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New Carbonate Camp on per day, which will run from twenty to the Dolores.

Rico, Jan. 14, 1880. To the Editor of the N. Y. Mining Record.

Sir: - This new and at present, most promising and inviting camp for the con sideration and investigation of capitalists who may wish to invest in mining prop erties, is located in the southwestern corner of Ouray county, Colorado, about sixty miles north of the New Mexico line, and about the same distance east of the eastern line of Utah. The town of Rico is about forty-three miles distant in a northwesterly direction, from Animas City, in the Animas Valley,—to which point the contracts for the construction of the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad have already been let, and contractors are under bonds to complete the same by July 1st, 1880. There is a good wagon road already constructed over twenty-three miles of the forty-three between Animas City and Rico; the remaining distance, twenty miles, does not present any obstacles to the easy construction of a wagon road at a cost not to exceed \$10, 000, over an easy grade, and low pass be tween the waters of the Animas and the waters of the Dolores rivers. A charter for a toll road has been obtained over the twenty miles of uncompleted lines, and considerable work has already been done and it is the purpose of the incorporators to have the road completed for travel, by

June 1st, 1880. The most important source of success to a mining camp, especially to a carbon ate mining camp, with ores mining from twenty-five to 1,000 ounces in silver to the ton, is accessibility, cheap transpor-tation, and cheap fuel. All these advan-tages will be enjoyed by the Rico and the Dolores carbonate camp, early in the summer of 1880. Pioneer Mining Dis-trict, of which Rico is the centre, was organized in July 1879, shortly after the discovery of carbonate ores on Telescope Mountain (Nigger Baby Hill.) The district embraces all that portion of Ouray county lying on the waters of the east and west forks of the Pice Deleves and and west forks of the Rio Dolores and their tributaries, and includes within its boundaries all of the carbonate deposits of Southwestern Colorado, so far as at present known. Rico is located in about the center of the district, on the east fork of the Dolores, about thirteen miles south of the divide between the lake fork of their keen observance of mail matters in the San Miguel, and the head waters of the former stream. Three miles south of the divide on the east fork of the Dolores and ten miles north of Rico, are found extensive coal banks, upon which there has already been made sufficient development to prove its superior quality, and inexhaustible quantity; it will make a fine quality of coke, having been thoroughly tested as to its coking qualities by Prof. E. T. Sweet, analytic chemist, of Silverton. It is a splendid quality of blacksmithing coal, and has been used by the blacksmiths of Silverton for the past three years. This coal bank is ten miles from Rico, up the east fork of the Dolores. A wagon road can be constructed | cipal office in Colorado.—Exchange to it at a cost not to exceed \$1,000; six miles of the road of this distance of ten there, and six miles up the river from Ri-This road continued twelve miles further, will connect at Hoffman, on the

lake fork of San Miguel, with the toll

road from Ouray, and give to the camp

Believing that cheap transportation

wagon communication from the north.

as the most important points to the success of any silver mining camp in any country, we have spoken of them as re gards our camp, before alluding to the mineral wealth in carbonate ores which surrounds the town of Rico in every direction. The writer spent the greater portions of the months of August, September and October, at Rico, during which time we availed ourselves of every opportunity to obtain accurate informa-tion of the extent and value of the mines in the camp, and as a result of this study of the resources of Pioneer Mining Dis trict, we do not hesitate to take the chances of sacrificing our reputation as a prophet by predicting that Rico will be a econd Leadville, in all that expression implies, to-wit: a town the growth and prosperity of which is unsurpassed in the mining history of the world. To warrant us in this prediction, we have the follow-ing facts: First, within a radius of two BUILDER, and paying, two carbonate mines for every one which Leadville could boast of eighteen months ago. Second, the formation is the exact counterpart of that of the Leadville district—the contact of limestone and porphyry being perfect, the limestone forming the foot wall, and the porphyry the hanging walls of veins or deposits of ore which are capped in many instances with iron. The veins or deposits vary in width from a few inches to over twenty feet. The exact similarity of the Rico ores to those of the Lead-ville district, has been most satisfactorily and fully demonstrated. All of the various characters of carbonate ores having been found in abundance, including hard and soft sand and grey carbonates. There are at present in the camp, at least, twenty-five paying carbonate mines, as a result of the work of discovery and development covering a period of four months; when we say paying mines, we mean mines the ore from which, will cost sixty five dollars for its transportation, twenty dollars for its treatment and leave a handsome margin of profit to the producers. With smelting works, and other mines located near Rico, on the cheap transportation, and cheap fuel, all Dolores, by Senator Jones of Nevada, of which will be enjoyed by the camp in the Summer of 1880, at least one hundred properties will be added to the paying list, which are already discovered and | smelter has been shipped to the camp. opened. The mines which will thus be

