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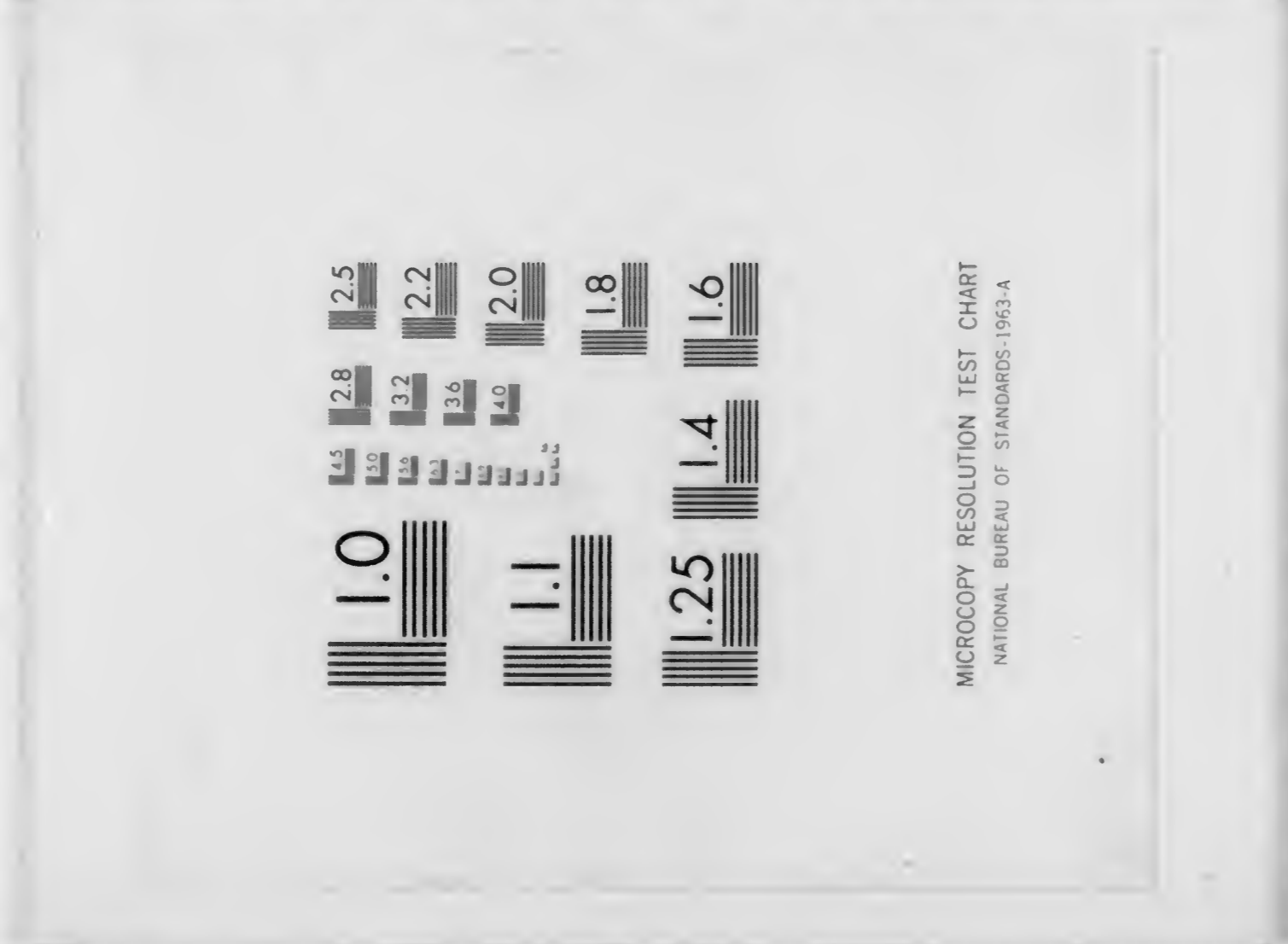
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Historia de California.

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Mariano Guadalupe Vallejo,

Natural del pais; General que fué del ejército Mejicano,
Comandante General de California desde 1836;
empleado, ademas, en otros altos puestos
bajo el citado gobierno, y despues bajo
el de los Estados Unidos, en
California.

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PRESENTE DEL GEN. VALLEJO
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1874.

1844

- Jan 10 J. J. Vaget. J. J. to M. S. Vallejo. recommend Dr. Edm. P. Lat. &c.
- " 16 J. J. Vaget. J. J. to M. S. Vallejo. recommend Dr. Edm. P. Lat. &c.
- " 17 Juan Graham. M. S. Vallejo. contract to erect a building.
- " 25 Lucia D. Fitch. S. Diego. to M. S. Vallejo. death of her husband, his will, etc.
- Feb. 1 Jacob P. Lacey. Yuba. to M. S. Vallejo. recommend Passero Jacavia.
- " 10 Mig. Alvarado. Petaluma. relative to transactions in dress with H. Rogge.
- " 13 W. M. Howard. J. J. to M. S. Vallejo. introduce Rich. Carr. & bear also of Capt. P. L. &c.
- " 17 J. J. Pale. Napa. Vallejo. to M. S. Vallejo. on friendly affairs.
- March 3 Walter Kilton, Secy. Resolutions of Meeting of citizens at Monterey to establish public schools.
- " 5 J. A. Sutter Jun. Sacramento. a bill against David St. Clair.
- " 25 Gen. Kelley. to Miss. Carsons. about Indians & their threats &c.
- " 26 List of Indians of Capt. Mather's gang.
- " 28 Comdr. H. C. Lathrop. San Rafael. to Gen. M. S. Vallejo. recommend two Midshipmen.
- April 23 J. A. Sutter Jun. Sacramento. to M. S. Vallejo. about distilling copper atus &c.
- " 30 J. Aguilero. San Juan. to M. S. Vallejo. recommend his sons. speaks of his poverty.
- May 8 Ed. M. Canby. Asst. Adj. Gen. Monterey. Gen. orders by Command of Gen. Riley. concerning the South Mountains. Civil & military authorities. the orders in some places to be distillated &c.
- " 8 Ed. M. Canby. Monterey. by order of Gen. Riley. order for the 4th of May. to report loc. de facto to quiet uneasiness in minds of the people &c.
- " 11 Ed. M. Canby. Monterey. by order of Gen. Riley. order about deserters.
- " 18 Ed. M. Canby. Monterey. by order of Gen. Riley. on transportation of mails.
- " 18 Order to establish regulations to correct military stations with Division of Artillery &c.
- June 2 Ed. M. Canby. Asst. Adj. Gen. by order of Gen. Riley. Monterey. about duty of commanders of posts to investigate outrages in their vicinity. and how they are to act in such cases.
- " 26 J. Vallejo & Christ. Brunet. Sonoma. Contract for a lease of part of a house.
- Augt 14 Alcalde R. M. May. San Jose. to J. J. Vallejo. advise the election of J. A. Alcalde & command him to come & take charge of the office.
- " 22 Secy of State H. L. McKim. Monterey. to Sub. Adj. Gen. M. S. Vallejo. Sonoma. all murder of an Indian. case to be laid before Judge Cooper.
- " 22 M. S. Vallejo. Sonoma. deed of sale of land to Gen. Pers. J. J. Spruce.
- Sept. 3 J. A. Sutter Jun. Sacramento. to M. S. Vallejo. an organ next age to Clair.
- Nov. 10 Arch. H. Lilligbie. Washington. to M. S. Vallejo. introduce David Lilligbie.
- " 13 Thomas M. Lami. Sonoma. Affidavit agt an Am. Sergeant.
- " 30 L. W. Rogge. Sonoma. about plating a house.
- Dec. 17 Capt. J. P. Mason. J. J. to Gen. M. S. Vallejo. Sub. Adj. Gen. Sonoma. request of circulation of a proclamation of Col. Mason.
- " 26 Sealhard & Norman M. Price (Ward & Price). Business card.

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- Alfonso Norton, Chairman of Committee - report to Convention for a State Constitution on Right of Citizenship.
- Mason - Amendments to State Constitution.
- Oct. 18 - Mode of Amending & revising the Constitution.
- Letter to Don Pablo de la Guerra - abt forming the Senate by a single Committee
- Jan - H. A. Valero - L. Pico - to Senate & Assembly of Cal. - abt removal of capital to Vallejo, & his readiness to furnish his services.
- 27 J. Dickenson - L. Pico - to M. S. V. - abt lands, farming &c.
- 28 M. S. V. - L. Pico - to his wife - family matters.
- March 2 Peter Campbell - Sonoma - to Gen. M. S. V. on murders of Indians, information wanted from the Governor how to proceed.
- 3 Petition of Spanish citizens of Los Angeles to U.S. Congress, to organize a territory in Southern Cal.
- 4 Resolutions of a meeting of the people of Los Angeles, to City Council, expressing a desire to form a new territory in Southern Cal.
- 7 Copy of Resolutions of the people of Los Angeles on the 10th of Feb. - abt valuations of lands for laying taxes.
- 7 Copy of Resolutions of the people of Los Angeles on the 12th of Feb. on public affairs.
- 7 Copy of Resolutions of the people of Los Angeles on the 17th of Feb. on public affairs.
- 7 Copy of Resolutions of the people of Los Angeles on the 3rd of March, on public affairs.
- 9 Petition of the People of Los Angeles, to the Legislature of Cal. including resolutions.
- 15 Victoria Placer - L. Pico - to M. S. V. - on stationing of business in the city &c.
- 25 Andresico Valero - Sonoma - to his sister M. S. V. on private matters.
- 25 J. M. Malcomson - Sonoma - to Gen. M. S. V. abt purchases of a lot.
- April 2 M. S. V. - L. Pico - to his son Antonio - private matters.
- 3 Prudon & Co. Sonoma - Rec^d 1st - to Gen. Vallejo.
- 11 A. B. de la Guerra - to Gen. M. S. V. on a remittance of Cal. on genealogy of the State.
- 12 Capt. M. J. Navarro - Utica - to M. S. V. abt lands in Sonoma.
- 12 Mariano Malvarin - Monterey - to M. S. V. on his election as office & sending it to a ballot.
- 26 Pedro de la Guerra - L. Pico - to M. S. V. - Relative to translation of State laws, and private matters.
- May 4 R. B. Hall - Agua Caliente - to Mr. Cornwell - Sonoma - private matters.
- 5 Pablo de la Guerra - L. Pico - to M. S. V. on private matters.
- 6 Lambert, Wilson & Co. - L. Pico - Business card.
- 7 W. D. M. Howard - L. Pico - to M. S. V. abt Mrs. Wintall's young ladies school.
- 18 Vallejo & Frisbie - Benicia - to Gen. M. S. V. - with names of Carrizosa.
- June 4 Albert D. Spear - Burlington, Vt. - to Gen. M. S. V. - asking for assistance.
- 5 J. N. Wheeler - Sonoma - to Gen. M. S. V. - subscriptions.
- 11 C. Ant. Carrillo - San Blas - to Gen. M. S. V. - abt the advancement of Cal.
- 11 Hor. Lockwood & Son - N. York - Services of 1st Lt.
- 13 Rev. Lockwood & Son - N. York - to M. S. V. - about books.
- 15 M. J. B. Campbell - L. Pico - to Gen. M. S. V. - Hotel bill.
- 15 A. L. Nelson - L. Pico - to Gen. M. S. V. - Letter to Gen. C. Whitehair.

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- June 19 J. M. Ames - Sonoma - to Gen. M. S. V. - abt lands in Vallejo.
- 20 M. S. V. - Sonoma - Convention - valuation of his real & personal estate in Sonoma County.
- July 6 Juan Parrott - L. Pico - to M. S. V. - about money matters.
- 19 Vallejo & Frisbie - Sonoma - to J. & Jose Perroyosa - abt settlement of facts.
- 24 M. S. V. - Sonoma - to Carlos A. Carrillo - private matters - a fragment - complains that his former partner threw back upon him after he had parted with the property.
- Aug 6 Stephen Colton - Benicia - to Gen. M. S. V. - abt cattle.
- 7 Gov. Peter H. Burnett - L. Pico - Proclamations submitting propositions to the people in reference to permanent location of State Capital &c.
- 8 Elicia Cely - Sonoma - to Gen. M. S. V. - abt establishing a new shape.
- 25 Vallejo & Frisbie - Benicia - to Vallejo & Frisbie - authority to collect money from Capt. Ritchie in part payment of his San ranch.
- Sept 2 J. W. Revue - L. Pico - to Gen. M. S. V. - on payment of taxes on a lot in Sonoma.
- 3 Salvo Vallejo - Sonoma - to M. S. V. - deny that he ever was connected with a Chinese woman affair, all rumors to that effect are declared unfounded.
- 6 M. S. V. - San. M. Torres - contract abt ferry at Loscal.
- 10 Com. Randolph - L. Pico - to Gen. M. S. V. - declining remuneration for legislative services rendered in favor of said V.
- 11 J. Ant. Carrillo - in Angeles - to M. S. V. - abt getting him a pair of spectacles.
- 13 Hon. S. Green - N. York - to Gen. M. S. V. - on location of State capital - admission of Cal. as a state into the Union - privilege of sending cadets to West Point - Probability of Gen. V. soon being sent there &c.
- 18 M. S. V. - Sonoma - Bill of C. Vallejo for house rent.
- 19 D. Deslandes - Laborer - to Gen. M. S. V. - & the Gen's reply - all abt supplies of beef.
- 19 J. Taylor & Co. - L. Pico - to Gen. M. S. V. - a bill on iron pipe &c.
- 23 Pablo de la Guerra - San Blas - to M. S. V. - on elections & sentiments of the people.
- 24 M. J. Nelson - N. York - to Capt. Frisbie - abt Vallejo as State Capital &c.
- 24 J. P. Alvarado - L. Pico - to Gen. M. S. V. - abt a house of his in San Jose.
- 30 Vidal - Harot - Sonoma - to Gen. M. S. V. - abt land situated in vicinity of City.
- Oct 1 J. Butler - King Washington - to Gen. M. S. V. - and his reply on the 11th - about Napa Bay & Straits of Carquines - the advantages of Napa as a harbor - producing of Cal. &c.
- 2 Fred. P. Stanton - New York - to Gen. M. S. V. - abt Vallejo - appropriation by Congress for flat & dry dock on Coast of Cal. - another for Navy yard to be soon expended - efforts needed to secure its location at Mare Island.
- 4 R. B. Hall - Marysville - to Gen. M. S. V. - private business.
- 5 J. de J. Vallejo - San Jose - to M. S. V. - on correspondence with P. Williams abt lots, accompany O'Connell's letter of 5th Aug. to him.
- 5 J. P. Frisbie - L. Pico - to Gen. M. S. V. - abt Vallejo as the State Capital - prospects of success to the project.
- 6 Rufino de Zavala - Benicia - to Gen. M. S. V. - abt supply of water for S. P. & Benicia.

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- 1850
- Oct 6 J. de la Zavala Benicia - Gen. M.G.V.
- 8 Teodoro Solis - Ranch del Hambro - to Gen. M.G.V. - abt a suit pending about her lands - Vallejo is requested to interfere in her behalf
- 9 Mr. J. Green New York - to Hon. J. Conner, Secy of Treasury - abt Vallejo & Benicia as port of entry for district of Sonoma - Napa Bay & the site of Canneries for Navy yard - &c.
- 9 Herman Weber - S.F. - to Gen. M.G.V. - abt vote for location of State Capital.
- 10 J. Mincheter Sonoma - to Gen. M.G.V. - acc^y for advertising a "New Route to the Trinity"
- 10 Teodoro Solis - Ranch del Hambro - to Gen. M.G.V. - abt the affair of her land before the Court.
- 10 P. H. Wright - Washington - to Gen. M.G.V. - offering his services.
- 11 J. de la Zavala Benicia - to Gen. M.G.V. - abt supplying water to S.F. &c.
- 11 Mr. J. Van N. York - to Gen. M.G.V. - abt cotton & the Capital of Cal^y - the navy yard - effort to have custom house on Bay of Napa &c.
- 13 M. G. V. - California - to Miss Carson - abt Mr. Fitch & the ranch - Satisjoni.
- 25 P. de la Riva Napa - to M. G. V. - abt property of St. Agnera, which he thinks V. is trespassing upon - and V's reply to same State.
- 26 Santa Barbara - S.F. - to Gen. M.G.V. - accompanying catalogue of books offered to him
- 27 J. D. Carr - S.F. - to Gen. M.G.V. - abt cattle.
- 31 M. G. V. - various memoranda of private business.
- Nov. 10 Carlos A. Carrillo - Sta Barbara - to M. G. V. - on vote for location of State Capital.
- 13 J. de la Riva - Napa - to M. G. V. - abt land in Napa Valley.
- 13 Mr. J. Marcell - S.F. - to M. G. V. - request & subscription for location of State Capital.
- 14 J. de la Riva - Monterey - to M. G. V. - abt lands, & suits with the Courts.
- 16 Mr. J. de la Riva - Sacramento - to M. G. V. - abt suit against mill at mouth of Coast.
- 18 Mr. Grove Deal - Sacramento - to M. G. V. - recommending Miss Hart for school teacher.
- 19 J. de la Zavala Benicia - to M. G. V. - abt the water project for Benicia &c.
- 24 J. de la Riva - S.F. - to M. G. V. - abt the water project, & business with Fitch's.
- 24 J. de la Riva - Sonoma - contract for cattle with M. G. V.
- 27 J. de la Zavala - S.F. - to M. G. V. - abt the water project &c.
- 28 Edm^d Randolph - Sonoma - to M. G. V. - offering his services as an attorney - land agent - to procure claims for grants & attend to their completion by U.S. Congress &c.
- Dec - M. G. V. - a memorandum of money loaned & other things.
- 2 M. L. Lohie - San Blas - to Gen. M.G.V. - abt his lots in Vallejo, & return of the same.
- 10 Description of Ceremonies on arrival of Bishop Alamy at S.F.
- 26 J. de la Zavala - S.F. - to M. G. V. - complains that V. has made him lose time & money.
- 30 Ch. P. Williams - Sonoma - to M. G. V. - for permission to cut roads at Petaluma.
- J. de la Zavala & Wilbur de Souza } a memorandum of their address.

- 1851
- Jan 1 Unsigned lease of land belonging to Gen. M. G. Vallejo.
- 5 Carlos A. Carrillo - Sta Barbara - to Gen. M.G.V. in behalf of J. C. Belmont as candidate for Senator.
- 5 J. de la Riva - Sacramento - to Gen. M.G.V. - compliment V. for his services in the Legislature - speaks of his lands in Sonoma abt State Capital & other matters.
- 8 Eugene M. Legray - S.F. - represents French settlers - to Gen. M.G.V. - about leasing of ranch at Petaluma - their location, number, occupations, & advantages they can bring to country around Petaluma &c.
- 14 J. de la Riva - Sonoma - to M. G. V. - recommending Victor Cassaignes.
- 17 J. Lightston - S. F. - to M. G. V. - invitation to a wedding.
- 20 J. de la Riva - Petaluma - to M. G. V. - abt the ranch Petaluma &c.
- 25 J. H. Wright - Washington - to M. G. V. - abt the interest given to him in city of Vallejo, which is to be transferred to Palmer, Cook & Co. appropriation for dry dock pass^d by Congress - contract made for building it, and amount.
- 27 C. B. Kellogg, M. G. V. - and J. de la Riva, represent for dividing Vallejo into lots.
- 28 R. N. Wood - S.F. - to Gen. M.G.V. - requests introductions to parties in Mex.
- 28 H. Lee - Monterey - to Capt. J. B. Fitch - abt a suit between Joseph Swason & D. Brown.
- Feb. 11 A. B. Thompson - S.F. - to S. W. Rogers - order to pay money to M. G. V.
- 25 J. de la Riva - S.F. - to Gen. M.G.V. - abt creation of public buildings at S.F.
- March 11 John C. Brown - Napa City - to Gen. M.G.V. - on need of funds private business.
- 4 J. de la Riva - Benicia - to Gen. M.G.V. - complaint of outrages by Col. Est. - the letter is addressed to V. as Comandante Genl de la Alta California, and as a superior authority to the other.
- 6 Unsigned deed by S. M. V. & mona to Geo. W. Cornwall for land in Napa valley.
- 15 Edmund Panauz - San Jose - to M. G. V. - on private business.
- 24 J. C. Cooper - Nevada City - to M. G. V. - about property of former in Sonoma.
- 25 J. de la Riva - S.F. - to M. G. V. - abt cattle.
- 25 J. de la Riva - S.F. - to M. G. V. - abt land, cattle &c.
- 26 D. Jones - S.F. - Mrs Fitch's Hotel Bill.
- 26 J. de la Riva - Monterey - to M. G. V. - abt letters from Mex. and a Commission as Col. issued to V. by the Mexⁿ Govt.
- April 4 J. de la Riva - claim on M. G. V. - for wages, before the Judicial District.
- 4 Gregory - S.F. - to Gen. M.G.V. - abt a suit instituted by V. agt him in Solano County.
- 7 Measures for organizing who party in Cal^y.
- 7 John Wilson - S.F. - to Gen. M.G.V. - on political matters - wants to be candidate for St. Louis.
- 12 John Chavon - S.F. - to Gen. M.G.V. - about cattle & other private business.
- 20 C. H. Gillespie - Woods' Diggins - Tuolumne Co. - to Gen. M. G. V. - abt families from Texas - desiring to settle in Napa Valley - wants to know V's terms for 10000 acres of land.
- 21 H. R. Parry & Rollings - S.F. - Offer services as attorneys to act for claimants of land in Cal^y before the U. S. Court of Claims.
- May 12 D. Resignans - Napa - Rec^d for cattle from Salvi Vallejo.
- 12 Mr. J. de la Riva - S.F. - to Gen. M.G.V. - abt a draft.
- 13 Rev. Bishop Jos. Alamy - S.F. - to Gen. M.G.V. - recommending Father J. Shanahan.
- 17 J. de la Riva - S.F. - to Gen. M. G. V. - abt a promissory note destroyed by fire.
- 21 A. M. de la Riva - Los Angeles - to Gen. M. G. V. - family letter.

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- 9 Herman Kohler. S. F. to Gen. M. G. V. - abt vote for location of State Capital.
- 10 Wm. Boston. Sonoma. to Gen. M. G. V. - acc^{to} for advertise in "New Review to the Society."
- 10 Teodoro Soto. Ranch del Hambro. to Gen. M. G. V. - abt the affairs of her land before the Court.
- 10 S. W. Knight. Washington. to Gen. M. G. V. - offering his services.
- 11 Idofe de Zavala Benicia - to Gen. M. G. V. - abt supplying water to S. F. &c.
- 11 Wm. D. Dean. N. York. to Gen. M. G. V. - abt affairs of the Capital of Cal^a - the Navy yard - efforts to have custom house on Bay of Napa &c.
- 13 M. G. V. - Satisornia. to Mess Carson - abt Mon. Stead & the ranch Satisornia.
- 25 R. J. de la Roca. Napa. to M. G. V. - abt property of V. Higuera, which he thinks V. is too harassing upon - and V. is ally of same State.
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- 13 Wm. J. Mary. Empire City. to M. G. V. - request of support of his candidature for Secy of State.
- 14 Idofe Amati. Monterey. to M. G. V. - abt lands, & lawsuits with the Courts.
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- Unassigned lease of land belonging to Gen. M. G. Vallejo.
- Jan 1 Carlos A. Carrillo. La Habra. to Gen. M. G. V. - in behalf of S. C. Fremont as candidate for Senator
- 5 Jho^e A. White. Sacramento. to Gen. M. G. V. - compliment of V. for his services in the Legislature - speaks of his lands in Sacramento abt State Capital & other matters.
- 8 Eugene M. Legay. S. F. - represent of French settlers to Gen. M. G. V. - about leasing of ranch at Petaluma. their position, number, occupations, & advantages they can bring to country around Petaluma &c.
- 14 Jho^e C. Sutter. Stock Farm. to M. G. V. - Sacramento. Victor Casanoves.
- 17 J. Lightston. S. F. to M. G. V. - invitation to a new dwelling.
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- 25 Jno^e C. McKenzia. S. F. to Gen. M. G. V. - abt creation of public buildings at S. F.
- March 4 John C. Brown. Napa. to Gen. M. G. V. - on road of funds - private business.
- 4 Josi Bedoya. Benicia. to Gen. M. G. V. - complaining of outrages by Col. Estil - the latter is addressed to V. as Comandante Genl de la Alta California, and as a superior authority to the other.
- 6 Unassigned deed by J. M. V. - Sonoma. to Geo. N. Cornwall. for land in Napa valley.
- 15 Emmet Parauz. San Jose. to M. G. V. - on private business.
- 24 S. C. Cooper. Nevada City. to M. G. V. - about property of former in Sonoma
- 25 J. Chavont. S. F. to M. G. V. - abt cattle
- 25 A. Sen. S. F. to M. G. V. - abt land, cattle &c.
- 26 J. J. J. Mrs. Fitch's Hotel Bill.
- 26 Jno^e de L. Carlos. Monterey. to M. G. V. - abt letters from Mex. and a Commission as Col. issued to V. by the Mex^o Govt.
- April 4 J. P. R. Sittja. claim on M. G. V. - for wages. before the Judicial District.
- 4 Gregory Hale. S. F. to Gen. M. G. V. - abt a suit instituted by V. agt him in Solano County.
- 7 Measures for organizing whig party in Cal^a
- 7 John Wilson. S. F. to Gen. M. G. V. - on political matters - wants to be candidate for Lt. Govt.
- 12 John Chavon. S. F. to Gen. M. G. V. - about cattle & other private business.
- 20 C. K. Gillespie. Woods. Digging. Tuolumne Co. to Gen. M. G. V. - abt families from Tenn. desiring to settle in Napa Valley. wants to know V's terms for 10000 acres of land.
- 21 Walter R. Peary & Billings. S. F. Offer services as attorneys to act for claimants of land in Cal^a before the U. S. Court of Claims.
- May 12 D. Basignano. Napa. Ret. for cattle from S. F. Vallejo.
- 12 Wm. J. Camos. S. F. to Gen. M. G. V. - abt a draft.
- 13 Rev. Bishop Josie. Olinariy. S. F. to Gen. M. G. V. - recommending Father J. Shana han.
- 17 Jno^e Parrott. S. F. to Gen. M. G. V. - abt a promise of note destroyed by fire.
- 21 A. M. Lopez. Los Angeles. to Gen. M. G. V. - family letter.

1851

May 31 S. Haydenfordt. S. J. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. abt buying a homestead from Gen. M. G. Vallejo.

June 27 Jose M. Villa. Deposition before C. P. McKim, Comis. for Panama Co.

" 7 Horace H. H. S. J. to John B. Tridick. abt State Prison Contract

" 9 D. B. Fowler. S. J. to S. J. Tridick. abt offer to purchase his share in lots

" 10 W. C. Jones. S. J. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. abt private library of the latter.

" 10 Cadwalader Kinggold. Washington. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. Recommendation of B. Lewis. speaks also of being desirous to the job duty of his illustration charts of Cal.

" 13 O. C. Ketchum. Benicia. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. private matters.

" 13 Dillon, Consul of France. S. J. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. recommends a young French man.

" 16 S. J. Tridick. Benicia. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. abt title of his ranch

" 17 Jose Benigno de la Cruz. S. J. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. abt cattle business.

" 25 J. P. Leasa. Monterey. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. abt private affairs

" 26 W. S. M. John. S. J. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. abt a chain pump &c

July 9 Jules Cheron. S. J. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. on Petaluma.

" 16 Miss State Pick of the Evening Post. also a leader headed Vallejo. Where is the Capital?

" 17 A. C. Ochs. S. J. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. abt the State Capital. &c.

" 18 H. Schlemmer. Sacramento. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. Recommendation of Dr. Schlemmer. as a tutor for his child. on expenses done to know Vallejo, of whom he heard much in Russia, England, and France.

" 26 Robt M. McLane. S. J. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. abt U. S. States. also abt sent of State Govt. measures recommended to secure its location in Vallejo.

Aug 10 Herman McKier. S. J. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. intro. Aug. Dorch.

" 22 Mem. of Com. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. abt M. Knight. lease of land. (document assigned)

" 24 S. J. Douglas. Sacramento. abt securing location of State Capital at Vallejo.

" 30 Saml. L. L. S. J. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. intro. M. Jones & other private business.

Sept 4 Robt M. McLane. S. J. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. abt conference with Col. Fremont on his claims agt U. S. Govt. also abt sale of cattle.

" 11 W. S. M. Hopkins. Benicia. abt coal beds in Spanish Valley.

" 21 M. G. Vallejo. Benicia. to S. J. Tridick. abt cattle in Petaluma ranch.

" 22 M. G. Vallejo. Benicia. to M. G. Vallejo. abt sale of cattle.

" 28 Marion P. Love. S. J. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. abt horses and mares.

" 29 Robinson & Redell. Benicia. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. abt error in number of part of land bought by the S. J. Tridick. and for another deed rectifying the error.

Oct 8 W. S. M. L. Benicia. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. offer to purchase land.

" 9 Assign. deed of conveyance from M. G. Vallejo to S. J. Tridick.

" 11 Robt M. McLane. S. J. to M. G. Vallejo. abt a claim of the latter for M. G. Vallejo

" 11 M. G. Vallejo. Bill of sale of cattle to W. S. M. L. dated 10th.

" 11 J. P. Borques. Sonoma. to M. G. Vallejo. abt a horse in the Commission's custody.

" 13 M. G. Vallejo. S. J. to M. G. Vallejo. abt floral agricultural exhibition to take place on 25th requests Gen. V. to send his most precious specimens of flowers, fruit &c

1851

Oct 13 Robt M. McLane. S. J. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. abt cattle & other business.

" 14 Apt. M. C. O. Punta de Reyes. to M. G. Vallejo. for a loan of money at 3 or 4 per cent.

" 14 Ant. M. C. O. Punta de Reyes. to M. G. Vallejo. abt cattle. & the loan of money at 3 or 4 per cent.

" 21 Chas. P. Pickett. Sacramento. to M. G. Vallejo. abt destruction by fire of books of the latter times &c

" 22 J. P. McManus. S. J. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. abt current with Gen. M. G. Vallejo.

" 22 M. B. Lewis & M. G. Vallejo. S. J. contract for erecting buildings in Vallejo, payable in cattle.

" 23 Guadalupe West. Vallejo. to M. G. Vallejo. abt cattle.

" 24 W. M. M. M. S. J. to M. G. Vallejo. abt sale of consignment of grapes.

" 28 M. B. Lewis. Vallejo. to M. G. Vallejo. abt cattle &c

Nov 6 Robt M. McLane. S. J. to M. G. Vallejo. abt business transactions.

" 15 Robt M. McLane. S. J. to M. G. Vallejo. on several matters of private interest. speaks of the Prison contract among them.

" 25 Robt M. McLane. S. J. to S. J. Tridick. on matters of private interest.

" 23 A. C. McDonald. Sonoma. sent for money from M. G. Vallejo.

" 24 Robt M. McLane. Sonoma. Mem. of Council to Board of Directors of the California Association for establishing Calif. State Capital in Vallejo.

Dec 6 H. W. Haller. Judge Advocate. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. summoning him as a witness at trial of Col. Hooker.

" 8 H. W. Haller. S. J. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. cert. that Gen. Vallejo was in attend. at Court Martial, no copy.

" 10 S. J. Tridick. S. J. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. abt cattle negotiations. refers also to Gen. Green's operations abt Vallejo city in the East &c.

" 22 Robt M. McLane. S. J. abt sale of the local ranch.

" 12 Gen. H. Wall. M. B. Davis. Vallejo. City. indebtedness incurred in family capital & offices in Vallejo. loss of cattle. money raised. extra work &c.

1852

Jan 8 Senator M. G. Vallejo. to Senator Pablo de la Guerra. recommends him to cast his vote for Fremont as U. S. Senator.

" 8 M. G. Vallejo. Dist. to Legislature of Cal. abt the seat of Govt.

" 9 L. Leslie. Vallejo. Cal. to M. G. Vallejo. abt the above. petition.

" 17 Ant. Pons's declaration before a Justice of Sonoma Co. about cattle.

" 30 Juan Padilla. Sacramento. to Gen. Vallejo. about money matters.

Feb 2 Robt M. McLane. S. J. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. about operations in land. the bond of the latter about Vallejo city &c.

" 16 Fred. R. Willing. S. J. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. abt transactions in land, money, cattle &c.

" 16 S. J. P. P. Camp. was Sta. Tabel on route for the latter, to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. incidents of journey. propositions for crossing 90 miles desert. and other private matters.

" 17 O. C. Ketchum. S. J. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. or Capt. S. J. Tridick. abt one. cattle &c.

" 22 Robt M. McLane. off. Alcahuete. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. abt the Gen's son Andronicus. wants the Gen. to write a memoir abt certain lands, & expresses what should be done with them.

March 15 J. P. del Valle. S. J. to M. G. Vallejo. request him to collect a debt.

" 19 M. B. Lewis. off. U. S. Surveyor. S. J. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. on survey of a ranch.

" 31 S. J. Tridick. Sacramento. to S. J. P. P. abt Gen. Vallejo's bond in connection with Vallejo city. propositions before Legislature &c.

" 31 S. J. Tridick. Sacramento. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. photograph of State Capital going back to Vallejo, and of his house from the latter.

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1852.

April 1 Robt. M. Kane. Balt. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo on private affairs, & on his journey to Washington on public affairs.

" 4 Thos. S. Green. Sacram. to Gen. M. G. V. about a deed for lots in Vallejo city - prospects of the capital being finally fixed in Vallejo.

" 4 Robt. M. Kane. Balt. to Gen. M. G. V. abt cattle on Losol Ranch, transferred to Col. Fremont.

" 10 Fred Billings. S. F. to Gen. M. G. V. about private matters.

" 10 Fred Billings. Sacram. to Gen. M. G. V. about private matters.

" 27 D. Dodge. Sacram. to Gen. M. G. V. about land & cattle.

May - A. A. Cox. Butte Office to M. G. V. on result of late election.

" 2 M. G. Vallejo. Platania to M. G. V. abt land.

" 21 L. L. Combs of San Francisco to M. G. V. ask information abt title of land.

June 5 S. W. Redman. S. F. to Gen. M. G. V. abt money for M. G. Vallejo's Convention at Sacramento.

" 5 S. W. Redman. S. F. to Gen. M. G. V. on title of ranch near Peruvia or Sagora.

July 3 S. H. Cass. Sacram. to Gen. M. G. V. return of protest of a draft on Col. Hester's order of Pass Pass.

" 17 P. Kestronoff. S. F. to M. G. V. abt his departure, show friendship for V. & Co.

" 19 Robt. M. Kane. Balt. to Fred Billings abt transactions in land with Green & Piggs of Washington.

" 20 M. G. V. & Mr. Brackett. Sonoma. contract to erect a house in Benicia.

" 21 David B. B. Knapp. S. F. to Gen. M. G. V. wanting his testimony abt matter of library.

" 25 Juan N. Padilla. Los Angeles to M. G. V. abt personal matters.

" 26 W. C. Cornwall. Sta. Barba to M. G. V. on his intention to be a candidate for that county.

" 27 Victor Prudon. S. F. to M. G. V. on personal matters.

Aug 17 Saml. B. Stewart. S. F. to M. G. V. abt carpenter's work.

" 23 P. S. Blum. to Capt. Garcia. S. F. abt cattle.

" 24 Saml. C. Gray. Benicia to Gen. M. G. V. abt Benicia male academy.

" 26 J. P. Brand. Vallejo. Robert to repair one wheel & build another in Vallejo.

Sept 11 W. H. H. Hill. Vallejo. to Gen. M. G. V. abt lots to build upon in Vallejo.

" 11 M. G. V. Sonoma. to J. Vallejo. about accounts between them.

" 21 M. G. V. & Seneca Luso. contract for raising &c on Platania ranch.

" 30 Chas. M. Howe. Vallejo. to Gen. M. G. V. - map of Platania, a ranch on a range of Platania Valley - wants to know nature boundary of Losol tract.

Oct 5 Elias Miller. S. F. to Gen. M. G. V. abt land.

" 6 Benj. S. Lippincott. P. St. Antonio to M. G. V. recommending Cal. Mannes, as a candidate for the Legislature.

" 15 G. R. Smith. S. F. to M. M. Malone. abt a claim agt. Vallejo.

Nov. 8 Thos. P. Madden. Benicia to Capt. Frisbie, abt private matters - also, abt to be paid.

" 13 Jas. B. Hine. S. F. to Gen. M. G. V. introducing Mr. W. Thompson.

" 24 John Bigler. Benicia to Gen. M. G. V. introducing Washington tract.

" 25 Robt. M. Kane. Balt. to Fred Billings on Vallejo's claims & many others before U.S. Congress - this letter is not complete.

Dec 16 Curtis Clark. S. F. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo. about lands.

" 17 J. B. Frisbie. S. F. to Gen. M. G. V. abt private business.

" 25 P. S. Gordon. S. F. to Capt. Minnott. about charter of a brig.

1853

M. G. Vallejo & Benicia. S. F. wife. Sonoma. Unsign. bill of sale of a lot in Sonoma. to Doreen Nathanson.

Benicia S. F. Vallejo - a list of her city property.

Jan 3 A. H. Brown. to J. B. Carr. abt cattle.

" 27 M. G. Vallejo. Sonoma. to John Bigler, Gov. of Cal. abt V's bonds to the State in connection with Vallejo city.

Feb. 7 Ant. Pico. S. Diego. to M. G. V. abt fruit trade.

" 15 Mrs. Simantova. S. F. to M. G. V. explanation of words to V.

" 25 J. M. Stenstry. S. Diego. to Capt. J. B. Frisbie. claiming his assistance to prepare a manual on missions & Indians of Cal.

March 10 George Con. Bissell. S. F. to M. G. V. abt purchase of ranch of Capt. Vallejo.

May 5 Heland & Boughton. Sonoma. Bill agt. M. G. V. receipts & paid.

" 11 Platon Vallejo's city property.

" 11 Natalia Vallejo's city property.

" 11 John B. Frisbie's city property.

" 15 D. Thompson Hine. Sonoma. to Gen. M. G. V. abt purchase of land.

" 19 Robt. M. Kane. Balt. to J. B. Frisbie. abt Andrés Vallejo's papers.

" 20 Joseph Steele. S. F. to Gen. M. G. V. abt horse &c.

June. M. G. V. Sonoma. to Ramon de Galdo. inability to attend V. Castro's marriage - sends good wishes &c.

" 2 Chas. Drummond. Sacram. to Gen. M. G. V. abt engine.

" 4 J. B. Starr. Sacram. to Gen. M. G. V. solvent & his influence in wheat trade.

" 6 Chas. W. Bondy. Vallejo. to Gen. M. G. V. abt business in hay.

" 7 Ramon de Galdo. S. F. to Gen. M. G. V. about land titles.

" 16 Gen. P. R. Cooper. Yerba Buena to Gen. M. G. V. abt a voyage to China. 18 Jan.

" 16 J. B. Frisbie. S. F. to Gen. M. G. V. on Losol Ranch, expenses incurred in various enterprises &c. letter dated 11th Jan.

" 16 W. P. Swing. Vallejo. to Gen. M. G. V. letter of 11th Jan. abt vote in House of Representatives in favor of Vallejo for site of State capital.

" 16 Victor Castro. Contra Costa. to M. G. V. on family matters.

" 19 J. H. Jenkins. Sonoma. to Gen. M. G. V. with a small present of Patavola wine.

" 24 Martin C. Cook. to M. G. V. private business not expressed.

July 6 Sister Doyle. S. F. to Gen. & Mrs. M. G. Vallejo. invitation to school examinations.

" 20 Saml. C. Gray. Benicia to Gen. M. G. V. inviting him to become a visitor of the Female Seminary.

Aug 2 J. B. Briggs. Sonoma. to Gen. M. G. V. on agreement for taxes on his property.

" 16 M. G. V. & C. Marsh. Sonoma. contract for raising hogs.

" 19 M. J. de la Cruz. Monterey. to M. G. V. abt his promise to give him lumber for a house.

" 19 J. S. Fowler. Sacram. to M. G. V. for purchase of a lot of wild mares.

" 22 J. Larrain. San Luis. to M. G. V. on private business.

" 24 J. C. Logan. S. F. to M. G. V. abt purchasing W. S. Ranch.

" 24 J. W. Ryder. Sonoma. estimate of daily expense of a daily line of stage to & from Benicia &c.

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1853
 Aug. 25 Letter of a letter from Sonoma to Andronico & Platon Vallejo - abt contents of their letters
 " 30 Cynthia Vanston to Gen. M. G. V. sending a book & express of gratitude &c.
 Sept. 1 Warren & Son. S. F. to Gen. M. G. V. send products of his farm, and inviting to attend the Agricultural Fair in S. F.
 " 2 W. S. Bryant. Benicia to Gen. M. G. V. on contemplated contract V. and offers to send the proceedings if an agreement is entered into with writer.
 " 5 Octavio C. Green. Placerville Hotel to Gen. M. G. V. invitation to his family to visit here
 " 5 Warren & Son. S. F. to Gen. M. G. V. on Agricultural Fair, want fruit to grow Vallejo grounds &c.
 " 18 Sonoma to H. C. Logan - abt settlement of estate of the Penas.
 " 24 Levi. Albany & his brother - on land matters
 " 27 Jas. H. Watson. S. F. - a proposal to buy a lease of ranch Balsa de Capitan &c.
 Oct. 8 J. G. Nagant to Gen. M. G. V. solicits assistance, wants V. agt Americans &c, wants land, money and a horse
 " 14 Martin C. Cook. S. F. to Gen. M. G. V. request of his presence at sales.
 " 26 J. Popson. Placerville to Gen. M. G. V. - private business.
 " 30 Julio Carrillo. Sonoma - Letter of Atty to M. G. V. to sell his right to set certain lands.
 " 30 Julio Carrillo. Sonoma - list of his real & personal estate.
 Nov. 7 M. G. V. Sonoma - permission to Christ Meaters to cut wood, at W. of Sonoma &c.
 Dec. 24 Jose Vallejo. San Luis Obispo. to his mother, family matters

1854
 Jan. 1 Inventory of Mrs. Benicia J. Vallejo's rural & town property.
 " 25 Last Will & Testament of Mrs. M. Ant. Lugo de Vallejo, mother of Gen. M. G. Vallejo.
 Feb. 10 P. C. Carrillo. Benicia. Address to his constituents.
 March 18 J. P. Hines. S. F. to Gen. M. G. V. Introducing L. Nichol.
 " 20 J. del Castillo Nagate. San Diego. to M. G. V. asking for assistance to destitute families who have arrived there, fleeing from the gold hunters, under Walker, who have been committing robberies &c on the Mex. frontier.
 May 25 Ant. Pena. Santa Clara. about sale of a house and lot.
 July 3 Andrieo Pico. S. F. to M. G. V. recommending a letter.
 Aug. 16 J. del Castillo Nagate. S. F. to M. G. V. on his destitute condition. speaks also of a pronunciamento in La Paz, headed by Chavez &c.
 Sept 20 Philip Hamilton to Geo. Willings. Extract - on claims of Gen. Vallejo & others agt the U. States.
 Nov. 2 Pedro Vallejo de Madrans. S. F. to M. G. V. - on private matters.
 " 16 Asi Amesti & Jones Hoy. contract for sale of land in Sta Cruz county.
 Dec. 1 Warren & Son. S. F. to M. G. V. - Premiums awarded to Vallejo at Agricultural Fair.

1855.

Feb. 20 M. G. Vallejo & Adam Shaw. Sonoma. lease of orchard and vineyard.
 March 3 Victor Pruden. S. F. to M. G. V. difficulties in selling or mortgaging property.
 " 5 M. U. Nyer. S. F. to M. G. V. - asking for letter of introduction to Bishop. Henning.
 " 15 Geo. C. Hanson. Port Ford. Oregon. to M. G. V. abt an officer of Mrs. Army, named Jacob Peter, known in Mex. as Terrel Vallejo - other matters of history.
 " 22 J. M. Serrano. Sacramento. to Gen. M. G. V. abt V. Pruden's appointment to a position.
 April 23 R. Aug. Thompson & B. Barwell. Land Comrs. summons to M. G. V. to appear & give testimony. S. B. Howard. W. U.S.
 " 26 Josefa Iguera de Cordero. Sonoma. to Jose de San. Berreyra. on family affairs.
 June 21 Sarah M. Luce. S. F. - proposal to buy cattle of J. de la Sierra.
 July 23 Guadalupe West. Sonoma - printed in la Cronica, de las causas, certain charges of J. de la Sierra Berreyra agt Gen. Vallejo, in reference to her husband's estate, to be false & calumnious &c.
 Oct. 3 A letter to Principal of St. Mary's College - abt an article in S. F. Herald.
 " 5 Ramon de Galdo. S. F. to M. G. Vallejo. congratulations on his daughter's success in her studies.
 " 19 District Court of the 1st District - summoning M. G. V. & Martin. Cook to answer complaint of Public Administrator of Sonoma &c.
 Nov. 15 Herman Ehrenberg. S. F. to Gen. M. G. V. - on claims of land in Sonoma.
 " 23 Jenny Van Meir. St. Mary's College. to M. G. V. - abt pencils.
 " 27 Isaac V. Denniston. S. F. to Capt. Frisbie. - abt his (Isaac's) wife's estate.
 " 30 Robt. M. McLane. Balt. - to Gen. M. G. V. - abt Andronico's progress & quiet behavior.
 Dec. 11 J. P. Frisbie. Vallejo - to M. G. V. - abt money matters.

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1856

Jan 2 Pochs, Bay Area. S. \$400 to M. G. Vallejo. Claiming money.

Apr. 14 Cuervo Kesse. S. \$700 to R. de Galdo. abt survey of a ranch sold by Gen. Vallejo.

" 14 Ramon de Galdo. S. \$700 to Gen. M. G. V. - abt Kesse's request of this date.

June 3 Hon. S. Henry. S. \$400 to Gen. M. G. V. Circular for information abt Indians in Cal.

July 23 Copy of the Spanish journal "El Eco del Pacifico" published in S. \$400

Sept 1 Inventory of property leased by Ponce & Clemente.

" 4 Char. Lamberton. Monterey. to M. G. V. - abt will of estate of M. de Jesus Vallejo. &c.

Nov. 4 J. Seymour. S. \$400 to Gen. M. G. V. - a friendly letter, unimportant.

" 26 Hon. S. Henry. Superintendent of Indian Affairs. S. \$400 to Gen. M. G. Vallejo, send him commission as Special Indian Agent & giving instructions.

1857

July 11 P. J. Brooks. S. \$400 to Gen. M. G. V. - Confirmation of ranch in

March 10 P. J. Brooks. Napa. to Gen. M. G. V. - abt deed of land.

March 20 P. J. Brooks. Napa. to Gen. M. G. V. - abt money matters.

" 23 M. T. Newman. S. \$400 to M. G. V. - abt money matters.

Apr. 4 P. J. Brooks. S. \$400 to M. G. V. - abt money matters.

" 9 P. J. Brooks. S. \$400 to Gen. M. G. V. - explains how he is in survey of ranch Canada del Hambro

" 20 Pablo de la Guerra. Senate Chamber. Sacramento. to M. G. V. - on death of M. G. V. - abt money matters.

" 20 C. H. Wagoner. Santa Rosa. to M. G. V. - abt money matters - also abt estate of M. G. V.

" 21 P. de la Guerra. Sacramento. to M. G. V. - abt money matters.

" 24 Copies of two letters. Sonoma. to Pablo de la Guerra - friendly letters.

" 25 P. de la Guerra. Sacramento. to M. G. V. - on death of M. G. V. - abt the closing of the Legislature &c.

" 27 P. de la Guerra. Sacramento. to M. G. V. - abt money matters.

" 27 Widow West. Sonoma. - abt land, documents &c.

May 20 Brooks. S. \$400 to Gen. M. G. V. - abt letters of Ramon de Galdo &c.

" 23 P. J. Brooks. S. \$400 to Gen. M. G. V. - abt money matters.

" 25 Brooks. S. \$400 to Gen. M. G. V. - abt money matters.

July 14 Report on conduct of P. Vallejo at S. \$400 College.

" 27 Transfer of Recome of Col. P. B. Walker's stock on land grants.

" 31 Mrs. W. W. W. S. \$400 to M. G. V. - abt money matters.

Aug 10 W. W. W. S. \$400 to Gen. M. G. V. - abt Juan Cortes's estate.

" 11 M. G. Vallejo. S. \$400 to Gen. M. G. V. - family matters.

Oct 22 M. G. Vallejo. S. \$400 to Gen. M. G. V. - sales of fruit &c.

Nov. 19 Henry Cook. S. \$400 to Gen. M. G. V. - transfer of interest in a ranch.

" 20 Espinosa. S. \$400 to Gen. M. G. V. - abt cattle.

Dec 13 M. G. Vallejo. S. \$400 to Gen. M. G. V. - finish lower story of Capital building in Vallejo.

1858

July 23 Ramon Mendoza. S. \$400 to Gen. M. G. V. - abt money matters.

March 1 P. J. Brooks. S. \$400 to Gen. M. G. V. - private business.

April 8 S. D. H. Patton. Sonoma. to Gen. M. G. V. - on survey of land. &c.

" 15 S. D. H. Patton. Sonoma. to Gen. M. G. V. - abt a debt of Mrs. Prudencia Vallejo de Comas.

Oct 10 A. Larrain. Sonoma. to Gen. M. G. V. - on survey of land. &c.

Nov. 24 A. Larrain. Sonoma. to Gen. M. G. V. - abt grape planting.

1859

Jan 8 A. Larrain. Sonoma. to Gen. M. G. V. - on survey of land. &c.

" 15 Ramon Mendoza. S. \$400 to Gen. M. G. V. - abt letters sent to P. de la Guerra.

" 18 P. J. Brooks. S. \$400 to Gen. M. G. V. - abt an Oradicon horse.

" 24 A. Larrain. Sonoma. to Gen. M. G. V. - sends him Chinese sugar cane seeds.

Feb 24 P. J. Brooks. S. \$400 to Gen. M. G. V. - offer to share him with interest in ranch.

" 26 S. D. H. Patton. Sonoma. to Gen. M. G. V. - abt the Ketchikan place.

Dec. 8 P. de la Guerra. Santa Rosa. to Gen. M. G. V. - on arrival of papers of approach of Christmas.

1860

May 7 J. de la Guerra. Sonoma. notifies Gen. M. G. Vallejo of his election as Mayor of Sonoma.

1862

Feb. 3 H. L. Weston. Sonoma. to Gen. M. G. Vallejo - thanks for present of fruit &c.

1863

Nov. 5 C. D. S. S. \$400 to Gen. M. G. V. - private business.

1864

May 25 J. de la Guerra. Sonoma. to Gen. M. G. V. - Return of thanks for favors.

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1865

U. S. Internal Revenue - Annual Taxes - 1865.

1866

Sept. 24 M. G. Vallejo - Sonoma to Sr. W. Duwittle. on incidents of Cal. history in 1846

1868.

Sept 25 W. Duwittle. S. F. to W. W. Chipman. accompanying copy of our address.

1869

Oct 2 Sal. Vallejo - Sonoma - to Pablo. about lands

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June 7 Emile Dandieu - Sonoma - to Gen. M. G. Vallejo - abt French agriculturists.

1843

July 4 George M. Penney - S. F. - Oration on Independence day.

Sept 20 M. G. Vallejo - Sonoma - to Pato Vallejo - about several Priests.

1844

May 6 M. G. Vallejo - Sonoma - Remarks on the extent of the twenty the missions of Cal. - their productions, character of the herophytes &c -

April 10 Salvador Vallejo - Sonoma - Data abt John A. Sutter.

Nov. 6 Mem. by C. Erruti. Remarks by Mrs. Argiello, widow of Gen. Luis Argiello of Col. upon the annex. letter from Gov. Figueroa to Baron Von Wrangel, Gov of Russian possessions - this letter was delivered by sub. - Lt M. G. Vallejo at Fort Ross.

- "Poetical" affusion by a private soldier in 1842 when Mons. Duplet d' Muffas was imprisoned at S. Antonio by Capt Juan Pico.

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Viopet, Jean Isaacson, 1799-1855; Santa Ana M. Guadalupe Valley, Jan. 10, 1849 1

San Francisco

Recommending Dr. Edmond Petrel who
wishes to establish residence in Sonoma.
He is leaving soon for Central America

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Señor
Don M.^o Guadalupe Valljo
Sonoma.

