trains will run as follows: No. 1 changed to No. 3 and No. 2 changed to No. 4. Nos. 43 and 44 abandoned, but will run as specials semi-weekly.

No. 1 NORTHBOUND.		
Leave	El Paso at	8 10 p.m.
Arr.	Hereford at	8:39 "
Arr.	Jarilla Junction	9 28 "
Arr.	Alamogordo	10 35 "
Leave	"	10 50 "
Arr.	Toularosa	11 15 "
Arr.	Oscura	12 20 a.m.
Arr.	Carrizozo	1 00 "
Leave	"	1 10 "
Arr.	Ancho	2 14 "
Arr.	Corona	3 33 "
Arr.	Torrance	5 40 "
Arr.	Merino	1 17 "
Arr.	Pastura	5 55 "
Arr.	Santa Rosa	6 55 "
No. 4 SOUTHBOUND		
Leave	Santa Rosa	10 30 p.m.
"	Pastura	11 34 "
"	Marino	1 20 a.m.
	Torrance	1 17 "
"	Corona	2 12 "
"	Ancho	3 11 "
Arr.	Carrizozo	4 00 "
Leave	Carrizozo	4:10 "
"	Oscura	4 44 "
"	Toularosa	5 42 "
Arr.	Alamogordo	6 05 "
Leave	"	6 20 "
"	Jarilla Junction	7 25 "
"	Hereford	8 15 "
Arr.	El Paso	9 00 "

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Leonard Wood County Officers Named.

Governor Otero today appointed the following officers of Leonard Wood county: County commissioners, 1st district, Benigno Padilla; 2d district, J. C. Thomas; 3rd district, Reymundo Harrison; sheriff, Leandro Casaus; clerk, Manual B. Baca; assessor, Juan B. Giddings; treasurer, Leopoldo Sanchez; probate judge, Florencio Garcia; superintendent of schools, Fred L. Braun.

The above named appointed for Leonard Wood county, were elected on the Democratic ticket on November 4, 1902, as officials of Guadalupe county, with the exception of Fred L. Braun, appointed county superintendent of schools, whose appointment was made to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Geo. Milnor Rudolph, elected superintendent of schools of Guadalupe county at the November 1902, election, was found to reside in the new county of Quay. Mr. Rudolph was appointed county superintendent of schools of that county at the time the offices there were filled by appointment by Governor Otero. The governor took the action above detailed as he wished to name officials who had support of the people and as the above named, with the exception of Braun, were elected to the same offices in the old county of Guadalupe out of which the new county of Leonard Wood was created, he acted in accordance with the desires of the people and upon the principle that it was just and proper, that the offices of Leonard Wood should be held until January 1, 1905, by the men who were entitled to them by election in the old county. The fact that all these officials are Democrats in politics, the governor thought should not militate against their just rights in the premises. Many petitions from the people of Leonard Wood county for the re-appointment of these men have been received at executive office and the governor wished to and gave them full and due consideration, as his action proves.

California Excusions.

Commencing February 15th, the E. P. & N. E. Ry. will sell second class tickets to California points at a very low rate of fare, and in addition will allow liberal stop-overs. For full information call on the undersigned.

W. E. PALMER, Agent,
Carrizozo, N. M.

Notice For Publication.

Mining Application No. 17
United States Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
February 23, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that William S. Peters, whose post-office address is White Oaks, New Mexico, has this day filed his application for a patent for fifteen hundred linear feet of the Argonaut Lode mine or vein bearing gold and other metals, with surface ground four hundred and fifty feet in width, situated in Jicarilla Mining District, Lincoln county, New Mexico, and designated by the field notes and official plat on file in this office as survey No. 1144, in Township 5 south, range 12, east of New Mexico Principal Meridian. Said survey No. 1144 being described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at corner No. 1, a porphyry stone, 7x10x30 inches long, set half in ground, chiseled 1-1144 on the side facing the claim, from which the standard corner to section 33 and 34, township 5 south, of range 12 east, New Mexico Principal Meridian, unsurveyed, which is a sandstone 3x10x12 ins. above ground, chiseled with 3 notches on east and west sides and S C on south side, bears south 6° 08' west 8206.01 feet distant.