one hundred ounces in silver per ton. In these properties, unproductive, and un-profitable to-day, which are owned by poor men, and which can be bought for from \$5,000 to \$50,000, there is a golden opportunity for the capitalists. Such an opportunity for safe investments, guaraneing immense profits, is not presented by business enterprises of any kind in any part of the world. Here again, to illustrate, we must hazard our prophetical reputation, to-wit: The \$5,000 to \$50,000 mining properties of to day will be more readily sold in eighteen month's time, at prices ranging from \$50,000 to \$5,000,000. The Dolores Carbonate Camp has been examined by many of the most eminent geologists and mining experts in this country, and we have yet to hear of one who has not given the most flattering reports of its extensive wealth and resources in carbonate ores. The most prominent mines, as far as yet opened and at present worked, are the Grand View, Alma Mater, Little Jim, Cross, Hope, the Bertha with a twelve foot pay streak running well in gold as well as high in silver, Pelican, Yellow Jacket, Glasgow with fifteen feet of pay ore, Ethlena, Gertie, Democrat, Edith, Melvina, Pigeon and Wabash, on Telescope moun tain (Nigger Baby Hill) from half to one mile and a half from Rico; the Newman, Rico Muldoon, Black Demon, O. G. Marston, and Little Annie, on Dolores mountain; the Puzzle, Lucky, Highland Mary, Lady Elgin, Little Susie, Elgin Boy, Little Carrie and St. Louis on Expecta tion mountain; from all of the above mines, mill runs from seventy-five to 1,000 ounces in silver to the ton have heen obtained, while from at least ten of these mill runs, in lots from three to twenty tons, have given from 250 to 1,000 ounces in silver to the ton. In this camp

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rails on the D. & R. G. BLUE CUT.—The Blue Cut lode, situated in Horse Gulch, near the Puzzle, assays 86.33 ozs silver.

are starting up, they will demand about ten thousand work-men THE Rico Mining Company, of N. Y. erally believed by those acquainted with

CAPITALISTS who may be seeking inestments should come

for the erection of refining works.

and cheap fuel are first to be considered | ment for the Carbonate Camp. ABSENT San Juaners hunt up the paper of their locality, while in the East, to learn if there is anything new in their camp. They should subscribe for their home papers, and get them without hunt-

ing. Encourage enterprise. Ignacio has already succumbed to Washington influences. He wants a salary of a thousand dollars a year in payment for refraining from killing white people. This sum, it is believed, will make a peaceable citizen of Ignacio, and help him on the way to civilization .- Denver

THE people of the Eastern States look | Camp, on the Dolores, all in the San to the newspapers of Colorado for news Juan; that Mr. Curry, from his long resi concerning the mines of the State, and the new and rich discoveries. Though mines, their worth and value, their locaing facts: First, within a radius of two miles of Rico, there are at present, open half-shell, we will try to give the most own some of the best property—that is important news of the camp.

> paper mail, varied in date, from Nov. 10, '79, to Feb. 11, '80 ? Will our representatives in congress do something other lodes that may be secured at the most than a promise to investigate their fraud- moderate figures. Parties desiring to La Plata Miner give us a little light upon the subject, at its end of the route? No mining camp in the United States is

attracting the attention that is the Dolores Carbonate Camp to-day. We are in receipt of numerous letters of inquiry, regarding the Carbonate camp, and have written in reply to the greater number, but as we are very busily engaged in the performance of the many duties incident to publishing a newspaper, we would sug-gest that it would be well for all these inquirers to subscribe for the Dolores

THE fiinal payment of \$70,000 was re-The Oceola, a well known gold mine at made paying properties, are similar to those from which at Leadville, at the been sold to New York parties for \$50, present time, the great bulk of her mine- 000, Messrs Wilson and Taylor the well-Ca week, in your own town. Terms and ral production comes, mines which pro-known auctioneers, are among the late overland, maine.

Portland, maine.

