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JOHN R. CURRY,
Publisher DOLORES NEWS.

"I CANNOT SING THE OLD SONGS."
I cannot sing the old songs,
We sung long years ago,
For heart and voice would fail me,
And foolish tears would flow,
For bygone hours come o'er my heart,
With each familiar strain—
I cannot sing the old songs—Or dream those dreams again—

I cannot sing the old songs,
Their charm is sad and deep,
Their melodies would waken
Old sorrows from their sleep,
And tho' all forgotten still,
And sadly sweet they be—
I cannot sing the old songs—They are too dear to me—

I cannot sing the old songs,
For visions come again—
Of golden dreams departed—
And years of weary pain.
Perhaps when earthly fetters—
Shall have set my spirit free,
My voice may know the old songs—For all eternity—

Carbonates, Nuggets, Squibs and General News.
Rico town lots are way-up—to \$5,000
PAT MURRAY has made some new discoveries.
MINNIE MAY.—The Minnie May lode, situated in Horse Gulch, assays 22 16-100 ounces silver.
OVER-JOY.—The Over Joy lode has a twenty-foot tunnel, and some valuable ore on the dump.
One mining interest was bonded yesterday, for \$2,000, another for \$3,000, and another for \$10,000.
BLACK IMP.—The Black Imp, situated on Expectation mountain, gave an assay of 1225-10 ounces silver.
BLUE CUT.—The Blue Cut lode, situated in Horse Gulch, near the Puzzle, assays 86 33-100 ounces silver.
NEPTUNE.—The Neptune lode, owned by Messrs Misch and Sherry, was bonded together with another interest for \$4,000.
San Juan will yet send a delegation to hang or impeach fraudulent mail contractors.
AGNES.—The Agnes lode is being worked for development. Some fine looking rock has been taken from this lode.
SEVERAL rich ore specimens were exhibited at the News office this week, some of which were taken from new discoveries.
Now is the time to secure mining interests in Pioneer Mining District cheaply. Interests may be secured for from \$1,000 to \$10,000.
INDEPENDENT.—The Independent lode, owned by Messrs Hamaston, Campbell, and Doyle, has a twenty-five foot tunnel and looms "way-up."
The working of mines is increasing now, and it will not be long till every mine of value in the district will be under progress of development.
CROSS.—The tunnel on the Cross mine is in 145 feet. Superintendent Schall says he is taking out an average of over two-and-a-half ton of ore per day.
RICO.—The Rico lode has a tunnel run 80 feet. Work has been commenced with renewed vim on the mine, and a fine body of carbonates lies at the breast of the tunnel.
HOPE.—The incline tunnel on the Hope mine is in 165 feet. Mr. Edward Doyle has taken a contract to drive 100 feet of level tunnel, commencing at the breast of the present incline.
The mines about Rico, that are open at present give the hill-sides the appearance of so many chess-boards. The snow on the ground, and prospect holes the black squares, and proportionately more crowded.
SNOW-BANK.—The Snow Bank lode, situated near the Dolores River, about three miles from Rico, and owned by Messrs. Bean, McGraw and Black, is being worked, and an assay of ore from this lode, gave 76 ounces silver to the ton.
ALICE.—The Alice lode, situated on Expectation mountain, owned by Mr. Hechart, of Moline, Ill., and Mr. Hart, of Chicago, assays 169 ounces silver per ton. Mr. Joseph Castello, who represents this property, presented to the News a handsome specimen of Alice carbonates.

Speaks for His Office.

Animas City, Colorado, January 15, 1880.
Ed. DOLORES NEWS:—I see by your issue of Jan. 3, which arrived at this office Jan. 14, that some one reports stoppage of Rico mail at this office. That report is false. I have neither room nor inclination to hold mail in my office. A daily mail runs from this place to Parrott, and all of the Rico mail that arrives here from Silverton, at 8 p. m., is forwarded at 6 a. m. next morning. We have had very few letters and no papers from the outside since Dec. 5th. Brewster is apparently the cause of delay.