Thence north 36° 35' e. (var. 12° 15' e.) 1500 feet to corner No. 2, a granite stone 6x12x27 inches long, set half in ground, chiseled 2-1144 on side facing the claim.

Thence north 50° w. (var. 12° 15' e.) 450 feet to corner No. 3, a porphyry stone 2x10x26 inches long, set half in ground, chiseled 3-1144 on side facing the claim.

Thence south 36° 35' w. (var. 12° e.) 1500 feet to corner No. 4, a porphyry stone 6x12x24 inches long, set half in ground, chiseled 4-1144 on side facing the claim.

Thence south 50° e., (var. 12° e.) 450 feet to corner No. 1 place of beginning. Containing 15.45 acres.

The location of this mine is recorded in the Recorder's office of Lincoln county New Mexico, in Book O record of mining locations of said county on page 41.

The adjoining claimants are, on the north, Eureka Lode claim, W. S. Peters A. N. Price claimants. On the east, Buckeye State Lode claim, W. S. Peters claimant. On the west, South Ancho Placer claim Geo. W. Prichard, M. G. Paden et al, claimants.

And all persons claiming adversely any portion of said Argonaut Lode mine or surface ground are required to file their adverse claims with the Register of the United States Land Office at Roswell in the Territory of New Mexico, during the sixty days period of publication hereof, or they will be barred by virtue of the provisions of the statute.

HOWARD LELAND,
Register.

First publication March 5th—10 weeks.

Notice for Publication.

Mining Application No. 16.
United States Land Office
Roswell, New Mexico,
February 23, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that William S. Peters and Absalom N. Price, whose post-office address is White Oaks, New Mexico, have this day filed their application for a patent for fourteen hundred thirty-five and two-tenths linear feet of the ZULU LODE mine or vein bearing gold and other metals, with surface ground six hundred feet in width, situated in Jicarilla Mining District, Lincoln County New Mexico, and designated by the field notes and official plat on file in this office as survey No. 1145, township 5 s., range 12 e. of New Mexico Principal Meridian. Said survey No. 1145 being described as follows to wit:

Beginning at cor. No. 1, a porphyry stone 8x12x24 inches long, one half in ground, chiseled 1-1145 on side facing claim, from which the standard cor. to sections 33 and 34 township 5 s., range 12 e. of New Mexico principal Meridian, unsurveyed, which is a sandstone 3x10x12 inches above ground, chiseled with three notches on east and west sides and S C on south side, bears south 6° 31' west 9407.3' feet distant. Thence north 29° 50' west (var 11° 45' east) 1435.2 feet to cor. No. 2, a porphyry stone 7x14x24 inches long, set one half in ground, chiseled 2-1145 on side facing claim. Thence north 50° 55' east. (var. 11° 25' east) 600 feet to cor. No. 3, a granite stone 10x12x26 inches long set one half in ground, chiseled 3-1145 on side facing claim. Thence south 29° 50' east (var, 13° east) 1435.2 feet to cor. No. 4, a granite stone 4x22x25 inches long set one half in ground, chiseled 4-1145 on side facing claim. Thence south 50° 55' west (var. 12° 40' east) 600 feet to cor No. 1, place of beginning, containing 19.5112 acres.

The location of this mine is recorded in the Recorder's office of Lincoln county, New Mexico, in Book "P" record of mining locations of said county on page 34.

This claim is joined on the west by the Sailor Boy lode --- Murphy claimant, unsurveyed. On the north by the Ancho placer claim, unsurveyed, Geo. W. Prichard, M. G. Paden et al claimants. On the east by the same claim with which it conflicts.

Any and all persons claiming adversely any portion of said Zulu Lode mine or surface ground are required to file their adverse claims with the Register of the United Rtates Land Office at Roswell in the Territory of New Mexico, during the sixty days period of publication hereof, or they will be barred by virture of the provisions of the statute.

