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SOME SUPPLEMENTARY NEW MEXICAN IMPRINTS
1850-1860

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IN MY article, "The History of Early Printing in New Mexico," which was published in the *NEW MEXICO HISTORICAL REVIEW* of October, 1929, I submitted a bibliographical list of all products of the press, other than newspapers, from the beginning in 1834 through the year 1860. This list, though bringing to attention a number of most interesting but almost unknown imprints of the Mexican period, was quite obviously deficient in its record of official documents in the early years of the Territory of New Mexico as a part of the United States.

A recent opportunity to visit the Library of Congress enabled me to make notes of titles that practically complete the list of public documents—legislative journals and laws—for the period in question. These titles are here presented in a supplementary bibliography.

Also included in the supplementary list are four broadsides reported by the Henry E. Huntington library. I am glad to acknowledge my obligation to Mr. Willard O. Waters, bibliographer of the Huntington Library, for his interest in giving me information of these interesting items. And through the interest and courtesy of Mr. Lansing B. Bloom, secretary of the Historical Society of New Mexico and editor of its *HISTORICAL REVIEW*, I am able to add two broadsides discovered by Mr. Bloom in the Bancroft Library of the University of California. One of these, which has been placed at the end of the supplementary list, is as yet undated and is included provisionally. Mr. Bloom also found in the Bancroft Library copies of the election proclamations listed in the bibliography in my former article as Nos. 15, 16, 17, 18, and 20, and a copy of the proclamation listed as No. 32. I am glad to be able to credit these broadsides to the Bancroft collection.

Still unknown to me are any printed copies of the Spanish version of the acts of the two legislative sessions of 1851, the Spanish version of the House Journal of the session of December, 1854, and the English version of the Council Journal of the session of 1858-59. The Spanish version of the Council Journal of the session of December, 1852, I have not yet succeeded in locating, but have found record of it in an auction catalogue.

Of the messages of the territorial governors to the legislature I have been able thus far to account for four in printed form—those of December, 1852, and December, 1857, in English, that of December, 1855, in both English and in Spanish, and that of December, 1856, in Spanish only.

The few gaps still remaining in the list of New Mexican public documents are here mentioned in the hope that search for them will be stimulated and that they will sooner or later be brought to light and put on record.

Donaciano Vigil, Gobernador Interino | del Territorio de Nuevo Mexico, A los | Habitantes del Mismo: Sabed. | [28 more lines]. [81]

22 x 32 cm. Broadside.

Dated at Santa Fe, 22 February, 1847.

Proclaims that in fighting the Navajo Indians, the effects of the hostiles may be seized as booty and distributed by the citizen forces, and regulates the distribution.

Bancroft Library.

Proclamation | of the | Governor. | [*Double rule*] | James S. Calhoun, | Governor of the Territory of New Mexico. | To all whom it may concern: | [49 lines] | Given under my hand at the city of | Santa Fe, this 12th day of March, | 1851. | Jas. S. Calhoun. | By the Governor, | H. N. Smith, | Secretary of the Territory. [82]

17 x 35.5 cm. Broadside. Text, in English and in Spanish, in 2 columns, separated by column rule; Spanish text in right-hand column.

Henry E. Huntington Library.

Proclamation. | James S. Calhoun, | Governor | of the Ter-
ritory of New Mexico. | [*Double rule*] | To the People of
Said Territory. | [*44 lines*] | Given under my hand at the
City of Santa Fe, this 18th day of March, A. D. 1851. |
James S. Calhoun, | Governor. [83]

24.5 x 35 cm. Broadside. Text, in English and in Spanish,
in 2 columns, separated by column rule; Spanish text in
right-hand column.

Henry E. Huntington Library.

Territorio de Nuevo Mejico. | Departamento del Ejecutivo. |
Santa Fe, Nuevo Mejico, | Marzo 19, de 1851. | Al Cacique,
Gobernadores i Principales de | [*Blank space for name*] |
[*13 lines*] | James S. Calhoun, Gobernador, | i Superinten-
dente de Negocios Indios. [84]

17 x 25 cm. Broadside.

Text begins: Los Indios salvajes que diariamente estan
asesinando i robando el pueblo de Vds. deben ser extermin-
ados o castigados . . .

Henry E. Huntington Library.

Las Actas | de | La Camara de Representantes | del | Terri-
torio de N. Mejico; | siendo | la segunda sesion de la primera
Asamblea Legislativa | comenzada y tenida | en la Ciudad de
Santa Fé, | Diciembre 10 de 1851. | [*Dotted rule*] | Santa
Fé, | Collins, Kephart & Ca., Impresores. | MDCCCLIII.

[85]

15.5 x 24 cm. 265 p. Printed brown paper wrappers.

Library of Congress.

