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Date	Doc	Record	Orig. p.	Scan
—	1	Title page — Provincial State Papers, Tomo XX, 1816–1822 (C-A 13)	—	n0
1816-01-21	2	Encloses printed *acta* of the Ayuntamiento affirming loyalty to the King per the Viceroy's *bando*; to distinguish loyal subjects from 'rebeldes y traidores'	xx.1	n1
1816-01-20	3	Supreme Council of War orders captains-general / governors / judges to visit the jails on the eve of the three Pascuas (Christmas, Pentecost, Easter). Printed	xx.5	n1
1816-06-25	4	Offers to watch & repel the *facciosos* (Buenos Aires insurgents) with armed force; reports the presidio's defense & munitions state; will use the San José militia; note...	ms.8	n2
1816-02-26	5	Printed salary-discount tariff (Treasury distress): 15%→20% retention scaled by salary (600 → 10,000+ pesos)	xx.14	n3
1816-02-14	6	'Subvención Temporal de Guerra' — war subvention taken as *créditos*; paid preferentially to troops; employees over \$300 pay ⅔	xx.19	n4
1816	7	On equity in paying employees across provinces given unequal revenues	xx.23–24	n4
1816-04-16	8	Approves the permit given to Kuskov (capt. of Russian schooner *Chirikov*) to put in at SF and barter goods for provisions — he carried the Bodega Russian-colony command...	xx.29–31	n5
1816-04-16	9	Acknowledges news of the Russian ship *Suvorov* (*Suwarow*) arrival & watering; same ship the RAC directors had loaded in 1813; orders to learn why it came	xx.32–33	n5
1816-04-25	10	Royal cédula: military *asignaciones* in the Indies paid preferentially to creditors/families — names the mother & widow of José García & Pedro García (Inf. Regt. captai...	xx.34–35	n6
1816-04-25	11	Royal order to prevent the extinction of transport mules & carts (*acémilas y carros*): seize only the indispensable number in troop passports	xx.37–38	n7
1816-04-25	12	Royal cédula reforming officer/chief uniforms (detailed hussar dress: sky-blue dolman, gold embroidery, shako)	xx.39–41	n7

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1816-04-26	13	Long royal order on military uniform/dress (spans 9 scans): all ranks & cadets must wear rigorous uniform/insignia/arms, penalties, mustache/beard rules by corps; reprod...	xx.39–57	n9
1816-04-25	14	Royal order extending the use of mustaches to the Royal Guards of Infantry & the Army (beyond the 20 Feb concession to Carabineros/cavalry/grenadiers)	xx.58	n18
1816-04-27	15	Royal order regulating which uniforms certain officers of various rank/arm may wear (Generals, Brigadiers, Coroneles, Real Cuerpo de Guardias)	xx.59–61	n18
1816-04-27	16	Royal order: army horses no longer marked by cutting the right ear (per 4 Feb 1776) but branded with regiment initials & number	xx.62–64	n19
1816-08-05	17	Declares the *avería* duty (6 per mil) on Mar del Sur seaborne goods belongs to the Consulado de Guadalajara; Consulado de México to collect 6 per mil	xx.67	n19
1816-08-08	18	Bando granting the faculty to arm *en corso* (privateering) against the insurgents (per royal order 16 Feb); copyist notes the bando is on folios 71–77, uncopiable (bad ...	xx.70	n20
1816-08-23	19	Bando of 2 royal orders (22 Nov 1813 & 18 Jan 1816): opening the Mar del Sur ports of Tonalá & Tapachula duty-free for 10 years for interim commerce	xx.78–80	n21
1816-08-24	20	The brigantine *San Carlos* (San Blas → Acapulco, provisions & powder) will carry the *memorias de efectos* on to California	xx.87–88	n22
1816-11-06	21	Denies Manuel Quijano's request for Armada rations for his wife & 2 daughters (San Blas → Peninsula transport), tied to a failed *permuta* with the surgeon José Benito	xx.?	n22
1816-11-21	22	Asks the Comandante general of Nueva Galicia to aid California with relief, given the scarcity among its inhabitants (province in penury)	xx.86–88	n22
1816-11-2?	23	Approves hospitality given to the American frigate *Sultan*, which arrived at SF bound for the Russian establishment — watered, took provisions + 2 cattle & vegetables; ...	xx.89–90	n23
1816-11-25	24	Approves aiding a Russian deserter from the Russian colony (gave him Armada ration)	xx.91–92	n24
1816-12-23	25	Superior Junta de RI Hacienda ends the salary discount (new tariffs); orders gradual reintegration; revives *pensiones de casa*, horse-riding licences, coach & forced-lo...	xx.93–94	n24
1816-11-29	26	Orders the seditious soldiers Ignacio Zúñiga, Ramón Rubio, José M ^a López & forzado Tomás Caneda freed but relocated to avoid bad example	xx.97–98	n25

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1816-12-05	27	Royal cédula announcing the marriages of the King & the Infante to the Infantas of Brazil (Madrid 22 Mar 1816); published at Monterey 22 Jun 1817 (Estudillo)	xx.100–102	n25
1816-10-21	28	Fort Ross reconnaissance: detailed report on the Russian establishment ~7 leagues N of Bodega — 130-vara square timber wall (~3 varas high) topped by a 6-point palisade,...	xx.104–108	n26
1816-11-23	29	Letter (in French): entered SF to resupply provisions & communicate with the Russian establishment; thanks the governor; requests orders to dispatch a courier quickly. S...	xx.106	n28
1816-10-23	30	Solá–Kotzebue–Kuskov conference at SF Presidio. Kotzebue (*Rurik*) mediates; Spain demands Kuskov withdraw from Ross (8 leagues N of Bodega, est. ~5 yrs by Baranov); Kus...	xx.109–110,117	n29
1816-10-28	31	Thanks & acknowledges receipt of 3 Russian deserters (Juan, Diego, Gregorio) from the RAC Bodega establishment; Cmdt. Luis Argüello sheltered/maintained them (one since ...	xx.118	n33
1816-11-02	32	Reports the *Rurik* sailed suddenly/'violently' from SF; John Elliot de Castro embarked the day before; no receipt obtained for Elliot	xx.118	n34
1818 (Δ 'Abril 5'/Nov)	33	Bouchard-raid prisoner deposition of Lt. William Taylor (Boston, 21): Bouchard's 2 ships, 235 crew, Monterey burned, 2 bronze guns taken, church spared, motive = refused...	xx.119–120	n34
1818 (Δ 'Oct 5'; really Dec)	34	Bouchard-raid prisoner deposition of Martín Romero (Paraguay, 18; tailor pressed into service aboard 'La Gentila'). Names 2nd ship 'La Liberty/Libertad' under the Americ...	xx.?	n36
Savage: '1818-02-08' (Δ)	35	Relación of the Buenos Aires ships off Callao — describes the siege/bombardment 23 Jan–3 Feb 1816 by 5 BA warships. Δ NOT Bouchard — this is the 1816 William (Guillermo)...	xx.?	n38
1816-02-08	36	Relato of the BA warships at Guayaquil (8–19 Feb): they capitulate and hand over prizes & prisoners to ransom their commander Guillermo (William) Brown. pp. 125–126	xx.?	n39
1816-04-09	37	Intendant reports on Alta Calif. habilitado accounts; fiscal asks to limit the annual subsidy to both Californias; Asesor approves — Viceroy to fix the amount	xx.127–129	n39
1816-07-15	38	Customs instruction for collecting duties on Jamaica→Panama→Acapulco/San Blas & southern N.E. ports; full tariff schedule (alcabala, convoy, war, *avería*, *vales reales...	xx.131–149	n40

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1816-12-15	39	Mexican independence war: Luis Quintanar reports to Brig. Pedro Celestino Negrete the surrender (11 Dec 1816) of the fort Cuitlatlán (alias San Miguel)	xx.149	n41
1816-02-29	40	Luis Argüello → Solá (omnibus): American schooner arrived w/ tools (requests axes); Sgt. Herrera to rejoin wife in N. Galicia; Fr. Ramón Abella proposes selling 200 miss...	xx.150–153	n41
1816-02-29	41	Luis Argüello → Solá: reports the escape of 18 imprisoned Indians and the measures taken to recapture them	xx.154–155	n42
1816 (no date/place)	42	'Asuntos para el Ayudante Inspector' — admin omnibus: Indian punishments reclaimed; *cimarrones* heading to S. Vicente; Goycochea's bid to use S. Luis Indians as paid f...	xx.156–158	n43
1816-02-29	43	Luis Argüello → Solá: works on the esplanade of Fort San Joaquín — 200 beams cut, 500–600 boards milled, merlons raised, lime/mortar in hand; provisional chapel finished...	xx.160–163	n44
1816-02-29	44	Luis Argüello → Solá: sends Alf. Gabriel Moraga to inspect the S. José / Sta. Clara / Sta. Cruz detachments (delayed by rains); can't file the presidio troop return beca...	xx.164–165	n45
1816-02-10	45	Luis Argüello → Gov.: the launch arrived 6 Feb 'muy maltratada de la quilla y fondo' (badly damaged keel & bottom), being repaired; 2 Indians in its charge to be sent on...	xx.166–167	n46
1820-10-23	46	Inventory of the San Diego Presidio Archive (handover Cmdt. Francisco M. ^a Ruiz → José M. ^a Estudillo, per Solá's order 29 Sep 1820). Legajo-by-legajo: governors' corresp....	xx.167–168	n46
1820-08-21 (compilation 1790–1820)	47	Viceroy Apodaca free-trade compilation (now COMPLETE, ends n54). A long bundle reproducing earlier royal orders granting duty-free privileges to merchant expeditions Cád...	xx.169–172	n48
1822-01-03	48	Comandante 'M.G.' → Cabo Martín Romero: acknowledges receipt of his *justificantes de revista*; asks for the general state of artillery, munitions & other *enseres*, and...	xx.173	n54
1822-01-10	49	Comandante 'M.G.' → Cabo Homobono Márquez: acknowledges *justificantes de revista*; re the departure of the frigate *Reyna*; to remit the general state of artillery & mu...	xx.173	n54
1822-01-10	50	Comandante 'M.G.' (= Manuel Gómez, Monterey artillery cmdt — see Doc 52) → Cabo Antonio M. ^a Ortega: remit general state of artillery & munitions; reports asking the Gove...	xx.174	n55

