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## piques peak gold rush

A battle took place in which twenty-six natives died, sixty were wounded, and Downing's forces suffered one dead and one wounded. La Plata County, Colorado 1875 The information remained unused for the following decade, however, until it reached William Green Russell, a Georgian who had worked the California gold fields in the 1850s. Afterward, most Arapaho and Cheyenne were moved to a reservation in present-day Oklahoma.

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While that important discovery led to others in the area, some believe that the first silver discovery recorded in Colorado happened five years earlier during the Pikes Peak Gold Rush when veins of silver were discovered in the Central City-Idaho Springs district. Economic Effects Economically, a variety of gold rush-related industries supplanted traditional Native American activities. Earlier complaints that the expedition was almost worthless seemed to be confirmed by subsequent events.

## Pike's Peak Gold Rush in Colorado. Mining History.

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## Colorado Gold Rush

First, the treaties of 1851 and Fort Atkinson 1853 , signed by representatives of the United States and several Indigenous Nations of the , made the westward trails a bit safer for Anglo-American travelers.

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