

Kansas photo of train going down 3rd track --
Reel #509

But the railroad eventually chose another route west.

Union Pacific poster - #507, 7:13:30

For a while, it looked as if the Union Pacific would come through Nicodemus.

Gardner train - #507, 7:13:30

But the Union Pacific also chose another route.

End of the track photo - Reel 509,

After negotiations with the railroads broke down, many of the town's most diehard supporters gave up hope and moved away. }?

It was the end of prosperity in Nicodemus.

AME Church - Reel #505, 5:03:57 or #509
9:03:40

Some folks took their buildings with them when they moved, loading them onto their wagons plank by plank and brick by brick. >

Bogue - reel 509,

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Merchants had no one to buy their goods, so they also headed for greener pastures.