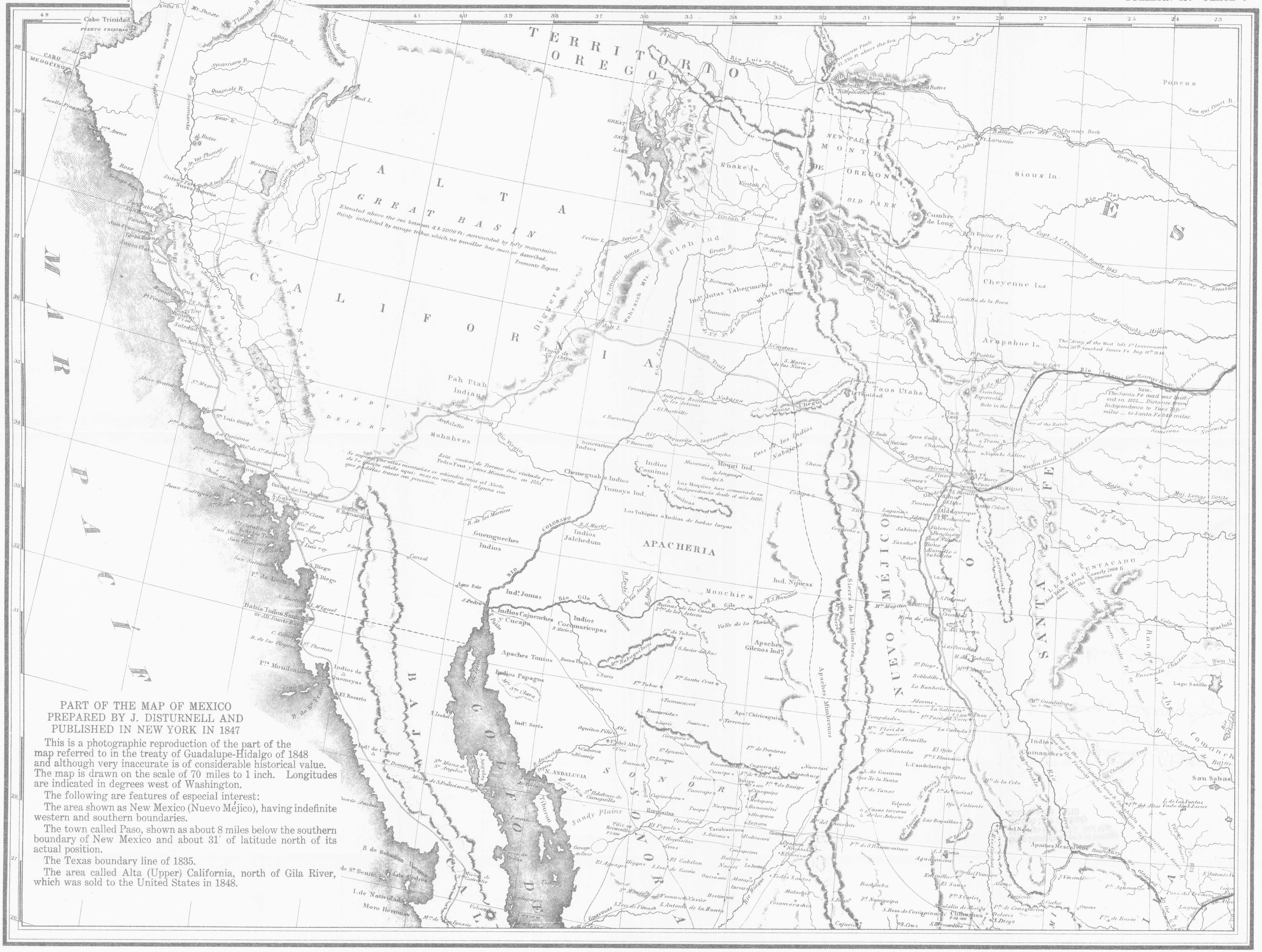

PART OF THE MAP OF MEXICO PREPARED BY J. DISTURNELL AND PUBLISHED IN NEW YORK IN 1847

This is a photographic reproduction of the part of the map referred to in the treaty of Guadalupe-Hidalgo of 1848 and although very inaccurate is of considerable historical value. The map is drawn on the scale of 70 miles to 1 inch. Longitudes are indicated in degrees west of Washington.

The following are features of especial interest:

The area shown as New Mexico (Nuevo Méjico), having indefinite western and southern boundaries.

The town called Paso, shown as about 8 miles below the southern boundary of New Mexico and about 31′ of latitude north of its actual position.

The Texas boundary line of 1835.

The area called Alta (Upper) California, north of Gila River, which was sold to the United States in 1848.