Yours Truly,
JOHN M. TREW, P. M., Animas City.
Correct. Now, if we could learn how far the News' paper mail (going east) gets, or at what point it is delayed, it would enable us to state to many of our readers (inquiring why they do not receive the NEWS) where the papers are held, and the reason they do not receive a paper they have paid for. We believe the discrepancy is with Brewster.

UTES.
Major Geo. D. Sherman, who has charge at Los Pinos agency, was in to see us Monday. The Major says there are quite a number of White river Utes at the agency, and notwithstanding instructions from the Indian Bureau, their every wish is gratified. The only reason he has not given the combination to the safe is simply because they have not asked it. There are about seven employees at the agency and over five hundred White river and Uncompagnre warriors. He reports about two month's rations on hand and the freight contractors, Messrs. Field & Hill, of Alamosa, rustling like blazes to get the 10,000 lbs. snowed in on the Blue, in on time. He says Colhee and others stalk around with lordly dignity and order out crackers and flour promiscuously. The Interior department should take into consideration the circumstances that surround the brave men at Los Pinos, and allow them to run the machine in accordance with their own views, and not on orders. Sherman knows his business better than Schurz can map it out.—Muldoon, Ouray.

"In the absence of the proprietors, the La Plata Miner and Dolores News have both come out and announced themselves as Republican papers. We must congratulate Curry on securing the services of men who are outspoken at this particular juncture on the situation, and are only afraid they will be discharged for indiscretion."—Muldoon, Ouray.

When we had proudly read the above (compliment to us), to the His Satanic Majesty de News, and looked to him for his fond recognition and approval of the compliment (?)—he (it surely surprised us,) for said he: "It haint right, and I fur one'll meet the Muldoon man half-way 'tween h-u-r an' Ouray." As a part and parcel of the News, he felt hurt, and had been familiar with the term, "slaughtered in the house of my friends," while out of his "lines," he would have used it with vehemence that could not be questioned. Says he, "It is not Jacksin doctrin, I'm a demykrat, and hev always bin, for my pap told me to never let my stannick git stepped, and never drink pore whiskey when I kud git good whiskey, and what's more, to vote for General Jacksin as long as I lived." We had an engagement for the evening, to fill, and tried to get away from our grief-stricken "satan," which could only be done by lending him our overcoat, allowing him to take two pair of snow-shoes and the fighting editor's six-shooter. This was gladly did, and an hour later, the big-hearted demykrat might have been seen in the street, with pistol cocked, betting our overcoat for "sods" to "hock" that "Jacksin" would be the next president, and that he could lick ery man what wouldn't vote for Jacksin. The borrowed articles were somewhat scattered, and the engagement—oh you naughty Muldoon man.

UTE WAR BOOK.
This book gives the full history of the White River Massacre, and the privations and hardships of the captive white women among the hostiles on Grand River. The book contains the pictures or cuts of the captive women, and babies, and other whites; also the dogotypes of several prominent hell-hounds of the Ute tribe, and 184 pages of interesting reading matter. Every person in Colorado should have one of these books, that they might learn the full history of the murderous depredations of the Utes, in the late troubles. We have forgotten the price of the book, but those desiring to purchase, may either leave orders with the postmaster or news dealer, or address Tribune, Denver, Colorado.

Get the arms and ammunition at Ouray, as soon as it is possible to do so. We may want 'em, just to practice with.

Mrs. Meeker Explains.

THE HORRIBLE SUSPICIONS ARE CONFIRMED.
Turn the Utes Over to the Miners and Frontiersmen.
Will the Men of Colorado Longer Tamely Submit to Such Outrages?

Some time ago the Pueblo Chief-tain commented upon a statement to the effect that the ladies captured by the Ute-hell-hounds, had been subjected to nameless outrages. Mrs. N. C. Meeker explains as follows:
Greeley, Colorado, Dec. 30, 1878.

