

Coronado sets out to discover Quivira

This copy of a painting by Albert T. Reid depicts Francisco Vázquez de Coronado and his group of explorers on their search for the fabled city of Quivira. Coronado and his men were among the first of the European explorers to visit the plains. The goal of the early Spanish explorers was to discover riches north of Mexico. Coronado's 1541 expedition to discover gold in Quivira led him to the area that would later become Kansas.

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