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1849-Enero 10. San Francisco el 10 de Enero 1849.
(Abajo el extracto)

Señor Don M. Guadalupe Valljo
Sonoma.

Muy Señor mio,

Tomo la libertad de recomendar a V.^o el
Señor Doctor en Medicina Don Damián Pabst que
va establecerse en Sonoma. El es francés
y me parece bien instruido en su oficio.
He tenido o mejor decir tengo todavía
toda mi familia enferma del Sarampión
y espero q. V.^o ha tenido la fortuna q.
la familia ha escapado esos males.
Voy a salir pronto para el centro America
en un buque mio q. me ha llegado en
Octubre pasado pero por la falta de
marineros no he podido hasta ahora
salir del puerto. a mi regreso he de
levar el gusto de verlo y podremos hacer
algún Negocio. Estimare q. ha en buena
salud y reciba V.^o las expelencias

1849 Enero 10. San Francisco. Respectuosos de la muy att. Servid.
Juan J. Viogot escriba al Sr. Valljo
recomendandole a doctor Pabst
quien piensa establecerse en Sonoma
J. J. Viogot.

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Larkin, Thomas Oellogg, 1802-1858 : [Letter to] M. G. Vallejo, Jan. 16, 1845

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San Francisco

Re financial matters. With sq^{ts}
draft and receipt of same signed by
Lewis P. Leese.

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1849, Jan 16, San Francisco
Lumber & money transaction between Gustin Valijo
and Leese San Francisco Jan 16-1849

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Dear Friend

I have drawn on you for the
sum of a dollar on acct. of the nine
hundred dollars contract against Dr
Bale I told you. you must pay
in three months without having re-
ference to when you obtained the
lumber. I selling it at that price
being under market price - I do
not draw for more. I owe you a balance
my Brother going a voyage asks you a
loan of 2400\$. Supposing you have idle
funds. I hope you will lend it -

A vessel leaves here next week
for the Oregon and 15 hours for

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Bonicia. I have made a contract with a Person to spend 75 000 in houses there this year the same next year and have a lumber yard.

When my ambition to trade cools a little, I am coming to stay some time with you and expect you go to N-Y in the Steamer with me this summer.

Yrs.

Yrs with much esteem and respects to your Lady and children I am

Thomas O. Larkin

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San Francisco 16 Jan. 1849

At Sight please pay J. P. Luce on order Six hundred Dollars in gold dust at fifteen dollars per Troy ounce, and charge to of contract against E. J. Bale. for lumber, sold to you

Thomas O. Larkin

To M. G. Vallejo

Sonoma

Received the amount a bo mentioned say thirty seven ounces and a half of Gold Dust

Sonoma Jan 23 / 1849
Jacob P. Luce

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Graham, Hugh : Article of agreement. Jan. 17, 1849

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Summa

with M. G. Kellogg re building a
house on Renwick. Draft, unsigned.

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1849 - (Vase al final extracto) 22
Articles of Agreement, made this ^{17th} ~~18th~~ day of January 17th 1849 between ~~Henry~~ ^{Henry} ~~Johnson~~ ^{Johnson} of the first part and ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~9~~ ⁹ ~~Parties~~ ^{Parties} of the second part both parties being of Sonoma, Alta California, ~~Witness~~ that the said party of the first part for and consideration of the sum of eleven hundred and fifty dollars ~~and~~ do hereby agree to and with the said party of the second part to prepare and erect the frame of a building one hundred feet front and twenty two feet wide and three feet high in the city of Sonoma, Alta California, the said frame to be completed in the best workmanlike manner the said party of the second part furnishing the necessary ~~material~~ timber and paying ~~for~~ upon the completion of the work above mentioned the above specified sum of money providing the work upon the said building frame be as above conditioned. ~~Witness~~ Whereof the said parties have hereunto set their hands & seals this 17th day of Jan^y 1849

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Agreement between H Graham
and M. G. Vallejo about erection
of a building.

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Fitch, Josefa (Carrillo) de, 1810 - : (Carta a) Guadalupe Valles, Jun. 25, 1849

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San Diego

Announcing the death of her husband on Jun. 14 and asking his assistance in settling the estate.

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1849- Enero 25. *Josefa D. Vallejo - Death of her husband* 24
his will, testament & estate - made & inventory of ranch Sotoyoma

A la Vta el extracto - 25 de Enero 1849

José D. Guadalupe Vallejo no 4
Sonoma

Querido Hermano. Tengo que anunciar a Vmd la infuanta noticia del fallecimiento de mi amado Esposo D. Enrique el dia 14 del corriente de resultas de una fiebre pulmonaria, que le ataco el dia 1º

En su testamento deja dispuesto que yo sea su Abocada juntamente con mis dos hijos mayores que estan ausentes y no pueden obrar hasta su mayoria. En el interin tengo que valerme de Vmd para que me ayude con su consejo y entre otras cosas quiero que me haga Vmd el favor de que inmediatamente que reciba esta haga inventario con toda escrupulosidad de todos los bienes y enseres del Rancho de Sotoyoma y dejarlo como estaba pues mi marido tenia toda confianza en el Sr. Moses Carson - Yo sabre quanto antes pueda pero creo que no sera este ano

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Me hara el favor de mandarme copia del inventario y darme lo informes y consejos que crea justo y sera un favor que le agradecere.

Hagame Vno el favor de comunicar la muerte de mi esposa a mi S. madre y a todos los parientes y amigos para que lo encomienden a Dios en sus oraciones y Vno disponga de la Hermana que le amo

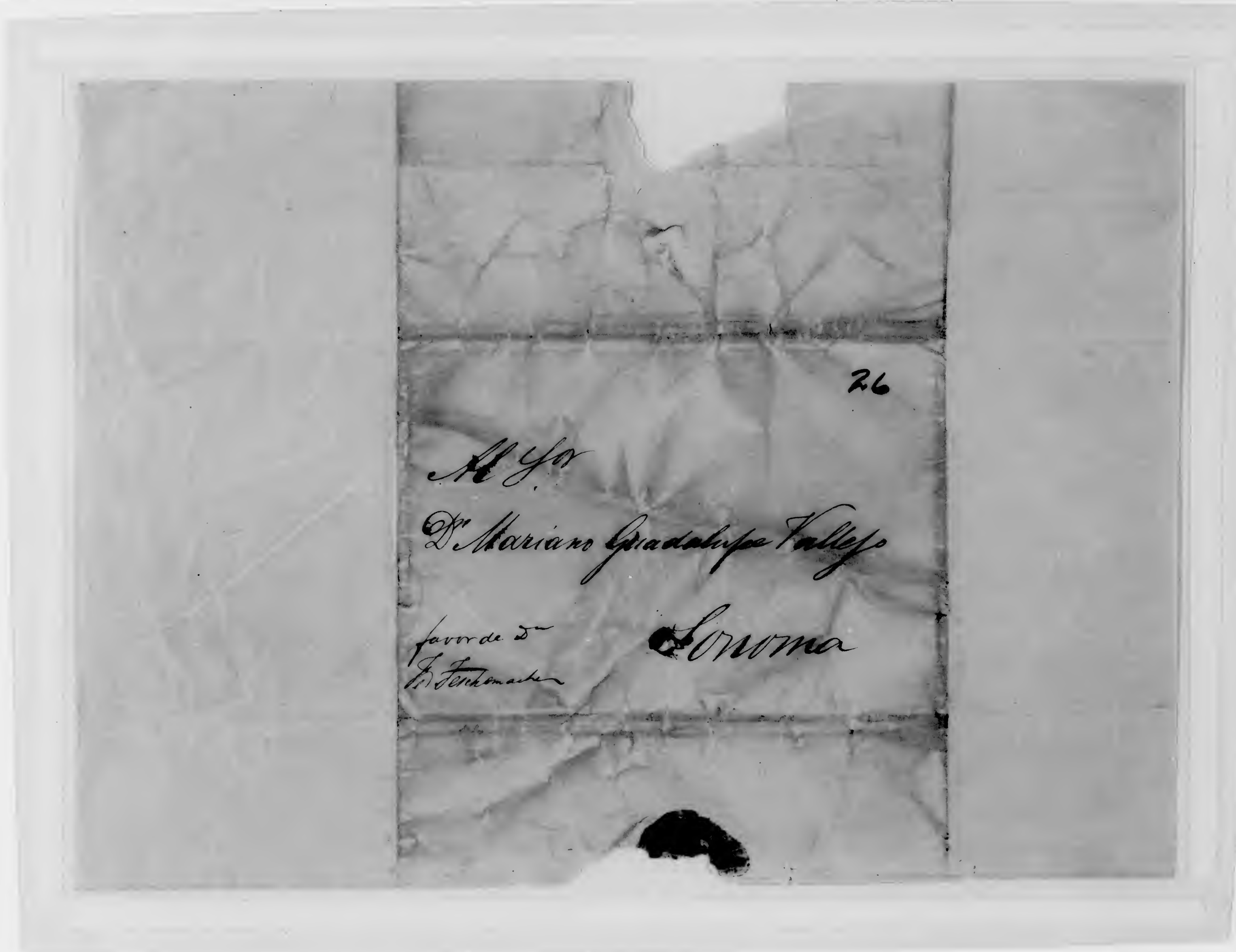
Josefa G. Fitch

1849 Enero 25. San Diego.

Josefa G. Fitch da noticia al Sr. M. S. Wallace de la muerte de su esposa, y le suplica haga un inventario de los bienes en el Rancho Sotoyomi.

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Lease, Jacob Perimeter, 1809-1892 : [Lanta a) M. G. Dalley, Feb. 1, 1849

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Yerba Buena

Introducing Telesforo Saravia
who intends to settle on San Luis
near Sonoma.

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1844-Feb. 1^o

Calle Sta. de Anselmo, D. N. G. Valley. 1105 27

Yerba Buena, Feb. 1^o 1844

Mí Estimado y Precioso Compañero

Después de una maldita navegación
de siete días, llegamos por fin a este punto, de
donde probablemente saldremos mañana p.^a Monterey.

El dado de esta es D. Teodoro Saravia
de la Casa de los H. Soruco y hermano D. Calparain,
tiene intención de establecerse en S.^{ta} Luis, de
Sonoma, ya es propietario de varios solares en
dho punto y otros varios Señores de la misma
procedencia han comprado también lotes en
esa población.

Satisfecho de los deseos q.^e se animan
de cooperar al bienestar y prosperidad de esa
hermosa parte de la bahía, no he dudado en
ofrecer al Sr. Saravia q.^e v.^o le recibiria como
un nuevo vecino de nuestra naciente población,
y le dispensara lo favor q.^e pudiese necesitar.
Es Hispano-Americano, y por lo mismo es de

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deseasen q^e le agraden el lugar y los habitantes de
S^{ra} Luis, q^e segun con la Cooperacion de V^o recien
impulso y llegare a ser pronto lo q^e esta des-
tinado a ser en lugar muy importante en esta
Cala.

Para bien, si van participar mis espec-
tuas saluciones a la familia, y disponga
de su H^{no} hermano, Compadre y amigo y bien

Jacob P. Leese

El amanuense aprovecha esta oportunidad p^ol
sus recomendacion a la de D. Luis, p^o saludar
a V^o y a su apo^{ta} familiar. Su

Jos^e Jordani

1849. Nov. 1. Yerba Buena,
Jacob P. Leese, a Mr. Vallejo recomendandole a don
Telesforo Saravia.

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Dr
D. Mariano G. Vallejo
Sonoma

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Alvarado, Miguel, 1800- : [Carta], Feb. 10, 1849

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Postaluma

De gain he has some, and re
cette transactioe

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-1849- Feb. 10 -

Petaluma 10 de fe^{to} de 1849

no 6 20

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S^{ra} por aqui no olvide robar nada ning- una S^{ra} tengo sembradas otros parages de trigo de tan y 24 de trigo corriente y traida y seis de cebada y traidilla siguiendo el carbacho.

S^{ra} Sr^{te} W. Boggs. medio una ovejuna de 1^o p^o diez yeguas de do a tres años 2^o me deca se las puede recibir por el me las da a medias con tal q^e le mande cinco y yo tengo quien las amane 1^o media se las recibe otro en tanto mandame un jorro de centenas y no ofusindose otra cosa mande esa mas atento recien de q^e D. J. M.

1849 Feb 10. Petaluma, Miguel Alvarado

Carta de Miguel Alvarado relativa a negocios de Caballada con Sr^{te} Boggs

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Howard, William] Davis] Menzies, 1819-1886: [letter to] M. G. Vallejo, Feb. 13, 1849

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San Francisco
Introducing Richard Carr.

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1849 Feb. 13 San Francisco

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W. D. M. Howard writes to M. Vallejo introducing Richard Carr also informs Vallejo of the death of Fitch,

San Francisco Feb. 13 1849

Chas Vallejo Esq.

My Dear Sir

It gives me great pleasure to introduce to your favourable notice Mr. Richard Carr who has lately arrived here. Mr. C. has been very successful at this place taking Daguerreotype likenesses. He has been recommended by his friends to visit your City and I feel confident you will extend toward him your well known kindness and hospitality.

Respectfully Yours

P. S. I regret to inform you of the death of our friend Cap Fitch, W. D. M. Howard

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to
Don M. G. Vallejo

By Carr Johnson

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Bale, Edward J Turner, 1811-1849: (Letter to) M. G. Vallejo, Feb. 17, 1849

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Napa Valley,
Asking Vallejo to tell Mrs. Bale that
he will come to home as soon as
he feels able.

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Mr. M. G. Vallejo
Francisco Clark
Alfonso Carreras

1849 - Feb. 17. E. T. Bales to M. G. Vallejo - on family affairs

Sapa Valley Feb 17. 1849

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Don Vallejo Francisco

Do me the favour to inform Mrs Bales that I have some chance of recovering & as soon as I feel able I will visit Sonoma & by your permission I will in that case take refuge for a few days in your house

I have no news & please give my kind respects to Mrs Bales & my children & likewise please except the same for yourself & for your family

I remain your dear Sir at commands

Don M. G. Vallejo
Francisco Clark

I send for the use of Mrs Bales Eighty dollars by the bearer of this Francisco Clark

F. T. B.

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Cotton, Walter, 1797-1851. ; [Resolution], Mar. 30, 1849

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Markere,
to establish a permanent school at Markere.

N.B. There is no no. 10.

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1849 Mar 3. Monday
Meeting at Monterey for the purpose of establishing Public Schools
School Meeting W9

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The citizens of Monterey interested in the cause of education met this day in the School Room of the Stone Building when W. P. Hartnell was called to the chair and Walter Haller appointed Secretary.

The following resolutions submitted by the Secretary was unanimously adopted: -

Resolved that the condition of the children and youth of this town calls imperiously for the establishment of a permanent school.

Resolved that T. C. Larkin, senior Spence, Jose Abrego, W. P. Hartnell, James Watson and Melan Sill be appointed a standing school committee and that they be empowered to employ a competent teacher and open a school forthwith suited to the wants of Monterey, and adopt such measures for its support as they may deem the most expedient.

Walter Haller
Secretary

Monterey
March 3rd 1849

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THERE IS NO FOLDER #10

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Helzer, Benjamin

: [Letter to] Moses Carson, Mar. 25, 1849

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re Indian difficulties

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1849 Mar 25

Benf. Kelsey to Moses Carsons about Indians

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Mar 25 1849

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Moses Carsons - I wish
to inform you that when I got to the
lake about four ranch areas ^{from} ~~some~~
in containing about one hundred men
there is two large villages at head of the lake
and they have got Indians from the foot of
the lake and from roostem river these
Indians that kill Manuel - I see
and they say that they will not come
in for they are ready to fight
the miabang and the buobers way up
to the head of the farm to scowab the
cattle and the inbany charged and then
and bias graham kill two of them
if he hadant of fear they they would
probably kill the buobers and miaboma
I wish that you would come as soon as
possible for they are threaten every day to
kill us and dont want to let
away these that I have got here until
the others is removed for fear that
they might come down and burn the
house and kill us
I wish you to ^{send} La Crabue
to gather and spazab that he
can't come out

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Fetch as many indians as they can
for they will haften go into them
with balsey

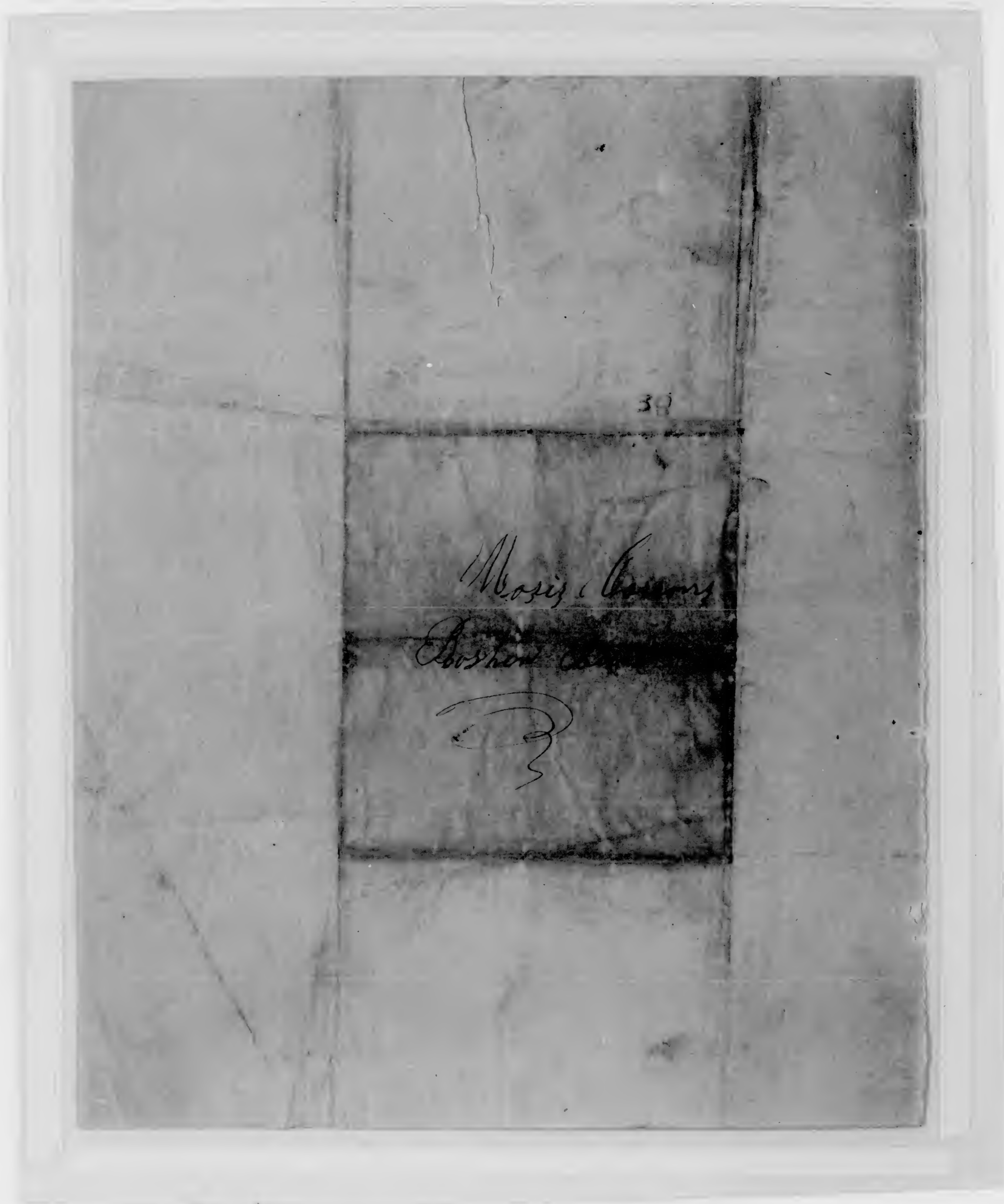
Please to write when you
will be here

Dear Sir iuz that you would
inform the Lincolns as he is one of the
comishoners that i think that it is
highly neisary that their should
be something done with them
i think that it is every good time now
for to take the raskelty indians
for they are and gathered to gather
and if you will send me fore enough
i will fetch them

Benj. Kelsey

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Lista de la jente q. pertenese al capitán Mateo

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List of people belonging to Captain Mateo, with note
that the list was presented on Mar. 26, 1849 by
Joaquín Carrillo.

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1849. Marzo 26

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Lista de la jente q. pertenece al Capitan Mateo

Hombres - Cap. Mateo Carado su mujer Margarita
 Encabel Carado su mujer Calata
 Rodriguez Carado su mujer Rodriga
 Medoni Carado su mujer Manca
 Felipe Sotero
 Galisan Carado su mujer Rosa
 Simplicio Carado su mujer Zoidora
 Concordia Sotero
 Mujeres - M.^a de la Cruz Sotero
 Manrico Sotero
 Leusa Sotero
 Jotten Carado su mujer Graciela
 Juvenio Carado su mujer Salome
 Mujeres - Rufina Sotero
 Total de la jente entre Hombres y Mujeres 22.

Presentada en Sta. Maria
 Juan D. Josef - Carado
 1849

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Sons, Thomas Ap (dates by J, 1790-1856): [Letter to] M J! Vallejo, Mar. 28, 1845

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San Rafael
Introducing Midshipman
Lumley and Mr. Beckwith.
with transcript

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San Rafael
March 28th 1849

My dear General,

Permit me to introduce to your acquaintance Midshipman Cummings of the Ohio, and Mr. Beckwith of the St. Mary's, who visit Sonoma in pursuit of deserters from the Ohio. Any facility which you can afford these gentlemen will greatly oblige me. Should these gentlemen be in need of funds, any amount you may furnish them will be refunded by me.

Very truly Yours

Thos. ap. C. Jones

To Genl. M. J. Vallejo, or
Capt. Frisbe.

Comdr. in Chief
Pacific Squadron

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1849. Mar 28, San Rafael
Comdr Thos ap C Jones to Genl Vallejo ~~about~~
~~to~~ ~~is~~ ~~commanding~~ ~~two~~ ~~midshipmen~~ ~~who~~
~~go~~ ~~to~~ ~~Sonoma~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~deserters~~

San Rafael

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To Genl: M. J. Ballis
or
Capt: Trisko -
attention of } Sonoma -
Mid: Cummins }
U. S. I. Ohio 74

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Sutts, John Augustus, 1826-1897: [Letter to] M. G. Vallejo, Apr. 23, 1849

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Sacramento

He is sending distiller, apparatus
by Mr. D. Sinclair.

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1849. April 23. (A la Uta. et extracto) No. 14
Sacramento City April 23rd 1849
Mr G Vallejo Esqre Sonoma

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Dear Sir:

I had the pleasure of receiving your letter of the 10th of last month in due time. - However I had not good opportunity of sending to you the distillery apparatus until now by Mr D Sinclair of your place who will leave here this morning. - For the whole apparatus I will not charge you more than four hundred (400) dollars, because there might possibly be something not in very good order.

12/26

Mr Sinclair told me, he had in his books of 87.50 against me; our mayor-domo must have forgotten to tell me about this he got from him, though I suppose his claim to be just; please to deduct it from his account. - For the balance of your account against my father you will please to draw a bill on me. -

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If ever I can be of any service to you, you will please to advise fully of me.

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I am, Sir, Yours
very truly
John A. Sutter

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1849 April 23. Sacramento
John A. Sutter Jr informs Genl Vallejo
that with ~~the~~ Luelain he forwards
distillery apparatus, states the price
and asks Gen Vallejo to satisfy certain
amount due Luelain by them. (Sutter)

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Anquello, Santiago, 1791-1862: (Letter to) Mariano G. Vallejo, Apr. 30, 1849

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Ti Juan

His sons are going north to work
New mine, and he has told them
about Vallejo -

No. 16-19: Printed notes, May, 8-16, 1849 - removed for separate cataloging.

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Sr D. Mariano G. Vallejo

no 15

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1849, Abril 30 San Juan

El Anguello dice al Sr. M. Vallejo

que les recomienda a sus hijos,

dice que halla muy pobres,

y espera que la empresa de

sus hijos pagara, aunque

con los gastos de la misma

San Juan Abril 30 de 1849

Mi ap. Sr. Compañero y mi buen Amigo.
 Como la pluma p.ª decir a V. estas letras despues de
 tanto tiempo de silencio amero amene a mediado
 entre amor, este entre dicho nunca, cha borrado de
 nuestra memoria la amistad q. nos proficamos tan
 luego como tube la complacencia a tratarlos, en
 aquellos anagos, mas en q. tanto me defendi en
 amistad, y como quere V. q. se borren de mi memo-
 ria de V. Menerdey, con q. ofrendere la ocasion q.
 para en sus hijos Luis Ant. e Ignacio. A estos tem-
 bos con el fin de trabajar en el placer, los recomien-
 do a V. me. w. confiado en q. V. los atendera, y q. con
 los conuencientes q. V. se servira proporcionales, podran

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emprender con seguridad su empresa, y siero tambien
les proporcionare y algunas Reuniones para no tener y a
requien valdrame todo de la utilidad de y me da discrecion
de otro de la misma empresa para y salvar lo
Reuniones de y es proporcionacion

Ya y saber mi situacion tan pobre, y
quando cumpla espacio o terreno en esta ciudad
con mi familia manteniendome con lo de Dios me pro-
porcionara y de se quedara un mugen Reuniones mis hijos
y Santiago de tan bien sea informaran a y se mi si-
tuacion y a y venga en conocimiento de ella.

Mucho Reuerdo se afecta a Francisca
de parte de mi tia y familia lo mismo de y y una de
tiempo lo tiene presentes a su sob. Vallejo y y la
en lo de se puede ser útil su muy alto Com. y Com.
de conto a consideracion de aprension

Y D. Dize en la de Ygn. Escalante
Comite de y cono de pecho de u o a comite de

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A. L. de
D. Mariano G. Vallejo
Sonoma #

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Headquarters - 10th Military Department
Monterey - May 18th 1849.

Orders No 21.

About establishing expresses
connect the different military
stations with Division &
Dept Head Quarters.

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Riles, Bennet, 1787-1853: Orders no. 22, June 2, 1849

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Monterey,
Concerning duties of commanders of posts
to investigate marriages. Signed by E. R. S. Canby.

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1849 June 21, Monterey
Duties of the Commanders of Posts in the Department
of Genl Riley in the investigation of
outrages committed in their vicinity. Head Quarters 10 Mil. Dept.
Monterey Cal. June 21st 1849

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It is made the duty of Commanders of posts in this Department to take prompt measures for the investigation of the circumstances connected with any outrages that may be committed in the vicinity of their posts. They will procure if possible the affidavits of disinterested individuals or such other reliable information with a full exposition of the facts, dates and parties implicated as will enable the commanding general to act promptly and understandingly in each case.

When these outrages are committed by or upon Indians the investigation should be made by or in concert with the Indian Agent of the District, at points so remote from the Agency that the Agent cannot act promptly the investigation will be made as above directed and the general result reported for the information of the Agent.

The originals of these papers will be forwarded to Department Head Quarters and copies will be retained with the records of the Post.

By Order of Genl Riley
Assistant Adjutant

For 2 to M. G. ...
Sub- Indian Agent
for his information and
instruction.
By order of Genl
W. H. ...
Major & ...

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Vallejo, [José Manuel] Salvador, 1814-1876: *Diary*, June 20, 1849

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Summary
to Christian Bruner, for part of a horse.

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1849 - June 20 Sonoma N 21 59
Contract between J. Vallejo & C. Brunot,

This Indenture, made and concluded this 20th day June, 1849, Witnesseth: That I, Salvador Vallejo, of the town of Sonoma, do hereby lease, demise, and let unto Christian Brunot, the north part of the large adobe house of said Salvador's, situated on the west side of the public square, being four ^{lower} rooms fronting said square - together with three rooms in the rear due west, and the nine pin alley.

To hold the said premises, with the rights and appurtenances, to the term belonging, from the first day of July A.D. 1849, until the first day of July A.D. 1851 - The said Brunot, his representatives and assigns, agreeing, as the full consideration for the rent of the first year, to finish and repair the two unfinished rooms - to put in complete floors, windows and doors in a proper and workmanlike manner, and to ^{put and} keep said premises in repair. And further the said Brunot, his heirs and assigns, agree to pay the monthly rent of fifty dollars per month for the second year - to wit: from the 1st of July 1850 to the 1st of July 1851 - The said Salvador agreeing to plaster the walls of the said unfinished rooms.

In Witness whereof, the said parties have hereunto interchangeably set their hands and seals the day and year first above mentioned.
Executed in presence of,
Ernest P. ...
In testimony whereof,
Salvador Vallejo
Christian Brunot

Lease
Portion of House
of Don J. Vallejo
Salvador Vallejo
Christian Brunot
Ernest P. ...
In presence of

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May, Richards Meeting, 1802 - : Elvira a J José Fernández, Aug. 14, 1849

San Jose

Informing Fernández that he has been elected alcalde of San Jose.

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1849. ^{Agosto} ~~Julio~~ 14 San Jose, N^o 22 61

Al Sr. D. Guadalupe / R. Mc May da aviso a U. Sr. Fernandez que ha sido electo Alcalde de San Jose

Tengo el honor de informar a U. que el dia 1^o de Agosto proximo pasado U. ha sido elegido Alcalde deste Distrito con la pluralidad de votos, lo que pongo en conocimiento de U. para que tenga a bien ejercer el su cargo.

Reservandole las consideraciones de mi a. p. s. i. y.

Via y Libertad San Jose 14 de Agosto de 1849.

R. Mc May
Alcalde

Sr. D. Jose Fernandez

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Hallow, Henry Waser, 1815-1872: [letter to] M. G. Vallejo, Aug. 22, 1849

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Manley,
Acknowledging receipt of Vallejo's letter
re the murder of an Indian, and ordering
him to present the case to Judge
Cooper.

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1849, Aug. 22, Monterey N^o 23 62
H. H. Halleck to Gen. Vallejo, acknowledging
letter dated 4 inst. in relation to the
murder of an Indian,

State Dept. of California
Monterey Aug. 22^d 1848

Sir:

I am directed by the Governor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th inst. relating to the murder of an Indian in Sonoma, and to thank you for your prompt attention in giving him the information.

As the judicial tribunals in your district are now organized, it is deemed proper that you immediately lay the facts of the case before Judge Cooper, the Juez de primera Instancia, of Sonoma District, for his action in the premises.

Very Respectfully
Yours Obedt Servt
H. H. Halleck
Capt & Secy of State

Genl. M. J. Vallejo
Sub-Indian Agent
Sonoma
Calif.

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Escritura de Venta ... por G. Vallejo a ... P. F. Smith, Aug. 22, 1849

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Recd of sale of land in the Suisun to Persifer F. Smith. In hand of Vallejo; not signed.

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22 de agosto

1849.

Escritura de Venta
de una milla de tierra en \$ 25,000 -
otorgada por D. G. Vallejo a favor de D. P. F. Smith.

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En el pueblo de Sonoma de la alta California a los veinte y dos dias del mes de Agosto del año de mil ochocientos Cuarenta y nueve, ante mi D. N. Progg's alcalde de dicho punto se presento el Sr. General D. Mariano G. Vallejo vecino de él y dijo que por si y en nombre de sus hijos herederos sucesores y de quien de ellos hubiere título vox y causa en cualquiera manera vendel y da en venta Real y Enajenacion perpetua por puro de herencia para siempre jamas al Sr. General D. Pearson F. Smith vecino de Nueva Orleans y a los suyos la milla de tierra numero veinte y dos designada en el plano Topografico del terreno del suyo llamado por el agimensor del Gobierno D. Gaspar O Farrell, constante de tres millones, Ciento noventa y siete mil cinco varas Castellanas cuadradas, o quinientos cincuenta y cinco acres.

medida inglesa, y le pertenecen
 en posesion y propiedad, segun
 consta por los titulos de per-
 tenencia, por los cuales corresponde
 en posesion y propiedad al otor-
 gante, el cual declara y asegura
 no tenerla vendida ni enpe-
 ñada, y que esta libre de tri-
 buto, Memorial, Capellanias, vincu-
 culo, Patronato, Fianza y de otras
 gravamen perpetuo, temporal,
 especial, general, lucro y expre-
 so, y como tal se vende con todas
 sus entradas, salidas, fabricas, usos
 costumbres, Regalias servidumbres,
 y demas cosas anexas que ha te-
 nido, tiene y le pertenecen segun
 derecho, por veinte y cinco pesos
 que tiene recibidos su verme-
ntal pecunia, segun el mismo
 confesal, y Renuncia la ley 9. del
 tit. 1.º partida 5.ª, y en mismo
 declara q el justo precio y ver-
 dadero valor del referido terreno
 es el q ha recibido, y que no

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vale mas ni halla quien tanto
 le traye dado por el, y si mas
 vale o valer puede, del cesero
 en potal o mucha suma, trae al
 favor del comprador y de sus here-
 deros y sucesores gradua y donacion,
 pura, perfecta e irrevocable en
 sanidad, con continuacion y demas
 firmas reales y Renuncia la ley
 2.ª tit. 1.º lib. 10. R. D. que trata
 de los contratos de venta, aunque
 y de otros en que hay lesion en
 mas o menos de la mitad del pre-
 cio justo, y los cuatro años que
 profinal para su posesion o suple-
 mento a su justo valor, los que
 da por pasados como si efectiva-
 mente lo estuvieran. Y desde hoy
 en adelante para siempre se
 desapodera, desiste, quita y aparta
 tal y a sus herederos y sucesores
 del dominio o propiedad, posesion,
 titulo, uso, tenencia y otro cual-
 quiera derecho que le competia
 ala mencionada villa de Sierra,
 la cede, Renuncia y traspara,

con las Uniones Reales y perso-
nales, utiles, mixtas, directas y
efectivas en el comprador y en
quien la suya representa, para
que la posea, goce, cambie, ena-
pene, use y disponga de ella
de su eleccion como de cosa suya
adquirida con legitimo y justo títu-
lo. Y le confiere poder transcri-
ble con libel, franca y general
administracion, y constituye pro-
curador actor en su propia causa,
para que de su autoridad entree
y se apodere del nominado. Se-
ñalo y presinda la Real tenen-
cia y posesion que por derecho
le compete: y para que no neci-
site tomarlo me pide y le da
copia autorizada de esta escritura,
con la cual sin otros actos de apre-
hension, hade sea visto habenta to-
mado, aprehendido y transferido,
y en el interin se constituye su
inquietino, tenedor y pacario po-
sedor en legal forma. Y se
obliga a que dicho terreno
sea cierto seguro y efectivo al-

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comprador, y nadie le inquietara
ni moviera pleito sobre su propiedad,
posesion, goce y disfrute, ni contra
el apareciera gravamen alguno,
y si se le inquietare, moviere
o apareciere, luego que el otorgante
y sus herederos sucesores sean
requeridos conforme a derecho,
saldran a su defensa, y le segui-
ran a sus expensas en todas sus
causas y tribunales, hasta ejecu-
cion, y despa al comprador y a
los suyos en su libel uso y quietud
y pacifica posesion, y no pudiendo
consequente, le daran otro igual en
valor de fabrica, sitio, renta y com-
didades, y en su defecto le restituiran
la cantidad que ha desembolsado, las
mesas utiles, precisas y voluntarias
que ala larow tenga, al mayor valor
y estimacion que con el tiempo ad-
quiriera, y todas las costas, gastos
danos, intereses o menoscabos que
se le siguieren e arrogaren, por
todo lo cual se les hade poder

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Opuestas solo en virtud de esta
Escritura y juramento del que
la presenta o de quien le repre-
sente, en quien difiere su im-
pote y se relea de otra pro-
ba: y a la observancia de todo lo
referido obliga su persona y bie-
nes habidos y por haber: y con
fiere amplio poder a los señores
jueces y tribunales de la Nación
que de este negocio deben cono-
cer conforme a derecho, para
que le apremien a su cumpli-
miento, como por sentencias de
juzgado de juez competente
pasada en autoridad de cosa
juzgada que por tal lo recibe.

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Sutter, John Augustus, 1826-1897: [Carte a] J E M' Valleys, Sept. 3, 1849

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Sacramento

Sending to Valleys a bill for
Mr St. Clair who has just
moved to Sonoma.

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Señor Don G. M. Vallejo ^{no 25} Sonoma 41

1849. Set. 3. -
(A la vuelta el ex- Sacramento 7/3 1849
Arcto.)

Muy Señor mío!

Con esta carta, vergo otra vez importunar a v. con mis negocios. El Señor H. Blair se fue de aquí en mi ausencia, informandome en el mismo tiempo con carta de enviar su cuenta de el a Sonoma, y me no conociendo nadie a Sonoma tomo la libertad de enviar a v. el extracto de su cuenta de nuestras libras a v. con el ruego de colegir el saldo en mi favor por mi cuenta.

Diciendo a v. de cuidar su libertad le aseguro a v. que soy su muy humilde servidor.

G. L. B. M.
Juan Adatto

Muchas expresiones de mi padre con.

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1849. Sep 7 Sacramento

J. A. Sutter Jr. al Gen. Vallejo
relativa a cuenta de Sinclair

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Gillespie, Archibald H

, 1813-1873; [letter to] M. Guadalupe & Vallejo, Nov. 10, 1849

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Washington, D.C.

Introduction, his mother, David.

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1849, Nov. 10 Washington ^{no 26} '9
Arch. Gillespie to Saul Vallejo outside
Aug his brother A. Gillespie

Washington

10 Nov^{ra} 1849

Mi Señor Mio,

Tomó la libertad de
introducirle á V. el portador
de esta, mi hermano el Sr D^o
David Gillespie quien se va
p^o California en el vapor
de este mes.

Desiendo q^o mi her-
mano conosciere un amigo
mis hon^{ra} distinguido le doy esta
carta, así q^o se presente con
mis respetos, y asegurele q^o su
hospitalidad y q^o siempre tengo
en mi memoria sus bondades

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a buena hospitalidad.
Esperando que V. y
su familia esta en buena salud,
y tiempo y gusto de recibir las
mas sinceras consideraciones
de mi aprecio, y me repito
de V. su mas afecto amigo
y servidor

Micho V. Gillespie

al Sr. Teniente
Don M. Guadalupe
de Valdivia
Sonora

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Semi, Jacome M ; Declaracion, Nov. 13, 1849

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Testimony against an American
sargeant relating to livestock,
Signed with Semi's mark. Also
signed by M. G. Vallejo, José de la Rosa
and J. de Castañeda.

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1849 Nov 13. Sonoma. Affidavit of W 27
Jacome M. Lemis - abt. act. of an Am. Sargent.

Declaracion de Jacome M. Lemis contra un
Sargento Americano

Que el sabado diez del corriente como a las cinco
de la tarde paraba el declarante con un baguero
a traer un caballo calle, al rancho de Antonio
Arriaga; y en el paso del arroyo del Bayo
se encontro un Sargento Americano con un pi-
quete de tropa Chiriquianos un tiro de mulada
que luego que el Sargento lo vio luego le mando que
se quedara alli a velar la mulada aquella no-
che y que recibiera el declarante y su bague-
ro, se les intimó que lo harian por fuerza, dando
principio el referido Sargento con una descarga de
golpes de espada por todo el cuerpo, (cuyos senales
conserva) lo mismo que a su companero, de cuyas
resultas el que habla monto en su caballo y he-
cho a tirar, habiendole disparado algunos fusilazos.
Que a un companero, que le dispararon un tiro; lo
vio caer a corta de quince varas del campo de la tropa
mencionada; que en la noche volvio a pie con obje-
to de recoger el caballo y silla que pertenecian
al rancho de donde el incidente, y se volvio a
la vivienda de la noche, cuando el caballo en el
mismo lugar en donde lo deyo el baguero cuando ca-
yo del tiro: que a pocos momentos oyo el que
declara un tiro y sospecho que, sin asegurar,
que fusilaron a su companero: que no ha podido
saber el paradero de su baguero, y se volvio
al rancho de Nicol de donde es mayordomo y
de alli a Sonoma a dar parte de del acontecimi-
ento a su amo.

Sonoma Noviembre 13/1849.

Jacome M. Lemis

Arriaga

Jose de la Rosa

M. J. Vallejo
Sub. Tuv. Ag.

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Boggs, William Montgomery, 1826-1911: [Agreement], Nov. 30, 1849

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Summa

to pay three Indian boys for plastering
house. Witnessed by Lewis D. Watkins.

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This is to certify that I agree to pay the
Indian Boys *Vintago* & *Lagua* and *Maie*
the sum of one hundred and fifty Dollars
for plastering a certain House, in side and out
with two good coats of plaster. The said work
to be done in a good and workman like
manner, and in case the said work is not
properly executed the said Indian are not
to receive the above specified sum,

done by order of L. W. Bogg

executed by H. M. Bogg

Sanoma Novem 30th 1849

Witnessed by

Lewis D. Watkins

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Contracte de W. B. Bell
June 150.

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Folsom, Joseph C. Libby, 1817-1855 ; letter to M. G. Vallejo, Dec. 17, 1849

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San Francisco
Transmitting a Proclamation and ordering
that it be circulated.

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Quartermaster Office
San Francisco California
December 17th 1847.

Sir
I am directed by Col. T. B. Mason to
circulate the enclosed "Proclamation" in this part of the
country for the information of all concerned -
Will You please to have the enclosed copies
so circulated and posted up, as to put the public on its
guard?

I am Sir Respectfully
Yours
J. L. Folsom
Capt & Asst Quartermaster
U. S. Army

Don
M. G. Vallejo
Sub-Militiam Agent
Sonoma
California
M. G. Vallejo request J. L. Folsom to circulate
enclosed Proclamation

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Ward & Price, San Francisco: (Letter J), Dec. 26, 1849

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San Francisco

Printed form letter, re The
New Business, with signatures
of the partners, Samuel Ward
and Nathaniel M. Price

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San Francisco, U. C., 26th Dec., 1849.

Sir:

*We beg to inform you that we have this day entered into a
Copartnership under the style of*

WARD & PRICE,

*for the transaction of a Banking and Commission Business, in the City
of New York.*

*We purpose to confine ourselves principally to the business of
California, to take charge of remittances for deposit, distribution or invest-
ment, and to give our pointed attention to the affairs of clients in this State,
who may feel disposed to honor us with their confidence.*

*Referring you for particulars of charges, &c., to our friends
and correspondents, Messrs. Pottsfroy, Lillem & Co., of this place,*

We are,

Sir,

Yours, respectfully,

SAML. WARD,

RODMAN M. PRICE.

Mr. Saml. Ward will sign: Ward & Price

Mr. Rodman M. Price " Ward & Price

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Norton, Myron, d. ca 1867: [Report, 1850]

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Committee report to Convention on plan for
State Convention re rights of suffrage.

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The Committee appointed to report
to the convention "a plan or any portion of a
plan for a State Constitution" having had
the same under consideration respectfully
report further as follows -

Article III

Rights of Suffrage

Sec 1st Every white male citizen of the United
States, of the age of twenty one years who
shall have been a resident of the State
SIX months next preceding the election,
and the county in which he claims his
vote 60 days, shall be entitled to
vote at all elections which are or hereafter
may be authorized by law.

Sec 2nd Electors shall, in all cases except
treason, felony or breach of the peace, be
privileged from arrest on the days of election,
during their attendance at such election, going
to and returning therefrom

Sec 3^d No elector shall be obliged to perform
militia duty on the day of election except
in time of war or public danger

Sec 4th No person in the military, naval, or
marine service of the United States, shall be
considered a resident of this State, by being
stationed in any garrison, barracks, or
military or naval place, or station within
this State

Sec 5th No idiot or insane person, or persons
convicted of any infamous crime, shall be
entitled to the privileges of an elector

Sec 6th All elections by the people shall be
by ballot

All of which is respectfully submitted

(Signed) Myron Norton
Chairman

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Amendments to proposed state constitution, 1850

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Amendments to Art. VI.

Miscellaneous Provisions

121 Strike out the words "Citizen of the United States" in the fourth and seventh lines of Sec 2nd. Substitute in the tenth and eleventh lines of the same section for the words "shall be deprived of any office of profit and of enjoying" the words "shall not be allowed to hold any office of profit, or enjoy"

2nd. Substitute for Sec 3rd the following: "Members of the Legislature, and all officers executive and judicial, except such inferior officers as may be by law exempted, shall before they enter on the duties of their ^{respective} offices, take and subscribe the following oath or affirmation: "I do solemnly swear (or affirm as the case may be) that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and the Constitution of the State of California; and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of _____ to the best of my ability," and no other oath, declaration, or test shall

be required as a qualification for any office
of Public Trust.

3rd. Strike out in the 7th Section, the words
"but the duration of no office not fixed
by this Constitution shall" and insert
in lieu thereof the words "nor shall the
duration of any office not fixed by this
Constitution."

4th. Insert as an additional section, between
the 12th and 13th sections the following:
"All lands liable to taxation in this state
shall be taxed in proportion to their values
and this value shall be appraised by
officers elected by the qualified electors
of the district, county, or town in which
the lands to be taxed are situated!"

5th. Strike out of the first line in the 14th
section the words "have power to". Strike
out all after the word "families" in the
3rd line of the said section to the end
of the section, insert between the word
"the" and the word "property" in the

Under Section, the words "homestead and other"

6th. Insert as an additional section between sections
14th and 15th, the following: "No perpet-
uities shall be allowed."

7th. Strike out in the last line of the
17th section, the words "the exceptions
contained in!"

26th. Insert as an additional section at the
close of the Article the following: All
laws, decrees, regulations, and provisions, em-
anating from any of the three Supreme
Courts of this State, which from their
nature require publication shall be
published in English and Spanish."

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California, State Constitution: Article IX [1850]

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Mode of Amending and revising
the Constitution

Article 1st. Any amendment or amendments to this
Constitution may be prepared in the Senate or
House of Representatives; and if the same
shall be agreed to by a majority of the mem-
bers elected to each of the two houses, such
proposed amendments shall be entered in their
journals, with the yeas and nays taken there-
on, and referred to the Legislature their next
to be chosen; and shall be published three
months previous to the time of meeting such
chose. And if in the next Legislature
chosen as aforesaid, such proposed amend-
ment or amendments shall be agreed to by
two thirds of all the members elected to each
house, then it shall be the duty of the Legisla-
ture to submit such proposed amendment or
amendments to the people, in such manner
and at such time as the Legislature shall
prescribe; and if the people shall approve
and ratify such amendment or amendments
by a majority of the electors qualified to vote
in members of the Legislature voting thereon,
such amendment or amendments shall be
some part of the Constitution.

2nd. And if at any time ^{two thirds of} the Senate or house
of Representatives shall think it necessary
to revise or change the entire constitution,
they shall recommend to the electors at the
next election of members of the Legislature

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To vote for or against a convention; and if it shall appear that a majority of the electors voting at such election have voted in favor of calling a convention, the Legislature shall at its next session provide by law for calling a convention to be held within six months after the passage of such law; and such convention shall consist of members not less than are contained in both branches of the Legislature.

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Ebner, 1850

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Draft of letter, suggesting a commission
be established for the purpose of drafting
a constitution.

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1850 (sin firma) - Al Presidente del Congreso del Estado, (supongo sea de Sr. Pablo de la Guerra) adhiriendose a la idea de que una sola Comision sea nombrada para presentar a la Camara el modelo o esquete de la Constitucion del Estado.

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H. H. Bancroft Collection Bancroft Library 1850 = Al Presidente del Congreso. Habiendo ya delal (yo supongo. Sr. ... de ... No se adopte. Una sola Comision para que presente el modelo de la Constitucion. Estoy decididamente en favor de esta proposicion. De una sola Comision por cuenta con el bosquejo de una Constitucion. He reflexado maduramente sobre este asunto y propono a la Comision que se adopte una sola comision para facilitar facilitoria mucho el despacho de los negocios y nos proporcionaria el modo de concluir mucho antes nuestras tareas que si adoptasemos cualquiera otro metodo. Si se nos nombramos varias comisiones y decidiemos la Constitucion en varios ramos entraramos mayores dificultades y demoras en acordar los dictamenes de las diferentes comisiones que si adoptasemos el plan propuesto. Presentando una sola comision, su plan de Constitucion en articulos separados, la Comision podra dictaminar sobre cada parrafo en su orden regular y cuando el parecer de este cuerpo se haya manifestado sobre un articulo, la Comision podra conformar su plan bosquejo de los articulos subsiguientes, al que ya queda adoptado. Durante el receso de la Comision, la Comision podra cada dia preparar Materia suficiente para ocupar las deliberaciones de este cuerpo al dia siguiente. Si nombramos varias comisiones, tendremos despues de todo, que obrar sobre cada asunto separadamente, de modo que una comision habra completado sus tareas antes que la relacion de una segunda comision pueda propiamente presentarse a la Comision.

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En la Convencion para formar una nueva Constitucion en el Estado de Nueva York el año setenta se nombraron varias comisiones y se encontro mas dificultad en concertar la redaccion de los diferentes articulos presentados por las comisiones que en la discusion y adopcion de los articulos mismos. O para mejor decir nunca pudieron llegar a poner en harmonia estas diferentes relaciones, y la Constitucion sometida finalmente al pueblo contenia en su redaccion varias contradicciones. Ademas de esto el plan de tener varias comisiones en lugar de una sola causo la omision de varias providencias de importancia, y aunque dicha Constitucion como se le adopto finalmente, contiene muchas cosas admirables y en muchos respectos es superior a la constitucion de cualquiera otro Estado de la Union es no obstante la mas imperfecta de todas.

Ademas, es necesario que en esta Convencion cada distrito deba tener su representante a fin de que las ideas y deseos de cada porcion del territorio sea representado - de muchos de estos distritos no se halla mas que un miembro presente, y si se nombrasen mas de una comision, estos distritos quedarian sin representacion alguna en estas comisiones.

Por tanto soy de la opinion que se nombre una sola comision y que esta se componga de un miembro de cada distrito.

With love
to
my
friend
Senor

Thine truly
Amigo
Senor

Handwritten scribbles and signatures, including the name "Tom Estlin" written twice in different styles.

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Vallejo, Mercurio (Guadalupe), 1807-1890: (Draft J, Jan. 1850)

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Not in Vallejo's hand. To
Senate and Assembly re proposal
of moving the capital to Vallejo -

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1850. Enero -
M. G. Vallejo - to Legislature.
abt removing Capital of the State to Vallejo - this offer, which he is ready to fulfill
To the Hon Senate
and Assembly of Cal.

San Jose Cal. 92
Jan'y 1850.

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The undersigned begs leave to inform your Honorab^{le} body that he is at present in this city prepared to enter into bond with ample security for the fulfillment of his propositions made to the ~~Seate~~ ~~Legislature~~ if it be the pleasure of the present Legislature to remove the Seat of government to the city of Vallejo, which the late vote of the people of the State so unanimously approves.
Digne M. G. Vallejo.

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Dickinson, F

; [Letter to] Vallejo, Jan. 27, 1850

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San Francisco

He wishes Vallejo's assistance in securing a ranch.

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1850. Jan'y 27
(M. H. B. extracts)
San Francisco
Jan'y 27/50

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Sir,

Desirous of procuring the
charge of a Rancho, or farm, and knowing
that you are possessed of large, and
fertile, landed estates; I take the liberty
of addressing you upon the subject, &
trust that, some arrangement may
be made, beneficial to both you and myself.

The markets, for the sale
of all the products of the soil, which
present themselves in our numerous cities,
sprang into existence, as if by magic,
for high prices & great demand, and
in no portion of the known world,
Equalled; and as they become more
populous, the demands must increase.

The life of the Rustic, is one, which,
from my earliest infancy, I have always

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admitted, and wished for, more than all others; and as the "Golden Horn" has passed for speedy fortunes in mercantile pursuits, the tiller of the soil must, henceforth, realize a sufficiency in much less time, than those engaged in any branch of business, which has such fearful competition to encounter.

Agriculture, is, just now, almost without a person engaged in it to any extent, and the consequence is, that our markets are indifferently supplied from abroad, while the interior of our new State boasts some of the most beautifully fertile lands in the world.

I should like, exceedingly well, my dear Sir, to obtain the charge of one of your Rancho's, and should be willing to devote my sole time & attention to such things as you might wish done. Striving to make my services as useful and profitable to you as possible.

