

BANC MSS C-A 1 — Provincial State Papers, Tomos I–II

Finding aid · 51 records · 1767–1780 · Archives of California: A Documentary Calendar of the Savage Transcripts

Provenance. Thomas Savage's 1876–77 copies (for H.H. Bancroft) of the Spanish- and Mexican-era government records of Alta California, made at the U.S. Surveyor-General's office; the originals burned in the 1906 San Francisco fire, leaving these transcripts the sole record. Manuscripts: Bancroft Library, University of California, Berkeley (BANC MSS C-A 1); digitized microfilm on the Internet Archive (168036075_79_3_2). This calendar is an independent, AI-assisted index with published error rates — verify any record against the manuscript scan before citing (searchable, with scan links: archivesofcalifornia.com). **Coverage:** Gap-sample + targeted reads: ~120 of 415 leaves; sparse leaf-grain entries.

Date	Doc	Record	Orig. p.	Scan
—	1	Title page: 'Provincial State Papers, Tom. I, 1767–1777. Savage 15'	i.1	n0
1767-11-03	2	Pay and wine rations for Compañía franca de Voluntarios de Cataluña, destined for Expedición de Sonora. Embarked from Cádiz in Fragata *Juno* and Urca *San Juan*. Signed...	i.2–5	n1
~1767–68	3	Instructions for receiving Nao de Filipinas at San José del Cabo. No one ashore unless sick. Vigilance, searching	i.~10	n10
1769-01-03	4	*San Carlos* supply manifest — 'Resúmen de lo embarcado': carne seca 187@, galleta 267@, maíz 160½ fanegas, arroz 37@, etc. 'Mil pesos en reales para una urgencia inopin...	i.21	n20
1769	5	Gálvez's Sacred Expedition instructions. Engineer Miguel Costanzó to direct works and reconnaissances. Correct charts, especially 'Piloto Cabrera Bueno que se tiene por ...	i.31–41	n30
~1769–70	6	Francisco Palou, Presidente de las Misiones, at Loreto. Mission organization, settler families, rations of maize (almud y medio per family)	i.51	n50
~1772–73	7	Transport difficulties — 300 leagues through gentile territory. Soldier discipline, supply loads	i.101	n100
1773-09-07	8	FAGES RELIEVED. Junta de Guerra y Hacienda confers command to Capt. Fernando de Rivera y Moncada. Fages to hand over, embark from SD to San Blas, march Catalan detachmen...	i.141	n140
1773-12-15	9	Recruiting troops for California. Open passport for volunteers from provinces of SD and Monterey. Ration distribution	i.141	n140
~1774	10	Instructions about 300 pesos salary. Use mine mules. Good relations with Padres. Baja California: 'naturales en estado de revolverse' (natives in revolt). 50+ mules expe...	i.~146	n145
~1774	11	San Borja (BC) — no mercury available. Dispute over Rivera's correspondence at Loreto — Governor asked to verify Rivera's handwriting. Threat to arrest someone	i.~149–150	n148
1774-03-24	12	Acknowledges receipt of despacho de Teniente (promotion to lieutenant). Will march with family. pp.355–6	i.150	n149
1775-03-28	13	TROOP DISTRIBUTION, San Diego. Between Presidio and Mission: Ten.te José Fran.co de Ortega, Sarg.to Mariano Carrillo, Cabo Mariano Verdugo. Soldiers: Juan Estevan Rocha,...	i.150–152	n149
1775-12-03	14	SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO FOUNDING (Nov 1, 1775, Día de Todos los Santos). Padre Amurrío with 11 soldiers. SD mission reestablished Oct 17 with 12-soldier escort. Soldiers wit...	i.152–153	n151
1774-10-03	15	Families arrived at SD presidio Sep 26. Anastasio Camacho arrested, irons, rations, no pay. Shortages. Translation of mission. 'Hombres militares'	i.155	n155
1774-08-20	16	Detained travelers' effects. Alférez Velazquez. Padre Miguel Sanchez. Viceroy's decree from Junta de Guerra, May 6. Governor Barry	i.160	n160
1775-03-__	17	Need for muleteers, warehouse, church, arsenal at SD. Arrieros Manuel Virján and Fran.co Bernel ordered from mission to construction. Bernel detained — must tend King's ...	i.165	n165