To the Editor of the Colorado Chief-tain:
DEAR SIR: I arise from a sick bed to state a few facts, which you and the people of Colorado demand. We three captives of the Utes—Mrs. Price, myself and daughter—were all interviewed separately, being put under oath, by the officers of the government to tell the whole truth of our treatment by the Indians, and if they had outraged our persons, and each one of us gave in our testimony in the affirmative against the Indians. I gave in my testimony for the use of the government to do with it just as they should see fit. There was nothing said about its being suppressed on either side. I just simply gave my testimony to the government officers, innocently supposing they knew their duty, and would do it. I also thought I had done all that belonged to me to do by telling these officers the sickening and most humiliating misfortune that can befall a woman, and if they and the Interior Department have not done their duty by the people of Colorado, it is they who are to blame, and not me. On arriving home to Greeley, I found myself completely broken down in mind and body, and have had a long severe spell of sickness, from which I am just recovering.

Yours Truly,
MRS. N. C. MEEKER.

"The above is the letter of a modest, fearless lady with the true instincts of her sex, and is more eloquent than any trained oratorical effort could possibly be. She told the truth and supposed they would do their duty. Have they done their duty towards the outraged respectable ladies, citizens of our state. She does not tell who the officers of the government were, but it must have been the peace commissioners. How could these men after hearing the terrible story of the outraged captives bear to sit day after day and week after week with the vile murderers, and ravishers of the wives and daughters of citizens of Colorado? Has it come to this that a great nation of forty millions of people must treat with a band of lousy, roving red devil cut throats, and wink at the crimes that would make a demon blush? Out upon all such tomfoolery and temporizing. If the government at Washington is too pusillanimous to send the army to punish the devils in human form, let it withdraw for 90 days and turn the fends over to the men of Colorado to settle the question. It will not require any pay if the government will only turn the miners and frontiersmen loose, and let them deal with the red-handed loathsome fiends. Vengeance should be the watchword from this time until the last foot-prints of the fiendish Utes are obliterated from the soil of Colorado. We boast of being one of the strongest nations of the earth and allow a handful of savages to keep the army at bay by palaver and all sorts of chicanery. Had such outrages been offered to subjects of Great Britain, however humble they might be, there would have been no talk of peace commissions,—the very name stinks in the nostrils of an outraged people—but the whole power of the government would have been invoked to carry swift and condign punishment to the inhuman wretches. To cap the climax of infamy the telegraph informs us that Old Granny Schurz has ordered Gen. Hatch to stop and have another parley with the inhuman fiends after once having delivered an ultimatum. Let us hope that Congress has enough manhood left to cut this matter short as soon as it re-assembles, and turn the whole business over to the army, where it properly belongs, and let the Utes be notified that if they don't surrender the agency murderers and ravishers that the whole power of the government will be invoked to exterminate them in the spring, or let them authorize the governor of Colorado to use the state militia as a "posse comitatus" to capture the miscreants. Had the nameless outrages been committed by white men or negroes, they would long since have been pursued by the state authorities, and it is very hard to understand why the lousy, thieving red skins should exempt from the penalty of their crimes simply because they are Indians.—Chief-tain.

DOLORS NEWS.

RICO, OURAY COUNTY, COLORADO.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 24, 1880.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

OLD papers for sale at this office. SNOW is disappearing very rapidly. Legal Blanks for sale at this office. FEW scattering snow-flakes yesterday. WITNES shall the building of the chapel begin? ERNEST WARNER says Horse Gulch is booming. BRING in those ore specimens and tell us all about it. THE Rico Sunday School is presided over by Rev. Saton.

"WHERE'S the editor?" Snagged, by doggies—"stag" his curiosity.

I. N. Yoho and Jack Ash, of Ouray, made Rico a business visit this week.

KEEP your eye open for ordinances, and thusly become posted—read in law.

YOUR attention is called to Rico town ordinances to be found elsewhere in the NEWS.