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1822-02-21	51	Comandante → Cabo Ortega: with Lent (*cuaresma*) approaching, make lists of the troop and the wives of married soldiers, and obtain certificates from the *R[everendo] P[...	xx.175	n55
1822-05	52	Circular recognizing Iturbide — Manuel Gómez (Monterey artillery cmdt) circulates to the artillery detachment corporals a chain of orders: Manuel Antonio de Torres Valdi...	xx.176	n55
1822-02-06 [?]	53	Comandante 'M.G.' → Cabo Méndez: discipline/economic/religious matters; received memorials & *justificantes*; approve the arrest the Governor imposed; with Lent begun, a...	xx.177	n57
1822-02-15	54	(Torres [?]) → Cabo Méndez: disapproves of soldiers sending memorials directly to the Governor; recommends supervising the plaza laborers Francisco Pacheco & Juan Acosta	xx.178	n57
1822-05-28	55	Manuel Gómez → detachment chiefs (circular): on receipt, form the troop and have them recognize Manuel Antonio/M. ^a Torres de Valdivia as general chief of the imperial ar...	xx.179	n58
1822-05-28	56	Comandante 'M.G.' → Cabo Méndez: routine service; return Aguilar's memorial (came in anonymous); received *justificantes de revista*	xx.179	n58
1822-07-30	57	Comandante 'M.G.' → detachment corporals (circular): henceforth deal for supply with Subteniente Ramírez, as he (Gómez) marches to Mexico; give notice to the Mexican emp...	xx.180	n59
1822-01-09 [△ body cites *oficio* 23 Sep 1824]	58	Marriage-licence request of artillery militiaman Bruno Bernal; granted by Comandante Gómez. △ header 'Enero 9 de 1822' but body references an *oficio* of 23 Sep 1824 — S...	xx.180	n59
1822-07-03	59	Comandante 'M.G.' → Cabo Antonio M. ^a Ortega: acknowledges receipt of the state of artillery & munitions	xx.181	n59
1822-07-06	60	Manuel Gómez → Homobono Méndez [Márquez?]: the American frigate 'Jáchem' [*Sachem*?] carries/delivers a 4-pounder cannon (*pieza de a 4*) to that detachment	xx.182	n60
1822-07-03 & 08	61	Manuel Gómez announces his departure for Mexico to join the imperial corps of that country, substituted by Subteniente Don José Ramírez	xx.183	n60
1822-08-02	62	Manuel Gómez → Cabo Antonio M. ^a Ortega: sends a list of munitions & *pertrechos* carried by the bergantín 'Juan B[autista]'; notes the workmen (*obreros*) sent from Mexi...	xx.184	n60

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1819-10-28	63	Conde del Venadito (Viceroy) → Gov. Alta Calif.: congratulates on the order/*policia* established among the Indians; orders thanks given in the King's name to the missio...	xx.~187	n61
1819-10-28	64	Conde del Venadito → Gov.: orders a *sumaria* on the four Buenos Aires insurgent deserters who crossed over (with arms) to the Californians at San Juan Capistrano, Oct/N...	xx.189–190	n62
1819-12-11	65	Conde del Venadito → Gov. Solá: instructions on the war matériel, provisions & 200 troops sent to Calif. aboard the fragata 'Reina,' King's brigantine 'San Carlos,' brig...	xx.192–197	n62
1819-01-20 (re 24 Nov 1818)	66	Conde del Venadito → Gov. Solá: emergency response to the Bouchard seizure of Monterey. Has learned — via San Blas, from Don Manuel Varela[?], captain of the private bri...	xx.198–203	n66
1819-03-22	67	Conde del Venadito → Gov. Calif.: war demands — the invasion of the traitor Mina, the gathering of *facciosos* at Galveston, and the Kingdom's rebels — had prevented tim...	xx.204–205	n68
1819-03-20	68	Conde del Venadito → Gov. Calif.: war-matériel shipments — orders José de la Cruz to send 4 field-pieces (cal. 4) w/ munitions & powder, the 400 carbines if possible, 3 ...	xx.206–207	n68
1819-03-22	69	Conde del Venadito → Solá — the COLONEL-PROMOTION letter (= expanded Document 3 below; its page cite is corrected here from i.192–197). Acknowledges Solá's reports n ^o 17...	xx.210–216 & 244–249 (en duplicado)	n70
1819-10-28	70	Conde del Venadito → Gov. Alta Calif.: on the funds situation — strict orders to the intendant of Guadalajara; the Sonora treasuries can make no *ministración*; no carbi...	xx.217–220	n72
1819-10-19	71	Conde del Venadito → Gov. Calif.: on the shortage of farming tools in those districts; denies permission for the inhabitants to trade with the Russian colony [Fort Ross]...	xx.221–222	n73
1819-10-28	72	Conde del Venadito → Gov. Alta Calif.: forwards the order pressing the intendant of Guadalajara to send, at first opportunity, all or part of Alta California's *haberess*...	xx.223–226	n73
1819-10-28	73	Conde del Venadito → Gov. Alta Calif.: the brig 'San Carlos' & frigate 'Reyna' left San Blas (8 Jun) w/ troops, artillery, arms, munitions & park-effects for the peninsu...	xx.227–229	n74
1819-12-14	74	Conde del Venadito → Gov. Alta Calif.: transcribes the R.O. on the Russian government's request that the ships of its expedition to both Poles be well received & aided; ...	xx.230–233	n74

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1819-03-22	75	Conde del Venadito → Gov. A. Cal.: transcribes the order pressing the Guadalajara intendant to relieve Alta California; recommends *ministrar* the greatest amount possib...	xx.250–252	n75
1819-03-22	76	Conde del Venadito → Gov. Alta Calif.: the excesses the Indians committed during the insurgent [Bouchard] frigates' attack — robbing and deserting to the woods — show th...	xx.255–256	n75
1819-10-28	77	Conde del Venadito → Gov. Solá: encloses duplicate of the promotion despatches for Solá, Gómez & Estrada (in case the first were lost); supposes the troop/matériel ships...	xx.274–276	n76
1819-10-12	78	Conde del Venadito → Gov. Alta Calif.: on the uprising of the 'indios del Colorado' at San Buenaventura; approves the measures taken to punish them; thanks in the King's...	xx.277–279	n77
1819-07-23	79	Conde del Venadito → Gov. Solá: repeats notice that various ships are coming to his aid; recommends care to conserve everything	xx.280–281	n77
1819-05-22	80	Conde del Venadito → Gov. Solá: duplicate of the order at folios 250–252 (= Doc 75)	xx.282–284	n78
1819-08-10	81	Conde del Venadito → Gov. Alta Calif.: orders the Guadalajara Intendancy to reimburse the presidio of San Francisco the 2,153 pesos 6 it advanced as *socorro de armada* ...	xx.288–289	n78
1819-07-24	82	Conde del Venadito → Gov. Calif.: will send invalid tradesmen (blacksmith, carpenter, tanner) when available (none now); the Orizaba religious (missionaries) will go soo...	xx.290–293	n78
1819-04-26	83	Conde del Venadito → Gov. Solá: order to the intendant of Sonora to provide relief to Baja California, while the intendant of Guadalajara is charged with provisioning Al...	xx.294–297	n80
1819-03-30	84	Gov. Solá → the mission fathers (circular): watch for the relief ships the Viceroy is sending — keep lookouts (*vigías*) and a *cayuco* ready to assist; ships sighted Sa...	xx.298–299	n81
1819-07-13	85	Pedro del Corral → Gov. Alta Calif.: by order of Gral Cmdt. Alejo García Conde, the brig 'Cosak' sailed carrying 100 men under Capt. Pablo de la Portilla, 10,000 pesos, ...	xx.300–301 & 304–305	n81
1819-07-13	86	Estado de fuerza of the Mazatlán-squadron detachment to Alta Calif. aboard the 'Cosak' under Capt. Pablo de la Portilla: 1 capt., 2 lts., 2 alféreces, 2 sgts., 2 drummer...	xx.302–303	n82