Journal | of the | Honorable Council | of the | Territory of
N. Mexico; | being the | second session of the first Legisla-
tive Assembly, | begun and held | in the City of Santa Fe,
December 1, 1851. | Printed in the Santa Fe Gazette Office.
| 1854. [86]

14 x 21.5 135 p.

Library of Congress.

Diario | del | Consejo | del | Territorio de N. Mejico. | Siendo
| La segunda sesion de la primera Asamblea | Legislativa |
principiada y tenida | en la Ciudad de Santa Fe, | Diciembre

de 1851. | [*Rule*] | Santa Fe: | J. L. Collins y W. W. H. Davis, Impresores. | MDCCCLIV. [87]

14 x 21.5 cm. 133 p.

Library of Congress.

Journal | of the | Honorable Council | of the | Territory of N. Mexico; | being the | second session of the first Legislative Assembly, | begun and held | in the City of Santa Fe, December 6, 1852. | Printed in the Santa Fe Gazette Office. | 1854. [88]

14 x 21.5 cm. 117 p.

This session was actually of the second Legislative Assembly, and is so designated on the title page of the laws for this session.

Library of Congress.

Diario | del | Consejo | del | Territorio de N. Mejico; | siendo | la segunda sesion de la primera Asamblea | Legislativa | principiada y tenida | en la Ciudad de Santa Fé, | Diciembre 6 de 1852. | [*Dotted rule*] | Santa Fé: | J. L. Collins y W. W. H. Davis, Impresores. | MDCCCLIV. [89]

14 x 21.5 cm. 117 p.

Title should have read "primera sesion de la segunda Asamblea Legislativa."

Library of Congress.

Journal | of the | House of Representatives | of the | Territory of N. Mexico; | being the | second session of the first Legislative Assembly, | begun and held | in the City of Santa Fe, December 6, 1852. | Santa Fe, | J. L. Collins & W. W. H. Davis, Printers | MDCCCLIV. | [90]

14 x 21.5 cm. 293 p. (last page misnumbered 193).

This was actually a session of the second Legislative Assembly.

Library of Congress.

Diario | de la | Camara de Representantes | del | Territorio de N. Mejico. | Siendo | la segunda sesion de la primera Asamblea Legislativa | principiada y tenida | en la Ciudad de Santa Fe, | Diciembre 6 de 1852. | [*Dotted rule*] | Santa Fe, | J. L. Collins y W. W. H. Davis, Impresores. |

MDCCCLIV.

[91]

14 x 21.5 cm. 290 p.

Title should have read "Primera sesion de la segunda Asamblea Legislativa."

Library of Congress.

Journal | of the | Legislative Council | of the | Territory of New Mexico; | being the | first session of the second Legislative Assembly, | begun and held | at the City of Santa Fe, December 5th, 1853. | [*Dotted rule*] | Santa Fe, | J. L. Collins & W. W. H. Davis, Printers. | MDCCCLIV. [92]

14 x 21.5 cm. 296 p.

This session was actually the first session of the *third* Legislative Assembly and is so designated on the title page of the laws of the session.

Library of Congress.

Diario | del | Consejo Legislativo | del | Territorio de N. Mejico; | siendo la primera sesion de la segunda Asamblea | Legislativa | principiada y tenida | en la Ciudad de Santa Fe, | el dia 5 de Diciembre de 1853. | [*Dotted rule*] | Santa Fé: | J. L. Collins y W. W. H. Davis, Impresores. | 1854 [93]

14 x 21.5 cm. 323 p.

Title should read "primera sesion de la tercera Asamblea Legislativa."

Library of Congress.

Journal | of the | House of Representatives | of the | Territory of N. Mexico; | being the | first session of the second Legislative Assembly, | begun and held | in the City of Santa Fé, | December 5, 1853. | [*Dotted rule*] | Santa Fe: | J. L. Collins & W. W. H. Davis, Printers. | MDCCCLIV. [94]

14 x 21.5 cm. 443 p.

This session was actually the first session of the *third* Legislative Assembly.

Library of Congress.

Diario | de la | Camara de Representantes | del | Territorio de N. Mejico. | Siendo | la primera sesion de la segunda Asamblea Legislativa | principiada y tenida | en la Ciudad de Santa Fe, | Diciembre 5 de 1853. | [*Dotted rule*] | Santa

Fe, | J. L. Collins y W. W. H. Davis, Impresores. |
MDCCCLIV. [95]

14 x 21.5 cm. 441 p.

Title should read "tercera Asamblea."

Library of Congress.

Journal | of the | Honorable Council | of the | Territory of
N. Mexico; | being the | first session of the first Legislative
Assembly, | begun and held | in the City of Santa Fe, June 3,
1851. | [*Dotted rule*] | Printed in the Santa Fe Gazette Of-
fice, 1855. [96]

14 x 21.5 cm. 120 p.