C. S. MOORE, while en-route for Animas City, a few days ago, had his feet badly frozen.

HAD the decision been for the affirmative last Tuesday evening, it would have turned printers away from the town.

CAHN BROS. Will pay highest prices for FURS AND SKINS.

"The man who cheats the printer, Out of a single cent, Will never reach the heavenly land, Where old Elijah went."

BRING in specimens of ore, both of high and low grades. The NEWS wishes to prepare for having a handsome cabinet in the spring.

SHE says she's got another newspaper, with a pome in it, and the sentiment fairer. Don't torture us! Both of the devil's jaws are locked.

QUITE a number of the boys are whip-sawing lumber, as the saw mills cannot operate at present. The mills are expected to run soon, however.

HE thought his voice was changed. "Dearest, how does my voice sound?" "Humph! it sounds as usual—as if you meant nothing you said."

AN interesting case in court next Wednesday. Will Squire Robinson carry out the stove and other furniture to make room for an audience?

THE NEWS is sorry to state that Mr. A. L. Baker, is lying seriously ill. It is believed, however, that he is improving in health, during the past few days.

HEREAFTER the NEWS will have a list of offenses, for which loafers will be fired out. Learn ye, "loafer," what the offenses are, should you not be aware.

FRED L. DOWNS, purchased a short time ago, a half interest in the Florence, and extension of the mine. Fred proposes to operate in mines in Pioneer Mining District.

BOB SNYDER started last Wednesday, for Santa Fe, N. M., on a business tour. Bob will be absent from Rico, perhaps two months,—says he will—nor bring a *Sonorita* on his return.

A FOOL-KILLER will be in Rico in early spring. The NEWS man having no desire to take chances, is a candidate for a hiding place, when others (having more time to pursue) find it.

PARTIES owning Rico town property in blocks 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 13, and 14, where there is \$25 worth of improvement on such lot, should at once take steps to record their property.

WM. LILLY has just finished painting the "Roman Chariot Race," which is in size 26x35 inches. The work cannot be excelled for beauty and grandeur. Billy is a natural artist, for he says he never saw a picture painted in the course of his life, up to date. The painting is one difficult to perform.

OUR friend J. W. Park, has a handsome large black 'Newfoundland'. This dog was by some cause, lost last Monday evening. Under the dazzling glitter of a street lamp, he lost his master, and followed another, (so accounts Mr. P.) It is left for the reader to presume,—as the old dog would run down Glasgow Avenue ever so far, look and come back again. We are almost certain Mr. P. was at home all the time, too.

LOR jumping has assumed some prominence among other day's doings, in Rico, lately. It is reasonable to presume that a quietus will be put upon this scheme. As the Board of Trustees have taken this matter in hand, there shall be no distinction made—every man shall have the same show to possess town property by right of purchase, from the Rico Town Corporation. It does not more become the man who has money with which to operate, than he who is penniless, to "jump" lots, and the NEWS will take pleasure in watching you all, after this date, Jan. 24, 1880.

POME.

Contributed to the Dolores News. BY MISS LAURA E. COLLINS.

Then the waking world blustered softly With tender tints of rose, And I heard from the far wild mountains, The clamoring of the crows.

That last verse is the best, but its taken from near the middle of the pome, and a "loafer" who peeped over our shoulder, says he'll take a solemn oath that he believes it to be original, for he never saw it in any almanac. Remnant withheld until we fill previous orders.

STATE MILITIA.

STEPS have been taken to properly organize a company of state militia at Rico. All that pertains to the organization may be considered perfected, and the next step will be to transport the guns and ammunition to Rico. Our town will be fairly represented in the field, should we be called upon,—or see fit to go without requisition from the state or general government. Gov. Pitkin will submit to the popular voice and wish of the people of Colorado. No comprise or treaty for our people!

Leap Year Ball.

On the evening of Jan. 21, the ladies of Rico gave a Leap Year Ball, at Theo Barlow's Hall, on Glasgow Avenue.

