

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the City of Washington, this 11th day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seven [SEAL.] and the Independence of the United States the one hundred and thirty-first.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT

By the President:

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*Secretary of State.*

March 16, 1907.

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

A PROCLAMATION

Portales National Forest, N. Mex. Preamble.

Restored to public domain.

Vol. 30, p. 36.

Vol. 34, p. 3178.

Lands restored open to settlement.

WHEREAS, the public lands within the Portales National Forest, in the Territory of New Mexico, are no longer required for experimental forest purposes;

Now, therefore, I, Theodore Roosevelt, President of the United States of America, by virtue of the power in me vested by the Act of Congress, approved June fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (Volume 30 Statutes at Large, page 36), do hereby revoke my proclamation dated the third day of October, nineteen hundred and five, which established the Portales National Forest, and do proclaim that the lands embraced within the said National Forest are hereby restored to the public domain.

The lands which are hereby released from reservation shall be open to settlement from the date hereof, but shall not be subject to entry, filing, or selection until after ninety days' notice by such publication as the Secretary of the Interior may prescribe.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the City of Washington this 16th day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seven, [SEAL.] and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and thirty-first.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT

By the President:

ROBERT BACON

*Acting Secretary of State.*

April 6, 1907.

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

A PROCLAMATION

Big Burros National Forest, N. Mex. Preamble.

Vol. 34, p. 3274.

Boundaries enlarged.

Vol. 30, p. 36. Post, p. 2190.

WHEREAS, it appears that the public good would be promoted by adding to the Big Burros National Forest certain lands, within the Territory of New Mexico, which are in part covered with timber;

Now, therefore, I, Theodore Roosevelt, President of the United States of America, by virtue of the power in me vested by the Act of Congress, approved June fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, entitled, "An Act Making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, and for other purposes," do proclaim that the Big Burros National Forest is hereby enlarged to include the said

DIAGRAM FORMING A PART OF PROCLAMATION  
DATED APRIL 6, 1907

R.17 W.

R.16 W.

### BIG BURROS NATIONAL FOREST NEW MEXICO

T.17 S.  
NEW MEXICO PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN AND BASE  
FOREST SERVICE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE  
1907

— NATIONAL FOREST BOUNDARY

▨ ADDITION FROM PUBLIC LANDS

R.15 W.

R.14 W.

R.16 W.

T.16 S.

T.19 S.

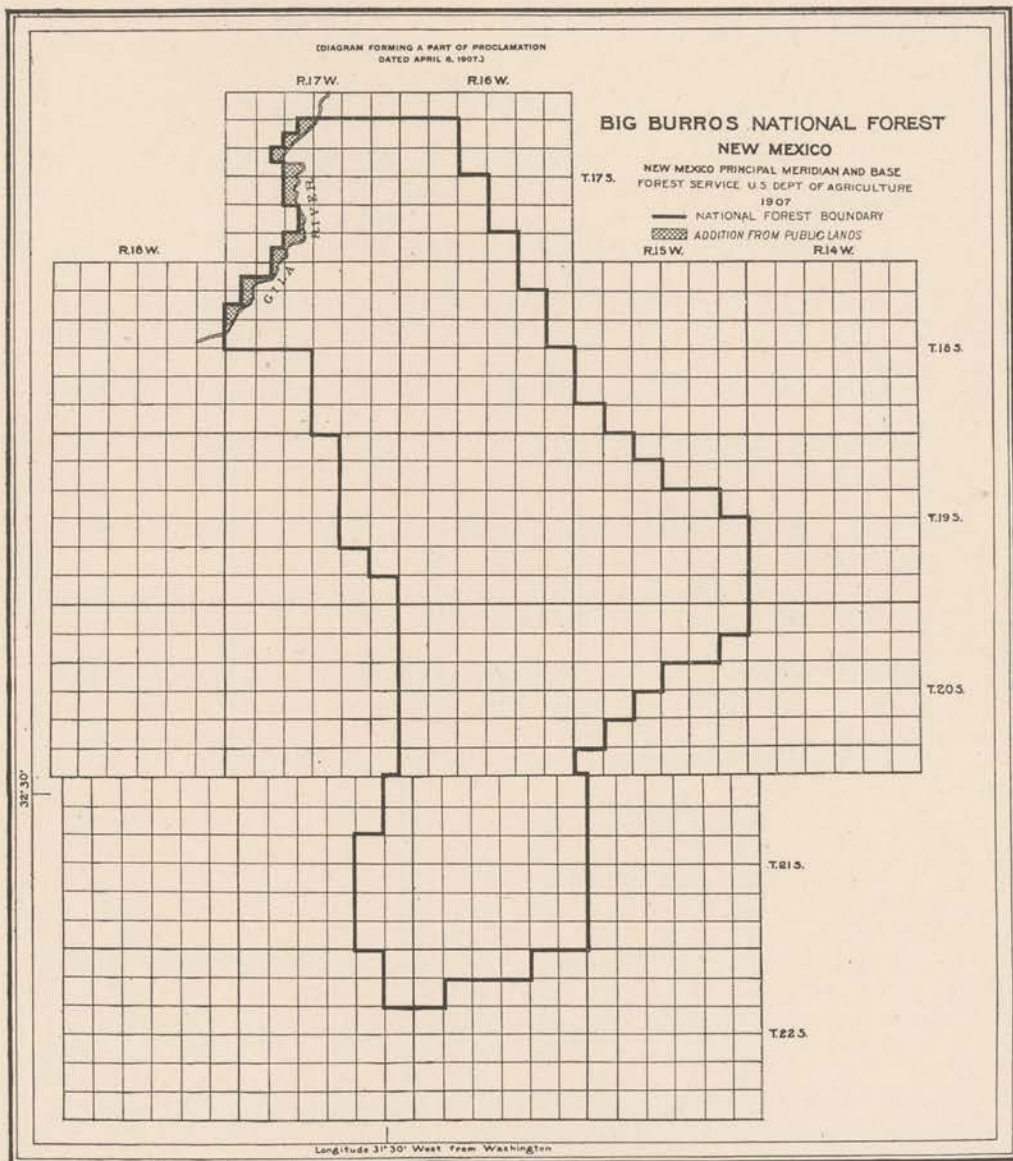
T.20 S.