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As I have not the pleasure of your acquaintance, some reference had best be given; I would therefore refer you to Commr. J. A. Jones, (to whose Squadron our this Station, I was for a long time attached) St. M. L. Navy. U.S. Navy. Capt Ringgold do, Capt Read do, St. M. L. Navy. U.S. Navy. R. M. Price Esq, Messrs Prof Roberts Esq, Messrs Mellus Howard Esq, Bagley & Sons, St. M. L. Navy. U.S. Navy. H. C. Esq of this place.

You would confer a great favor on me, Sir, by letting me know, at as early a day as may meet your convenience, what I may expect in regard to this matter, and if thought of favorably by you, give me some idea, as a basis of my expectations.

A compliance of above request, will much oblige you

San Valero

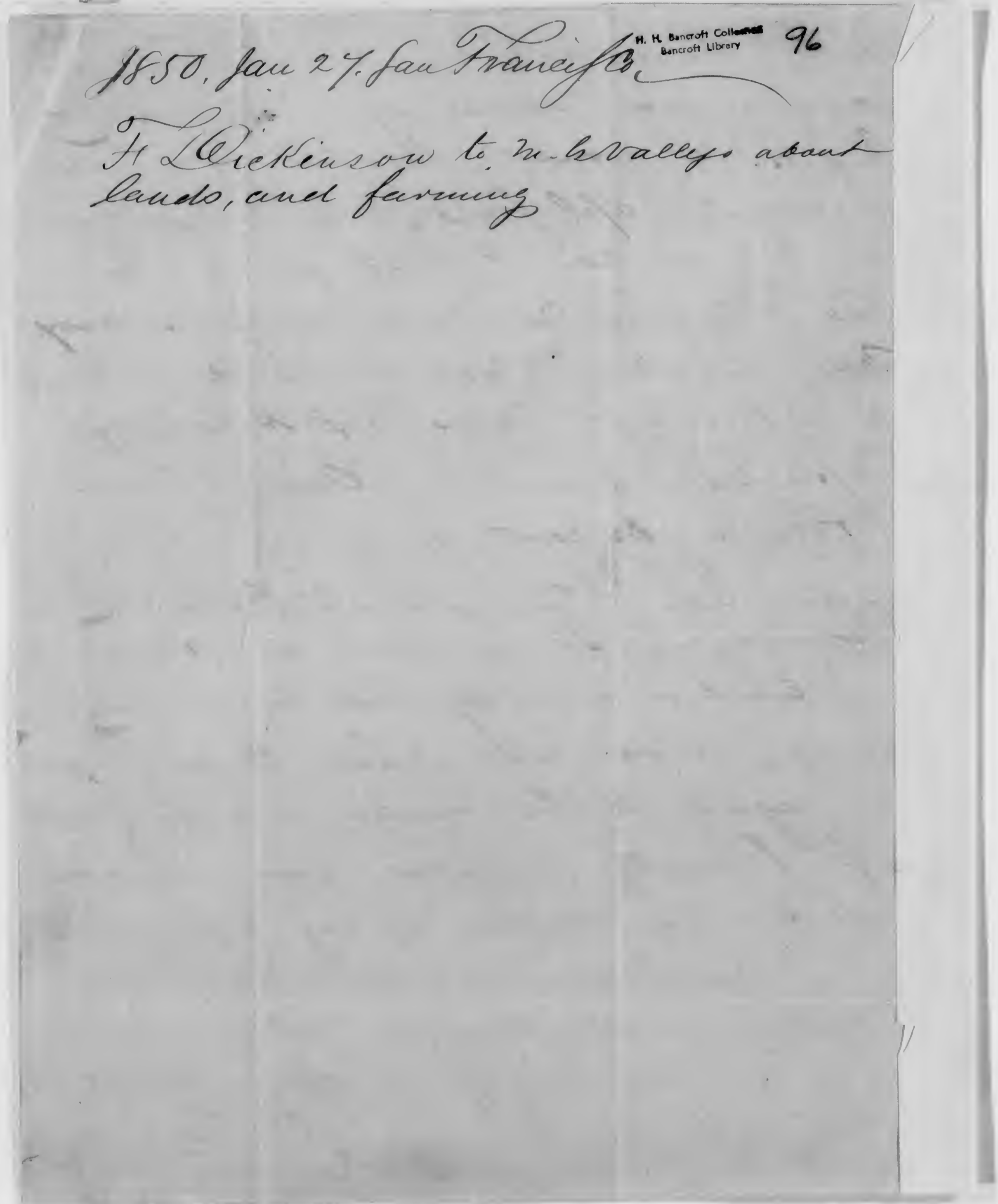
Very Respectful &
Obedt Servant
J. Dickinson

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H. L. Dickerson to, re. valleys about
lands, and farming



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[Vallejo, Mariano] Guadalupe, 1807-1890: Carta a] Francisca (Vallejo), Feb. 28, 1850

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San Jose

Lamenting discomfort of San Jose

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1850. Abril 28, San Jpe -

M. G. Vallejo a su esposa, - sobre
asuntos de familia. - 97

San Jpe. Apr. 28/1850.

Francisco.

Hasta hoy recibí la librería que expresaba mucho tiempo
ha, por la cual te escribí varias cartas. Ahora si que me
puedo alitar para irme a casa pronto.

No creas que estoy aquí por mi gusto: este
lugar me tiene cansado, enfermo y aburrido. Las aguas han
sido muy frías y en consecuencia el todo de las cosas
incómodas. Además me han falta la comodidad que tanto
necesitan los viejos como yo: estoy en un pequeño cuarto en
donde habitan cinco personas viviendo juntas, sin otra com-
odidad que dormir debajo de techos. Tengo los ojos enfer-
mos muy quicio de tanto estar atirando una chimenea de
oficio muy chingón y muy mala, y después tengo que
salir al frío frío.

Queda a la familia: acomodada, y cumplida
con tus deberes como madre, y también más en mi ausencia.

¿Por que no me has escrito otra vez? ¿Y la una
chacal por que no me escriben? ¿De que se cansaron
con una carta? ¿Tienes yo cada rato la escrito?

Saluda a todos: sea a Javier y Plátilas: dile a
Plátila que estoy muy contento con tu carta: dile a
Andrés que me escriba también. Dame me cuenta
de todo lo que ha hecho en mi ausencia, así como los
avances de la casa y lo que pasa en los ranchos.

Loy tu
Guadalupe

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A. D. ^{Pa} Melina T. or Vallejo
Sonoma

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Campbell, Peter

[Letter to] Vallejo, Mar. 2, 1850

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Summary

Requesting Vallejo to present certain
documents relating to the murder of
18 Indians to the Governor.

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1850. Mar 2, Sonoma
Campbell to Gen Vallejo about the Indian Murder

no 38

Sonoma March 2^d 1850

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Gen Vallejo

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Dear Sir

I have sent the bearer by request of the Citizens of Sonoma to obtain information from the Govern how to Manage in this Indian Murder I have not time to explain all to you but the letter and paper which I send to the Govern will explain all and I have to request you will present these letters to the Govern immediately and get an answer as soon as possible for the messenger to bring back with all haste you will please inform the Govern that what I mentioned last Evening in my party letter to him respecting the Murder of 18 Indians at Fowler's Rancho is confirmed this morning by the Confession of one the party, and further and all the American men women & children fled to the Mountains also - you will please exert your authority in the matter and oblige
Sir your most obt servant

Peter Campbell

we have not heard as yet what they effected
last Evening in Nappa but expect they have killed all the Indians

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Honble

General Vallejo

Senator

San Jose

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Lo Angeles. Dehabitants: [Petición]. Mar. 3, 1850

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Lo Angeles

Request to form a separate
state in southern California.

Temporary copy - Original
signed by Manuel Requena,
Hm, Dutton and Agustín Olvera.

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1850 Mar 3. Angeles. 1850

Peticion del Pueblo de los Angeles al Senadores y Representantes del Congreso de los E. U. sobre formar un nuevo Estado del Sur de California. NP39

Los honorables Senadores y representantes del Congreso de los Estados Unidos

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Nuestros peticionarios Ciudadanos del Sur de California presentamos ante vuestro honorable Cuerpo con mucha solemnidad y propuesta contra la admision de California como un nuevo Estado. Debemos anunciar a vuestro honorable Cuerpo que los Pueblos del Sur de California piden ser admitidos como un nuevo Estado. Hemos tambien enviado a vuestro honorable Cuerpo una copia de una circular que contiene los principios de la ultima reunion hecha a este principio en el mes de febrero, p. C. de San Francisco. El resultado en resumen es el siguiente: Hemos visto de los sur de California (por) Ciudadanos de los Estados Unidos p. C. con motivo de malos politicos y protestas y solicitar las razones q. han guiado nuestras resoluciones en este asunto son breves y claras.

1. El Corte Supremo desde el tratado de Guadalupe y la formacion de Estado, no debe tener a los Municipios habitantes p. C. como el caracter de las instituciones Americanas, tal fue la precipitacion de un importante asunto, que los mas celebres de los de Oregon Españoles no puedan tener muchas veces la tendencia del mundo en q. son llamados a participar. Pero ya todavia esto juicio q. son politicos meritorios y es mas propio no solamente p. C. remediar esto, sino p. C. de los demas motivos. El Estado

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mentado y compuesto de la poblacion, estab. y requie
ra una forma de go. mas sencilla y economica, que
a muchos de los Estados primitos no tienen
situacion de pagar aqui su existencia permanente.
2.º En parte de sus Estados primitos. Cuando se
revisables, estos pronominales en sido recibidos
los por los q. representan, de Comisarios de este
sistema en sus Comisarios de Comisarios
sobre este asunto. No podemos decir a que
se honorable Comisario de suma necesidad
para mantener un Estado en California,
q.º seguir tener sabido probamos a asegurar
q.º sera enorme. Para cubrir esta necesidad
demanda siempr q.º recurrir a contribuciones
directas y a unq.º California no pudiese
tener mas en sus impuestos y contribuciones
para cubrir solo demanda. Esto teni
en la misma en todos Estados, fueran aqui
paganos a pagar contribuciones, a fin de ser
tener el gobierno acostumbrado, resultaria en
la ruina total de sus propietarios del Sur. No
creemos q.º nuestro honorable Comisario
da a otro momento cuando las Comisarios
ciaf son tan perjudiciales a Ciudadanos de
los Estados Unidos, si por ahora admiten a la
ligera en la Union.

3.º La situacion demandada en el Sur que
abaza los limites del Cuadrado Estado, es
una especie de nuestra oposicion. La just
sa de este reparo se hace a veces, cuando
el presente a nunciamos al nuestro honora
ble Comisario q.º los extremos de este punto
grante masitimo con dignidad en

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su manera. Al Norte de nosotros y viniendo hacia
nos al Sur por ser de agricultura y pastoreo por
mucho tiempo debe tener una gran poblacion. El
norte ademas de sus ventajas naturales tiene
una poblacion numerosa, y muchos de los que los
german son transeuntes, y no obstante aumentan
en su representacion, sin q.º esto crea el tra
sio, y por tal causa tendran escluido man
sobre los intereses politicos y judiciales de
País = Este es un mal de mucha mag
nitudo y estrete concubio la idea de q.º el go.
(en mucha vez imponen cargas enormes
de deudas sin intencion de pagar.) Los q.
tencion de California de D.º a D.º grado
de latitud tiene su go.º a gran distan
cia de los otros, y esto ocasiona inveni
tu al Pueblo en su Administracion. Nos
se y esta Constitucion remitida a ese ho
norable Comisario abaza cinco ochenta mil
millas cuadradas, suficiente q.º para Es
tados, y unq.º alguna parte sea gran
y estrete, mas sin embargo suficiente para
de labor q.º de Estados de dimen
cion moderada.

Los representantes seogan a nuestro
honorable Comisario para la separacion de
D.º de California, del Norte, q.º una linea
divisoria, comenzando norte sobre el Pacifico,
q.º viniendo al Distrito de S. Luis Obispo, y
inmediatamente establezca una parte del

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para un territorio para su consorcio con el territorio
de California Central gobernado y protegido
como los otros territorios de la Union.

Capitanes y contra honorable Consejo
Honorable en consideracion nuestra solicitud
y sus cedera este favor sin fraude, y sin
necesario q. la felicidad de un pueblo
quiere el mas numero de la Union Am
ricana. Para el paternal cuidado
del gov. y para el Pueblo a todo lo
necesario quedaran permanentes, aument
sara su agricultura y comercio, y sus
recursos esenciales. Seran derogados
y pronto presentaran la prospera
ventura de un Pueblo unido y feliz.

Angelos Mayo 3. de 1831

Figuen las firmas
La copia - Angelos 4 de Mayo del 830

Man Requena
Bniquel Dalton
Agustín Obros
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Also signed by Manuel Reguera
and Henry Dutton, re establishing
separate state of Southern California.

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M. H. Alcalde 1.º Presidente del Ayto. de
Yuncamier de
Señor

Cuando entro la California parte de la Union Americana, su poblacion Antigua y moderna ha disfrutado la esperanza de su futuro bien estar en las instituciones Nacionales que han elevado a suposible magnitud, siendo todos los puntos de la nacion auxiliando a los Ciudadanos y el Uto. de reunir y proveer a sus necesidades dentro del Circulo permitido p. las leyes.

Siendo en este Uto. el Pueblo de la Ciudad de los Angeles se reunió el dia diez del presente con el fin de votar el mal q. amenara a todos los Pueblos del Sur con ser parte de un Estado, cuyo enorme gastos serian gravosas contribuciones que no pueden repartir los Pueblos del Sur p. el pequeño estado de su riqueza publica. El Uto. nombro entonces siete individuos que unidos al Ilustre Ayuntamiento acordaron las resoluciones convenientes. En esta reunion fueron dados nombrados p. la Comision de Residencia con cuyo motivo tenemos el honor de avisar a U. la presente nota. Ello tiene el objeto de cumplir con la 3.ª de las resoluciones adoptadas y en la copia adjunta pasamos a manos de U.

Siempre fuere de duda que el origen en un solo Estado toda la extension de California

1850. Marzo 4 Angeles
Resoluciones adoptadas por el Pueblo de los Angeles
y presentadas al Ilustre Ayuntamiento

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se ha dado un gran abanico de otros estados de la Union
han adoptado despus de crear bajo los auspicios del Supremo
Gov. Por demeritos indispensables en toda la Union de
pueblos q. abarcan, si como el presente en los tenian se
los formados. Tampoco se han considerado las circun-
stancias de las poblaciones, y como la grande mayoria
de delegadas en la Union era de los pueblos de
norte, no tuvieron con los del Sur y se componian una
may. pequena minoria, y que fides a su deber y
celos p. el bien de sus Comitentes, espiraron por la
creacion de un territorio.

El Estado de California grande en su estension,
no tiene igualada en su riqueza publica, y si bien los
pueblos del Norte pueden reportar las dispendiosas exor-
ciones de un Estado, los del Sur se asusiarian con
los gastos del Estado sin enormes, y unica y esclusiva-
mente de las contribuciones q. Los Pueblos del Sur
no tienen ramos de produccion q. puedan reportar sus
contribuciones p. los gastos q. se hacen, ademas de los im-
puestos locales q. le son mas inmediatos. El resultado
en este caso es resulta un deficit en las atenciones p. el
cumplimiento del Estado, y p. el pago de las contribuciones
es necesario arruinar a los Ciudadanos q.
q. tendrían q. dar sus terrenos en pago del impuesto,
esto no pudiendo hacerlos producir, lo suficiente.
El primer caso no es de esperar q. siendo la
mayor parte de los gastos del Estado los sueltos
y gastos de empleados y oficinas, ni los unos

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entre los q. se encuentran los q. hacen las leyes, han
de servir sin Comptentes indemnizaciones, ni
los otros se han de oprimir, sin perjuicio de
Servicio publico, manteniendo ferream. La necesidad
de ruidos e impuertos, y lamentables a praxis q.
cobranse.

En los pueblos del Norte se han impuesto
la contribucion por el lucro q. produce el activo mercan-
til, a causa de una enorme y creciente
poblacion, q. unida a la explotacion de sus minas
aumentan los recursos de poder y grandiza junto
a la fertilidad de su tierra.

Los Pueblos del Sur carecen de esto y
mismos elementos. La feracidad de sus terrenos
y su temperatura, aun el descubrimiento de las minas
del Norte, habria atraido parte de las emigraciones
y aunque no habria podido competir con el
se que pone el Puerto de S. Juan Co. y sus
ríos navegables, p. la poblacion habria podido
de ocupar de la agricultura, y sacar de ella
con su subsistencia. El pago de las contribuciones
de q. se trata.

El descubrimiento de las minas de oro del Sur
de q. alie completo el apoyo de sus poblaciones y
traje los recursos de los pueblos del Sur y de
ninguna la esperanza q. habian fundado

esta emigracion por q. toda se dirige al norte
y hasta las personas ya establecidas tienen
sus miras unidas a las minas de Oro, siendo
tanto que por un aumento proporcional
se han disminuido hasta los trabajos que
harian producir otros terrenos.

Este, Sr. es un movimiento natural, una
consecuencia necesaria q. no produce que sea
p. si devida y consideracion que llaman
la atencion de los pueblos del Sur, y se ven
obligados a fundarse p. el lugar de sus alios
de protestar, y representar al Sr. Congreso
pidiendole, que p. remediar estos males
se les conceda un Gov. Menor y dispensado
como el de un territorio q. con el nombre
de California Central, forme una linea
sobre el Pacifico q. cubra desde S. Luis C.
hasta S. Diego y su comprehension

Esta resolucion ha tomado el pueblo de es-
ta Ciudad y su demarcacion en la esposicion
que dirije al Congreso gratis, y que en copia
Sr. D. tenemos el honor de acompañar a
suplicandole a nombre de esta poblacion, se
digne permitir en el conocimiento de un hon-
rado y laborioso Pueblo p. q. esto tiene
abien sea de la esposicion repetida, que tie-
ne p. objeto evitar el mal que se sufre en
contra de las poblaciones del Sur, si continuan
siendo parte del Estado de California.

La mayoria de la legislatura se compo-
ne de representantes por el norte, ellos tienen

esta vista un aspecto encantador de progreso
y de grandezas, y se consideran justamente
en el deber de hacer marchar con benta-
ja el estado actual de sus Pueblos sin
consultar las Circunstancias de los demas.

Acabamos de recibir una prueba
evidente del peso que tienen los pueblos
del Sur en las regulaciones de la legislatura.
Ya comision de Hacienda de S. Gerardo ha
propuesto cinco p. de contribucion personal
en todo el Estado, y el fundam. que dan para
esta imposicion es, q. se calcula medio por
cada de un dia por q. las ganancias (per)
nada son cuando maneja diez y seis

La Comision habla en el norte y tie-
mucha razon p. ¿es lo mismo en el Sur?
y ¿de que podra serbir la voz de los repre-
santantes del Sur al frente de tan grande ma-
yoria? Es bien sabido q. hoy en los Pueblos
del Sur se pueden calcular prudentemente
los jornales a un peso diario, y aunque hay cer-
cos artesanos q. ganan hasta diez p. si solo
p. trabajos urgentes de poca duracion. en el
Comercio mucho Capital y trabajo sera preciso
emplear p. poder tener una ganancia de
diez y seis, mas los jornaleros q. compo-
nen la mayor parte de los contribuyentes

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hasta ahora solo ganamos impeditarios.

Si a pesar de estas pedrosas tenemos en
contra de los Nuevos impuestos, los Pueblos de
Guatemala q. suman a ellos si continúan
siendo parte integrante de un Estado en el cual
representan el humillante papel de Colonos
q. podemos evitar curriendo al Congreso
como Ciudadanos libres de la gran familia
Americana.

Siempre D. Juan presento a un Pueblo
honrado y laborioso las debidas simpatias de
esta de los Angeles, y admito con gusto
sus peticiones y otras devidas Consideraciones.

Agosto 4 de Mayo de 1850.

Juan del Valle

Man. Requena

Emilio Salas

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Manuel Requena, Henry Dutton
and Augustus Oliver.

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1850. Mayo 7

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En la Ciudad de los Angeles de la Alta
California, a los diez dias del mes de Febr
ro de mil ochocientos cincuenta de conform
idad con la Sec. 10. del Capitulo 1.º de la
Constitucion del Estado, se reunió en el lo
sal del juzgado la mayoria del pueblo
con el objeto de atender a la demanda de
los representantes por el Distrito en la Le
gislativa, para que les den sus susten
ciones acerca de lo que debieran hacer,
particularmente siempre que la legisla
tura observara las pretensiones del Pue
blo del Norte sobre imprecision de con
stituciones a los terrenos por "ave" Reu
nidos los señores Don Benito Wilson, Fran
cisco Figueroa, M. Edwards, Antonio Coco
nel, Tomas Thoul, Leonardo Cole, Juan
Robland, Mr. Johnson, Tomas Sanchez,
Alejandro Well son Alazar, Ricardo
Don, M.º Blasquez Antonio Jon Col Mea
nuel Jansin, Francisco Garcia Alvarado
Enrique Avila, D.º G.º G.º se procedio a
la eleccion de un presidente que reayo en

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la persona de Don Manuel Piquena
segunda se nombra' un. Vice presidente
que lo fue Don Sr. Antonio Carrillo;
dos Secretarios primeros Don Enrique
Dalton y segundo Don Agustín Olvera.
A falta del Sr. Presidente presidio
la Junta el Vice presidente Don Sr. An-
tonio Carrillo. Lasas que fueron por
el primer Secretario las pretensiones
de uno de los representantes se suscitaron
algunos debates sobre que no debieran
valorizarse los terrenos por "Acu." en ra-
zon de que una "Acu." de tierra en San
Francisco no tiene el mismo valor que
en los Angeles, considerando igualmen-
te que estos impuestos segun el espíritu
de la constitucion en el artículo 21.
sección 13. eran extensibles a todas las
propiedades no solo a los terrenos. En tal
ocasion y siendo de gravedad el asunto se
acordo que se nombraran una comision
de siete individuos que acuda al H. Ayuntamiento de la Ciudad, acordaran
las instancias que debieran darse a
los Señores Representantes, asi como for-
mas resoluciones para el H. Ayuntamiento

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Hizo de esta parte del H. Ayuntamiento y que todo
sea limitado al consentimiento del Pueblo,
quien debia confirmarlo o desecharlo.
Esto acordado por pluralidad de votos, a
movion del Sr. Vice Presidente, se pro-
cedio a la eleccion de los siete individuos
y resultaron nombrados los Señores Don
Manuel Piquena, Don Juan Temple,
Don Enrique Dalton, Don Eulogio
Cebal, Don W. W. Sherman, Don Thomas
Horn y Don N. W. Wodges. — Con esto
fue concluido el acto y disuelto la Junta,
firmaron la presente por los Señores
Vice Presidente y Secretarios. — Antonio
Carrillo. — V. P. — Enrique Dal-
ton. — Secretarios. — Agustín Olvera. — Se-
cretarios

Escopia - Angeles Mars 7 de 1850

Man. Piquena
P. Carrillo
Enrique Dalton
Agustín Olvera

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1. Mayo 7-1850.

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En la Ciudad de los Angeles de la Alta California a doce de Febrero de 1850. - Recuerdo el Hon. Ayuntamiento de esta Ciudad bajo la presidencia del Sr. Alcalde primer D. Abel Stearns, y asociada a la Corporacion la Comision del Pueblo nombrada en la Asamblea Popular de diez del presente, con el fin de acordar las instrucciones que se debian dar a los representantes del Mar en el Congreso del Estado, y las resoluciones para el bienestar publico de dichas poblaciones. - Se voto al Sr. Representante Sr. Montgomery Martin, a que informara cuanto tenia relacion a los intereses publicos de que se trata, y promoviera una oposicion en que manifestara que siendo la mayoria de los miembros del Congreso los representantes del Norte, se observa en ellos un espiritu de indiferencia en orden a los intereses de los Pueblos del Sur, que estos no podian tener esperanza de ser protegidos por el Congreso, porque el espiritu de una considerable mayoria solo se ocupase de los pueblos del Norte, mirando a los del Sur casi como no pertenecientes a la integridad del Estado: que hay presuncion de que en un tiempo

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ORIGINAL DEFECTIVE

Unión de las contribuciones sobre tierras
se decretaron con notable perjuicio de los
pueblos del Sur fijandolas sobre su medida
y no sobre su valor de modo que teniendo
las tierras en el Norte un valor diez tantos
mayor que las del Sur, estas tendrían que pa-
gar la misma contribucion que aquellas
a pesar de la desproporcion; y que nada
podian hacer en favor de sus Constituyentes
los representantes del Sur, por ser un número
no tan insignificante y carecer a veces de sus
funciones. — Luego los Señores Stearns y Wilton
pusieron en conocimiento de la Junta habien-
do recibido cartas del Sr. Senador D. Alejandro
Hopkings de la misma indiferencia del
Congreso, y pidiendo instancias. — La Junta
vio con sentimiento la poca benevolencia con
que han sido acogidos en el Congreso del Norte
los pueblos del Sur, cuyos intereses no cuentan
la debida proteccion en la mayoria de la Ho-
norable Legislatura, y en diversos discursos
se emitieron las opiniones conducentes a
remediar estos males que son como consecuencia
de la posesion del poder pero que presentan las po-

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daciones del Sur en la Balanza del
Estado. — El Sr. Ignacio del Valle pro-
puso que se nombrase una comision compuesta
de cinco individuos para que propusiese tanto
las modificaciones que se deban dar a los repre-
sentantes como los demas puntos de que deba
componer la Junta, y fue aprobado. — El Presi-
dente preguntó si el Sr. la Junta nombraba esta
Comision, y se acordó que sí, quedando nombrados
los Ciudadanos Enrique Dattar, Melgior Celiz, Ma-
rivel Requena, Francisco Figueroa y Thomas Thom.
— Se suspendió la Junta mientras la Comision
desempeñaba su encargo, y habiendo continuado
despues, presentó la Comision a la deliberacion
de la Junta los puntos siguientes. — La Comi-
sion habiendo discutido los puntos que debe pro-
poner a la Junta para su consideracion ha
convenido y propone los siguientes. — 1.º Que se
mande que se copie de las actas de las juntas populares
a los representantes del Sur para que con vista
de ellas se expresen de la voluntad del Pueblo,
y si les parecen convenientes se retiren del Con-
greso. — 2.º Que la Junta haga una exposicion
al Honorable Congreso pidiendo que de los puntos
del Sur de la Alta California se forme un
territorio. — 3.º Que se invite a los Pueblos
desde San Luis Obispo hasta San Diego a que
hagan igual exposicion. — Angeles 17 de

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Steven - Man. Piqueras - Puestos a discusion
con los puntos referidos, a mocion del Sr.
Stephenson se hizo en el segundo las pala
bras Sobrano Congreso y en su lugar se
sustituyeron la de Congreso general, con cuya
variacion fueron aprobados los tres puntos
que quedaron como resoluciones de la junta
El Sr. Manuel Requena propuso que a
Sr. W. Stephenson se le comisionase para re
dactar la exposicion que se habia de hacer
al Congreso General y fue aprobado. A
propuesta del Sr. Presidente se acordó nom
brar una comision de correspondencia
que se entendiese en hacer a los puntos
del Sur las invitaciones a que se contiene
la tercera de las resoluciones adoptadas y
quedaron nombrados el Sr. Francisco del Valle
el Sr. Manuel Requena y el Sr. Enrique
Dalton. Se acordó volver a reunir el
dia 17. del presente a las once del dia.
Abel Stearns - Salvo in voto. - La comision
habiendo discutido los puntos que debe pres
poner a la junta p. su consideracion ha
convenido y propone los siguientes - 1.º Que

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se presenten copia de las actas de las juntas
populares a los representantes del Sur para
que con vista de ellas se impusgan de la opo
sicion del pueblo y si les parece convenientes
de valer del Congreso. - 2.º Que la junta haga
una exposicion al Sobrano Congreso pidiendo que
de los puntos del Sur de la Alta California se
formen un territorio. - 3.º Que se invite a los
Pueblos desde San Luis Obispo Sta. San Diego
a que hagan igual exposicion. - Angelis H. H.
D. de 1850. - Dalton - Calis. - Requena - Thomas
Steven - Man. Piqueras -

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Angelis H. H. de 1850.
Man. Requena
P. Requena

Enrique Dalton
P. Dalton

Agustin Oberon
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Angeles relativas a la Divisi6n
del Estado. Manifestacion
al Representante Montgomery,
y exposicion del mismo en
el Congreso de los E. Ua

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1850. Mayo 7. N^o 3
En la Ciudad de los Angeles a diez y siete de Mayo de mil ochocientos cincuenta. Reunidos al Ilustre Ayuntamiento los señores que componen la Comision del Pueblo, se leyó y aproró la acta de la sesion anterior. = El Sr. W. Stepterson presentó la esposicion p.^a el Congreso General q.^e le habia encomendado, y habiendole dado lectura fue aprobada. = Se acordó que el Domingo 24. del presente a las diez del dia se reuniran al Pueblo por medio de invitaciones a fin de darle cuenta de los trabajos de su Comision unida al Ilustre Ayuntamiento, y p.^a presentarle la esposicion que se tra del designio al Congreso General para su aprobacion o desaprobacion. = El Sr. Figueroa propuso se nombrara una comision compuesta de varios individuos que lo fueran D. Cristoval Aguilera D. Leonardo Costa D. Julian Chaves, y D. Enrique Abila para que fueran por diferentes puntos distantes de esta Ciudad a convocar a los vecinos de la municipalidad para su concurrencia del Domingo, y fue aprobado. = El Sr. Dalton propuso que los gastos que se erogaran de recibientes p.^a se hicieran por el fondo del pueblo que corre a cargo del Ayuntamiento, y

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discusion?
puesta a disposicion en el curso de el dia
señor Celia propuso que se hicieran di-
chos gastos del fondo municipal, si el
pueblo aprobaba la disposicion que se tra-
bia de hacer al congreso general, y asi
fue aprobado. = Se levanto la sesion. =
daleo mi voto. = Abel Steamer = Caba-
neguinal = discusion = vale = entre parentesis
disposicion = no vale =

Esta copia de su original
Angela Maza 7 de 1850
Man. Requena

Enrique Dalton

Agustín Olvera
Dn

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Los Angeles. Pobladores: E.A. D., Mar 3, 1850

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Minutes of meeting.
Mutilated? Lps?

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Como Ciudad de los Angeles de California a 3 de Mayo de 1850.
Mando el Pueblo esta Mesa principal de esta Ciudad haciendo
con la opinion de su Comision nombrada en meeting de 10 de Feb.
ultimo. Considerando q. conforme al manifest No. 1 del Sr. Diputado
D. H. Conner, no tienen los pueblos del Sur de California
esperanza de que se concidara esta legislatura por circunstancias
de impotencia las contribuciones por q. la mayoria de los pueblos de
este surian con independencia las sesiones del Sur q. se
cumplieran sin apoyo en la legislatura.

Que son notorias las quejas q. resultan a las pobla-
ciones del Sur de los niveles en las del Norte p. la impo-
sicion de las contribuciones, p. q. son tan desiguales las leyes
en ambas partes, y q. estos niveles casi llegan a la nada
debe como se ve en el dictamen de la Comision de la mesa
de 10 de Mayo q. se ha publicado impreso, en donde se
expone la contribucion directa y igual a todos los terrero
de los contribuyentes de California, se da p. fundandose q.
solo queda solo en las poblaciones del Norte y en las de
este p. ahora, esto es, q. el jornal diario en todo California
es de diez p. cuando la mayoria de contribuyentes de
este solo gana un peso diario con pocas excepciones.

Que no teniendo el Sur de California, por ahora otros
casos para formar su figura publica q. el ramo de agricultura
al cual se dedica la mayor parte de la poblacion de este
pueblo de oro del Norte, y otras a sus poblaciones toda la atencion
y atencion. Atendiendo en los ramos de agricultura
de este a la agricultura, se han despachado las peticiones

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Contribuciones y censuras ya a unanimitad y de la imprenta
intendiendo solo de Hacienda respecto de los sucesos de la
victoria de la guerra civil del Estado con el Sur y el Norte
civil a q. p. hace otras llamadas. Del progreso de guerra y
poder de aquellas poblaciones, a las cuales el Sur
no puede enviarle tropas.

Que los Diputados del Sur en la Convencion, se
les a un deber, y ellos q. los intereses de los Pueblos de
Convencion se refieren a la Union, de sus territorios y su
fuerza y poder de la Convencion mayor de Convencionales
q. lo sean q. los Pueblos del Sur.

Que cuando en la legislatura del Estado los Pueblos
del Sur, andan la misma, sin embargo en propiedad
de su misma poblacion, que la de los otros, resultase
de dificultades, la Convencion de cuanto fuese necesario
a su proteccion y beneficio, sino place a una gran parte
de los ciudadanos obligados a ocuparse en el establecimiento
de los Pueblos del Sur.

Que debe considerarse al Pueblo en un
de sus derechos, y proteccion, contra todos los actos de la Convencion
q. le perjudicaren, ni mientras el Estado de Calif. no haya
interiorizado a la Confederacion de los cinco Estados de
la Union, el Pueblo adopta las Resoluciones siguientes.

Resuelto
Que el Pueblo aprueba las tres pro-
posiciones de la Junta q. son
1a Que se manden Copias de las
actas populares a los Diputados del Sur
q. se les con vista de ellas se impugnan, que no
se refieren del Pueblo, y si se p. hacer enominacion
de refieren del Congreso.

La Junta aga una opinion al Congreso general de
los puntos del Sur en Calif. se forme
un punto.
3. Que se invite a los Pueblos de San
Diego y San Luis Obispo a q. agar igual opinion
en

Resuelto
Que se aprueba el memorial q. ha sido presentado
la Convencion q. dirigier al Congreso General, y la Convencion
para invitacion a los Pueblos de San Luis Obispo, San
Barbara y San Diego.

Resuelto Que se nombren Comisionados q. dirijan
y habiendonse aprobado a la Accion resultaron
nombrosos por aclamacion al Sr. D. P. P.
para Santa Barbara y San Luis Obispo. Que
habiendo mas que tratar siguieron los Ciudadanos
no poniendo sus firmas en el memorial que se
ha de dirigir al Congreso General.

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Valle, Ignacio del et al: (Santa), Mar. 9, 1850

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Los Angeles

Addressed to the Southern representatives,
Sending copies of minutes of various
meetings in Los Angeles (41-44)
for their information. Also signed by
Henry Dalton and Manuel Respona

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1850. Mayo. 9. No 45

A los Honorables Representantes del
Pueblo en la Legislatura del Estado. 125

Señor

Tengo el honor de participar a V. U.
que este Pueblo en uso de sus derechos se
reunio el 10 de feb. ultimo con el fin de
conmutar el bien publico, y nombrar una
comision de siete Ciudadanos que unidos al
H. Sec. Ayuntamiento acordaron las ins-
trucciones q. se levan a los H. Sec.
Representantes, y formar resoluciones para
el beneficio de esta parte del sur de este
patria, las cuales debian someterse a
este Pueblo para su aprobacion o reprobacion
como rato se deduce del documento q. tenemos
el deber de presentar a V. U. con el mismo.

Con el n.º 2 presentamos a ma-
no de V. U. copia de la acta de la pri-
mera sesion de la junta unida al H. Sec.
Ayuntamiento, y al fin de dicho Acta
aparecen las proposiciones q. la junta uni-
da adopto para el arreglo y organizacion
de sus trabajos.

T. A.

Numero 3 qd tambien presentamos a V. con nuestro respeto, es copia de la acta de la segunda sesion de la junta unida, que entre otras cosas acordó, que se comisionase al Pueblo para que se acuerde con los trabajos de la junta.

Las continuas lluvias no permitieron bajar a celebrarse las reuniones del Pueblo, principalmente de los Ciudadanos que se hallaban en sus ranchos distantes de esta poblacion, hasta el 3 del presente que se reunió el Pueblo en la plaza principal y adopta las resoluciones que constan de la copia n.º 4. En ella aparece el traslado del memorial que el Pueblo sigue al Congreso gral, cuya copia se remite al honor de remitir a O. D. con n.º 5 y con n.º 6 la de la invitacion a los Pueblos de San Luis Obispo, San Barbara y San Diego.

Habiendo cumplido con el encargo que el Pueblo nos encomen-

No nos resta manifestar a V. nuestro respeto y distinguida consideracion.

Angel Muro 9 de A. 51.
J. G. de Valle

Man. Pequeno
Enrique Dalton

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Prouden, Victor, 1809? - : Carta a J Mariano G. Vallejo, Mar. 15, 1850

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San Francisco

Thanking Vallejo for his assistance, mentioning some of his unfortunate business arrangements, including the loss of merchandise coming from China due to a shipwreck.

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Sr D. Mariano J. Valero

Estimado Compadre

Recibe con gusto la muy gratul
de V. D. del pasado. Agradezco a un infinito su
eficaz amistad y generoso empeño en un momento en el
tanto necesitado de uno y otro. Esperaba seguir el contra
modo de la ciudad, tener el plan de verla aqui, y darle
verbalmte las gracias, pero ya que no puedo ser así, quisiera
ir yo mismo pronto a Sonora. Solo espero ver como
talpe del laberinto en el que me meti en un negocio de
la explotacion de los bistecas que me está probando
malisimamente. Todos los establecimientos del mismo genero
están cerrando cada dia y cada dia otros están
embargados y vendidos en Sheriff's sale. Yo creo
que la misma suerte espera al mio, pues está tan
endragado, tiene tan excedido gastero indispensable,
y los recibos no alcanzan a pagar ni las provisiones
diarias. Con el capital que inverti en un maldito
asunto, hubiera ganado en cualquiera otra especulacion
diez ó doce mil pesos, y quizas voy a perder mas
de esa cantidad. Sr. Francisco está decayendo mas y mas
cada dia, el dinero solo le conoce de nombre, y el
redito ya está a quinientos por ciento. Casas y colares
se rematan cada dia por la 5.ª ó 6.ª parte de lo
que han costado. Las magnificas casas que adornaban
la plaza, como la Agrícola, de oro, la bella Union,
Meiner's bank, etc. etc. están cerradas y desiertas.
Ah! Cuanto me pesa el haberme olvidado.

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de aquel sapientísimo adagio: "zapatero á sus zapatos."
Cuanto he perdido por haberme metido en especulaciones en Boston y papas fritas! Será quizás la causa de mi total ruina.

M^r Stevens, en la casa de Porter & C^o, Duero del Amoy Paket, en que venian mis efectos de China, me dió la noticia el mismo día que el buque pereció, en un fuerte Typhoon, en el mar de China, en el último, en compañía de otros seis buques, por diferentes Destinos. El recibí noticia via New York, por el último Steamer, pero aun no ha llegado ninguno buque de China aquí. Es cierto que estan asegurados mis efectos, y q^e algun día, si alguno de a cobrar el Capital, pero considero q^e mi viaje y en año perdido, y todo la ganancia que hubiera sido necesaria en dichos efectos. Cinco mil pesos pierdo, y sin ponderacion me habrian producido veinte mil. Cufien, Compañia, no hay remedio, todavia no ha llegado mi buen amo, quien sabe e u a n d o llegará, quizás á la venida del Meer, ó cuando el Gran Juicio universal.

Reservado. Por ciertos motivos, he vendido el rancho de la Laguna de Santo Calle, y el dador de esto que es depend^{te} mis aquí, no lleba á Sonoma otro objeto que el de registrar el Deed.

Después á v. encelata la carta p^a el Cap. Traba lo que ha quedado sin efecto. Sin embargo, agradezco á v. mucho la interencion con q^e la escribió.

El regreso de mi depend^{te} procurará dar un paseo

á Sonoma, y entonces, hablaremos largo y con libertad. Entretanto, deseo á v. q^e le sea aproble familiar salud y felicidad, y quedo siempre en aff. Compañia, amigo, y S. J. Johnson

Don Juan

P. D. Suplico á v. me haga el favor de mandar la encelata á Pailla.

1850 Mayo 15. San Francisco.
Victor Prudon dice á M. Vallejo que San Francisco está muy atrasado, que nunca adelantará.
Se refiere a su presente negocio &c

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D. Mariano J. Vallejo
per favor de
D. Eugenio Leloy } Sonoma

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Vallejo, Andresico [Antonio del Refugio, 1834-1897]: [Carta a su padre], Mar. 25, 1850

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Sonoma

Re varias business affairs in Sonoma.

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1850 Marzo 25

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Andronico Vallejo a su Padre Mr Vallejo
sobre negocios de familia -
Sonoma Marzo 25 de 1850

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Estimado Papá

Desde el día que U. se fué no
hemos tenido novedad en la casa, el capitán estuvo aquí
el lunes del 25 y mi padrino y se fueron al siguiente
día para Benicia, mi mamá y las muchachas y yo
tenemos muchas ganas de verlo parece que a faltado
mito de año fuera de la casa, papá Mr. Brema
me ha hablado haber rigo quiere que hagamos un
trato de entregarle cuatro reses y le mande acriar
con si U. que yo se los entregue y al mismo tiempo
me die el precio, porque yo quiero dar reses a 25 \$
cada una, Guillermo Boggs quiere tomar una
peca de madera que ay en la casa die que el
le dará con U. quando venga primero que con
alguno de que un me die 200 y pien como
parece bien cuanto pien de tablo con, el otro
día se murio un soldado de una borachera
y fui yo tambien a enterrarlo, El hombre q
vive en el Cortemadera arriba con mi rolet
me die que ay muchos hombres cortando mucha
madera principas Mr. gri jaimes el viejo
Muchas Saludes de la Casa

Andronico Vallejo

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Al J. Don

M. G. Sully

San Loui

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Malcomson, S M : [Letter to] M. G. Vallejo, Mar. 25, 1850

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Same

Re a lot he had purchased in Sonoma from William Boggs. He now realizes that Vallejo has title to it, and wishes to make arrangements accordingly.

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1855, Mar 25 S. M. Malcomson to M. G. Vallejo about buying
a lot in Sonoma,
Sonoma, #48
Sonoma March 25th 1855.

General M. G. Vallejo

Dr. Sir,

I address you this letter in reference to the part of Lot No. 50 in Sonoma which I purchased last November from William Boggs and concerning which I had a short conversation with you previous to your departure from Sonoma.

I purchased from Boggs with the understanding that there was no deed on record, to any person, and believing this I paid him \$600. for twenty five yards front by 107 deep of the above lot. I have since seen your grant to Captain Merwin, on the records of Sonoma.

In making the purchase I thought I was acting wisely and invested all the money I made by teaching school in Sonoma, last summer, all of which is now lost to me. As it is my intention to make Sonoma my future place of residence, I am desirous to procure the piece of land referred to whereon to build and would be very happy if I could make an arrangement with you concerning it. At present I could not pay for it as I have scarcely sufficient for an outfit to the mines, but if you would be pleased to reserve the portion of the lot referred to for three months at the end of that time I would pay you \$300.

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for it. Should you think fit to comply with my
request you will confer a favor which will long be
remembered. As I leave for the Mines in ten or twelve
days an early answer is respectfully requested to
this letter.

I have the honor to be your Obedt. Servt.

J. M. Malcomson.

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Sonoma Cal
28th March 8

paid 12c

General M. G. Vallejo
Senator
San Jose
California

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Vallejo, Mariano J. [unclear], 802 1890. [unclear] Antonio [unclear], Apr. 2, 1850

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San Jose
Concerning business matters Antonio
had written about

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1850. Abril 2, M. G. Valley a su hijo Andronica relativa a 131
San Jno, Deces.

San Jno Abril 2 de 1850.

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Andronico:

Recibi tu carta de fecha 25. del pasado febrero, de lo que tuve mucho gusto.

En cuanto a las reses que quiere Sr. Brumer dele que digo yo que recibira cuatro reses semanarias de una vez cada semana, y que el precio sera 25. pesos. de esta manera no habia cuestion. Si Brumer acepta la proposicion, es men.º decir a San Jno que traigan cuatro reses semanarias de Petaluma y luego que se entreguen (todas juntas) se cobra un recibo hasta q' yo llegue y arregle el asunto.

Esta bueno que Sr. Pozz tome la manera que me diud.

Saluda mucho a mamá, a los muchachos, a los amigos. Se tu hombre de bien, siempre honesto y con bendicion de tu papá. S.

Quedo a la fam.ª con agrado te lo mande tu mamá. S.

Pide a mamá de reses para muchachos y con gratias dadas. Tu Papá te saluda.

H. G. Valley

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Paulson & Co., Sonoma, Calif. : 2 Bill to J Vallejo, Apr. 3, 1850

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with note of payment received, May 24, 1850

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General Vallejo

1849

To Pruden H^{co}

Dr

Sept: 13

Steel pens 50¢ India Rubber 1-00

1. 50

Dec: 1

3/4" Spurs

42. 00

Beads

00 75

\$ 44. 25

Sonoma April 3rd 1850.

Sonoma May 24th 1850

Received Payment

in full on the above account

Pruden and Camp

By J. B. Buchanan

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General Vallejo
 Recibo de \$12.00
 pagado al Sr. [illegible]
 en [illegible]

26 de Mayo 1850

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Waldson, John

: [Letter to] Valby, Apr. 11, 1850

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San Jose

Damaged

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1850 April 11.

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Giril Vallejo
Member of the Senate of Cal.

Dear Sir

to the topic of conversation in
room this morning, viz. 'who was
of Mary the Mother of Christ'. I
simply remark that the script
the Old & New Testament throw
light on this question. Some
suppose that Heli was her fa-
they arrive at the idea in this
By examining the two genealo-
Christ given us, the one in the 1st ch
of St Matthew, the other in the 3^d of
St Luke, it will be seen that
Heli at first view purport to
age of our Lord thro Joseph
cannot have been the son by nat-
cent of both Jacob & Heli. If
of Jacob, as St Matthew represents
then we must assume (with
that he was the son of Heli,
adoption or by marriage. If, as is
most probable, this relation to Heli
came by marriage with his daughter.

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was truly his son-in-law,
ing in Luke is in fact that
Mother of Jesus,
supposition which appears
and very reasonable, which
the apparent discrepancies
the two genealogies of St. Mat-
thee. Heli is the father of Mary.

- in any other sources of informa-
touching this matter?
one other than early ecclesiastical-
history, & floating legends.
Eusebius, one of the early historians
- Church, who he treats lengthily
the genealogies in Matthew & Luke's
text, throws no new light upon
birth & parentage - & subse-
- writers lend us no assistance

to the legends respecting the paren-
- Mary, which have come down to us
the 5th & following centuries, while I
them wholly without evidence, such
not be allowed to assign them that de-
- of credit which his own judgment
decides proper. However, I suppose.

that in the matter of fixing
Joachim" for the name of a
will be immaterial, whether
saint of that name, or Heli
other one, be the real pa-
Mary. San Joaquin San
must pass for the county name
whether in this investigation he
or lose all he lays claim to in
history of the fact. His out-
will be as far as possible, to note
old names of towns, rivers & mountains
as we find them in this country
of Indian or Spanish origin, & to
perpetuate in the future the memory
of the first settlers in California.

In haste, with sentiments of
Respect,
Yours truly

San Jose.
Apr 11 1850

John Waldor

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Merrins, William, 1790-1868 ; [Letter to] Grandelape Vallejo, Apr. 12, 1830

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Utica
He is sending another power of attorney
to Rodney M. Price to act on his behalf
in land transactions in Sonoma.

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1850, Apr. 12.
New York,
Utica, New York, April 12th 1850.

1850 Memoir to Gen. M. C. Vallejo about land transaction

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My dear Sir,
The situation of my family and affairs have been such, since my return from California, as to preclude the possibility of gratifying my desire to settle in your place, but I hope to do so, at some future period. In the mean time your conveyance of the land promised on the Sonoma tract, would stimulate me to accomplish that ardent desire.

Rodman M. Price Esq. is associated with me in the purchase, whose Agent will, on being furnished with the deed, pay the amount agreed upon.

In consequence of the uncertainty of the time I might be enabled to go to California, and in accordance with your request, I forwarded, in December 1848, to Mr. Price a Power of Attorney conveying ~~the lot in~~ to you, the lot in the Town of Sonoma which you were so kind as to secure for me, which Mr. Price has informed me, since his return to New York, did not come to hand.

I regret exceedingly the failure, and have therefore, forwarded this day another Power

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of Attorney, to New York to be transmitted
through Rodman M. Price Esq. which he
trust will reach you by the next steamer
In conclusion I beg leave to subscribe
My self Your friend
Wm. Mervine.

Gen. M. Gaudeloupe Vallejo
Sonoma. Upper California

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Madarín, Navaho, 1828 - Santa e) Guadalupe Valles, Apr. 12, 1850

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Monterey
Travelling Valles to a dance in Madarín.

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1853. Mariano Valasquez invita al Gen. Valles a un baile
Abril 12 que se dara en Monterey en honor de los oficiales
electos ultimamente
Monterey Sr. Don Guadalupe Valles No 53 146

Monterey, Abril 12 de 1853

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Mi respetado Señor

Fuero con placer la pluma para dirigirla unas pocas letras y saludarlo cum- pliendo al mismo tiempo con mi deber atendiendo las obligaciones que con él tengo, segun me dicen, por el cariño que ha tenido la bondad de mani- festarme en mi infancia. Lo senti mucha su marcha repetida para mi la otra vez q estubo aqui, pues no tuve el gusto de hacer- se las repetidas visitas q deseaba, pero espero hallarme algun dia en disposicion de hacerlo y presentarme prontamente y repetidas veces mit respetos y gratitud.

Uno de los principales ob- jetos de esta carta, es que habiendo yo obte- nido en estas elecciones un empleo en la Ciudad de Monterey, y dando los empleados de dicha ciudad un baile el 17 del corriente, tendria mucho gusto en tener la honra de que U. nos acompañase. Reciba U. las atenciones de mi Madre y demas familia y ordene lo que guste a su oficio y seg. serv. q. b. y. m.

Mariano Valasquez

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Señor Don Mariano Guadalupe Vallejo

San José

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Guerra, Pablo Andrés Antonio María Saturnino] Le la, 1819-1874; [Carta a] M.G. Vallejo, Apr. 26, 1850 54

San Jose

He is unable to leave, for Scott's health is too fragile. Tells Vallejo the state printer needs services of José de la Rosa for the publication of laws in Spanish etc.

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J. José Abril 26 de 1850
Sr. Sr. M. S. Valljo

Estimado Sr: en Cumplim^{to}
con mi oferta al despedirme dirijo a V^o esta no-
ticiandole que como alas 3 horas despues q^e D^o salio
de aqui, me llegaron los Caballos q^e tenia pedidos
a Sta Barbara, pero al lado de este acato favorable
me encuentre con otro fatal que ha demorado mi
salida y Dios sepa cuando la podre efectuar.
La salud de Scott esta tan decaida que no da
esperanzas de vida: el medico a lo mas le da 8 dias
de termino y ya se q^e seria la mas alta ingra-
titud de parte de V^o tan triste estado. Todos mis pla-
nes q^e me han frustrado con esto, demodo q^e
nada podre informar ni de mi salida de aqui
ni cosa otra ninguna.

El impresor del estado Mr Robinson me en
carga recuere a V^o la cantidad q^e tiene de Dr^o Pepe
de la Rosa para la impresion Castellana de las
leyes y me dice diga a V^o q^e en caso de resisten-
cia por rason de paga en Dr^o Pepe puede ofre-
cerle hasta \$ 200 (doscientos pesos) al mes pero
q^e espera que venga por menos. Sobre todo aque-
da q^e V^o vigite su venida pues de lo contrario
la impresion tendra q^e demorarse mas delo q^e
es regular. Lo por mi parte tambien me en-
tresto en su pronta venida.

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Tengo presente q̄ al tiempo de mi salida para
Montreux recibí una carta de Salvador, en la
que me preguntaba sobre los límites de
Nicaragua y con acuerdo que encomendé a mi
respuesta, pero por si se le haya olvidado
le dire a V. q̄ refiero mi respuesta a los
mapas q̄ de otros Nicaguas estan registrados
en el juzgado de Sonoma, por ello podrá si
el rapacho del Chileno de quien me habla, se
halla incluido en parte o en todo en mi terreno
Yo espero q̄ si V. encuentra q̄ la tierra de
ese hombre se halla incluida en los mapas
q̄ estan allí, se sirva avisármelo en primer
location.

Escribo esta map q̄ de galope por
lo q̄ espero me dispense, pero quien puede
ver la letra de Halleck creo tambien podrá
ver esta.