The ladies each and all, brought to the store of F. W. Raymond, (which was used as supper or dining hall) baskets of eatables, refreshments, etc., consisting all the delicate and substantial articles of provender found in the Rico markets.

Music was furnished by Messrs Louis Sherbin and Wm. Bullock. There was a large attendance, and all present seemed to enjoy the affair as one of the most enjoyable.

When supper was called, the bachelors, in their single blessedness, marched in Indian-file, singing "Come Along Sinner" mixed with "Aunt Jenimah" and an occasional Ute war-whoop,—till they had reached the dining room.

When the "baches" hollered "enough, take us away,"—well—it was late,—and—and the nice old and young men, who were escorted there, marched in, and it could not have been detected that the b-boys had been there, but for their weary walk and general appearance on entering the ball room.

The supper was gra—well, did you ever take in one of those old fashioned Methodist camp meeting, or good old Fourth of July picnic basket dinners?

Town Board Proceedings.

The Fourth regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Rico, was held Jan 19, 1880.

One member absent. Proceedings of the preceding meeting approved. Leon Eggers was appointed Town Treasurer.

Treasurer to give bonds to the amount of \$1,000.

An amendment to ordinance No 1, sections 1, 2, 3, pertaining to the word block, was adopted, which may be seen in ordinance No. 3.

The survey, plot, map and names of streets, by Van R. Elliott were adopted. Motion carried that the east half of block 7, the east half of block 15, the whole of blocks 16 and 17 be laid out with lots running north and south.

The committee on arbitration appointed by the people, was retained by the Board.

M. A. Bean, H. E. Snyder and M. C. Marston were appointed by the mayor, as a finance committee.

M. C. Marston presented ordinance No. 3, which was adapted, and now in print.

DANCING will rebate in Rico for a short time.

THE NEWS proposes having a fine cabinet by May 1st.

J. W. PARK will hear the children recite or deliver orations at the Reading Room.

ALL promise to furnish notes of mining interest. Come, boys, the promise is old.

LOTS of fun at the Rico Literary societies. The ladies attend now. Gentlemen make your every effort.

DENVER AND Rio Grande R'y EXTENSION!

THE CUTTERS WANTED!!

THE TREASURER'S OFFICE, RIO GRANDE EXTENSION COMPANY, COLORADO SPRINGS, COL., Dec. 6, 1879.

Three hundred (300) tie choppers wanted to cut ties for the San Juan and New Mexico extensions of the Denver and Rio Grande Railway: Apply to Robert E. Sloan or to Calvin R. Husted, at the tie camp, south and west of Conejos. Further information can be had upon application to J. M. Ellison, Alamosa, or at the tie camps.

R. F. WEITBREC, Treasurer.

LABORERS WANTED.

1,000 men to work on the construction of the Denver and Rio Grande railway, from Alamosa to Silverton, and from Conejos to Albuquerque. Apply for further information to J. A. McMurtrie, chief engineer, Alamosa; D. C. Dodge, General Manager, Denver, or to the undersigned, R. F. WEITBREC, Treasurer, Colorado Springs, Dec. 10, 1879.

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ORDINANCES.

(NO. 1) AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING TOWN PROPERTY IN RICO.

At a special meeting of the Board of Trustees of the town of Rico, called by the mayor, Jan. 9, 1880, the following ordinances were passed relative to the filing of town lots, for record, with the Town Recorder: Be it enacted by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Rico:

SECTION 1. All lots located before Jan. 9, 1880, being and lying in blocks No. 1 one, 2 two, 3 three, 4 four, 5 five, and 6 six, shall be filed for record within 30 thirty days from Jan. 14th, 1880.

SEC. 2. All lots located before Jan. 9, 1880, and being situated in block, other than 1 one, 2 two, 3 three, 4 four, 5 five, and 6 six, shall within 30 thirty days from the completion of the survey of the blocks in which they are situated, be filed for record, with the Town Recorder.