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1819	87	[Header on unread page i.306–307] — tail of an expedition-dispatch packet: encloses war-matériel docs (nos. 1–3) and copies of the *instrucciones* given to the expeditio...	xx.308–310	n83
1819-04-26	88	Eduardo García → Gov. Alta Calif.: establishing a mail-boat (buque-correo) between Mazatlán and the Californias — inserts brigadier Antonio Cordero's order (18 Mar) for ...	xx.311–313	n83
1819-12-02	89	Alejo García Conde → Gov. Alta Calif.: cannot send the funds Solá requested (will inform the Viceroy); notes the 'Cosak' reached the San Luis roadstead with troops & mun...	xx.314–316	n84
1819-10-18	90	Alejo García Conde → Gov. Alta Calif.: learned from the Gov. of Baja California that the brig 'Cosak' continued its navigation toward San Luis	xx.317–318	n84
1819-08-06	91	Ignacio Morales → Gov. Alta Calif.: the 'Cosak' arrived at the port of San Luis at 9 PM; requests 2,000 pesos to pay the ship's crew (*dotación*); asks the town magistra...	xx.~319	n85
1819-08-06	92	Pablo de la Portilla → Gov. Solá: the 'Cosak' anchored after 23 days from Mazatlán with his 100 men; not the contracted port, but advanced season and 'la decadencia de t...	xx.322–323	n85
1819-03-18	93	Antonio Cordero → Gov. Alta Calif.: the Viceroy ordered him to aid Solá against the Buenos Aires insurgents [Bouchard] who attacked Monterey; not knowing the state of ho...	xx.324–325	n86
1819-04-05	94	Francisco M. ^a Ruiz → Gov. Alta Calif.: acknowledges the invasion communications; has gathered the presidio troop, replaced the escorts with invalids as ordered, and has ...	xx.328–330	n86
1819-04-06	95	José de la Guerra y Noriega → Gov. Solá (long): defends Santiago Argüello against the San Juan Capistrano fathers' complaint that, during the Bouchard invasion alarm, th...	xx.331–334 (& 332, 333/334 dup.)	n87
1819-04-07	96	Santiago Argüello → Gov. Solá (long rebuttal): answers the San Juan Capistrano fathers' charges over goods lost from the mission *bodega* during their flight at the insu...	xx.355–357	n90
1819-08-14	97	Gov. Solá → the commandants of the Monterey & San Francisco presidios: 3 ships sighted on the coast — could be the awaited reinforcement ships, or pirates; stay vigilant...	xx.~358	n92
1816-09-28	98	José de la Cruz → Gov. Solá: received the recommendation letter for Antonio Vicente Tinta[?] Salvador; will do what he can for him	xx.360	n93

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1816-02-07	99	José de la Cruz → Gov. Solá: re the dispatch to the Viceroy of the Russian prisoners Juan (John) Elliot de Castro and Boris Tarasov, captured near Santa Bárbara at the E...	xx.361–362	n93
1816-04-16	100	José de la Cruz → Gov. Solá: encloses testimony of the Real Hacienda resolution on the *libranzas* (drafts) drawn by the presidial-company *habilitados* and endorsed by ...	xx.363	n94
1816-04-24	101	José de la Cruz → Gov. Alta Calif.: forwards the decree on the capture of the Anglo-American corvette 'Mercurio' by the Spanish frigate 'La Flora.' Not treated as a *cor...	xx.364–? (R.O. of Calleja, México 24 Apr 1814)	n94
1814-04-24	102	Calleja → Gov. Alta Calif.: closing of the 'Mercurio' *comiso* — care that Ayres not be molested in person, family or property. Copyist note: this is a mis-placed duplic...	xx.366–367 & 371–372	n96
1790-10-25 (copied 1814-04-15)	103	Reserved instructions (Conde de Floridablanca) accompanying the NOOTKA CONVENTION of 1790 with England. Orders the Viceroy to ensure British subjects 'no se excedan de s...	xx.368–369	n97
1802-08-10 (copied 1814-04-15)	104	R.O. of 10 Aug 1802 (Pedro Cevallos). Foreign vessels in the Mar del Sur that 'so color de la pesca de la Ballena hacen un crecido contrabando' along Spanish Pacific coa...	xx.370	n99
1816-02-16	105	José de la Cruz → Gov. Solá: thanks for congratulations on the Gran Cruz conferred on him; denies the rumor he'll be promoted to Viceroy ('in these times best to have a ...	xx.374–375	n100
1816-04-14	106	Joaquín Avalía[?] → Pedro Santander: gives details about the Buenos Aires insurgent (naval) expedition [in the Pacific — Brown 1816]	xx.378–379	n101
1816-02-26	107	Relación by Don Tomás Fernández del Castillo of the insurgent expeditionaries' misdeeds at Callao and Guayaquil & other events of the B. Aires expedition	xx.380–381	n101
1816-04-25	108	José Ramón de Menchaca: relates how, sailing from Cádiz bound for Lima aboard the frigate 'Consecuencia,' the Buenos Aires insurgents captured them and marooned them on ...	xx.382–383	n102
1816	109	Relación of the arrival & situation of the Montevideo corsairs — their arrival at Callao & related events	xx.334–335	n102
1816-06-21	110	Luis Argüello → Gov. Alta Calif.: Alf. Gabriel Moraga setting out with force to attack the apostate Indians at the ranchería/pueblo of 'Malmi' (Sta Cruz mission jurisdic...	xx.386–388	n103
1816-06-30	111	Luis Argüello → Gov. Solá: 🌟 the surprise on the apostate Christians of Malmi failed — they were no longer there; service-personnel details; if the B. Aires pirates appr...	xx.389–391	n103

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1816-05-27	112	José de la Guerra y Noriega → Gov. Calif.: clarifies the presidio accounts in the diezmos (tithes) branch — the 1,474 pesos collected in 1807; Salvino/Santiago Pico[?] n...	xx.392–393	n104
1816-06-26	113	José de la Guerra y Noriega → Gov. Solá: measures to prevent a surprise by the B. Aires expedition — the 2 cannon he has are useless, the militia artillerymen inept ('ni...	xx.394–403	n104
1816-11-06	114	Gov. Pablo Vicente Solá → the Pueblo Commissioners: orders immediate construction of a cart-road (*camino carretero*) from Monterey to the pueblo of San José with all ne...	xx.404–406	n105
1816-04-17	115	Luis Argüello → Gov. Alta Calif.: sends sealing-wax (*lacre*)	xx.408	n106
1816-05-10	116	José de la Guerra y Noriega: 'varios asuntos de ningún interés' (Savage's note)	xx.409–411	n106
1816-06-25	117	José de la Guerra y Noriega → Gov. Solá: consults whether to admit into the presidio several Kodiak (*Codiaque*) Indians who had been on the [Channel] islands since the ...	xx.412–417	n106
1816-06-12	118	Guerra y Noriega → Gov. Solá: requests the discharge/licence of D. Olivera & Francisco Flores	xx.418–419	n107
1816-07-20	119	Guerra → Gov. Solá: forwards 5 boxes of powder sent from San Diego	xx.422	n107
1816-07-19	120	Guerra → Gov. Solá: that the residents of the Rancho de los Nietos stand guard at San Pedro, though that rancho lies in San Diego jurisdiction	xx.424–425	n107
1816-06-29	121	Guerra y Noriega → Gov. Solá: knows nothing of the theft of otters (*nutrias*); the Kodiak Indians are numerous — good to baptize them and employ them as servants (reque...	xx.426–427	n108
1816-08	122	The Indian woman captured on the 'Mercurio' with Capt. [George] Ayres and their daughter: María Antonia de la Ascensión Stuard sailed as Ayres's woman 4 years; they had ...	xx.437	n108
1816-07-07	123	Guerra y Noriega → Gov. Solá: a ship's arrival reported at San Luis — sent Sgt. Carrillo with 8 soldiers to investigate its movements; Fr. Ripoll ordered the first piece...	xx.438–440	n109
1816-07-09	124	Guerra y Noriega → Gov. Alta Calif.: the San Diego commandant did not request the militiamen (as regular) — he commissioned them himself; left with only 8 soldiers; forw...	xx.441–443	n109
1816-07-06	125	Guerra y Noriega → Gov. Solá: reports the vicious & scandalous conduct of Alférez Joaquín Maytorena and his latest abuses; has arrested him pending the Governor's decisi...	xx.444–447	n110

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1816-07-06	126	Guerra y Noriega → Gov. Solá: has sent for the 3 cannons from San Buenaventura, the two 2-pdrs from Santa Inés & Purísima — which have no shot (*bala*); the added artill...	xx.448–451 & 456	n111
1816-07-06	127	Estado of men fit to bear arms in the Santa Bárbara jurisdiction (excl. the artillery militia, sent to San Diego), by class & residence: Pueblo de Los Ángeles (4 sgts, 1...	xx.452–455	n111
1816-06-12	128	Guerra y Noriega → Gov. Solá: re the 1,474 pesos of the 1807 tithe (*diezmo*) charged to habilitado Argüello but never entered; argues tithes are due 5 yrs after a busin...	xx.458–461	n113
1816-04-04	129	Guerra y Noriega → Gov. Calif.: sends a list of the jurisdiction's ranchos with the wines & brandies (*vinos y aguardientes*) harvested the prior year and tithes paid, +...	xx.462–463	n114
1816-04-14	130	Santiago Argüello: account of supplies furnished to the American prisoners of the frigate 'Albatross' from 18 Jan to 16 Mar; total 27 pesos 5 granos	xx.467	n114
1816-04-17	131	Guerra y Noriega → Gov. Solá: has suspended the cutting of timber (*corte de maderas*)	xx.468–470	n115
1816-05-10	132	Guerra y Noriega → Gov. Solá: encloses the service record (*hoja de servicios*) of Sergeant Guillermo Cota	xx.474–476	n115
1816-04-17	133	Guerra y Noriega → Gov. Solá: received, via the schooner 'Lidia,' the 5 Indians who killed Father [Andrés] Quintana [the 1812 murder at Mission Santa Cruz], sent to aton...	xx.470–471	n116
1816-05-18	134	Guerra y Noriega → Gov. Solá: the 'Lidia' arrived (15th) with the prisoners & escort; nothing charged to its captain for relief; ☆ the captain of the 'Albatross,' Guille...	xx.480–483	n116
1816-01-01	135	Gabriel Moraga → Gov. Solá: encloses his service record (*hoja de servicios*) from 1784	xx.484–488	n117
1816-07-06	136	Juan María Ruiz → Gov. Solá: defense report — taking all measures vs. a surprise; abundant matériel & munitions but lacks cloth & paper to make the castle & musket cartr...	xx.489–490 & 492–493	n117
1816-07-10	137	Arms roster of the San Diego presidio — arms held by invalids, vecinos & the warehouse (*almacén*): 5 soldiers/sgts, scant pistols/muskets; warehouse 94 [muskets?] / 16 ...	xx.491	n118
1816-12-30	138	Guerra y Noriega → Gov. Solá: argues against drawing the *situados* from Guadalajara rather than Mexico City — Guadalajara's goods are inferior to Puebla's, the troops b...	xx.496–498	n118
1816-10-04	139	Apodaca → Gov. Alta Calif.: royal order that henceforth Subinspectors, not Colonels, appoint the sergeants of their corps	xx.500	n119