CORRESPONDENCE

Bloomfield, N. M., Feb. 15, 1880, EDITOR NEWS :- Now, we have begun, what can we say that will be worth its room in the "spunky" little paper that dares to remain and buffet against the numerous "trials and troubles," almost insurmountable, that necessarily "go hand in hand" with a new mining town. Rico will out rival her sister mining towns of the San Juan in the near future. Nearly all whom we have met are expecting to link their destiny with the Pioneer District for the

coming season Rico should be very sure of good schools for next summer, for she will thus obtain many permanent settlers, instead of transient pros-

There has been about four inches of snow at this point for the past ten days.

Our first fight took place at Snyder's store, between two of our elderly and respectable citizens. People here consider fights and lawsuits the first stage of civilization. We paid a short visit to the little village of

Farmington,-we beg its pardon,-city, and found everything lovely. But we must stop, or we will have to beg pardon for venturing upon the domain of your worthy correspondent "L. H." who gives glowing descriptions of all worthy of note, in those realms.

We will start for Santa Fe in a few days, and from thence to Denver and Pueblo, and perchance a flying trip among those friends, who used to be "down east." As we swing around the circle, we will gather up the broken fragments, and send them to the NEWS.

It is in our programme to be in Rico by the last of March. Good luck to the NEWS, and thanks to you Frank, for keeping it up thusly. Respectfully, E. C. S.

MULDOON-MINER.

While these two journals are at swords points, with the proprietor of the latter, and proprietor of the NEWS, intermingled personally and otherwise, the NEWS stands clear and aloof from the personalties of the war of wind, until the two former journals declare it a free fight for all the papers of San Juan, and give the war-whoop. Turn it into woman's suf frage, and make a personal attack on Su-

san B., and likewise lend your efforts to best interests of San Juan. The personal abuse indulged will be of little benefit or satisfaction to the parties to the affair, and such journalism will result naught for the best interests of

our chief industry. The affair has been made "strictly personal," and we hope that "C." will not reply in the abusive mode, in which he is attacked. Newspaper men are to a great extent, licensed to idulge in personal abuse to each other, but when the last resort is taken, and exercised it is time to

Rattler---Stranger. The Rattler and Stranger mines, are located on Expectation mountain, near the Lookout mine, the discovery shaft of the Rattler being only five hundred feet from that of the Lookout. In close proximity to these mines, is a fine large living spring between the two shafts of the THE immense iron furnaces in St Louis | Rattler and Lookout mines. The Stranger is about 700 feet from the Lookout. These properties assay well, and are gen-

and Colorado, has appointed Richard Gentry General Agent, and Rico the prin-

Smith Family Lode. The Smith Family Lode, situated on niles having already been constructed to accommodate the two saw mills located tigate the advantages offered by our camp one and one-half miles from Rico, and owned by Messrs. L. W. Smith and J. R. Rico has numerous mines producing Reynolds, has an adit of 12 feet, with well, and will soon have a smelter to treat an eight foot face of mineral, between the ores of Pioneer Mining District, than wall rocks. One assay gave 18 oz silver which there can be no better advertise per ton. As work progresses the mineral improves. This lode is supposed to be an extension of the Dawn of Day, own-

ed by Allyn & Co., of Chicago. JOHN R. CURRY, ESQ.,

The owner of the La Plata Miner at Silverton, and the Dolores News, at Rico, in the San Juan country, Colorado, will remain in the East a short time. C. will be in Chicago, St. Louis, New York, Pittsburg, Philadelphia, Boston, and other cities in the interest of his publications We respectfully suggest to capitalists and others, who propose to invest in mining property, about Silverton. Howard's Fork, Rio San Miguel, Rico and the Carbonate dence in the country, has acquired a knowledge of Southwestern Colorado, its invaluable. He is a most pleasant affa-Why is it that the News receives its ble and courteous gentleman, and will take pleasure in affording all inquirers the fullest information in regard to the vast mineral resources of the well as some of the best gold and silver consult Mr. Curry will address him 87, Dearborn Street, Chicago, Ill.

THE most practicable route to travel from the end of the railroad to Rico, is via Conejos, Pataca, Tierra Amarilla, on to Animas City, (by the lower road,) and from there to Rico. The total distance is about 250 miles. This route is most practicable for travel till about the first of April. Then the route via Silverton would be preferable, as it is at least fiftyfive miles nearer, and as good roads.

