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The Boston Traveler says of the late Lt. Colonel Lewis, who was recently killed in an engagement with the Indians:

"Lieut. Col. Wm. H. Lewis, who was recently killed in an engagement with the Indians, was a native of Alabama, a graduate of West Point, and one of the few Southern men who remained true to the flag during the rebellion. From 1861 to 1865 he was stationed in New Mexico, and did not have the opportunity for gaining distinction enjoyed by many men who were his inferiors in soldierly qualities.