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1816-10-10	140	Apodaca → Gov. Solá: encloses the royal order granting a pay increase to the army of New Spain & the Indies	xx.501–504	n120
1816-09-13	141	Calleja → Gov. Calif.: encloses the printed decree/*bando* prohibiting under severe penalties the export of silver & bullion (*plata y pasta*) from New Spain	xx.506–508	n120
1816-09-20	142	Apodaca → Gov. Alta Calif.: printed circular announcing he has taken possession as Viceroy, Governor & Captain-General of New Spain, President of the Audiencia & Superin...	xx.509	n121
1816-05-01	143	Calleja → Gov. Alta Calif.: acknowledges the arrival & departure of the English schooner 'Columbia,' which came to gather provisions	xx.511	n121
1816-05-04	144	Calleja → Gov. Calif.: *bando* of the R.O. by which the King (on his saint's day) grants liberty to all imprisoned officers & soldiers whose cases do not carry the death...	xx.513–515	n122
1816-03-28	145	Calleja → Gov. Alta Calif.: encloses the statutes of the Royal American Order of Isabel la Católica (follow in a notebook)	xx.516–534	n122
1816-05-29	146	Calleja → Gov. Alta Calif.: the 2% agency fee granted to presidio *habilitados* is for collecting/distributing funds; since the San Diego captain [Ruiz?] was in México n...	xx.335–337	n123
1816-11-30	147	Luis Argüello → Gov. Solá: received the 3 cannons with their 300 rounds, to be mounted at Fort San Joaquín; the merlons nearing completion, [delayed] by the absence of S...	xx.539–540 & 550–551	n123
1816-11-15	148	Francisco M. ^a Ruiz → Gov. Solá: encloses a list of the artillery militiamen who served at San Diego, 8 Jul–24 Oct; judging them trained, sent them home to stay ready; wi...	xx.552–553	n124
1816-07-12	149	Calleja → Gov. Solá: *bando* prohibiting the commerce carried on from Panama with New Spain through the Mar del Sur (Pacific) ports, + the Santa Cruz lateral-coast arran...	xx.554	n124
1816-07-13	150	Calleja → Gov. Solá: grants military pension (*Montepío militar*) to Doña Tomasa Lugo, widow of Don Raimundo Carrillo, former captain of the San Diego presidio; legal re...	xx.535–537	n125
1816-07-28	151	Calleja → Gov. Alta Calif.: acknowledges the American schooner 'Lidia' arriving at the Ensenada del Refugio for provisions (given free, great need) and its donation to t...	xx.558–559	n125

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1816-04-23	152	Testament of José Marcelino Bravo (will dated Jan 1786): leaves 25 head of cattle to Mission Santa Cruz and as many to Mission San Juan; Gov. Solá settles the heirs disp...	xx.560–561	n126
1816-07-15	153	Calleja → Gov. Solá: per the anti-Panama-commerce bando, report how many ships arrived by that route, with duties/details to gauge the trade's magnitude, and the names o...	xx.563–565	n126
1816-08-26	154	Gov. Solá → the presidio commandants: orders the formation of a register of cattle brands & marks (*fierros y señales*) of California's stock-raisers — a book of brands ...	xx.579–580	n127
1816-12-31	155	Pedro Negrete → Gov. Solá: laments his tallow-buying venture (*empresa de sebos*) in Alta California — 'maldita sea'; the 10,000 pesos he spent are lost; the California ...	xx.582–584	n127
1816-01-30	156	Pedro Negrete → Gov. Solá: announces arrival at San Blas; a glowing apologia of Francisco M. ^a Ruiz — 'un riesgo americano de aquellos muy pocos que se conocen en la Amér...	xx.586–587	n128
1816-05-31	157	Ignacio Tenorio → Gov. Calif.: that he is setting out (*en marcha*)	xx.589	n128
1816-05-08	158	José M. ^a Ruiz → Gov. Solá: that a prisoner's shackles (*grillos*) be removed and he be moved to a room by the guard while he recovers — he is very ill	xx.590–592	n129
1816-10-10	159	Fray Josef de Solá → Gov. Solá: begs relief; says he is at the hospice of Bidaurreta in the Vicariate (work against his temperament), hopes for the governor's charity. S...	xx.573–576	n129
1816-07-09	160	Francisco Ávila → Gov. Solá: asks an order to find a mule he gave Pedro Guzmán to break, which Guzmán improperly sold; if found, retain it until he sends for it	xx.597–599	n129
1816-12-10	161	José de la Cruz → Gov. Solá: reports Apodaca took possession of the Viceroyalty 20 Sep; the surrender of the Laguna de Chapala insurgent stronghold after his campaign; n...	xx.600–601	n130
1816-11-06	162	Alejandro Arana → Gov. Solá: (most of the letter 'carece de interés') postscript — Guadalajara is to supply California since Mexico City cannot; the Superintendency orde...	xx.604–605	n130
1816-11-05	163	Silvestre Madariaga → Gov. Solá: the San Blas naval cmdt., given the hemp (*cáñamo*) scarcity in the Arsenal, preferred that cargo over Solá's others — to be moved to Sa...	xx.608–609 & 614–615	n131

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1816-08-09	164	José de Vidaurre → Gov. Alta Calif.: encloses a list of war matériel (*pertrechos*) carried by the brig 'San Carlos' (Capt. Madrazo); the ship to take on at Acapulco the...	xx.610–611	n132
1816-08-17	165	Relación of war matériel sent to Alta California on the warship 'San Carlos' (cmdr. Tte. de fragata Silvestre Madrazo): 20,000 musket cartridges + 20,000 loose balls (16...	xx.612–613	n132
1816-04-30	166	Gov. Solá → the presidio commandants (circular): the Emperor of Russia notified that the ship 'Rurik,' Capt. Kotzebue, would sail on a scientific expedition — aid & atte...	xx.616–617	n133
1816-05-31	167	Luis Argüello → Gov. Solá: the San Joaquín esplanade nearly finished — only needs 3,600 nine-inch nails; the corral for the King's cattle finished at 'Las Pulgas,' a hou...	xx.620–622	n134
1816-04-15	168	Luis Argüello → Gov. Solá: urgent need of iron/nails for the esplanade (~12 arrobas, works halted); the 600 head of the King's cattle are at Mission San Juan Bautista (p...	xx.623–626	n134
1816-05-31	169	Luis Argüello → Gov. Solá: the King's cattle now at Las Pulgas — asks whether to ear-mark them as royal (so missions need a distinct mark); needs tar/pitch for the espla...	xx.628–630	n135
1816-10-02	170	Luis Argüello → Gov. Solá: report of the *Rurik*'s arrival at SF Bay at 7:15 PM, 2 Oct 1816 — Russian ship, 200 tons, 40 crew incl. officers, Cmdt. Kotzebue (the one cit...	xx.~631	n136
1815-09-16 (copied SF 1816-10-02)	171	Spanish passport/safe-conduct for the *Rurik*, issued by Don Carlos Gutiérrez de los Ríos, Conde de Fernán Núñez, duque de Montellano (Spanish ambassador in London, *sig...	xx.~631	n137
1815-06-27 (copied SF 1816-10-02)	172	The royal order behind the *Rurik* hospitality (Lardizábal, Madrid 27 Jun 1815): Spanish authorities in both Americas to receive & assist the *Rurik* (Kotzebue) on its r...	xx.631	n139
1817-11-06	173	Gervasio Argüello → Gov. Solá: the Californias *expediente* is in the same state as last month, scarcity increasing daily; encloses the printed account of [Francisco Xav...	xx.632–634	n140
(no date)	174	(undated, unsigned) recommends the son of the Governor of Baja California, who wishes a military career, under the general's auspices. (Copyist: lacks date/place/address...	xx.635–636	n141
1817-06-28	175	Fray Juan Martín → Gov. Calif.: asks to borrow the architecture book 'Vitruvius' ('Vitrubio') to consult for the church construction at the mission	xx.657	n141

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1817-05-02	176	Ramón de Murcia → Gov. Solá: the habilitado Gervasio Argüello (2 months there seeking funds) will credit Solá's account once paid from the Real Cajas; the general [José ...	xx.637–640	n142
1817-05-24	177	José Cadenas → Gov. Solá: recommends the captain of the corvette 'Francia' [= the French corvette, Roquefeuil's *Bordelais*] sailing that day for the Northwest Coast; in...	xx.641	n142
1817	178	Duplicate of the previous (Cadenas) with an added paragraph: asks Solá to forward the enclosed *pliego* to Fr. Ripoll; the carrying ship is an expedition projected by se...	xx.642	n143
1817-05-24	179	José Cadenas → Gov. Solá: recommends Don Camille de Roquefeuil, captain of the French corvette [*Bordelais*], who reached Lima seeking provisions and is sailing for the ...	xx.643–644	n144
1817-03-24	180	Antonio McCallum[?] → Gov. Solá: arrived safely at the presidio, at his orders, will continue to San Blas	xx.646	n144
1817-05-12	181	José de Ortega → Gov. Solá: sends some olives in caper sauce (*aceitunas en salsa de alcaparras*)	xx.647	n144
1817-07-30	182	Fray Felipe Arroyo de la Cuesta → Gov. Solá: coastal-concealment policy — brought the *cayuco* into the mission (using it indoors to dye wool) so foreigners can't learn ...	xx.650–651	n145
1817-01-08	183	Guadalupe Briones → Gov. Solá: asks relief from the back-pay (*alcances*) her deceased father left at this habilitación — she is very needy with four children to support	xx.652	n146
1817-06-04	184	Gov. Solá → José de la Cruz (long, emotional): congratulates him on the rumored Viceroyalty and the surrender of 'the Island' [Mezcala/Chapala] (pardon to Vargas & Salga...	xx.654–655	n146
1817-11-04	185	Antonio Abruna[?] → Gov. Solá: viceregal politics; petitioned the new Viceroy to free him from Calleja's investigation; Noriega's promotion to Captain favorably dispatch...	xx.656–662	n150
1817-02-26	186	Antonio Abruna[?] → Gov. Solá: on the Kingdom's politics & the war; urges Solá to keep an effective agent in Mexico to push California's many pending matters; warns agai...	xx.663–666 & 667–668	n151
1817-01-01	187	Joaquín Mondragón → Gov. Solá: relates the latest political/war news in New Spain	xx.669–670	n151
1817-04-15	188	Joaquín Mondragón → Gov. Solá: various news on the Kingdom's political events & figures	xx.671–674	n152

