



Figure 5. 1912 Edition of the USGS “Chico Landing” 7.5’ Quadrangle, surveyed in 1904 and 1910; reprinted in 1931. Note how Mud Creek now joins Big Chico Creek upstream of its confluence with the Sacramento River. Rock Creek/Kusal Slough now flows south to join Mud Creek, as does Sandy Gulch, a stream that now flows through a single, straightened channel. The levee along the left bank of Big Chico Creek was constructed between 1904 and 1909, eliminating the distributary from this channel. The Hamilton Branch of the Northern Electric Railroad is visible running along the northern boundary of what is now the Singh parcel.