

# **Dawson Cemetery Inscriptions And Other Vital Records Dawson, Colfax County, New Mexico**

**Section 1: The Dawson Cemetery Tombstone Inscriptions and persons not necessarily buried in Dawson Cemetery but listed in the Dawson News, Volumes 1 thru 9, 1921-1929 and their obituaries when available. Also information from family members and people listed on a survey map of the Dawson Cemetery.**

**Section 2: J. B. Dawson Family Cemetery Inscriptions**

**Section 3: With permission to reprint an article from the 1993 summer edition of "New Mexico Preservation," by Corinne Sze.**

**"As a genealogist and family historian I have included material that may be seen as not pertaining to the Dawson Cemetery. I have found in researching my ancestors that were miners, there are few if any records of their existence. Therefore I hope that the information in this booklet and database may aid someone in their search for their ancestry."**

**I would like to add a special thanks to all the people who submitted information, either through their personal research or personal family knowledge. With their help, this project gives a wealth of information that would not be available otherwise. Compiler: Vivien A. Andrews, a descendant of Newton and Alvin C. Davis, Coal Miners.**

***The Dawson Coal Mines opened as early as 1896 when J. B. Dawson sold the mineral rights to The Dawson Fuel Co. The Phelps Dodge Corporation purchased the mines around 1903. Dawson coal mines closed in 1950. Like so many towns that were owned by a mining company, when the coal mines closed so did the town.***

***Most of the miners who died in the explosions of September 14, 1903, October 22, 1913 or February 8, 1923 have a white metal miners cross that was supplied by Phelps Dodge Corporation. Nationalities are noted when known or suspected, as per the New Mexico Mine Inspectors 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Report of Mines for the 1913 explosion. The 1903 explosion killed 3 men, 1913 explosion killed 263 men and the 1923 explosion killed 120 men.***

***"There are about 70 Miners Cross' with no dates or names inscribed."***

**\* Miners that may or may not be buried in the Dawson Cemetery that lost their lives in the October 22, 1913 explosion. The names came from a published list of the New Mexico Mine Inspectors 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Report of Mines that died in the October 22, 1913 explosion as well as the tombstones and miners cross' in the cemetery.**

**\*\* Miners that may or may not be buried in the Dawson Cemetery that lost their lives in the explosion of February 8, 1923. The 1923 miners names came from a list published in The Dawson News, names from the NMDI (New Mexico Death Index) as well as the tombstones and miners cross' in the cemetery.**

**\*\*\* These people may or may not be buried in the Dawson Cemetery. Relatives of the deceased have stated that they believe their ancestors were buried there and the dates when know. Added to this list are names and obituaries found in the Dawson News, Volumes 1 through 9, 1921-1929, the only years the News was published and names from the NMDI (New Mexico Death Index.**

**\*\*\*\* Men that lost their lives in the 1903 fire in No. 1 mine. Three men died while 500 were able to escape. The source for this information is from “The Dawson Tragedies” by F. Stanley, December 1964.**

**\*\*\*\*\* People that have passed away that lived in Dawson at one time but are not buried in the Dawson Cemetery unless stated. Names and dates submitted by friends and relatives.**

**\*\*\*\*\* These names were taken from “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members”, September 1981, Compiled by: Sharon Ann Burt, Betty Kropf Fager, Greta Gallagher and Nancy Robertson. Edited by Nancy Robertson. Friends of Raton Anthropology, Raton, NM, 87740, Vol. 6, No. 5. Permission to include and add the names from this list to my database was given by Nancy Robertson. The names and inscriptions from the “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members” are important because the list is over 21 years old and many of the markers have either disappeared or are unreadable.**

**~\* Names from a partial index to papers filed in the District Court of the Eighth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico sitting within an for the County of Colfax, under the Workmen’s Compensation Act, Section 12, Chapter 83, 1917 Session Laws, Phelps Dodge Corp., by Crampton & Darden, Attorneys for the Employer. The Original papers, sometimes containing additional information, may be found in the Office of the District Court Clerk, on the third floor of the Colfax County Courthouse in Raton, New Mexico.**

***“This information submitted and permission to included it in this book was given to me by Nancy Robertson, as it pertains to the Application for Workman’s Compensation data.”***

***Example:***

***“Alamillo”***

***Application of the wife and children for workmen’s compensation***

***Answer of Employer***

***Judgment for workmen’s compensation (signed and dated 02/23/1923)***

***Filed 02/24/1923***

***\$16.60 per week for widow and 3 children.***

***Statement of Settlement and compromise and application for approval Judgment authorizing and approving lump sum settlement signed 06/19/1923***

***Filed June 20, 1923***

***Amt. \$3, 327.00***

***The Civil Docket for Anacleto Alamillo:***

***Civil Docket 12, Case No. 6538, Clara, age 20, wife of Anacleto Alamillo, Donaciana, age 3, Lawrence, age 1 ½, and Anacleto, Jr., age 1 month. Anacleto was employed six years with Average Weekly Earnings of \$30.00.***

***“The names marked with a Plot, Block and Grave Number were found on the Cemetery, Dawson, NM survey map.”***

**The following database is as accurate as we could make it. The Cemetery is old and was unkempt for many year following the close of the mine in 1950. It is now on both the State and National Registers of Historic Places. This however will not keep it from natures forces and there are no caretakers to set the overturned stones. Many of the tombstones are made of sandstone and reading the inscriptions were difficult if not impossible. There were many different nationalities in Dawson and we have attempted to translate the tombstone transcriptions as best we could. The languages we were working with were:**

**Italian, Spanish, French, German, Greek, Serbian, Croatian, Slovenian & English. This data is the joint effort of Irma & Buddy Morse, curators of the Old Mill Museum, Ethel Ramsey, and Bob & Vivien Andrews all residents of Cimarron, Colfax County, New Mexico. A special thanks to John & Peggy Bizyak for the calendar translations in Serbian, Croatian, & Slovenian. Please note that most of these names were taken directly from the tombstones in the cemetery and errors may have occurred due to the difficulty in deciphering the engravings. Some tombstones were badly damaged do to the extreme force of the wind and rain we have in New Mexico. Some tombstones are made of sandstone so there inscriptions may have all but disappeared. The cemetery is unkempt except for every two years just before the Dawson Reunions takes place. The Dawson Reunion Committee mows the weeds and tries to right the headstones that have fallen over.**

**A special thanks to the “Descendants of the Town of Dawson” that gave me new or corrected information about the people they knew in Dawson.**

**Sources:**

- 1. Actual reading of tombstones in cemetery.**
- 2. CD images of actual pages for the Dawson Newspaper, 1921-1929.**
- 3. Book by F. Stanley printed in December 1964, “The Dawson Tragedies”.**
- 4. List of names from the Annual Mine Inspectors Report for the 1913 Dawson Mine No. 2 explosion.**
- 5. Relatives of persons buried in the cemetery with no visible or readable markers.**
- 6. Obituaries of people that either died or were born in Dawson, NM and have since died.**
- 7. Dawson Cemetery, Family Members, September 1981, booklet published by Friends of Raton Anthropology and compiled by Sharon Ann Brut, Betty Kropf Fager, Greta Gallagher, and Nancy Robertson.**
- 8. Direct information from Applications for Workmen’s Compensation after the explosion of February 8, 1923 in Dawson, New Mexico. The actual file cards are in the possession of Nancy Robertson, P.O. Box 1516, Raton, NM, 87740. Mrs. Nancy Robertson made the database and allowed me to include the material.**
- 9. Book by Delphine Dawson Wilson, “John Barkley Dawson, Pioneer, Cattleman, Rancher”, self-published in 1997.**
- 10. A survey map titled “Cemetery, Dawson, NM” dated February 15, 1950, donated to the Dawson**

Reunion Committee in the name of Phil and Pat Nowlin who saved the survey map after the close of Dawson in 1950.

11. The NMDI (New Mexico Death Index) Project was a private project started by Sam-Quito Padilla G. Along with a number of generous volunteers and donors. The on address of the NMDI is <http://www.rootsweb.com/~usgenweb/nm/nmdi.htm>

The information from the index is included with the permission of San-Quito Padilla G. *The spelling of the names are from a variety of sources, all of which could be wrong. Check all the names if you can't find who you are looking for.*

## Section 1: Dawson Cemetery Inscriptions

A., L.\*\*\*\*\* 1865-1908 “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members”

Abecatka, Teburc\*\*\*\*\* No dates “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members”

Abila, Felix\*\*\*\*\* May 18, 1882-Feb. 8, 1923 “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members”

Acosta, Antonia Q. de\*\*\*\*\* No dates “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members”

Ablak, Tony\*\*

NMDI: Ablak, Tony, died February 8, 1923, in Colfax County.

Acosta, Patric Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 2, Grave 91

Adame, Dionicia Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 44

NMDI: Adame, Dionacia M., died 01/17/19 32 in Colfax County.

Adame, Jesus Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 19

NMDI: Adame, Jesus, died 12/11/1925 in Colfax County.

Aderhold, Clarence Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 149

NMDI: Aderhold, Clarence, died 04/30/1923 in Colfax County.

Adrianakis, Theofanis\* Killed in explosion of Mine No 2 Miners Cross Greek

October 22, 1913 Note: Adrinakis, Theofanis was the name on the cross. The spelling “Andrios, Thelfano” with the nationality being Greek was on the Mine Inspectors 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Report. Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 92

NMDI: Andrianis, Theofanis, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.

Adriankis, John\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross

October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 121

NMDI: Andrianis, John J., died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.

Adriankis, Nick\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross

October 22, 1913 Arhondakis, Nick Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 140

**NMDI: Arbondakis, Nick, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Adriankis, Polihronis\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross  
October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 122  
NMDI: Andrianis, Pilios J., died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Aguilar, Alex \*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 Miners Cross  
February 8, 1923 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 1**

**~\*Aguilar, Alejandro–American–Mother: Juanita Romero–Stepfather: Dionisio Romero  
NMDI: Aguilar, Alex, died 02/08/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Aguilar, Antonio Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 141**

**NMDI: Aguilar, Antonio, 03/03/1924 in Colfax County.**

**Aguilar, Juan Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 98  
NMDI: Aguilar, Juan, died 08/15/1928 in Colfax County.**

**Aguilar, Justino Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 2, Grave 56  
NMDI: Aguilar, Justino, died 11/21/1937 in Colfax County.**

**Aguilar, Terisita Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 111  
NMDI: Aguilar, Teresita, died 08/09/1924 in Colfax County.**

**Aiken, Meritt Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 60**

**Alamillo, Anacleto\*\* July 13, 1897-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross +  
Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Grave 13**

**~\*Alamillo, Anacleto–American–wife, Clara–Resides in Dawson–Children age 3  
NMDI: Alamillo, Anacleto, died 02/08/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Alamillo, Louisa R. de\*\*\*\*\* No Dates “madre” “Dawson Cemetery, Family  
Members”**

**Alamillo, Marsial\*\* July 3, 1874-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Killed in explosion of Mine  
No. 1 Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Grave 14**

**~\*Alamillo, Marcial–Mexican–Wife–Resides in Dawson–Children (yes)  
NMDI: Alamillo, Marcial, died 02/08/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Alamillo, Pablo Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 41**

**Alanllono, Baty (Baby?) Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 72**

**Albiso, Anillia Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 103**  
**NMDI: Alviso, Amelia, 05/06/1922 in Colfax County.**

**Albiso, Fidelia Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 102**  
**NMDI: Alviso, Fidelia, died 05/01/1922 in Colfax County.**

**Albright, C.\*\*\*\*\* Died July 20, 1907 Age 3, "Dawson Cemetery, Family Members"**

**Allison, Virginia\*\*\* 1903-May 1927 Buried in Cimarron**  
**Note: NM Dawson News, May 27, 1927; OBITUARY Mrs. Virginia Allison, daughter of Joseph W. Swearingen, was born at Elizabethtown, New Mexico, and had just recently passed her 24<sup>th</sup> birthday. She was stricken with flu a short time ago and later developed pneumonia and was at the Dawson Hospital for care and treatment. Sunday her condition became very grave and her brother, who was attending school in the East was sent for. She continued to grow worse and passed away Wednesday morning. Mrs. Allison, who spent all of her short life in the community in which she was born, was familiarly known to most of here friends as Virginia. She was greatly loved and her sudden and unexpected death brings deep sorrow to her relatives and all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance. She attended the Cimarron school from which she was graduated. For the past three years she had resided at Dawson where she was housekeeper for Father Joseph, who paid a beautiful tribute to her memory and deeply regretted her death. Her remains were taken to Cimarron where funeral services were held at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon in charge of Rev. Chester Carwardine. The church was filled to capacity with sorrowing friends. A great profusion of beautiful floral offerings, covering the casket and banked about it, giving mute evidence of the love and affection for the young mother who had been suddenly called from the midst of lifelong friends. Following the services burial was made in the Cimarron cemetery by the side of her mother. Mrs. Allison is survived by her five year old daughter, Winifred, her father, Mr. Joseph Swearingen, her sister, Mrs. E.G. Kilmurray, and one brother, Joseph, Jr., besides a wide circle of friends, all of whom keenly feel her passing.- Raton Reporter.**

**NMDI: Allison, Virginia E., died 05/18/1927, in Colfax County.**

**Alvarado, Julia Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 46**  
**NMDI: Alvarado, Julia, died 08/08/1925 in Colfax County.**

**Alviso, Carmen Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 148**  
**NMDI: Alviso, Carmen, died 09/23/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Alviso, David Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 128**  
**NMDI: Alviso, David, died 08/07/1924 in Colfax County.**

**Amandanez, Jose Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 35.**

**Amandanez, Jaun Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 25**

**Amendariz, Felacitas Cemetery Survey Map Plot 3, Grave 58**

**NMDI: Amendariz, Feleccitas, died 05/13/1927 in Colfax County.**

**Amendariz, Jose Cemetery Survey Map Plot 3, Grave 66  
NMDI: Amendariz, Jose, died 06/15/1927 in Colfax County.**

**Amendariz, Isadora Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 21**

**Amargiotakis, John\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Grecian, the  
October 22, 1913 spelling on the 2 Annual Miners Inspectors Report was Amargiotu, John.  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 110  
NMDI: Amargiotakis, John, died 10/22/13 in Colfax County.**

**Analla, Ambrosio Dec. 8, 1875-Aug. 17, 1916 Tombstone Dedicated by his Wife**

**Anastacio, Jose\*\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 Miners Cross  
1892-February 8, 1923**

**Anastasakis, John\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Grecian  
October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 27**

**Andazola, Guadalupe\*\*\*\*\*Dec. 12, 1877- March 2, 1936 “Dawson Cemetery, Family  
Members” Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 2, Grave 71  
NMDI: Andazola, Guadalupe, died 03/02/1936 in Colfax County.**

**Andazola, “Smily”\*\*\*\*\* Dec. 23, 1913-Sept. 17, 1997 Age at death: 82 Name from list  
provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Andres, John\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Grecian October 22, 1913**

**Andres, Pavlo\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Grecian October 22, 1913**

**Anezakis, Emmanuel\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Grecian, name was  
October 22, 1913 spelled Anezakis, Makis on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Mine Inspectors Report.  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 124  
NMDI: Anezakis, Emanuel, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Anezakis, Stelianus\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Grecian, name was  
October 22, 1913 spelled Anezakis, Stilen on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Mine Inspectors Report.  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 123  
NMDI: Anezakis, Stelios, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Angela, Michele\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 23  
NMDI: Angella, Michele, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Angelone, Pete\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian, the name as**

**October 22, 1913 it was spelled on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Mine Inspection Report was Angeforre, Pete.**

**NMDI: Angelone, Pietro, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Antonelli, Christine\*\*\*\*\* 1916-1916 “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members”**

**Antonelli, Giovanina\*\*\*\*\* 1910-1911 “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members”**

**Antoniol, Giovanni\***

**NMDI: Antoniol, Giovanni, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Apadaca, Alejandro Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 78**