MINING machinery can be transported

from the present terminus of the D. & R. G. R. R., to the Carbonate Camp on the Dolores, in twenty days, in the earlier part of summer. We are so informed by those who have followed the business of packing and freighting. PARROTT CITY is jubilant over its fu ture prospects. Several sales have been

made in mining property. Parrott City will benefit by the opening up of the

new and famous Carbonate Camp on the Parties purchasing town lots in Rico,

should receive a clear "quit-claim" title.

FRANK HARTMAN,

Editorial and Business Manager.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1880 Transient advertising must be paid for in

Bills for regular advertising collected monthly. All papers discontinued at the expiration of the time paid for.

All legal advertisemen's must be paid for in advance. This rule will be strictly observed hereafter.

LOCAL SUMMARY.

The Bear Creek Trail must be opened.

NEW arrivals every day.

Work on new buildings is lively. Lor gobbling is near its end in Rico.

Snow thawing considerable this week.

"Where is my breeches?" Locos y uinos dizen la verdad..

THROUGH mails to and from Ouray. Will this last two weeks? PIONEER Mining District has the mines

and the smelters are coming. New discoveries are being made every

day in Pioneer Mining District. THE NEWS boasts one of the neatest

printing offices in Southern Colorado. Your attention is called to Rico town as possible. ordinances to be found elsewhere in the

SEVERAL transfers of Rico town property for the round sums of \$500 and \$600 during the past week.

PEOPLE coming to Rico for the few coming months, should provide themselves with an abundance of bedding.

IF the Bear Creek trail is well opened, the effect produced by an occasional sunshine, and the necessary travel, will keep

THE NEWS does not declare anything a early action, be it of the East or West. nuisance which will add to the wealth and prosperity of Rico and Pioneer Min- the first to bring machinery to operate in ing District.

THE major portion of the work in Rico and Scotch creek, a distance of two reap a rich silvery reward. and a half or three miles. The expense will be naught compared to the benefit that will be derived by the citizens of

Notice.—Hereafter, any and all parties carrying papers away from the News office without our consent, shall be given a benefit. Forbearance ceases to be a virtue, (or "vice versa".) No particular was elected chairman, and Capt. E. P. to the Dolores News. lege to carry away papers.

WE neglected in our last issue, to make mention of a very pleasant evening's entertainment given at the Pioneer Restaurant and Hotel. A ball was given by Messrs. Louis Sherbino and Charles F. Middaugh, who kindly tendered their musical services, which was a la mode.

Pionoer Social Club, on the evening of Mining District. Figuratively speaking, Feb. 24, at which there was quite a large there is comparatively, not a pound of attendance. A News reporter, noticed among the ladies, notably, Mrs. Turner, The stores are exhausted, and should we Mrs. Higgin, Mrs. Randall, Miss Edith not succeed in bringing goods—articles Alderman, Miss Alice Snyder, Mrs. Enderich, Mrs. Hubbard, Mrs. Beidler, Mrs. Spencer, Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Bartholemew.

Town Board Proceedings.

The Board met Friday evening, Feb. 27th. Raymond, Bean, McGraw, Kent, and Snyder present. M. C. Marston's place declared vacant, and Capt. E. P. Kent appointed to fill vacancy.

H. E. Snyder's bill for lights and fuel, \$10 allowed.

Raplee's bill of \$2.50 for clerk's fees allowed.

Ladford's bill of \$10 allowed.

Capt. Kent and Mr. Bean were appoint ed a committee on printing.

Capt. E. P. Kent motioned that a committee be appointed to select sites for public buildings.

Messrs. Kent, Snyder and Castello were appointed as said committee.

We are informed that some of the members of this body of agents of the creek. people, after brief consideration, moved to post their ordinances in three public newspaper, that the majority of proper- foot tunnel at end of cut. ty-holders in the town (at home or abroad) might become acquainted with the ordinances or resolute laws passed by these agents. Also, that our bills for printing the laws or ordinances of Rico, were considered as exhorbitant by them. We will simply state that the amount charged by the NEWS, is cash-rates, which would be charged to any and all for legal

This, however, is perhaps the work of board, who have observed our res angus ta domi, and pro forma style it pro bono publico. Fas est et ab hoste doceri.

a very cold house.

SMELTER

DOLORES CAMP.

The New Carbonate Camp on the Dolores to Have a Smelter by the 1st of May.

ROADS OR TRAILS.