32° 30'

T.21 S.

T.22 S.

Longitude 31° 30' West from Washington



additional lands, and that the boundaries of the aforesaid National Forest are now as shown on the diagram forming a part hereof;

Excepting from the force and effect of this proclamation all lands which are at this date embraced in any legal entry or covered by any lawful filing or selection duly of record in the proper United States Land Office, or upon which any valid settlement has been made pursuant to law, if the statutory period within which to make entry or filing of record has not expired; and also excepting all lands which at this date are embraced within any withdrawal or reservation for any use or purpose with which this reservation for forest uses is inconsistent: Provided, that these exceptions shall not continue to apply to any particular tract of land unless the entryman, settler, or claimant continues to comply with the law under which the entry, filing, or settlement was made, or unless the reservation or withdrawal with which this reservation is inconsistent continues in force; not excepting from the force and effect of this proclamation, however, any part of the National Forest hereby established which has been withdrawn to protect the coal therein, but this proclamation does not vacate any such coal land withdrawal; and provided that these exceptions shall not apply to any land embraced in any selection, entry, or filing, which has been permitted to remain of record subject to the creation of a permanent reservation.

Warning is hereby given to all persons not to make settlement upon any of the lands reserved by this proclamation, unless and until they are listed by the Secretary of Agriculture and opened to homestead settlement or entry by the Secretary of the Interior under the Act of Congress, approved June eleventh, nineteen hundred and six, entitled, "An Act To provide for the entry of Agricultural lands within forest reserves."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the City of Washington this 6th day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seven, and [SEAL.] of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and thirty-first.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT

By the President:  
ROBERT BACON  
*Acting Secretary of State.*

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

April 15, 1907.

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the public lands in the State of Nevada, which are hereinafter indicated, are in part covered with timber, and it appears that the public good would be promoted by utilizing said lands as a National Forest;

Now, therefore, I, Theodore Roosevelt, President of the United States of America, by virtue of the power in me vested by section twenty-four of the Act of Congress, approved March third, eighteen hundred and ninety-one, entitled, "An act to repeal timber-culture laws, and for other purposes," do proclaim that there are hereby reserved from settlement or entry and set apart as a public reservation, for the use and benefit of the people, all the tracts of land, in the State of Nevada, shown as the Toquima National Forest on the diagram forming a part hereof;

Toquima National Forest, Nev. Preamble. *Post*, p. 2228.

National Forest, Nevada. Vol. 26, p. 1103.

Lands excepted.

Coal lands.

Reserved from settlement.

Vol. 34, p. 233.