**NMDI: Apodaca, Alejandro, died 12/18/1924 in Colfax County.**

**Apadaca, Baby Cemetery Survey Map Plot 3, Grave 53**

**Apadaca, Baby Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 91**

**Apodaca, Dolores Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 141**

**NMDI: Apodaca, Dolores, died 10/02/1924 in Colfax County.**

**Apadaca, Rosana Cenetry Survey Map Plot 2 Grave 52**

**NMDI: Apadaca, Rosina, 08/27/1925 in Colfax County.**

**Apadaca, Rosaria Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 2, Grave 4**

**NMDI: Apadaca, Ma Rosario M., 03/15/1940 in Colfax County.**

**Aragon, Baby Cemetery Survey Map Plot 4, Grave 24**

**Aragon, Juan Cemetery Survey Map Plot 3, Grave 96**

**Aragon, Mary Alice Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 31**

**NMDI: Aragon, Mary A., died 08/31/1925 in Colfax County.**

**Aragon, Marie Cemetery Survey Map Plot 3, Grave 3**

**Aragon, Modesto Died: March 28, 1929 Tombstone Inscription: New Mexico**

**Pvt. ICL Base Hospital 10, Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 13**

**Aragon, Narciso Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 146**

**NMDI: Aragon, Narciso, died 09/15/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Aragon, Profina Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Bloxk 1, Grave 51**

**Arallano, Margarito Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 2, Grave 45**



**Arallano, Jesus Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 74**  
**NMDI: Arellano, Jesus, died 01/08/1927 in Colfax County.**

**Arcanceli, Giuseppe\*\*\*\*\* April 11, 1885-April 30, 1929 “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members”**

**Arcangeli, Joseph Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 18**  
**NMDI: Arcangeli, Joseph, died 04/30/1929 in Colfax County at age 44.**  
**It appears Giuseppe and Joseph are the same person.**

**Arcanceli, Lucia\*\*\*\*\* Dec. 16, 1882-April 3, 1935 “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members”**

**Arcangeli, Lucia Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 84**  
**NMDI: Arcangeli, Lucia C., died 04/03/1935 in Colfax County.**

**Arcangeli, Tony\*\*\*\*\* No dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Archuleta, Antonia Cemetery Survey Map Plot 3, Grave 44**  
**NMDI: Archuleta, Antonia, died 11/27/1926 in Colfax County.**

**Archuleta, Candido Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 83**  
**NMDI: Archuleta, Candido, died 12/22/1933 in Colfax County.**

**Archuleta, Julian\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 Miners Cross February 8, 1923 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 62**

**~\*Archuleta, Julian–American–Widower–Dependent resides in Dawson–Child age 16**  
**NMDI: Archuleta, Julian, died 02/08/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Archuleta, Manuala Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 32**

**Archuleta, Margaret\*\*\*\*\* No dates Age at death, 62 Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Aricola, John\*\***  
**NMDI: Aricola, John, died 10/22/23 in Colfax County.**

**~\*Ardahoe, Clarence\*\*–Dependent resides in Ardmore, OK died: 10/22/1923**

**Arellano, Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 2, Grave 65**

**Arellano, Baby Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 2, Grave 101**

**Arellano, Jesus Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 58**

**Arellano, Narciso died: March 11, 1936 Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 2, Grave 70**

**Arellano, Pete Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 57  
NMDI: Arellano, Pete, died 07/07/1925 in Colfax County.**

**Arellano, Sedonio Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 33  
NMDI: Arellano, Sinidio, died 10/24/1929 in Colfax County.**

**Areola, Baltazae Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 16  
NMDI: Arreola, Baltazar, died 12/21/1928 in Colfax County.**

**Areyano, Josepha Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 63  
NMDI: Areyano, Josepha, died 05/10/1921 in Colfax County**

**Aricola, John\*  
NMDI: Aricola, John, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County**

**Aridendo, Baby Cemetery Survey Map Plot 3, Grave 24**

**Arko, Anton\*\*\*\*\* 1918-1924 “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members” Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 136  
NMDI: Arko, Tony, died 01/07/1924 in Colfax County**

**Arko, Leopold\*\*\*\*\* 1911-1923 “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members” Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 134  
NMDI: Arko, Leo, died 03/01/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Arkotas, Nick\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Grecian October 22, 1913**

**Aramaldo, Fideli\*  
NMDI: Aramaldo, Fideli, died 10/22/13 in Colfax County.**

**Armeda, Rocco\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 16**

**Armendarez, Genovara Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 2, Grave 17**

**Armendarez, Natividad Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 110  
NMDI: Armendarez, Natividad, died 08/18/1922 in Colfax County.**

**Armendarez, Soledad Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 4  
NMDI: Armendarez, Soledad, died 09/14/1928 in Colfax County.**

**Armenvarz, Pablo C. Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 105**

**Armejo, Jose Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 22**  
**NMDI: Armejo, Jose R., died 08/29/1929 in Colfax County.**

**Arnias, Pablo Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 147**

**Arvas, Nick\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 Miners Cross**  
**February 8, 1923 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 59**

**~\*Arvas, Nick–Greek–Mother: Athens, Greece**  
**NMDI: Arvas, Nick, died 02/08/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Avalos, Paula Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 59**  
**NMDI: Avalos, Paula D., died 07/08/1930 in Colfax County.**

**Avitia, Blasa 1830-1928**

**Azcaynno, Camillo\* No Dates Miners Cross**

**Barajas, Baby Cemetery Survey Map Plot 3, Grave 31**

**Barajas, Cruse Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 107**

**Barajas, Miguela Cemetery Survey Map Plot1, Grave 30**  
**NMDI: Baraja, Miguela, died 11/25/1926 in Colfax County**

**Bacca, Alex\*\*\*\*\* 1873-1948 “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members” Cemetery Survey**  
**Map Plot 3, Grave 13**

**Bacca, Emma\*\*\* died: late 1920's Unmarked Cemetery Plot Map Knights of Pythias Plot**  
**7, Grave 13**

**Bacca, Frank\*\*\* No Dates Unmarked**

**Bacca, Margherita Sept. 29, 1888-July 14, 1927 Cemetery Plot Map Plot 3, Grave 74**  
**NMDI: Baca, Margarete, died 07/14/1927 in Colfax County.**

**Badiali, Celeste\***  
**NMDI: Badiali, Celeste, 10/22/1913 in Colfax County**

**Ballastrocci, Battista\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22,**  
**1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 55**  
**NMDI: Ballastrocci, Battista, died 10/22/13 in Colfax County.**

**Banks, Hugh\*\*\*\*\* 1894-1907 “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members”**

**Barela, \*\*\* 1922-January 25, 1926 Unmarked**

**Note: Dawson News, January 28, 1926: Barela- The four year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Conrado Barela died at the family home on Five Hill, Monday, January 25<sup>th</sup> from a complication of children's diseases. Burial was made in the Dawson cemetery on Wednesday.**

**Barela, Afelino Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 26**

**Barela, Eloy \*\*\*\*\* 1928-1933 "Dawson Cemetery, Family Members"**

**Barela, Francisco Cemetery Survey Map Plot 3, Grave 2**

**Barela, Jose Cemetery Survey Map Plot 4, Grave 30**

**Barela, Luciano 1875-1940 Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 2, Grave 29**

**Barela, Nickolas Cemetery Survey Map Plot 4, Grave 7**

**Barela, Trecca Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 92**

**Barela, Viola Cemetery Survey Map Plot 3, Grave 78**

**Bargas, Antonia & Baby Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 81**

**Bargas, Isabel Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 98**

**Bargas, Marrino Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 78**

**Barilo, Jose Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 63**

**Barnett, Elmer Cemetery Survey Map Knights of Pythias Plot 7, Grave 8**  
**NMDI: Barrett, Elmer, died 11/21/1922 in Colfax County**

**Baro, Ercila\*\*\*\*\* Feb. 28, 1920-1923 "Dawson Cemetery, Family Members"**

**Barola, Lucinda\*\*\*\*\* Nov. 22, 1885-April 27, 1924 "Dawson Cemetery, Family Members"**

**Barranco, Jesus\*\* 1886-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 10**

**~\*Barranco, Jesus-Mrs.-Child age 2**

**NMDI: Barranco, Jesus, died 02/08/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Battaglia, Silvestro**

**NMDI: Battaglia, Silvestro, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Battalon\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 October 22, 1913**

**Bartolomeo, Julio de died: March 20, 1909 “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members”**

**Battu, Bert\*\*\*\*\* No dates Unmarked Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Battu, Frank\*\*\*\*\* No dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Battu, Gloria\*\*\*\*\* August 16, 1928-Sept. 19,1929 Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Battu, James\*\*\*\*\* May 8, 1917-Sept. 22, 1993 Unmarked Name from list Age at death, 76 provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Battu, Dominic\*\*\*\*\* 1878-1946 Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Battu, Lena\*\*\*\*\* 1895-1941 Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Battu, Paul\*\*\*\*\* No dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Bavas, B. Martin Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 125**

**Bayyatte, Jessie Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 135**

**Becchetti, Benjamin Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 45  
NMDI: Becchetti, Benjamin, died 07/19/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Bediali, Antonio\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913  
NMDI: Bediali, Antonio, 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Bediali, Celeste\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery  
Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 39**

**Bella, Angelo\* died: Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross Italian  
NMDI: Bellie, Angelo, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County**

**Beras, Baby Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 14**

**Bergamo, Anna\*\*\*\*\* 1809-1972 Age at death, 62 Name from list provided by Elizabeth  
Greene.**

**Bergamo, Anna\*\*\*\*\* Jan. 24, 1889-1972 Age at death, 83 Name from list provided by  
Elizabeth Greene.**

**Bergamo, Doris\*\*\*\*\* Nov. 17, 1915-Feb. 19, 1995 Age at death, 81 Name from list**

**provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Bergamo, Ernest\*\*\*\*\* No dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Bergamo, Fred\*\*\*\*\* No dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Bergamo, Johnnie October 29, 1922-July 24, 1923 Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 160**

**NMDI: Bergamo, John, died 07/25/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Bergamo, Richardo\*\*\*\*\* No dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Bergamo, Serafino 1875-1936 Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 2, Grave 54**

**NMDI: Bergamo, Serafino, died 12/22/36 in Colfax County.**

**Berger, Jerry\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 American October 22, 1913**

**NMDI: Berger, Jerry, died 10/22/13 in Colfax County.**

**Bessa, John\*\*\*\*\* July 16, 1871-Feb. 3, 1919 Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Bessa, Elizabeth\*\*\*\*\* 1864-1929 Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Betoche, Zeferino\***

**NMDI: Betoche, Zeferino, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Biagi, Giovanni\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 16**

**NMDI: Biagi, Giovanni, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Biagi, John\* Miners Cross**

**Biagio, Silvestro\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913**

**Biaio, Silvestro Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 33**

**Bialpando, Filiberto No Date Miners Cross**

**Bianchi, Guglielmo\* Killed in explosion of Mine No.2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 19**

**NMDI: Bianchi, Guglielmi, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Bievera, Eva 1912-1924**

**Biondi, Luigi\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913**

**Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 106**  
**MMDI: Biondi, Luigi, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Binlovich, Baby Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 143 ½**

**Bizyak, Helen \*\*\* died: abt. 1915 Unmarked Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 90**  
**NMDI: Bizjak, Mary, died 12/10/1924 in Colfax County.?**

**Blasa, Avitia 1830-1928 Tombstone**

**Boggio, Pietro\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 13, 1913**  
**Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 34**  
**NMDI: Boggia, Pietro, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Bokides, Charalampos\*\*\*\*\*Feb. 26, 1922-Nov. 17, 1933 “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members”**

**Bokides, Harry Feb. 26, 1922-Nov. 17, 1933 Tombstone Note: Bokides, Charalampos\*\*\*\*\* died:Nov. 17, 1933 Dawson Cemetery, Family Members” Cemetery Survey Map Knights of Pythias Plot 7, Grave 74**  
**NMDI: Bokides, Harry, died 11/17/1933 in Colfax County.**

**Bolas, Neavinna Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Block 73**

**Bollas, Tonie Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 43**

**~\*Boler, Tony–wife, Sotera Sanchez–died in accident in Mine #7, not an explosion, Jan. 1923**  
**NMDI: Bolas, Tony, died 01/31/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Bonaventura, Frenche\*\* Miners Cross Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Grave 17**

**~\*Bonaventuri, Frenche–Italian–Carmela–Child age 1**  
**NMDI: Bonaventura, Frenche, died 02/08/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Bonnie, Antonio\***  
**NMDI: Bonnie, Antonio, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Bonnio, Dom\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Bono, Anton\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913**  
**Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 59**

**Bono, Antonio\*\*\*\*\* died: Oct. 22, 1913 Age 26 “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members”**

**Borros, Francis Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 26**

**Bortolussi, Michele\*\*\*\*\* Mar. 13, 1859-Mar. 1919 Tombstone “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members”**

**Bortolussi, Maria\*\*\*\*\* Dec. 30, 1917-Nov. 9, 1920 Tombstone “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members”**

**NMDI: Bortolussi, Mary, died 11/09/1920**

**Bossetto, Giovanna\*\*\*\*\* Dec. 12, 1889-June 12, ? Age 19 “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members”**

**Botello, Liburcio Cemetery Survey Map Plot 3, Grave 56**

**NMDI: Botello, Liburcio, died 04/28/1928 in Colfax County.**

**Bouzakis, Nick\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Grecian October 22, 1913**

**Bracamontez, Lorenzo\*\*\* No known dates Unmarked Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 112**

**NMDI: Bracamontez, Lorenzo, died 08/12/1924 in Colfax County.**

**Bracraman, Ansuclon Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 90**

**NMDI: Bracamontes, Ansucion, died 02/06/1922 in Colfax County.**

**Bradford, George L. Cemetery Survey Map Mason Plot 8, Grave 31**

**Bradford, Mrs. G.L. Cemetery Survey Map Mason Plot 8, Grave 32**

**Brandolino, Juiseppe\*\*\*\*\* 1778-1944 Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Brandolino, Carmen\*\*\*\*\* 1886-1954 Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Bravieri, Guiseppe\* Killed in Explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 17**

**NMDI: Braviere, Guiseppe, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Brenan, Kate Aug. 3, 1894-Aug. 3, 1927 Cemetery Survey Map Plot 3, Grave 75**

**NMDI: Brennan, Catherine, died 08/01/1927 in Colfax County.**

**Brenan, Pat March 17, 1885-Aug. 21, 1928**

**Brenan, Patrick Cemetery Survey Plot Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 2**

**NMDI: Brennan, Patrick, died 10/12/1928 in Colfax County.**

**Brickler, Luigi\*\***

**NMDI: Brickler, Luigi, died 02/08/1923 in Colfax County.**



**Bright, Willis\* Killed in Explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross African-American  
October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 68**

**Brnino, Domenico**

**NMDI: Brnino, Domenico, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Briselli, Luigi\*\* Oct. 28, 1885-Feb. 8, 1923 “Miners Cross” born: Province Mass Corara  
Italy**

**~\*Brisilli, Luigi–Italian–Wife, Virginia–Children ages 9, 7, & 5.**

**Brogione, Listo\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross October 22, 1913**

**Brooks, J. M.\* Killed in Explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross African-American October  
22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 71**

**NMDI: Brooks, J. M., died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Brown, Frank\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 African- October 22, 1913 American**

**NMDI: Brown, Frank, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Brozovic (Brosovich), Ivan 1901-1922 Tombstone “Massa Carara”; age 21 yrs. (born 15  
Jun 1901 in Makopsoly, Juo Slavizo [sic]), occupation coal miner, single. Killed when skull  
fractured in mine accident. Father, ALFONSO BROSOVICH. Mother, ELLEN  
ZOKOVAC. Buried in Dawson, NM. *This death not found in government report.* [Death  
certificate # 148 (1922), microfilm 2032885, Colfax Co., NM.]**

**NMDI: Brosovich, Ivan, died 08/23/1922 in Colfax County.**

**Brozovic, Kazimir Born 04 Mar 1895 in Mrkopalj, Croatia; died 26 1918 in Colfax  
County; Tombstone**

**NMDI: Brosovich, Kosmor, died 11/26/1918 in Colfax County.**

**Brozovic, “Mari je Starcuic”\*\*\*\*\* “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members”; “Marije  
Starcevic” – The inscription on tombstone states Starcvic but it should be Starcevic; it is  
believed that the Marija referenced is Marija Brozovic, Born 10 Jan 1882 and married to  
Stjepan Starcevic. Information provided by John Stefanac.**

**Brozovich, Mary F. 1928-Sept. 1, 1928 Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5,  
Bloxk 1, Grave 5**

**NMDI: Brosovich, Mary F., 09/01/28 in Colfax County.**

**Brozovich, Ivka\*\*\*\*\* April 24, 1894-1967 Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.  
Ivka was married to Vjekoslav/Venko Brozovic Born 07 Jun 1888, Mrkopalj, Croatia.  
Information provided by John Stefanac.**