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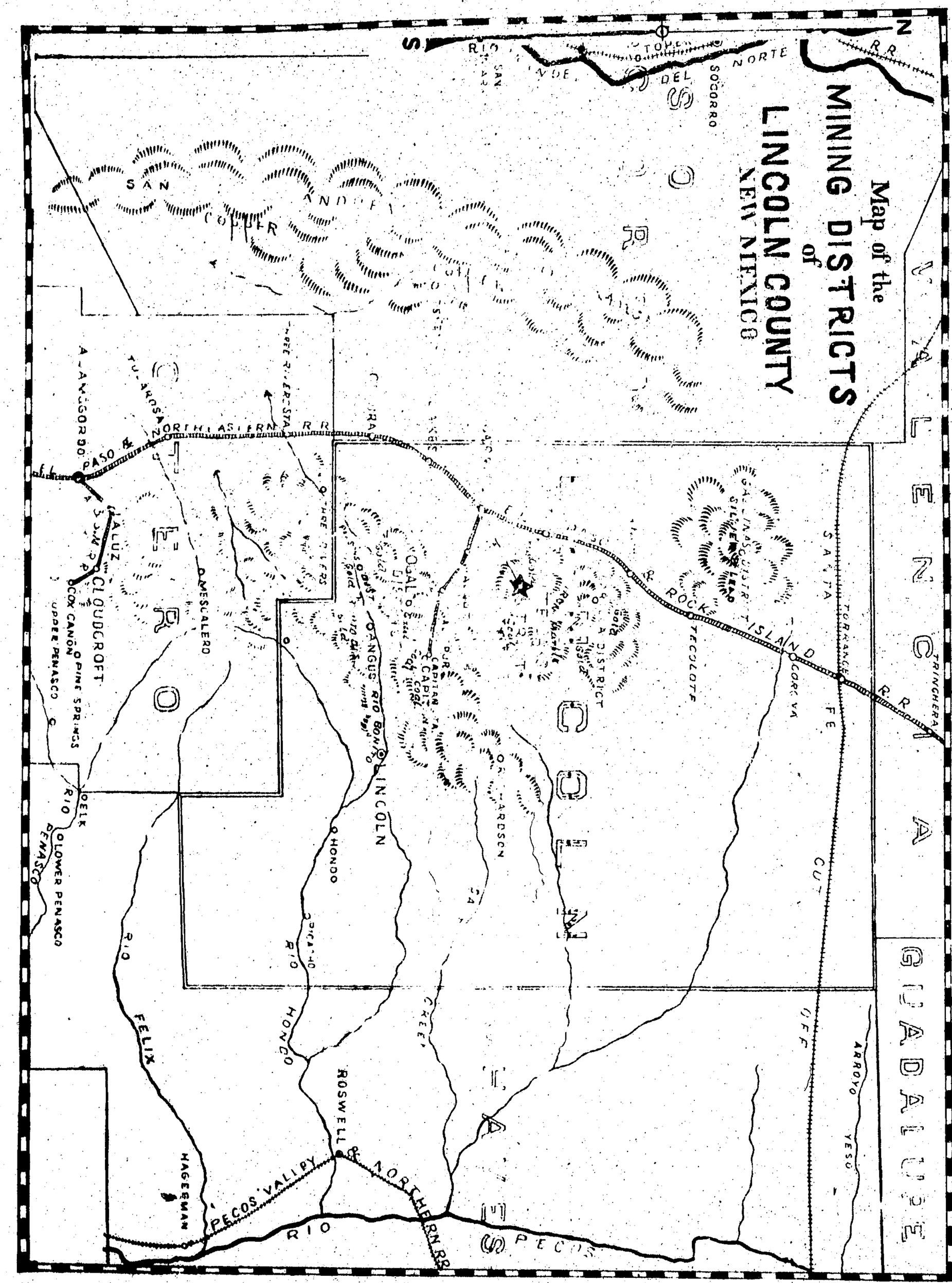

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