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1817-12-03	189	Fermín de Genoa y Aguirre[?] → Gov. Solá: the San Luis fathers have no cause to complain (unanswered letters); relays a supply-merchant's terms for clothing the troops —...	xx.675–681	n152
1817-08-26	190	Fermín de Yenza y Aguirre[?] → Gov. Solá: on the new tithe/duty on tallow (*sebo*) & import duties — agrees to pay the two import duties to equip the troops, has served ...	xx.675–689	n153
1817 (no date/place, prob. México)	191	Humara → Gov. Solá: approved the governor's *propuestas* (appointments) on arrival; will use his influence for California; sends 60 reams of paper; the Viceroy approved ...	xx.690–691	n155
1817-08-26	192	Juan María Lugo → Gov. Solá: on a share of the estate of the late Juan José Domínguez [grantee of Rancho San Pedro, the 1784 first CA land grant], being divided among hi...	xx.692–693	n156
1817-05-05	193	[Santiago/James Smith] Wilcocks → Gov. Alta Calif.: arrived; delivered blankets (*mantas*) & other goods to the commandant; thanks Solá for the kind treatment at Monterey...	xx.694–697	n156
1817-06-14	194	Wilcocks → Gov. Solá: thanks for the provisions; won't go to Santa Bárbara so soon; sails that night for San Luis Obispo, will explain why there	xx.698–699	n157
1817-07-30	195	Wilcocks → Gov. Solá: regrets Solá's refusal of an overland meeting; has 'new ideas,' wishes to meet at San Gabriel once his schooner is repaired; asks confidential leav...	xx.700–702	n157
1817	196	Solá → Wilcocks: grants the interview & permission to see the Father President; they will meet at San Diego	xx.701–702	n158
1817-06-30	197	Wilcocks → Gov. Alta Calif.: re carrying maize & beans from Santa Cruz to Monterey (per 'Don Mariano'); sent the schooner; the wool (*lana*) hasn't arrived; resolved to ...	xx.704–706	n158
1817	198	Wilcocks → Gov. Solá: timber cargo — will start loading next day, sail Sunday to Sta Bárbara, then go overland via San Buenaventura / San Fernando / San Gabriel to meet ...	xx.707–708	n159
1817-07-27	199	Solá → Wilcocks: thanks him for loading timber for Sta Bárbara, but cannot grant permission to meet overland at San Buenaventura/San Gabriel — he leaves for San Diego to...	xx.709	n159
1817-07-12	200	Wilcocks → Gov. Solá: won't leave Monterey until 1 Aug (the timber must be cut); so will meet Solá at San Diego instead	xx.710–711	n160

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1817-06-11	201	Wilcocks → Gov. Solá: voyage narrative — broke rigging on the mainmast, put into San Quintín to repair; watered at San José del Cabo, then Loreto (delivered provisions, ...	xx.712–715	n160
1817-06-13	202	Solá → Wilcocks (borrador): denies license to buy otters (*nutrias*); can get provisions at Santa Cruz; they will meet at Santa Bárbara	xx.715	n161
1817-12-12	203	Santiago Smith Wilcocks → Gov. Solá: his schooner was seized & he is a prisoner at Guaymas; 'el malvado Ramírez' robbed a large part of his cargo to condemn the ship 'by...	xx.~716	n162
1817-12-08	204	Santiago Smith Wilcocks → Gov. Antonio Cordero: announces his arrival at Guaymas (29th) on the *balandra* 'Nuestra Señora del Rosario,' his ship having been seized at Gu...	xx.?	n164
1817-12-08	205	Santiago Smith Wilcocks → Gov. Cordero (2nd): Cmdt. Noriega won't let him leave for Tepic/Mexico without Cordero's licence; wants to plead before the Viceroy over the se...	xx.?	n164
1817	206	Wilcocks's 'historia exacta' (autobiographical voyage account, for Cordero/the Viceroy): bought the schooner in China, sailed Sep 1815 to Port Jackson [Sydney], then a P...	xx.716–726	n165
1817-11-15	207	Juan Antonio Maya → Gov.: supply goods for the presidios of Santa Bárbara, San Gabriel & San Luis; delivered to Guerra; owed 64 pesos; gave Argüello part of San Luis's; ...	xx.727–728	n171
1817-10-05	208	Juan José & Juan Antonio Maya → Gov. Solá: thank him for his good wishes on the expedition entrusted to them by Don José Carvencia[?]; offer their services	xx.729	n172
1817-09-25	209	Juan Antonio Maya → Gov. Solá: he & his brother arrived in the brig 'San Antonio' (property of Don José Carvencia[?]), charged to put it at Solá's disposal	xx.731	n172
1817-10-21	210	Juan Antonio Maya → Gov. Solá: delivered Andrés Villamar, boatswain of the frigate 'Tasadora[?],' to Cabo Carrillo with his *sumaria* (criminal file); will land his bagg...	xx.732–733	n173
1817-06-28	211	José de Achurra[?] → Gov. Solá: the merchants of Tepic & Guadalajara refuse to supply California unless they get great dividends; will send goods via José Medina (bound ...	xx.734–735	n173
1817-07-11	212	Fernando Palacio[?] → Gov. Solá: news of the military operations of Mina and Padre [Servando Teresa de] Mier	xx.736–738	n174
1817-07-30	213	María Antonia Pinto[?] → Gov. Solá: political-military news; her son Francisco is in Baja California [presidio remount duty?]	xx.739–740 & 744	n174

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1817-03-31	214	Manuel Gómez → Gov. Solá: complains of the scarcity & bad state of the SF presidio's artillerymen — all disabled & sickly, 'ha habido día que no ha tenido con qué releva...	xx.745–747	n174
1817-12-31	215	Manuel Gómez → Gov. Solá: per orders, has tried to recruit 2–3 men as artillerymen	xx.747–748	n175
1817-08-31	216	Manuel Gómez → Gov. Solá: on completing the artillery company — could fill it with provincials (art. 128 Ordenanza) but all prefer cavalry (mounted, better pay); the 18 ...	xx.748–753	n175
1817-10-10	217	M. Frías → Gov. Solá: private matters	xx.753	n176
1817-10-03	218	José de Ortega → Gov. Solá: received Fr. Frías's word to watch for the ship; sent vaqueros to bring the boat to the anchorage	xx.753	n176
1817	219	Relación by José de Ortega → Gov. Solá on the boundaries/lands the Mission of Santa Bárbara occupies (vs. his Refugio rancho): 9–10 leagues E–W from the Sierra to the co...	xx.754–757	n176
1817-08-24	220	Francisco Morales → Gov. Solá: on his orchard; asks permission for his wife to go to San Miguel, which Estudillo denied	xx.758–759	n178
1817	221	José Antonio Spence[?] → Gov. Solá: that Joaquín[?] arrested/seized him and a soldier defended him	xx.761–763	n179
1817-09-22	222	Manuel Boronda → Gov. Solá: his daughter is to marry the distinguished soldier Don Manuel Cota	xx.764	n179
1817-07-12	223	José Carvencia[?] → Gov. Solá: recommends the expedition he sends on the brig 'San Antonio' and its supercargo [the Maya brothers]	xx.765–766	n179
1817-10-18	224	Gov. Pablo de Solá → José Carvencia: ordered the commandants to aid Maya & the French corvette; the brig 'Antonio' at San Diego finishing its cargo; ☆ 'la Corbeta france...	xx.766–768	n179
1817-12-09	225	Manuel Gómez → Gov. Solá: two soldiers married	xx.769–771	n181
1817-05-14	226	Jacinto Pinto[?] y Sáinz → Gov. Solá: various private matters	xx.772–774	n181
1817-04-14	227	José Darío Argüello (Gov. Baja Calif.) → Solá: the Alta-Calif. mail hasn't arrived; Baja in 'el más deplorable estado de miseria' awaiting the San Blas memorias; recomme...	xx.775–776	n182
1817-06-02	228	Solá → José Argüello: the mail was delayed by heavy rains since January; henceforth will leave on fixed days	xx.777	n182
1817-09-03	229	José Argüello → Solá: lost correspondence/memoria — mail rotting between Sta Gertrudis & San Borja; the memorias shipped from Acapulco on the 'Serafin,' feared lost; sen...	xx.778–781	n182