**Brugione, Domenic\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian  
October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 33**

**NMDI: Brugioni, Domenico, died 10/22/1913**

**Brugione, Federico\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian  
October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 112  
NMDI: Brugoni, Grederico, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Brugione, Listo\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian  
October 22, 1913  
NMDI: Brugini, Lieto, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Brugione, Vanni\*\* March 4, 1880- Oct. 22, 1923 Miners Cross Italian  
Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 October 22, 1913**

**Brugioni, Giovanna\*\*\*\*\* 03/04/1880-10/22/1913 “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members”  
NMDI: Brugioni, Giov, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Bruno, Guisepe\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross + October 22, 1913  
Tombstone age 36 years Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 72  
NMDI: Bruno, Guisepe, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Bruno, Vincenzo Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 70  
NMDI: Bruno, Vincenzo, died 04/29/1925 in Colfax County.**

**Brunos, Joe\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Burch, Emma Cemetery Survey Map Plot 3, Grave 15**

**Bustamanti, Juan Cemetery Survey Map Plot 4, Grave 16  
NMDI: Bustamante, Juan, died 08/29/1929 in Colfax County.**

**Bustamanti, Trinidad Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 155  
NMDI: Bustamante, Trinidad, died 07/12/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Buterac, (BUTORAC) John J. Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 22**

**Buterac, (BUTORAC) Mary Cemetery Survey Map Plot 6, Grave 22 ½**

**Butler, Luther Cemetery Survey Map Plot 6, Grave 92**

**Butorac (BUTORAC), Frank Oct. 20, 1912-Dec. 26, 1923 Tombstone -20-**

**Buterac (BUTORAC), Frank Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 17a  
NMDI: Butorad, Frank, died 12/26/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Buttram, Robert\*\*\*\*\* May 13, 1902-1962 Age at death, 60 Name from list  
provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Butte, Edward\* Miners Cross Italian**  
**NMDI: Butte, Edward, died 10/22/13 in Colfax County.**

**Cachulakis, George\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross**  
**October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 133**  
**NMDI: Cachulakis, George, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Cachulakis, Mike\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross**  
**October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 134**  
**NMDI: Cachulakis, Mike, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Caldarelli, Angelina\*\*\*\*\* Sept. 7, 1914-May 15, 1998 Name from list provided by**  
**Elizabeth Greene.**

**Caldarelli, Columbo died: 1914 Tombstone “Baby”**

**Caldarelli, Gabino Tombstone “Baby”**

**Caldarelli, Settimio\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**  
**Calderon, Bernardina Espitia\*\*\*\*\* No dates “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members”**

**Calderon, Gavino\*\* Feb. 19, 1893-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Tombstone Cemetery**  
**Survey Map Miners Plot, Grave 32**

**~\*Calderian, Gabino–Mexican–Mother, Bernardina Espitia Calderon Note: Calderian,**  
**Gebino, as written in The Dawson News, February 1923.**  
**NMDI: Calderian Gambina, died 02/08/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Calderon, Margaret 1834-1945 Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Grave**  
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**Calderon, Ralph V. 1892-1926 Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 4a, Grave 7**

**Calhoun, Mr.\*\*\* died December 1928 Note: Dawson News, January 10, 1929;**  
**SYMPATHY-The faculty and students of the Dawson High School extend to Miss Calhoun**  
**their sincere sympathy on the death of her father, which occurred during the holidays.**

**Calianotes, John\*\***

**Calianotes, John, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Calloway, Eleanor\*\*\*\*\* Dec. 13, 1941-July 14, 1974**

**Calvage, Baby Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 140**  
**NMDI: Calvage, Male, died 11/05/1926 in Colfax County.**

**Campos, Baby Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 2, Grave 1**

**Campos, Baby Cemetery Survey Map Plot 4, Grave 37**

**Campos, G. Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 93**  
**NMDI: Campos, Gloria, died 11/26/1934 in Colfax County.**

**Campos, Ines April 20, 1891-Dec. 19, 1914 Tombstone**

**Campos, Jose` Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 149**  
**NMDI: Campos, Jose` Maria, died 09/27/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Campos, Marie Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1 Grave 7**  
**NMDI: Campos, Maria, died 12/03/1935 in Colfax County.**

**Campos, Rita Cemetery Survey Map Plot 4, Grave 37**  
**NMDI: Campos, Rita, 06/15/1929 in Colfax County.**

**Campos, Tommy Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 2, Grave 98**  
**NMDI: Campos, Tommy, died 09/04/1940 in Colfax County.**

**Candido, Demaretio\* Killed in Explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913**  
**NMDI: Candido, Demaretio, died 10/22/1913**

**Canca, Baby Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 83**

**Canon, Lucille\*\*\* Died: March 17, 1923 Burial in Roy, New Mexico Newspaper: Lucille, the infant daughter of Mr. And Mrs. O. D. Canon of No. 7 camp died at their home Saturday afternoon. The body was shipped to Roy Sunday for Burial.**

**Cantu, Antonio\***  
**NMDI: Cantu, Antonio, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Capen, Louis\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No 1 Unmarked Name from the February, 8, 1923 Dawson News, February, 1923.**

**~\*Capen, Louis–Montenegn–Wife, Christini–resides in Dawson–Dependent, Kristina Krivokapich**  
**NMDI: Capen, Louis, died 02/08/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Capone, Angelina\*\*\* Died abt. 1916 Unmarked Note: Born in San Pietro Avellana, Italy. Wife of Urbino Capone. Killed by a coal dinky car in Dawson. Information supplied by Emily McIntyre, her niece.**

**Capone Di Michele, Maria July 8, 1887-March 20, 1936 Born in Saint Peter, Avellana Italy**

**Capone, Pasquale A.\*\*\*\*\*Feb. 21, 1890-Oct. 18, 1918 “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members”**

**NMDI: Caprono, Pasquale, died 10/17/1918 in Colfax County.**

**Carapello, Guiseppi\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**NMDI: Carapellucci, Guiseppi, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Carapelucci, B.\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Carapelucci, D.\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**NMDI: Carapellucci, Donato, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Carazza, Twin Baby’s Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 65**

**Careto, Guiseppi\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 52**

**Cardenas, Arthur James Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 2, Grave 61**

**Cardetti, Guiseppe\***

**NMDI: Cardetti, Guiseppe, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Cardova, Roman 1881-1947 “Father”**

**Careto, Guiseppi\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 59**

**Carillo, Estella Cemetery Survey Map Plot 3, Grave 39**

**Carleso, Carlo\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913**

**NMDI: Carleso, Carlo, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Carlesso, Giovanni\***

**NMDI: Carlesso, Giovanni, 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Carleso, John\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913**

**Carlini, Ageido\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Age 54 Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Carlini, Amico (Mike)\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Carlini, Carmen\*\*\*\*\* June 15, 1885-1965 “Carmine or Carmina” Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Carlini, Carmine**

**NMDI: Carlini, Carmine, died 05/29/1935 in Colfax County.**

**Carlini, Erminia\*\*\*\*\* Jan. 17, 1919-March 20, 1997 Age 87, "Erma" Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Carlini, Ernesto\*\*\*\*\* Feb. 15, 1915-March 26, 1999 Age 84, "Babe" Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Carlini, Mike\*\*\*\*\* July 30, 1919-Aug. 20, 1944 Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Carlini, Ralph\*\*\*\*\* 1911-1974 Age 63 Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Carlini, Reno\*\*\*\*\* No Date Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Carmicheal, Roy Cemetery Survey Map Plot 3, Grave 11**

**Carrillo, Franciseo Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 127**

**Carrillo, Plasida Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 72**

**Carrillo, Plasida, died 02/15/1925 in Colfax County.**

**Carrole, Antonio\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**NMDI: Carrole, Antonio, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Carson, Mrs. Paul K.\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Carson, Paul K.\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Cartazar, Lionzo\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 Italian February 8, 1923**

**Casados, Odila Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 49**

**NMDI: Casados, Odila J., died 08/29/1930 in Colfax County.**

**Casarel, Jose Marie\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Casarez, Rafaia Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 99**

**Casias, Baby Cemetery Survey Map Plot 3, Grave 88**

**Casias, Beatrice Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 5**

**NMDI: Casias, Beatrice, died 09/09/1928 in Colfax County.**

**Casias, Dalabino Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Grave 69**

**NMDI: Casias, Deluvinio, died 08/01/1934 in Colfax County.**

**Casias, Josefina Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Grave 48**

**Casias, Maria Cemetery Survey Map Plot 4, Grave 42**  
**NMDI: Casias, Maria, died 09/26/1929 in Colfax County.**

**Casias, Moises Cemetery Survey Map Plot 3, Grave 21**  
**NMDI: Casias Moises, died 10/04/1926**

**Casias, Pete\*\*\*\*\* Oct. 17, 1893-1970 Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**  
**Cassai, Luigi\*\* 1897-Feb 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map**  
**Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 8**

**~\*Cassai, Luigi–Italian–Dependent resides in Italy–Dependents, Father & Mother**  
**NMDI: Cassai, Luigi, died 02/08/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Castelli, Ermengildo\* Aug. 12, 1877-Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross + Italian Killed in**  
**explosion of Mine No 2 Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 30**

**Castenagus, Magus\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Grecian October 22, 1913**

**Casteyara, Twin Baby's Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 106**

**Castillo, Ester Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 9**  
**NMDI: Castillo, Ester, died 02/13/1921 in Colfax County.**

**Castrianakis, Manusos\* March 4, 1880-Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross + Tombstone**  
**Castro, Abarn Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 31**  
**NMDI: Castro, Abran, died 03/21/1922 in Colfax County.**

**Catallo, Amilio Sept. 4, 1914-Nov. 4, 1918 Tombstone**

**Catalo, John Cemetery Survey Map Plot 4, Grave 38**

**Catallo, John Cemetery Survey Map Plot 4, Grave 50**

**Catallo, Juanita Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 53**  
**NMDI: Catallo, Juanita, died 11/17/1931 in Colfax County.**

**Catallo, Justin July 10, 1908-Nov. 3, 1918 Tombstone**

**Catallo, Lizza May 7, 1910-Nov. 9, 1918 Tombstone**

**Catallo, Luigi 1917-1920 Tombstone "Two Brothers"**

**Twin of Robert E. Catallo**

**NMDI: Catallo, Luigi, died 11/19/1920 in Colfax County.**

**Catallo, Robert E. 1917-1920 Tombstone "Two Brothers" Twin of Luigi Catallo**

**NMDI: Catallo, Roberto, died 11/13/1920 in Colfax County.**

**Cavaiani, Giovanni\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 138**

**NMDI: Cavaiani, Giov., died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Cavalier, Petro June 29, 1888-Jan. 30, 1919 Tombstone**

**NMDI: Cavaleri, Pete, died 01/30/1919 in Colfax County.**

**Cavdill, Baby Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 140**

**Cecchini, Vercinia Died: Mar. 10, 1910 Tombstone**

**Cecconi, Pete\* June 19, 1888-Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross & Italian Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 24**

**Cenotot, Melio\*\***

**~\* Cenotto, Burley–American–Wife, Flora–resides in Dawson**

**NMDI: Cenotto, Melio, died 02/08/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Cericola, John\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Cerillo, Mozoli\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913**

**Chacon, Baby Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 73**

**Chacon, Maria Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 64**

**NMDI: Chacon, Maria, died 05/11/1932 in Colfax County.**

**Champa, R.\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Austrian October 22, 1913**

**NMDI: Champa, Rudolph, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Charette, George\*\* Oct. 8, 1900-Feb 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 2**

**~\*Charette, George–American**

**NMDI: Charette, George, died 02/08/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Charetti, Manulita Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 53**

**NMDI: Charrette, Manualita, died 02/15/1925 in Colfax County.**

**Chavez, Baby Cemetery Survey Map Plot 3, Grave 42**



**Chavez, Ches\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.  
Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 27 Note: Dawson News, April 30, 1925: DEATH CLAIMS COLFAX COUNTY PIONEER, Celso J. Chavez, one of the early pioneers of Colfax County, died at his home in Dawson late Tuesday night, following an attack of pneumonia. Mr. Chavez had been a resident of Dawson for over seven years and was a prominent figure in the political life of Colfax County. For several years he served as a member of the County Board of Commissioners and was at one time a member of the Raton school board. He leaves Fidle Duran and Mrs. B. Sandoval, all of Dawson; also a son, Louis Chavez of Maxwell and a daughter, Mrs. Alfred Salazar, of Los Angeles, Cal. Funeral services were held from the Catholic church Saturday morning and burial was made in the Dawson cemetery.  
NMDI: Chevez, Celso J., 04/21/1925 in Colfax County.**

**Chavez, Joe Jr. Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 42**

**Chavez, Luis\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Mexican October 22, 1913  
NMDI: Chavez, Luis, dated 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Chavez, Marcial\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Mexican  
October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 58  
NMDI: Chavez, Marcial, dated 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Chavez, Maria Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 87  
NMDI: Chavez, Maria A., dated 07/08/1933 in Colfax County.**

**Chavez, Patricio\*\* 1893-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + The name "Patricio" Killed in explosion of Mine No 1 Tombstone should have been "Patricino" according to friend of the family. Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Grave 29**

**~\*Chavez, Pat–American-Wife, Romando-resides in Dawson-2 Children–Mother, Antonia Starkville  
NMDI: Chavez, Pat, died 02/08/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Chavez, Perfera Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 43  
NMDI: Chavez, Perfeta, died 08/01/1925 in Colfax County.**

**Chene, Robert J. Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 2, Grave 90 ½**

**Cherubini, Baby Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 54**

**Chevez, Maria Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 35**

**Chicone, Pietro\*  
NMDI: Chicone, Pietro, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Chiboukis, Evagelos P.\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross February 08, 1923 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 60 Note: Spelling of name in The Dawson News: Chibonkis, Dvagos P.**

**NMDI: Chiboukis, Evagelos, died 02/08/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Chiverro, Josa Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 1, Grave 19**

**Ciamaroni, Giov\***

**NMDI: Ciamaroni, Giov, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Ciecarelli, Ubaldo\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Grave 14 Note: Spelling of last name could be Ciccarelli.**

**NMDI: Cerquarelli, Ubaldo, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Cinar, Twin Boys Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave -6**

**Cincoronella, Philip J. 1932-1937 "Dawson Cemetery, Family Members" Tombstone**

**Cinti, Linda June 21, 1918-May 20, 1923 "Dawson Cemetery, Family Members" Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1 Grave 146**

**NMDI: Cinti, Linda, died 05/20/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Cisneros, Maria Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 60**

**Clouthier, Roy\*\*\* Died March 1927 Burial in Springer, NM Note: Dawson News, March 3, 1927: ROY CLOUTHIER DEAD- Roy Clouthier, age 38, died at the Dawson hospital at 11 o'clock Thursday night, following an operation for appendicitis. Mr. Clouither was taken to the hospital Thursday of last week in a critical condition and the operation, which followed almost immediately was thought to have been successful. But complications of paresis of the intestines developed, due to the severity of the attack. An attempt was made to relieve this condition by a secondary emergency operation, but without success. Subsequent knowledge showed however, that no method of treatment could have saved his life at any time during the attack. Everything that medical science could offer was of no avail. Mr Clouthier was born in Springer, New Mexico and has been a resident of Colfax County all his life, for many years making his home in Dawson where he was in the employment of the Phelps-Dodge Mercantile Company. He was a prominent member of the Masonic fraternity and a past master of the Springer lodge of A. F. & A. M. Besides his wife, he is survived by his father and mother, two brothers, Blanche Clouthier of Dawson and Arthur Clouthier of McNarry, Arizona, and a sister, Mrs. George Webster, of Cimarron, NM. The funeral services will be held in Springer Thursday afternoon and burial will follow in the Springer Cemetery. The sympathy of the entire community is extended to the members of the family in their bereavement.**

**NMDI: Clotheir, Ray S., died 03/01/1927 in Colfax County.**

**Coban, Iynac Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 23**

**NMDI: Coban, Iynac, died 01/09/1926 in Colfax County.**

**Colonintes, John\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Grecian October 22, 1913**

**Collazzi, Ernest\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Collazzi, Joe\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Collins, Maggie Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 4a, Grave 9**

**Collura, Katherine Cemetery Survey Map Plot 3, Grave 43**

**NMDI: Collura, Katherine, died 12/04/1926 in Colfax County.**

**Comacho, Antonio\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Mexican October 22, 1913**

**NMDI: Comacho, Antonio, 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Contero, Estajana Cemetery Survey Map Plot 2, Grave 17**