Espero haya V. encontrado a Juan
sin novedad y suplico la salud de parte
de su sobrino que me lo tiene V. aquí
Como dice Plafino, pero de otro sin embargo
de recibir las ordenes de su tío q̄ aprisa
y B. H.

1850 Abril 26. San José

P. de la Guerra

P. de la Guerra a Mr. Vallejo relativa a Scott y
a la traducción de las leyes al español.

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Sen. Vallejo
Sen. Mariano G. Vallejo
Sonoma

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Hall, R. B

: Letter to J. M. Cornwell, May 4, 1850

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Aqua Calente

re lumber, and inquiring about a passage at Aspinwall & Co. for him.

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R. B. Hall to Corruell about lumber
Agua Caliente May 4, 50. 157
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Dr. Sir
I sent the Team for plank & boards as agreed with the General yesterday - also some square joint of scantling & would like to borrow his Water Level or Spirit Level rather for a few days -

We need a stout stake such as I saw in the garden the other day. (Maltok?)

Have you written to Capt. Dierby; Boston at S. Drani. make the enquiry whether any package at Alpine will go for R. B. Hall? if not be so kind as to drop a line; and send me his name as I may want to correspond with him possibly.

The Watermelon seeds you thought you could get for us - if have them please send!

Oblige
Yours Respectfully
R. B. Hall

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Guerra, Pablo [André, Antonio María Saturnino] de la, 1819-1874. Carta a J.M.G. Vallejo, May 5, 1850 56

San Francisco

Asking that Vallejo use José de la Rosa
accept proposal for printing the Constitution
in Spanish. He also asks him to contribute
a promissory note of André's Pico, and refers
to taxes on Nicajo.

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1850, Mayo 5, San Francisco,

no 56 153

San Francisco Mayo 5 de 1850

Señor Don M. G. Pallyo

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Hoyan mi ha amparado ya del rumbo del papel de que se habla

Mi apreciable tío: no puedo menos que dirigir al estas letras antes de retirarme al sitio desde donde me repito a sus ordenes.

Desde nra separacion le he dirigido dos cartas y como como no lleguen a sus manos a causa de los continos, Pezarios que padice toda correspondencia, le dirijo esta tercera duplicada para que haga por que D. Pepe acepte la oferta de los Señores Mary y Robinson, quienes ofrecen por un impresor en Castellano hasta \$200 al mes; de la aceptacion de D. Pepe depende la pronta o tardia publicacion de las leyes en Castellano y O. Conoce que esto no puede ser nos indiferente

La necesidad de concluir un negocio que tenia pendiente me obligo a venir a San Fran en donde he sido triste espectador del horroroso incendio de ayer, del cual omito la relacion por que supongo que tanto por los papeles publicos como por los informes verbales que habra dado al Sr. Frisky (que se halla conmigo) esta O. bien informado.

Recuerdo que al partirme para

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Montrey dije encomendada al la remision de
un pagaré de Andres Pico en favor de Sarkin
a la Casa de Muller y Howard. Yo he estado
en dicha Casa con el solo objeto de preguntarle
si se sabia o no dtho documento pero por des
gracia nunca he encontrado allí a Howard y
tal vez no lo veré pues no puedo demorar me
mas aqui; así es que espero del me avisar su
remision pues nunca hablamos de esto despues
de mi retorno de Montrey. O sabe que Sarkin
me confió esos papeles y dtho escribiéndole de haber
cumplido con su sueno.

El bono de 225\$ que di al para los
taxes de Nicasio Suptles lo mantenga en su po
der y lo redima cuando haya fondos en ese
condado, pues le aviso al que he vendido el
terreno y por consiguiente ya no tengo necesi
dad de usar de dicho papel con el objeto
para el cual lo di al.

Escribo con una muy mala pluma y
por tanto no soy mas prolijo

Meis respetos a mi prima y demas fa
milia y O disponga del dinero. Refesto a su
sobrino que lo aprecia y respeta

Pablo de la Guerra

Pablo de la Guerra a San Valero sobre fuego
en San Francisco. Nota de Andres Pico 7C

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Lamont, Wilson & Co., San Francisco ; [Letter], May 6, 1850

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Form letter, printed, with signatures
of partners, E. H. Lamont and J. S. Wilson

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San Francisco, May 6, 1850.

Sacramento Street, below Montgomery.

We beg to inform you, that we have this day commenced Business, under the firm of Lamont, Wilson & Co., as General Commission Merchants, Brokers, Salesmen, Buyers, &c.

We respectfully solicit your orders, and feel confident, from our mode of doing business, of giving you satisfaction in any way you may require our exertions.

We confidently offer our services as Purchasers to Stockholders in the Mining Districts; as, from our knowledge of the Markets here, and having resided many months in the Mines; we are well acquainted with the goods suitable for them.

We, also, especially invite parties engaged in Agricultural pursuits, to make a trial of our house as sellers of their produce, it being the intention of one of the firm to give particular attention to this branch of business.

We remain,

Your most obedient servants.

LAMONT, WILSON & CO.

E. H. LAMONT will sign,

Lamont Wilson & Co.

J. S. WILSON " "

Lamont Wilson & Co.

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Howard, William J Davis Meany, 1817-1856; [letter to J.M. G. Vallejo, May 7, 1850]

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San Francisco
Sending a circular from a newly
opened seminary for young girls in
San Francisco

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Mr. C. Howard to Mr. Valley
about a Seminary for young girls
opened at Sonoma, by Mrs Winback

San Francisco May 7 1850

My Dear Sir

I enclose you a circular from
Mrs Winback, a lady who has opened a
Seminary for Young Ladies in the place
most of course very highly recommended and
I have no hesitation in saying that I believe
her Establishment to be one of the utmost
importance to this Country, and that it will be
conducted in the best manner. During her
stay here she has secured for herself the
best wishes of all who have had the pleasure
of her acquaintance. Should you, or any of your
friends wish to send Children to a good school
this is an excellent opportunity. Requesting
your influence in her behalf. I remain
Yrs most truly
Mr. C. Howard
Mr. G. Valley Esq.

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Madon St. J. Valley
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Canillo, Ramón : Account with Gallego, Ma, 18, 1850

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1850. May 18th

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Ramon Carrillo

In Acct with Vallejo

Fraser & Co	Cash	\$1812.00
"	Bill rendered from Sonoma	1391.00
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		3203.00

By 3	Bullacks	\$35	\$105.00
" 1	"	25	<hr/> 25.00
			130.00

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Spalter, Albert D

: [Letter to J Vallejo, June 4, 1850

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Burlington, Vt.

Requesting a situation in California as a school teacher.

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1857 June 2
Burlington Vermont
Robert D. Spalter to Mr. Vallee asking
for a situation as School Teacher

Burlington,

Vermont June 2nd 1857

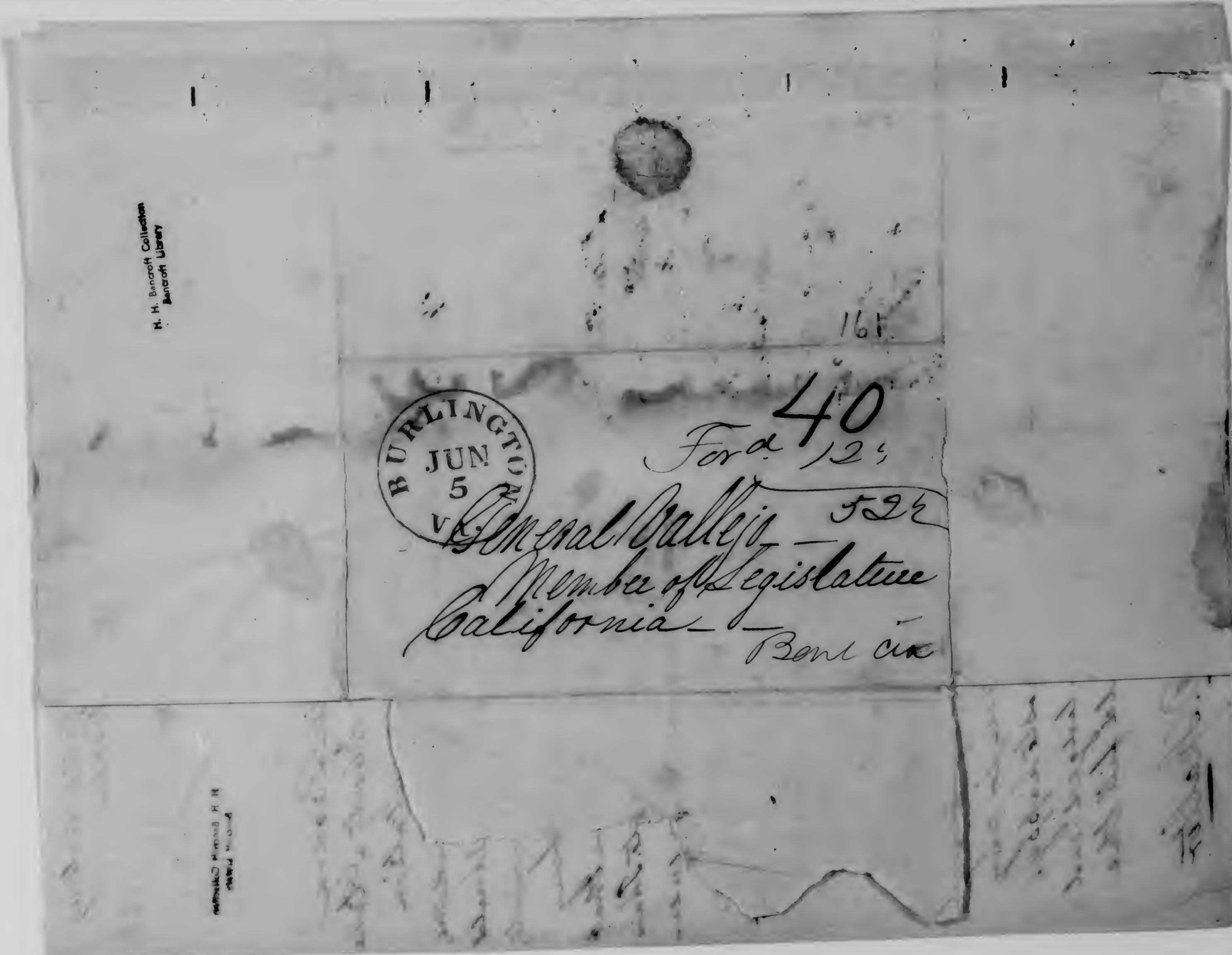
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General Vallee. Dear Sir. Pardon
me (although a stranger) for the liberty I take
in addressing your Excellency. Your reputation
for benevolence (and clemency) has inspired me
with confidence to address you. If you should
deem it presumption, in your humble servant,
thus to intrude upon your august notice, bury
the writers name in oblivion, and believe that
none but sincere feelings prompted the act. I have
been unfortunate, sickness has cramped my ener-
gies and the small compensation for teaching,
would soon vanish and leave me at the foot
of the hill. If, in your bounty and nobleness
you should see fit to bestow a situation, of
encouragement, or a bestowment, enabling me
to still the path of science, (or which I pant)
pursue, sincere gratitude, would fill my
heart, to you, and could I serve you, in any
capacity, I should deem myself most happy.
My favor would be sincerely acknowledged and
emotions of heartfelt gratitude would fill the
Soul of
Yours Obedt. Servt. Robert D. Spalter
who will ever pray for you.

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Va Mehr, J L : Letter to J Vallego, Jan. 5, 1850

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1858.
June 5,
Sonoma,

Mrs. Vermeke to Mr. Vallejo
upon the arrival of said Vallejo's
sons

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Sonoma Jan 5. 1858.

Dear General,

Mrs. Vermeke & myself we
sincerely congratulate you and Mrs. Vallejo
with the safe arrival of your two sons.
Mrs. Vermeke, not less than myself, will
be very happy to make their personal ac-
quaintance. Mrs. Vermeke is not quite
well, and this joined to the difficulty of
leaving "the thing we are married to" prevents
us from informing personally.
With my kindest regards to all
I am, Dear General,
Yrs. humbly
J. W. Vermeke

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Camillo, Carlos Antonio [de Jesús], 1783-1852 : [Carta a] M Guadalupe Vallejo, June 11, 1850 62

Santa Barbara
Re the current situation in California.

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 Sr. D. M. Guadalupe Vallejo ^{no 62}

Sta. Barb. Junio 11 de 1850.

Mi muy estimado primo: te aseguro
 con verdad que cuando recibí el discurso
 de nuestro actual gov. que te serviste de
 motivo, me fue tanta complacencia,
 la que tal vez no te puedes figurar, en ha-
 ber la atención se que todavía hace re-
 cuerdo se quien entró en te se consideraba
 olvidado de ti, y para que puedas satisfacerlo,
 se que aprecio tu recuerdo, te acuso el Víci-
 lo del mencionado discurso, el cual en mi-
 sentir no podía estar mejor meditado en todas
 las partes que se contiene, y en particular
 ala es claridad.

No puede negar que nuestra si-
 tuacion en dia, llama la atención, en cual
 quier California que medio tenga pensamen-
 to desentus nuestra felicidad, y si alguno hay

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que no lo tenga, lo tengo p. un barbaro, pues en mi concepto como que muy mejorado, nose si ire borrado, y quisiera que tuviera la bondad de contestarme sobre esto, para asi mismo fundarme en tu opinion, y cuanto sea hadactable a tus pensamientos, al bien de nuestro solo bien, pues tu sabes muy bien, que cuanto ha estado empujando i procurado hacerlo posible para la felicidad, haies que yo quedo en esta satisfacion que me serviria en esta parte, como primer, y pagaria que desiamos la mejor suerte a nuestro Pais, pues en mi concepto no lo tiene mejor el globo, pues no hay istoria en que se vea un proprio en tan corto periodo de tiempo como el que se ve en este nuestro gran solo bien donde tuvimos la dicha de ver la primavera.

Resibe finas expresiones de M. Josefa y fa dandorlas a parte de todo y to van a Fran. de. y ambas como gusten dispongan del af. que les profesa q. Tu estima y D. J. M.

quisiera estar un poco si halla a las tres una visita, pero nada he ganancia p. que ya estoy muy viejo, pues, muy cancio, aunque con salud gracias a Dios, y fuerte todavia para mis negocios del campo, pero sin embargo ya no me ambien salir a otra parte solo p. necesidad.

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1850 Junio 11. Sta Barbara.
Carlos Ant. Carrillo a M. G. Valles
sobre los adelantos del Departamento

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Sor.
D. Mariano Guadalupe
Vallejo in La Ciudad
de Sonoma #

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Roe, Louisa Wood & Son, New York : Letter to J.M.G. Vallejo, June 13, 1850

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New York June 11th 1850.

Gen. M. G. Vallejo

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We also import drawing copies and drawing materials, and keep a choice assortment of fancy articles of every description. About two weeks since, Thomas O. Larkin Esq. showed us a commission from you to purchase some Spanish, French, and English books together with some music and drawing materials to the amount of one thousand dollars.

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After looking over our stock he ordered a set of the Spanish Classics in 47 volumes for your own library.

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Mr Larkin, by giving us such an order, has reposed great confidence in us, and we have endeavored to prove ourselves worthy of it.

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are pleased with what we have sent you now.

We are aware of the high position you hold and that
you can by your influence give us a considerable
amount of business which we hope you will do.

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insurance. Please protect our signature.

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Yr. Obedient Servant
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 Recd Payment W Parker & Co
 M. M. Campbell

San Francisco June 15th 1850
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June 15th 1850

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I take pleasure in making you acquainted with Mr. A. C. Blitcher, who has recently arrived in this country - Mr. B. is a Surveyor & was for a long time in government employment in the U.S. He has made a range survey for me which has given perfect satisfaction. If you are

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can recommend him
with confidence.

I am Dear Sir
Yours truly
J. J. Wilson

Genl. W. G. Vallejo
San Francisco
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1850 June 15 San Francisco

Letter of Introduction
from Holcom, introducing
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Ames, T[haddeus] M

, d. 1876: [Letter to] M. G. Vallejo, June 19, 1850

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Summary

Witness to purchases lots in the city of Vallejo.

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1850. June 19, Sonoma,

to Mr. G. Vallejo

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Sir

I want two

lots in your city of Vallejo, one to be within three blocks of the water and the other not more than two for which I will arrange when called upon - Sonoma June 19th 1850.

T. M. Ames

T. M. Ames, to Mr. Vallejo about buying lots at Vallejo's,

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Vallejo, Mariano y Guadalupe, 1807-1890: Inventario de la propiedad ... , June 20, 1850

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1850. Junio 20 Sonoma

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Inventario de la propiedad real y personal de M^{te}. Vallejo situada en el Condado de Sonoma.

	Valor \$.
650%o. Acua de tierra	\$39595. 00
19214 " " "	" 6607. 00.
1. Casa del rancho	" 10000 00
1. Molino de harina	" 2000. 00.
2000. reses	" 30000. 00.
1500. Caballos, yeguas y jumentos	" 15000 00.
70. Caballos chicos	" 2500. 00.
15. Yuntas de bueyes	" 600 00
100. bueyes	" 300. 00.
1. Casa en el embarcadero	" 500. 00.
Muebles de la casa	" 200. 00

De la cantidad arriba expresada se deben deducir siete mil trescientos y sesenta acuas que han sido vendidas a diferentes personas. Total monto \$101242 00.

Sonoma.	
1. Casa y solar ocupada por mi, junto con el terreno que sirve de Cuartel ocupado por el go ^{vo} solar num ^o 25.	20000 00
1. Casa y solar ocupada p. el Mayor de la Armada	" 2000. 00
Casa y solar ocupada a Notario	" 6000. 00.
1/2 solar que fue del Cap. Alvarado	" 250. 00.
5. solares	" 250 00.
1. D ^o	" 50 00.
Coche y carruaje	" 500. 00.
Muebles de casa	" 2500. 00.
10600 acuas, conveyed al Cap. Tibbitts p. el cual pagare las taxes, p. convenir	" 5902. 00.
1. Canoa y tres solares en el embarcadero	" 300. 00.
	97152. 00.

Total monto a Petaluma y Sonoma \$108394 00.

Tulupa	
2. leguas de tierra compradas a Alvarado	3000. 00.
Total x x x x x	\$141394. 00

Todo lo arriba expresado es precio que he pagado razonable (pau) de la propiedad real y personal perteneciente al que se nombra.
Sonoma Jun^o 20. a 1850.

M^{te}. Vallejo
J. B.

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*Yours de la propria
Real y personal de
D. Juan G. Vallejo*

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Panott, John, 1811-1884 : [Letter to] M. G. Vallejo, July 6, 1850

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San Francisco

Re financial arrangements

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1850 Julio 6, San Francisco

San Francisco Julio 6 de 1850

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Señor M. G. Vallejo
Sonoma

Mi estimado Amigo

Respondo a la estimada de V. fha
23 del pp.º diciendole que en el del presente entregue a
su enviado Don Federico Regas los 3000 \$ Tres mil pesos
en Oro sellado, y quidan cargados en su Cuenta Corriente
en la misma fha bajo las condiciones que V. me indica
en su ya citada Carta

Sin otro asunto por hoy queda de V.

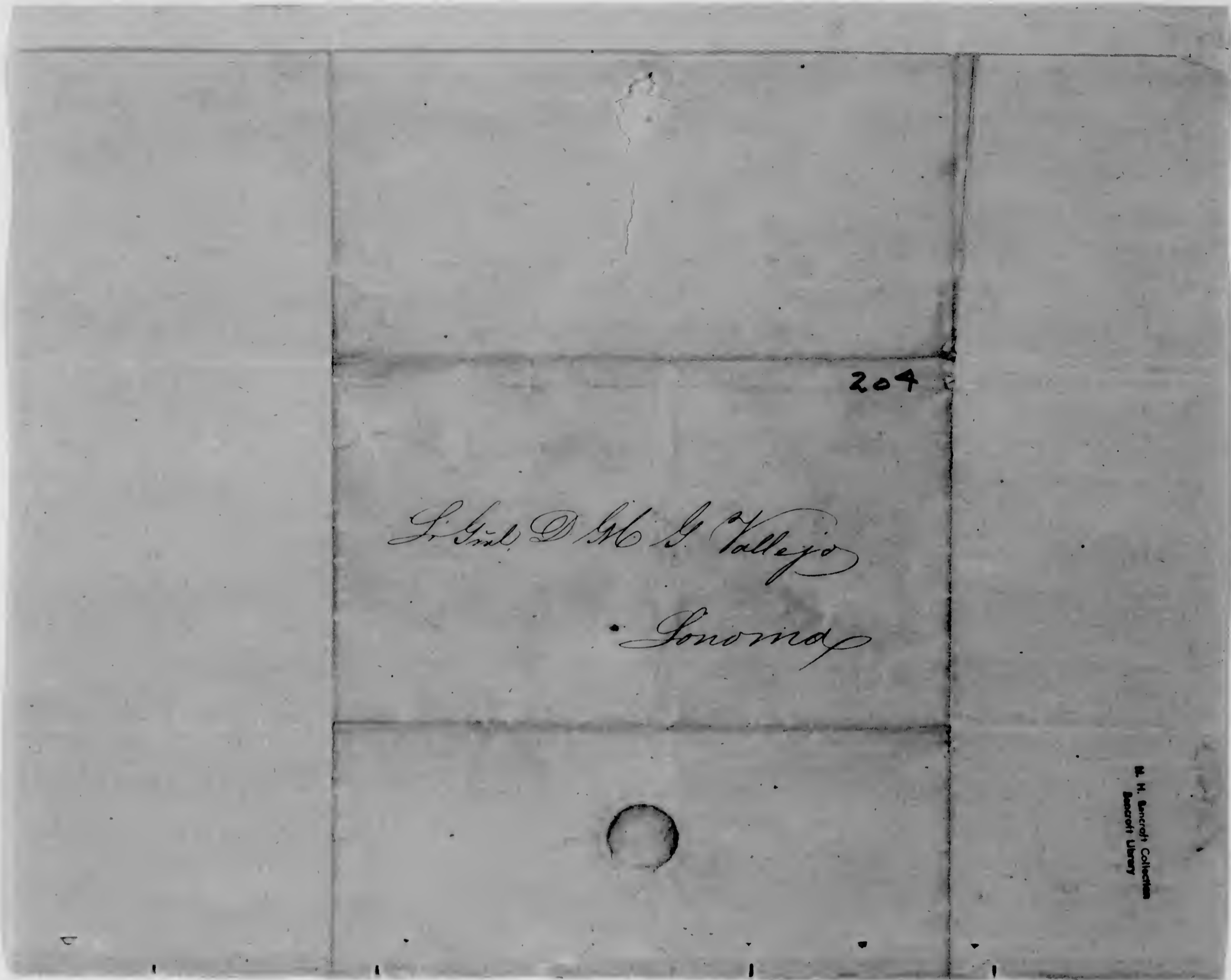
su Atto. el C. B. S. M.

Juan Parrott

Juan Parrott a M. G. Vallejo relative
a dueros

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L. G. & M. S. Vallejo
Sonoma

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Vallejo & Frisbie: - (Carta a) Sisto y José Beneyesa, July 19, 1850

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Summary

Stating they wish to cancel their account
as soon as possible.

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1850. Julio 19. Sonoma

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Sonoma Julio 19/1850
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Mr. D. Lute Berreyas, y D. Joz Berreyas.
Muy Sr. mio. Desearia characlos recetar en
tan lo mas pronto posible, y por lo tanto le dirigi
una la presente a fin de que se invoa pagar su
cuenta con interes.

Del. con toda consideracion
L. A. P. G. B. M.

Valley & Smith

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[Vallejo, Mariano Guadalupe], 1807-1890: [Bovina], July 24, 1850

Sonoma.

Thanking Carrillo for his letter and telling him that so many of his former friends have deserted him since his imprisonment by the Americans in 1846.

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Sonoma Julio 24. de 1850. = Valles a D.^o Carlos Carrillo
 Sr. D. Carlos A. Carrillo. (carey)
 Estimado primo y Sr. de mi aprecio: Su apreciable carta
 de fecha 11. de Junio pp.^o la recibí hoy por que con-
 ducta; p.^o al fin la recibí. de lo que tengo la mayor satisfac-
 cion. Despues de tantos años de silencio, y sobre todo, de
 vicisitudes y grandes cambios en el tren politico de un
 pais como California, visto solo patria, es muy satisfactoria
 encontrar nuevamente a los amigos y parientes que fueron
 y son los unicos vinculos que unen al hombre razonable
 en este mundo. La carta de V. me sorprendio, pues
 casi todos mis amigos antiguos me han vuelto las espaldas
 despues de mi degradacion y prision de los Americanos
 el año de 1846. Pero por fortuna aun puedo vivir sin
 ocurrir a ellos, complacido en que se han engaña-
 do cuando me creian

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Cooper, Stephen : [Letter to George Yount, Aug 6, 1850

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Benicia

Re some cattle bearing Yount's brand
 said to have been sold by Salvador Vallego,
 with note by Yount re the notes,
 Aug. 9, 1850.

72. Printed proclamation, Apr. 22, 1850 removed
 for separate cataloging.

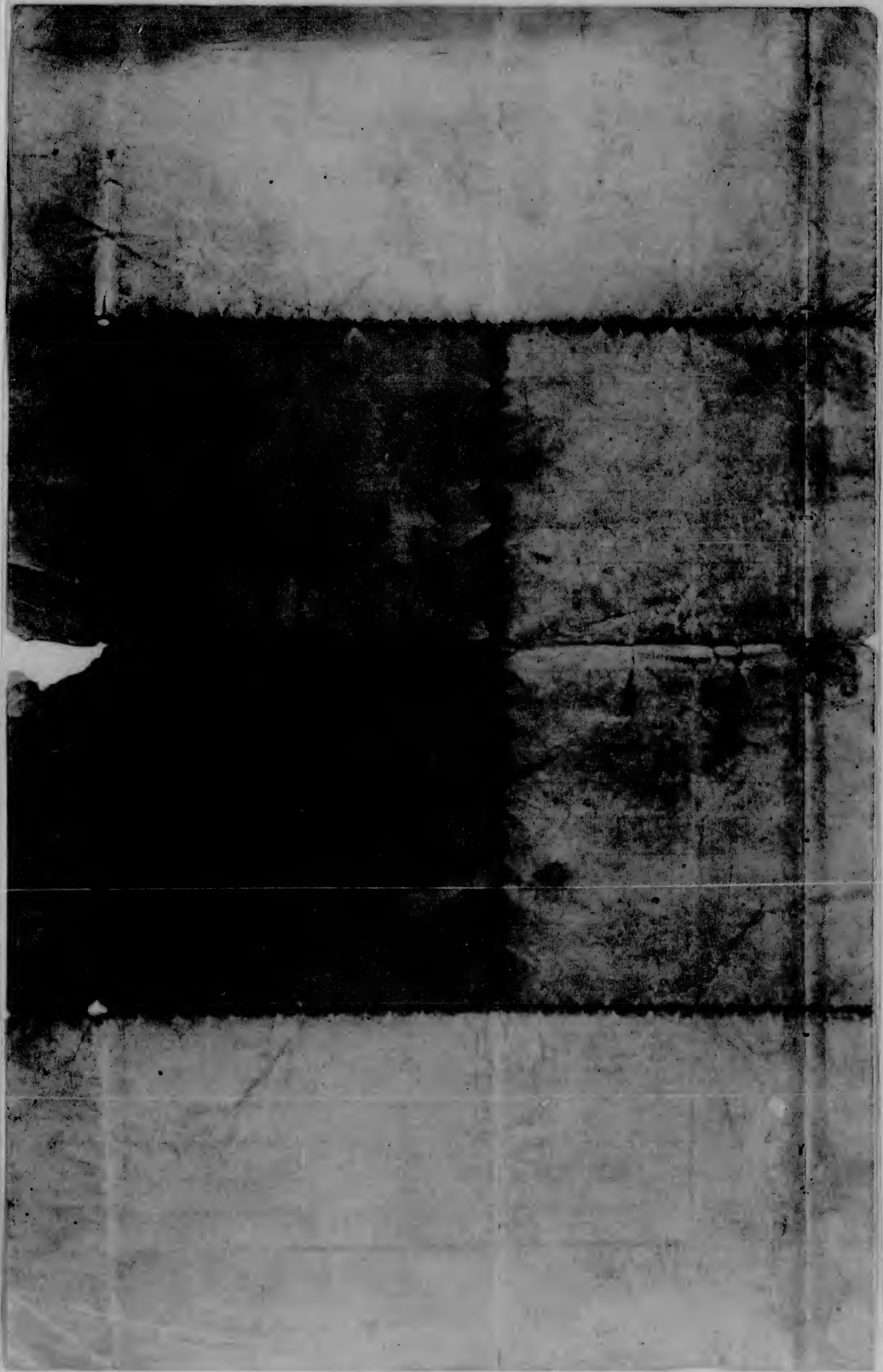
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1850. *Cattle transactions between S Vallejo*
Aug. 6 *Yount & Cooper* W 71 208
Benicia *Benicia August the 6th 1850*

Dear Sir
I have been informed by Green Mcmackmahan that a number of your cattle or a number of cattle in your brand and mark past Wolfskills on Sunday morning last also a number of Beasleys in the same drove and many others of your neighbours they were going to Nicolases ranch on Feather River I have been informed that they were sold by Salvadoro Valero there was not more than half of the drove in Salvadoros own mark you will please inform Mr Beasley it is expected that you will not be slack in trying to check this kind of business the cattle can be easily found
George Yount
yours Respectfully
Stephen Cooper

If Mr Beasley goes up to Nicolases ranch to see about his cattle he will please to notice how many have my brand on. I will satisfy ^{you for} your trouble
Salvadoro Valero sent me word that he had taken tax of my cattle according to the above there must be more.
Geo. Yount
Aug 7th 1850



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Ely, Elisha

Letter to J.M.G. Vallejo, Aug. 8, 1850

Summary

Re proposed establishment of a newspaper in California and urging Vallejo to connect himself with the newspaper.

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1850 Aug. 8 Sonoma

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Elisha Ely to Gen Vallejo about
the establishment of a news paper.

Sonoma, August 8th 1850

Gen. M. G. Vallejo,

Dear Sir,

The following is a concise
recapitulation of my remarks to you on the after-
noon of yesterday.

On a recent visit to San Francisco
I met two gentlemen of my acquaintance from New York,
who had just arrived in the last steamer; one of them
for several years the Editor of the principal Democratic
Newspaper of Rochester City, the other a lawyer
of the same City, & for several years a prominent
writer for the newspaper press & literary reviews.

Both these gentlemen are liberally educated, & men
of strict integrity of character, & whose reputation at
home was deservedly high. They have come to California
to establish themselves for life, with a determination to
devote their energies & their talents to the prosperity of
their adopted home. They have in their control a
superior & Spiritive Press, with every thing complete
to establish a Newspaper here - which they intend
doing, and having no political preferences or ambition
here, intend it to be a neutral paper, devoted to the
propagation of such sentiments and principles as
will promote the best interests, & secure the most
permanent advancement of the Country. To this end they
desire a connection with a gentleman of character
and reputation in this Country, one whose interests are in

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indispensable with California, & who can harmoniously cooperate with them in securing the greatest good to this Country. But they are not possessed of means to establish their Paper, and propose borrowing the requisite amount. They have already received several offers of abundant means by gentlemen in San Francisco, who wish to make a political machine of the Paper. All these offers they steadily refuse, having learned their views & determination, I took the liberty of mentioning your name - viz - to them as the only gentleman within my acquaintance, whose connection with them would secure the end they aimed at, viz, the prompt establishment of a Paper devoted solely to the interests of the whole people. They had already become familiar with your name - viz - at home, in connection with your liberal proposal to the State relative to a site for the Capitol, and expressed a desire that I would see you on my return, & ascertain if their enterprise met with your approval, & if so whether you would be willing to engage with them promptly in the execution of it. Saying "that if Gen. Vallejo should deem it advisable to connect himself with them, the whole establishment would be made over to him to secure him for monies advanced, that its columns would always be open to him, & the Editors would at all times regard it as their duty to promote your private interests, when to do so would not conflict with the public good". They are determined to make it the leading Paper of the State, & they possess the ability to do so, & will eventually exercise a great influence on the public mind. They are both young men - firm in their purpose of achieving an honorable name in this country of their adoption.

Permit me in conclusion - viz, to add

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that I am entirely disinterested in this matter, except so far as the prosperity of the County is concerned. I now regard it as my home, and am anxious for the establishment of any enterprise that will tend to its advancement.

Yours with great respect
Gen. W. G. Vallejo. Olisha C. G.

P. S. The amount required to establish this Paper would be from \$40 to \$50 (6 or 10) thousand dollars. My communications addressed to Wm. A. Root Esq. San Francisco - (who is one of the Editors) relative to this business - will meet with prompt attention. J. C.

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To
Gen. M. G. Vallejo
Sonoma

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Vallejo & Frisbie : Letter to Wells & Co. , Aug 21, 1850

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Benicia

Requesting them to receive money from Capt. Ritchie, in part payment for the Susan Rancho, with notes of receipt, Aug. 23 and 27, 1850, by the Company.

N.B. There is no no. 75.

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1850,
Aug 21
Benicia Ritchie and Vallejo & Frisbie

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Benicia August 21st 1850

Wishes Wells & Co

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Genl.

Please receive from Capt A. B. Ritchie ten thousand dollars and place the same to our credit. the said sum of money being in full payment of the said sum ranch this day purchased of & us by Capt Ritchie

Very respectfully

Genl. Abelt Scott

J. Bellis & Frisbie

San Francisco Aug 23rd 1850
Received from Capt A. B. Ritchie Six thousand five hundred & fifty Dollars which we have placed to the credit of Messrs Vallejo & Frisbie.

\$6,550

Wells & Co

San Francisco Aug 27th 1850
Received of Capt A. B. Ritchie Thirty four thousand and fifty Dollars which we have placed to the credit of Vallejo & Frisbie

\$34,500

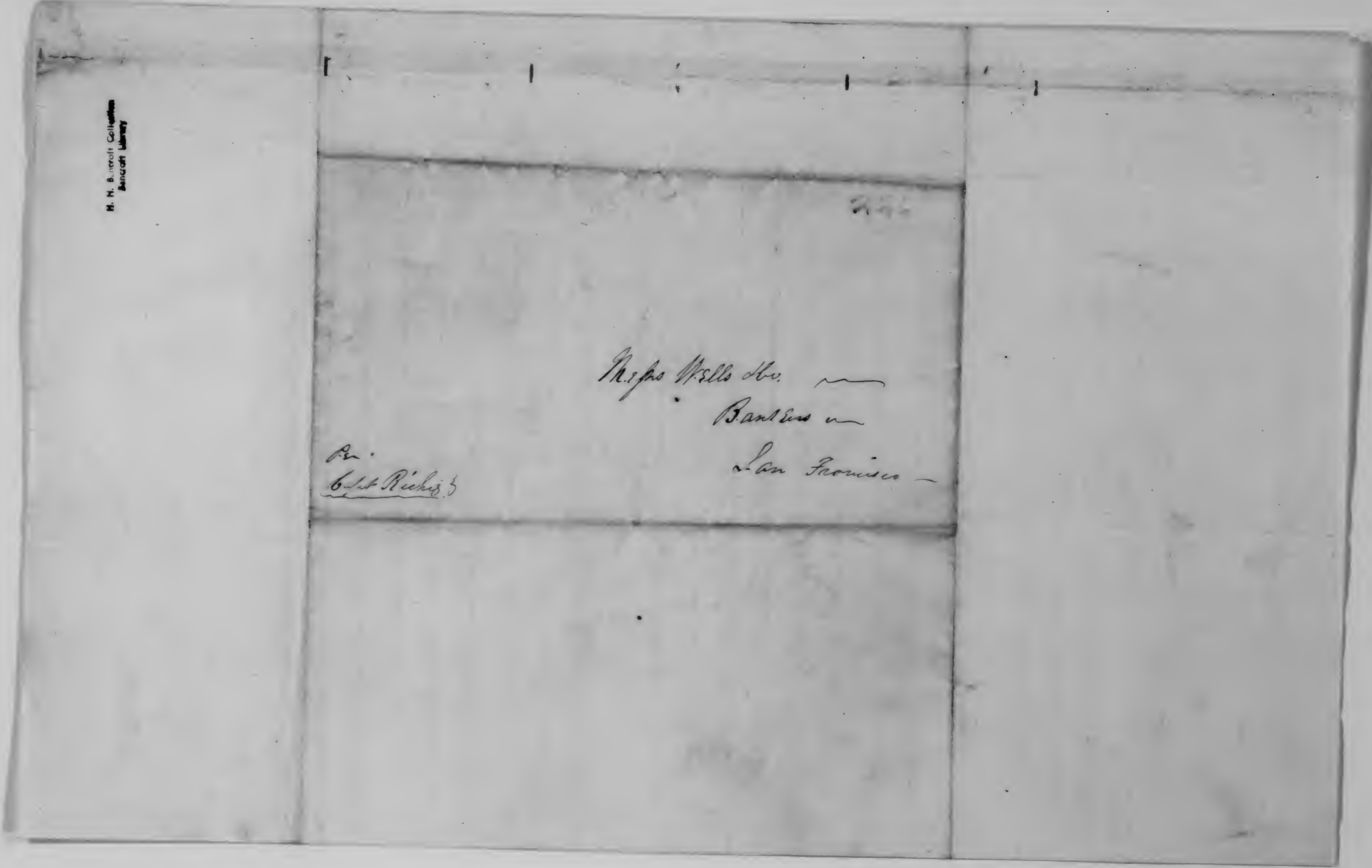
Wells & Co

Ritchie

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Thos Wells Sr. ~~~~~

Bancroft ~~~~~

San Francisco ~~~~~

Per
6th Street 5

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THERE IS NO FOLDER # 75

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Vallejo, [José Manuel] Salvador, 1814-1876: [Carta a] Bustalosa [Vallejo], Feb. 3, 1850

Summa

Disclaiming a rumor involving him with a Chinese woman.

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1850
Sep. 3
Sonoma, Salvador Valleys to his brother Guadalupe denying ever having been connected with the China woman difficulty

Sonoma Cal
Sept 3rd 1850
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Guadalupe:
I'm very much surprised, and pained to learn, that a most malicious report is now circulating in San Jose, connecting my name with the late Chinese woman affair, which occurred in this place several weeks ago. So far as I'm concerned there is not the slightest foundation for it in truth for the rumor, which is that far false in every particular, and the name of any other citizen could have been used with as much propriety as my own. I have anything to do, nor never had, with the conduct of either the woman, or the gentleman who are struggling for the possession of her. As the report is now in circulation in the estimation of those, who have not known me well, you'll of course, its being unfounded without truth, give it an unqualified denial whenever opportunity occurs.

Salvador Valleys

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Vallejo, Mariano Guadalupe, 1807-1890: An article of agreement, Sept. 6, 1850

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with Samuel M. Stover?
re a ferry.

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1850. Sept 6th No 77
 An Article of Agreement made and concluded this the 6th September
 A.D. 1850 by and between Genl M.G. Vallejo of one part and Dr
 Saml. M. Storer of the second part
 Witnesseth That the said Dr S.M. Storer doth hereby agree
 to take charge of the Ferry at Loscal City and conduct
 the same for said Genl M.G. Vallejo faithfully and
 account to the said Genl Vallejo for the the total amt
 of profits arising from said Ferry until said Ferry
 shall pay the amt. expended by said Genl Vallejo
 in the construction of the road & Ferry. and the said
 Genl M.G. Vallejo doth agree to allow the said Dr S.M.
 Storer one third of all proceeds of said Ferry until
 that time. After that time it is agreed that the said
 Dr S.M. Storer shall have one half of the proceeds of
 said Ferry for the length of time he may wish to ^{year} exceeding one
 Witness our hands and seals this the 6th day of Sept 1850

Attest

M.G. Vallejo
 Saml M Storer

Espectina de contrato celebrado entre
 M.G. Vallejo y Saml M. Storer. -
 the latter is to take charge of a ferry
 at Loscal and conduct the same for
 Gen. Vallejo. -

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Randolph, Bernard

: Letter to J.M. G. Vallery, Sept. 19, 1850

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San Francisco

Declining an unspecified offer.

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1850. September 10th San Francisco
Bernard Randolph to Genl. M. Vallejo about
Legislative affairs

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San Francisco Sep: 10th 1850

My dear Sir

I am just now in receipt of your favor of yesterday by the hands of Capt. Frisbie - The offer which you make me is entirely in keeping with the well known generosity and munificence of your nature, but you will please allow me in the most respectful manner to decline it -

For any service which I may have been able to render you, I am amply rewarded in the friendship of so estimable a gentleman and the most distinguished citizen of Ancient California - and further, it would violate a rule, from which I can not deviate, to permit myself to receive any pecuniary advantage from a Legislative measure which as you are pleased to intimate, I may in some be said to have originated and to which as a representative of the people I gave my critical support -

Genl. Vallejo } With sentiments of the highest regard
I remain } your friend & obedt servt
Bernard Randolph

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Canillo, José Antonio [Ezequiel], 1796-1862 . (Part 2) Mariana G. Valler, Sept. 11, 1850

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Los Angeles

Asking Vallejo to purchase some reading glasses for him.

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1850. Setiembre 11. Los Angeles

Don Don Mariano G. Vallejo

Los Angeles Sept. 11. de 1850 -

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Mi Estimado amigo, primo y Compadre; no se si sera la buena o el mal uso que de ella tengo hecho, pero lo cierto es que ala flia. veo muy poco, y en terminos de que los Estados Unidos y gofan que se vendan en este Comercio no me facilitan una vista regular; y Como en esos puntos del Norte hay un Comercio mas sentido, tengo esperanzas que se puedan encontrar cosas de buen aumento, cuya circunstancia, agrege para a tu actividad, cosa que podra socorrer esta necesidad.

Mi familia se conserva con salud y union mia desea que goce de la misma felicidad, quedando como siempre tuyo y afmo.

Jose Ant. Carrillo

Jose Antonio Carrillo replica a m. G. Vallejo le escribe unos meses antes.

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Mr. Mariano S. Valle

Per favor de de
Hacienda Pico

Sonoma

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Green, Thomas Jefferson, 1801-1863; letter to J.M. G. Vallejo, Sept. 13, 1850

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New York

Sending some newspapers;
says he is trying to interest
people in locating the capital
at Vallejo.

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1850. September 13. New York
 The message to Gen. Vallejo in reference to the location of the State Capital at Vallejo, and the necessary inducements to be offered to acquire the same. Refers also to the admissions of California as a State. The privilege of each State to send Credits to West Point and the probable expediency of sending Gen. Vallejo down.
 New York Sept. 13th / 50.

My Dear Genl.

The steamer Chevroker sails today and carries to your shores a number of our friends, by one of whom Capt. Bale, of Sacramento city I send this with some news papers (you will see by the papers that Cal. is admitted into the Union & our Representatives are in their seats. I have done much and will do much more to bring our city of Valer's into most favourable notice - All of the Californians here (I believe with the exception of the Dr. Commodore) are strong for it - The Sacramento men especially - I am interesting some of them in it - They do not doubt of its being made the seat of Government - I am also in negotiation with the owners of the steamer lines to make it their depots - Among other persons I have induced to take notice of it is Colonel John C. McSernon, of Memphis Tennessee who will go with me out leaving here on the 25th of Nov.

and reaching San Jose by the 11th of January
so that I will be in my seat
on the first day of the session
being the 6th of the month - Colo.
McSimone is the gentleman who
located and built up Memphis
one of the first of our Western
cities & has been the largest land
operator in the United States - He
is known from one end of the U.S.
to the other for a man of great
foresight and unflinching integrity
and his settling at our city will
give the public greater confidence
in it than any circumstance which
could happen - His acquaintance
with the people of California
is at present larger than
that of any other individual
as an assistant to Capt. Frisbie
and yourself, his services would
be invaluable in selling lots and
building up the city & I think that
they should be early secured by you
However, upon this particular subject
you can judge better upon seeing
him and knowing more particularly
his ability for usefulness - As we
will want all of our strength at

San Jose, upon the meeting of the Legislature
the Colo. will go with me there, where
I venture his influence will be as
great if not greater than that of any
other man in the State - There also
you and Capt. Frisbie must be
with such other assistance as you
can muster - Mark me, the thing
will go, and then the success of our
city will be immediate & transcendent.
The old Com. I hear is at Washington
trying to get Benicia as the Navy
Yard - it will be no go - I secured
as I have previously written
you the services and influence of the
Hon. Mr. Butter King, by promising
that each share in the city should
give him ten lots - His influence
with the Navy Department is all
powerful & he will watch that
point - I saw J. T. Sarkin, last
night he appears well pleased
that our city owns his Benicia
tract as he and Dr. Sample, own
that portion of the tract adjoining
our Survey -

I have also seen several
gentlemen owning lots in San Jose

4) who are hurrying home to sell & insert
in Valley among them are Jackson,
Stout and others.

(inter nos - The information herein
contained in relation of our friend
King should be kept strictly
confidential, as its getting out
might weaken his influence
at Washington city -)

I beg that you will
say this letter before Capt.
Fisher who will consider it
equally addressed to him -

Mrs Green & Daughter
will accompany me, & from what
I have said of your delightful
home and excellent family, one
of their chief anticipated pleasures
will be to visit you & them -
She will try to bring you some
rare grape vines from our hot
house & if possible some bears of
superior quality -

It is supposed at Washington

5) city that the census now
being taken will give Cal.
next year from 3 to 4 Representatives
and consequently as many Cadets
at West Point who will be
entitled to admission there
next June & September - Therefore
should you still be desirous
to enter your son there, you
must early make interest with
the Representatives elect for his
nomination - The Hon Geo. W. Wright
promised to nominate my son
as a Cadet before leaving
California which he did in
February last, but owing to our
State not being admitted
into the Union the War
Department would not grant
his warrant until I went
to Washington & got an order
from Pres. Fillmore, for his
examination on the 28th of last
month - So he was admitted & is now
for this year the only one from
California while she is entitled to
two - I also advise that you
place your son at Hinsleys, prepare

6/ School, which is in half <sup>H. H. Bancroft Collection
Bancroft Library</sup> miles
of the academy at West Point.
Then his (separation), would
be perfect & it would give him
great advantages in his future
course. — In procuring your
son a warrant I, may be
of some service, which shall
be rendered most cheerfully.
Mr. J. B. King, can also do much
in this matter — I will go
in a few days to Washington
and speak to him & Grover,
upon the subject.

I think that it will be of
great importance to get
as many houses under
way at Vellejo, as possible
before the meeting of the
Legislature & that our true
policy is to hold out good
inducements immediate builders.

I have written this letter in
considerable haste & as you will

7/ will receive in my usual bad
hand for which I crave your
indulgence. I beg that you will
present me cordially to F. Fisher,
and affectionately to your good
Lady and Daughters and accept
for yourself the very best
wishes of your sincere
friend Wm. J. Green.

To Genl. M. G. Vallejo
Sonoma, Cal.

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Vallejo, Mariano } Guadalupe } 1807-1890. [Lenta], Sept 18, 1850

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Some

Bill to Carlos Wilkins (in rent of) a house.

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Set. 18-1850
 D^o Carlos Willkins a M^o J. Vallejo 2081
Debe
 Por renta de casa a razon de cuarenta
 pesy mensuales dea D. de Sep. Oct. 18. Oct. 1850 } 40. 00
 Total \$ 40. 00.
 Sonoma Oct. 18/1850.
 Recibo a pago.
 M^o J. Vallejo

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Deslandes - Lebrat et C^e, Potluma : [Lettre a] Vallega, [Sept. 19, 1850]

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Requesting that Vallega obtain
meat for them, with draft of
Vallega's repl., Sept. 19, 1850.

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Estadame Feb 19/850. y contestada. L. M. M. M. M.

no 82 241

Monsieur le Général,

Nous avons l'honneur de vous informer que depuis quatre jours nous sommes sans viande et comme la viande de bœuf constitue exclusivement notre nourriture nous sommes par ce fait même dans une position que vous pouvez apprécier. Les travaux doivent nécessairement s'en ressentir car vous comprendrez comme nous il est difficile de faire travailler des gens qui ne mangent rien. Nous en avons averti votre fils qui nous a dit qu'il n'ayant pas de saqueros il lui était impossible d'amener sans une vache sauvage au rancho et comme cette observation est après tout fort juste et que d'autre part vous vous êtes engagé dans une lettre que possède M^r Deslandes à nous livrer une vache par semaine pendant la première année, nous avons l'honneur de vous prier M^r le Général de vous concerter avec Don José à ce sujet et de lui fournir les moyens de pouvoir remplir son engagement dont la non exécution est pour nous un empêchement majeur.

Nous avons l'honneur d'être

Monsieur le général

Vos très humbles et très obéissants serviteurs.

D^{no} Deslandes-Labret et C^o

Com. de Deslandes & Labret
Estadame

Com. de 19 de 7^{to} de 117^o

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no 83

Recibí de Deslandes por uno de V^{os} D^{no} Deslandes, un carta en fecha e indicacion de lugar, en que me comunicaba sus quejas a causa de la manera irregular con la cual recibian la carne que se les venia que dar por su alimento, para que desde sin embargo una expedicion ordenada a causa de la cantidad de ella, por que debia ignorar que se acordaba una compensacion de 500 pesos cada mes, como se le habia prometido. En consecuencia de lo que me comunicaba desde luego el portador de dicha carta, el D^{no} Deslandes que lo confiese así. Era mi intencion, desear que me hubiese suministrado una vaca semanalmente, que sirviese tanto para la necesidad conjunta de V^{os}, de él, y de sus indios, pero una vez que, segun parece, V^{os} se abstuvieron, lo mejor es que empujara en los meses habidos para que quedase que V^{os} recibiesen para sí, cada ocho dias una media vaca, lo que puede se ejecutar formalmente, de modo que en adelante no habria necesidad de recurrir a mi para atender a esta falta.

Tambien dije al D^{no} Deslandes que yo habia congnado para V^{os} un arroyo que debia servir para la matanza, pero que por falta de las bestias, los mandados no se podian hacer sino en la forma que se comunicaba.

Deslandes
de J. S.

Barcelona Let. 19/850. y contestada. L. Minimo dia

no 82 241

Monsieur le General,

Nous avons l'honneur de vous informer que depuis quatre jours nous sommes sans viande et comme la viande de bœuf constitue exclusivement notre nourriture nous sommes par ce fait même dans une position que vous pouvez apprécier. Les travaux doivent nécessairement s'en ressentir car vous comprendrez comme nous qu'il est difficile de faire travailler des gens qui ne mangent pas. Nous en avons averti votre fils qui nous a répondu que n'ayant pas de saqueros il lui était impossible d'amener une vache sauvage au rancho et comme cette observation est après tout fort juste et que d'autre part vous vous êtes engagé dans une lettre que possède M^r Deslandes à nous livrer une vache par semaine pendant la première année, nous avons l'honneur de vous prier M^r le General de vous concerter avec Don José à ce sujet et de lui fournir les moyens de pouvoir remplir son engagement dont la non exécution est pour nous un empêchement majeur

Nous avons l'honneur d'être

Monsieur le general

Vos très humbles et très obéissants serviteurs.

Don Deslandes-Labret et C^o

Compañia de Indiferencia y Libre

Compañia 19 de julio de 1850

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no 83

Recibida esta mañana por uno de V.^{os} S.^{os} Deslandes, su carta en el que se indica un de lugar, en que se manifiesta sus quejas a cerca de la manera irregular con la cual reciben la carne que se les da para sus animales, fundando sin embargo una expresión enserca a cerca de la cantidad de ella, por lo que habiéndose ignorado que solamente se compraron 12 a 15 una vez cada mes, como se le objetó en la carta, se le ha respondido desde luego al portador de dicha carta, al Sr. Deslandes, que lo confiese en su carta, diciéndole que se le ha mandado enviar una vaca semanalmente, que servirá tanto para pagar la necesidad conjunta de V.^{os} S.^{os} de él y de sus animales, pero una vez que, como parece, V.^{os} se están bien, lo posible está en mandarle en los meses bastante presente, que quedase que V.^{os} tuviesen para sí, cada ocho días una vaca cada vez, lo que parece se ejecutará formalmente, de modo que en adelante no habrá necesidad de recurrir a mi para entenderse en esta parte.

