The remains of the headframe of the Kelly Mine, at Kelly, New Mexico. Designed by French civil engineer Alexandre Gustave Eiffel of Eiffel Tower fame, and cast at the Carnegie Steel works at Passaic, New Jersey, it was erected in 1906. It stands over the Traylor Shaft, which reached a depth of 1,100 feet and served ten levels. Acquired by Empire Zinc Company in 1913, the mine was primarily a zinc and lead producer, yielding lesser amounts of copper, silver, and gold. It ceased commercial production in 1957. (Editor's photo.)



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