Capt. Albert J. Johnston, on his arrival in Rico, gave us the following facts:

A twenty-ton smelter has been purchasmosa, where it awaits transportation to Rico, Pioneer Mining District. When three weeks ago, parties had tendered a part of the week bond, agreeing to deliver the machinery to Rico by May 1st, which bond awaited the acceptance of the company. The smelter is of twenty ton-with sufficient surplus power to increase to forty-ton capacity. The work for the erection of buildings to be used for this machinery, will be immediately commenced on the of Rico. The Smelting Company, than whom none can be more anxious to get the machinery into Rico at an early day, are doing all in their power to effect the immediate transportation of the machinery to Rico, and to produce silver bullion from the carbonates of the New Carbonate Camp on the Dolores, at as early a day

Capt. Johnson has purchased the arge coal bank at Animas city, and states at that point, and the freight teams going out laden with bullion, will return with coke, to be used for smelting purposes.

The commencement of the erection of these works is the beginning of an endless life and vigorous development of an immensely rich mining town and camp. represent a large amount of capital. Captain The immense carbonate lodes, ledges, veins, deposits or bodies, of Pioneer Min ing District command capital, and its

The gentlemen of this company, being and treat the ores of the New Carbonate Camp and having former experience in opening the Bear creek trail lies between mining and smelting, will deservingly

ROADS.

On the evening of Jan. 26th, a meeting of the eitizens of Rico, was held for the ourpose of opening a trail from Rico to Bear Creek.

Meeting was called to order by F. W. Raymond. Capt. A. J. Johnston, who manifests much interest in the matter. "loafer" is authorized to give you privi- Kent secretary. Mail contractor Blake was called upon for his views as to the most practical mode of opening the trail. Theo. Barlow and E. P. Kent, be appoint Address 87 Dearborn St. Chicago, Ill., or ed as a committee to raise funds.

This is the first and most important step for the people of Rico to take, as it is absolutely necessary to open this trail, in order to procure provisions much need SOCIAL BALL.—A ball was given by the ed by the miners and citizens of Pioneer merchandise in the Rico market for sale. of merchandise into Rico, within a short time, many of our citizens, resident in the district, will become destitute of the several necessaries of life. All property holders, who have the interests of the district, as well their individual interests at heart, should aid in the matter of opening this trail.

Until said trail is open for travel, we have no assurity of receiving mails regularly, or of procuring provisions, and it taken. will be utterly impossible to transport the incoming smelting machinery, which will be the making of our camp, unless the trail is opened.

The idea of opening the Pinkerton or material for the Grand View Reduction Works Scotch Creek trail is no longer entertain- will be received at my office until March 10th, ed by our citizens, a number having came in by that route lately, pronouncing it as impracticable for winter travel. It can

places, instead of publishing them in a and has a cut of fifty-five feet, and a ten

impracticable for winter travel. It can only be traveled at present, by snow-shoes.

A NEW and rich discovery is reported immediately north of Silver creek.

The Witchita Lode is situated on Expectation Mountain, just west of Rico, and has a cut of fifty-five feet, and a tenfoot tunnel at end of cut.

PARTIES in possession of facts and information concerning mines in this district will confer favor upon us, by calling at the News office and giving up a few items.

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C. E. KAUFFMAN & Co. have discovered on Expectation mountain, tracting of the same. The plans for the works an immense body of carbonates, uppleted with all possible dispatch. advertising. This is really doing our on which the company have given a Proposals for the above will be received in selves injustice, as at least a portion of contract to parties to run a tunnel the following manner:

Col. J. B. Erhart, who came to some our most particular friends on this Rico recently, as stated elsewhere in the Reduction Works. For further particulars the News, represents a large amount apply to the udersigned. of caiptal, and is prepared to invest in and develop Dolores mining properties. Col. E. has purchased a loca-THE Rico school house is better tion on Glasgow Ave., will immedimonth of school has been taught in business, and we believe, will do ASSAYERS much for Pioneer Mining District.