Tambien dije al Sr. Deslandes que yo habia comprado para V.^{os} un avejón que debía serle enviado esta mañana, pero que por falta de los bueyes, los vendedores no lo podian hacer sino esta tarde y mañana por la mañana.

M. J. S.

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Estados Unidos 19/850 y contestad. A Minimo dia

Señor General,

Nous avons l'honneur de vous informer que depuis quatre jours nous sommes sans viande et comme la viande de bœuf constitue exclusivement notre nourriture nous sommes par ce fait même dans une position que vous pouvez apprécier - Les travaux doivent nécessairement s'en ressentir car vous comprendrez comme nous qu'il est difficile de faire travailler des gens qui ne mangent pas - Nous en avons averti votre fils qui nous a répondu qu'il n'avait pas de saqueros il lui était impossible d'amener une vache sauvage au rancho et comme cette observation est après tout fort juste et que d'autre part vous vous êtes engagé dans une lettre que possède M^r Deslandes à nous livrer une vache par semaine pendant la première année nous avons l'honneur de vous prier M^r le Général de vous concerter avec Don José à ce sujet et de lui fournir les moyens de pouvoir remplir son engagement dont la non exécution est pour nous un empêchement majeur

Nous avons l'honneur d'être

Monsieur le Général

Vos très humbles et très obéissants serviteurs.

Don Deslandes-Librero & C^o

Carta de D. Deslandes a D. Deslandes

Carta de D. Deslandes a D. Deslandes

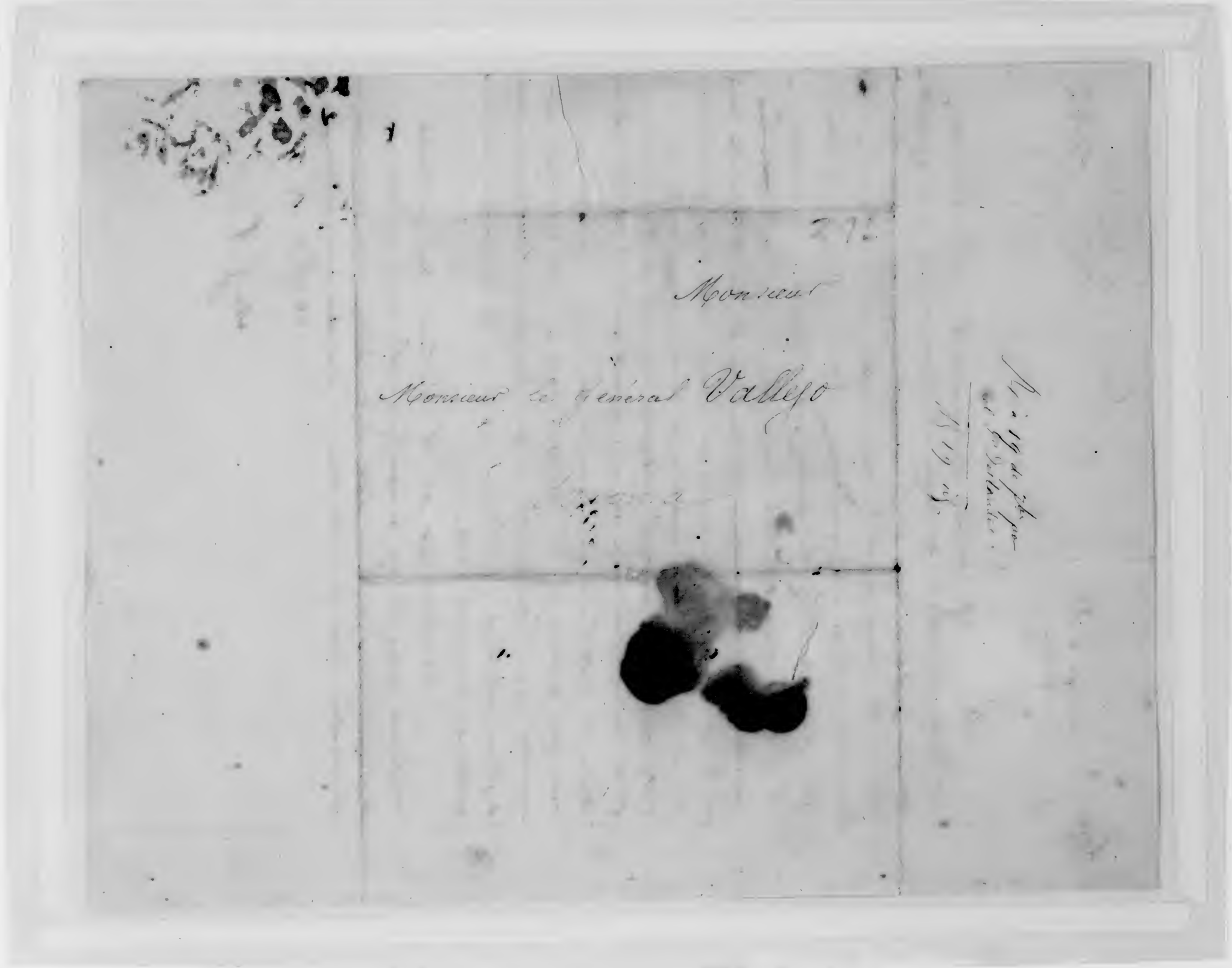
Buenos Aires a 19 de Agosto de 1850. D. Deslandes, me manda un escrito en el que me solicita que me comprometa sus papeles a esta de la manera expresada con la cual me he conformado en lo que me pide pero me ha resultado imposible de cumplir con lo que me pide en lo que se refiere a la cantidad de ella, porque yo no sé ignorar que se acuerda un compromiso de \$1000 cada mes, como se lo dije en la carta que me mandó desde luego el Sr. Deslandes, que se refiere a la cantidad de \$1000, que me mandó a mi vez una carta a mano alzada, que me pide tanto para la cantidad conjunta de \$1000, de \$1000 de sus cosas, pero me ha resultado imposible de cumplir con lo que me pide, lo cual está expresado en los mismos términos que me pide, que quedase que yo lo cumpliré cuando me pida una cantidad de \$1000, lo que me pide se ejecutará formalmente, de modo que en adelante me habrá que recurrir a mi poder entenderse con usted.

Tambien dije al Sr. Deslandes que yo había comprado una casa en un arroyo que debía ser la casa de mi familia, pero que por falta de los papeles, los vendedores me habían dicho que no se podía hacer nada con ella.

Mejor. B.

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Naylor, P

[Bill to] Vallejo, Sept. 19, 1850

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San Francisco

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San Francisco Sept 19th 1850
General Valero

400 feet of Galvanized Iron pipe 40"	\$150.00
43 do " " " 35"	47.45
1 Lot of Small Pipe	3.50
9 Barrels	\$46 54.00
18 lbs of Solder	35 2.80
1 Bag of Charcoal	3.50
Cartage	1.50
	<hr/> \$272.75

Whenever the General wishes a man to come up we can send him at \$16 per day

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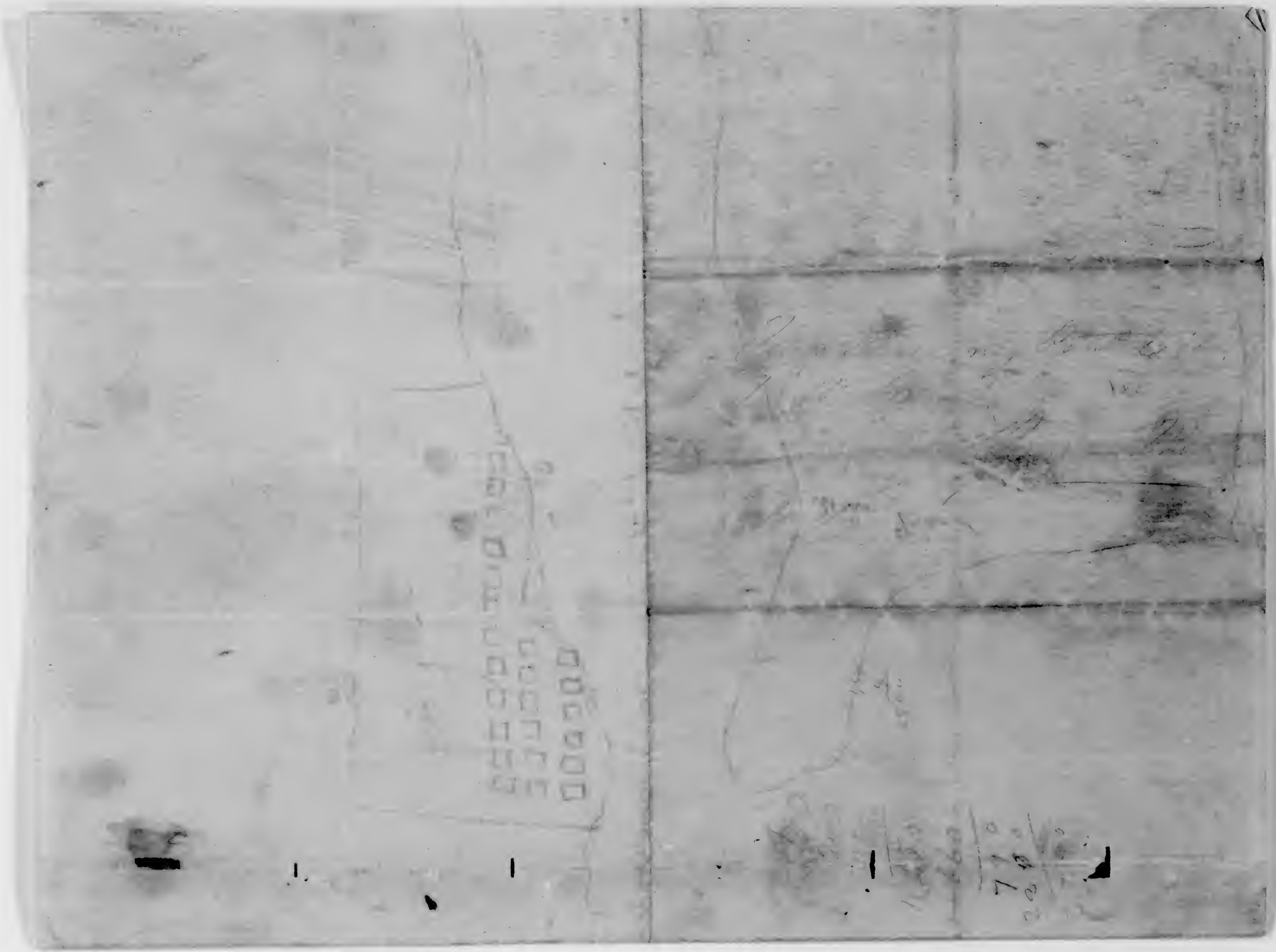


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Guerra, Pablo (Andrés Antonio María Saturnino Le A), 1819-1874 : [Carta] Manuel G. Vallejo, Sept. 23, 1850 85

Santa Barbara
No political climate in Santa
Barbara

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1850. Ene 23 Sta Barbara

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Sta Barbara Ene 23 de 1850
Sr D^{no} Mariano G. Vallejo
Sonoma

Querido tío y Señores de mi aprecio:
Ayer noche llegué de los Angeles y me encontré
con una favorida 30 de Agosto, cuyo contenido
me hace recordar algunas conversaciones entre U
y Yo sobre la materia y por las cuales ya
sé bien U mi modo de pensar de antemano: en
cuanto al voto de los pueblos, hablando de este
de Sta Barb, creo verá la cosa con cierta inde-
ferencia, de manera que no será gran trabajo
se inclinarte al pro o al contra y por tanto
este U seguro de sus votos.

Por aquí ha sonado con bastante eco un
magnífico convite dado por U en la proyec-
tada Capital: celebrari muchos que han
magnífico acto surta los efectos deseados,
por U.

En San Fran^{co} dejé una carta para

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Cuya sujecion ignoro, en la que le participaba la venta de Nicatco y por consiguiente la advertencia que los \$225 que di' al C en papel para pagar la contribucion, lo recibiera en su poder hasta haber modo de realizarlo

Si viera porvenir a las ordenes de mis apreciable prima y demas fam^a sin olvidarme de Salvador, y le disponga del afecto de su obediente sobrino

Pablo de la Guerra

Que no pasamos juntos otro invierno en San Jose? tendria el valor de dejarme solo? Los hechos lo diran

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1850. Setiembre 23. Sta Barbara
Pablo de la Guerra a Mr Vallejo
relativa a elecciones y sentimientos
del Pueblo de Sta Barbara

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Señor

Dn Mariano G. Vallejo

Sonoma

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Green, Thomas Jefferson, 1801-1863: [Letter 3, Sept. 26, 1850]

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New York
Re his interest in Vallejo
as Capital of California.

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1850. Septm. 26. New York.
The J. Green to Capt. Trumble in relation to
Vallejo as the State Capital

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New York city
Sept. 26th 1850.

My Dear Capt.

I am this moment
in rec^t of your letter of the 9th ult^o
accompanied the map of Vallejo
by Gen. Chas. J. Whiting Surgeon
Gen^l. - Having written you
and Gen Vallejo by last steamer
very fully which letter I sent
by N. A. H. Ball, of Sacramento
city which he promised to
deliver in person. I have
but little time now to
write - Further than to say
that every thing in relation to
Vallejo, goes on well - I am
interesting a large amt. of influence
and capital in it - The Californians
here almost to a man want

to buy lots - I shall put the
map immediately in the engraver's
hand and hope to send you
some copies by next steamer
I shall have many put
upon rollers & hung up in
our Exchanges here - I have
under way a contract for a
steam power press & pictures
at \$10,000. for our city - also
to have the public buildings
lighted with the newly
discovered gas, which is
for cheaper & much better
than the old -

I cut from the paper
of yesterday the revenue bill
for Cal. which makes Benevia
Valley the port of entry for
all the mines - The old Com.

is now at work at Washington
and the Sacramento people
a damming up for it - I
suppose the suit in Vallejo
also to keep us quiet -

The general impression
on this side is that we
are to build a great city
and the Benevia & Vallejo
will be one - Senator Woodworth
from Monterey is here - he is
you know in the Senate for
two years - He is strong for
Vallejo and says that his dis-
tinctly the whole south will
go for it - I told him that our
company had put him down
for fifty lots, at which he is
much pleased - Of course we
will see that it is done -

This morning's Telegraph says
that the Cal. Revenue bill was
passed -

I shall be greatly pleased
if I do not in thirty days
from this time create
a great excitement for
our city -

I beg that you will
present me most kindly
to Genl. Vallejo & family -
Say to the Genl. that Mrs Green
has purchased for him & will
bring it out in person one of
the three grape vines just
imported called the "Canon Hall".
They are none indeed - gold colour
very sweet & immensely large
Yours truly
Wm. J. Green.

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Alvarado, Juan Bautista, 1809-1882 : Carta a José de Jesús Vallejo, Sept. 27, 1850

San Pablo

Order that bearer of letter
may take possession of the
San Jose house.

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1850. Sept 27. San Pablo
Juan B. Alvarado a Jose de J. Valley relativa a
entregar una casa a la portadora.
San Pablo Sep 27 de 1850

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Mi estimado Fio

La Senora que conduce esta
carta lleva orden mia para tomar
porcion de la casa de San Jose de la
cual tengo escrito a V. con anticipacion

Si vase V. mandar que
se reciva de ella quedando muy affm

Juan B. Alvarado

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Jarrot, Vidal : [Letter to] Vallerio, Sept. 30, 1850

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Sacramento

Re some lands he wishes to acquire near Sacramento

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1850. Sep. 30 Sacramento,

Vital Parrot to M. Vallejo about land.

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Sacramento City Sep 30th 1850

Genl Vallejo

Dear Sir

I being desirous of obtaining a piece of land, whereon I can build a house and enclose some land for farming next spring, in looking over the country I have selected a spot unoccupied and situated ^{south} fifteen miles from Sacramento City on the west side of the river: but as I do not wish to become a trespasser on other men's rights, I have addressed you these few lines to request you to inform me whether the said spot is within the limits of your grants. In doing so you will confer a great favor on your

humble servant

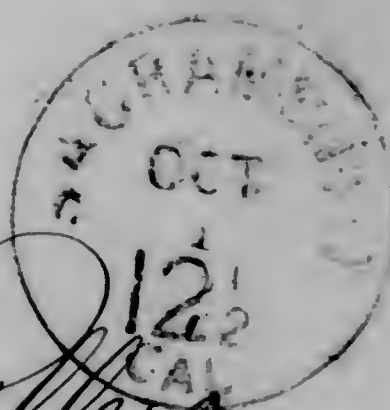
Vital Parrot

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Genl Valley
Sonoma



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King, Thomas Butler, 1800-1864. [Letter to] Thomas J. Green, Oct. 1, 1850

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Washington, D.C.

Notes, experiences with Congress
streights and harbor facilities in that
area.

With note, at end, by G. W. Wright
concerning with statement made by King.
Contemporary copy.

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1850, Oct. 1. Washington
(copy)
J. Buller King's description of the Ports of
California, forwarded to Green,
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Washington 1st Oct. 1850

My dear Sir
In reply to your enquiries respecting
Napa Strait, California, as a harbour, I beg
leave to state that I was with Capt. McArthur,
in the Schooner Ewing, when he made a survey
of it, and after witnessing the soundings,
examining the shores and the interior for
several miles, I came to the opinion that, as
a harbour for naval & commercial
purposes, it is superior to the harbour
of Havana. The Straits of Carakas
which runs from East to West, discharging
the waters of the Sacramento & San Joaquin
into the bay of San Francisco and
thence into the bay of San Francisco
is liable to the strong westerly winds which
set in from the Pacific, in Summer and
the rapid current from the River when
swollen with the rains of winter, thus
presenting serious impediments to navigation.

The Straits of Napa puts into the
straits of Carakas from the North and
is therefore exempt from the winds and
currents which disturb shipping in the
(Straits)

Strait of Carkeas. It is also defended on the West by a high ridge called "Mare Island" and on the East by the high lands called Napa Mountains - thus being perfectly land locked on all sides and resembling, in a remarkable degree, the Harbour of Havana - The Harbour of Napa may be easily supplied with an abundance of fresh water from Napa Creek and also from excellent springs which flow from the foot of Napa hills - wood and timber may be had in any quantity from the hills and valleys to the North, with little expense thus all the necessities of a city may be easily supplied.

California does not produce any of the agricultural staples which supply the demands of Commerce in the Atlantic States, therefore the growth of her Cities will not depend on the same laws. The only exportable product of California is gold, which occupies but a small space in proportion to its value. In that Country most - age, nineteen twentieths of it, decays, and must continue to decay, through the Sacramento and San Jacquin to meet
(the)

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imports for which it is to be exchanged. The point of this exchange must necessarily be as near the mines, as ships can conveniently go and to which small Steamers and other river craft may safely come - This point is, beyond question, the Strait of Napa which is exempt from the strong winds and tides of the Strait of Carkeas and the anchorage of San Francisco - I regard it, therefore, as, beyond doubt the best harbour in California

I am, with much respect

Your obt. Serv.

(signed) J. Butler King

To Genl Thomas Gray.

(copy) New York 11. Oct. 1850.

During my residence in California I was compelled on several occasions from high winds and adverse tides to put into Napa Bay, and knowing that bay & the Straights of Carkeas well, I entirely concur in your statement of the Honble J. Butler King

signed W. Wright.

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Honble J. Butler
King letter to Genl
Thomas J. Green, with
the Honble G. W. Wrights
endorsement to

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Stanton, Frederick Perry, 1814-1894 : [Letter to] Thos. J. Green, Oct. 2, 1850

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New York
Re appropriations for a navy yard
in California, and the possibility of
a site near Vallejo.

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1850, Oct. 2, New York #89a 262
Fred. P. Stanton to Tho. Green in reference to the
city of Vallejo and also Jos. C. McLenore.

New York 2nd Octo. 1850

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Dear Sir,

I learn from my old friend,
Col. Jos. C. McLenore, that he expects
to accompany you to California and
that he will probably have some agency
connected with the new and promising
city of Vallejo. If you had sifted the
continent of America, you could not
have found a man better qualified for
such a position. His sound judgment
and long experience will make him an
invaluable assistant in building a great
city, upon a spot which possesses such
unrivalled natural advantages.

You are probably aware that
at the close of the late session of Congress
an appropriation of \$100,000 was made
for a floating Dry Dock on the coast of
California. The completion of the structure
will require something like one million
of dollars, independent of the other necessary
fixtures for an extensive naval establish-

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list ment. That appropriations will soon
be made for a large navy yard and
depot at some point in the waters of Cali-
fornia, can not admit of a doubt. It is
probably the island opposite Vallejo may
be selected as the location for this impor-
tant establishment. Your attention has no
doubt already been called to this subject;
but I take the liberty of suggesting that a-
midst conflicting interests and contradic-
tory representations, the location of the navy
yard may not be secured at the island
of Mare without a earnest effort by its
friends. I am not informed particularly
as to the advantages of that position and
I would be glad if you could give me any
information on the subject. It will be the
policy of the Government to select the best
place, regardless of all private interests, but
I should be most happy if it should turn
out that the selection most advantageous
to the Government should promote in any
degree the interests of my friend Col Mc-
Lennan.

Very respectfully

Your obt. servt.

Fred. P. Stanton

Gen. Thos. J. Green,
of Cuba for vice

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Hall, R. B.

; [Letter to J. L. Lenox, Oct. 4, 1850]

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Marysville

Inquiring re sale of some
hgs and cattle in Sonoma.

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1850. Oct 4 Marysville
R B Hall to John Lewis
Money matters

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Haystack
Oct 7/50
Mr J. L. Enos
near Sonoma

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Manville Oct 4. 1850.

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Mr J. L. Enos Sir you I have been disappointed in not seeing you ere this & did really hope at least to have got a letter from you from this Office this day - I would like exceedingly to learn whether the Hay, fettle & articles left at Sonoma are sold, & all the particulars about them -

I fear from the lateness in the season that you do not intend coming to the mines. If so, please write me at once & if the money is not all ready give me the probability as I am wanting it very much - I have arranged to buy it in this region next season & your letter should be addressed to R. B. Hall

Nicholas

Please put up the Beet & carrot seed with the small papers snugly in one parcel & send it by a boatman to San Francisco & thence to me as above &

Oblige Yrs. Truly

R. B. Hall

My respects by wife & Mr. G. K.
tho' he is ~~at~~ gone

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I make Robert a present of the Panama Hat
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Vallejo, José de Jesús, 1798-1882 : Carta a M. G. Vallejo, Oct. 5, 1850

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San Jose

Sending some letters re some lots in San Jose? (See no. 92)

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1850. Oct 5. San Jose.

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José de J. Vallejo a San José Oct. 5. de 1850.
remitiéndole la correspondencia
tenida con J. V. Alvarado
relativa a solares

Mi estimado Emancipado te acompaño las dos cartas q.º Bautista me tiene escritas relativas al Solar que comprastes en Victoria. hasta hoy no hevi tenido oportunidad segura p.º remitirte la primera. Ten cuidado de no extrañar estas cartas, pueden servirme de utilidad en un caso conveniente. en mi contestacion de la primera, dije a Bautista, haciendole referencia de la Orden q.º Optubo por el mismo, para dar Solares de este Estado. y segun su segunda carta, no hace merito de ellos, y talves no tendra ni tien presente, la referencia q.º me da en su carta fma 5. de Ato

Hoy te contesto su segunda carta, con el fin de que espere tu contestacion. no se sus intenciones q.º tendra otra cosa. Hace dias q.º estoy con intencion de ir a Sonoma; pero la conclusion de mi cara me tiene como atardado lo primero por q.º ya no me dejan medio q.º no me quitan, y lo segundo, q.º mis

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Seguros de ganado hanc no lo tengo
 ni Imperador
 Espero verte en union de tu
 tu familia dentro de muy pocos
 dias. Desde mi comase tu honora Espo.
 ta, hasta el Hittin mio; Saludos de
 mi parte en casa todos Estamos con
 salud, Gracias a Dios
 Soy tu Amaro q. te Estimo
 y mucho verte
 Fr. de P. Vallejo

San Francisco
 Fr. de P. Vallejo
 Fr. de P. Vallejo

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Alvarado, Juan Bautista, FOS-1882: [Carta a] José de Jesús Vallejo, May 5, 1850

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San Pablo

He has been selling his small
 bits of property; one of the pieces
 in question is the piece and garden
 that Vallejo presently occupies. He
 wishes to give his uncle just what

There is no no. 93.

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Sr. Sr. José de Jesús Páez

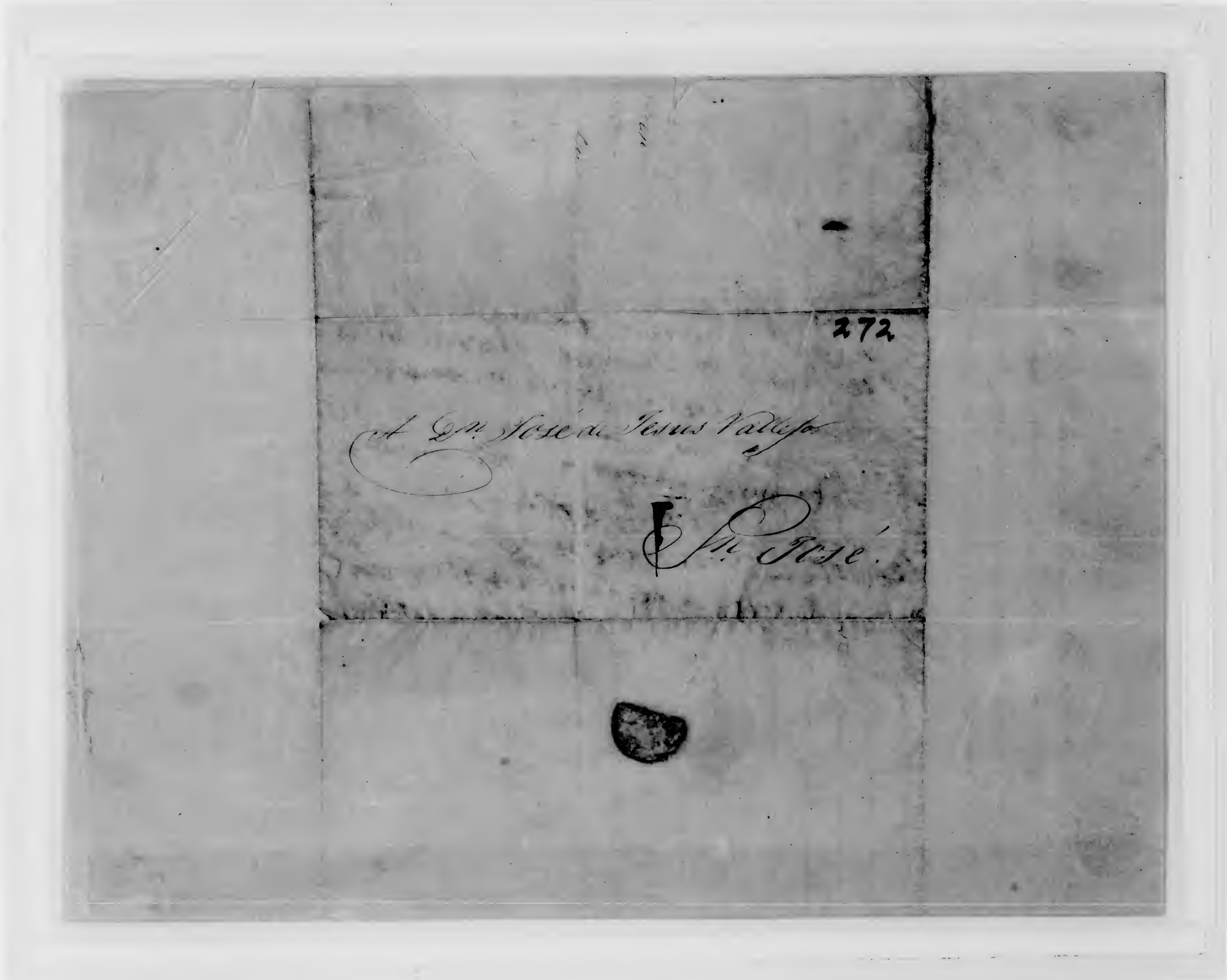
J^o Pablo Ay^{to} 5. de 1850.

Mi estimado Sr. Como mis intenciones ahora son las de arrojarme enteramente todas mis negociaciones para alejarme del país en el verano entrante, he dado principio a poner en venta todas mis pequeñas propiedades, así es que con respecto a lo que pudieran valer mis tierras en el interior de la Misión de Sr. José me he obligado formalmente a transmitir a otros individuos por ciertas cantidades hacienda algunas porciones que me surcieren convenientes.

Como en dichas porciones de fincas que me he reservado para venderlas o ponerlas en arriendo se encuentra la casa y huerta que está a la entrada de la plaza de este establecimiento por el camino del Valle y que V. ocupa actualmente, y no obstante de muchos interesados que desearán comprarla, me ha parecido convenientemente darle a V. la preferencia si es que le conviene hacer de una porción, preguntando si que la ocupación que hasta ahora ha tenido V. en ella ha sido por evitar que otros se hubieran porcionado de ella.

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THERE IS NO FOLDER #93

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Zavala, Ildelfonso de : Carta a J Manuel! Valles, -Oct. 6, 1850

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Benicia
Re a water project in San Francisco
and Benicia.
2 copies.

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S. General D. Manuel G. Vallejo. ¹⁸⁵⁰ Aldeponso de Lavala al Sr. D.
Vallejo: sobre un proyecto ^{de irrigación} — abt. supplying water
to San Francisco & Benicia. Benicia, Octubre 6 / 1850.

Muy Señor mío.

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Bancroft Library

Ayer mañana recibí su apreciable carta fecha 3. del actual, en día penúltimo. en q. no para vapor, ni hoy diligencia p. Sonoma segun se podido averiguar. Esta marchará por la del Lunes, y duplicada por el vapor del mismo día.

Supuesto q. U. despues del Lunes y proximo pueda venir à Benicia, lo aguardaré hta el Tuesday siguiente. Con una hora de conversacion, mas q. con una docena de cartas le presentará U. de la importancia e inmensas conveniencias de un proyecto. Parece à N. atrevido, y lo es ciertam. ^{te} p. ^{ro} proccediendo nosotros como procuramos realizarlo à una costa (si sale fallido nadie pierde) claro es q. un hombre q. como U. vale en esta tierra es exclusivam. ^{te} llamado à sacar de él todas las ventajas posibles, dandonos una compensac. ^{te} Convenida. Lo he sido y es un obsequio al dirigirme à N. con preferencia à otro, y al asegurarle q. podríamos en la plaza de S. Francisco el agua suficiente p. una fila abundante de q. se surta la ciudad, y acaso los muchos p. la aguada de los buques q. hoy sabe U. la truen q. hacer à la distancia de . . . y q. à Benicia en un fincio (salvo el de mi socio) puede darle tamb. ^{te} Agua. ¿No será entonces si es posible mas grande el nombre de Vallejo? ¿Quien podrá reportar tanto provecho de una empresa como U. hijo del país, con familia y bienes en él, con prestigio, y relaciones de q. nosotros como extranjeros carecemos?

Mi Compañero y yo no somos Europeos, ni Americanos del Norte - hemos nacido en un pequeño rincón de la America del Sur - y à la realización de un proyecto nos estimula la convic. ^{te} de q. la fortuna rara vez ó nunca es propicia à los cobardes, y la idea sobre todo de q. aun no han dado en el claro ni los Ingleses, ni los Franceses.

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oculto de B. con el mayor respeto su atento servidor
Aldefonso de Narala

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Al Señor General D. Manuel Vallejo
Por la diligencia
Sonoma.

1850. Octubre 6. Benicia

Señor General D. Manuel Vallejo.

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Benicia Octubre 6/50.

Muy Señor mío.

ayer mañana recibí su apreciable carta fecha 3. del actual, en día preciam^{te} en q no pasa vapor, ni hay diligencia para Sonoma según he podido averiguar. Esta marchará por la del Lunes, y duplicada por el vapor del mismo día.

Supuesto q U. después del Lunes 7. próximo puede venir a Benicia, lo aguardaré hta el Tuesday 10. siguiente. Con una hora de conversacion, mas q con una docena de cartas se penetrará U. de la importancia, e inmensas consecuencias de nuestro proyecto. Parcele al. averido, y lo es ciertam^{te}; pero proveyendo nosotros como proveyamos, trasladarlo a nuestra zona si sale fallido nadie pierde) claro es q. un hombre q como U. vale en esta tierra es esclusivam^{te} llamado a sacar de él todas las ventajas posibles, dandonoz una compensacion convenida. Que ha sido y es nro objeto al dirigirme al. Con preferencia a otro, y al asegurarle q pondremos en la plaza de San Francisco el agua suficiente para una pilea abundante de q se surta la ciudad y acaso los muelles para la aguada de los buques q hoy sabe V. la tienen q. hacer a la distancia de... y q. a Benicia en un punto (saber el de mi socio) puede darse tambien agua. No será entonces mas grande si es posible el nombre de Vallejo? ¿Quién podrá reportar tanto provecho de una empresa, como U. hijo del país, con familia y bienes en él, con prestigio y relaciones de que nosotros como extranjeros carecemos?

Mi compañero y yo nosotros europeos, ni americanos del Norte - hemos nacido en un pequeño rincón de la America del Sur - y a la realización de nro proyecto no estimula la convicción de q. la fortuna rara vez o nunca es propicia a los cobardes, y la idea sobre todo es que cum. no han dado en el claro ni los Ingleses, ni los Jankees.

Me pypito del. con el mayor respeto su atento servidor

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Alfonso de Navala

Alfonso de Navala a M. Vallejo
relativa a Vallejo y Benicia

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M. Sr General J. W. Mariano & Valley

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Per vapor

Sonoma.

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Soto, Teodora ; El Estero de M. Guadalupe Valeros, Oct. 8, 1850

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Rancho del Hambre
wants to settle some land claims.

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1850, Oct. 8. Rancho del Hambre
Teodora Sota al Sr. Jefe Valijo relativo
a asunto de terrenos, título en Jugado

J. G. N. Guadalupe Salgado
1877

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Rancho del Hambre Oct. 8 de 1850

Respetado Sr. Valijo. Por esta le participo a Ud. que me avisó con especificación si puede venir a este juzgado de esta plaza a 6 días o poner el abogado con los papeles de mi pertenencia de los terrenos. S. Hecho de mucha necesidad concluirmos esta Cuestión de mis terrenos pues me están cobrando los gastos del juicio de estas últimas demoras, y solo ya me son 6 días de término para que se defina este pleito y se entos 6 días no dispuesto como corresponde y se branda el pleito por algunas de las maneras me dan a vender mi propiedad para cobrarse pago al juzgado, así como S. yo no se lo que he de hacer. Ud. pues ha estado aquí el abogado 2 días y no ha aparecido ni aun mandado los papeles, títulos de mis terrenos. Así a Ud. le aviso que si Ud. no me da cumplimiento a este asunto como me ha prometido a Ud. le ago todos los cargos de los perjuicios que se me asen ~~en~~ el juzgado por falta de cumplimiento.

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De responder al juzgado en las de mandas
puestas por los terrenos de mi propiedad,
Solo he un asunto para mi de mucha
importancia y no puedo dejarlo ya mas, asin V.S.
me mandara avisar con el portador por escrito, si puede
o no comparecer en este en los dias citados o mandar
por mi parte, alguna persona con los papeles de mis
terrenos para que pueda comparecer ante el jus-
gado segun pido escrita
Doy a V.S.
Teodora Soler

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B. M. S. S. D.

St. Guadalupe
Valley

St. P.

Sonoma

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Green, Thomas Jefferson, 1801-1863: [Letter to J.T. Cowdin, Oct. 9, 1850]

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New York

City, by Green, re a custom house
at Vallejo, and sending copies of
letters from T. Butler King (89)
and Commodore Jones recommending
the area for a naval depot.

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1850. N.Y. Oct. 9th. Mr. W. Mearns to
Hon. J. Corwin, Secy of Navy - at
Vallejo & Benicia as per authority
Naha & Co. of Languey for Navy Yard
New York.
Oct 9th 1850.

Hon. J. Corwin.
Secy of Treasury.

Sir:

By reference to an act of Congress, establishing collection districts in the State of California, I perceive that "Benicia & Vallejo jointly" is made the port of entry for the district of Sonoma.

On behalf of the proprietors of Vallejo, we propose to furnish to the Government at that place a custom House free of charge, until Congress shall provide for the building of one.

By reference to the report & survey of the joint board of Officers of the Army and Navy and the Letters of Commodore Jones, & the Hon. J. Butler King, herewith inclosed, you will perceive that Sapa bay adjoining Vallejo on the West is recommended as the U. S. Naval depot, where necessarily the sectional dock for our "Naval and Commercial Marine" will be built.

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The superior advantages of Stapa Bay, in conjunction ~~the~~^{with} the Straights of Corrientes as a great commercial depot is well known and I believe that the best interest of our government & commerce will be served by the acceptance of the above proposition.

An early answer to this letter is requested, so that I may be able to give instructions by the mail of 11th inst. to be in readiness for the arrival of the collector.

I have the honor to be very respectfully yours etc.

J. I. Green

Thos. J. Green, Agent.

& Co. proprietor of Valdivia.

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Thomas J. Green
Letter to the State
J. Corwin Bay
of the Treasury
about Custom
House at Valparaiso

9 Oct 1850.

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Wohler, Herman, d. 1877 : Carta a J. Valles, Oct. 9, 1850

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San Francisco

Announcing results of election
in site of Capital - Benicia
won the greatest number of votes.

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1850. Oct. 9. San Francisco Oct. 9. 1850.

Al General Vallejo.

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Muy Señor mío. Inouca.

Este correo avisara a V. que la eleccion que fue ante de ayer ha ido muy bien, las votas para su lugar eran 1067. y para San Jose 787. asi que sobre en su favor. 880. vi. Capitan Emshy se fue ayer hacia Verresia. Con el mayor respecto le saluda a V. su afm. amo y d. l. g. b. s. m.

Herman Woller

Herman Woller da informe al Gen Vallejo del resultado de la Eleccion por el Sitio de la Capital del Estado.

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General College
Panama.

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Winchester, [London] : [Letter to J Valero, Oct. 10, 1850

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San Francisco

As editor of the Pacific News,
sending bill for an ad Valero
has placed in the paper. Bill
enclosed (99).

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1850. Oct. 10. Sonoma no 980
Winchester to Mrs Vallejo, money matters,
Bill for advertising a "New route to the Trinity"
Sonoma, Oct. 10, 1850. 287

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Gen. Vallejo,

Dear Sir - Being on a visit to the ranch of the late Capt. Simmons, in company with Capt Halleck, Col. R. J. Allen and others, I take the liberty of enclosing you an account being for an order from you last June to advertise in the Pacific News a "New Route to the Trinity."

I had the pleasure of an introduction to you last winter at San Jose, and shall be happy of any opportunity to renew the acquaintance. I return to Sonoma tomorrow. Meantime you will have the goodness to leave the account with Gen. Poggi, whom I know.

I am, General,

Yours Obedt Servt

J. Winchester
Editor Pacific News
San Francisco.

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Gen. M. G. Vallejo
Sonoma
Presert.

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San Francisco, Oct 8. 1850

Gen. M. G. Vallejo
To Pacific News Office

June 26 - To advertise New Route to
the Trinity, 26 times — \$108.00

Recd post

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San Francisco, Oct 8, 1850

Gen. M. G. Vallejo,
to Pacific News Office

June 26 - To advertise New Route to
the Trinity, 26 times — \$108.00

Rec'd post

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Soto, Teodora

: Carta a D. M. Guadalupe Vallejos!, 05.10.1850

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Rancho del Asmita

Re her lawsuits over lands and requesting that Vallejos come to help in the settlement of these matters.

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1850, Oct. 10 Rancho del Hambro
Teodora Sola al Sr. Mr. Valles relativa a
negocios de terrenos y acciones del
jurgado Sr. D. N. Landolupé y otros

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Rancho del Hambro 10 de octubre de 1850

Muy Sr. mio

Por mi esposa Teodora le he
escrito una a U.S. sobre el negocio de las
tragedias que este jurgado tiene con mi
esposado de esta Señora D. Landolupé y otros
a quienes respondo en las demandas puestas de
terrenos de mi propiedad segun lo que me
bien sabe. Deseo por esta segunda vez
mis pobres hijos queden librados de un
vicio que en su tiempo padre les había dado que
ultimo se ve que ellos temian, y qual m
la puda para transcribir el terreno, p
los negocios les de mucha molestia que
me puda ser de gran utilidad para
ellos. El cargo que
me case el jurgado les de 500 trescientos pesos
de alguna forma de terreno o acciones que
pueda ser de gran utilidad para ellos.

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U. S. de Santifacacion
Estimada cuando yo en el momento me dije el oficial
de que Ud. le habia escrito avisando que los papeles
y los titulos de mis libros estaban perdidos,
quise estar interesado mucho, pues me se por que
me habia una cosa de tanta importancia no se le va
cuidar, pues si yo hubiese sabido de tan sencilla
las cosas no estaria haciendo cuidado mis negocios
como Ud. me hubiese ayudado

O sin la Ud. le aviso que todo el
resultado de esta busque Ud. tenga en cuenta
plena con el prometido para los 3000 que
me hace cargo el sueldo

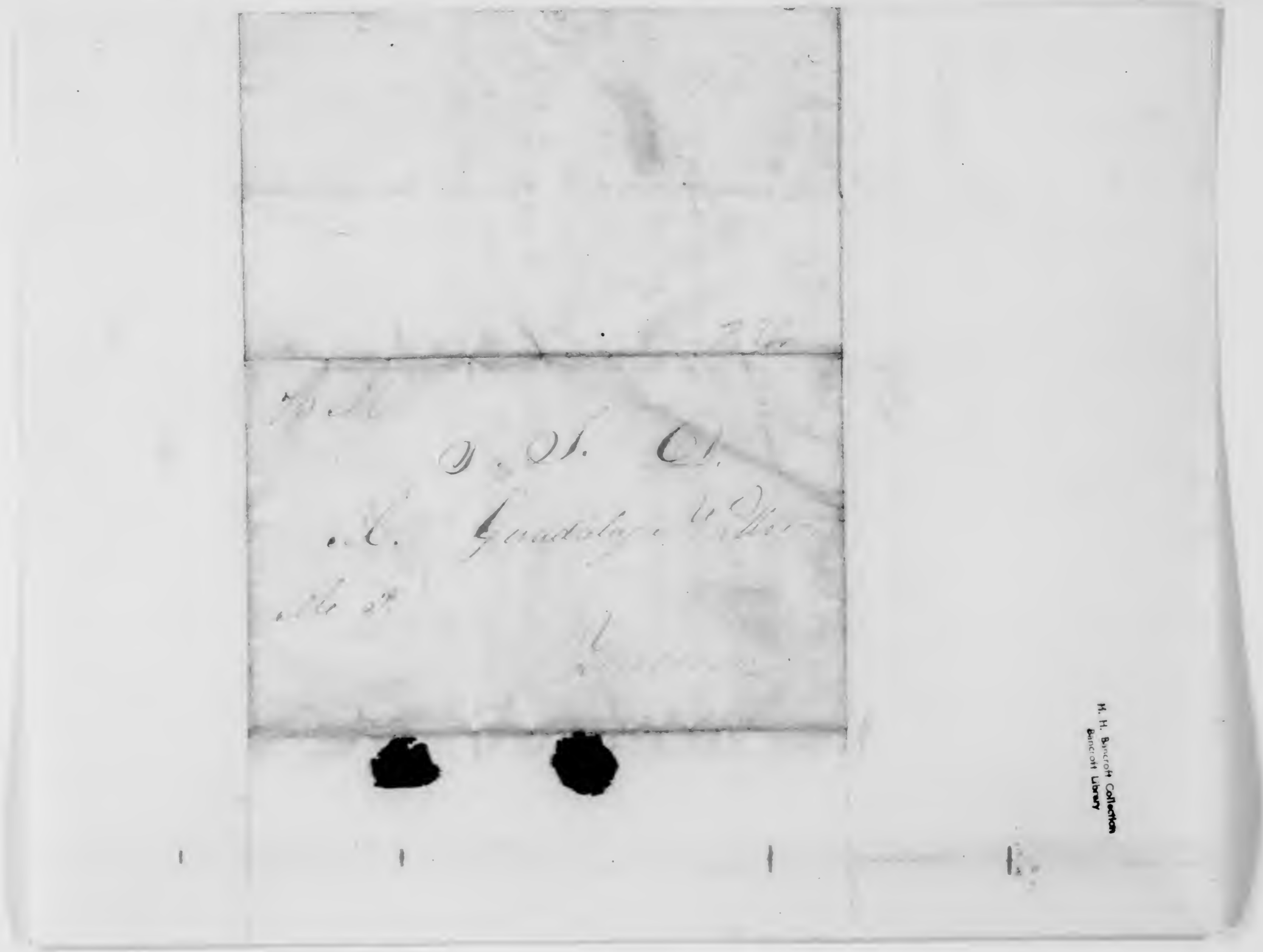
U. S. de Santifacacion

Su amigo S.

Victor J. Goto

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Wright, George Washington, 1816-1885; [Letter to] M. G. Vallejo, 05.10, 1850

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Washington, D.C.

Forwarding a letter from General Green.

With notes re cattle transaction by Vallejo.

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1850, Oct. 10, Washington
Wright forwards to Genl Vallejo
letter from Genl Greer,

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Washington DC
Oct 10th 1850

My dear Sir
I have the honor to forward the enclosed letter from Genl Greer, and will briefly say that it will always afford me great pleasure to serve in any interests which you may consult me upon

I have the honor to be very respectfully
yours faithfully
G. M. Wright

Gen M. G. Vallejo
Sonoma
California

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Ux. Shillba propone.

Prioris de partura per tres annos.

3000. pueri mensur, mate o no mate real

U exere de rey qui Shillaba mate mensurat lo
pagand con notas buenas por 90 dias.
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a 14. pueri cada uno: de 14. meses a tres años
a 9. pueri: de seis meses a 14. mes, a 6. pueri.

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Zavala, Idefonso de

: Carta a) Mariano G. Vallejo, 05 11, 1850

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re the water project.

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1850 Oct 11 Guicima

Señor D. Mariano G. Vallejo

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Guicima Octubre 11 / 1850.

Muy Señor mío.

En mi mano se aprueba carta fha 3. del presente, recibida solo á noche. Me voy á S. Fran.º en el primer buque q. sale - y de S. Fran.º si no hay novedad en la salud regresaré en la semana venidera á Sonoma, donde cuanto tendré la satisfacción de ofrecerme personalmente á las órds de V.

No dude V. un momento q. su proyecto estará reservado p. su propio interés. Yo creo q. con solo hablar, q. con solo presentarse V. al frente del negocio superará cualquier dificultad, q. pudiera ocurrir para asegurar el contrato con la autoridad de esta tierra. Así está cierto q. en S. Fran.º se ofrecerá una competente indemnización por la obra después de declararle la propiedad del agua con privilegio exclusivo, y vivo persuadido q. no exigiendo p. una pte anticipación la menor de dinero, q. haciéndose el gasto todo p. nosotros, sin q. la autoridad pague un solo maravedí, aquello de fianca no puede ni debe tener lugar. Ello dirá.

A la obra Señor Venereal. Digo V. tirando sus cálculos - pienso q. de serlo en los Medios de Manifiesto asunto de modo q. la obra se inicie cuando mas tarde si es posible en fines de Nov.º proximo, q. sera cuando mi Comp.º y yo con otros hombres debamos retirarnos del campo de Sonoma, q. es hoy una residencia temporal.

Pronto espero tener el gusto de conocer y saludar á V. su atento obediente
Servidor

Diego de Harala

Diego de Harala al Señor Don Mariano G. Vallejo relativa á la compra de la Cuesta de Vallejo

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Al Sr General D. W. Mariano G. Vallejo

Sonoma

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Green, Thomas Jefferson J, 1801-1863 ; [Letter to J. M. G. Vallejo, Oct. 11, 1850]

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New York

Re his efforts on behalf of Vallejo, Benito, Napa.

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1850. Oct. 11. New York } This I enclose to Gen Vallejo
(Confidential.) } about letters, and the
Capital of California
New York city.
Oct. 11th 1850.

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My Dear Genl. My letters by this mail will inform you fully of every thing concerning the advancement of our great enterprise on this side. I write now upon a matter deeply interesting and which concerns vitally the certain success of our city. - I have had to combine the political influences at Washington city as well as monetary and commercial elsewhere, in our enterprise. - To secure the port of entry, and Custom house, at our city - the Navy yard & sectional docks, and what is now only known to a few of us the Mint, required much to be done in a political way. To do these things and many others of which I will write you more fully by this steamer, it was requisite for me to promise our friend the Hon. Geo. W. Wright M.C. that I would exercise my influence to get you to allow him one of your fifteen shares.

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in Vallejo upon the same terms of
 an original holder. - This I trust
 and believe that you will do, for
 in my judgment ^{in my judgment} ~~it is~~ more to your interest
 to do so than to sell it at the
 highest possible rate that which it
 may attain. - We must complete
 our work for the Navy yard - the
 great dock, which will cost three
 millions of dollars & the Mint. - We
 have ^{Vallejo} "jointly" with Benecia a Port
 of entry. ^{we} must have on the Bay of
 Napa the Custom House. - Every thing
 is working well at present for the
 accomplishment of these things, but
 their sure success is based very
 much, nay I may say entirely upon
 the promise I have made and
 which the object of this letter
 is to get you to formally confirm.
 Mr. Wright will be in his seat at
 Washington early in December,
 and your affirmative answer to
 this request should reach him
 as soon as possible. - He is with

me now and working for us
 most effectually. - As I have
 written you, Aspinwall H. must
 pull up stakes at Benecia and
 concentrate his whole strength
 upon Vallejo. - This I think that
 they will do, and Mr. W. with a
 powerful influence in that
 quarter, will do much to accomp-
 lish ^{it}. - ^{He has \$50,000 of stock in the steamer line, besides other} Aspinwall, once in
 I will control every other steamer
 line and concentrate them at
 our city. This letter I will place
 in Mr. Wright's hands & he will
 forward it to you, your answer
 therefore will be directed to him
 at Washington city & ought to reach
 him by the 22nd of December. -
 I will forward you
 and Capt. Frisbie, a package
 of letters and papers for the steamer
 Cherokee on the 13th inst.
 Very truly your Obedt.
 friend
 Geo. M. G. Vallejo
 Sonoma, Cal.
 Mrs. J. Green.

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Gen. M. G. Vallejo.
Sonoma.
California.

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[Green, Thomas Jefferson, 1801-1863]: Letter to M. G. Vallejo and J. B. Fisher, Oct. 13, 1850

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New York

Re negotiations for steamship lines and port facilities at Vallejo.

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To Genl. M. G. Vallejo

& Capt. J. B. Fenwick

Prins. Sec. of city of Vallejo

My Dear Sirs: I wrote you two days since through the Hon. Geo. W. Wright, upon a matter deeply interesting to us, which I trust you will receive about the same time that this will reach you.

We have almost the entire port of unloading - all the Steamer lines at Vallejo - also the Navy Yard & Sectional docks - We have it a part of entry & I think we will get the custom house there - Wright is working for it, they are closely watched by Sarkin - He must not know of our operations until they are fixed - That other great institution which I spoke of in Wright's letter must remain a strict secret until the proper time to act upon it - What I will say now is that, if my letter concerning Wright, is fulfilled

with on your part - it is certain -
This I must explain in person -
So do not fail to let Wright in
upon the terms I proposed in
his letter -

Enclosed you will find
a copy of a letter which will be
delivered this day to the Secy of
the Treasury by Hon Wm Wright
who is upon warm personal
relations with him - W says
it will be complied with. So
we must be in readiness
to let them have a house
for the customs until the
appropriation is made
which will be next session.
We must also get some
storage ships in Napa Bay
to be in readiness for the
collector who I will see
today - I have contracts to
have a coal yard at Vallecjo &
some of the ships are now

loading for that now - So
soon as I conclude matterably
the arrangement for the steamer
lines, then I will come out in
the papers with a more full
advertisement - The steamers
have promised me what I
wish; but I am requested by
Aspinwall, to wait until
the next arrival from California
as he expects by that to be in
possession of a larger interest
through Robinson, his agent in
our city than what I offer him -
He told me that Robinson had
his positive instructions to buy
largely in Vallecjo & that Reed
had acted without orders in
touching Beresina - Now what
I advise is, that if Robinson has
not completed any arrangement with
you, to hold off and leave it with
me - He will come into my terms -
I will be able by the steamer of the
26th inst. to write you more fully.