**NMDI: Contero, Estefana, died 08/31/1925 in Colfax County.**

**Contero, Santos\*\*\*\*\* “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members”**

**Conner, Mary\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Conti, A.\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Contreras, Fernando 1892-1940 Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Catholic 4a, Grave 8**

**Cook, Joe\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**NMDI: Cook, J. W., died 03/20/1920 in Colfax County.**

**Coppi, Gius Died: July 6, 1907 Tombstone Age 66**

**Coral, Mike\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Slovenian October 22, 1913**

**NMDI: Corral, Mike, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Corazza, Louis 1889-April 28, 1931 “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members” Cemetery Survey Map Plot 4, Grave 48**

**NMDI: Corazza, Louis, died 04/28/1931 in Colfax County.**

**Corazza, Mary No Dates Maiden name:**

**“Hornsby”. Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Corazza, Raymond Dec. 1930-Feb. 1931 “Dawson Cemetery, Family Members” Cemetery Survey Map Plot 4, Graves 43**

**NMDI: Corazza, Raymond, died 02/24/1931 in Colfax County.**

**Corazzi, Eddie 1916-1917 Tombstone**

**Corazzi, Primo\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Corazzi, Silvio No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Corazzi, Veronka No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Corbett, Ed\*\*\* Died: December 30, 1931 Buried in Springer, NM**

**Note: Dawson News, January 3, 1929: COLFAX COUNTY PIONEER DIES AT VERMEJO PARK Corbett, one of the early pioneers of Colfax County, died at Vermejo Park early Sunday morning, according to word received here by friends. Mr. Corbett was one of the oldest residents of this section, and was well known thru out northern New Mexico and southern Colorado. For a number of years he has been employed at the Bartlett ranch, and at the time of his death was foreman of the ranch. Richard Corbett of Dawson, who is the son of the deceased, first received word of his father's illness Christmas Day and immediately left for Vermejo Park. Mr. Corbett's Condition seemed to be improving and his son returned to Dawson in the belief that his father was well on the way to recovery. Saturday word was received that Mr. Corbett's condition had become critical, so his son left again for Vermejo Park and arrived a few hours before the end came. Burial was made in the Springer cemetery Monday afternoon. Cordoba, Antonio Oct. 24, 1939- Oct. 25, 1939 "Dawson Cemetery, Family Members" Cemetery Survey Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 2, Grave 95**

**NMDI: Cordova, Antonio, died 10/25/1939 in Colfax County.**

**Cordova, Roman 1881-1947 "Dawson Cemetery, Family Members"**

**Cordova, Baby Cemetery Survey Map Knights of Pythias Plot 7, Grave 81**

**Cordova, David Cemetery Survey Map Knights of Pythias Plot 7, Grave 98**

**Cordova, Panfilo\*\* Miners Cross Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Grave 38**

**~\*Cordova, Panfilo-Mexican-Wife, Tereslon-resides in Los Angeles-Children, ages 1 & 3-Uncle, Felipe Cordova, 4219 Louisiana Ave., Los Angeles, CA.**

**NMDI: Cordova, Panfilo, died 02/08/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Cordova, Roman\*\*\* 1947-1948 Unmarked**

**Cordova, Roman 1881-1948 Tombstone Cemetery Plot Map Catholic Plot 5, Block 2, Grave 5**

**Correa, Elvira\*\*\* About 1921 Unmarked**

**Correa, Francisco Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 56**

**Cortazar, Alonzo\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 Miners Cross February 8, 1923**

**Cartazar, Alonzo Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Grave 45**

**~\*Cortazar, Alonzo-Mexican-Wife, Louisa-resides in Dawson-6 Children, ages 13, 11, 6, 5, 3, & 1**

**Cortez, Joe\*\* Killed in explosion in Mine No. 1 Miners Cross February 8, 1923 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 5**

**~\*Cortez, Joe-Mexican-Mother, Margarita Cortez, Uriangato, Guanajuato, Mexico  
NMDI: Cortez, Joe, died 02/08/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Cortreras, Fernando May 30, 1892-Jan. 21, 1949 Tombstone**

**Cost, Papas\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross has name as Papas, Cost (also listed as Papas, Cost) October 22, 1913 Grecian**

**Papas, Cost Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 137  
NMDI: Cost, Papas, died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Costa, Chriest P.\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 Miners Cross Oct 22, 1896-Feb. 8, 1923 Cemetery Survey Map Knights of Pythias Plot 7, Grave 1**

**~\*Costa Christ P.-Italian  
NMDI: Costa, Christ P., died 02/08/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Costello, Ragual Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 109**

**Costello, Maria Cemetery Survey Map Plot 1, Grave 108**

**Costovich, Ilija\*\*\*\*\* Sept. 19, 1890-Feb. 14, 1925 "Dawson Cemetery, Family Members"**

**Cotrules, Geo.\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Grecian October 22, 1913**

**Cotrules, Mak\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Grecian October 22, 1913**

**Covert, Elizabeth\*\*\*\*\* Oct. 14, 1876-1960 Age 84, madden name "Hern" Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Covert, Roy\*\*\*\*\* April 28, 1900-1975 Age 75 at death Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Cramanico, Crersico N.\* Mar. 15, 1882-Oct. 23, 1913 Miners Cross + Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 20**

**Cruz, F.\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 11  
NMDI: Cruz, F., died 10/22/1913 in Colfax County.**

**Cruz, Joe No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Cruz, Juan\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 Miners Cross + February 8, 1923 Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Grave 40**

**~\*Cruz, Juan–Mexican–Dependents, Father and Mother  
NMDI: Cruz, Juan, died 02/08/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Cullender, Catherine Parolee\*\*\*\*\*Jan. 1, 1884-1965 Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Curzi, Nazzarene\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 February 8, 1923 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Grave 18**

**~\*Curzi, Nazarene–Italian–Wife, Maria  
NMDI: Curzi, Nazzorino, died 02/08/1923 in Colfax County.**

**Dallas, John\* died: Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross Italian**

**Dalzotto, Pietro\* Miners Cross Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 24**

**Davies, William S.\* Miners Cross Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 10  
Davis, Amy\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Davis, Chester N.C.\* Oct. 5, 1895-Oct. 22 1913 Son of Henry & American Emily Davis. 18 years 17 days Sleep Dear Child Thou Art At Rest Miners Cross & Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 54**

**Davis, Donald\*\*\* June 26, 1927-June 28, 1927 Baby of Alvin & American Beatrice Davis Unmarked**

**Davis, May\*\*\* May 1925- May 1925 Stillborn baby of American Alvin & Beatrice Davis Unmarked Davis, Emily 17 days old Davis, J. F.\* Died: Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross African-American De Abila, Felix\* May 18, 1882-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross +**

**Dean, A.\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 American October 22, 1913**

**De Angelis, Armando died: Sept. 5, 1921 Tombstone**

**DeAnda, Angelo\*\*\* Aug. 2, 1887-Sept. 19, 1945 Mexican National**

**DeAnda, Petronila\*\*\* May 31, 1885-March 10, 1945 Maiden name: Mexican National  
"Bocanegra"**

**De Angelis, Roland died: March 5, 1923**

**De Angelis, Olga died: Oct. 13, 1924**

**De Herrera, Amalia March 31, 1915-Nov 1, 1915 "Baby"**

**De Julio, Bartolomeo d. Mar. 20, 1909**

**De La Luz, Antonio Nov. 19, 1920-Aug. 2, 1942**

**De La Luz, Guadalupe 1908-1934**

**De La Luz, Manuel\* 1887- Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Tombstone De La Rosa, Natalia  
1903-1936 Inscription: "Ignacio Hernandes" "From the Family"**

**Dellaca, Giacomo\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 55**

**Delost, Josip (Joe)\* 1901-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Tombstone;  
age unknown, occupation underground laborer, native of Austria. Died from injuries in  
mine explosion. Buried in Dawson, NM. [Death certificate # 57 (1923), microfilm2032887,  
Colfax Co., NM.]**

**DeMichelli, Joe\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 25**

**DePaulo, Guiseppe\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**De Vincentis, A. Feb. 2, 1912-Sept. 20, 1912**

**Diana, Pete 1927-1935**

**Dianna, Luigi\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Diamchi, G.\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 October 22, 1913**

**Di Benedetti, Mary\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Dicaramari, Sigismondi**

**Di Cicco, Niclo\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Dickman, Edward No Dates**

**Dickman, Lucy E. April 6, 1889-Oct. 1, 1937**

**Dickman, Olga July 10, 1865-June 23, 1918**

**Di Domenico, Clemente\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Di Lorenzo, Arthur Stach\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Di Lorenzo, Dominico\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Di Lorenzo, Joseph\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Di Lorenzo, Luke\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Di Lorenzo, Vincenzo \* Miners Cross**

**Di Nello, Oliva 1924-1924Di Nicolodi Di, Nardo Nov. 28, 1903-Nov. 28, 1903**

**Di Marzio, Gisberto 1917-1921**

**Di Paulo, Guiseppi\* Miners Cross Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 22**

**Domenico, died: March 11, 1927**

**Donti, Elaine\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Donti, Ermy\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Donti, Helen\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Donti, Mr.\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Dorado, Alejandro d. Oct. 14, 1918**

**Downie, Arthur\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Downie, James Jr.\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Downie, James Sr.\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Downie, Sarah\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Duica, Romono\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 34**



**Dupont, Henry 1846-1921 Mason insignia**

**Duran, Gregorio\* 1869-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Dawson News, Tombstone February 22, 1923: Mrs. Nellie Waverly of Detroit arrived in Dawson Thursday to attend the funeral of her father, Gregorio Duran, who was one of the victims of the mine explosion.**

**Duran, Georgeo Cemetery Survey Plot Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 56**

**Duran, Hilario Sept. 3, 1923-Sept. 22, 1923**

**Edgar, Ed\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Mexican October 22, 1913**

**Eindambayoz, Nov. 22, 1885-April 27, 1924**

**Ellsworth, Fergie\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**English,\*\*\* Killed in small explosion in Brother to Arthur Mine No. 6 or No. 1., 1920 Jr.**

**English, Arthur 1814-1921**

**English, Arthur\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 American October 22, 1913**

**English, Albert E. Jr.\*\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 February 8, 1923**

**English, Fred\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 February 8, 1923**

**Enrico, B.\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Ersico, S. P. 1892-1913**

**Eskra, (Iskra) Baltazar\*\*\*\*\* Born 01 Jan 1884, Mrkopalj, Croatia. Died Jun 1968.**

**Eskra, Mrs. Johannie (Johana)\*\*\*\*\* 1883-1964**

**Eskra, Winkie\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Espaeza, Frank died: Oct. 10, 1923**

**Estes, Clifton C.\* 1892-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 3**

**Evans, Char\*. Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross African-American October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 119**

**Fabba, Nicolo\* died: Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross Italian Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 12**

**Fabbiilli, Carmine Feb. 9, 1910-April 29, 1914**

**Fanarakis, Mihail\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Grecian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 130**

**Farley, Ida Leslie No Dates**

**Farriano, Chas.\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 African-American October 22, 1913**

**Farrina, John\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Farris, Robert H. 1888-1918 "Woodman of the World Memorial" insignia on Tombstone**

**Fauri, George\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 128**

**Federici, Divina\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Federici, Marciso\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Fegerici, Elvira Feb. 14, 1883-1927**

**Fideli, A.\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 31**

**Flood, Paul\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Foglia, Bart\* Killed in explosion in Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 + Tombstone**

**Foglia, Bartolomeo\* Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 60 & 61**

**Fortunato, Pezani died: Dec. 28, 1908**

**Francesco, Merlotti\* Jan. 29, 1886-Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross & Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 53**

**Frazzini, Angelo 1903-1927**

**Frazzini, Carmine July 20, 1880-Feb. 19, 1912**

**Frees, A. L.\*\*\* d. Dec. 29, 1920 Newspaper: Our issue last week failed to record the death of A. L. Frees, a former well known resident of Dawson, who died at Durango on December 29<sup>th</sup>.**

**Freitas, Elosa Sept 20, 1858-Sept 23, 19?? Last part of date broken off**

**Furzi, Nazzarene\* Miners Cross**

**Gabrelli, Anselmo\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 103**

**Galban, Jose P. 1862-1917**

**Gallagher, Andy d. May 12, 1906 Age 52 years\* Our Brother Gallegos, Dan\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Mexican October 22, 1913**

**Gallegos, Fermin\* Miners Cross Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 7  
Gallegos, Mary 1927-1928**

**Gallegos, Tom\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Gallegos, Tom Jr.\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Gandido, Denaretio No Dates Miners Cross Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 85**

**Ganotti, Gio\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Garcia, Dave\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Garcia, Estevhn Wood cross-no dates**

**Garcia, Felipe\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Mexican October, 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 21**

**Garcia, Manuel 1909-1924 Erected by A. L. Garcia**

**Garcia, Felix\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 October 22, 1913**

**Gardea, Felix Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 4**

**Gareto, Guiseppe\* Miners Cross**

**Gargea, Felix \* Miners Cross**

**Garzianillo, Attilio\* Killed in explosion Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 77**

**Gaston, Mary\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Maiden Name: "Hunter" Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Gasparac, Matt\* Miners Cross Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 5; 08 Feb 1923, MATT GASPARAE/GASPARAC, age 33yrs. (born 22 Feb 1889 in Austria), occupation underground laborer, married. Died from injuries in mine explosion. Wife, FRANCKA GASPARAC. Buried in Dawson, NM. [Death certificate #45 (1923), microfilm 2032887, Colfax Co., NM.]**

**Gatti, Gennaro\* Miners Cross**

**Gatti, Killo\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Gatti, Odorino\* Nov. 1, 1897-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Tombstone**

**Gelasakis, Geo.\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Grecian October 22, 1913**

**Genta, Frank\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Gerillo, Mazoli**

**Gherardini Jr., Alfonso Dec. 24, 1929-June 9, 1930**

**Ghiglieri, Alma Syluin\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Ghiglieri, Butt\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Ghiglieri, Clestina\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Maiden Name: "Cheat" Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Geronimo, Antonio\*\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 February 8, 1923**

**Gianerelli, Ernest\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 43**

**Giganti, Camello\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 21**

**Giordani, Umberto\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Giovanni, Antonio\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Giovanni, Frederico\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Giovanni, Ogliese April 11, 1890- June 21, 1915**

**Girotti, Lena 1881-1911 Wife of Joe Merlo**

**Gomez, Cruz\* Miners Cross Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 66**

**Gomez, Isadoro\* Miners Cross**

**Gomez, Santiago\* Miners Cross Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 67**

**Gontero, Heriberto Jr. Feb. 27, 1912-Mar. 11, 1924**

**Gonzales, Andres\* 1885-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 62**

**Gonzales, Feliciano\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Gonzales, Jerry Joseph\*\*\* before 1950 Unmarked**

**Gonzales, Leandro\* Miners Cross**

**Gonzales, Lupe\*\*\* died: 1942 or 1943 Unmarked**

**Gostovich, Ilija 1890-February 14, 1925 Dawson News, February 19, 1925: ELI GOSTOVICH DIES** Eli Gostovich of No. 7 Camp, a resident of Dawson for a number of years died at the Dawson hospital Saturday afternoon. Mr Gostovich suffered an attack of pneumonia several days ago and was removed to the hospital, where he failed to make expected improvements. His condition gradually became worse and the end came at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Mr. Gostovich came to Dawson in 1912 and has been continually in the employment of the company since that date. He was a member of the Slavish Society of Illinois and other fraternal organizations. A wife and seven small children are left to mourn his death. Burial was made in the Dawson Cemetery, Monday afternoon.