Library of Congress.

Diario | del | Consejo | del | Territorio de N. Mejico. | Siendo
| la primera sesion de la primera Asamblea | Legislativa |
principiada y tenida | en la Ciudad de Santa Fe, | Junio 3 de
1851. | [*Rule*] | Santa Fe: | J. L. Collins y W. W. H. Davis,
Impresores. | MDCCCLV. [97]

14 x 22 cm. 120 p.

Library of Congress.

Journal | of the | House of Representatives | of the Terri-
tory of New Mexico; | being | the first session of the first
Legislative | Assembly, begun and held in the | City of Santa
Fé, | June 3, 1851. | [*Wavy rule*] | Santa Fé: | Printed in the
Santa Fé Weekly Gazette Office; | MDCCCLV. [98]

13.5 x 21.5 cm. 146 p.

Library of Congress.

Diario | de la | Camara de Representantes | del | Territorio
de Nuevo Mejico: | siendo | la primera sesion de la primera
Asamblea | Legislativa, principiada y tenida | en la Ciudad
de Santa Fé, Junio 3, 1851. | [*Filet*] | Santa Fé: | Imprimido
en la Oficina de la Gaceta. | MDCCCLV. [99]

13.5 x 22 cm. 162 p.

Library of Congress.

Journal | of the | Honorable Council | of the | Territory of
N. Mexico; | being the | second session of the third Legisla-

tive Assembly, | begun and held | in the City of Santa Fe,
December 4, 1854. | Printed in the Santa Fe Gazette Office.
| 1855. [100]

14 x 21.5 cm. 235 p.

This session was actually the session of the *fourth* Legislative Assembly and is so designated on the title page of the laws of the session.

Library of Congress.

Journal | of the | House of Representatives, | of the | Territory of N. Mexico: | being the second session of the third Legislative Assembly. | begun and held | in the City of Santa Fe, | December 4, 1854. | [*Dotted rule*] | Printed in the Santa Fe Gazette Office. | 1855. [101]

14 x 22.5 cm. 285 p.

This was actually the session of the *fourth* Legislative Assembly.

Library of Congress.

Journal | of the | Legislative Council | of the | Territory of New Mexico; | being | the first session of the fourth Legislative | Assembly, begun and held in the | City of Santa Fé, | December 3, 1855, | [*Wavy rule*] | Printed in the Santa Fe Gazette Office. | 1856. [102]

13 x 22 cm. 56 p.

This was actually the session of the *fifth* Legislative Assembly.

Library of Congress.

Journal | of the | House of Representatives of the | Territory of New Mexico; | being | the first session of the fourth Legislative | Assembly, begun and held in the | City of Santa Fé, | December 3, 1855, | [*Wavy rule*] | Printed in the Santa Fe Gazette Office. | 1856. [103]

13 x 22 cm. 78 p.

This was actually the session of the *fifth* Legislative Assembly.

Library of Congress.

Diario | de la | Camara de Representantes | Nuev [*sic*]
Mejico; | December 5, 1855 | [*Dotted rule*]. | Santa Fé: |

Printed in the Santa Fé Weekly Gazette Office. |
MDCCCLVI. [104]

13.5 x 22 cm. 88 p.

Library of Congress.

Diario | del | Consejo | del | Territorio de Nuevo Mejico; |
Diciembre 3, 1855. | [*Wavy rule*] | Santa Fe. | Imprimido
en la Oficina de la Gaceta. | MDCCCLVII.

13.5 x 22 cm. 69 p.

Library of Congress (2 copies).

Journal | of the | Council, | of the | Territory of | New Mex-
ico | session of 1855-1856. | Santa Fe. | Printed in the Office
of the Democrat, | 1857. [106]

13.5 x 22 cm. 91 p.

The dates of the session should read "1856-57" and on the
title page of the Library of Congress copy have been so cor-
rected in pencil. This was the session of the sixth Legislative
Assembly.

Library of Congress.

Diario | del | Consejo Legislativo | del Territorio de | Nuevo
Mejico, | Sesion de 1856-57, | Santa Fè, | Impreso en la
Oficina del Democrata, | 1857.

13 x 22 cm. 93 p.

Library of Congress.

Journal | of the | House of Representatives | of the Terri-
tory of | New Mexico | session of 1855-1856. | Santa Fe |
Printed in the Office of the Democrat, | 1857. [108]

13.5 x 22 cm. 88 p.

The dates of the session should read "1856-57"; so corrected
in pencil on title page of Library of Congress copy.

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Diario | de la | Camara de Representantes | del Territorio de
| Nuevo Mejico, | Sesion de 1856-57, | Santa Fè, | Impreso en
la Oficina del Democrata. | 1857. [109]

13 x 22 cm. 89 p.