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4/ In fine I am doing well for our interest - doing many things which it will not do to write. - But to combine every interest on this side, necessary to our immediate & transcendent success, six hundred lots must be set apart out of our general interest to accomplish every thing. This would only be 20 lots to each share, really nothing - out of the 22,000 into which our city is divided. - This can be done by putting in the future general division of shares by first drawing by lottery the six hundred lots to be held for the above purposes. What lots I have promised, in every instance are to be drawn for as I will not undertake to designate any one unless the steamer line requires water fronts for their sandings, booms &c. In that event all I can say will be, that ~~some~~ many feet front will

be set off to them & pointed out by you & their agents. - 704

I saw Com. Jones, in Washington ⁵ who made a visit of necessity and wrote a strong letter to the Navy Committee in favor of Napa Bay as the Navy Yard. So does Hon. J. Butler King, Hon. Geo. W. Wright, as you will see by the enclosed copy of their letters. You will have seen that \$100,000. is appropriated to commence the sectional dock - it will take for this purpose alone three millions of dollars - its location is discretionary with Gov. Graham, Sec. of Navy my old school fellow & friend. I have seen him about it. He says that he was ordered Com. McLeanly to reexamine Napa Bay & see that no mistake has been made & to see if there is no better place - if not he will order the work to be commenced very soon. Now my dear Sir, there is work to be done at Washington to secure ^{and} most of that work will fall upon me. I trust that you will not forget the interest verbally promised me in Mare Island. I trust that you

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I will see Capt. Simmons, the other owner and agree upon my interest - I think that in view of what is to do in fixing the Navy yard sectional dock, & working for a good price from the government, & for increased early appropriations, which our Legislature must insist upon & H. you ought to set me in an equal partner in the purchase.

I write now in somewhat of a hurry as I put off writing until now, in expectation of having my contracts with the Steamers Lines signed before the boat sailed.

This letter I have placed in J. F. Howes hands, to go up & deliver in person, immediately upon his arrival - I told him that you would pay his passage to San Francisco.

I will leave here with my family on the 26th November

and be at San Francisco by the 1st of January - I must be in my seat at San Jose on the 1st Monday the 6th July cannot you meet me in San Francisco at that time - Senator Woodworth, is now and is out strong for Vallejo - he has written a strong letter upon the subject in San Con. McCauley. I wish that I could send him the Survey and soundings of Capt. Williams Blount & McArthur which the coast survey office furnished. Mr. J. B. King, for me - 40 1/4 feet at low water, in entering Napa Bay it increases at you go up the Bay - Let the Com. have an interest of in Vallejo of 25 or 50 lots, upon easy terms - I have seen a letter from one of his officers to Woodworth, which shows

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5) that he is much displeas'd
with Berecia at a Navy depot. -
I must ~~quit~~ close ^{by} wishing
you both health, happiness and
prosperity - your friend truly -
Wm. J. Green.

Wm. J. Green
Capt. U.S. Army
Berecia

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Gen M. G. Vallejo &
Capt. J. B. Frisbie
Bancroft
Cal.

6) That he is much displeas'd
with the manner of a Navy Dept.
of which he is a member and
for both the Pacific and
Bancroft - New York
(The of Bancroft)

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Irving House, N.Y.

Enclosing letter from F. P. Stanton (89a)

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Irving House N.Y.
Oct. 13th 1850.

Genl. M. G. Vallejo & }
Capt. J. B. Frisbie. }
}

My Dear Sir: I
herewith enclose you a letter
of the Hon. G. Stanton, Chairman
of the Naval committee of the
U. S. House of Representatives. Mr.
Stanton in point of talents and
influence is second to no member
in the House of Rep. & as Chairman
of that committee has influence
even more than the Secy of the
Navy. — He must be courted. — This
I have done through Colo. McSeman,
his friend and neighbour whose influence
elected ^{him} Stanton to Congress. — Stanton
is devoted to McSeman and will
serve him to any extent, which
will explain to you the additional
importance of McSeman, to us. —
You will recollect that in
my letter per Sact Steamer I
spoke of the great importance of

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this gentleman, in our city - Leolo. N.Y.
will accompany me to California
and will see you in relation to
our city - Very truly your friend &
Wm. L. Green.

[Faint, illegible handwritten text, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the page.]

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Vallejo, Mariano Guadalupe, 1807-1890: [Bonasa], 00.13, 1850

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Death of wife, written on behalf of
Josefa Fitch, to Moses Carion
forbidding him use of all of
the land in the Rancho de
Santiago.

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1850. Oct 13, Saticoyomi

M. E. Valles al Sr. Moyses Carion relativa a la compra de tierra y el Rancho Saticoyomi

Sr. D. Moyses Carion.
Saticoyomi Oct 6 13/50.

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Hace ya dos meses que D^a Josefa Nitch vino desde el pueblo de S. Diego, por Negocios de V. mismo, a fin y con objeto de recibir en Rancho de Saticoyomi, conforme a lo que en semejantes casos se acostumbra: con objeto tambien de arreglar toda la cuenta, contra y a favor de la ~~XXX~~ ^{testamento} de este difunto marido: con objeto de reconocer las propiedades que conforme a la escritura relativa, ~~XXX~~ ^{hubiera} sacado en Saticoyomi, y a fin, con el objeto de recibir los intereses que en finiquito ^{de la compra} de esta tierra, bajo la direccion de V. He pasado todo el tiempo arriba dicho, ha estado ella ^{declarando} ^{que} ^{en} ^{este} ^{rancho} ^{de} ^{Saticoyomi} ha cregado muchisimo gator y gator de mucha cantidad, un mas objeto que con quien que V. le entregado; pero todo ha sido inutil. D^a Josefa pues, me manda decir a V. que le ^{formalmente} ^{por la presente} ~~notifique~~ como lo hago, que todos los gator que se han cregado y que en adelante se cregaren usen por cuenta de V. asi como los pesqueros que por ^{la} ^{opinion} ~~de~~ ^{de} V. sean arreglados ^a ^{las} ^{leyes}. En consecuencia ella queda como debe quedar, en ^{plena} ^{posesion} del Rancho de Saticoyomi como propiedad de su familia, y espe-

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^{procur}
20 de Mayo
Compare a C. por medio de la Autoridad
de ^{competente} ~~la~~ ~~autoridad~~ a una transaccion definitiva,
de que, aunque contra la ~~primera~~ ~~sentencia~~ ~~se~~ ~~sea~~
~~obligado~~ a hacer ~~una~~ ~~cosa~~

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Al mismo te notifica, que desde hoy
te prohibo a C. hacer uno de ninguno de las
propiedades de los límites de Salinas y
la más estrecha representación S.

Yo de O. my att^o

Diego B. S. M.

M. J. Hall

Attorney in fact.

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Riva, Ramón G de K ; [Carta a] Guadalupe Vallejo, 07.25, 1850 107

Napa
Acting for Nicolás Figueroa, he requests Vallejo to cease building on Soquel land until title is cleared. With death of Vallejo's reply, stating he is certain of his rights and will continue the work.

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1850, Oct 25, Napa
Orden de M. G. de la Riva a Vallejo, Contes la orden
de dho Vallejo relativa a terrenos
Sr D. Guadalupe Vallejo

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Sonoma

Napa Oct. 25, 1850.

Muy Sr mio: habiendo sabido se halla fabrican-
do en la parte opuesta de Soscol en terreno perteneciente a D. Nicolas Hi-
guera de quien soy apoderado, me veo en la necesidad de prevenir a v. no si-
ga ~~momentando~~ sus trabajos, hasta tanto que manifieste v. el derecho que
tiene sobre dho punto. Soy de v. apdo y S. S. D. H. S. N. B.

Manuel J. de la Riva

Sonoma Oct. 27
1850.

M. J. de la Riva

Muy Sr mio: La intencion que v. me hace, como
apoderado de D. Nicolas Higuera para que sus puntos de tra-
bajos remanen en la parte opuesta de Soscol, la Hecho hoy
Nada, y debo advertirle a v. que si no tuviere los títulos
necesarios legalizados en dha forma de dento, jamas me
habria expuesto a hacer gastos en el lugar ni que v. se que-
re. Por tanto no despare mis trabajos alli si no es
en el caso de que v. me pida de lo prescrito que se
necesaria, haciendo cesar dho trabajos, con todas las se-
guntades que se requieren.

Soy de v. at. Sr. D. Manuel

de la Riva

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Gov. G^o. Guadalupe Vallejo
Sonoma

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La vasa?, Santiago : Carta a J Mariano G. Vallejo, Oct. 26, 1850

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San Luis

Enclosing a catalog of books
in Vallejo's inscription. Catalog
is no. 107.

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1850, Oct. 26 San Luis 312
 Santa Juana remit al Sr. Valles catalago
 de libros en tu establecimiento
 Sr. Jral. D. Mariani J. Valles. 10/108

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San Luis Otre 26 de 1850

Muy S. mis. p. distraccion no dejé a V el Cata
 logo de libros para que discursadamente pudiese V
 examinar si algunos le convinieren. Lo incluyo a V
 ahora con este objeto, y como en viaje a San^{co} Juan
 debe ser tan pronto conservar las obras españolas,
 que creo sean las que mas probablemente le convien
 gan.

A mas de las perlas tengo una colección
 de alfileres de oro y brillantes.

Soy des. Sr. J. M. B.

San^{co} Juan

Sacramento Street
 Lado del Norte
 Quinto ó sexto puesto
 Assita de la esquina de
 la Calle de Kearney

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For Genl Don
Mariano J. Vallejo.
Sonoma

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Carr, Jesse D [Douglas] : [Letter to] M. G. Vallejo!, Oct. 27, 1850

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San Francisco
No cattle.

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1850. Oct 27. } I do care to Mr Vallejo about cattle
of Mr Brown, }
San Francisco } W 110
Oct 27th 1850

Genl. M. G. Vallejo
Sonoma

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Dr Sir Mr A H Brown

wrote me that he had thirty two head of cattle
at your house and that he wished me to get them
and sell them for him. I have Mr Browns letter
to this effect Will you please to inform me
what kind of cattle these are and whether they
are to be delivered by you at any particular
place or not and if so at what place and what
time it would be convenient for you to deliver
them. If you will write me at what time I can
receive them I will either be there myself or
send a man with an order to receive them and at the
same time I will take you Mr Browns letter
showing that I am authorized to receive them
in fact Mr Brown is indebted to me and I have
agreed to take these cattle at part pay and would
be pleased if you could let me have them as early
as convenient

Yours Respectfully

J D Carr

Could you deliver them to me at
Benicia if so I could sell
them to a much better advantage

If Mrs. Sherman will condescend to write you and say to me to Mr. Vallejo I will get it as soon as possible

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Curtis, Charles C

: [Apante], n.d.

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Agreement re rental of house.
With note, in hand of M. G. Vallejo,
re a Mr. Barge, and a receipt for
payment of rent for a house, Sonoma,
Oct. 31, 1850.

Dr. Waize

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1850 Oct. 31
No 111

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Mr Charles C. Curtis

Annua la casa del Embacadero, Comisista,
por ochenta pesos cada mes, pagados adelantado.
Pagara diez y siete pesos por cada res grande
de tres años y nueve por las buenas &
Chas C Curtis

~~de~~
Weste

500 dollars the first
500 the end of the year
own business C.C. Curtis

Bolean

Mr Barne, vive en la casa del Doctor Gray, que
re recibe el rancho de Agua Caliente, el y Mr
Vigent en compia. Su objeto es arreglar los cult
planta vna y huerta de arboles frutales.

El Sr. Mayor Leonard a Mr. Pallas

Por recibo de la casa que habia de dar el P. de Oct hasta 31 de Nov
segun de cinco dias por semana. No. 00.
Suma del. 31 de 1850. \$ 110.00.

Recibo al pago.

M. J. P.

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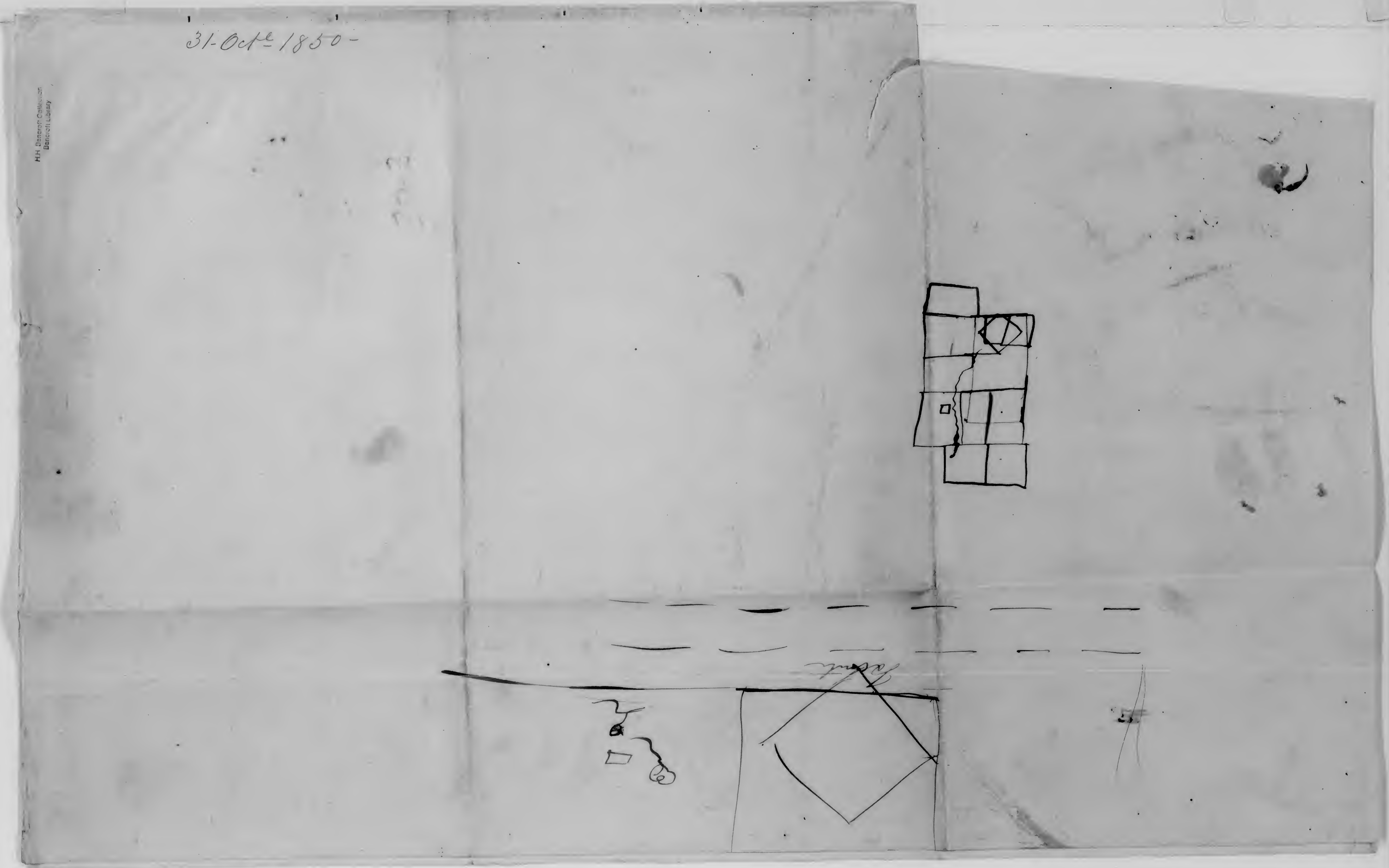
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Carrillo, Carlos Antonio de Jesús?, 1783-1852: [Lunta a) M. Guadalupe Valley, Nov. 1, 1850

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Santa Barbara

Re. the vote for the
Site of the California
Capital.

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Mr. D. M. Guadalupe Vallejo

Sta. Barb. Nov. 10. 1850

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Mi muy amado primo y Amigo: Aunque mi in-
flujó en el día p^r este punto no es, tan preponde-
rante como en otro tiempo, (atribuyelo a que ya soy
viejo) sin embargo, algo queda todavía para hon-
rar y servir a los amigos de mi hogar; pues-
tengo todavía satisfacción de decirte que el cumpli-
do de fante en cargo que me hacen en tu muy
grata de de a Agosto a los 400. boto p^r la capital
en Vallejo, plus entre este punto y los 100. he
onde para sus letras a los amigos p^r el efeto,
se han vendido mas a los 400. que me en cargo,
y aunque en este punto hubo un idiota (el cual
era miembro de la Mesa de elecciones) no quiso dar la
boto en favor, cuyo ejemplo de idiotismo siguieron los
de sus y otros tres o cuatro mas, no p^r eso podese
de ganar la Mayoría en favor, y coniguiente,
el idiota, y los del idiotismo que siguieron el ejem-
plo, no hicieron mas que frustrar las Navis, y
estoy seguro que estrasero (dispensa la expresion)
haci es que me repito, que me queda la gloria de
haber servido en esa parte aun amigo que me
me ocupa en otras Mayores cosas q. se obran, y
sin lisonja la q. fama e acaz tembrado; lo primero

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que sirbo a un amigo, y primo, y lo 2.^o que
aunque algo anciano, toda via la necesidad q.
en mucha parte es la causa de la aduacion,
en mi no hallegado todavia ese fatal estremo,
tan horrible intodo aquel que se abraza por
talon, y principal mte en el dia que son de
bragueta con un chisquental de botones en ello,
¿no es beldad?

Recibe muchas expresiones de cari-
no en union a Fran.^{co} y D.^a Josefa, y unos fo.
y como gustis; dispon del caso intuprimo y
amigo que A. D. T. H.

Carlos Ant.
Carrillo

P. D. y Reservada apablo y cobarrutias

El diista fue el pobresito de mi hermano Anast.^o y
sus hijos, y obyo 3. o cuatro sinifcantes, borsinto
mucho, pero es preciso por nurrar muchas cosas, con
a quella gravissima necesidad que no pueden decir por la
Causa, que temian, mas de que no le dabo lagana (esto fue
fuera de la botacion)

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1850. Nbre 10. Sta Barbara,

Carlos Ant Carrillo a Mrs Valles
relativa a la eleccion en Sta
Barbara para la eleccion
de la Capital del Estado

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Marble, John [A] ; [Letter to M. G. Vallery, Nov. 13, 1850]

Millers Town, near Auburn
Wishes to purchase some land
in Maple Valley, from Vallery.

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1850, Nov 13, Millers Town
 Mr Markle to Mr Vallejo California No. 13/50.
 Land transactions

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Millers Town, Near Auburne
 Dear Sir. having understood that you hold
 a large tract of Land in Napa Valley, and that
 you are willing to sell it in tracts to suit for farming
 purposes, and wishing to settle in California; and
 understanding that Mr Boggs, our former Gov. of Mo
 is residing near you suppose that the Valley may
 be a good location to settle in; Please to write to
 me, address'd to Auburne, on what terms you
 will dispose of 6 or 7 tracts for families of the
 best standing in the State to settle on, the size or
 number of acres to each, what kind of Land, how
 much timber on the same; or convenient to it; the
 distance to haul it, the Water if any Springs; if Wells,
 how deep to dig, & quality of the Water, whether the Lands
 are fertile; And if your terms will suit me, I will
 come down & see you; And again I have
 in the State of Ohio, 1333 1/3 Acres of Land near the town
 of Chillicothe, which I would exchange with you
 on fair terms, for Lands & Stock;

W. J. Vallejo Esq.

I am Very Respectfully
 Yours Obedt Servt.
 W. Markle;

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Mary, William George, d. 1896: Letter to M. G. Vallejo, Nov. 13, 1850

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Empire City
Asking Vallejo's support in his
application for an appointment
as Secretary of the Senate.

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1850. Nov. 13, Empire City

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Empire City N.Y. Nov 1850

Wm. G. Vallejo

Dr. Sir

I shall be an applicant for the appointment of Secretary of the Senate at the next Session of the Legislature & I take the opportunity of applying to you for your support. I understand your former Secretary, Mr. Howe, has returned home & will not be an applicant for reappointment.

Permit me to congratulate you on the selection of Vallejo for the next Capital and I trust my letter to Capt. Frisbie may reach in time for him to give you some good tidings.

My Mother desires me to present her regards to you.

I have the honor to be
Very Resp^{tly} Yours et. c.

W. J. Marcy

Wm J. Marcy informs Mr Vallejo that he will be a candidate for Sec^y of the Senate and solicits his support

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Amesti, José de , 1792-1855 : Carta a) Guadalupe Valles, Nov. 14, 1850 .

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Monterey

Asking for copy of a design
which is said to be in the
Benicia archives.

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San L. Guadalupe Vallejo W9115

Monterey Nov. 14. de 1850.

Muy Señor mio: Esta se refiere a suplicarle a vñ me haga el favor de sacar una copia del Dicho y el Sr. Jacobo Escaida hizo abriendo mi terreno con el dicho Castro, pues dicho terreno me han puesto a poner Pleito, y me Dicho parece se halla en el Archivo de Bencia, y me esta haciendo mucha falta. Pagarle a vñ los gastos que se hagan, pues dicho Pleito debe principiarse a principios de Dic. de este año

El Alcaide Arriba q. estaba en cargo del Archivo quien podra saber

San L. Guadalupe Vallejo Sonoma

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algo de Dho Dicho.

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Quiera me en la dependencia de
toda su amable familia y Recibiendo Saludo
de Pulenciana y demas familia con man
de a su agrado. Seg. de v. B. S. M.

José de Aniceto

1850 Nov 14 Mecateucy

José de Aniceto al Sr. M. Valles
relativo a terrenos, y pleito con los
Castros,

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Childs, William : [Letter to J. M. G. Vallejo, Nov. 16, 1850]

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Sacramento

He building a flour mill at
the site of the new capital.

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1850. November 16th Sacramento City. 20115
William Childs to General M. Vallejo
in reference to the construction of a Flour
mill at the New Seat of Govern^{ment}

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Sacramento City Novem^r: 16th 1850

Dear Sir

The writer of this is a Miller, practically acquainted with all the minutia and detail of the manufacture of wheat flour as practiced in the best flour districts in the United States and with the construction of the best Mills his object in this communication is to ascertain if you would be disposed to offer any inducements to such a person to construct at the site of the new seat of Govern^{ment}. A mill of suitable construction & capacity to manufacture from California wheat an article of flour fully equal to the best made in any country - I do not speak of inducement in the way of gift - but of facilities for constructing and putting in operation such a mill you retaining the title in your own name untill you should receive repayment from the earnings of the mill I deem it improper for me to trouble you with my own speculations as to the prospect of such an investment being profitable - your entire knowledge

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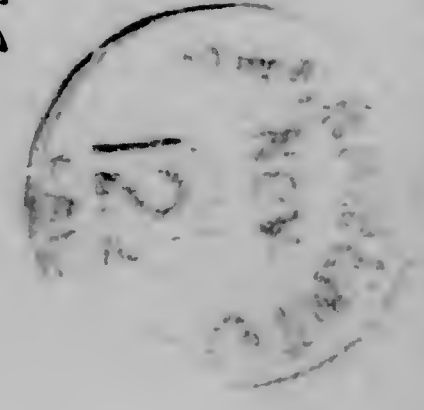
of all the circumstances of the Country, its prospects in the future, and its capacity, will enable you to judge with certainty after the foregoing, I have but to beg sir that you will excuse the liberty I have taken in addressing this Letter to an entire Stranger a liberty I certainly should not have taken had I not been made acquainted the high character you possess in the Country for wealth, liberality, and enterprise -

Should you think my communication worth a notice any reply will reach me at the Sacramento Post Office

Your very obedient Servt
William Childs

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Ms S Vallejo
Bernice
California



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Deal, William Grove

: Letter to J Valley, Nov. 18, 1850

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Sacramento

Introducing Miss Hart, a teacher.

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Gen. Vallejo,

Sacramento City Nov. 18th 1850

Allow me to introduce to you Miss Hart, who for some time has been a teacher in our city, and who comes with the best recommendations as to qualifications and character.

She desires a situation in some family as teacher, and from my knowledge of her, and the satisfactory testimonials in her possession, if you need a teacher, I believe she would be all that you desire.

If this note is sent by mail any communication sent in answer to me at this place would receive immediate attention.

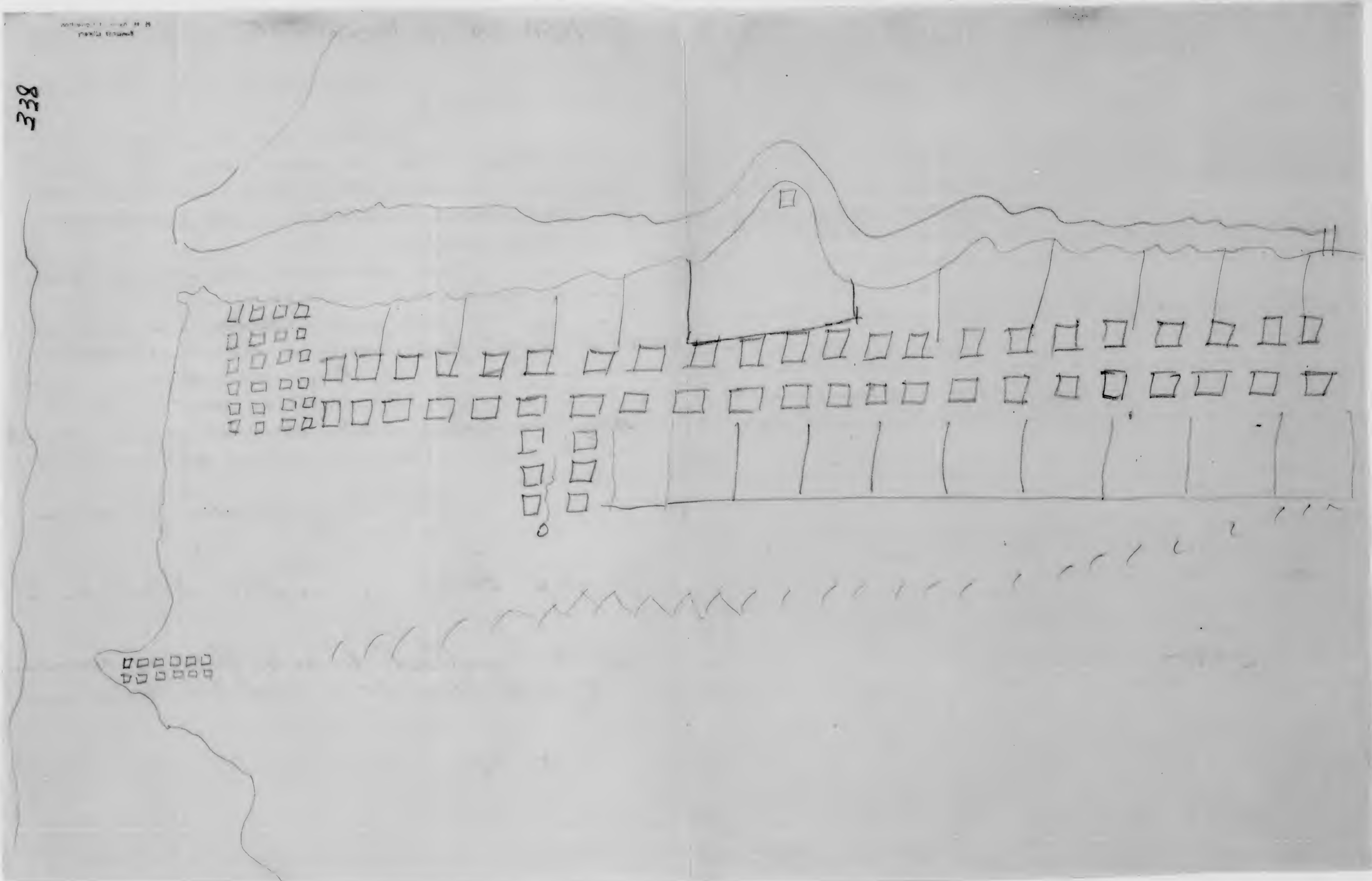
With consideration of esteem,
I am Yours &c.

John H. G. Vallejo

Miss Jane Seal M. S.

Dr J. M. Gooddeal to Mr Vallejo, recommending Miss Hart as a competent School Teacher

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Zadale, [de]mas de

: [Carta a] Mano G. Vallejo, Nov. 19, 1850

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Benicia

Is wondering about status of the
water enterprise; has sent salt
to Frisbie, but doesn't know whether
it has been received.

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Zavala, Ildefonso Sr

; Martha & Mariano G. Vallejo, Nov. 24, 1850

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San Francisco

Is in San Francisco, demonstrates knowledge about the water project.

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1850. Nov. 24. San Francisco.
J. General D. Mariano G. Vallejo.

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S. Francisco Nov. 24 / 50.

Muy Sr. mio

De Venecia escribi a V. en la semana pasada a vno
tramito p. que fuere; y hoy repiro la pres. a fin de q. V. sepa q.
nos hallamos aqui con tres hombres, deseosos como es de suponerse de
saber el estado de vna empresa, y poder en consecuencia adoptar unas
medidas, para en caso de q. la obra se realice. Nos hallamos ala
fuerza provisionalm. en la fonda el Genarativa Warrington Square.
Al Sr. Tribie no encontré en Venecia; al
que ser como V. me previno le remiti 44 q. 05 lb. cal de piedra
pernana.

El Gobierno ha principiado Malo; pero nada obra ni puede
obstar a verificas vna obra si estos Mjstres no carecen de sentido
comun.

Con el Mayor respeto, voy y me repiro tu atento Obid. Sr. V.
J. S. M. V.

Adelfonso de Zabala al Gen. Adelfonso de Navala
me Vallejo sobre un asunto importante para los
dos, le dice adonde se encuentran alojados.
y habla sobre un negocio con Tribie,

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H. S. General ^{to} Mariano J. Vallejo
en
Sonoma

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Carlos, Ferdinando J : Elowata J, Nov. 20, 1850

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From

Agreement re transportation of some cattle, with note that Carlos to date, Dec. 4, has not kept his agreement. Signed by Carlos

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1850. Nov. 20 Sonoma. - See 24 Nov. in Index.
Contrata entre Mr. Valles y Ferdinand J. Castro
sobre fanao.

El que suscribe se obliga de la manera mas solemnemente a recibir del Sr.
D. Mariano J. Valles mil barriles en el embarcadero de Sonoma, al precio de
diez pesos cada barril de cuatro hasta seis meses, y comenzara a pagarlos
el dia viernes veinte y uno que viene. Sonoma Nov. 20 1850.

Ferdinand J. Castro

Ferdinand ha depon de venir con los barchos, desde el dia 21 de Nov. para cuyo dia
se obligo, hasta hoy 4 de Diciembre a 100rs en tiempo de Mr. Valles tubo cumplido todo lo
con Caballero H. H. y su hermano a Ferdinand J. Castro

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Zavala, Eleonora de : Clark a. J. Mariano G. Vallejo, Nov. 27, 1850

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San Francisco

He is concerned that Vallejo has not replied to any of his letters, and would like to know status of water enterprise.

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1850. Nov. 27. San Francisco

S. General D. Mariano G. Vallejo

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Idelfonso de Lavala al Sr. Vallejo
relativa a ciertos asuntos.
Su obsequio sobre Frisbie y
cantidad de sal remitida al mismo

Muy S. mo.

En Venecia escribi a N. y puse la carta en ma-
nos del hermano del Sr. Frisbie, por no haber encontrado a este. No
he recibido contestacion de N. y lo extraño.

En el vapor E. Corning he escrito al Sr. John
B. Frisbie incluyendole una para Usted y no ha venido la bondad
que soy de contestarme. Estoy cuidadoso en extremo, y sin saber q pensar
sobre las diligencias relativas a nra empresa, cuyo resultado se com-
prometio U. a avisarme a Sonora donde dije a N. remitida.

El invierno no ha traído a S. Francisco -
aquí estamos con vdos hombres gastando por supuesto, y deseariamos
q U. nos dijera si se hade realizar la obra o no p. tomar nras medi-
das, aprovechar nro tiempo y pensar un medio si acaso.

En mi anterior he dicho a N. q. remiti de
Stockton al Sr. John B. Frisbie segun la prevencion de N. 4436. tt. de
sal de piedra peruana.

Si V. halla por conven. q yo de un salto a Sono-
ra - lo hare a un q. ya no marcha vapor

Me repito de V. atento servidor G. B. W.

Idelfonso de Lavala

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Rowley, Edmund, 1820-1861; Carta a M. G. Vallejo, Nov. 28, 1850

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Summary
Offering his services as lawyer
to Vallejo in the settlement
of land claims.
In Spanish (122) and in
English (123)

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San Francisco, 28 de Noviembre de 1850

Mi querido Sr. Valljo. Le habla sobre asuntos que cree provechosos a su profesión.

Como que es muy seguro que el Congreso en su próxima sesión tomará alguna medida por el reconocimiento de títulos de tierras en este Estado, poseídas bajo concesiones mexicanas. Indudablemente habrá pasado en la última sesión una ley para esto si hubiese habido tiempo bastante, después de la admisión de California de disponer con respecto a una medida de tanta importancia.

El plan que parece haberse acordado en favor al Gobierno, y al mismo tiempo la aprobación de los hombres inteligentes en la general en los Estados Unidos, es de nombrar un cierto número de Comisionados compuestos de miembros distinguidos quienes harán sus investigaciones y darán sus decisiones aquí en California y considerarán una apelación a ambas partes (al interesado, o al Gobierno), a los Estados Unidos de Washington.

Me temo que todos los que poseen los títulos antiguos estarán obligados a aparecer ante esta Comisión, y que casi todos por razones obvias buscarán la ayuda de un Consejero. Dopo tal impresión y acordándome con plena de las relaciones amistosas que existían entre nosotros, me dirijo ahora a V. p.º ofreciendo a V. mismo y a sus amigos del Norte de la bahía y en otros puntos de California, los servicios de un profesor en todo lo que tiene relación a la perfección de los títulos de V.º sus tierras, como también ante los Estados Unidos de Washington si fuera necesario con respecto al tribunal que será establecido aquí dentro de este Estado.

Cuáles pases serán necesarios dependerá de las circunstancias de cada caso. Ahora solo me permito hacer algunas consideraciones, lo cual, según siento, puede hacer con confianza. Ud. debería estar bien preparado con sus pruebas en todo lo que refiere a ocupación y uso, como que V. ha cultivado una casa sobre el terreno, o cultivado parte de él, o hecho uso de él p.º pasto de ganado, o alguna otra circunstancia manifestando una seria y sincera intención de

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cumplir con los fines del Gobierno cuando este hizo la concesion, este es de poblar el pais - Es posible que otras condiciones sean enteramente desatendidas; pero el modo de proceder de nuestro Gov. hasta aqui, demuestra que esta sera muy atendida. - Y sea cual fuer la naturaleza del derecho que V reclama, no consentire que V pierda tiempo p.º elevarle al conocimiento del Tribunal. Los inmensos negocios que seran llevados ante el tribunal causaran dilaciones que seran fuertemente sentidas por los que se presentaran tarde, y el grande numero de perjurios, escrituras falsas, y cada otra clase de falsedades que algunos especuladores y hombres sin principios, poseedores de titulos fingidos y fraudulentos procuraran hacer pasar por verdad, al fin muy natural, y ciertamente llevara en animo de sospecha y desconfianza, perdiendo generalmente a los derechos fundados en honor que presentarian tarde ante ellos - Esta desfavorable disposicion de animo en los jueces de Vd. sera muy sentida en el punto vital de uso y ocupacion que debira ser probado por testigos de boca, y hacia lo cual el genio inventivo de los saqueadores publicos sera muy particularmente dirigido, estando ya muy al tanto de la importancia de ello. Sin embargo no es necesario que yo hable de prontitud y energia a V que conoce tambien su valor en los negocios publicos y privados. Me bastara a mi respecto que mis servicios a cada momento estan a las ordenes de cualquiera persona que desee hacer uso de ellos en el establecimiento de sus titulos p.º sus tierras.

Si se me emplea esperare una pequena remuneracion en dinero, adelantado, y un interes contingente en la tierra, como tambien de ser puesto en posesion inmediata de todas las papales pertenecientes a lo que se reclama (de Vd. el claim) y si fuera posible en comunicacion personal con el reclamante. Tambien necesitare un document que en substancia diga lo siguiente. Por las presentes constituyo a

Edmundo Randolph de la ciudad de San Francisco,
 mi abogado de hecho, p.º conseguir de un una confirmacion de un titulo al terreno conocido como () situado en () contenido () ~~segun~~, ~~mitad, o una, como falso~~, por alguna autoridad competente debidamente autorizada p.º en fin por el Gov. de los E. U. - firmado en el dia de
 Testigos
 E. J.
 E. J.

Como que negocios de esta naturaleza van a ser un manantial de gran provecho p.º un profesion y V podra estar asegurado que cualquiera asistencia que V pudiese prestar en conseguirlos anadira grandemente a las obligaciones que debo a V, soy, muy sinceramente su Sr.
 (S) Edmundo Randolph
 Abogado.
 General
 N. G. Vallejo

1850, Nov. 28, Sonoma,
Edmund Randolph to Gov. Vallejo about confirming Mexican
grants. Soliciting from said Vallejo assistance to procure grants
for the purpose of challenging to their confirmation at the next
Sonoma Nov 28th 1850 Congress,

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My Dear Sir

I think it quite certain
that Congress at its next session will make
some provision for the ascertainment of the title
to land in this State held under Mexican
grants. A law for this purpose would
doubtless have passed at the last session,
if there had been time ^{enough} after the admission
of California to act upon a measure of so
much importance.

The plan which seems most
favored by the Govt and to meet with the
approval of intelligent men generally in the
U. S., is to appoint a board of Commissioners
composed of distinguished lawyers who shall
make their investigations and render their
decisions here in California, and to allow
an appeal to either party (the Claimant or
the Govt) to the Supreme Court at Washington.

Before this board I apprehend that
all holders of the ancient titles will be ob-
liged to appear, and that nearly all will
for obvious reasons seek the aid of counsel.
Under these impressions and remembering with
pleasure the friendly relations subsisting be-
tween us, I address you now, to offer you

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for yourself and for your friends north of the Bay and elsewhere in California, my professional services in all matters relating to the perfection of your titles to your lands, as well before the Supreme Court at Washington when necessary, as before the tribunal to be established here ~~in~~ within this State -

What steps may be necessary will depend upon the circumstances of each case - I will now only advert to ~~two~~ considerations which I feel that I may do with confidence - You should be well prepared with your proof in all that relates to occupation and use - as that you have built a house upon the land, or cultivated a portion of it, or used it for grazing herds of cattle, or some other circumstance evincing an earnest and sincere intention to carry out the purpose of the Govt in making the concession namely to populate the country - Other conditions may possibly be entirely disregarded but the course of our Govt heretofore, shows that this one will be much considered - And whatever the nature of your claim you should lose no time in bringing it to the notice of the Tribunal - The immense business which will be brought before the Tribunal will cause delays which will be severely felt by tardy applicants and the mass of perjuries, forgeries and every other species of palat-

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hoods which speculators and unprincipled men holding fictitious and fraudulent titles will endeavor to impose upon them, will in the end very naturally and quite certainly preoccupy their minds with suspicion and distrust to the great prejudice of honest claims that come late before them - This unfavorable frame of mind in your judges will be ~~most~~ felt in the vital point of use and occupation which will have to be proven by oral testimony and to which the inventive genius of the public plunderers, will be most particularly directed being already well advised of its importance - It is unnecessary however for me to speak of promptness and energy to you who know so well their value in public and private ^{affairs} - Suffice it for me to repeat that my services are at any moment at the command of whosoever may desire to make use of them in the establishment of their titles to their lands -

If employed I shall expect a small fee in money in advance and a contingent interest in the land, also to be put in immediate possession of all papers relating to the claim and if possible in personal communication with the ~~complainant~~ claimant - I will also desire a document substantially to this effect -
"I hereby constitute Edmund Bancroft of

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in my attorney in fact
the city of San Francisco, to obtain for
me a confirmation of my title to
the tract of land known as ()
) situated in ()
) containing () leagues
(or miles or acres as it may be) by any
competent authority duly authorized for
that purpose by the Govt of the U S
signed at _____
day of _____

witnesses
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A B

I believe that business of this charac-
-ter is going to be a source of great
profit to my profession, and any
assistance you may be able to
render me in obtaining it, you
may rest assured will add greatly to the
obligations with which I am already
very sincerely yr's &
General Edmund Randolph
M G Vallejo Atty at Law

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[Vallejo, Mariano Guadalupe, 1807-1890]. Dim^o mastado... 1850

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Record of money loaned during
1850, including a few payments,
and mine, received by Frankie.

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9. 14.	Hickin Baly	---	080.	00
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	3000. de jamonete	---		
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	do. a Holman Wöhrler	---	5000.	00
	Nota de comida	---	2200.	00
	Pagos a Javala por 4000. de...	---	0550.	00
	do. a Com. de los...	---		
	Charly	---	0057.	00
16.	Pagos al Mayor por tela...	---	167.	00
17.	do. por requisa	---	0090.	00
	Pan encaje a...	---	100.	00
	do. a...	---		
	Vela de Espuma	---	0020.	00
	Al Dr. Hoven	---	350.	00
20	Pagos a Griffith jr. la...	---	500.	00

Recibido por recibos.

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	Lauterwasser	---	1000.	00
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17.	Mr. Beaulx	---	600.	00

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Espic, Manuel Octavio ; Carta a) Guadalupe Valero, Dec. 2, 1850

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San Blas

Requesting Valero to reserve a lot
for him in Valero, and asking promises
of land and assistance should he
return to California with his family
at a later date.

No. 126 : Annual of Rt. Rev'd Joseph Aleman -
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1850, Dic. 2, San Blas ^{Manuel Octavio Espino al Sr. Valdejo} relativa a lo su Valdejo y regreso del primer

San Blas diciembre 2 de 1850

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Señor General
D. Guadalupe Valdejo
Sonoma.

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Señor de mi estimación y aprecio,

He sentido dejar a S. Francisco sin poder hacer a V. una visita de despedida. Solamente he tenido ocho días para arreglar mis negocios después de haber tomado la determinación de partir en la fragata Wadonna que debía conducirme al S. Francisco y que ha arribado ayer a S. Blas, después de mil vicisitudes.

Aquí tomare el vapor el 8 y seguire mi viaje p. Valparaiso.

Aunque haya perdido en California 18 meses de trabajo y el capital que había trabajado, tengo tanta confianza en el porvenir de este país que quiero volver y esperar de V. que se servirá contestar a la siguiente solicitud.

Primero que se sirva reservar me un sitio en la ciudad de Valdejo, en un punto destinado a ser comercial y en la ribera del mar, cuyo título hecho a mi nombre, se serviría mandar a mi agente, en adelante el Señor don Emilio Crisar, socio de los Señores DeBosm Digneau e Grisac, quien pagaria p. mi el valor: Segundo, saber de V. si llegando a California con mi familia y algunos trabajadores, podría contar con la protección de V. p. conseguir algunos terrenos p. cultivar y los auxilios necesarios.

Me lisonjeo que las relaciones que he tenido el gusto de entablar en V. aunque muy cortas, serán un motivo p. que V. me conceda un recuerdo, por ahora no tengo mas que afectos y que sentimientos de sincera simpatía, mientras pueda tener el honor de ser su amigo.

Levante presentar mis respetos a su familia y al Señor Don Salvador y recibir las expresiones de alta consideración de su at. s.

M. O. E.

Manuel Octavio Espino

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THERE IS NO FOLDER. # 126

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Zavala, Hdefonso de : Carta a Mariano G. Vallego, Dec. 26, 1850 127

San Francisco
Although he has seen Frisbe, he awaits an answer from Vallego concerning the proposed water enterprise.

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S. General P. Mariano G. Vallejo

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S. Francisco Dic. 26/850.

Muy S. mio. No he recibido contestación á mi carta fecha
11. del pres.^{te} entregada al S. Friebie. Recibo esta p.^a hacer pres.^{te}
á V. q.^e así estoy decepcionado de la realización de una empresa,
y q.^e si las diligencias p.^a obtener el contrato con la M. se hubieran
hecho oportunam.^{te} por V. como convenimos, yo no habría sido
conducido á estar aquí tanto tiempo sobre mano, gastando
con mis hombres y en otro tanto tal vez y sin tal vez aquello con
q.^e contar podía para emprender el trabajo. Si esas diligencias se
practicaran oportunam.^{te} el resultado bueno ó malo me abriría campo
á tomar mis medidas - en el primer caso ya estaría trabajando - en
el segundo me habría marchado á mi país, y no gastara aquí lo q.^e
podía llevar á mi familia. He sido perjudicado mucho mucho,
y lo q.^e es peor he perdido mi tiempo por haber creído...

El S. Friebie ha estado aquí - me ha dicho
q.^e V. curaría en la empresa si el entraba, pero q.^e teniendo mi negocio
no podía hacerlo, y q.^e solo me ofrecía contribuir con sus relaciones á
alcanzar el contrato, según lo qual resolvería entonces. ¿Que decirle?
Ha quedado en volver el dom.^o ó lunes - yo espero aún, y espero sobre
toda contestación precisa de V. p.^a según esto tomar mi ult.^o partido,
y más bien de hacer cosa de provecho largarme á mi patria, q.^e ver
mucho q.^e estar aquí sin hacer nada.

Soy de V. con la

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mayor atencion a obedencia suya

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Defonso de Habata

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1850. Dic 26 San Francisco

Defonso de Habata al Genl M. Vallejo, que padece por el largo tiempo que ha perdido sueldo con algun dinero por causa del dicho Vallejo.

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Al Sr General Sr Mariano G. Vallejo

Santiago

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Wilkins, Charles P

; Letter to J. M. G. Vallejo, Dec. 30, 1850

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Source
Requesting permission from
Vallejo to cut some redwoods
on the Petaluma Ranches
to build a house.

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1850, Dec 30, Sonoma,
Chas. P. Wilkins soliciting from Mr. Vallejo
permits to cut Redwood at Petaluma.
No 128 Sonoma Calif.
Dec 30th 1850.

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My dear Sir,
I wish to procure from your red-woods on the Petaluma Rancho sufficient wood to put up a house, and I most respectfully solicit from you a permit to cut what I may want.

If you would so oblige me as to send me a written paper to that effect, I shall attempt to remunerate you in whatever way you may think proper.

I remain your most obt. Serv.
de de de
Chas. P. Wilkins

To,
Gen. M. G. Vallejo,
San Jose, Calif.

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[Apuntes, n.d.]

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Note re address of Defonso de
Zavala and Mother de
Loayza, and about some land -

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Ydefonso de Navata }
Melchor de Loayza } cañada del dragon

Pueden dirigirse las carras a los H. Elordi y Bora del co-
mercio en Sonora en el Distrito de S. Diego
(California)

Seis varas en la plaza a una eleccion - p. a. alli prin-
cipiar la obra

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Vallejo, Mariano Guadalupe, 1807-1890: (Indenture 3, 1851

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Summa
Form for rental of property in Summa.
Not in Vallejo's hand.

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1851- Escritura de arrendamiento de un terreno del General Vallejo (no se dice a quien lo arrienda)

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This Indenture made and entered into the _____ day of _____ In the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty one between Mariano G. Vallejo of the City and County of Sonoma, and State of California, of the first part and _____ of the County and State aforesaid of the second part. It is witnessed that the said party of the first part for and in consideration of the moneys and covenants hereinafter reserved and contained on the part and behalf of the said party of the second part to him, his executors Administrators and assigns to be paid hereof and performed, hath granted, demised and to farm set and by these Presents doth grant demise and to farm set unto the said party of the second part all that certain piece or parcel or tract of Land Situate lying and being in the County and State aforesaid and Town and described as follows Commencing at the South East Corner of ^{Quarter} Section I. of the Polk's tract of Land as surveyed and laid down upon a Map of the same now in the possession of M. G. Vallejo and to which reference is made, including said Quarter section I. with the exception of such Town Lots as have heretofore been sold in said Quarter section, and also including Quarter sections N. 2. E. 3. and the North half of Quarter sections, N. 4. and N. 5. E. 3. of the aforesaid survey containing in all one thousand Acres of Land a little more or less

To Have and to Hold the said above mentioned premises unto the said party of the second part his executors Administrators and assigns from the _____ day of _____ In the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty one for and during and

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until the full end and term of first year from thence next ensuing
and fully to be complete and settled, holding and paying for the same unto
the said party of the first part or to his heirs or assigns the sum of
one thousand dollars lawful Money of the United States yearly and ever
year during the said term in equal annual payments to be made
on the _____ day of _____ in each and every year
during the term hereby demised the first payment to be made on
the _____ day of _____ eighteen hundred and fifty one
Provided Always that if shall happen that the said yearly
rent or any part thereof shall not be paid on any day on which
the same ought to be paid as aforesaid then and at all times
thereafter it shall and may be lawful for the said party of
the first part his heirs and assigns into the said demised premises
or any part thereof in the name of the whole to re-enter and
re-possess have and enjoy the same again as if his or their former
estate and interest therein anything herein contained to the
contrary notwithstanding

And the said party of the second
part for himself his heirs Executors Administrators and
Assigns doth by these Presents covenant and grant to and
with the said party of the first part his heirs and assigns
in manner following that is to say that he the said
Party of the second part his Executors Administrators or Assigns
shall and will during the term hereby demised well
and truly pay unto the said party of the first part his
heirs or Assigns the said yearly rent hereby reserved at the
days and times herein before limited for the payment thereof
without fraud or delay

And also that he the said party of the

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second part his Executors Administrators or Assigns shall and
will at his or their own proper costs and charges bear pay and discharge
discharge all such duties taxes assessments and payments in this
- ordinary as well as ordinary as shall during the term hereby
demised be laid levied assessed or imposed on or grow due or
payable out of or for or by reason of the said demised premises
or any part thereof so also that he the said party of the second
part for himself his heirs Executors Administrators or Assigns
or any of them shall not at any time or times hereafter
during the term herein granted lease let or demise all
or any part of the said demised premises nor assign
transfer or make over the same or this present lease
or of any of his or their term or time therein to any
person or persons or howsoever without the consent
of the said party of the first part his heirs or Assigns in
writing first had and obtained anything herein
before contained to the contrary notwithstanding

And also that he the said party of the second
part his Executors Administrators or Assigns shall
and will on or before the close of the first year of
the term hereby demised make or cause to be made
at his or their own proper cost and charge a good
and substantial fence around the said demised
premises and also that the said party of the
second part his Executors Administrators or Assigns
or some or one of them shall or will on or before the
last day of the term hereby demised or at the sooner
determination of the estate hereby granted well and
truly deliver up the said hereby demised premises in

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good and sufficient value into the possession of the said party of the first part his heirs or assigns without fraud or delay.

And Provided further and this present lease is upon this express condition that if the said party of the second part his heirs Executors Administrators or assigns at any time during the term hereby granted shall fail in the performance of either or any of the covenants conditions or provisions in these presents contained which on the part or behalf of the said party of the second part his heirs Executors Administrators or assigns are or ought to be observed performed and fulfilled and kept then and at all times thereafter it shall and may be lawful for the said party of the first part his heirs and assigns into the said demised premises or any part thereof in the name of the whole to re enter and repossess here and enjoy the same again as of their former estate and Interest therein anything herein contained herein to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

In Witness whereof We have hereunto set our hands and seals this _____ day of _____

In the year of our Lord eighteen hundred & fifty one

In presence of _____

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Santa Barbara
Asst. Vallejo, Sept
for Fremont as Senator.

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Sr. D. N. Guadalupe Vallejo

St. Bar. Ep. 1.º N.º 51.

Mi primo y amigo que aprisio.

Espero que abias recibido una q. te tengo escrita de haber cumplido conta en cargo que me hasis en una que me escribiste de la univ. de N.º, todo p. la capital en Vallejo, lo cual es. Estoy cierto que se conseguiron entre este punto lo de N.º y S. Diego como asitengo el abisio de N.º la cuenta en N.º que te, y si esto estoy muy gustoso de aver cumplido con un amigo que aprisio.