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1817-07-20	230	Gov. José Argüello → Solá: asks a list of supplies (will pay by drafts) amid scarcity & war; 🌟 the Baja Indians, knowing the weakness of Spanish forces, grow insolent — ...	xx.782–785	n183
1817-10-08	231	Solá → Argüello: regrets the loss of the 'Serafin' with the memorias; various expeditions at Alta Calif.; sends recommendation letters from SF for de la Cruz	xx.786–787	n184
1817-01-10	232	Benito Antonio Vélez → Gov. Solá: various news on the Kingdom's politics	xx.788–791	n184
1817-06-02	233	Solá → Benito [Antonio] Vélez: private matters	xx.789–791	n185
1817-06-04	234	Pedro Negrete → Gov. Solá: ships coming for tallow (*sebo*) — next month the brig 'Bastany[?]' sails to Calif. for tallow, & others too; it'll touch Sta Bárbara; asks th...	xx.792–795	n185
1817-08-14	235	Gaspar Giles[?] → Gov. Solá: just arrived from Lima/Callao on the Spanish frigate 'La Hermosa Mexicana' with a stock of goods to exchange for tallow (*sebos*); hopes Sol...	xx.796–797	n185
1817-02-18	236	María del Refugio Josefa de San Elías (abbess, Capuchin convent of Guadalajara) → Gov. Solá: begs him to protect/aid her brothers Don Ignacio & Don Manuel Solís[?] in Ca...	xx.793–794	n186
1817-10-25	237	[Camille] de Roquefeuil → Gov. Solá (in French): asks permission to take aboard two foreign sailors — his crew weakened by illness & desertion — pledging to admit no one...	xx.800–801	n186
1817-08-26	238	José Patricio Tico → Gov. Solá: hopes to Christianize various gentile Indians	xx.802–803	n187
1817-10-03	239	José Patricio Tico → Gov. Solá: gave 'humble & complete satisfaction' to Fr. Pedro Muñoz as ordered	xx.805–806	n187
1817-08-14	240	Gervasio Argüello → Gov. Solá: on the impossibility of obtaining funds for California — petitions the Royal Ministers daily but gets nothing ('mucha penuria y escasez');...	xx.807–808 & 810	n188
1817-08-17	241	Gervasio Argüello → Gov. Solá: received & will pay (when funds suffice) the libranza of 6,946 pesos 6 reales drawn by habilitado Mariano Estrada in favor of Don Santiago...	xx.809	n188
1817 (reports Guad. 20 May & 17 Jul 1817)	242	Habilitado-general dossier ('copia de los documentos citados en la pág. 188') — Gervasio Argüello's reports to Viceroy Apodaca & the Real Hacienda ministers: presented t...	xx.811–812	n189
1817-12-11	243	Gervasio Argüello → Gov. Solá: the Viceroy (per the Hacienda fiscal) orders him to post a 6,000-peso bond to secure his responsibility as habilitado; asks Solá what to d...	xx.813–815	n192

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1817-12-04	244	Gervasio Argüello → Gov. Solá: gave the message to José de la Cruz, who wished to help but 'no había dinero, ni para atenciones más urgentes'; they demand the bond; asks...	xx.816–817	n193
1817-12-11	245	Gervasio Argüello → Gov. Solá: encloses his oficio to the Viceroy;  the King approved promotions — Luis Argüello Capt. of San Francisco, Gabriel [Moraga] lieutenant, Sa...	xx.818–819 & 827	n193
1817-10-08	246	Gervasio Argüello → Gov. Solá: the Viceroy ordered Calif. be relieved, not done 'por las muchas atenciones'; pressed the Ministers on the 6th, told the Californias *expe...	xx.820–821	n194
1817-10-08	247	Gervasio Argüello → Gov. Solá: will write from Tepic/San Blas; asks Solá to send by draft the value of his *alcances* (back-pay)	xx.822–823	n195
1817-03-06	248	Gervasio Argüello → Gov. Solá: arrived Guadalajara on the 22nd (ill on the road); the Intendant told him to deal with the royal officials; no communication with Mexico y...	xx.824–826	n195
1817-01-31	249	Juan Salvador Aspiroz → Solá: warns that the Tepic merchants all hate Solá ('le aborrecen... indistintamente'), supposing he directs Cmdt. Mondragón; he imposed individual...	xx.828–829	n196
1817-11-05	250	Juan Salvador Aspiroz → Solá: asks Solá to order the commandants to accept drafts on the Real Caja of Guadalajara in favor of Gervasio Argüello	xx.830	n196
1817-11-21	251	Solá → Juan S. Aspiroz (borrador): willing to serve him & the owners of the frigate 'Cazadora,' but given the scarcity can't take drafts on Guadalajara; suggests applyin...	xx.831–832	n196
1817-09-30	252	Juan Salvador Aspiroz → Solá: the frigate 'Cazadora' anchored (from Panama); sent the boatswain ashore in irons for repeated insubordination; given the danger to the exp...	xx.834–836	n197
1817-04-16	253	Joaquín de Angulo Nozagaray[?] → Solá: political news; thanks for Solá's gift of cod & salmon	xx.837–838	n198
1817-01-17	254	Eugenio Antonio de Queravata[?] → Gov. Solá: various political news	xx.839–841	n198
1817-04-09	255	On the testament of Coronel [ex-Gov.] José Joaquín de Arrillaga (d. 1814): the fiscal *oidor*, at the request of the defenders Manuel de la Luna & Vicente Gámez, decrees...	xx.842–849	n198
1817-06-27	256	Pedro Negrete → Solá: the 'Paz y Religión' (Maestre José Medina) brings goods to Calif.; collect the tallow owed at Sta Bárbara & San Pedro (Noriega to collect; debtors ...	xx.850–853	n199

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1817-06-20	257	Juan Salvador Aspiroz → Pedro Negrete: going to California with an expedition & staying a while, asks Negrete to send some rebozos, kimonos[?] etc. (Asian/Pacific goods)	xx.854	n199
1817-02-10	258	Brígida Solá → Don Pablo Vicente Solá (his niece, Basque Country): family news — her aunt the nun sent word; they went to Madrid; her sister Joaquina married the *guardi...	xx.856–857	n200
1817-02-29 [△ impossible — 1817 not a leap year; Savage error]	259	Brígida Solá → Pablo V. Solá (2nd letter, much repeated): again begs 'alguna cosita,' fears ending an 'old maid' like her poor aunts; her mother died a month ago; signs ...	xx.858–859	n201
1817-08-14	260	María Luisa & Fernando → Ignacio de Acedo[?]: that Don Eduardo[?] & Don Antonio Fernández lodged in their house, arrived on the Mexican frigate with the expedition	xx.860–861	n202
1817-05-06	261	Certificate by José Darío Argüello (Gov. Baja Calif.): Santiago Smith Wilcocks, capt./owner of the schooner 'Caminante,' appeared at Loreto 3 Apr w/ a passport from the ...	xx.864	n203
1817-12-29	262	José Darío Argüello → Solá: the Guadalajara cajas barely suffice ('vamos pasando esta triste vida llena de congojas'); on the seizure of Wilcocks's schooner 'Caminante' ...	xx.~865	n204
1817-04-22	263	Lt. Yakov Podushkin (RAC) → Gov. Solá (English translation): requests the arrest & return of a Kodiak Aleut sailor, Peter Leonoff, of the schooner 'Chirikoff,' who deser...	xx.868	n205
1817-02-02	264	RAC diplomatic protest — Alexander Baranov (Gov.-Gen. of the Russian American Possessions, Collegiate Counsellor, Knight of St. Anne 2nd Cl.) → Gov. Solá: protests 'insu...	xx.866–870	n206
(Savage's note)	265	Savage's note: 'Páginas dedicadas a varios documentos en idioma ruso, cuya traducción se hará luego que concurra el Sr Pet[roff]' — flags untranslated Russian-language d...	xx.865–870	n209
1817-08-08	266	Camille de Roquefeuil → Gov. Solá (French): transmits a letter from M. Carvencia of Lima; forced to put in at San Francisco; asks Solá's protection for his ship; bases h...	xx.871–872	n210
1817-08-31	267	Manuel Gómez → Gov. Solá: on whether he may leave his post (Subinspector consulted; Viceroy's ruling); defends the cartridges he's charged with — not badly made, but of ...	xx.873–880	n211
1817	268	Gov. Solá → Luis Argüello: re buying from the RAC frigate 'Kutusoff' (cmdr. Hagemeister) — it has many goods; deal to buy ~\$25,000[?] on draft against the *habilitación ...	xx.884	n211

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1817	269	Gov. Solá → Cmdt. Hagemeister: very well disposed toward him & his Emperor; cannot deliver the Kodiaks before his departure (ill/far off) — will return them at first opp...	xx.881–882	n212
1817	270	Solá → Luis Argüello: repeats the order to buy goods [from the *Kutusoff*], draw drafts, & notify him at once	xx.882	n213
1817	271	Solá → Luis Argüello: reprimands his 'poca actividad y celo' — it pains him to remind a man of talent so often of the exactitude & vigilance required when a foreign ship...	xx.882–883	n213
1817-11-18	272	Solá → Luis Argüello: demands reports on the foreign ships maneuvering at SF (whether sailed or still there) and the proceeds of goods sold/produce extracted; displeased...	xx.883–884	n215
1817-05-05	273	Inventory of the effects of Don Boris Tarasov & the 'Russian Indians' [Aleuts], taken at the Ensenada de San Pedro and returned by the governor's order to Lt. Jacobo (Ya...	xx.884	n216
1817	274	Seizure inventory of Tarasov's & the Aleuts' effects — from Sgt. Carlos Carrillo, captured at the Ensenada de San Pedro from 'the diver called Boris, with twelve cayucos...	xx.885–886	n217
(Savage note)	275	Savage's note: ff. 888–895 are a duplicate of the judicial disposition on Coronel Arrillaga's testamentaria (already at folio 198 = catalog Doc 255) — no new content	xx.888–895	n218
1817-11-16	276	Apodaca → Gov. Solá: the British frigate 'Buena Esperanza,' from Bengal with cargo for the Russian establishments (NW coast & Sandwich Islands), put in at Mazatlán (wate...	xx.996–1000	n219
1818-01-07	277	Antonio Cordero → Gov. Solá: the brig 'Cosak' at Guaymas — tried to water, threatened with sinking for lacking a port-captain; its Capt. Clark[?] jailed; the brig then s...	xx.1001–1004	n220
1818-01-07	278	Antonio Cordero → Gov. Solá: the intendancy (31 Dec) condemned Wilcocks's schooner 'Caminante,' its cargo & all belonging to Santiago Smith [Wilcocks] & 'Sirca[?]' as fo...	xx.1005–1006	n221
1818-07-29	279	Gervasio Argüello → Gov. Solá: posted the bond the *Hacedor* demanded (guarantor Matías Vergara, on condition the money be kept in his house); still gets no *socorro* fo...	xx.1007–1008	n221
1818-07-10	280	Gervasio Argüello → Solá: transcribes the Viceroy's order on the bond obligation — if he can't post it, the Governor should name another habilitado	xx.1009–1010	n222