SEC. 3. All lots located after Jan. 9, 1880, if in blocks surveyed at time of location, shall within 30 thirty days after the completion of the survey of the block, in which they are situated, be filed for record, with the town recorder.

SEC. 4. All lots filed for record, shall at the time of filing, have at least \$25 twenty-five dollars worth of permanent improvements thereon.

SEC. 5. All lots not filed for record within 30 thirty days, as specified in the three foregoing sections, the fees for recording shall increase at the rate of 100 one hundred percent per month, until such lots are filed for record.

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

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(NO. 2) AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING FEES FOR RECORDING AND TRANSFERRING.

Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Rico:—

THAT the amount charged for recording shall be \$2.00 (two dollars) for each and every town lot in the town of Rico, Colorado. And that for each and every transfer of Rico town property, \$1.00 (one dollar) shall be charged.

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

(NO. 3) AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING LOCATION OF RICO TOWN LOTS.

Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Rico,

SECTION 1. Any lots located after January 14th, 1880, and the thirty 30 days having expired, without twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars worth of permanent improvements having been put upon the ground, such lots shall be open to re-location, (by other parties, only), and first locator shall be barred from re-location of such lot or lots.

SEC. 2. All lots located after January 23rd, 1880, must be located by the person claiming such lots. And no person shall put another's name upon a stake, claiming any lot or lots in the Town.

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

AMENDMENT TO ORDINANCE NO. 1.

Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Rico,

THAT the word block in sections two (2) and three (3), of Ordinance No. 1, be stricken out, and the words "part of block" be substituted for same.

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

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(NO. 4) AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING VALUE AND NATURE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

At a special meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Rico, called by the mayor the 23rd day of Jan., 1880, the following ordinances were passed:

Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Rico, Each and every lot in the town of Rico, shall have a separate twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars worth of improvements thereon. Unless permanent improvements are put upon two lots such improvements covering a major portion of each lot, in such case the valuation of such improvements shall be not less than one hundred (\$100.00) dollars.

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

(NO. 5) AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING THE CUTTING OF TREES.

Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Rico,

Any person or persons cutting or destroying any standing trees in any of the streets or alleys of the town of Rico, without permission from the street commissioners, shall for each tree or indirect injury, or discharging of fire arms, within the town limits, shall for each and every offense, be fined not less than ten (\$10.00) dollars or more than fifty (\$50.00) dollars, or imprisonment in the town jail not less than five (5) or more than ten (10) days.

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

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(NO. 6) AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING MISDEMEANORS.

Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Rico,

Any person or persons disturbing the peace in the town of Rico, by hallooing, using profane or indecent language, or discharging of fire arms, within the town limits, shall for each and every offense, be fined not less than five (\$5.00) dollars or more than twenty (\$20.00) dollars, or imprisonment in the town jail not less than five (5) or more than ten (10) days.

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

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(NO. 7) AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING UNCLAIMED GROUND OR LOTS.

Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Rico,

All unclaimed ground within the exterior boundaries of the Town of Rico, shall become the property of the town, and all persons obtaining lots must obtain them from the Town Trustees.

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

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LETTER-LIST.

Post-Office, Rico, Rico, Colo., Jan. 1st, 1880.

List of letters remaining in the Rico postoffice, Rico, Ouray county, Colorado, uncalled for, month ending Jan. 1, 1880.

Byles Gilbert Orr James Cameron Archibald Page John W Clark Edw F Seltzer Hessa 3 Connell Rob't Summers Chas Clifford J C Schuyler Max Gove Frank M Willis David Hammond Nora Woodwell David McGuire P Williams E L Watson Joseph.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will ask for "advertised letters." After 30 days, the above list will be sent to the dead-letter office, at Washington, D. C. A. K. PRESCOTT, P. M.

MARKET REPORT.

RICO, COLO., November 22, 1879.