Ahora si me ofrece ami igual en pero para contigo, i es que, hagas quanto es te alu al canse conta gral. de N.º para el Sr. St. Mont, Salga a senador, y en esto ser biras aun amigo, que te libere a N.º m. te agrade sido, pues es persona que aprisio aburas, y con memorias a N.º. y fa. bi. ento q. te sea util q. aburas te aprisio q. d. t. N.º.

Don Juan Carrillo

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Sr. D. M. Guadalupe Valleso.

Sto. Barb. Ep. 1.º de N.º 51.

Mi primo y amigo que aprisio.

Es por que abias vivido una q. te
tengo escrita de haber cumplido contu en cargo
que me hasis en una que me escribiste. Te
univera No., todo p. la capital en Valleso,
lo cuales No. estoy cierto que se conseguiron
entre este punto, lo dng. y d. Diego como
asitengo el abio. Dami. de esta indig. gan
to, y a esto estoy muy gustoso de abir cumpli-
do con un amigo que aprisio.

Ahora si me ofrece ami igual em
pero para Cantigo, i es que, hagas quanto es
te a tu alcance para grat. de impuso, para d.
el Sr. Nemoz, Salga a senador, y en esto ser
biras aun amigo, que te libere a una m. agrade
sido, pues es persona que aprisio abirar, y con
numorias a Fran. y fa. be into q. te sea util
q. abirar te aprisio y d. t. M.

Carlo Antonio
Carrillo

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Carlos Harrillo a M. S. Valero

1851. En^o 1^o - Santa & Barb^a -
Manifestándole que en carta anterior
le avisó haber cumplido con el encar-
go que le hizo de 400 pares de botas.
Solicita que haga uso de su influjo
para que Fremont salga electo de Se-
nador

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White, Th

J

: letter Jan. 5, 1857

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Sacramento

stating he had worked for the choice of
new capital site, and proposes
an exchange of Sacramento lots for
some in Sierra.

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Sacramento Jan: 5-51

Dear You: Since I had the pleasure of serving with you in the Legislature of this State, I have often promised myself the honor and pleasure of writing you, with the two-fold purpose of seeing a highly esteemed friend - a man whose public services have so much redounded to the honor & best interests of your native Country, & at the same time with the view of, at some not far distant day, of procuring a place of residence in the lovely valley, so intimately connected with your name & identified with your residence. This pleasure I shall at some future day gratify. In the mean time should you or any branch of your family visit our City, do not the pleasure to spend some time with us. previous to our late election, it afforded me great pleasure to use all my best efforts in securing

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The location of the future Capital of our noble State, upon your grounds, at a point destined to bear the name of its illustrious founder. This we have accomplished, as far as the almost unanimous voice of the people is concerned - which alone is a greater compliment than the location itself. It is my intention to be come interested in your City Valley. As soon as my means & time will permit - I have land & lab here. Possibly you would be induced to exchange a portion - a small portion of your extensive farm for a position in my village.

The time that I can appropriate, from my professional duties, is devoted to gardening - particularly landscape gardening. And as you must have so long in the country, & I have seen thro' the politeness of Dr. Mathew some of the fruit of your orchard & garden, would it be asking too much to trouble you to send me a few hundred cuttings of your excellent grapes, & a few specimens of the different varieties of trees which ornament & render useful your fine garden & orchard. By so doing you would confer a favor

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which will be amply reciprocated at some future day. I am passionately fond of manantals & fruit trees of every description, & could they be had elsewhere I should not take your well known generosity & kindness of the Fig, grape, olive apricot, apple & peach - Rose bushes or other ornamental shrubbery or trees would be most acceptable. If you know of any nurseries or gardeners in Napa or Sonoma valleys, where I could procure such articles, please inform me.

Accept for yourself & family
My warmest regards
1857. Jan. 5th Sacramento Th. J. White

Th. J. White to M. S. Vallejo with reference to the time of the first state assembly, also the success of establishing the Capital of the State at Vallejo.
Refers also to other private matters.

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Lequay, Eugène S M

: [letter to] M. G. Vallejo, Jan. 8, 1851

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San Francisco

Offer to rent the ranchos de Patahuma

by a French society (unnamed)

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Mr. Legeay (representing the ranch settlers) to Mr. G
Valley, about leasing the Rancho Petaluma —
and explaining their situation, advantages to
the country around said Petaluma, their professions,
and number.

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Sir,

When we have been favoured to see you at Sonoma, and according
to the advice that you have been so good to give us, we have examined the
ground near el Delbarquadero and the rancho of Petaluma. This last property
presented to us the advantage that we wished to have, then we hoped to obtain
from the society being now in possession of the rancho, the renunciation to its
claim, and from you, Sir your ratification for this step, and accordingly
a new lease of Petaluma. The following day accompanied with the actual
director of the Rancho, we went to Sonoma in order to present you this demand
and to put an end to an operation that the proceeding of the season renders
necessary. We had not the honour to meet with you; that day, however Mr.
Don Jose engaged us to treat with society residing now at Petaluma,
assuring that you will do no difficulty to grant us the lease of Petaluma.
Grove disorders repeated every day in their society, rendered this measure
to be taken without delay. Trusting in the promise of Mr Don Jose,

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me obtained from those who had signed the lease of Petaluma, and their partners, the renunciation to their claim, by the means of an indemnity which will be paid the very day, when you will do us the honor to rent us the rancho of Petaluma. We came back to St. Francisco, Sir, in order to submit our plan to your approbation; your departure for the Pueblo, has yet put an obstacle to our designs. Before treating with us, you will perhaps be desirous, Sir, to know the society who has to day the honor to be in correspondence with you: We are eleven partners, the clergyman who is united to the society, completes the number of twelve persons. We are all of the same country, born of the best families in our town; the proof of it is easy: since our childhood we are united by the bonds of a real and indissoluble friendship. We conceived our voyage in intimacy, and our society alone has vanquished all the difficulties which have destroyed to most societies coming into California. At last if M^r the General agrees with our request we shall bring with us to the rancho every thing necessary for husbandry and many tools that we have brought with us from France for the same use, besides that we have got here a sawing machine for wood, a wooden house, a large boat, several carts, etc. Several workmen such as a carpenter a joiner, an engineer a baker are in our society, and with every tool concerning their art.

I have taken the liberty to give you an account of all these things in order that at your return here, we might termin an affair which would have been finished to day. If the staying of M^r the General was to be prolonged to at the Pueblo, I should be very obliged to him to give an answer, in order I could go to the Pueblo, to know his intention, and to communicate to him a letter from M^r Don Jose, that we have

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commission to put to him personally.

Please tell I have the honor to receive your answer, or the day when I can see you, be so good to accept the respect with which I am

M^r the General,
Your humble and
respectful Servitor

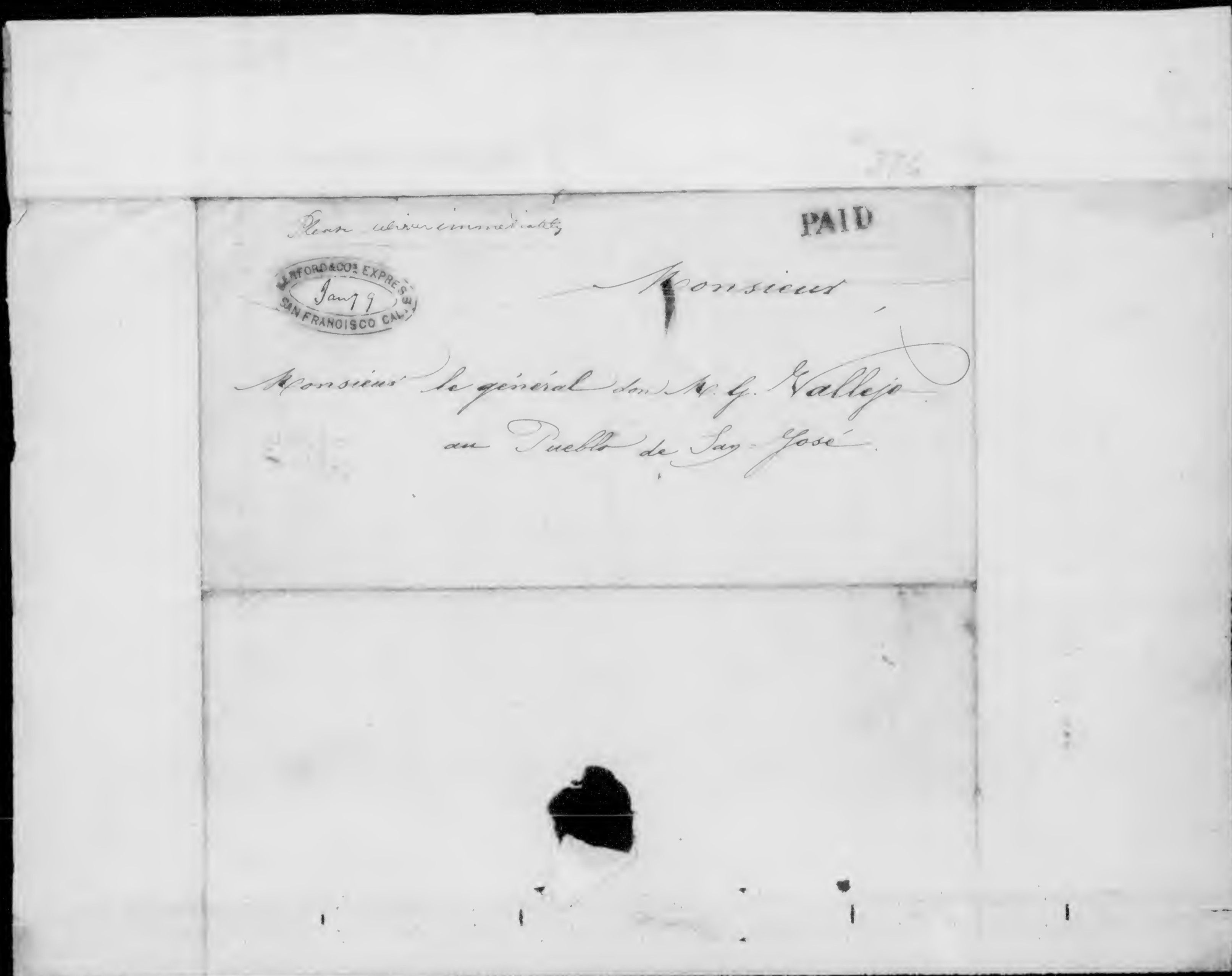
Don Jose Leguay

San Francisco 8th January 1851

P.S. Please to direct your letter to M^r Leguay to bishop's palace at San Francisco.

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Private letter from J.A. Lutter to
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Mr. Genl. Vallejo Esquire
My Dear Sir!
I took the liberty to recom-
mend you a french Gentleman Mr Victor
Cassaignes who has been highly recom-
mended to me by our esteemed friends
Messrs Ward & Price in N. York,
the few days which he remained here
I had occasion enough to form my
Opinion about him, and I found
him to be a Gentleman of the
best qualities in every respect, and
a very able young Man.
- Mr Cassaignes would like to get
employed some where, he should like
to take place as a preceptor to instruct
the Children of a respectable family.
Knowing that you intended always to
do a great deal for the education of your
Children, therefore I take this liberty of
recommending you this Gentleman, if
you could not employ him as preceptor
he would be willing to accept any
other kind of employment you could procure
him.

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for him.

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 he would be undoubtedly endeavour to
 give satisfaction to his employer.
 You will excuse me of writing you
 not in Spanish; but knowing that you
 understand English very well I took
 this liberty.

I had wished very much that
 I could have had the pleasure of
 seeing you here at Block, but I
 think it is about the with you
 like with me, plenty to do at
 home, and therefore we don't like
 much to leave home. but still I
 shall not give up the hope, that
 will relate me the pleasure
 to visit me here, and so I hope
 too to pay once a visit at Sonoma.
 By this Gentleman I send you
 my little gift, which I received
 lately from N. York.

I have the honor to
 remain my dear Sir, very
 respectfully
 Yours

Obedient Servant & friend

A. Lutter
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Light stanzas, Fernando

[Invitación], Jan. 17, 1851

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San Jose
Printed invitation to wedding
of Gregorio de la Cruz with Jacinta Figuera.

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1851, E. 17 - San José -
 F. Lightston á Mr. G. Vallejo
 Invitando á su casa que asista
 al matrimonio de D. Guadalupe
 Soto con D^a Jacinta Figueroa

Se desea la asistencia de V. para contribuir á la celebracion del
 casamiento del Señor Don Guadalupe Soto con Doña Jacinta Figueroa,
 en el Rancho del Señor Don Valentin Figueroa, el Jueves 23 del
 corriente: la comida despues de las 11 de la mañana.

F. LIGHTSTON.
 San José, 17 de Enero, de 1851.

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Mr. G. Vallejo

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Lebret, Joseph

: Lettre à J Mariano Guadalupe Vallejo, Jan. 20, 1851

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Petaluma!

Expressing his regrets at
having to leave the Rancho
de Petaluma.

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au fievre que M^r Don Jose est venu
 nous dire qu'on voudrait ceder le Rancho
 à une societe ou qu'il avait ordre de nous
 mettre a la porte, votre absence M^r m'a
 mis dans une fausse position et ce n'est que
 sous le poids de la menace que j'ai donne
 ma signature qui n'est ainsi presument (en
 France les affaires ne se traitent point
 ainsi.)
 Je conviens que la societe n'a pas tenu
 comme elle avait dit et pu le faire, et le
 motif de renvoi, sejourner toute avant tout, les
 etes usés, elle n'en avait que partent et
 mauvais vouloir, les faits ont été portés
 a votre commission, je desirai avec la
 plus grande impartialité que ce mauvais
 vouloir n'ait été un peu amendé par quelques
 membres de la societe, mais cela n'était
 pas un motif, j'ai dit, mais le mot, pour
 quelques bleds galures, soit on ferait un
 troupeau.

1851 Petaloma le 20 Janvier 1851.
 J. Lebray à M. S. Vallejo - Sur des affaires entièrement
 finies - " - Gal. Don Mariano Guadalupe
 Vallejo.
 Montevideo

C'est sous le poids de la plus vive douleur
 que j'ose me permettre de vous écrire, pour
 vous exprimer combien je regrette d'être
 forcé de quitter le rancho de Petaloma
 que vous aviez eu la bonté de me donner
 à bail, c'est d'autant plus malheureux
 pour moi, que je perds mes faibles moyens
 et que depuis six mois que j'ai cette affaire
 je n'ai cessé de travailler, j'ose le
 dire, sans craindre d'être démenti, par M^r
 Don Jose Vallejo votre fils, que par la
 societe que j'avais appelé a venir partager
 cette belle affaire;

Malheureusement pour elle et pour
moi, la susdite n'a pas assez ~~compris~~
compris que tôt ou tard nous trouverions
des ennemis, qui emploieraient auprès de
vous M^r tous les moyens pour nous
enlever cette affaire, et pour ma part j'
n'aurais jamais pué que des personnes
attachées à la Société eussent été assez
lâches pour venir auprès de vous M^r,
la mériter, soit pour la faire passer en
d'autres mains, ou pour demander à en faire
leur affaire propre, vous seul M^r pouvez
juger cette manière d'agir, et j'ai laissé
à votre sagesse à l'apprécier à sa juste
valeur.

Personne de ceut, cultivant à moi de
faire mes pures devant vous M^r, j'
l'ai écrit à M^r J. P. Rogers en le priant
de vous en faire part, je n'en parle de

long temps, lorsque je le suppliais de vous
demander que le rancho soit divisé en deux
parties, c'est à dire moitié dirigée par
M^r Deslandes et l'autre par moi-même,
qui déjà j'en craignais ce qui arrive —
J'ay aujourd'hui, une seule chose à vous
votre assentiment, ma demande étant faite
sans réponse, j'ai dû continuer de mon
ministre et supporter de part et d'autre le
mauvais vouloir sans mot dire, car
j'attendais toujours mon frère qui j'étais
fortement engagé à venir, et à vendre les
biens que m'avaient laissés mes parents,
de son côté il tenait trop à faire voyager
à la République ayant fait bailler de
mettre les propriétés en France et a
eu bien fait d'attendre malgré ma
recommandation un temps inutile pour la
vente.

C'est sur bien des explications que je
pourrais vous donner, les choses en sont venues

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de voir fructifier votre propriété.
S'il vous convenait même me payer
à l'année une somme pour appointement
dont vous conviendriez. Je me toucherais
rien de mes appointements que je n'en ferais
contributions et menues dépenses, qu'après
l'exécution de mon traité.

Je désire M^r que vous envisagiez
bien les soutènements qui m'engage à me
faire cette demande, et je m'estimerai
heureux, si comme je l'espère l'obtenir
de votre côté la réalisation de mes
espérances.

Dans cette attente je suis M^r,
avec le plus grand respect, votre très
humble et obéissant serviteur
J^h Lebrun

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Les débuts sont toujours très difficiles
et lorsque l'on commence une affaire
de ce genre pour deux années, il faut
s'attendre à rencontrer de très grandes
difficultés et vouloir la 1^{re} année ce
que l'on ne peut empêcher. Soyez en bien
persuadé je ne serai pas une plume en
qu'il se passait à Palaloma, et si il me
faut venir en rapport j'ai été la première
à venir en arriéré, avec le temps et votre
concours M^r, j'aurai l'ose l'affirmer
parvenir au but que je m'étais proposé.

mon plus vif désir est de rester
à Palaloma, mais la Société que l'on
nous remplace ne veut accepter aucun
associé, je me trouve donc forcé pour
le moment, vu mes faibles ressources
et à mon plus grand regret d'abandonner
la culture, à moins que vous Monsieur
ne désirez de tenter avec moi un dernier
essai.

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vous me demandez un de vos petits ranches
pour dix années ou plus suivant votre
convenance, les moyens de le faire travailler,
soit avec des Indiens ou quelques bons
travailleurs, & que je connais, en attendant
les cultivateurs que j'ai demandés et
qui s'attendent de mon pays.

Voilà ce que j'aurais demandé
quatre charrues de bois
quatre bœufs de bois
deux ranches de bois
un râteau ou un pair de roues pour l'usage
de venir acheter quelques outils qui me
manquent la somme ne pourrait pas
dépasser deux cents piastres rien.
une charrette ou deux
des grains, tels que blé, orge, maïs, Pomme
de terre, choux, ignames, haricots, navets
Je suppose ce qu'il vous plairait, la
Nouvelle Espagne la Nouvelle Colombie, je
tiens dans votre intérêt de toutes les dépenses

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et si je pourrais faire aucun sans
votre autorisation, de même que rien ne
pourrait être vendu.

chaque année la moitié des Bénéfices nets
vous retournera, et l'autre me servant comme
comme garantie de l'exécution de l'affaire
que je vous propose, et sera employé en
achat de Bœufs que j'en mettra sur
la propriété, ou si mieux vous aimez, l'argent
sera placé entre vos mains à cœur de
pays ou par vos soins, Je crois que
serait difficile de vous prouver d'une
autre manière, combien j'ai à cœur le
travail, et de vouloir de très parts
d'une parcelle de vos immenses propriétés
ce commencement d'affaire poura au
temps même à un plus important.

tout en rendant un très grand service
à un jeune homme qui a l'intention de
faire, sans tarder, chaque année le moyen

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Wright, George Washington, 1816-1885: [Letter to J. M. G. Vallejo, Jan. 25, 1851] 137

Washington, D.C.

Re legislation concerning Mare Island
dock yard.

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1851 - Jan. 25th - Washington - S. W.
 Wright, Member of the House to Genl.
 Vallejo - Thanking him for his kindness
 in making him one of the original pro-
 priators in the City of Vallejo - Sta-
 ting that the bill for a sectional
 dry dock with basin & railroad has
 passed both houses - The construction
 of the Dock has been contracted by
 the Secretary of the Navy for the sum of
 \$1,440,000 - Saying further that he is
 one of the partners in the house of
 Palmer, Cook & Co at S. Fran^{co} - Re-
 questing him (Vallejo) to transfer
 the interest that ^{he} has ~~been~~ donated by
 to him, to said house -

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House of Representatives
 Washington D. C. Jan. 25th 1851.

Dear Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your
 very kind favor of Dec. 3rd.

You will please accept my heart-felt thanks for your
 unbounded kindness in making me one of the original pro-
 priators in the City of Vallejo; believe me, my dear Sir, it shall
 ever be my highest ambition to serve you, and I beg that you
 will at all times command me.

Our bill for a sectional dry dock with basin and rail way
 has passed both houses, and the Secretary of the Navy has
 contracted with Messrs Secoy & Co for the construction of the dock
 at one million four hundred and forty thousand Dollars
 (\$1,440,000). They (Secoy & Co) have appointed our house
 their Agents and Bankers, and the entire disbursements
 will pass through our hands. Every influence has been
 used, and extraordinary exertions made to locate the
 works at a little bay south of San Francisco, but we have
 finally succeeded in locating them at Mare Island direct-
 ly opposite our City. It will take some four or five years
 to complete the works, and this of itself will bring quite a
 settlement to our City.

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I consider the location of the Government Docks at this point as being of the utmost importance to Vallejo; it will necessarily bring all the shipping to that point for repair.

I have used every exertion to locate the Mills at Vallejo, but the Committee have reported against it, and my only hope now is that we may establish an additional branch Mill "at some point north of San Francisco".

I am one of the partners in the house of Palmer, Cook & Co. at San Francisco, and each of my partners will share equally with myself in all interests at Vallejo; and you will please transfer the interests so generously tendered to myself to them. They will thus be placed in a position to work for the best interests of our new City. I have given Mr Palmer a letter to you upon the subject. Permit me once more to thank you for your liberality, and to assure you that I shall always feel great delight in serving your interests.

I am Sir

Very Sincerely Yours

Springfield

Genl M. G. Vallejo

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McLogg, Edward J B

: [Agreement], Jan. 27, 1851

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with M. G. Vallejo and J. B. Fiske
re survey of lot in Vallejo -
with signatures of the three parties.

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1857 - January 27th -
 Agreement for the Sub-division into lots of the
 Town of Vallejo, between E. B. Kellogg and
 Vallejo and Frisbie
 State of California }
 City of San Jose } Be it remembered that
 on the Twenty seventh day of January A. D.
 1857 it was agreed by and between E. B. Kellogg
 of San Jose, and Mr. G. Vallejo and John B. Frisbie
 of San Francisco in manner and form following
 viz - The said E. B. Kellogg for the consideration
 hereinafter named doth for himself, his executors
 and administrators, promise and agree to and
 with the said Mr. G. Vallejo and John B. Frisbie
 their executors administrators and assigns that
 he the said E. B. Kellogg shall or will within
 the space of one month next after the date
 hereof, commence the survey of the "City of Vallejo"
 and shall proceed in workmanlike manner according
 to the best of his skill and ability, well and correctly
 to lay off and stake the lots in said City of Vallejo
 in such form and manner as the said Mr. G.
 Vallejo and John B. Frisbie shall direct, it
 being the understanding that said lots are to
 be 80 by 160 feet. In consideration whereof
 the said Mr. G. Vallejo and John B. Frisbie
 do for themselves, their executors, administrators
 and assigns, promise and agree to, and with
 the said E. B. Kellogg his executors administrators
 and assigns, well and truly to pay or cause
 to be paid unto the said E. B. Kellogg, the sum
 of three dollars for each and every lot laid
 off and staked, in the manner following - viz -
 the sum of one and one half dollars per lot
 in cash, as the work progresses or whenever
 five hundred lots shall have been staked, and
 the remaining one and one half dollars per
 lot, to be paid in lots in such apartments
 the City as the said Kellogg shall select,

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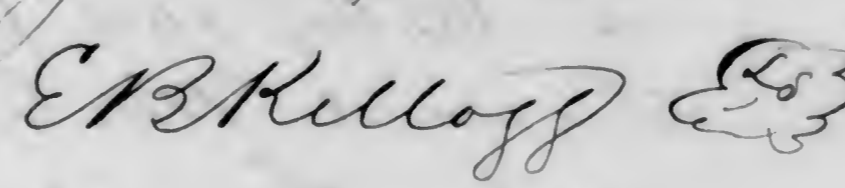
as the current price of said lots at the time of such selection - and also that the said Mr. G. Vallejo and John B. Trisbie shall and will at their own proper expense find and provide two suitable persons for assistants and also the necessary material for stakes, &c.

And for the performance of all and every the articles and agreements above mentioned the said Mr. G. Vallejo John B. Trisbie and E. B. Kellogg do hereby bind themselves, their Executors and assigns each to the other, in the penal sum of Five thousand Dollars, firmly by these presents.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals this the day and year above written -

In presence of 





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Wood, R N : [Letter 3], Jan. 28, 1851

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San Francisco

Requesting assistance in obtaining
letters of introduction to persons in
Mexico from Mr. G. Vallejo

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1851- January 28th San Francisco A.M.
Wood to _____ Requesting some letters of
introduction from General Vallejo for parties
in Mexico.

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San Francisco -

January 28th 1851

My dear Sir

As you are about to

I leave for Mexico on a visit con-
nected with business - Will you do me
the favor to procure from General Vallejo
letters introductory for me in that
Country, for which I will be obliged
to you - your early attention is desired
as I leave on the 1st July - Let the letters
be enveloped to me to care of "Revoc House"
Horn Street the U.S. Senators election -
- who is ahead? I wish you success
Your friend R.N. Wood

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Lee, H

: [Letter to] John B. Frostie, Jan. 27, 1851

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Martinez

Requesting his presence in the
matter of the case of Welch vs. Brimes.

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1851 - Jan. 27 - Martinez - H. Lee to Capt. H. B. ...
Stating that the case of Joseph, Mason, vs D. ...
Bridges has been set for trial - that he have got all ...
the evidence necessary - Martinez, Jan. 27, 1851
Saying further, that the original papers have not been found

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Dear Capt

The case of Joseph Swanson adm't of ...
Melchior vs D. Bridges is set for Thursday next,
we have got all the evidence necessary to prove
the Popinion of Sept. The original Papers
we have not been able to find, we must
have some one to prove that the copy I
have is a correct translation of the Original,
I know of no one by whom we can prove
that fact, Please inform me immediately by
whom we can prove the copy by, You had
better come up as the matter is of to much
importance to be neglected. If we can get
this translation in I think we will gain
the case. Mr C Jones of San Jose is assisting
me.

Your friend
H. Lee

Capt John, P. H. B. }
San Jose }
Cal } }

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Capt John B. Frisbie
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Thompson, Alpheus & Brasils, 1795-1869: [Letter to] L. W. Boggess, Feb. 11, 1851

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San Francisco

Order to pay M. G. Vallejo
One thousand dollars.

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1857 - Feb. 11th San Francisco - A. B. Thompson
to L. W. Baggot - Order for the payment of one
thousand dollars to M. G. Wallace
San Francisco Feb 11 1857

L. W. Baggot Esq

Sir

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Please pay Mr. G. V. Wallis on
behalf one thousand dollars from funds of mine
in your hands, taking from the said Wallis
my note which he holds for that amount and
oblige

Yours Truly

A. B. Thompson

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McHenry, John T ; Letter to J Vallejo, Feb. 25, 1851

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San Francisco
offering his services to provide
instruction materials to Vallejo

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1851 - Feb 25 - San Francisco - Private letter from John McNeill to Gen. Vallejo - About the erection of some public buildings at his (Vallejo) place. San Francisco Feb 25-51

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Gen Vallejo

Sir I take this present opportunity
to keep you a few lines being an entire
stranger to you in the person of my neighbor to you
to for business having seen by the papers that you
was about having some public building erected at your
place I wish to ascertain if you will want any navigating
service if you should want any done I should like to make the
terminal of it for I will do it cheaper than you can get
some other where for I had one large schooner & large beam
the schooner will carry one hundred thousand
of lumber one of the sloops will carry 50 thousand & the
others carry 40 thousand a piece I will contract to carry
all of your stuff except I will carry by the thousand except
by the way I will carry it & my way you wish
if you will send me down word by the bearer of this mail
I will come up to see you & make a bargain with you except
you should come down to the city you can find me at
the corner of Stockton & Sacramento Street at No 12
you can keep your letter by Capt John McNeill except
Capt John McNeill
from your most Obedient
John P McNeill

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Brown, John E

: [Letter to J Vallejo, Mar. 4, 1851

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stating his need for funds and
requesting one thousand dollars
from Vallejo.

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1857 - March 4th - Mapa City - John C. Browne
to Gen. Vallejo - Stating his need of funds -
Requesting said Vallejo to pay Pierpont, bearer of
this letter, the sum of \$1000 - Mapa City Cal
March 4th 1857

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Gen Vallejo

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Dr Sir

Last week I wrote you fully
the necessity of me having money and as my last
resource looked to you for it on Monday but several
people are working on Salvador Vallejo, heavy and
I as his agent am compelled to remain to settle the
difficultie. but Mr Pierpont to whom a greater part
of the money is due. will carry this to you and I
hope you will oblige me by paying him \$1000.
He will give you a receipt for this amount and
all will be right.

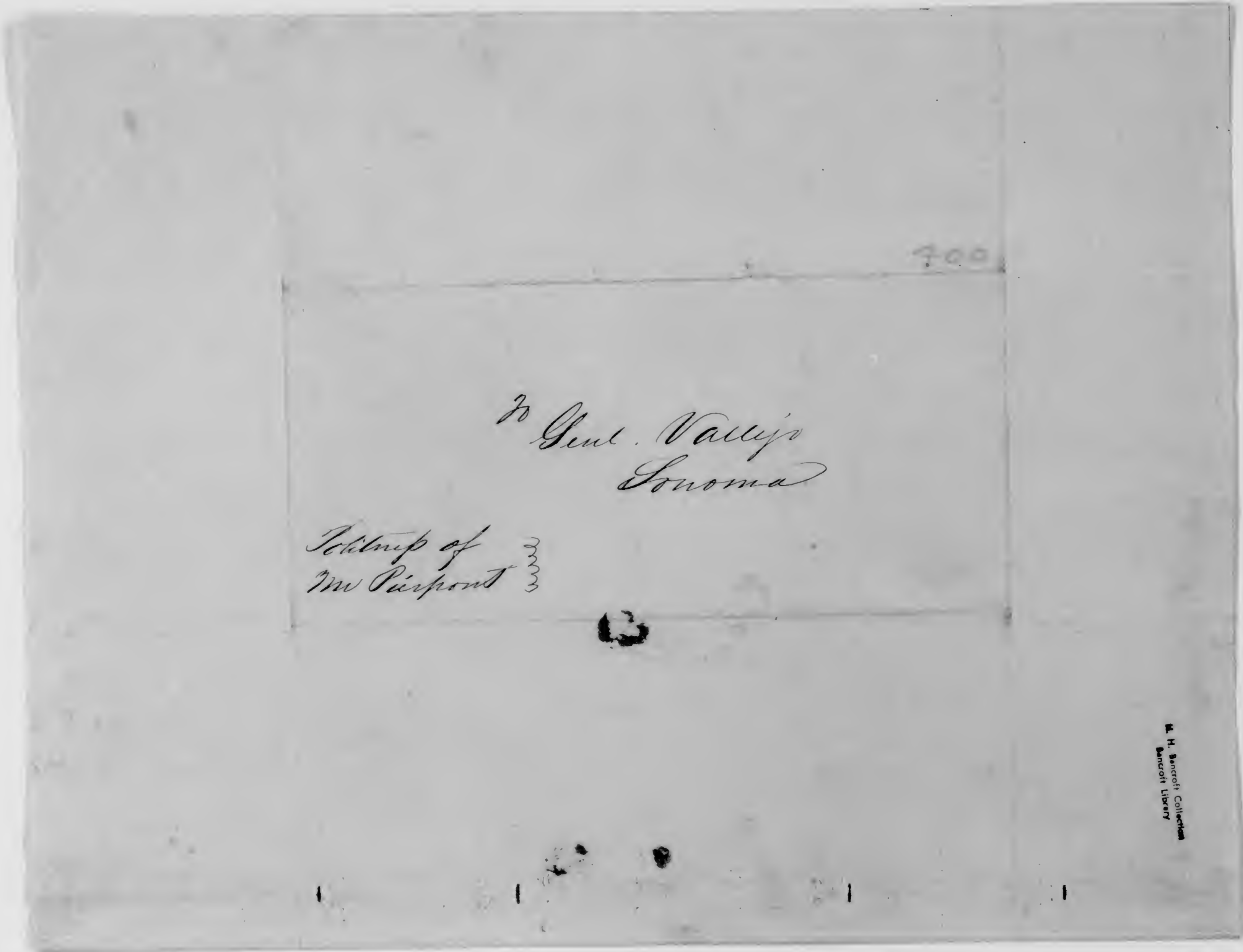
You must be sensible that I have incurred a very
heavy expense in staying at San Jose and have
incurred a large debt, which must be paid now
and to you. I apply for assistance.

If you do not pay the money I must make an
auction and sell lots sufficient to raise the money
due me

With great respect
your Obedient
J. C. Browne

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Bedoya, José

Carta a) Guadalupe ! Balbuena ! , Mar, 4, 1857

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Benicia

Complaint against Colonel Estil

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1851 - Marzo 4 - Benicia - José Bedoya á
Sr. D. Valero - Encargado de las tropelías del Sr.
Donel Estil

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Sr. D. Valero
Sr. D. Valero

Benicia 4 Marzo de 1851

(Honorable Sr. D. Valero), aunque debiera ser en persona una
reputada verbal lo que por escrito hago, no me lo per
mite beneficiar la poca salud de que disfruto; sin embar
go que con seguridad me sería el mismo efecto, cuando
me en cada una de las justas razones que me obligan
quejarme á V. como primera autoridad contra el
Sr. Donel Estil; el que como agente de V. aparece en
todas las ocasiones de campo, y el mismo que me atien
de sin respetar el dho. de justicia; volviendo y
atrayendo de un modo prohibido á toda clase
de Ciudadanos, como á extranjeros, se busca de ellas
de una manera abusiva y punible; me atiendo á
que semejante abuso de la Obisaría sobre el mismo
consecuencia

El día de la fiesta fue y vino
me lo jeto que pude traer una de las bestias
que estaban en el campo, y como que
ra que buscándolas se aproximaron á la casa

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de cargo de cho. Ornel, en donde se
 ve la casualidad - encontre las bestias rapadas,
 por lo que trato de agarrarlas, pero aliendo
 lo hizo el mencionado Estil, se dirigió corriendo
 hacia el Sujito encargado, y le prohibió abse-
 litarle que las lleve, hasta que me pro-
 baba como y de que manera las había
 bebido. Quiero decir. Ballejos quien sacaba
 a un toro para q. una se falta indigual de
 las Leyes americanas; e indigual con el empleo
 que tiene. manifestandole al mismo tiempo,
 que no solo debía venir hay en su poder
 de un toro, y a demas que se le provea
 con un numero suficiente de bestias, que a
 punto me las mande ajuar, de diferentes
 ascendidos; y aun que todo el trabajo de dar pa-
 so sobre este abarca.

Poy de V. Oficio y H.

José Botón

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Vallejo, Mariano G [Guadalupe?], 1807-1890: [Deed J, Mar. 6, 1851

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Sketch
to George N. Conwell / a property
in Napa County. Not signed by
either party.

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1857 - March 6th Sonoma - 403

Deed of Conveyance to G. N. Cornwall
from M. G. Vallejo

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Know all men by these Presents, That I
Mariano G. Vallejo of the City of Sonoma, County of
Sonoma State of California, for and in consideration
of the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars, Paid
to me by George N. Cornwall, of Napa City, Napa County
State aforesaid, the receipt whereof is hereby
acknowledged, Do Grant, Bargain, Sell, and Convey
unto the Said Cornwall, his heirs and Assigns
forever, all that certain tract or parcel of Land
situated in Napa Valley, Napa County, State aforesaid,
being bounded and described as follows
Commencing at a small tree standing on the bank
of Napa River near the upper Landing, two hundred
yards more or less from the store formerly occupied
by Vallejo & Frisbie thence running a due West
course along the line of said Cornwall, to the Arroyo
de Napa thence down said Arroyo to Napa
River thence up said Napa River to the place
of beginning To Have and to Hold, the above
granted premises, together with all Rights Profits
Privileges, and Appurtenances to the same belonging
or in anywise appertaining thereto, To the Said
Cornwall his heirs and Assigns forever, and
I the said M. G. Vallejo, for myself, my heirs, executors,
and administrators, do hereby Covenant with the said
Cornwall his heirs, and assigns To Warrant and defend
the above granted premises, to the said Cornwall his heirs
and assigns forever against the lawful claims and demands of
all and every Person or Persons, In Witness whereof we
the said M. G. Vallejo and Benicia Vallejo his wife in token
of her release of all right of dower in the above granted
premises have hereunto set our hands and seals this

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This fiftieth day of March In the Year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and fifty one at the
City of Sonoma,
Signed Sealed & delivered
in presence of-

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Doc.
Marians G. Talley & Wife
to
Gov. N. Cornwall

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Panand, Clément

: Carta a J. M. G. Vallego, Mar. 15, 1851

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San Jose

States he bought some property from J. B. Alvarado, but found that Jesus Vallego was occupying it. He desires a settlement. With note by Vallego that he answered on the same day,

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Wp 146 San Jose Marzo 28 de 1851.

Señor D. D. Vallejo.

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Muy señor mío. Yo he comprado de al Sr. Juan B. Alcarade una buena cantidad de las mejores y adiciones pertenecientes a la posesión de al Sr. Alcarade que a tomar la posesión de estas propiedades y encuentro que Sr. Vallejo toma su compra con el Sr. Juan B. Alcarade al anunciar que cualquier trato o convenio que yo quisiera relativo a las propiedades de la propiedad con el mismo.

En efecto se dirigió a esta comunicación es el informarme por vía de una certificación a esta lo que yo dispongo en respecto a estos bienes si se venden a a vender me interese el precio, aunque que tomare serán \$ 2000 tres mil pesos, si al contrario me quisiera la compra tan luego como yo pueda mandarlo. Y de la disposición o convenio que determine hacer.

En el interin queda de V. Sr. mas atento y seguro servidor D. J. P. M. J. M. P. M. P. M. P. M.

Recibido de Sr. Vallejo. Contrabando en el mismo día

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1851 - Marzo 15 - San José -
Clemente Panaud à M. Gallego -
Carta particular sobre
intereses puramente perso-
nales — " —

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Panaud
Gallego

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Cooper, Samuel E

: Letter to J Vicks!, Mar. 24, 1851

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Nevada City

Wants to know whether Vicks
has disposed of his property,
and horses in Nevada.

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1851 - March 24th - Nevada City, Cal.
Cooper to Gen. Vallejo - Asking if his property
in Sonoma has been disposed of and if
Vallejo has disposed of his (Cooper) horses -
also requesting the General to send him
five hundred dollars ———— 400

Nevada City Mar 24th 1851

Gen. Vallejo -

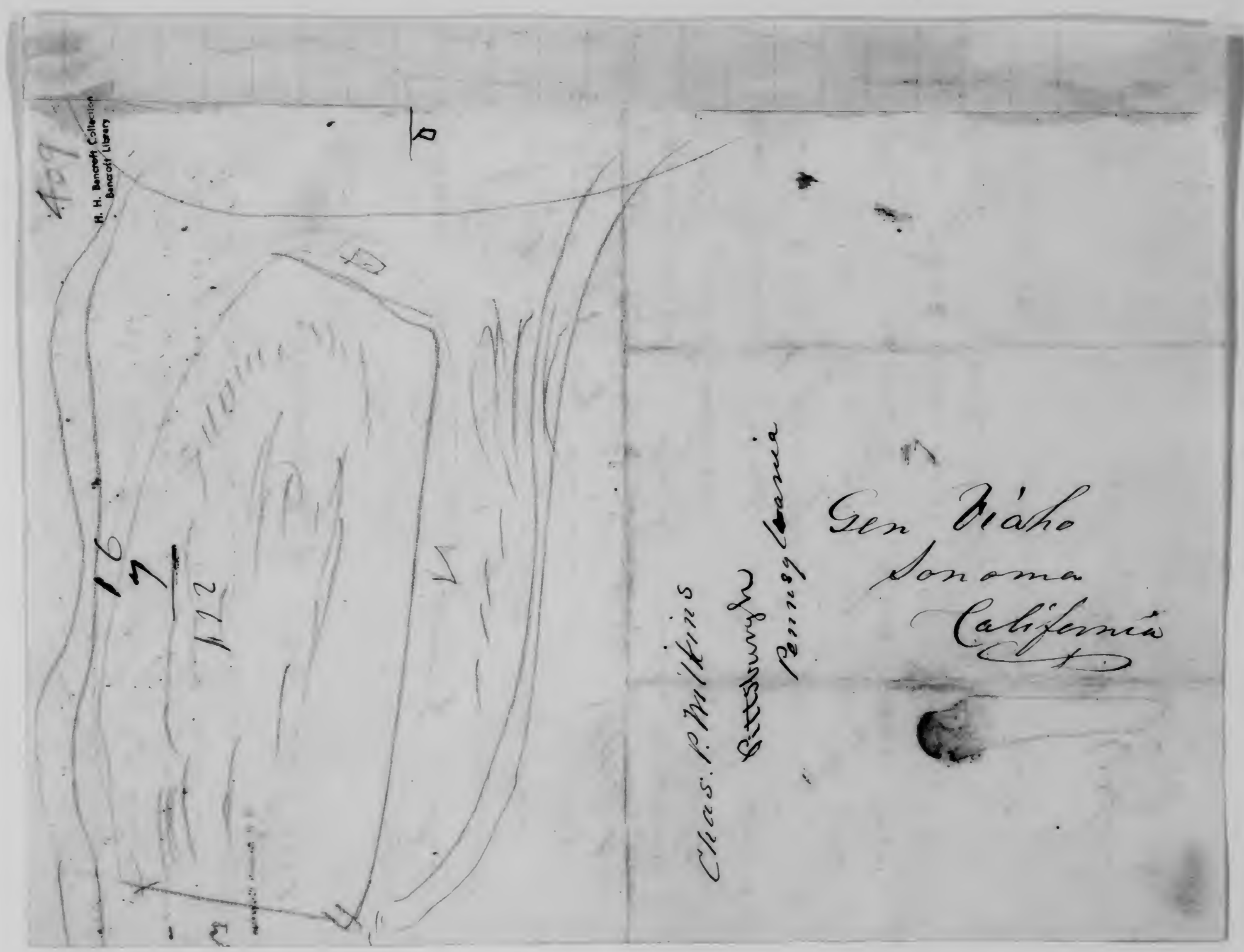
Dear Sir. I am anxious
to learn whether my property in Sonoma
has been disposed of, you will
also inform me whether you have
disposed of my horses. You
will please direct your letter to
Sacramento and inform me
of the particulars. Also whether
you have recd the five hund.
Dolls sent for past year -
by carrying with the
above request. And also send
me five hundred Dollars. you
will much oblige
friend - yours in haste

Samuel E. Cooper

for the year 1851

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Chavon, Subs

: [Casta] Mar. 25, 1851

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San Francisco

to cattle that was to have been
turned over to Armand Pesse,
and Joe Vallego's strange
behavior.

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San Francisco, Marzo 25 / 1851.
1851 - Marzo 25 - Carta particular de Julio Chavont a Mr. D. Vallopo sobre asuntos de interes particular

Copieada de un original

Querido amigo Don Anselmo Pesse
el cual fue encargado de recibir en
Petaluma los envios que Don Jose
Quibria hizo a Mendocino, acaba de
pedirme que le haga un atestado y que lo
haga en forma que conste y legalmente
para que le sea valido la entrega de
los envios bajo el protesto que
hubiera llamado los señores de Sonoma
prometiendole el traslado inmediato
de aqui.

Yo no le puedo dar la conducta
pedida de aqui, mas como conosco las
intenciones de V. Superior y le haga
tambien un protesto, pues hay de haberse
en el caso de los documentos sobre su
lealtad y eso no puede menos que ser
desagradable para V.

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Querido Amigo
 Recibe esta muy salud
 con el mayor gusto de la casa
 de donde he escrito a tu carta
 para que se te dé la licencia de la
 cual se dice que es inmediatamente
 Breve.

Salud y amor
 de tu amigo
 Don Julio Obispo

regularsa su carta
 al conico

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Pesse, Armand >

: Carta a J Vallejo, Mar. 25, 1851

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San Francisco

No cattle matter discussed by James Wadsworth (148)

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1851- Marzo 25 San Fran^{co} - A. Pen a M. Vallejo - Relativa a haber construido un corral p^{ra} animales - Dice que despues de muchas dificultades pudo conseguir algunos terneros y vacas flacas etc. y sobre otros intereses particulares

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H. Senor General Vallejo, N^o 149
en Sonoma.
San Francisco y Marzo 25/1851.

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Apreciado Senor,

En consecuencia de la proposicion que me hizo el Sr. D^o Julio Chacon de entregarme cierta cantidad de animales en Petaluma, he hecho edificar un corral extendido en que la mitad de los gastos de dicho corral me seria reembolsada por las primeras entregas de animales.

Despues de las dificultades sin numero y muy onerosas por los muchos gastos que me han ocasionado no he obtenido mas que algunos terneros y vacas flacas; que el Sr. Julio me aseguro haber comprado con y sobre los \$500 (quinientos veinte pesos) que habian sido depositados anteriormente en su casa por mi cuenta, asi es que me he resuelto a dejar enteramente el corral al Sr. D^o J. Chacon por cierta cantidad de animales gordos y esquilados.

Julio Carlos Fernandez, empleado en mi casa,

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Siempre he sido el amigo de don José
 así como lo ha sido siempre por su
 gran valor para con los tiempos
 turbulentos. Siempre he admirado su
 firmeza de ánimo y su firmeza de
 abito ha sido inflexible y por eso
 he querido en última vez a Esteliano
 el cual me parece que don José
 ha querido asegurarle en la impotencia
 de sostener las armadas habiendo los
 vapores recibidos en la zona de mar
 para asegurar que los pagos
 deudas en la zona que se hallaba
 y en San Francisco para poder
 conseguir algunas seguridades que debía
 y finalmente para que el público
 sea los seguros. Seguramente una
 finca en la zona para volver a
 ha sido mi sorpresa en un momento
 por don José.
 Siempre he admirado las intenciones de don
 José hijo, y temiendo en un momento las
 fincas

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siempre de un hijo, amigo, muy
 tener mis. Aplicar a lo que me
 de una modo positivo. Debase en este
 un que para evitar de saber cual
 debe ser a mis justos deseos.
 Confieso en la esperanza de una pronta
 contestación que me es
 Su amigo
 J. K. B.
 (Montevidéo)
 Jackson Street
 San Francisco
 (San Francisco)

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Al. S. General Vallejo
Journal

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Jones' Hotel, San Francisco: [Bill to] Mrs. Fitch, Mar. 26, 1857

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There is no no. 151.

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1851 - Marzo 16 - Mon-
terey - Fueron en el Galapo
de M. Galapo - Mani-
festacion que Ad. Agel
entrego una carta que
dirige, desde Mexico, M.
Castaneda a H. C. Valdez
con asi mismo un doc-
mento de Verdad que
se refiere al mismo, el do-
cumento de Mexico.

1851 - March 26th - San Francisco

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San Francisco, March 26th 1851.

Mrs Fitch

To JONES' HOTEL, D.

To Board 6 days for 6 1/2 persons \$4.50 \$175.50

Lips 1 day H. Fitch 4.00

\$171.00

1 Bot Ale \$1. 1 Bot Madgut 3.00

\$174.00

Received Payment, O Jones
J Pearce

174.00
\$174.00

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Sillje vs. Vallejo: Complaint; Apr. 4, 1851

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re non-payment for services
rendered on Rancho Petaluma.

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1851 - April 14th - Sonoma - Claim of José & Rafael Sillija against Mariano G. Vallejo, before the 7th Judicial District Court May term for wages or salary alleged to have been earned by them, and which the Defdt refused to pay - Plffs' plea.

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State of California }
Sonoma County. }

In District Court 7th Judicial District. May term 1851

José Sillija &
Rafael Sillija

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Mariano G. Vallejo } The Plaintiffs residing in the valley of Petaluma in the County of Sonoma, by Cook & Purfont, their Attorneys, Complain against the Defendant a resident of the City of Sonoma, that he the Defendant is indebted to the Plaintiffs in the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200) for the wages or salary due from the Defendant to the Plaintiffs for the service by the Plaintiffs done and performed, in the kind servants of the Defendant, upon the Rancho or farm of the Defendant called Petaluma in the valley of Petaluma in said County of Sonoma from the first day of February 1851 to the 1st day of April 1851, inclusive, being two months, for which service to be by the Plaintiffs rendered from the said 1st day of February 1851, the Defdt at Petaluma aforesaid, at the time of the Plaintiffs entering into the service of the Defendant as aforesaid, on the said 1st day of February 1851, by his the Defendant's own agent upon said Rancho (one José Vallejo), promised and agreed to and with the Plaintiffs in presence of witnesses, for and in consideration of such service to be rendered for the space of two months thereafter as aforesaid, to pay the Plaintiffs the said sum of two hundred dollars.

which the Plaintiffs aver that they have faithfully performed the said term of two months in the service of the Defendant upon said Rancho by being employed in the capacity of "vaqueros" or handmen, by the said José Vallejo, acting as agent for the Defendant as aforesaid, and by being ready and willing, at all times within the said term of two months service faithfully to do & perform their duties by the commands of the Defendant, from & including the said 1st day of February 1851 until the 1st day of April 1851.

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1851 - April 17 - Sonoma - Union of Jose & Rafael Valljo against Mariano G. Valljo, he
for the 1st time in the Court May term
for wages or salary alleged to have been re-
paid by them, and to which the legal record
is of -

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State of California } In District Court of the Judicial
Sonoma County. } District. May term A.D. 1851.

Jose Valljo &
Rafel Valljo

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Marians G Valljo } The Plaintiffs residing in the valley
of Petaluma in the County of Sonoma, by Cooke & Purpont,
their Attorneys, Complain against the Defendant a resident
of the City of Sonoma, that he the Defendant is indebted
to the Plaintiffs in the sum of Five hundred dollars (\$500)
for the wages or salary due from the Defendant to the Plaintiffs
for the service by the Plaintiffs done and performed, as the
hired servants of the Defendant, upon the Rancho or farm
of the Defendant called Petaluma in the valley of Petaluma
in said County of Sonoma from the first day of February A.D. 1851
to the 1st day of April A.D. 1851, inclusive, being two months, for
which service to be by the Plaintiffs rendered from the said 1st
day of February A.D. 1851, the Defts at Petaluma aforesaid, at
the time of the Plaintiffs entering into the service of the
Defendant as aforesaid, on the said 1st day of February
A.D. 1851, by his the Defendant's son & agent upon said Rancho
(the Jose Valljo), promised and agreed to and with the Plain-
tiffs in presence of witnesses, for and in consideration of such
service to be rendered for the space of two months thereafter
as aforesaid, to pay the Plaintiffs the said sum of Five
hundred dollars.

And the Plaintiffs aver that they have fulfilled the
said term of two months in the service of the Defendant
upon said Rancho, by being employed in the capacity of
"vacanos" or herdsmen, by the said Jose Valljo, acting as
agent for the Defendant as aforesaid, and by being ready
and willing, at all times within the said term of two months
service faithfully to do & perform their duties as the servants
of the Defendant, from & including the said 1st day of February
A.D. 1851, until the 1st day of April A.D. 1851.

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And the Plaintiff say that the Defendant (or the said Jose Valtjo his said son & agents), hath not paid the said sum of Five hundred dollars, agreeably to the said promise made by him as aforesaid, but although therunto by the Plaintiffs requested to pay the said sum doth refuse to pay the same, or to render to the plaintiffs a compensation for their services rendered

as aforesaid

To the damage of the Plaintiffs in the sum of Eight hundred dollars, for which sum, together with their costs, in their behalf laid out and expended, the Plaintiffs demand Judgment against the defendant. and therefore being

office in Sonoma }

By Cook & Pomeroy
their Attorneys

State of California }
County of Sonoma } I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the original Complaint now on file in this Court.

Given under my hand and private seal
there being no seal of office yet provided
at office in the City of Sonoma this
4th day of April 1857

J. Hensley Clerk
County of Sonoma & Offices
Clerk District Court

In District Court
7th Judicial District
for Sonoma & May Term
1857

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Yale, Gregory, 1816-1871 (Letter to) Mariano G. Vallejo, Apr. 4, 1851

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San Francisco

Re a summons and complaint he has received in a suit in which Vallejo is the plaintiff. with note by Vallejo that he answered on the day of receipt, which was Apr. 28.

