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ELKO COUNTY

(GOOSE CREEK DISTRICT)

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STATE MINERALOGIST REPORT, 1873-1874, p. 33  
FOR 1875-1876, p. 24

This district is 25 miles north of Tecoma and 10 miles from the Utah line. First locations made in summer of 1872; formation is limestone and porphyry; veins vary 2-3' wide and crop out for 300'. The mines were discovered by an Indian who showed them to Mr. Thomas and Brown. 90 locations made; principal ones are the Colton Thomas, Anna Carroll and the Providence. The veins are all silver-bearing, ores being a chloride. Assays from \$160-\$350 per ton. Two companies are working the Colton Thomas and Anna Carroll. The Laurel was located in July 1873 by Mr. McKittrick and some good ore is found near the surface.

*COULD THIS BE DELANO?*

For 1875-1876:

Goose Creek District is in the Goose Creek range which separates Goose Creek from Thousand Spring Valley. The mines were discovered by an Indian. A great many locations have been made here, but as yet no very important results have been obtained.