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1818-07-09	281	Gervasio Argüello → Solá: cannot receive *socorros* until the bond obstacle is cleared; resents being blamed for the delays; still seeking a hard-to-find guarantor; send...	xx.1011–1012	n222
1818-05-28	282	Gervasio Argüello → Solá: inserts a royal order to the Mexico treasury to send the Real Cajas the revista extracts 1810–1814 of the Alta Calif. troops so their back-pay ...	xx.1013–1014	n223
1818-11-28	283	Carlos Antonio Carrillo → Gov. Solá: operations vs. the rebels [Bouchard] — arrived with 20 armed vecinos (2 muskets, 14 lances, 3 sabres, pistols); the enemy descended ...	xx.1015–1016	n223
1818-02-03	284	Luis Argüello → Gov. Solá: sends the 4 Christian Indians of Mission San Francisco — Teocoy[?], Félix, Nájara, Crescencio — culprits in the murder of Tobías & Norato; a r...	xx.1018–1022	n223
1818-12-06	285	José de la Guerra → Gov. Solá: the enemy [Bouchard] sailed from the Ensenada del Refugio toward [Sta Bárbara] after burning & robbing the Ortega/Refugio rancho; ship-sig...	xx.1023–1029	n224
1818-06-16	286	Guerra → Solá: amid the meat shortage for the troops & families, takes the tithe cattle (from the Father President) on the company's account; asks Purísima's site 'Las C...	xx.1031–1033	n226
1818-05-26	287	Guerra → Solá: on an expedition to recover fugitive mission Indians (*cimarrones*) — needs >25 days, best in Sept/Oct or harvest (Jun/Jul); the fugitives shelter on an i...	xx.1035–1039	n227
1818-11-20	288	Guerra → Solá: on withdrawing the invalids & service auxiliaries from escort duty; asks whether the vaqueros & Indian auxiliaries should also retire; mission Indians to ...	xx.1040–1041	n228
1818-05-30	289	Guerra → Solá: received the soldier José Antonio Romero, sentenced to 6 months public works; will enforce the sentence	xx.1042–1043	n228
1818-11-24	290	Guerra → Solá: sends a reinforcement — Lt. Ignacio Martínez setting out at 8 AM with whatever people he can gather (Indians, non-capital prisoners offered the King's par...	xx.1044–1045	n228
1818-10-16	291	Guerra → Solá: given the critical circumstances, divested himself of the *habilitación*, handing it provisionally to Alférez Maytorena (to focus on defense)	xx.1046+	n229
1818-12-12	292	Guerra → Solá: the two rebel [Bouchard] frigates left the presidio anchorage at dawn, vanishing from sight; sent reinforcement to Los Ángeles and 24 soldiers under Carri...	xx.1047–1048	n230

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1818-11-27	293	Gov. Solá → the Fathers from San Luis to San Diego (circular): the rebels [Bouchard] hold the Monterey establishment/beach without daring to approach Mission San Carlos;...	xx.1049–1051	n230
1818-11-12	294	Solá → the commandants of Sta Bárbara & San Diego: the season being advanced (less risk the rebel ships will strike), withdraw the invalids & vecinos to their planting/h...	xx.1052–1054	n232
1818-01-07	295	José Darío Argüello → Gov. Solá: forwards the representation of the American corvette 'Mercurio' (the subject sought not in his jurisdiction); sends the *diligencias* fo...	xx.1055–1056	n233
1819-08-31	296	Luis Argüello → Gov. Solá: complains Solá doesn't write; Gabriel Moraga has marched from the presidio; four cannons placed at the most advantageous points, their esplana...	xx.1057–1059	n234
1819-05	297	José M. ^a Estudillo → Gov. Solá: on arms-making & fortification + the rebel [Bouchard] destruction at Monterey — repairing the muskets; approves making machetes to arm th...	xx.1060–1061	n234
1819-08-17 [△ '1818' in some refs; content matches the 1819 *Cosak* voyage]	298	José M. ^a Estudillo → Gov. Solá: the scarcity of funds at the Guadalajara cajas; the purchase Pablo de la Portilla brought (arrived at the San Luis ensenada) won't reach ...	xx.1062–1064	n235
1819-05-24	299	José M. ^a Estudillo → Gov. Solá: Buitrón arrived with 'la presa' (the captives) — 37 women & children held at El Carmelo (+ some orphans given to live there); the captive...	xx.1065–1066	n236
1819	300	José M. ^a Estudillo → Gov. Solá: on the state of the batteries — of the cannons the [rebels] burst, found 3 that, mounted at once, could serve as a parapet; has mounted t...	xx.1067–1068	n237
1819-04-03	301	Estudillo → Solá: on the events of 22 Nov [the Bouchard attack on Monterey]; doubts the efficacy of the Viceroy's measures; beginning the timber-cut; needs workers 'para...	xx.1069–1071	n237
1819-04-26	302	Estudillo → Solá: copied the four royal orders of 4 Apr 1818, 12 Jun, etc.	xx.1072–1073	n238
1819-05-03	303	José de la Guerra → Solá: Colorado-Indian attack at Mission San Buenaventura — 20 Colorado Indians came, repelled by the guard (Cabo Fuentes); during Mass the rebels sei...	xx.1074–1076	n238
1819-12-16	304	Gabriel Moraga → Gov. Solá: expedition against the Amajava (Mojave) — set out with 50 men + 10 vecinos eastward; reached Mongarayait[?]/Agallaga (last pasture, 27 horses...	xx.1077–1081	n238

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1819-10-12	305	Gabriel Moraga → Gov. Solá: forwards reports from the San Gabriel & San Fernando escorts on the Amajaba (Mojave) Indians' intentions; warns to live with great caution	xx.1082–1083	n239
1819-10-11	306	Hilario Machado → the commandants up to Sta Bárbara: warning of the Mojave (Amajaba) approach — the Indian corporal of Sumibabi (18 lgs E) reported 20 gentile Indians of...	xx.1084–1085	n240
1819-06-08	307	Instructions for the relief-expedition ships 'San Carlos' (war-brig) & 'Reina de los Ángeles' (armed merchant frigate) — to relieve Alta Calif. (attacked Nov 1818 by 2 r...	xx.1086–1099	n240
1818-10-08	308	Gov. Solá → the presidio commandants — the foundational Bouchard-defense circular + full mobilization/evacuation *ordenanza* (signed Monterey 8 Oct 1818). Warning (via G...	xx.1090–1093	n245
1820-02-20	309	Royal order (copy) that army generals & chiefs abstain from levying war-contributions on their own	xx.1094	n252
1820-10-28	310	Luis Argüello → Gov. Solá: encloses a list of prisoners awaiting sentence	xx.1095	n252
1820-03-21	311	Gov. Solá → the presidio commandants: a ship was sighted (now vanished) — stay vigilant; warn the women & children to be ready to leave the pueblo	xx.1096–1097	n253
1819-11-22	312	Manuel Gómez → Gov. Solá: on siting the maestranza (armory) & powder-magazine for the matériel that Subteniente Ramírez brings; all ready before the workmen (*obreros*) ...	xx.1099–1100	n253
1819-04-22	313	Manuel Gómez → Gov. Solá: encloses a memorial of Andrés Martínez	xx.1100	n254
1819-09-24	314	Manuel Gómez → Gov. Solá: the best site for the armory & magazine is Monterey or Mission Santa Clara — Monterey has abundant timber in the Carmelo sierra (6 lgs) & is un...	xx.1100–1101	n254
1819-12-18	315	Manuel Gómez → Solá: imprisonment of Tomás Patrón[?] & his wife on suspicion of adultery (the wife with the husband's consent)	xx.1101–1102	n255
1819-12-18	316	Gómez → Solá: the misfortune to the artilleryman 'Brinzel[?]' in the salute on the Virgin of Guadalupe's day (12 Dec); requests a skilled surgeon	xx.1102–1103	n255
1819-12-18	317	Gómez → Solá: death of artilleryman Joaquín Mendoza; grave condition of Sebastián Armas[?]	xx.~1163	n255
1819-12-31	318	Gómez → Solá: death of 'Brinzel[?]' (the salute-accident victim)	xx.~1163	n255
1819-12-31	319	Gómez → Solá: 9 casualties (*bajas*) in the artillery company	xx.1103–1104	n256