Tom Breckenridge has returned and reports

Eber C. Smith, Assayer, of Rico, will return to the town about the latter part of March. Our friend Scott, of Ophir, and proprietor of the Hotel at Ophir, gave us a pleasant call this

John Schall, Superintendent of the Cross and Hope mines, started to Silverton this week

W. S. Smith, of Silverton, arrived in Ricc last Saturday. "Smithie" goes into the black smith business here.

Miss * O. D., Topeka, Kas.-Not in the least. Though it is displeasing to some, we maintai ed by the company, and shipped to Ala- that "virtus semper viridis." Don't write that way any mor

Richard G ntry, Superintendent of the Grand View mining Company, accompanied by Capt. J. started from Alamosa, about Col. J. G. Stacy, arrived in Rico the earlier

Colonel Chas. A. Mantz, of Rico, is now in St. Louis, talking carbonates to the people there, giving information to inquirers, and delivering office lectures on San Juan.

M. C. Marston, one of the Trustees of Rico, as gone east, in the business of some mining interests in Pioneer Mining District. Address him at Washington Hotel, No. 1, Broadway, AN

Our old friend, Capt. E. P. Kent, and one company's mill-site location, on the north side of Silver Creek, adjoining the town ed to Rico a few days ago. "Cap" has been unting and recreating in the Montezuma valey, and through that portion of Colorado adoining the reservation of the Ute hell-hounds. Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees O. L. Hines, who spent the greater part of he winter with Messrs Darling and Robinson. tarted last week, for his home, at Highgate. Vermont. Mr. Hines is a pleasant and agreea-ble gentleman, and his temporary absence from Rico will be realized by his many friends

Quite a number of gentlemen came in from Ouray last Sunday. Following are the names of their greater number: Isaac Yoho, Geo large coal bank at Animas city, and states that the company will erect coke ovens Hosner, J. O. Gorman, Williams T. Overman J. W. Cleninger, Joseph Enis, Chas. Hossner Stopped at Pioneer Restaurant and Hotel.

Captain Albert J. Johnston, connected with Senator Jones, in mining operations at Rico. of whom we made mention last week, was acompanied by Mr. C. O. French, and Mr. J. B. Erhart, formerly Chief of Police, at New York City. Both these gentlemen, of New York, Johnson and the gentlemen, his "compagnons de voyage," are heartily and warmly received

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"Lay me," lisped the tiny lips Of my daughter, kneeling, bending O'er her folded finger tips.

"Pray the Lord,"—the words came faintly, Fainter still, "my soul to keep;" On my knee her head sank gently, And the child was fast asleep.

But the dewy eyes half opened When I clasped her to my breast, And the dear voice softly whispered, "Mamma, God knows all the rest."

O, the trusting, sweet confiding
Of the child-heart! Would that I
Thus might trust my Heavenly Father,
He who hears my feeblest cry!
MRS. H. B. MORSE.

INDEPENDENT .- The Independent lode, wned by Messrs Humaston, Campbell and Doyle, has a twenty-five foot tunnel from which some valuable ore has been

Notice to Contractors.

Rico, Colo., Feb'y 28, 1880. Proposals to furnish the following bill of

The above bill of material is an approximate estimate, given in order to expedite the con- GLASGOW AVENUE, near SILVER CREEK.

that which is justly due us, would be on their property to a depth of fifty cube foot or board measure, either sawn or hewn. If hewn to be true and out of wind. For all dimension timber, per lineal foot, For all boards and planks, so much per B. M. All material to be delivered upon the site of

Grand View Mining Co

EGGERS BROS., RICO, - COLO. AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING NUI-

SANCES. Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the town of Rico,

ECTION 1. That any person or person shing the person or any article of wearin carel, wadeing through or committing an sance in or in close proximity to any sprin

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2. All persons building any stable, cor aughter house, out house or water close anough to any spring, brook or stream a the town limits, to injure the purity of a ter, shall be fined for each and every of a ter, shall be fined for each and every of the core is to the core in the core in the core in the core is to the core in the core

SEC. 4. All persons failing to comply with Sec. 3, shall be fined not less than \$25.00 nor over \$100.00, or imprisoned not less than 30 nor over 60 days, in the town jail, for each and every offense.

F. W. RAYMOND, Mayor. D. McGraw, Clerk.

ORDINANCE CCNCERNING SMELTERS, REDUCTION

WORKS, &c. At a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the town of Rico, held Feb. 27, 1880, the following ordinance concerning smelters, reduction works, &c:

of the Town of Rico, Section 1. That no smelter or other reduction works, of whatever kind or nature shall be allowed to be constructed within the corporative limits, or within one-half mile thereof. Sec. 2. That any company, person or persons violating the provision of the above ordinance shall be fined not less than \$100, or more than three hundred dollars for each and every day said smelter or other reduction works shall be in operation.

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