**Grazianillo, Attilio**

**Green, Joe Nov. 28, 1882-April 1, 1915**

**Grimaldo, Pietro\* Killed in explosion of Mine No 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 40**

**Grubestic, John\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name fro list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Gubelick, Gabriel\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Bohemian October 22, 1913**

**Guiatto, Luigi\* Killed in explosion of Mine No 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 36**

**Guiseppe, Tomasi\* April 22, 1890-Feb. 8 1923 Died in 1923 mine explosion Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 Mason insignia on headstone.**

**Gulley, George Jr.\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**  
**Gulley, Laura\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Gulley, Mr. George\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Gulley, Mrs.\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Gulley, Winfield\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Gulvas, Johaly\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Slovenian October 22, 1913**

**Gunnoe, J. G.\* died: Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross American**

**Gurcia, Ysubel 1885-1918**

**Guroroni, Giovanni\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 51**

**Gurzi, Nazzarene**

**Guttierrez, Pedro 1894-1911**

**Hand, Asunta\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Hart, Mr.\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Hart, Ruth\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Heard, Julius\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Hermann, Helen\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Hermann, Mr.\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Hernandez, Anastacio\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Hernandez, Cresencia April 22, 1869-April 17, 1911**

**Hernandez, David April 20, 1943-April 20, 1948**

**Hernandez, Guadalupe Dec. 12, 1886-1929**

**Herrera, Amalia 1915-1918**

**Herrera, Elisandro\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Herrera, Higinio\* 1900-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Tombstone**

**Hicks, C.I.\* Killed in explosion Mine No. 2 Miners Cross African-American October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 87**

**Higgnis, Bernard 1852-1924**

**Hill, Nannie S.\* 1867-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Tombstone**

**Hodges, Hallie\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Holland, Dorothy 1935-1936**

**Holland, Robert\* July 24, 1932-July 26, 1932 "Little Robert"**

**Holmes, Robert\*\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 Burial in Roy, New Mexico February 8, 1923**

**Huante, Ismael 1903-1927**

**Huerena, A.\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Mexican October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 100**

**Hughbanks, Lee Edgar 1894-1907**

**Hunter, Elizabeth\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Hunter, Harry\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Hunter, J. T.\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Hunter, Melburn\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Iannachione, Rosa June 11, 1885-July 4, 1924 Born in: Saint Peter, Avellana Italy**

**Iconome, Demetrius\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Grecian October 22, 1913**

**Jan, John B.\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Frenchman October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 67**

**Janakis, John\* Miners Cross Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 53**

**Janos, John\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Hungarian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 35**

**Jatlrka, Marmilian**

**Jatlrka, Vilhelm**

**Jazbec, Marija 1882-Dec 8, 1922**

**Jenkin, Ralph\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Jerl, Cora\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Jerl, Rea\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Jerry, Joe No Dates**

**Jessor, John\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Russian October 22, 1913**

**Jnolese, Annairena 1879-190? Stone was broken where date was.**

**Johnson, Walter\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross African-American  
October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 53**

**Jokovac, Blaz Born 01 Feb 1866, Mrkopalj, Croatia. Died May 15, 1910.**

**Junnoe, J. C. No Dates**

**Kabonov, Artim\* Jan. 26, 1899-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Tombstone**

**Kakuk, Anna 1878-1926**

**Kalec, Mike T. 1883-1939**

**Kalec, Mr.\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Kalec, Mrs.\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Kallas, Georgis\* Miners, Cross Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 54**

**Kalsuro, George No Dates**

**Kao' La Lmnoa, Eaprdarin No Dates**

**Karamcugis, John\* Miners Cross**

**Katana, Catherine 1919-1921**

**Katana, John Jonior 1915-1929**



**Katana, Marija May 23, 1919-June 18, 1920**

**Katis, Gust\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Grecian October 22, 1913**

**Kemp, Martin\*\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 February 8, 1923**

**Kerr, Alec\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 Dawson News, February 8, 1923 February 7, 1924: IN MEMORY In sad and loving memory of our dear husband and father, Alex Kerr who passed away February 8, 1923. Tomorrow recalls sad memories of our loved one gone to rest. And we who always miss him, are the ones who loved him best. Some may think he is forgotten, and the wound has long been healed. But, oh, they do not know the sorrow that lies in our hearts, concealed. A year has passed and hearts still sore, as time goes on we miss him more. His loving smile, his loving face. No one can fill his vacant place, He is gone but not forgotten. Never shall his memory fade, sweetest thought shall ever linger. Round the grave where he is laid, sadly missed by his wife and daughter. Mrs. Alex Kerr and Sarah.**

**Kezele, Tony J. Mar. 14, 1924-July 30, 1924**

**Kiefer, Jacob\* died: Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross Hungarian**

**King, Harry William\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**King, Wanda E.\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Klibarri, P. Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 October 22, 1913**

**Kinney, T. L.\*\*\* Sept. 17, 1873-March 26, 1924 Buried at Trinidad, Co. Newspaper Notice, April 3, 1923. T. L. Kinney Laid to Rest in Trinidad Cemetery. The funeral of T. L. Kenny was held from the Dawson Opera House Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, after which the body was taken to Trinidad, where burial was made in the family plot in the Trinidad cemetery. At Dawson simple and impressive funeral services were held which were in charge of a committee composed of the members of the Masonic, Knights of Pythias and Elks lodges of which he was a member. The opera house was filled to overflowing with friends who came to pay their last respect to one of Dawson's pioneer citizens. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. Russell and several selections of music were beautifully sung by a mixed quartet. Around the casket there was a great bank of beautiful floral offerings which had been presented by a legion of friends. D. G. Secrest, Frank Shelton, Louis Savio, A. M. Van Dyke, Dr. F. C. Diver, W. G. Moore, T. C. Hill, J. J. Laubach, Enrique Marcs and W. T. Rush, personal friends of Mr. Kinney, acted as pall bearers and members of the Masonic, Knights of Pythias and Elks lodges formed an honorary escort. Following the service at Dawson, the funeral cortege passed to Trinidad, where members of the various Masonic bodies of that city joined the procession to the cemetery. At Trinidad members of the Scottish Rite acted as pall bearers and the Trinidad Commandery formed the honorary escort. Services at the grave were conducted by the Blue Lodge Masons of Trinidad.**

**Obituary: T. L. Kinney, one of the oldest residents of Dawson, died at his office in the opera house Wednesday afternoon, March 26<sup>th</sup>, following a shock from which he never Regained consciousness. He was in his 51<sup>st</sup> year. His career as a faithful employee of the Phelps Dodge Corporation, his private and public life, was closely linked with the progress of the town of Dawson, in which he spent almost a quarter of a century. Faithful to the end, death overtook him in the performance of his duty, diligent in the work which was his to do. T. L. Kinney was born in Newark, Indiana, September 17<sup>th</sup>, 1873 and died in Dawson, New Mexico, March 26<sup>th</sup>, 1924, at the age of 50 years, 6 months and 9 days. At about five years of age he came West with his parents and the family home was established in Starkville, Colo., where he received his early education. His first employment was as a clerk with the Santa Fe railroad at Starkville. His advancement in the clerical field was rapid. He was chief clerk at Madrid, New Mexico, and later for the Colorado Fuel and Iron company at Walsenburg. In 1903 Mr. Kinney came to Dawson to accept a similar position at the time W. P. Thompson was general manager. From 1903 he was identified with the development of Dawson, being rewarded with promotions to positions of trust and responsibility, holding the position of Town Supervisor since 1908. Mr. Kinney was prominent in the lodge circles of his home community and throughout the state. He was formerly a member of the Gate City Masonic Lodge at Raton, and was the secretary of the Vermajo Lodge No. 36, A. F. & A. M. of Dawson. At the time of his death he was the only resident charter member of the Dawson Lodge. He was also a member of the Scottish rite Consistory of New Mexico, and a member of the Knight Templars of Raton. He was the first Worthy Patron of the Order of the Eastern Star of Dawson. Among other fraternal organizations, he was an honored member of Dawson City Lodge No. 30, Knights of Pythias, and a Past Grand Chancellor of the Domain of New Mexico. With the exception of one year he attended every session of the New Mexico Knights of Pythias Grand Lodge during the past twenty years. He was also a member of Raton Lodge No. 963, B. P. O. Elks. For eighteen years Mr. Kinney was Justice of the Peace of the Dawson precinct and for nineteen years was secretary of the School Board. He was also a prominent figure in the political life of his community and the state, being precinct chairman of the Republican party and a delegate in the recent state convention at Santa Fe. Mr. Kinney is survived by his wife and two small children of Dawson; a son, Ted Kinney of Bisbee, Arizona, and two married daughters, Mrs. Cecil Long of Alamogordo, New Mexico and Mrs Charles McGowan of Bisbee, Arizona. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Russell at the Dawson Opera House Saturday morning, and burial was made in the Trinidad cemetery.**

**Kinter, Joe\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Slovenian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 99**

**Kluckinsky, Wm.\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Russian October 22, 1913**

**Kobana, Anton\* Miners Cross**

**Komadiwa (Komadina), Florijan 1885-1920; Born 02 May 1885 Tuk (Mrkopalj), Croatia; 31 Mar 1920, FRANK KOMADINA/FRED KOMADINO, age 34 yrs. (born 1 May 1885), occupation machine runner, native of Austria/Croatia, married with 5 children. Caught under fall of rock and killed instantly by crushing. Wife, JULIA KOMADINO. Father,**

**FELIX KOMADINO. Mother, MARGARETTA MATYLA. Buried in Dawson, NM.  
[Death certificate # 1873 (1920), microfilm 2032881, Colfax Co., NM]**

**Kosovac, George 1887-June 3, 1815;**

**03 June 1915, GEORGE KOSOVIC/KOSOVICH, age 29 yrs, occupation miner, native of Austria, married; Death occurred from electrocution. [Death certificate #920 (1915), microfilm 20328778, Colfax Co., NM]**

**Kriner, S. J.\* died: Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross American**

**Krivec, Mary March 24, 1886-Aug. 20, 1932**

**Ladis, Vassilias\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Grecian October 22, 1913**

**Ladurini, Guisepp\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 111**

**Laird, James\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Burial in Trinidad, Colorado. October 22, 1913**

**Laminelli, Nico 1891-1918**

**Lardi, Tony\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 138**

**Lawson, William H.\* Miners Cross Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 63**

**Ledoux, Xavier Apr. 15, 1925-Feb. 21, 1926**

**Lefebre, Faustina R. Feb. 15, 1897-Nov. 18, 1918**

**Leith, Ninkie (Eskra)\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Lemming, George W.\*\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 February 8, 1923**

**Liguzos, George\* Miners Cross Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 55**

**Lindsay, Jas.\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 American October 22, 1913**

**Lindsay, Sam\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 October 22, 1913**

**Lira, Anton Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 February 8, 1923**

**Litchford, Claud\* Miners Cross Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 9**

**Littlejohn, Robt.\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 American October 22, 1913**

**Locci, Atilio\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913**

**Lodovicho, Antonio died: Sept 10, 1924 Age 46 years**

**Loger, Ben\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 American October 22, 1913**

**Lolli, Gaetano\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Lopakis, Magus\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Grecian October 22, 1913**

**Lopez, B.\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Mexican October 22, 1913  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 66**

**Lorenzo, Arthur (Statch)\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Lopez, Francisca Dec. 3, 1895-Apr. 29, 1919**

**Lorenzo, EnNicoma Dec. 18, 1916-July 16, 1922 Italian translated to English: “EnNicoma  
Figlia D Domenico E Maria D Lorenzo” EnNicoma Daughter of Domenico and Maria D  
Lorenzo**

**Lorenzo, Gim\* Mar. 3, 1881-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Tombstone**

**Lori, Guisepe Sr.\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22,  
1913**

**Lori, Guisepe Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 70**

**Lucci, Luigi Aug. 1, 1895-Dec. 9 1923 Born in Italy**

**Lucci, Maria 1917-1918**

**Luccini, Paulo\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 52**

**Lucero, David Jr.\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Lucero, David Sr.\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Lucero, Ida\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Luke, Mary \*\*\* Died: 1910? Unmarked American**

**Lumbard, Charles 1897-1930**

**Lumbard, Edward 1868-1937**

**Lumbard, Ida 1872-1945**

**Lumbard, Norman 1916-1929**

**Lumley, Richard\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Lupakis, Mihail\* Miners Cross**

**Mace, Mrs.\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Mace, O.\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Macias, Wenceslado 1903-1923**

**Maddaleni, Addoli May 22, 1916-Feb. 10, 1920**

**Maddaleni, Bauro Sept. 4, 1918-May 7, 1920**

**Maestas, Jose Anastacilo\* 1892-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Tombstone**

**Maestas, Lucinda Vivianita May 23, 1946-Sept. 28, 1948**

**Mafiola, Chas.\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Maglis, Vasilios\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Grecian October 22, 1913**

**Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 96**

**Mahoney, C. E.\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 American October 22, 1913**

**Makris, Cost\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Grecian October 22, 1913**

**Makris, George\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Grecian October 22, 1913  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 126**

**Mandato, Francisco\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22,  
1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 84**

**Maracchini, Clara Oct. 6, 1884-Oct. 11, 1919**

**Marachino, Gios\* Miners Cross**

**Marakis, Geo. Katsuros\* 1892-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross**

**Marchetti, Baldo\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Marchelli, Baldo\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 October 22, 1913**

**Mardini, Anacleto 1884-1928**

**Marelli, Achille March 10, 1882-Oct. 28, 1918 Born in Comano, Italy Mason insignia on headstone.**

**Marelli, Guissepe 1890-1923**

**Mares, Enrique 1866-1945 “Judge” In Memory of Father Mares, Jesus M.\* 1879-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Mares, Paulita 1873-1930 “Judges Wife” In Memory of Mother Marez, Fidencio\* Sept. 15, 1894-Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross + Mexican Tombstone Born in Guanajuato, Mex. Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 19**

**Maricic, Gjore April 18, 1913-Sept. 29, 1913**

**Maricich, Rode\* 1879-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Tombstone; 08 Feb 1923, RODE MARICICH, age 46 yrs. (born Oct 1876 in Austria) occupation underground laborer, married, family residence Dawson, NM. Died from injuries in mine explosion. Wife, SLAVA MARICICH. Buried in Dawson, NM. [Death certificate #4 (1923) microfilm 2032887, Colfax Co., NM.]**

**Marinez, Carman Dec. 14, 1894-Dec. 26, 1938**

**Marinucci, Luigi\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 25**

**Markis, George\* Miners Cross**

**Marlar, Ben\* Miners Cross  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 68**

**Martinelli, John\* died: Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross Italian**

**Martinelli, Victor\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Martinez, Carmen 1894-1938**

**Martinez, Cecelio Nov. 22, 1902-Jan. 20, 1926**

**Martinez, Elaisa C. Dec. 22, 1891-Oct. 28, 1918**

**Martinez, Frederico\*\*\* d. Feb. 10, 1921 Newspaper: Frederico, the eight month old**

**infant son of Mr. And Mrs. Roberto Martinex, 629 No. 7 Camp, died early Sunday morning following an attack of measles. Burial was made in the Dawson cemetery Sunday afternoon. Martinez, Josefina M. 1896-1949 Martinez, Jose M. May 1, 1910-July 6, 1910**

**Martinez, Manuel April 21, 1884-Dec. 24, 1947**

**Martinez, Mauro\*\*\* died: 1920-1923 Unmarked**

**Martinez, Roberto 1891-1945 "Father" Mascagnon, Angelo\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 32**

**Mascarendas, Luisa\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Mascarenas, Marya May 17, 1927-June 29, 1931**

**Mascognon, Giacopmo\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Massagli, Ernestine\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Massaroni, Antonio\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Mastas, Wenceslado\* Sept. 28, 1903-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Tombstone**

**Mataja, Peter Born 7 Jul 1876 in Tuk (Mrkopalj), Croatia – 1922 Dawson**

**Mataija, Tom Born 17 Dec 1863 in Tuk (Mrkopalj), Croatia – 1915. His wife at the time was Katarina Jakovac; 10 March 1915, TOM MATAYA/MATAJA, age 50 yrs., occupation coal miner, native of Austria, married. Death occurred from fall of rock. [Death certificate # 896 (1915) microfilm, 2032878, Colfax Co. NM,]**

**Mataya, (Pavlic) Mary (Marija) Born 28 Dec 1875, Mrkopalj, Croatia – 1919.**

**Mataya, Steve (Stjepan) Born 24 Dec 1870, Tuk, Croatia – 1933.**

**Mati, Frank\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 30**

**Maxey, J. W.\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 American October 22, 1913**

**Mazzoli, Aurelia\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 18**

**Mazzoni, Adamo\* died: Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross Italian**

**Mazzoni, Carlo\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Mazzoni, Sara\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**McClary, Mrs.\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**McClary, Robert Sr.\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**McCormick, Gertrude\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**McCutcheon, Iva\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Scotchman October 22, 1913**

**McDermott, Wm.\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Mine Superintendent Irish-Burial was in October 22, 1913 Trinidad, Colorado Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 14**