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1819-12-31	320	Gómez → Solá: minor service matters	xx.1104	n256
1819-12-31	321	Gómez → Solá: re quarterly supply accounts to the Indian [militia artillery]; his habilitado can't keep the monthly list	xx.1104	n256
1819-12-31	322	Gómez → Solá: sent Carlos Castro to Sta Clara; the cause of the salute accident — the cannon lacked proper fittings (*gualdras*) and was loaded loose/in bulk; not to loa...	xx.1104–1105	n256
1820-01-30	323	Gómez → Solá: the poor respect of some Indian militiamen; the nakedness & misery of the artillerymen & all the troop — 'carecen hasta de calzones' (lack even trousers); ...	xx.1106–1107	n257
1820-01-30	324	Gómez → Solá: received the *guía* for the rest of the artillery matériel from Mexico (via Ramírez)	xx.1107–1108	n257
1820-01-30	325	Gómez → Solá: will cut timber with 4 Indian axemen	xx.1108	n257
1820-01-31	326	Gómez → Solá: approves drilling the militia artillerymen	xx.1108–1109	n258
1820-03-21	327	Gómez → Solá: timber-cutting at San Francisquito (marked oaks); the Indians ran out of food, Fr. Sosa[?] said the King had ample maize/beans at the SF presidio, so the I...	xx.1109–1110	n258
1820-03-21	328	Gómez → Solá: asks Solá to explain arts. 3,4,5,7,16 of the Artillery Regulation	xx.1160	n259
1820-03-20	329	Gómez → Solá: bitterly complains of the nakedness & misery of his own family and himself	xx.1161	n259
1820-03-20	330	Gómez → Solá: re the 3 cannons of Santa Clara (stored in a corner of the cantor's school)	xx.1162	n259
1820-03-20	331	Gómez → José M. ^a Estudillo: noted the imprisonment of artilleryman José A. Frías	xx.1112	n260
1820-03-20	332	Manuel Gómez → Gov. Solá — the 1820 Fort San Joaquín collapse report (= expanded Document 7): only 8 cannons, 2 unserviceable (12-pdr's mounting & pitted bore; 8-pdr's b...	xx.1110–1113	n260
1820-04-05	333	Gómez → Cmdt. Luis Argüello: encloses the Gov.'s letter to the fathers to provide iron, copper, etc. for artillery tools	xx.1113	n262
1820-04-21	334	Gómez → Solá: Antonio Alentura[?] arrived, confined to the detachment for bad conduct; will watch him	xx.1114	n262
1820-04-21	335	Gómez → Solá: bring the cannons from the Sta Clara mission; re the timber cut at San Francisquito	xx.1114	n262
1820-04-21	336	Gómez → Solá: on the state & service of the artillery — the other presidios get all from the missions, not SF; SF has no forge (*fragua*); San Diego & Monterey have red-...	xx.1114–1116	n263
1820	337	Gómez → Solá: encloses the memorial of the mother of militia artilleryman Francisco Pacheco	xx.1117	n264

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1820-04-31 [Δ impossible date — Savage error]	338	Gómez → Solá: reports the crime of artilleryman Salvador Altamirano; asks whether to form a *sumaria*	xx.1117	n264
1820-06-03	339	Gómez → Solá: asks that Vicente Herrera, Basilio Quevedo & Luis Herrera go to SF to work in the *maestranza*	xx.1117	n264
1820-06-21	340	Gómez → Solá: the *sumaria* against artilleryman Altamirano for theft — no witness proved it, only suspicion from his antecedents; asks Solá to assign a penalty (redoing...	xx.1117–1118	n264
1820-07-13	341	Gómez → Solá: musket/shotgun barrels from Estrada can be repaired, but without armory workmen it will take longer	xx.1119	n265
1820-07-13	342	Gómez → Solá: the maestranza budget — sends the workmen's cost estimate; of the \$1,476 7½ rls Subteniente José Ramírez brings, \$730-14 rls remains from the prior balance...	xx.1119–1120	n265
1820-07-24	343	Gómez → Solá: on moving some private papers and his family from SF to Monterey	xx.1120	n266
1820-07-26	344	Gómez → Solá: Sebastián Armas marching to SF; 8 retired Indians there	xx.1120	n266
1820-08-30	345	Gómez → Solá: the artillery funds nearly exhausted; gave the Sta Clara & San José missions iron	xx.1120–1121	n267
1820-09-08	346	José Ramírez → Solá: Sgt. Ojeda lost the *pliego* ordering rations for the 4 *maestranza* workmen	xx.1121	n267
1820-09-25	347	Gómez → Solá: the artillery-repair workmen from Mexico should work at each presidio progressively	xx.1121–1122	n267
1820-09-25	348	Gómez → Solá: money shortage halting the *maestranza* works; Subteniente José Ramírez disbursed \$50 of his own pocket to keep work going; asks Solá to remedy it	xx.1122–1123	n268
1820-10-12	349	Gómez → Solá: with the \$500 sent, the shortages eased & the Sta Bárbara artillery repair will proceed	xx.1123	n268
1820-10-25	350	Gómez → Solá: will send the account of funds Ramírez drew in Mexico + a soldier-list	xx.1123–1124	n269
1820-11-25	351	Gómez → Solá: economic matters of the military service	xx.1124–1125	n269
1820-11-25	352	Gómez → Solá: forwards the retirement cédula of invalid artilleryman Juan Martínez	xx.1125	n269
1820-11-25	353	Gómez → Solá: encloses various artillery reports	xx.1125–1126	n270
1820-11-25	354	Gómez → Solá: encloses the packing-invoice of the effects from the brig 'San Carlos'	xx.1126	n270
1820-12-19	355	Gómez → Solá: complains of the poor obedience of some subordinates	xx.1126–1127	n270
1820-01-20	356	Gómez → Solá: encloses the *maestranza* budget the workmen formed; info on salaries	xx.1127–1128	n270

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1820-10-09	357	Inventory of the archive of the Monterey Comandancia (by José Estrada): legajos 'Superior Gobierno' 1774–1800 & 1801–1809; *filiaciones*/revistas/service records; 16 old...	xx.1129	n271
1820-02-08	358	Gov. Solá → the Monterey & SF commandants: re Sonora–Californias communication (Baja Gov. Argüello's superior order, via Arispe & Guaymas); sets the monthly mail — Alta ...	xx.1130	n272
1820-04-28	359	Solá → the SF & Monterey commandants: re the Russian expedition to the Poles — the Russian govt asks Spain to protect/aid the polar-discovery expedition (re-application ...	xx.1131	n272
1820-04-09	360	Solá → SF & Monterey commandants: the Viceroy warns four insurgent frigates left Chile to harass the New Spain coasts; stay vigilant per the precautions — esp. the 8 Oct...	xx.1132–1133	n273
1820-04-09	361	Solá → Monterey & SF commandants: form companies of 'realistas fieles' (loyal royalists) — send a list of all civilians 15+ fit for arms (incl. useful invalids) w/ their...	xx.1133–1134	n273
1820-04-28	362	Solá → commandants: communicates the change the Austrian government made in its naval flag (for ship identification)	xx.1135	n274
1820-08-21	363	Royal concession to the Cádiz expeditions for the Californias (printed) — duplicate of Doc 47 (tomo pp.48–54)	xx.1136–1139	n274
1820-07-31	364	Conde del Venadito → Gob Solá: printed circular on the oath & admission of the 1812 Cádiz Constitution (the 1820 Riego liberal restoration reaching California)	xx.1140–1143	n274
1820-07-29	365	Gabriel Moraga → Gob Solá: encloses the memorials of soldiers Cota & Guzmán requesting discharge	xx.1144–1145	n275
1820-11-23	366	Luis Argüello → Gob Solá: ✨ arrival of the Russian war-corvettes 'Otkrytie' & 'Blagonamerennyi' at SF (anchored 22nd, 3 PM); will receive them cordially/hospitably. = ex...	xx.1146–1147	n275
1820-06-30	367	Customs record — Don Ignacio Mancisidor's imported goods (Cuzco cloth, *bafetas*, alpaca-goods, etc. from Peru) to the presidio & missions, total \$2,284-4, duties 6¼% = ...	xx.1148	n275
1820-01-08	368	Gabriel Moraga → Gob Solá: on the Amajaba (Mojave) & Christian-fugitive (*cimarrones*) threat — prefers the expedition in May (horses fat, better weather); doesn't think...	xx.1149–1150	n276

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1820-02-13	369	José M. ^a Estudillo → Solá: on the sale of aguardiente — Oliva arrived w/ brandy; proposes a regulated public *cantina* (a trustworthy seller) under rules: 🌟 never sell t...	xx.1151–1154	n277
1820	370	José M. ^a Estudillo → Solá: history of religious ministry at the Monterey presidio since 1796 — which Franciscans came each Lent to confess the cavalry & infantry & missi...	xx.1155–1159	n279
1820-06-21	371	Luis Argüello → Solá: for the company of 'realistas fieles,' having rejected José Castillo for sergeant, proposes Joaquín Higuera (sgt.) & Juan Alviso (cabo)	xx.1160	n281
1820-06-21	372	Luis Argüello → Solá: the distinguished soldier Mauricio Gamboa serving as a prisoner	xx.1161	n282
1820-07-17	373	Pablo de la Portilla → Solá: Lt. Maytorena[?] requested money; only \$2,000 remain; suggests spending it on sergeants'/officers' salaries & footwear for the troop	xx.1162–1165	n282
1820-01-04	374	José M. ^a Estudillo → Solá: Santiago Argüello went to review the escorts & their armament and to settle accounts with the missions for supplies to the habilitación	xx.1166–1167	n282
1820-01-18	375	Francisco M. ^a Ruiz → Solá: on cotton cultivation — the harvest at the nearby mission succeeded; cotton is cold-sensitive (fails year 1, better after); Fr. Tapis tried it...	xx.1168–1171	n282
1820-04-06	376	Francisco M. ^a Ruiz → Solá: received notice of the insurgent-ship threat; will comply with the precautions	xx.1172–1173	n283
1820-07-02	377	José Estrada → Solá: trivial matters	xx.1174–1175	n283
1820-01-12	378	Conde del Venadito → Gob Solá: sharp reply to Solá's n ^o 228 (21 Oct) complaining of the 'wasted' expense of the *San Carlos* & *Reina de los Ángeles* (100 men) — defends...	xx.1176–1178	n284
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