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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

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General Land Office

Washington, D. C.

174964-1901 11932-1902

February 5, 1902

Subject: Suspension from Entry.

Register and Receiver,

U. S. Land Office,

Carson City, Nevada.

Sirs:

I have received a letter from the U. S. surveyor general for Nevada recommending the suspension from entry of T. 15 S., R. 70 E., M.D.M., Nevada, on account of the fact that it is unsurveyed in reality and that lines and corners cannot be found therein for the location of claims.

Affidavits from five residents of the vicinity concur in showing that there are no improvements, no settlers, and no corners to be found in that vicinity which has been platted and recorded by a pretended survey of men named Myrick and Woods twenty years ago. Some of these affiants were acquainted with the facts of the fictitious character of the surveys while being made, and all testify in strong terms to their knowledge that no survey was made in the region of said township 15 S., R. 70 E.

It appears from the records that no entries have been made therein, but that important mineral discoveries are known to exist which the mineral deputy has failed, after long search, to connect with any Government corner of public lands. In order,

therefore, to prevent delay and justify the creation of U. S. location monuments, it is ordered that said township 15 S., R. 70 E., M.D.M., be suspended from entry until further notice.

You will make entry hereof upon your records, and acknowledge receipt of this notice.

Very respectfully,

/s/ W. A. Richards

Assistant Commissioner.

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Subject: Suspension from Entries.

The U. S. Surveyor General,

Reno, Nevada.

Sir:

In reply to your letters dated Nov. 1, 1901, and Jan. 14, 1902, transmitting evidence in regard to the absence of all marks or evidences of survey in T. 15 S., R. 70 E., M.D.M., Nevada, you are now advised that by office letter "E" dated Feb. 5, 1902, I have directed the register and receiver at Carson City to suspend said township from entries of public lands.

Very respectfully,

/s/ W. A. Richards
Assistant Commissioner.

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