Library of Congress.

Journal | of the | Legislative Council | of the | Territory of
 | New Mexico, | being the | first session of the fourth Legis-
 lative Assembly, | begun and held at the City of | Santa Fe,
 December 7th, 1857. | 1858. [110]

12.5 x 22 cm. 93 p.

This was actually the session of the *seventh* Legislative
 Assembly.

Library of Congress.

Diario | del | Consejo Legislativo | del | Territorio de |
 Nuevo Mejico, | siendo la | primera sesion de la cuarta
 Asamblea Legis- | lativa principiada y tenida en la Ciudad |
 de Santa Fe, | Diciembre 7 de 1857. | 1858. [111]

13 x 22 cm. 94 p.

This should read "Septima Asamblea."

Library of Congress.

Journal | of the | House of Representatives | of the | Terri-
 tory of New Mexico. | Session 1857-58. | [*Filet*] | Santa Fe:
 | Printed at the Office of the Santa Fé Gazette. | 1858 [112]

12.5 x 21.5 cm. 127 p.

Library of Congress.

Diario | de la | Camara de Representantes, | del Territorio
 de | Nuevo Mejico, | Sesion 1857-58. [113]

12.5 x 21.5 cm. 135 p.

No date and no imprint, but printed at Santa Fe, 1858.

Library of Congress.

Diario | del | Consejo Legislativo | del Territorio de | Nuevo
 Mejico, | sesion de 1858-59. | [*Filet*] | Santa Fe, A. De
 Marle, Impresor Publico, | 1859. [114]

13 x 22.5 cm. 88 p.

Library of Congress.

Diario | de la | Camara de Representantes | del Territorio de
 | Nuevo Mejico, | sesion de 1858-59. | [*Filet*] | Santa Fe, A.
 De Marle, Impresor Publico, | 1859. [115]

13 x 22.5 cm. 112 p.

Library of Congress.

Journal | of the | Legislative Council | of the | Territory of
New Mexico. | Session begun and held in the City of Santa
Fé, Decem- | ber 5th, A. D. 1859, being the Ninth Session |
of the Legislative Assembly. | [*Filet*] | Santa Fe, N. M. | O.
P. Hovey, Public Printer. | 1860. [116]

14.5 x 22.5 cm. 163 p. Printed tan paper wrappers.

Library of Congress.

Diario | del | Consejo Legislativo | del Territorio de | Nuevo
Mejico. | Sesion principiada y tenida en la Ciudad de Santa
Fé, | el dia quinto de Diciembre, A. D. mil ochocientos | cin-
quenta y nueve, siendo la Sesion Novena | de la Asamblea
Legislativa. | [*Filet*] | Santa Fé, N. M., | O. P. Hovey, Im-
presor Publico. | 1860. [117]

14 x 22 cm. 176 p.

Library of Congress.

Journal | of the | House of Representatives | of the | Legisla-
tive Assembly | of | New Mexico, | Of a Session begun and
held in the City of Santa Fé, | Territory of New Mexico, on
Monday, the fifth day | of December, A. D. one thousand
eight hun- | dred and fifty-nine; | it being the Ninth | Legis-
lative Assembly for | said Territory. | [*Filet*] | Santa Fé,
N. M. | O. P. Hovey, Public Printer. | 1860. [118]

15 x 22.5 cm. 171 p. Printed tan paper wrappers.

Library of Congress.

Address | To the People of New Mexico, in relation to their
present difficulties with the Navajo Indians. [119]

31 x 19 cm. Broadside, printed in both sides.

Signed and dated: 'O. P. Hovey, J. M. Gallegos, Miguel E.
Pino, Felipe Delgado, Corresponding Committee. Santa Fe,
N. M. August 13th, 1860.

Henry E. Huntington Library.

Journal of the Council | of the | Legislative Assembly of
New Mexico, | of a | Session begun and held in the City of
Santa Fé, Territory | of New Mexico, on Monday, the third
day of De- | cember, | A. D. 1860, it being the Tenth | Legis-
lative Assembly for said | Territory. | [*Filet*] | Santa Fe, N.

M. | John T. Russell, Printer, | 1860. [120]

14 x 22.5 cm. 158 p. Printed buff paper wrappers.

The Spanish versions of the Journals of this session are dated 1861.

Library of Congress.

Manifiesto al Pueblo de Nuevo Me- | jico. | Conciudadanos:

—Tomo la pluma por la pri- | mera vez, . . . [121]

15 x 22 cm. Small broadside. Text in 2 columns.

Signed at end: Cristobal Sanchez y Baca, | senador por el condado de San Miguel. No date.

Bancroft Library.