**McDonald, Alex\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 American October 22, 1913**

**McGravey, Hannah\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**McGravey, Mary\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**McGravey, Mrs. Robert\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**McGraw, J. W.\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 American October 22, 1913**

**McLennon, Thos.\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 American October 22, 1913**

**McNeish, Thomas\* Miners Cross Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 3**

**McShane, H. P.\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 American October 22, 1913**

**McShane, M. Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 October 22, 1913**

**Medina, Sara Died: Oct 1918**

**Melone, Aristide\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Meloni, Oriste\* No Dates Miners Cross Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 13**

**Menapace, Annie\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Menapace, Eugene\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Menapace, Evelyn\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**



**Menapace, Frank\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Menapace, Raymond May 1927-July 1927 Baby**

**Menopace, Allino\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Mercer, Jas.\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 American October 22, 1913**

**Merlotti, Francesco\* Jan. 29, 1886-Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross & Italian Tombstone**

**Merner, Harry\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 American October 22, 1913**

**Mesini, Ermete\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 28**

**Mesini, Marino\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 40**

**Michale, Alex\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Grecian October 22, 1913**

**Micheletos, Michael\* Miners Cross Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 51**

**Micheletti, Agosinio\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Milkovich, Michael\*\*\*\*\* 18 May 1916, MIKE MILKOVICH, age 28/30 yrs., occupation coal miner, native of Austria. Death occurred from fall of rock, crushing chest. [Death certificate # 1045, microfilm 2032878, Colfax Co., NM.] Mine No 5, Loretta, Colfax Co., NM.**

**Mifinigaun, Tones\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Grecian October 22, 1913**

**Mijares, Pedro\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Mexican October 22, 1913**

**Miklavcic, Jno\* died: Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross Slovenian; 22 Oct 1913, JNO. MILKLOVCIC, occupation miner, native of Austria/Slavic. [Death certificate # 713 (1913), microfilm 2032876, Colfax Co., NM]**

**Milano, Pete 1886-1945**

**Milavec, Milka Sept. 19, 1922-July 18, 1923**

**Milkovich, Annie April 5, 1914-Aug. 23, 1923**

**Milkovio, Miles 1886-April 19, 1916**

**Mills, Robert Nov. 16, 1905-April 26, 1907**

**Milosevic, Maria April 25, 1914-Feb. 18 1915**

**Minotakis, Emanuel G.\* June 1886-Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross + Grecian Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 136**

**Miranda, Trinidad died: Oct. 11, 1923 Age 44 years**

**Moberly, John\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Moberly, Mary\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Mondragon, Jacovo\* Feb. 13, 1898-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross & Tombstone**

**Monk, Leonard M. No Dates**

**Montanez, Marcos\* died: Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross Mexican**

**Montepara, Armando Nov 8, 1923-April 1, 1925**

**Montepara, Maria Leardi Feb. 2, 1895-Jan. 1, 1923**

**Montman, Luigi\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Montorsi, Silvio\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Montoya, Ernest\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 October 22, 1913**

**Montoya, Felix\* 1890-Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross & Mexican Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 38**

**Montoya, Nestor\* 1892-Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross & Mexican Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 39**

**Montoya, Porfirio\* 1888-Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross & Mexican Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 37**

**Montoya, Val\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Mexican October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 69**

**Montrepra, Molly\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Montrepra, Pietro\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Morre, Clifford\*\*\*\*\* No Date Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Moore, Henry (Shorty)\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Moore, Joe \*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Moore, Kenneth\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Moore, Ollie\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Mora, A. 1931-1932**

**Mora, Onosre\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Morgan, Wm.\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross American October 22, 1913  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 107**

**Morilli, Alfredo Dec. 13, 1886-Feb. 13, 1913**

**Moya, Fidencia “Trujillo”\*\*\* 1888?-1918 Unmarked**

**Mozniel, Johnie 1897-1924 Gone But Not Forgotten By His Relatives**

**Mullen, Geraldine\*\*\* Died: April 1923 Dawson News, April 19, 1923. GERALDINE MULLEN DIES AT LOCAL HOSPITAL Geraldine Mullen, six year-old daughter of Mr. And Mrs. Frank Mullen, passed away at the local hospital about midnight Wednesday. Her passing brings to a close a most heroic struggle to regain health and to enjoy the coming years of childhood which had just commenced to unfold. About six weeks ago she suffered an attack of influenza which developed into pneumonia. Ten day ago her condition became worse and she was removed to the company hospital. Here she continued her brave fight and on Saturday of last week she was thought to be on the way to recovery. The entire community was shocked to learn of her death Wednesday night following a sudden relapse. Funeral services were held at the Community church Friday Afternoon. Floral offerings of unsurpassed beauty filled the front of the church and a legion of friends were in attendance. She was laid to rest in the Dawson cemetery.**

**Muniez, Jesus 1894-1917**

**Muzemlis, Lahka**

**Nardi, Frank\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 October 22, 1913**

**Nardini, Anacleto Mar. 29, 1884-Feb. 13, 1928**

**Nardini, Frank\* 1886-1923 Inscription: Killed in Dawson explosion Mine # 1 “Miners Cross”**

**Nardini, Ottavio\* 1882-Oct. 22, 1913 Born in Camporaghena, Italian Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Mass Carrara, Italy. Miners Cross + Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 70**

**Nardini, Virginia 1886-1943**

**Natali, Antonio\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Nava, Guiseppi\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 116**

**Negrete, Jose'\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Mexican October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 105**

**Nicolaminelli, Ouigiace April 1, 1891-Nov. 7, 1918**

**Nicolocchi, Nick\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Grecian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 127**

**Nicoludis, Nicolaos\* Miners Cross**

**Nissi, Giovanni\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Burial in St. Patrick's October 22, 1913 Cemetery, Raton, New Mexico.**

**Nivariz, Lucricia July 10, 1921-Oct. 7, 1922**

**Nizzi, Bruno 1902-1925**

**Nizzi, Giovanni\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 71**

**Nizzi, Mattilde Died: 1910**

**Noremi, Lucille 1906-1907**

**Novak, Peter 1884-1932**

**Nutter, John\*\*\* February 15, 1923 Newspaper: The announcement of the death of John Nutter of Roy, N. Mex., brother of the Misses Nira and Shirley Nutter of this city, was received Monday afternoon. Mr. Nutter had been in failing health for some time. The many friends of the family extend their sympathy.**

**O'Belmito, Joe\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**O'Belmito, Mary Louise\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**O'Brian, J.\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Obelmito, John Dec. 31, 1868-June 1, 1932**

**Ola, Andy\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Hungarian October 22, 1913**

**Olero, Guiseppi died: 1918**

**Ortiz, J. Bernardo 1873-1926**

**Ouinones, Catarino 1901-1923**

**Pacheco, Luz Frausto Dec. 13, 1900-Feb. 8, 1938**

**Padilla, Mary T. Feb. 1909-Jan. 1930**

**Paiz, Henrietta No Dates**

**Palombo, Domenico 1884-1946**

**Palumbo, Angelo\* Aug. 30, 1881-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Tombstone**

**Palumbo, Joseph 1913-1936**

**Paolina, Asieme Alpadre Jan. 24, 1913-April 22, 1915**

**Papas, Cost\* (Look at Cost, Papas) Miners Cross Grecian**

**Papas, Markis\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Grecian October 22, 1913**

**Papas, Nick\* Miners Cross**

**Papas, Strat\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Grecian October 22, 1913  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 129**

**Paperi, Mike\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Grecian October 22, 1913  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 35**

**Papesh (Papic), Florjan\* 1879-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Tombstone; 08 Feb 1923,  
FLORYAN PAPAS/FLORYAS PAPIS, age 43 yrs, (born May 1879 in Zuzembury,  
Austria), occupation coal miner, married, family residence Rockvale, Colorado.  
Died from injuries in mine explosion. Buried in Dawson, NM/[Death certificate  
#129 (1923), microfilm 2032887, Colfax Co., NM.]**

**Para, Luigi Monte Died:1922 "Baby"**

**Parashas, Manon\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Grecian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 125**

**Parisi, John\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Parisi, Mrs.\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Pascetta, Assuntina Nov. 1911-Dec. 1920**

**Pascetta, Nicola\* Feb. 17, 1873-Oct. 22, 1913 Tombstone Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 1**

**Pascetta, Silvino Mar. 28, 1895-Oct. 22, 1913 Tombstone Italian Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 2**

**Pascetta, Teresa Feb. 24, 1913-Aug. 15, 1913**

**Pascetti, Elizabeth G. 1907-1990 Maiden name: "Wilson"**

**Pascetti, Jack 1914-still living Inscription is on same tombstone as his wife, Elizabeth.**

**Pascoe, J. J.\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 American October 22, 1913**

**Passetta, Giacomo\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Pastore, Louis\* June 21, 1886-Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross + Italian Tombstone**

**Pattison, Thos.\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 American October 22, 1913**

**Pazzi, John\* Miners Cross Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 19**

**Pazzi, Nick\* Miners Cross Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 20**

**Pearce, Joshua\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross American October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 28**

**Pellegrini, Louise Aug 26, 1923-Sept. 5, 1923**

**Pellegrini, P.\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Pellegrini, Ubaldo\* Jan. 19, 1896-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Tombstone**

**Pena, Braulia R. 1896-1923**

**Peno, Kros\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Grecian October 22, 1913**

**Pensato, Stefano\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Peppin, Flora\*\*\*\*\* No Dates “Nurse Peppin” Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Peppin, Henry\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Peppin, Henry Jr. 1916-1993 Sgt. US Army**

**Peppin, Sylvia No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Pertto, Pete No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Perez, Lucciano\* died: Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross Mexican**

**Perkovich, Tony 1879-1928**

**Pesetto, Don (Dominic)\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 45**

**Pesetto, Tom\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 44**

**Pezani, E. Cortijnato d. Dec. 28, 1908**

**Phis, Henrietta**

**Phitehar, James died: 1924**

**Pinedo, Juan\* Miners Cross Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 6**

**Piros, Giovanni\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Pizzuti, Pete 1915-1924**

**Pland, Joe\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 97**

**Pociva, Ovdi 1887-1915**

**Polich, Florence died: 1913**

**Polumbo, Domenico 1884-1946**

**Pompeo, June 20, 1870-Sept. 7, 1912**

**Pompeo, Joe Jr.\*\*\*\*\* Feb. 21, 1925-Oct. 25, 1999**

**Poretti, Egildo\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Poyser,\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Burial in Fairmont Cemetery, Raton, New Mexico.**

**Prevost, Sidnev\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 French October 22, 1913**

**Prussing, Herbert\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 American October 22, 1913**

**Quesada, Mrs. Blasa Abitia Jan. 1823-Jan. 24, 1923 Newspaper: "Dawson Centenarian Answers Call of Death". Mrs. Blasa Abitia Quesada, who celebrated her one hundredth birthday during the past month, answered the call of death Saturday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Luz Sepulveda, 2008 No. 5 hill. Mrs. Quesada was well known to a large number of Dawson people, having made her home in this community for the past seven years. Almost to the very hour of her death she had enjoyed reasonably good health, doing many of the lighter household duties in the home of her daughter. Saturday morning she was about the house as usual, but at 1:00 o'clock complained of feeling ill and went to bed. She soon lapsed into unconsciousness and passed away two hour later. Mrs. Quesada was the mother of 12 children, six of whom preceded her in death. Her husband died in Old Mexico in 1910. She leaves five daughters and one son; Mrs Antonia Q. De Avila, Mrs. Lu Q. Sepulveda, and Mrs. Manuela Q. Quinones, all of Dawson, New Mexico; Mrs. Marcella Q. Galindo, Mrs. Crus Q. Renturia and Juan Quesada, all of Juarez, Old Mexico.**

**Quinones, Catarino 1901-1923**

**Ragel, Serapio Died: September 14, 1903 Ragni, Peter\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Rainwater, Pat\*\*\*\*\* 1917-April 13, 2000 Obituary from Albuquerque Journal, April 15, 2000. Pat Rainwater, 83, of Albuquerque and formerly of Dawson died Thursday. He retired as physical plant manager at the University of New Mexico. He was an avid hunter and fisherman whose love of the outdoors inspired his children and grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his wife, Earline Rainwater. He is survived by his son, Lyle Rainwater and wife Verna of Arlington, Texas; Carole J. Myers and husband Jim of Angel Fire, and Sharon J. Leatherman and companion Bob Payne of Albuquerque; grandchildren; Deanna Myers, Janie Garcia, Darrel Leatherman and Mark Rainwater; great-grandchildren, Jordan Ashley, Courtney and Klarysa; sister, Lois Dunn of Venice, Calif.; beloved friend, Camille Perrone of Albuquerque; and numerous nieces and nephews. Visitation is 4-7 p.m. Sunday at French Mortuary, 111 University Blvd. NE, Albuquerque. Services are 2 p.m. Monday at French Mortuary. Interment will follow at Sunset Memorial Park, Albuquerque.**

**Ramos, Augustin Aug. 28, 1882-May 26, 1922**



**Ramuno, Carlo\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Rapesh, Floruan 1879-1923**

**Rayes, Julian No Dates**

**Redlich, Frank\* died: Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross American**

**Redich, Frank Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 20; 22 Oct 1913, FRANK FEDLICH, native of America.**

**Redpath, Wm.\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 American October 22, 1913**

**Refosco, A.**

**Regner, Martin J. Oct 25, 1886-Feb. 2, 1928 May he rest in peace**

**Reid, Mrs. Sam\*\*\* Died: July 2, 1926 Unmarked Obituary from Dawson News, Vol. 6, Page 154. Death of Mrs. Sam Reid: The many friends of Mrs. Sam Reid were shocked to hear of her death at the Dawson hospital Friday evening following a serious operation. Services were held at the Community church and burial was made in the Dawson Cemetery. The deceased leaves a husband and nine children to mourn her loss. The sympathy of the entire community is extended to them in their sad bereavement.**

**Retsias, Nick J.\* Miners Cross**

**Reyes, Antonio No Dates**

**Reyes, Jerry Joe**

**Reyes, Jesus\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Mexican October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 29**

**Reyes, Joseph 1921-1945**

**Reyes, Julian**

**Reyes, Manuel June 11, 1925-July 13, 1927**

**Reynolds Jr., Willard 1924**

**Reza, Jose' March 19, 1874-Dec. 8, 1932**

**Ribera, Juan\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Mexican October 22, 1913**

**Ricci Di Pietro, Elisabetta March 20, 1885-Aug. 6, 1913**

**Richardson, William R. 1876-1909**

**Rifosco, A.\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 57**

**Rigdon, Earl\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Rigdon, Roderick\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Rivera, Federico\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Roberson, Lon 1881-1903**

**Robino, Bartolomeo 1884-1935**

**Robles, Teodora Nov. 9, 1888-Dec. 1, 1936**

**Rodosevic, Andjelina 1893-Aug. 6, 1913**

**Rodosevich, Dolly died: 1915**

**Rodosevich, Florence**

**Rodosevich, Johnny 1922-1924**

**Rodrich, Frank\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 October 22, 1913**

**Rodriguez, Cruz\* 1886-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross & Tombstone Erected by Ramon  
Rodriguez Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 8**

**Rodriguez, Pedro\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Mexican October 22, 1913**

**Rodriguez, Tiburcio Aug. 11, 1882-Dec. 3, 1908**

**Rojc, Val\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Austrian October 22, 1913  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 27; 22 Oct 1913, VAL ROJC,  
occupation miner, native of Austria. [Death certificate # 677 (1913), microfilm 2032876,  
Colfax Co., NM.]**

**Romero, Daniel\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Mexican October 22, 1913  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 83**

**Romero, Francisco\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 Miners Cross February 8, 1923  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 4**

**Romero, Marcelino\* Nov. 16, 1883-Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross + Mexican Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 12 & 11**

**Romolo, Saturno\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Rosa, Feb. 10, 1898-April 5, 1908**

**Rosales, Miguel\* 1897-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Tombstone**

**Rosati, Giovanni 1908-1914**

**Rosati, Guiseppe 1871-1921**

**Rosenfield, Bob\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Rosenfield, Evelyn\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Maiden Name: "Memapace" Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Rosenfield, Jessie\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Rossetti, Almira\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Rounds, John\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross American October 22, 1923**