LUMBER. Common, per 1,000 feet..... \$40 00 Flooring " " " " " " 45 00 Clear " " " " " " 50 00 Fencing " " " " " " 40 00 Common sheets, " " " " 15 00 Shingles " " " " " " 10 00 Building logs, delivered on the ground each, for 50c @ 1 00

RICO RETAIL PRICES.

DRIED FRUITS. Apples per pound..... 15 @ 30 Black berries per pound..... 18 @ 20 Prunes " " " " " " 20 @ 25 Raisins " " " " " " 25 @ 30 Currants " " " " " " 18

VEGETABLES. Onions per pound..... 10 @ 15 Cabbage " " " " " " 10 @ 15 Potatoes " " " " " " 7 @ 10

MEATS. D. S. bacon per pound..... 18 Breakfast bacon per pound..... 20 @ 22 Sugar cured hams per pound..... 22

COFFEES. Rio coffee per pound..... 24 @ 27 Arbuckles " " " " " " 35

SUGARS. Coffee A per pound..... 20 Granulated " " " " " " 22

GRAIN. Corn per bushel..... 8 @ 10 Oats per bushel..... 6 Hay per bushel..... 6

CUT MEATS. Beef steaks..... 10 to 15c per lb do roasts..... 10c per lb do boiling cuts..... 6 to 8c per lb do hind quarter in bulk..... 9c per lb do fore " " " " " " 7 1/2c per lb Game..... 10 to 15c per lb

MISCELLANEOUS.

Flour per 100 pounds..... \$10 00 Graham do do..... 9 50 Corn meal do do..... 9 50 Mackerel No. 1 per kilt..... 4 00 White fish " " " " " " 3 75 Ax with handle..... 3 50 Pickles per gallon..... 1 00 @ 1 50 Syrup..... 1 50 @ 2 00 Tea per pound..... 75 @ 1 00 Vinegar D. S. per gallon..... 1 50 Baking powder per lb..... 40 @ 50 Corn starch per lb..... 25 @ 30 Suit three pound sacks..... 25 @ 30 Coddish per lb..... 25 @ 30 Gun powder dry as to price..... 75 Lead in bar per lb..... 42 Rice per bushel..... 20 Canned fruits per lb..... 20 Butter per lb..... 50 @ 55 Cheese per lb..... 25 @ 30 Hominy per bushel..... 12 1/2 Soap per lb..... 12 1/2 Lard in cans per lb..... 12 1/2 Rope per lb..... 12 1/2 Crackers quality as to price, soda Sardines in quarter-pound boxes. Salmon in one pound cans..... 35

WINE AND LIQUORS.

California Port wine per gallon..... 4 00 do Sherry do do..... 4 00 do Angelica do do..... 4 00 Old Bourbon whiskey do..... 5 00 @ 6 00 Whiskey rectified do..... 3 00 @ 4 00

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.

After purchasing an article of any kind in the states east, marked to Rico, add ten cents per pound on every article for freight and costs.

L. ALDERMAN, BUTCHER, RICO, COLORADO.

Keep on hand at all times, the finest cuts of Beef, Mutton, Veal, and all kinds of Game, Fish, and Birds. Will have a full supply of Vegetables and Fruits, of every kind, as soon as the same can be procured. Our purpose is to keep a FIRST-CLASS MEAT MARKET.

For the good of the people of Rico, and we respectfully invite and solicit their patronage, ever bearing in mind that it will be our aim and purpose to give satisfaction in all cases and at all times. Our place of business is on GLASGOW AVENUE, near SILVER CREEK.

T. M. TRIPPE, Civil Engineer AND

Dep. U. S. Mineral Surveyor, HOWARDSVILLE, SAN JUAN COUNTY, COLORADO.

Special attention given to procuring Patents on all Mineral Claims. 8-11

W. M. FRIEND, HOUSE, SIGN AND ORNAMENTAL PAINTER, CALSOMMING AND PAPER HANGING A SPECIALTY.

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