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1775-01-02	18	Acknowledges Rivera's takeover of Comandancia, May 25 [1774]. Fragata *Santiago* at Monterey. Report on presidios and missions pending. p.408	i.~408	n170
1775-01-02	19	ORDERS RECONNAISSANCE AND OCCUPATION OF PORT OF SAN FRANCISCO. Approves keeping 10 Catalan soldiers. Authorizes construction of warehouses	i.~408	n170
1775-76	20	SF FOUNDING ORDER: 'la expedición que ha de salir por tierra... el Teniente Coronel D.n Juan B.ta de Anza tiene por principal objeto la ocupación del Puerto de San Franc...	i.~413	n175
~1773-75	21	LAND GRANT to Manuel Butrón at Mission Carmel — 1,140 varas measured with Junípero Serra present, witnessed by Cabo Hermenegildo Sal and Ign.o Patrón. Authority from Buc...	i.~418	n180
~1775	22	10 volunteers under speaker's charge. Horses and mules — King's property, cannot be separated. Sarg.to Mariano Carrillo to escort Piloto-Almacén D.n Juan Soler	i.~423	n185
~1775	23	Instructions: Fr. Vicente de Mora (Presid.te). Discord in the Province. Articles 8-13 on Baja California establishments	i.~428	n190
~1776	24	Cabo and 9 soldiers sent to Lt. Juan Manuel de Ayala at SF. Gov. Neve ordered to report on events. pp.463-4	i.~463	n195
1776-01-20	25	SF reconnaissance, missions, and PRESIDIO WITH ARTILLERY upon Anza's arrival. Rivera decided to wait for Anza. Bucareli approves	i.~464	n195
1776-01-20	26	Presidio as 'custodia y resguardo.' Mules/horses to colonists for breeding. Serra's mission servant wages. Settler families ('familias pobladoras'). Junta decision confi...	i.~468-71	n198
1776-01-20	27	Distribution of 84 mulas from California [ship]. 44 to SD and Monterey presidios, rest to missions	i.~472-3	n199
1776-01-20	28	SUPPLY SHIPS FOR SF FOUNDING: Paquebots *Príncipe* 'debe pasar al Puerto de San Francisco con literas sobrantes... para auxiliar las familias que haya conducido por tier...	i.~474	n200
1776-01-20	29	3 boxes of avalorios (glass beads) from Comisario of San Blas. D.n Bruno Ezeta (Heceta) mentioned. Agriculture for self-sufficiency	i.~476-8	n201
1776-01-20	30	Settlers must be volunteers. Sailor Lorenzo Rosa denied embarkation (married). Animals distributed 'en calidad de reintegro' (loans)	i.~479-80	n203
1776-02-10	31	Good treatment of artisans coming to California	i.~480	n203
1776-01-20	32	Rivera to report everything. Growth of Alta California establishments. Baja California to supply Alta California	i.~483-5	n205
1776-07-20	33	Real Orden from José de Gálvez (Secretario de Indias): Presidio of Monterey NOT to be removed from 1769 site. Neve to reside at presidio. Rivera assigned separately	i.~486	n205
1776-10-25	34	Real de Santa Ana church funding. Miners and vecinos obligated to contribute to divine worship and construction	i.~497-8	n210
1776-10-23	35	Bando prohibiting discussion/dispute on certain topics. 2 copies	i.~499	n210
1776-10-23	36	COOK WARNING. RESERVADO. Royal Order from Gálvez: 'el Capitán Inglés Cook con destino á hacer nuevos descubrimientos' — 2 corvettes left London, likely heading for Pacif...	i.~509-10	n215
1775-76	37	SAN DIEGO ATTACK INVESTIGATION. Indigenous testimony via interpreter. Prisoner named Guapar (baptized, Christian name unknown) from rancharía Moctatí. Named attack leade...	—	n220
~1775	38	Pre-attack warning: Gentile came at night — 'yo te vengo á avisar que los gentiles de la Punta están enojados... han ido á convidar todos los gentiles de abajo, y toda l...	—	n225
1776-03-08	39	SF founding supply invoices. Paquebot *Príncipe*, Teniente de fragata Diego Choquet — \$3,900 for SD. 12 cajones panocha for SF via *San Carlos*. Paquebot *San Carlos*, T...	—	n235

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1774-07-__	40	RATION SCHEDULE. Weekly: single man 1 almud, married without children 2, with children 2½. Frijol: ½ almud per person. Meat: single 3½ lbs, married 4 lbs. Sargento signs...	ii.~239	n240
1774-07-25	41	José M.a Góngora partitioned King's storehouse (21 x 23 pies) — not enough room. Orders to vacate	ii.~244	n245
1774-07-06	42	Girl given 'en calidad de esclava' — María Yguera, mother of Teresa Iguera, delivered to Pedro y Gil. Padres including Fray Fran.co Dumence taking Teresa to Mission Carm...	ii.~244	n245
~1777	43	Monte Pío Militar regulations — widows' pensions, proper surnames, articles 7–9	ii.~259	n260
~1776	44	Baja California troop reports. Livestock at El Rosario. Alférez José Velasquez and Cabo López with 6 men moving livestock to SD. Servant José Duarte (tonsured) abandoned...	ii.~269	n270
~1776	45	Troop distribution: 6 at Santo Domingo, Alférez with 3 at El Rosario, 3 at San Fernando. 'Cada una es frontera' — each mission is a frontier. Need more escorts for new e...	ii.~279	n280
~1776	46	INDIGENOUS RESISTANCE: 'PP y soldados son demonios que han venido á perder su tierra; que desde que vinieron no llueve ni cojen semillas.' Also: they are 'diablos que ha...	ii.~289	n290
1777–78	47	End of indigenous rebellion investigation. Sarg.to Francisco Aguiar, prisoner soldier Juan de Duna. Ramón el Borjino knew of plot to kill padres. Pedro Puy and others co...	ii.~299	n300
1778-03-23	48	Bando prohibiting troops from selling arms, munitions to vecinos. p.58	ii.~58	n300
1779-12-27	49	Instructions on California frontiers. Grievances are 'imaginarios perjuicios.' Then: instructions for a captain	ii.~349	n350
1780-05-01	50	Deserter pardons: soldiers José Beltrán, Antonio Alegre, Francisco Villagomez, Franc.o M.a Ruiz, servants José Guerrero, Mariano Yepes. Deserted Aug 13, 1779. pp.499–80	ii.~399	n400
1780-08-25	51	ADMIRAL HUGHES INTELLIGENCE: Real Orden re British Admiral Hughes departing England for East Indies, March 1779. Anglo-Spanish War intelligence passed to California	ii.~399	n400