**Roybal, Rosita J. 1924-1926**

**Rozovich, Mary B.**

**Rubino, Caterina Feb. 29, 1984-June 17, 1920**

**Ruppert, Adam F. 1893-1927**

**Salazar, Miguel\*\*\*\*\* Died: September 14, 1903 May not be buried in Dawson Cemetery.**

**Salvo, Addolorata M. 1862-1843 "Mother"**

**Salvo, John\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Sanchez, Ruben Died: January 24, 1922 Newspaper: Ruben Sanchez, son of Daniel and Matilda Sanchez, died January 24<sup>th</sup> at the age of 2 years and 4 months. Funeral services were held on January 25<sup>th</sup> at St. John the Baptist Church. Internment was made at the Dawson cemetery.**

**Sanchez, Stella\*\*\* No known dates Unmarked**

**Sanchez, Tony\*\*\* No known dates Unmarked**

**Sando, Hillo\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 October 22, 1913**

**Sangedo, Higinio No Dates**

**Santi, Angelo\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Santi, Beniamio\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1923  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 47**

**Santi, Carlo\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 15**

**Santi, Dom\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1923  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 12**

**Santi, Egisto\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1923  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 91**

**Santi, Geriomine\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1923  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 67**

**Santi, Luigi\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1923  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 50**

**Santi, Pacifico\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 Miners Cross February 8, 1923  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 7**

**Santi, Petro\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1923  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 115**

**Santi, Pit Della\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1923  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 114**

**Santi, Raymondo\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Santilla, Rigina 1911-1915**

**Santisteven, M.\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Mexican October 22, 1913**

**Santocci, Dominick\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Sapien, Reany Oct 23, 1943-March 6, 1948 “Daughter”**

**Saturno, Nick\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 15**

**Saucedo, Higinio\* 1882-Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross & Mexican Killed in explosion of Mine  
No. 2 Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 29**

**Saul, William No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Saul, Mrs. No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Saunders, Audrey 1906-1994**

**Scandale, Tony Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 52a**

**Scanlon, Joseph\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Scanlon, Roger\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Scantalis, Antonio\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 Miners Cross February 8, 1923  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 52**

**Scarafiotti, Angelo\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Scarafiotti, Angelo Battu\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Scarafiotti, Colanda\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Scarafiotti, Dominic\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Scarafiotti, Elizabeth Ellen\*\*\*\*\* Sept. 5, 1907-Aug. 29, 1999 Maiden name: “Hunter”  
Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Scarafiotti, Flora\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Scarafiotti, Guerino\*\*\*\*\* July 27, 1903-Dec. 31, 1957 “Shortie” Name from list provided  
by Elizabeth Greene**

**Scarafiotti, Guido\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene.**

**Scarafiotti, Joseph\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Scarafiotti, Mary\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Scarafiotti, Pauline\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Scarafiotti, Pete\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Scarafiotti, Pete “Sunny”\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Scarafiotti, Robert\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Scarafiotti, Victor\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Schuster, Jack\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Scopelitis, Criss\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 Miners Cross February 8, 1923  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 65**

**Scopelitis, Gust\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 Miners Cross February 8, 1923  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 57**

**Scott, Mrs. Edward\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Scott, Roy\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Sekrotes, John\* 1889-Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross + Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2  
Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 135**

**Sena, Ben\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 Miners Cross February 8, 1923  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 1**

**Sepic, Slavo 1894-1925; 08 Dec 1925, SLAVO SEPICH, age 31 yrs, occupation machine coal operator, native of Austria, married. Killed in coal mine accident which caused brain injury and shock. Wife, Mary Polish. Father, JACK SEPIC. Mother, KATE BODOSEVICH. Buried in Dawson. NM. *This death not found in government report.* [Death certificate # 303 (1925), microfilm 2032891, Colfax Co., NM.]**

**Sepic, Slavum; Apr 25, 1914. SLAVUM SEPIC, a res of Heaton and was baptized at Mrkopal, Austria, the 20 y/o s/o Jacob Sepic and Catharina Radosevic, married ANGELINA JAKOVAC, a res of Gibson and was baptized at Mrkopal, Austria, the 19 y/o/d/o Mattheaei Jakovac and Francisca Radosevic. Test; Joseph Kruzic and Johanna Cruic. OFF: Remertus Kowalski, Gallup Cathedral. Roll 15, Frame 89, Page 121; Sacramental Records from the Archives of the diocese of Gallup-New Mexico Marriages. A Publication of the Hispanic Genealogical Research Center of New Mexico – Albuquerque, NM.**

**The following undocumented information provided by Sherry Fuhs :**

**Slavo Sepic is the great uncle of my cousin, Linda Sepic Simmons. During a phone call last year to the church in Raton, Linda was told that Slavo, Andjelina and a child, Charles are**

all buried in Dawson. This information should still be available at the church, although I don't know the name of the church. During her phone conversation, Linda was told the following dates of death:

Charles Sepic, 24 Jan 1923, 2 yrs  
Andjelina Sepic, 26 Jan 1924, 30 yrs  
Slavo Sepic, 08 Dec 1925, 31 yrs

The Sepic family is buried in Plot 6, Block 2, Graves 90 ½ and 91.

This miner, Slavo Sepic was the reason for my initial interest in this project. Any additional information would be greatly appreciated. Submitted by Sherry Fuhs [slf305@hotmail.com](mailto:slf305@hotmail.com)

**Sepolt, Remasto Valima 1880-1913**

**Serafini, Anselmo\* 1881-Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross & Italian Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 41**

**Serafini, Guisepp\* 1889-Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross & Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 42**

**Serapio, Ragel\*\*\*\*\* Died: September 14, 1903 May not be buried in Dawson Cemetery.**

**Serrano, Joe\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Mexican October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 18**

**Sever, Chester\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Sexot, John\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Grecian October 22, 1913**

**Shelton, Vienna 1872-1914**

**Sherfick, Elmer E. Died: Feb. 17, 1922 Buried in Trinidad, Co. Newspaper: Mr. Elmer E Sherfick, died at the local hospital early Friday morning. While the people of Dawson had known for several days that Mr. Sherfick was in a critical condition, news of his death came as a shock to the members of his family and his many friends. During the past year there had been periods when Mr. Sherfick had not enjoyed the best of health, but it was not until about three weeks ago that he was confined to his bed. Plans were immediately made for securing special treatment at a Denver hospital, but the seriousness of his condition would not permit his removal. A few days ago he was removed from his home to the local hospital, where everything in the power of attending physicians and consulting specialists was done for him, but to no avail. Mr. Sherfick was one of the best known men in Dawson, and his passing has cast a gloom over our midst such as can only be cast with the realization that death has claimed one of our most beloved and highly respected citizens. For many years Mr. Sherfick labored in the activities of the community of which he was a part. In the performance of his duties as a tradesman in the shops and mines, he was ever industrious and conscientious; in organizations with which he was connected having for**

**their object the development of a spirit of brotherhood among men, he was a loyal and faithful member. Funeral services were held from the home in Dawson at 2:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon, after which the body was taken to Trinidad for burial. The services at Trinidad were in charge of the Trinidad Masonic lodge of which he was a member. Mr. Sherfick was also a member of the Knights of Pythias and Moose lodges. The Dawson News joins those who were privileged to have known him, in expressing sincere sympathy to the members of the family in their bereavement.**

**Shobio, Anna G. 1883-1919 Short, Frank No Dates American**

**Short, McKinley\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 October 22, 1913**

**Shuster, Johnie No Dates 2 months old**

**Shuster, Matt 1884-1919**

**Shuster, Matt No Dates 7 months old**

**Silvino, Figlio\* March 28, 1895-Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross + Tombstone**

**Silvio, Monfredini\* died: Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross Italian**

**Simoncini, Enrico\* Killed in explosion in Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913**

**Simongini, Enrico Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 14**

**Simpson, Aron\* Miners Cross Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 70**

**Sinesio, Maria G. 1873-1924**

**Sinesio, Veliat M. Aug. 22, 1909-July 11, 1913**

**Sitko, Fritz\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 American October 22, 1913**

**Skandale, Tony\* 1878-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Tombstone**

**Skender, George No Dates**

**Skender, John No Dates**

**Skender, Matt 1921-1930**

**Skender, Victoria 1923-1931 Asleep**

**Smith, Joe\*\*\* Oct 18, 1897-Dec. 14, 1926 Unmarked Died as a result of a broken back in mining accident.**



**Smith, Walter A.\*\*\* Jan. 8, 1931-Jan. 8, 1931 Unmarked**

**Smith, Elizabeth Enas\*\*\* May 23, 1920-May 26, 1920**

**Smock, Jean\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Smock, Mr.\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Smock, Winfield\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Spedruto, D. 1887-1912**

**Spomenik, Ova J.; Note by John Stefanac: “Ova Spomenik” is Croatian for This tombstone. Spomenik actually means something like monument but in context would be referring to the tombstone.**

**Sporer, Pete (Pijo)\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross, Croatian, October 22, 1913; born 4 May 1871 in Sunger, Croatia; Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 79; 22 Oct 1913, PETE/SYLVESTER SPORER, occupation miner, native of Austria/Slavic. [Death certificate # 654 (1913), Microfilm 2032876, Colfax Co., NM.]**

**Sporer, Sebastian\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross, Croatian, October 22, 1913; born 15 January 1890 in Sunger, Croatia; Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 80; 22 Oct 1913, SEBASTIAN SPORER/SPODER, occupation miner, native of Austria/Slavic/Italy. [Death certificate # 653 and # 434 (1913), microfilm 2032876, Colfax Co., NM. This appears to be a duplicate certificate.]**

**Stafford, Frank\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 American October 22, 1913**

**Stagnari, Alfonso 1912-1923**

**Stagnari, Michele June 5, 1884-Jan. 30, 1925**

**Stamos, Paul\*\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 February 8, 1923**

**Starcevic, Anna July 10, 1908-January 15, 1909**

**Starcevic, Matilda 1894-1922**

**Starcevic, Stjepn Born 28 Jul 1876 in Mrkopalj, Croatia.**

**Stark, Joe\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Polish October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 65**

**Starkovich, John\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Stavakis, Polikronis\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Grecian October 22, 1913**

**Stewart, Alexander Dec. 23, 1910-July 31, 1912 In memory of our Baby**

**Subat, Jakob\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross & Slovenian October 22, 1913 Tombstone wife: Julia Subat Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 36  
Subat, Julia No Dates**

**Supruga, Postavila**

**Susen, Frank April 15, 1924-March 2, 1924**

**Sutton, Jefferson B.\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Sutton, Mrs. J. B.\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Tassi, Dom\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 113**

**Tasso, Flora April 5, 1900-Nov. 4, 1998 Maiden name: "Scarafiotti"**

**Thies, W. C. Jan. 1, 1858-Aug. 18, 1922**

**Thomson, Dave\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Tiller, Mrs. P. A.\*\*\* Died: April 18, 1925 Burial in Kansas Dawson News, April 23, 1925. MRS. TILLER PASSES Mrs. Tinsley, Lilly A.\*\*\* Died: April 23, 1929 Buried in Oakland, Ca. Notice in the Dawson News, Vol 9, Page 144, May 23, 1929: Lilly A. Tinsley, wife of the late Timothy Tinsley, and loving mother of Edna and Lawrence Tinsley, Mrs. Ira D. Morrow, Walter and Harold Breen, sister of Miss Sadie Hanna, Alonzo, Thomas and John Hanna, a native of Illinois, died in Oakland, Cal., April 23, 1929. Mrs. Tinsley was a member of Plymouth Chapter No. 453, O. E. S. Tinsley, Timothy\*\*\* Died: 1921 Buried in Glenwood Notice in the Springs, Colorado Dawson News, Vol. 1, Page 3, February 3, 1921: Miss Sadie Hanna, principal of the central school was called last week to Glenwood Springs, Colo. By the death of a relative, Mr. Timothy Tinsley, who was a former well known resident of Dawson.**

**Tokao, Geo U. d. July 22, 1908 Chinese**

**Tolini, Rosa 1898-1908**

**Tollere, Guiseppi\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 38**

**Tomasi, Giacomo\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913**

**Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 17**

**Tomasi, Pietro\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 114**

**Tomasoni, Frank\* 1898-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1  
Tombstone Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 6**

**Tomic, George 1878-Nov. 6, 1914; 06 Nov 1914, GEORGE TONICH/TOMICH, age 36/38  
yrs, occupation miner, native of Austria/Croatia, married. Death occurred from fall of  
rock. [Death certificate # 809 (1914), microfilm 2032876, Colfax, Co., NM.]**

**Torok, Frank\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Hungarian October 22, 1913**

**Torres, Martin\* Miners Cross**

**Torros, Martin Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 1, Grave 64**

**Tozzi, Ernesto\* July 16, 1882-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1  
Tombstone**

**Traini, Dominic\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Traini, Louis\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Trujillo, Anslmo\* 1887-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + “Anslmo” was the Tombstone name  
on the Miners Cross as well as the Tombstone. Family sources have corrected that to be  
“Anselmo” and “Shorty” was his nickname. His wife was Emma King**

**Trujillo, Andresito 1922-1925**

**Trujillo, Carolina May 1890-Jan. 1930**

**Trujillo, Fred\*\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 Miners Cross Born in Tecolote,  
November 1894-February 8, 1923 New Mexico. His full name was Alfredo Trujillo.**

**Trujillo, Gabriel 1862-1944**

**Trujillo, Gabriel 1944-Unreadable**

**Trujillo, Jaun\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Mexican October 22, 1913**

**Trujillo, Juanita V. 1856-1926 Age 63 years**

**Trujillo, Ramon Mar. 12, 1891-June 20, 1923**

**Trujillo, Ray\* Miners Cross**

**Trujillo, Reyes M. 1871-1935 At Rest**

**Tumen, Wm.\* Killed in explosion Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Slovenian October 22, 1913  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 32**

**Tunney, Peter\* died: Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross American**

**Ulibarri, Patricio\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Mexican October 22, 1913**

**Ulparri, B. Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 October 22, 1913**

**Upton, L. P.\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 American October 22, 1913**

**Upton, Robert Baldwin 1911-1935**

**Valdez, Maria E. Dec. 25, 1890-Aug. 9, 1934 "Mother"**

**Valette, Ernest\* died: Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross Italian**

**Vargas, Antonia June 13, 1902-June 3, 1935**

**Vargas, Tony died: 1939**

**Vegniti, Cesare\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913  
Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 132**

**Velasco, Vic\* died: Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross Mexican**

**Velasquez, Marcelino\* Miners Cross**

**Valasquez, Marcelino Cemetery Survey Map Miners Cross, Block 1, Grave 69**

**Ventura, Jose' Maria died: June 10, 1917**

**Vialpando, Filiberto\* 1895-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Tombstone**

**Vidakovic, Tony April 7, 1915- June 2, 1915**

**Vidalakis, Antonios\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Grecian October 22, 1913**

**Vitale, Louis\*\*\*\*\* No dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Vlahovich, Matt**

**Volanis, Nick\* Miners Cross**

**Weitzel, F. R. 1881-1919**

**Weitzel, June Elliott June 8, 1918-Sept. 17, 1818**

**Wesley, Henry\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 African-American October 22, 1913**

**White, Arthur A. 1892-1925 At Rest**

**William, Fred\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Williams, Geo. H.\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross African-American October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 120**

**Williams, J.\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 American October 22, 1913**

**Wilmoth, Frank\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross American October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 95**

**Wilson, Jack H. Feb. 14, 1916-Oct. 27, 1999**

**Wilson, Helen No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Wilson, John\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 1 Dawson News, February 8, 1923 February 11, 1926: IN MEMORIAM: In memory of John Wilson, who lost his life in No. 1 mine explosion February 8, 1923. Mr. and Mrs Andrew Strannigan, John Wilson, James Wilson, Robert Wilson**

**Wilson, Robert 1879-1936**

**Wilson, William W. July 30, 1925-May 22, 1996 US Army WWII**

**Wolpert, Leone March 16, 1916-Sept. 1917**

**Woodard, Robert Paul Sept. 1, 1906-June 6, 1907**

**Wright, J. H.\* died: Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross American**

**Yaksich, Enis\*\*\*\*\* No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Ybarra, Manuel\* April 10, 1900-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Tombstone**

**Ybarra, Manuel R.\* 1903-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Tombstone**

**Ybarra, Secundino\* 1891-Feb. 8, 1923 Miners Cross + Tombstone**

**Zacayinno, Camillo\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Zaccayinno, Gamillo Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 51**

**Zamboni, Alcide\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Zamboni, Duilio\* 1886-Oct. 22, 1913 Miners Cross Italian**

**Zamboni, Narcisco\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 3, Grave 37**

**Zamora, Florence No Dates Name from list provided by Elizabeth Greene**

**Zamora, William 1879-1941 "Father"**

**Zamponi, Marck died: June 11, 1927 this was written on the headstone : Minnesota**

**Wagoner 9 Engr 5**

**Zamtoni, Duiliv 1886-1913**

**Zandi, Andre\*\* Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Italian October 22, 1913**

**Zanoni, Alessandro Miners Cross**

**Zanoni, Tony\* Miners Cross**

**Zefferini, B. Killed in explosion of Mine No. 2 Miners Cross Italian October 22, 1913 Cemetery Survey Map Miners Plot, Block 2, Grave 46**

**Zuarez, Julian 1883-1920**

## **Section 2: J. B. Dawson Family Cemetery Inscriptions**

*This is the Family Cemetery of John Barkley Dawson. It is situated on the west side of the Vermejo River. The names on the list below are from a book written by Delphine Dawson Wilson, "John Barkley Dawson, Pioneer, Cattleman, Rancher" and a personal correspondence from Dale Dawson, a descendant of J. B. Dawson. Sometime before J. B. Dawson died he had a monument put in the little Dawson Family Cemetery. It reads as follows:*

“ This monument marks the burying place of J. B. Dawson’s father, mother, wife Laura, three children, two infant grand-daughters, only sister, Uncle and Aunt Miller, some friends. Done in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and six.”

Laura Stout Dawson died: June 2, 1872 J. B. Dawson’s 2<sup>nd</sup> wife

Stephen Decatur Stout Laura’s Father

Mrs. Stephen Decatur Stout Laura’s Mother

Henry Thomas Dawson died: May 5, 1899 J. B. Dawson’s Father

Lititia (Luzann) de Graftenried Dawson died: August 17, 1900 J. B. Dawson’s Mother

Bennie Sydnor Dawson died: Jan 27, 1888 J. B. Dawson’s Daughter-in-Law and wife of Augustus Green Dawson

Jefferson Leo Dawson born: August 2, 1876-died: October 1887 J. B. & Lavinia Dawson’s son

John Barkley Dawson III born: 1878-died April 24, 1887 J. B. & Lavinia Dawson’s son

Henry Miller Dawson born: 1886-died 1887 or 1888 J. B. & Lavinia Dawson’s son

Henrietta Dawson Curtis J. B. Dawson’s only sister

Tom Curtis Henrietta’s Brother-in-Law

Baby Girl J. B. Dawson’s Granddaughter

Baby Girl J. B. Dawson’s Granddaughter

Tom Miller Letitia’s Cousin

Mrs. Tom Miller Tom Miller’s wife

Jane G. Brackett A family friend

### **Section 3: Reprint from the 1993 Summer Edition of “New Mexico Preservation,” by Corinne Sze.**

The following is reprinted from the 1993 Summer Edition of “New Mexico Preservation” the quarterly newsletter of the State of New Mexico Historic Preservation Division. The information was researched and written by Corinne Sze. It was first printed in the Raton Range in three parts in 1993.

*The Dawson Cemetery is the best and only complete resource representative of the town of Dawson, at one time the largest coal-mining community in the Raton coal field of northeastern New Mexico. Dawson was one of a number of company towns developed by the Dodge Mining Company, which purchased the Dawson coal mines and town site in 1906. Although many variations existed, a company town was generally created around a single industrial operation and was owned and operated by the company which operated the industry. That is, the company owned all homes, business and public buildings, recreational facilities, utilities, the company store and so on. Any private businesses were leased from the company and existed at its pleasure. Some 200 company towns have been identified as having existed in 11 western states.*

*The company town was crucial to the development of coal industry and from coal-mining camps has come the unsavory reputation of company towns in general as squalid places of low wages, substandard housing, high prices and perpetual debt. Abuses in company towns often*

*exposed by the union movement and detailed in reports of federal investigations of conditions in the coal industry.*

*In the early part of the 20<sup>th</sup> century, however, some companies had established a new sort of planned community; Dawson is an example of one such well-run company town with, by all accounts, exceptional community services and strong community spirit.*

*The history of mining in the Raton Field parallels that of the coal industry generally. Dawson's coal production peaked around World War I and declined thereafter. Although Dawson profited from the brief resurgence of demand for coal during World War II, after the war demand fell sharply, as coal was completely replaced by oil and natural gas, as the major fuels for transportation and heating. When the Southern Pacific converted entirely to diesel in 1949, Phelps Dodge lost its last major customer for Dawson coal.*

*On Feb. 25, 1950, Phelps Dodge posted notices that the town of Dawson was closing. The mines were to be shut down and its residents evicted. Most of the town was either moved, torn down, or salvaged, in order to remove it from the tax rolls. Like other coal-mining areas, the Raton coal field included large numbers of immigrants. Before the coming of the railroad and the opening of large coal mines, European migration to this region of New Mexico had been slight. In the new mining towns, a majority of the population was typically of foreign birth, with Italian, Slavs and Greeks predominating after the turn of the century. Often leaving behind families, these men came to New Mexico, seeking economic opportunity as miners, or as skilled or unskilled laborers. Many eventually were able to bring others to the United States, including wives, relatives and friends.*

*A high proportion became American citizens and many went on to open businesses in Raton and nearby towns. In 1910, more than 70 percent of Dawson miners were European immigrants, while Spanish-speaking natives of New Mexico and of Mexico made up roughly 18 percent of the total work force and English speaking employees, including Americans and African-American, constituted only 12 percent of the total.*

*Around World War I, Dawson reportedly had one of the largest groups of Italians, from the Province of Lucca, to be found west of Chicago. By 1919, the percentage of Europeans had decreased and the proportion of Spanish-speaking miners had increased markedly, a trend that continued until the 1920's. Dawson residents lived either in the town site, or in areas in the mountains, close to the mines, called "camps". Housing was assigned according to availability and anyone could apply for a vacancy anywhere.*

*During the years of peak coal production, it was difficult to get housing and families sometimes had to double-up in the same house. Although people tended to live near where they worked, with management generally downtown and miners near the mines, even this separation was not hard and fast. Some camps were associated with particular ethnic groups, but the overwhelming recollection of Dawson residents is, that groupings were by choice and that the living areas were ethnically-mixed.*



*The one exception to this rule was the African-American, many of whom worked as mule skimmers. They lived together, in a group of houses that were not ordinarily assigned to miners of other races. The Cultural Properties review Committee voted, in 1992 to place the Dawson Cemetery in the State Register of Cultural Properties and to nominate it to the National Register of Historic Places and, on April 9, 1992, this property was placed on the National Register.*

*Nominations of cemeteries to the National Register are relatively uncommon. The regulations for the Register (36 CFR 60) state that, ordinarily, cemeteries are not eligible to the Register unless they meet special considerations. The considerations are, that the cemetery in question derives its significance from graves of persons of transcendent importance, from age, from distinctive design features, or from association with historic events.*

*The committee felt and the Register agreed, that the Dawson Cemetery met this consideration because of its association with the broad patterns of immigration to this country, with the history of coal mining and company towns and specifically its association with two of the worst underground mine disasters in the history of American coal mining. A death in Dawson was felt as a loss to a whole community. Festive wakes were customary in the home of the deceased and these were attended by friends of any nationality. The solidarity of the community was strongly expressed in the rituals of death.*

*The possibility of explosion was an ever-present danger in the underground coal mining, where highly flammable methane gas and coal dust could become concentrated in small enclosed spaces and explosive, as well as electrical wiring, were part of the mining process. Despite a reputation for being the best-equipped mines in the area, with state-of-the-art safety equipment and well-trained rescue squads, the Dawson mines were the site of two of the worst accidents in the history of American coal mining. On Oct. 22, 1913, just days after the state inspector had pronounced Mine No. 2 in "splendid condition," an underground explosion was caused by an over-charged shot, fired while all the men were in the mine. Ignited coal dust propagated the explosion to all parts of the mine and flames shot 200 feet out the mouth of the tunnel. As a result, the Stag Canyon Fuel Company issued orders that all shots would be fired only by the most experienced shot-firers and only after all men were out of the mine.*

*A total of 263 men were killed in the accident, including the general superintendent of the mine and two rescue personnel. Only one previous reported explosion in an American coal mine had taken more lives. The majority of the men killed were of foreign nationality. Only 39 (including nine men identified as "Negro") of those listed among the dead were American. Undertakers from neighboring communities were called in to assist and coffins were shipped from Las Vegas, Raton and Albuquerque, as well as Trinidad and other places.*

*Funeral services were held over lines of black caskets, laid out on the floor of a temporary morgue. Some bodies were never identified. Some of the dead were transported to family plots in other cities, but the majority, especially those who were recent immigrants to the United States, were buried in Dawson, in graves marked by gray iron crosses. All burial expenses were borne by the company, including a plot in the company cemetery. Each widow was given \$2000 and an offer of travel money to return to relatives in Europe.*

*On Feb. 8, 1923, another disastrous explosion rocked Dawson, trapping 122 men underground, in Mine No. 1. Arcing trolley and feed wires ignited a dust explosion, after a derailment had knocked down the timbers to which they were attached. The initial explosion was again propagated by dust throughout the mine. Only two men escaped alive; 18 hours after the explosion, they walked out of the mine, unharmed and unaided.*

*Once again, a significant number (48) of the 120 dead were of European citizenship, although this was a considerably smaller percentage than the proportion of Europeans killed in the earlier disaster. Nearly as many American (43) were killed, as well as 28 Mexican nationals. A temporary morgue was set up in an office building near the scene. The Phelps Dodge undertaker was assisted by two colleagues from Las Vegas. Plain gray or black caskets were brought from all over the state and funerals were held by an Italian Catholic priest for the Italians another priest for English-speaking Catholics and by a Protestant minister for the rest. The graves, again, were marked by gray iron crosses.*

*It is not known, precisely, when the cemetery was established; the oldest recorded date of death on an inscription is May 12, 1906. Except for the miners' crosses, presumably purchased by the company, grave markers and decoration were privately provided, without company-imposed restrictions. This freedom, combined with the number of different nationalities and the range of sources for markers, led to the striking variety of decor.*

*Hispanics seemed to follow the local tradition of hand-made wooded markers. Sometimes these graves were surrounded by a rectangular fence, locally called a cuna (cradle), or cerquita (little Fence), a custom believed to have been brought to New Mexico, along with the use of grave markers, by 19<sup>th</sup>-century Anglo- American influence. Other nationalities also used fences at Dawson and individual burial places are frequently defined by concrete curbing, a line of stones, or a cement or stone slab.*

*Grave markers were obtained from a number of sources. Many were homemade of wood, stone, concrete, or metal. Italian stone masons, working for Phelps Dodge, made tombstones on the side. John Moruzzi carved sandstone markers from patterns in a book, until his death in about 1925. A number of sandstone markers in the oldest section and the miners' section are of similar design and may be his. Joe Cicone, who was in Dawson until it closed, was another mason who may have made tombstones. Granite and marble stones could be purchased through the mercantile store in Dawson, or the funeral parlors in larger towns, such as Raton and Las Vegas, or Trinidad and Pueblo, Colo. Salesmen from the more-distant towns came around, with pictures of designs. A number of interesting wrought-iron markers are of unidentified source and nationality.*

*The most common decorative motif is the cross, reflecting the predominance of the Roman Catholic religion. The number of sources of markers, either homemade, produced by a local mason, or perhaps a local blacksmith, purchased from any number of mortuaries in different towns, or chosen from a traveling salesman's illustrations, partially accounts for the diversity of individual markers within the same ethnic group and for the similarity of sandstone markers which cuts across ethnic lines.*

*This variety contrasts strongly with the lack of individual response that characterizes the modern memorial garden, with its rows of identical, industrially-produced, two-dimensional metal plates. Most of the inscriptions on the stones are in foreign languages.*

*Despite an emphasis on learning English and the fact that many Dawson residents became citizens, they returned finally to their linguistic roots. Most of the names on the markers bear witness to the southern and eastern European, or Hispanic, origins of many of Dawson's residents. Although clusters of stones in the same language indicated some grouping by nationality, no areas appear to be strictly limited to a particular people.*

*Since Dawson closed in 1950, some burials have been moved to other locations and other graves have been neglected, particularly in the older section outside of the miners' cemetery. Nevertheless, despite the passage of more than 40 years, relatives still visit and attend to many of the graves and in a few cases, new markers have been added to existing grave sites. Perhaps because of the extremely isolated location, there has been little systematic vandalism, beyond the destruction of portraits on grave markers. Most of the cemetery is intact and well represents its historical and cultural associations. Recently the Phelps Dodge Mining company financed a major refurbishing, with particular attention to the miners' section.*

*The Dawson Cemetery was found to be significant, under Criterion A of the criteria, for eligibility to the National Register, because of its association with several important themes in New Mexican and American history; Underground coal mining, coal mining explosion accidents, the early 20<sup>th</sup>-century immigrant experience and the company town. The cemetery is the last intact and best physical representation of the town of Dawson and the history with which it was associated. It is the only part of the former town open to visitors without prior permission.*

*Since the town records are either destroyed, or lost, the cemetery is also one of the best primary sources of many kinds of demographic data. The cemetery is singularly significant for its association with historic events connected with the history of coal mining, not only the development of the Raton Field, a major resource and the formation of company towns, but also the catastrophic accidents and extensive loss of life associated with underground mining. In holding the graves of many men killed in mining accidents, as well as of the 383 men killed in two of America's worst underground coal mine explosions, the cemetery commemorates events of national significance. These individual tragedies illustrate a part of the price paid for American industrial development. The row upon row of identical iron crosses are a moving statement.*

*The cemetery is also significant for the concentration of immigrant burials, primarily Mexican and European. Mediterranean and eastern European nationalities represent the majority waves of American immigration in the early 20<sup>th</sup> century, but are not typical of New Mexico immigration patterns, as generally understood. The persons buried are significant, not for the importance of any particular individual, or group, but as an aggregate of those who came to the United States, looking for economic opportunity. They are a tangible reminder of the exertion and sacrifice of those men and women to overcome language and cultural barriers*

*and sometimes lack of skill to create a better life than that obtainable in Europe or Mexico and in a few cases the Orient. In the process, they provided the manpower that made possible the growth of American industry.*

*These graves are tangible expression of cultural diversity. Demographic data could be gleaned from the dates, age, nationalities and causes of death of the deceased. A systematic inventory of the markers for style, language and inscription content, as well as the styles of grave delineation and decoration, could have bearing on many questions, such as the attitude toward death among people for whom it is a fact of daily life and changes over time in these attitudes. Comparison with contemporary practices in countries of origin could help define the immigrant response to the problem of adaptation, versus maintenance of tradition.*

*It would appear that, among the Europeans, ethnicity was more rooted in language, than in the style of markers. Despite their efforts to learn English and the vigorous and successful encouragement of their children to become Americanized, in death these people returned, almost universally, to their native languages.*

*The Dawson cemetery was also found to be eligible to the National Register under Criterion D. Cemeteries have belatedly come to be recognized for the cultural legacy they embody and their capacity to yield, through systematic study, information about the attitudes and the conditions that created them.*

*The products of particular circumstances of history, economics, sociology and psychology, cemeteries, in the words of Richard Francaviglia, "Mirror the living and not the dead" and they may "tell us a great deal about living people who created them."*

*Cemeteries have proven to be invaluable resources for investigation of such questions as settlement and immigration patterns, social status and social organization of various groups and changes in the attitudes of the living toward death. The special and narrowly-defined circumstances of history, which created the Dawson Cemetery, render it a particularly apt subject of controlled, comparative studies and suggest a number of specific areas for research.*

*For example, one might explore the relationship between the settlement patterns of the town and the cemetery. On initial examination, it would appear that the cemetery was populated in much the same way as the town. The living tended, by choice, to live in ethnically-defined groups, but were not limited to these. The option of choosing to live anywhere there was available housing, led to a situation that Dawson residents remember as a remarkable mixing of people from different ethnic backgrounds, with the notable exception of African-Americans. So too, in the cemetery, graves seem to have been placed where people chose to put them.*

*Though they appear to be grouped very loosely, by language or religion, the over-whelming impression is of a striking mix of ethnic origin.*

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