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1851- April, 4th San Francisco - Gregory Yale to Gen. Vallejo - Stating that Mr Thornton has handed to him, copy of a complaint & summons in a cause instituted in Vallejo's name in Colano County - Requesting Vallejo if he has authority such suit to be instituted - San Francisco April 4th 1851.

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Sir:
William M. Thornton has handed to me a certified copy of a complaint and summons, in a cause purporting to be instituted in your name in Colano County, in which I am made a party defendant, with Thornton, and in which complaint certain false statements are made concerning me, under the authority of your name as plaintiff.

I desire to learn from you, Sir, whether you authorized the institution of that suit; connecting my name with, and intending to apply those false statements to me.

Respectfully,
Tr. Ott Servt;

Genl. Mariano G. Vallejo,
Sonoma

Gregory Yale.

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Wilson, John, 1795-1860 : Letter to J Vallejo, Apr. 7, 1851

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San Francisco
Re Whig politics in California
and the forthcoming elections

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1851 - April 7th

San Francisco (see next page)

Genl. Vallejo

Sir

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Confidential

San Francisco.
7th April 1851.

In a short time it will be necessary for the Whigs to look out for the proper persons, to be nominated for the office to be elected at the next general election. It is a thought of my own; for no one has suggested it to me; therefore what I say below has no other than my own authority; but when it comes to be spoken of I believe it will be generally acceptable to the Whigs. I am for giving to the old citizens of this state some fair show in making these nominations. It is true the old population form but a small portion of those who now inhabit this state. In looking over this matter, for myself; having no influence except my own vote I am prepared so far as I am concerned, to advocate the giving them at least the nomination for a Governor. My acquaintance with that ^{portion} of our population is so very limited, that it may be considered invidious, even for me to indicate to whom (amongst that population) it ought to be given. Therefore you will excuse me for saying that I had thought of you in this connexion but have not dared to connect your name with it unless I had some assurance it would be acceptable to you to do so. I should feel myself flattered in your confidence, should you feel willing in any form you choose, to confide to me your views on that subject. If you should decline all such views (for I know you are not ambitious in that way), I should be exceedingly

glad if you will favour me with the name of some gentleman of our Mexican population; who is a good whig and who possesses the requisite qualifications of integrity, honor and ability to fill that office who, has the elements of popularity, to aid the effort in securing his nomination. I place this proposition in my own mind so far as I am capable of judging my own motives; upon the ground of fair justice to that portion of our population - they are deeply interested in all legislation, which looks to taxation, or which concerns real estate and through that channel, deacons, hair ships, conveyances &c. You are led of course to ask why not the governorship, I answer at once; that it is not likely, that our American - rather Yankee - population would consent to give the greater office to the few; but it does strike me, that if proper representations are made in time to our leading whig friends, they would agree to ^{give the Govt. office} if a proper name - such as yourself, ~~or~~ a few others who are favorably known to the public were presented to them - all I could engage to do would be as far as the circle of ^{my} influence goes (which is however very limited) for I have in no manner meddled with political affairs in general (what little I have done has been local to our city & county) at least I propose this ^{with} all due sincerity & hope to have at an early day a confidential adviser - you will understand this is so made, it will afford me great pleasure; if it meets with your sanction, to mention it to others, but not without - In the event such a proposition is to be made either for you, or your friend to be named, an early day ought to

be embraced to set the ball in motion. If you see proper to so far notice my proposition by naming a friend, while you decline yourself, please to place me as well as yourself in correspondence with him, by giving me a letter to him, mentioning my views. Inclosed you will find one of my ~~business~~ ^{professional} cards which will inform you where my office is; should you pay a visit to this city, please call on me.

I have the honor to be your very obedient & humble servant

John Wilson

P.S.

Major Reading & Genl. D. Douglass seem to be more spoken for for Gov. than any other. Mr. Fair & Mr. Cook of San Diego (now in the legislature) have been spoken of for Lt. Governor. Judge Shattuck is spoken of for Supreme Judge.

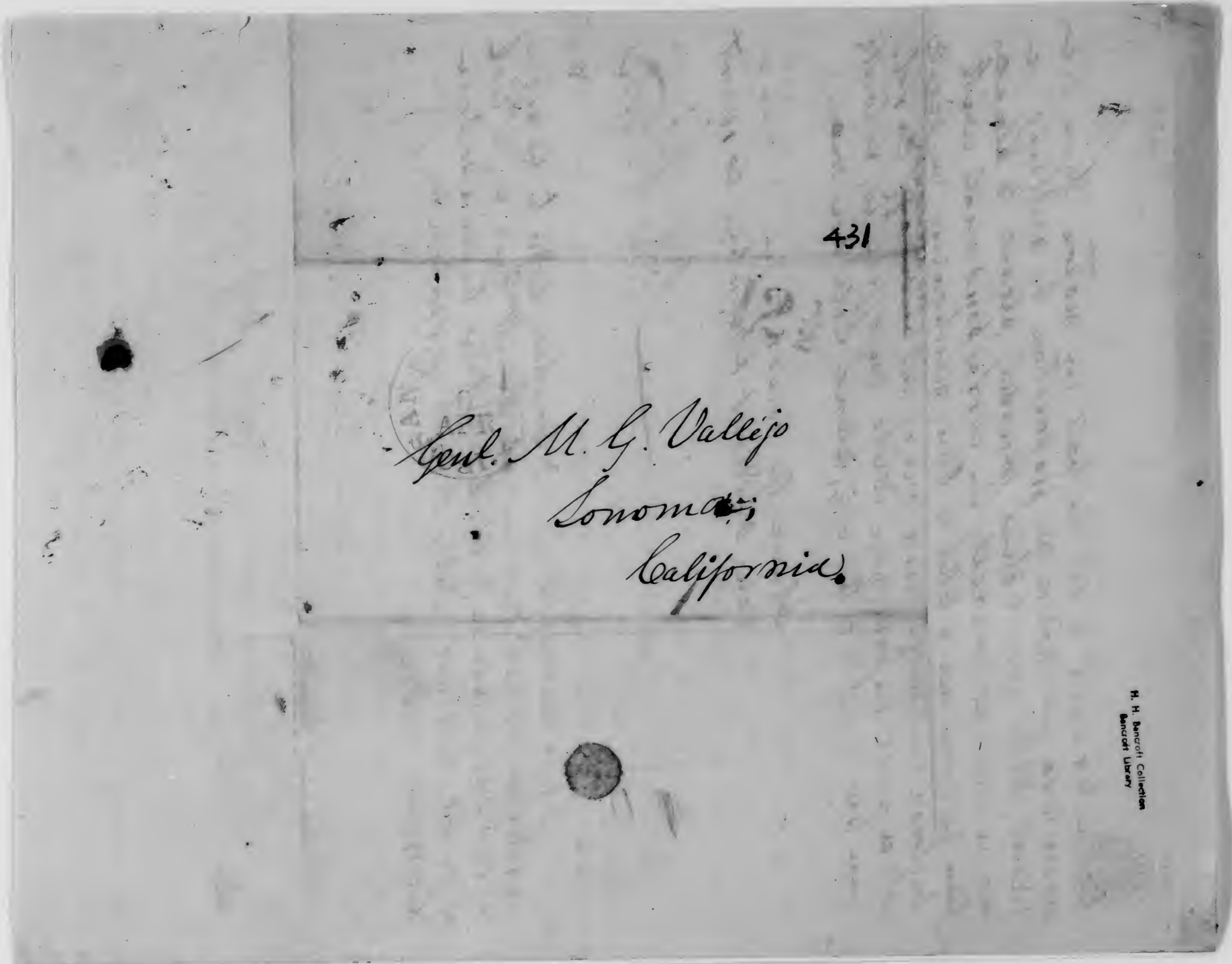
John Wilson

1851, Apr. 7 San Francisco.

John Wilson asking Genl. M. J. Vallejo to be a candidate for Lieut. Governor

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Bunton, John, 1782-1848?, Plant. at Comanche Grass, Apr. 11, 1851

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-Alvarez

Transcript, erroneously dated Apr. 11, 1851.
For original, see C-B4: 227.

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1851- Abril 11- El Juez de 1^{ra} Instancia
del Pueblo de Alvarado al Comte^{te} Gral. del Es-
tado de California - Dándole las gracias
por la tropa que envia en auxilio de su
autoridad - Le participa que el Alcalde se ha
retirado p^a su rancho etc. 432
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Juzgado de primera
instancia del Pueblo
de Alvarado.

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Enterado del ofo que acabo de re-
cibir en q^e se me presenta la
yuzga de tropa p^a auxiliar
a esta autoridad Yo por mi
parte me alleno de regocijo
al ver la manifestacion de sus
buenos deseos y el comportam^{to} de
su deber como autoridad militar, q^e
sea ovido algun pedido de auxilio
p^a la autoridad principal de he-
re, asta la q^{ta} Yo no conocio ning-
un delincuente dentro de mi localidad.

El Sr. Alcalde en esta mañ-
ana se a retirado p^a su Rancho
y solo de paso me comunica q^e.

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a Tenido una con un in
dividuo el dia de aller mas no
me dió para esto prosedea en el
Caso he por lo quanto repito las
gracias del buen Comportam to
de V. A. protestando mi conse
deracion y respeto.

Quis y Federacion Pueblo libre
de Alvarado Ab. 11. de 1831

John Buston.

Al Comandte Gral
del estado de Calif^a

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Chavon, Jules

: Elavta a D M. G. Vallejo, Apr. 12, 1851

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Re the cattle transaction, his agreement with José Vallejo. He states he is not associated with the firm of Montemichand, but did transfer the transaction to them.

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1851. Abril 12 - San Francisco - Carta particular de Julio Chaven á Mr. Vallep - Sobre ciertos asuntos de interes personal

San Francisco 12 Abril de 1851

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Señor don M. G. Vallejo
Sonoma

Muy Señor mio

Acabo de recibir su carta fecha 3 del mes pasado a lo cual me apresuro en contestar.

Tiene 7^{ta} razon y se muy bien todas las dificultades que suceden cuando una cosa no es segura como se ha convenido, mas si tambien el trabajo que se necesitaba en ese tiempo para poderse proveer bagueros y lo caro que eran menester para los eventos se encontraban. He dese sobre esto de articulas que fui entendido con el Sr. Jefe que los ganados serian entregados en el corral y puntos a mi disposicion a p. 20 por cada cabeza.

Me puede figurarme cual es la persona que me ha provido con la casa de Montecristobal era interesado conmigo... Cuando yo hice el contrato con el Sr. Jefe por mi propia cuenta, solo me reservaba el derecho de poderlo trasladar, y es lo que se ha hecho con la dicha casa de Montecristobal, pero esa es un asunto entre nosotros que no se presentaria en su rancho del Sr. Jefe que bajo una orden de entrega de mi parte. Dicha Señor se ha comportado muy mal conmigo, y me

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parece que tiene un pleito con el, porque no he
ejecutado su compromiso segun el convenio que
hicimos

Me extraña mucho que la casa de Montecristal
haya escrito sobre p. 620-60- una plata era mia
yo mismo la deposite en el tiempo, y V. M. mismo
me la devolvió a su vuelta del pueblo.

Ha algunos dias que le he mandado el
Mapa grande de Tetatuma y fiesense que al recibo
de esta lo tendrá V. M. a su disposicion. En este momento
no se puede contar sobre la renta de los terrenos
de Tetatuma City por ser los negocios muy malos
y la plata escasa.

Nunca he dudado de su buena amistad
y aprovechan de esta oportunidad para agradecerle
infinito y suscribirse de V. M.

En affmo y Segura Fervido

J. B. S. M.
J. Chaves

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Gillespie, C

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:(Letter to] Kellogg, Apr. 20, 1851

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Woods's Diggings, Tuolumne Co.
Wishing to purchase land in Napa Co.
for himself and for friend from Tennessee

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1851. April 20. - Woods's Diggings -
to Mr. Gillespie informs him Valley of several families of wealth
from Tennessee wish to immigrate to California and settle on
Kappa Valley request the said Valley to inform him on what terms
he would dispose of Woods's Diggings. Tuolumne County
California. April 20th 1851.

Gov. Vallejo.

Or. Ca.

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The undersigned being desirous of making a large purchase of lands to settle self and a number of reputable families of education and wealth who are desirous of emigrating from the State of Tennessee next season. And understanding that you are the rightful owner of a large section of Country in Kappa Valley and the vicinity of the City of Vallejo. is the apology I offer for assuming to myself the liberty of addressing one to whom I am personally unknown.

I wish to purchase at present ten thousand acres of land as closely united as circumstances will justify. the lands suitable for agricultural purposes. it is desirable to have it all in a body if practicable. for the emigrants to form a society school &c. without themselves. a situation near the bay is preferred.

I came to this Country last year. in part to report to my home friends. the history of California Soil and production Climate &c. upon my report they are desirous to emigrate. I have just received a letter giving me notice of about fifty families that will leave Tennessee in March next for Oregon or California. if proper inducements were held out to them, from the history I have had of Kappa Valley and vicinity. they would

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all settle in that vicinity, this will be handed to you by my friend and neighbor, Dr. Horn of San Jose who lives in your neighborhood, I refer you to him, also to my friend Mr John Brown, with whom I understand you have had business transactions, I am now busily engaged in the Quartz mining operation, would be pleased to sell you an interest with me for which I will take the entire amount in land, I have no doubt I have the richest lead that has yet been discovered in California. Should you incline to make an exchange of this character, I refer you to Dr. Harris, Surveyor of San Francisco, who will show you my specimens. I would be pleased to hear from you at your earliest convenience of the above subjects. If necessary I will go immediately to see you, direct your letter to Woods, Digging, Colusa County, California.

With high regards
Very Respectfully
Your Obedt Servt
A. N. Gillespie

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las personas que ^{desean} reclamar que presenten sobre
tierras en California al Tribunal de Comisiona-
dos ^{nombrados p^{or} examinar la validez de los titulos}

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SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA.
Abril 21 de 1851.

Señor Don

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San Francisco, California,
APRIL 21st. 1851.

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Sirs

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Receipt, May 12, 1851

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Napa

Receipt from Jose Vallejo of two hundred cows
in Salvador Vallejo -

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1851 - Mayo 12 - Napa - Recibo otorgado a:
 José Vallejo por José S. Lugo, por doscientos baguillas
 que aquel le entregó, por cuenta de Salvador Vallejo.
 El que suscribe el presente recibo averiguó la
 existencia de los dichos baguillas y por cuenta de D. Salvador Vallejo
 la cantidad de doscientos baguillas.

Napa el día 12 de Mayo 1851

[Signature]

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Eames, William J

: Letter to M. G. Vallejo, May 12, 1851

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1851 - May 12th - San Francisco - W. H. Campes
to Mr. G. Vallejo - Inquiring if Rockwood Hens's
Draft for about Eleven Hundred Dollars
has been paid -

W 162 493

San Francisco May 12, 1851

Gen. M. G. Vallejo

Dear Sir

I am requested by
Rev. Wm. M. Rogers of Boston Mass. to enquire of
you if Rockwood Hens's Draft on you for about
Eleven Hundred Dollars has been paid, please
write me in relation to it as soon as convenient,
directing to me in this city.

I am very respectfully yours

Wm. H. Campes

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Almanac, Joseph Sadoc, 1814-1888: [letter to] Guadalupe Vallejo, Mar 13, 1851

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San Francisco.
Recommending Father John Shanahan.
with manuscript.

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1851 - San Francisco 13 Mayo de 1851. ^{no 163}
El Obispo de Monterey, José S. Alemany, recomienda á Mr. Vallejo al R. P. Juan Shanahan -

Mi respetable Señor General,

Aunque todavía no he tenido el honor de conocerle personalmente, me tomo la libertad de recomendarle el dador de las presentes, el Rev. Padre Juan Shanahan, sujeto de mucha erudición y piedad que pasa a Sonoma como cura de esa y de los lugares vecinos, á lo menos interinamente. Estoy persuadido que esa Misión exige un Pastor familiar con varios idiomas, pero no me es dable de procurarselo a lo menos por ahora. Le quedari muy agradecido si V. se digna asistir al P. Shanahan en lo que le pueda ser útil. Saludando á su Esposa, queda tengo el honor de ser

Su Abogado y S. Servidor

+ José S. Alemany O.P.
Obispo de Monterey A. Cal.

J. Guadalupe Vallejo, General, etc.

1851 - Mayo 13 - San Francisco -

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^{no 163a}
San Juan 13 de Mayo de 1851
Mi respetable Sr. Genl

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responda luego al honor de ser
Su Mestro y Servidor
Jose F. Alvarado
Obpo. de Monterey, Cal.

Don Don Guadalupe Vallejo
(Grat. etc.)

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Parrish, John, 1811-1884 : [Letter to J. M. G. Vallejo, May 17, 1851

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San Francisco
stating he has lost all his
papers in a fire, including
Vallejo's note for ten thousand
dollars. He would be glad to receive
payment in the note.

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1857 - May 17th - John Parrott to Genl. Vallejo -
John Parrott informs Mr. Vallejo of the fire in
which all his papers were lost including note of
said Vallejo, and request from Vallejo a settle-
ment at his earliest convenience
and ramine 17 May 1857

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Genl. M. G. Vallejo
Sonoma

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Dear General,

By the late fire I have the
misfortune to lose all my papers, among which
was your note for \$4,000 - Four thousand dollars -
due on 15th February last.

Our understanding was that for all times
the note should remain unpaid after maturity, it should
bear interest at the rate of five per cent per month; -
therefore on 15th inst you owe me \$4,600, for which
I will be glad to have your obligation payable at
the earliest convenient day.

The expense of rebuilding now presses me
much for money, and you will do a friendly act
by attending to this matter.

Very respectfully
Yours truly
John Parrott
D. D. Keytony Atty

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Lugo, Antonio Maria, 1775-1860: [Carta a] Mariano G. Vallejo, May 24, 1851

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Los Angeles

Written for him by Stephen C.

Foster.

Wade be grateful for assistance
from Vallejo.

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1857 - Mayo 24 - Angeles - Carta particular
de ^{carita n.º 2} Estevan P. Foster a M. Vallojo - Sobre asuntos de interes personal Angeles Mayo 24º de 1857

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Muy Estimado Sobrino,

Recibi la apreciable favor de V. que vino por conducta de D. Juan Padilla y me alegre al ver que V. no me tenia olvidado, con respecto a su marcha a San Francisco a saludarme; siento que V. un viejo, tome este trabajo en balde para saludar a mi, que soy muchacho. Parece que yo muchacho, he visitado a U. N. mis sobrinos viejos, dos veces desde que U. N. han visitado a mi.

Me halla bien lleno de enfermedades de la vejez, y de pesadumbres. V. pueda haber sido avisado de la desgracia de mis nietos, la causa de quienes toda se halla pendiente.

Saludos muchas a su familia. Sus primos y primos si hallan buenos y le saludan.

En caso de que V. algo nos puede auxiliar, en el grave asunto que nos ha tocado, sea con su consejo o su influjo con hacerlo quedara muy agradecido

San Mariano G. Vallojo }
Sonoma

Su Affmo. Dto
Antonio Maria Luss
por Estevan P. Foster



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Heydenfeldt, S

Letter to J Thos J Green, May 31, 1851

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San Francisco

Wang beane to sell some land
for him near Vallejo

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1857. May 31. San Francisco. (Turn over.)

no 166 450

San Francisco May 31. 1857

My dear Sir

I wish you to select for me & have surveyed a section of land near the town of Valleys & make a contract with General Vallejo for the purchase of it upon as favorable terms as possible & upon as long time as possible, certainly not less than three years.

I wish to build & improve on it & occupy it as a home for my family but as my resources are very restricted I can not take at high prices. I think however that if General V desires very important influences to be brought to the aid of his City, that he will find it advantageous to let me have such a bargain as I can get through with at my ease. I have a Certificate from the agent of the Royal Mail Steam Ship Company of England to make any arrangement I see proper for the purpose of establishing at Valleys the depot of the Company's vessels. It is anticipated & with a great deal of certainty that during next winter the Company will have six heavy steamers to form a connecting line between this bay & Panama & Valparaiso, and that during the course of the next year six more

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 large steamers will be sent round to
 form a line to run monthly between
 here and Canton. The importance of
 having Vallejo to be the shipping point
 for these lines will be apparent, and
 I promise to use all of ^{my} endeavors to
 carry this out if I am met in my
 desires to obtain a homestead with a
 liberal spirit. After that it will be
 my interest as well as inclination to
 use every other exertion to forward
 the prosperity of the City & surrounding
 country. I beg you to represent me
 rightly about these matters and try
 to get for me a favorable purchase
 & will always be gratefully obliged
 S. Heydenfeldt.

Genl Thos J Green
 San Francisco.

Heydenfeldt to Genl Thos J Green, requesting
 him to see Genl Vallejo and after informing
 him of his statement to see upon what terms
 he can buy for him a homestead.

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Félix, José María : (Depositum), June 4, 1851

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~~Summa~~
In case Ochoa et al vs. Vallejo

In oversize.

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1851. June 4th

José M.^a Félix' deposition before Charles
P. Wilkins, Commissioner for Sonoma County, in
a certain suit pending before the District Court
of the 7th Judicial District. 5th term, wherein José
M.^a Ochoa, José M.^a and Rafael Sileja are Plffs,
and M. S. Valls, Dft.

State of California
Sonoma County.
Jose Maria Ochoco
Jose Maria & Raphael
Sibbeys
M. S. Vallejo.

In the District Court, Seventh
Judicial District -
Sonoma County - September Term
1851. 453

On this the fourth day of June 1851,
Being satisfied that reasonable notice was given
to R. R. Perchmont, Attorney for plaintiff in the above case
to attend at the deposition herewith taken, and Jose
Maria Felig, a witness for the defendant being
duly sworn, and examined by M. S. Vallejo, deponent
as follows:

I know the plaintiffs in this case, when I was at
Santa Rosa about February, Jose Vallejo came
there to the plaintiffs vacante, and asked them
to work for a Frenchman who had made a
contract about some cattle at Pataluma farm,
they said that they would like to work but
had no horses, but Jose Vallejo answered that
they could use the same horses that they
are taming now at Santa Rosa, belonging to
M. S. Vallejo. The next day I went to
Pataluma where I met the Frenchman, Ferde-
nando, the agent of the French butcher in San
Francisco, who was inquiring for the sacaros
spoken of by Jose, and the Frenchman
that Jose Vallejo & a certain Pina to bring
them over to Pataluma, which Jose did
the following day. After the plaintiffs arrived
at Pataluma, Raphael & his brother Jose
Maria commenced to make a bargain about
their pay, asking if Jose Vallejo would
be responsible for it, which he refused

to do. In the meantime the Frenchman offering
to pay them five hundred dollars for the time
necessary to get in the cattle. I saw the money
which the French agent brought from San Francisco
to pay the sacaros, which money was left in the
charge of the French Padre. The next day
the black haired Jose Maria, who did not arrive
with the others, was asked by Jose Vallejo if
he wished to work or not, but he refused under
the excuse that he did not like to work on
wild horses, and after some conversation
Jose Vallejo agreed to give him sometimes
a tame horse, and the Frenchman agreed
to pay him two hundred & fifty dollars,
for the time he should want him to get
in the cattle. Raphael asked Jose Vallejo how long he
thought they would have to work. he said from one to two
months, as the Frenchman was building a large corral
and intended to engage a larger number of sacaros
to bring in a greater number of cattle.

I hereby certify that Jose Maria Felig personally
appeared before me and being duly sworn
deposed as above written, and that the above deposition
is correct and true.

Sonoma, June 4th 1851. M. S. Vallejo
Commissioner to Take
Testimony in & for
the S. of Sonoma

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Deposition
Case No. Felis

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Hawes, Horace, 1813-1871: Letter to J. John B. Fiske, June 7, 1857

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San Francisco

Re a state museum contract.

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San Francisco

June 7, 1837

John B. Freshie Esq.

Dear Sir

I have but just now (at half past 2 Pm) been able to get Mr Straight's attention to the State Prison Contract drawn up by me & he wishes a little time to look over it with his brother, although it strikes him as being exactly right, and in consequence he requests me to wait till the next steamer after this day which will be on Monday when you will receive the Docu-

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 documents all made out in triplicate
 I remain Sir

Very Respectfully

Horace James

1851 - June 7 - San Francisco -
 Horace James to John B. Frisbie -
 Referring to certain contract for
 the State Prison, drawn by him,
 stating that Mr. Haight wishes
 a little time to look over it - and
 further saying, he will send the
 document by next steamer to
 him (Frisbie)

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Fowler, D

P

: Letter to John B. Fairlie, June 9, 1851

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San Francisco
Re sale of property owned
jointly by Fowler, Fairlie
and Vallejo.

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Private letter from D. B. Fowler to
John B. Trinkle " " " " H. H. Bancroft Collection
San Francisco June 9th 1851 Bancroft Library

John B. Trinkle Esq
Benicia w. 169

Dear Sir

In answer to your proposition made some few days since relative to the purchase of my 1/3^d int in the 20th Lot owned jointly by Genl & yourself I wish to state that I am prepared to accept your conditional offer of \$2500. Cash (Twenty five hundred dollars) for said 1/3^d interest, exclusive of any & all taxes which have been paid by you thereon. Should this proposition meet your view be good enough to inform me of the earliest period at which you be convenient for you to make the payment.

I am yours very truly
D. B. Fowler

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Jones, William Claude

: Letter to J. M. G. Vallejo, June 10, 1837

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San Jose

Re Vallejo's library.

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1841 - June 10th - San José - Private letter
from W. C. Jones to Gen. Vallejo - Stating
that since the arrival of J. M. Jones, he had no
longer charge nor are under his control the
books belonging to San José, June 10th 1841.
Gen. Vallejo

Dear Genl,

When we conversed together during your stay
in San José relative to your Spanish Library, then in my
possession as the Agent of J. M. Jones, my understanding
with you was, that your books should remain in my possession
until demanded by you. Since the return of J. M. Jones
from the Sandwich Islands, he has taken the books from
my possession and given the use of them to Mr
J. Yates; they are in his office - they are no
longer in my charge or under my control, or subject
to my use. Why is this? Is it by your direction?
Or is it a gratuitous assumption of control over your
property, when you had given the control to another.
Your books were valuable - they were of infinite benefit
to me, and I was particularly careful of them; but
they are now out of my possession and I cannot be
accountable for the damages that may be done, or the
missing books. I desire the use of them, and will
pledge my word to take good care of them and return
them whenever demanded by you. You will please
send me word immediately what disposition you
intend to make of your books here, and whether
I can have them subject to my use under my control.

W. C. Jones

Your obedient Servant
Francisco Jones

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Ringsold, Cadwalader, 1802-1867 ; [Letter to] M. G. Vallejo, Jan. 10, 1851

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Washington, [D. C.]
He has interested a Mr. Grund
in the city of Vallejo, and
is seeking himself particularly
to produce maps of the
Naples area.

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1851 - 1852 - Washington - Admiral R. B. Ringgold
to Mr. Green - P. 11 - also recommending Mr. G. B. Grand -
stating that he is devoting himself to the production
of a map of the coast of Washington
I have treated of
May 14th 1851 -

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My dear General,
Within the last few days, I have interested
Mr. G. B. Grand, in the city of Valparaiso, and as he is
the correspondent of many of the leading scientific
papers, both here and Europe, I write to suggest that
the proprietas of your city, make him a donation
of some 20.00 dollars - He is a powerful writer, and
exercises great influence, and his services are very
valuable. I assure you -

I am devoting myself to the production of my
Charts, illustrating of Valparaiso - By arrangements
with Genl Green I am bestowing much expense and
labor, upon the maps and upon city, and will
occupy much space in describing the location; and
describing of the advantages of the position - Gen
Green whom I see he would carefully represent to
you the extent of my exertions, and the expenses I
have incurred, promising to secure some a liberal
interest, for my services, - and an increase of pay to
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upon the order he gave me, and which I have transmitted
to you, - I shall rely upon your kindness and faith
to fulfill the Genl's promise - You may depend
upon Mr. Grand's services, he is a valuable friend,
and can do much in bringing Halls into notice -
Present my respects to Capt. Hix, and if
you please, show him my letter -

I am with great respects
Very truly Yours
Richard King
11/1/1799

To
Genl. M. G. Sullivan,
Genl.

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Ritchie, Archibald A , d. 1856: [letter to] M. G. Vallejo, June 13, 1851

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Benicia

The beaver is taken from San Col.

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1854 - June 13 - Benicia - P. A. Ritchse to Mr. Vallejo - Referring to private matters.

Benicia, 13th June 1854.

Gen^l Mr. G. Vallejo
Sonoma

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Bancroft Library
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Dear Sir,

The bearer of this, takes over the Oxen from Suscol, and will take back your Cargo Hay Wagons - If more teams and Wagons can be obtained, they may be sent

Yours very faithfully
P. A. Ritchse

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Dillon, [Patricio] : [Lettre à] Vallego, Jan. 13, 1851

San Francisco
Introducing the bearer, a young
Frenchman, who wishes to settle
on some lands belonging to Vallego.

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 Ministère des Affaires Étrangères. *William* Consul de France
 au Général Gallop - Recommande
 un jeune français de la Bretagne
 qui se propose d'établir dans ce pays -
 Il représente une compagnie de culti-
 vateurs qui ont bon caractère & sérieux
 Il a acheté à la Compagnie tous ses
 droits.

Monsieur et Cher Général,

Le Porteur est un jeune français de
 la Bretagne qui ambitionne l'honneur
 de se fixer sur vos terres. D'après
 tout ce que je puis voir la
 Compagnie qu'il représente est
 composée de Cultivateurs Bons et
 Sérieux. Elle a acheté à la Compagnie
 qui est maintenant au ~~rappe~~
 tous ses droits et n'attend que
 votre sanction pour se mettre
 énergiquement à l'œuvre. Je
 me permets de vous recommander
 ces nouveaux Candidats, persuadé
 que vous serez, par la suite,

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Contant de les avoir pour
 voisins.

Reuilley agnès Manouillet et
 Cher général Papurauce
 de ma haute considération
 Le Consul de France
 Gilloux

à
 Monsieur le général Malloy.

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Frishie, John Baptist J, 1824 -

: [Letter to J M. G. Vallejo, June 16, 1851

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Benicia

Asking, on behalf of Capt. Beecher, about
some land documents. Written for Frishie
by W. F. Swasey.

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1851 - June 16th - Benicia - Stating that Captain Ritchie desires to obtain certain information.

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Benicia June 16. 1851

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Dear Mr. Battie

Dear Sir

Captain Ritchie

desires to obtain from you at as early a day as possible the following information
First - When was the original Survey of "San Juan" made under the grant?
Second - Where is the proof of the same?
Third - When was Toland's deed to you recorded, and where was it recorded?
Fourth - Have you got a Certificate of the Alcalde who placed Toland in possession? Who, the Alcalde, and where is he now to be found?

Captain Ritchie

says it is very important that he should get the above information as soon as possible.

Please bring with you the Book of Diagrams of the "San Juan"

Truly Yours

John B. Frisbie

John B. Frisbie

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López, José Benigno

: Carta a D. Mariano G. Vallejo, June 17, 1851

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San Francisco

Would like to set up cattle
transactions with Vallejo.

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B. 51 - Junio 17 - San Fran^{co} - Sr. Benigno Lopez á
Sr. Vallejo - Relativa á asuntos particulares

Sr. D.ⁿ Mariano G. Vallejo

San Fran.^{co} Junio 17 de 1851.

Muy Señor mio:
Como esta es la primera
vez que tengo el honor de suplicar al. espero que
me dispensará la libertad que me he toma-
do.

El ventoso caracter que mi buen amigo
el Sr. Braulio Vera me ha dado de su
persona y cara de V., me há animado á pen-
sar en una correspondencia mercantil y de cria
de ganados que pueda ser ventosa al.
como ami; pero ante todas cosas, necesito me
franquee V. el favor de darme una re-
lacion del numero de ganados que V. po-
sea, y si le conviene un administrador
ó partidario en la hacienda que comunmen-
te se usan en Colombia por que creo que
se diferencian mucho del orden de este pa-
is. Yo estimaré esta relacion, como un fa-
vor particular, y Vmd. puede confiar en
mi sinceridad y prontitud que le servirá
en cuanto dependa de mis facultades.

Despues de ponerme ala dis-
posicion de su importante familia,

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quido sperando quod me hunc con-
favorable respuesta; quido rogando
a Dios me guarde in vida Bruchon a
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B L M de Vmd.

Jose Benigno Lopez



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Leese, Jacob Palma, 1807-1892 : [letter to] M^{rs} G. Vallejo, June 25, 1851

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Monterey
Protesting he has Vallejo's interests at
heart and has never held any commission that
will lessen Vallejo's credit.

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1876 - Please to Mr. Wallis - About matters me
rely for me - Monterey June 25th 1851

Mr. Wm. W. Wallis

My Dear Sir

1876

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I have just received
a Letter from Mr. Fishy, as also one
from Mr. Pease, the contents of which
you are doubtless aware, and it is
needless for me to answer you
in the most sincere manner,
that I have been severely grieved
to think for one moment that you
are possessed of the idea that I
could be capable of uttering any
thing, that could by any passable
ity be used to debase your credit
in this Country - So far from it
I have as you must know allow
- ough, I felt a deep interest in
all of your operations and have
availed success to crown your
efforts, perhaps with as much
anxiety as your self. This being
interest that I have in your
Welfare, as well as that in every

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other friend, leads me frequently
 to ask questions, I have asked of
 Mr Swasey some questions concerning
 your business, and have conversed
 with him relative to your affairs
 and this conversation was confiden-
 tial, and has been religiously
 held and regarded as such by
 me, I have said to Mr Swasey
 that I had heard that your
 paper, was offered at a discount,
 and such indeed I am sorry
 now to ~~retract~~ retract, and will
 if it is of any service name the
 party who in a casual conversation
 made the remark, This conver-
 sation My Dear Sir I again re-
 peat was considered by myself
 and Mr Swasey, as confidential, and
 has been on my part observed most
 strictly, as such, I am confident
 that I have never been so impru-
 dent as to breathe one word
 in publick, or in conversation with
 any one, that could possibly

tend to open your credit, and if
 am at fault at all, it has originated
 only from a desire to see your
 every effort crowned, with most brill-
 iant success, that you could have
 anticipated, such Sir, is the case
 allow me again to reiterate that
 hope, and in closing I would say
 that there is many strange dis-
 crepancies about this, that makes me
 believe they are the seed, of
 discussion sown by some enemy,
 of our family. - Please excuse
 the trouble and receive the respects
 from your Obedient Servant
 J. B. P. N.
 J. B. P. N.

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Mr. M^{rs} G. Bally's
Town, Sonoma
California

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Mc Behn, N

J

[Letter to J.M.G. Valipio (?), June 26, 1857]

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San Francisco

No a pump. be as
sending down on the
beginna.

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 (over) " " M 177
 General M. G. Vallejo I send up to you
 by the Geoginos your chain Pump
 It took the Carpenter three days close
 work to make it, the materials
 out of which it is made cost \$12
 so he has but \$21.50 cts for his work
 not as good wages as carpenters are
 getting by \$3 per day it cost him also
 \$4.50 cts to have it taken to the Boat
 He says that he will make another one
 for your house well for \$45 in 2 pieces
 so that your Carpenter can put it in the
 well in 2 hours, if you wish it, send
 me the depth of the well from the bottom
 to the floor & it can be sent up to you
 the last of next week, the Pump will
 work a little tight at first but in
 a few days are it will work very easy
 it should never be turned backwards
 sett in the well please send the
 money down to me by the Capt of the

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Georgina on his return as the carpenter
want of it the Capt has the
account & it receipted.

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I am in hopes you will send down
\$5.00 as it was a hard bargain

yours very respectfully
W. S. Mc Gehee

1851 - June 26th - San Francisco -
N. G. Mc Gehee to General Vallejo -
About private matters -

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Chavon, Jules

: El Santa a D M. G. Vallejo, July 9, 1851

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San Francisco

It has lost a lot in the month

of July, and regrets that
previous plans for Potluma have
failed to materialize.

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1851 - Julio 21 - San Francisco - Julio Chevon
a Mr Vallejo - Sobre negocios particulares -

Por D^{no} Sr. G. Vallejo w178
Sonoma

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Sa Fran: 21 Julio 21 1851

Muy Sr. Mio:

Todas las veces que he recibido alguna apreciable de V. he sentido el mayor placer en contestarlo, asegurándole que he sentido sobremedida hasta la fecha el estar privado de sus cartas, puesto que ellas me proporcionaban el gusto de aliviar nuestra amistad. Sin embargo: yo escribí a V. cuando le escribí el gran plano del rancho de Petaluma como también cuando nuestro contrato fue tan mercedamente concebido.

El incendio del mes de Mayo bono absolutamente el proceso en ganancias y beneficios; es decir todo se perdió y para acabar de coronar la obra el incendio del mes Junio ha destruido enteramente todas las esperanzas de algunos ventajas de beneficio.

Mi deseo mas grande era de seguir el gran proyecto que habiamos concebido sobre la Ciudad de Petaluma para hacer de ella una poblacion enteramente granera como Koma mo dice. El Sr. Dillon se ha resipiado enteramente y aun creo que en esto no le quita mas que el interes; por lo demas V. que el le habia ofrecido una visita en Sonoma a V. y a Mr. Fiebi y que nunca ha cumplido su palabra y asi sobre el debe V. hacer recaer toda la culpa, quedandome a mi el sentimiento de haber sido el primero que indico a V. el proyecto que por el momento no ha tenido efecto por el desuido del Sr. Dillon. Siento mucho no tener en

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mi poder los planos de la Ciudad de Petaluma que V. me pide. Los incendios de los meses de Mayo y Junio los han hecho desaparecer. Sin embargo; creo que en poder de uno de mis amigos de la mision de Dolores deba tener una y en caso que asi sea y la pueda conseguir se la remitire a V. por el primer conducto seguro.

Mucho siento el ver que este negocio no se haya llevado al cabo como deseaba y era de esperar; pero como no he sido yo la causa creo tener sobre el asunto algunos derechos todavia aunque no sea mas que por los gastos que el mismo asunto me ha ocasionado.

Aguardando el placer de ver a V. personalmente aprovecho la ocasion de asegurarle de la consideracion y aprecio con que queda de V. como siempre muy atto. Servidor

Jules. Castro

P.D. Como mis dos civitas se quemaron tengo que estar aqui precisamente para salvarlas e establecer pero luego que lo este es probable para ir a verlo Vale

J. Castro

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Valleys - when is the Capital?

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July 16, 1851
Enclosure to 180.

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EVENING PICAYUNE.

CITY OFFICIAL PAPER.
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WEDNESDAY, July 16, 1851.
WING STATE TICKET.

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For Governor.

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For Attorney General.

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For State Treasurer.

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VALLEJO—WHERE IS THE CAPITAL?

When the last Legislature accented to the proposals of Gen. Vallejo, and determined to remove the seat of Government from San Francisco to the Imperial Valley, it is now located, many of our friends, nearly all intelligent men, who are not interested personally in the matter, prophesied that the whole movement would speedily explode and show the folly of the originators of the scheme, and produce serious loss and great inconvenience to the State. The prophecy will be verified.

In the first place, it was obviously impossible for Gen. Vallejo, or any other individual, with resources less than infinite, to fulfil the stupendous promises which he made to the State. So far, however, as that individual was concerned, he was doubtless honest, and was persuaded, by the wild misrepresentations and extravagant speculations of the men who became the seat of Government, that they would be such a general demand for real property in the new city, that the immediate sale of lots would produce a revenue sufficient to meet his engagements with the State for the erection of public buildings, and at once convert his unpretending ranch into a magnificent city. With a credulity more to be pitied than condemned, he listened to the pleasing story of boundless wealth, and overruling honors that were to be heaped upon him, on conditions, and in an evil hour, he made propositions to the State that nothing short of a miracle could enable him to accomplish, and which nothing but madness or something worse would have induced the State to accede to.

The Legislature, upon the simple word of Gen. Vallejo, and his associates, has committed itself to a wild and impracticable private speculation, by which the State might lose, and gain much. Had not the Legislature been in a most lamentable state of stupefaction, they must have foreseen the final issue of the matter; and, had they not been in a still more lamentable state of corruption, they would never have become parties to the transaction.

The originators of the enterprise, of course, had a perfect right to go into that or any other speculation for the creation of a monopoly, a barren waste, upon their own responsibility and at their own risk. With that the public had nothing to do; but they had no right to force their project forward by invading the State into it, through promises and engagements which they certainly had not the power, nor, there is good reason to believe, the disposition to fulfil.

It is a fact no less unfortunate than remarkable, that, with scarcely an exception, every act and measure of the Legislative and Executive branches of the Government of this State, has been framed, passed, and executed with the single and specific object of advancing private interests, in some shape or other; and, in most cases, the honor and welfare of the Commonwealth has not only been deemed of secondary importance, or overlooked altogether, but contemned, violated, and most grossly sacrificed. Prominent in the system of special private legislation that has obtained, is a law by which the seat of government was removed to Vallejo. The project, as every one knows, was conceived and carried out, not in consideration of the collateral advantages that might possibly accrue to the State, but for the sole and unqualified purpose of enhancing the value of private property, that never could have been made valuable otherwise. The consideration proposed to the State for this bonus to the proprietors of the new city, was, in fairness, sufficiently liberal; and, had the circumstances under which the terms were offered, given the slightest promise of their faithful performance, their acceptance by the Legislature would have been less obnoxious to the charge of corruption, and the necessity of investigating against their action would not have arisen. But such was not the case.

It was as obvious as a snow, that forced sales of property in Vallejo, would never produce a revenue sufficient to complete the works promised by Gen. Vallejo. No one, we presume can suppose that gentlemen to be silly enough to have expended his whole private fortune in the erection of buildings for the use of the State, unless, by doing so, he can enhance the value of his own property sufficiently to reimburse him for his outlay. But we must suppose that he will either do so improbable a thing, or that the whole scheme will fail. It may be urged by interested parties, that the contractors have two years for the completion of the work, and that, in that time, they can accomplish all they have undertaken. In the meantime, temporary buildings are in progress of erection, for the accommodation of the officers of State, the Legislature, &c. But what advantage will the State derive from them? None whatever. She will, in the end, with- out a dollar's worth of benefit, be compelled to pay eight or ten times the cost of their erection, and then erect suitable buildings at her own expense.

We have no disposition to interfere with the private business of any man, or association of men; but when it becomes necessary to be advanced the interests of the State, and her people, we feel it to be our duty as public journalists to the people, in representing the impolicy and the expense of the project entered into by the Legislature of Vallejo, we are actuated by no other consideration than that of rendering no other consideration than that of rendering what we believe to be a necessary service to

the public. We are not, and cannot be, interested in the success or the failure of Government, or in the success or the failure of any individual, but we are only interested to see the State from embarrassment and to keep the master.

In the present position of this affair we see no prospect of any other issue, unless something be done to prevent it, than that the engagement of the proprietors of the supposed capital will be violated, their bond forfeited, Gen. Vallejo duped, robbed, and stoned, the State cheated, humbugged, laughed at, and the whole thing will be a failure.

This scheme falling—and it will fall—where will the seat of Government be? At San Jose? or will some new point have to be selected? The people, as well as speculators, are interested in this matter, and they should look to it.

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In the first place, it was obviously impossible for Gen. Vallejo, or any of the other members of the Legislature, to fill the State—four hundred miles, which he made to the State—

So far, however, as that individual was concerned, it is a doubtless honest, and was presided over by the willful misrepresentations of unscrupulous speculators, that so soon as the contemplated town became the seat of Government, there would be such a general demand for real property in the new city, that the immediate sale of lots would produce a revenue sufficient to meet his engagements with the State for the erection of public buildings, and at once convert his unpretending ranch into a magnificent city. With a credulity more to be pitied than condemned, he listened to the pleasing story of boundless wealth, and everlasting honors that were to be heapd upon him, on conditions, and in an evil hour, he made propositions to the State that nothing short of a miracle could enable him to accomplish, and that no man capable of such a thing could be so foolish as to believe him, or so mad as to listen to him. The Legislature, upon the simple word of Gen. Vallejo for the fulfillment of his contract, lent itself to a wild and impracticable private speculation, by which the State might lose, and gain much. Had not the Legislature been in a most lamentable state of satisfaction, they must have foreseen the final issue of the matter; and, had they not been in a still more lamentable state of corruption, they would never have become parties to the transaction.

The originators of the enterprise, of course, had a pocket right to go into that or any other speculation for the creation of a town upon a barren waste, upon their own responsibility, and upon their own venture; but they had no right to force their project forward by investing the State into it, through promises and engagements which they certainly had not the power, nor, there is good reason to believe, the disposition to fulfil.

It is a fact no less unfortunate than remarkable, that, with scarcely an exception, every act and measure of both the Legislative and Executive branches of the Government of this State, has been framed, passed, or carried out with the single and special object of advancing private interests, and thus shape or other; and, in most cases, the honor and welfare of the community have not only been deemed of secondary importance, or overlooked altogether, but contemned, violated, and most grossly sacrificed. Prominent in the system of special private legislation that has obtained, is the act by which the seat of Government was removed to Vallejo. The project, as every one knows, was conceived and consummated, not in consideration of the collateral advantages that might possibly accrue to the State, but for the sole and undisguised purpose of enhancing the value of private property, that never could have been made valuable otherwise. The consideration proposed to the State for this purpose, was, substantially, that, in future years, when the buildings were erected, given the slightest promise of their faithful performance, the State would be obliged to change its location, and the necessity of investigating against their action would not have arisen. But such was not the case.

It was as obvious then as now, that forced sales of property in Vallejo, would never produce a revenue sufficient to complete the works promised by Gen. Vallejo. No one, we presume, can suppose that gentlemen so highly enough to expend his whole private fortune in the erection of buildings for the use of the State, unless, by doing so, he can enhance the value of his own property sufficiently to reimburse him for his outlay. But we must suppose that he will either do so improbable a thing, or that the whole scheme will fail. It may be urged by interested parties, that the contractors have two years for the completion of the work, and that, in that time, they can accomplish all they have undertaken. In the meantime, temporary buildings are in progress of erection, for the accommodation of the officers of the State, the Legislature, &c. But what advantage will the State derive from them? None whatever. She will, in the end, without discretion, be compelled to pay eight or ten times the cost of their erection, and then erect suitable buildings at her own expense.

We have no disposition to interfere with the private business of any man, or association of men; but when it becomes necessary to do so in advocating the interests of the State, and her people, we feel it to be our duty to denounce the course of those who are rendering the impracticability of the contract entered into by the proprietors of Vallejo, we are actuated by no other consideration than that of rendering what we believe to be a necessary service to

the public. We are not, and cannot be, interested in the location of the seat of Government at any particular point, and are only desirous to save the State from embarrassment and loss in the matter.

In the present position of this affair we see no prospect of any other issue, unless something be done to prevent it, than that the capital will be "violated," their bond forfeited, Gen. Vallejo duped, rebuked, and ruined, the State cheated, humbugged, laughed at, and the whole thing end in smoke.

This scheme failing—and it will fail—where will the seat of Government be? At San Jose? There are no point have to be selected! The people, as well as the Legislature, interested in this matter, and they should look to it.

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Atocha, A J

: (late a) M. G. Valero, July 17, 1851

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Hopes to visit Valero soon and discuss prospects for the town of Valero. Sending a clipping (179)

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1851 - Julio 17 - San Francisco A. S. Antocha á M. G. Vallejo -
Casa particular - Digo que deseo ver la ley de la Legislatura
relativa al establecimiento de la Capital en Vallejo - Le remito un
impreso de San Francisco julio 17 de 1851

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Sar. Genl. D. M. G. Vallejo Sonoma 476

Mi muy apreciable amigo

Esta tarde saldre de aqui para S. Jose en compaña del amigo Howard y volveremos el lunes, á mi vuelta ire á ver á U. y me acompañará el Sr. M. Lane para que podamos establecer de una vez el fundamento de la reclamacion de U. contra el gobierno. Deseo tambien ver al mismo tiempo la ley de la Legislatura para el establecimiento de la capital en Vallejo, asi como las concesiones ó los titulos de Borcol y Barkines. Ademas hablaremos de todo cuanto pueda convenir á U. para sus negocios en el futuro. Espero en consecuencia, que la semana proxima estara U. en Sonoma, en donde tendre el gusto de verlo.

Le incluyo un articulo que salio ayer en el Picayune concierne á Vallejo en donde está la capital, para que vea lo que dicen los editores.

Divane U. por parte de las piés de mi Sr. D. Francisco, su amable esposa, y demas niñas de su apreciable familia, considerandome U. su mas atento servidor y sincero amigo, que lo aprecia y se ofrece á su orden.

A. J. Antocha

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: [Carta a] Guadalupe Vallego, July 18, 1851

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Introducing Doctor Seymsch, a
possible tutor for Vallego's children.

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Sacramento City Julio 18. 1851.

M. Señor Don Guadalupe Vallejo
Sonoma. 478

Muy Señor mío y de mi respeto.

Habiendo entendido que Vm tiene necesidad de un preceptor para sus niños, yo como por eso la franqueza de recomendarle mi amigo el Doctor Gaynisch de esa, quien se quedaria contento con un muy pequeño salario. Mi amigo es de nacimiento alemán, y despues de haber viajado muchos años con el Duque de Newwied en Europa y America, el se coloco en los Estados Unidos, donde vivio 16 años. - Un año y medio ha el fue enviado a California por unas sociedades científicas para hacer exploraciones geológicas y hallando este clima muy apropiado para su salud, el desea quedarse aqui el resto de su vida. Por los muchos libros que ha escrito, el Doctor Gaynisch es muy conocido en Europa y en America como uno de los primeros geólogos de este siglo; - tambien es muy versado en muchas otras utiles ciencias; - su esposa habla perfectamente bien italiano, frances, ingles y alemán, y ademas ella toca el piano y canta con suma perfeccion; - por consiguiente ella puede ser de ventaja inmenso para las Señoritas sus hijas de Vm. Sr. y Sr. Gayn.

son gente ⁴⁷⁹ muy religiosa y sencilla de cuya suma honradez y profundos conocimientos yo respondo con mi vida y propiedad. - Por lo que toca a mi, yo tengo desde seis años una casa de comercio en San Petersburgo en Rusia y habiendo recibido la triste noticia que mi hermano se murio aqui a Sacramento, yo vine por acá para salvar su propiedad. Habiendo llevado conmigo un capital considerable, yo hago aqui desde 4 meses (asuntos) negocios de Banco (prestando dinero sobre casas y terrenos y sobre obligaciones del Estado de esta ciudad; - como los negocios de Banco son extraordinariamente ventajosos en California yo pienso quedarme aqui algunos años. El Sr. D. Davidson agente de Rothschild a San Francisco como tambien los Srs. Page, Bacon & Co a S.F. le daran a Vm todas las informes que Vm pueda desear sobre mis circunstancias y mi caracter; - D. Davidson me conocia ya muy bien a San Petersburgo en Rusia. - Ya en Rusia, Inglaterra y Francia yo he leido y oido hablar mucho del celebre Don Guadalupe Vallejo, y en verdad yo no puedo expresarle cuanto yo me alegraria de hacer el conocimiento personal de Vm. -

En expectativa de su agradecida respuesta de Vm, me quedo con el mayor respeto
D. J. M. D.

H. Schliemann

Si vase Vm escribime:
Henry Schliemann
Sacramento City
California

Sacramento City Julio 18. 1857.

M. Sr. Don Guadalupe Vallejo
Sonoma. 478

Muy Sr. mio y de mi respeto.

Habiendo entendido que Ven tiene necesidad de un preceptor para sus niños, yo como por eso la franqueza de recomendarle mi amigo el Doctor Goyenisch de esa, quien se quedaria contento con un muy pequeño salario. Mi amigo es de nacimiento alemán, y despues de haber viajado muchos años con el Duque de Saxe Weimar en Europa y America, el se coloco en los Estados Unidos, donde vivio 16 años. Un año y medio ha el fue enviado a California por unas sociedades científicas para hacer exploraciones geológicas y hallando este clima muy apropiado para su salud, el desea quedarse aqui el resto de su vida. Por los muchos libros que ha escrito, el Doctor Goyenisch es muy conocido en Europa y en America como uno de los primeros geólogos de este siglo; - tambien es muy versado en muchas otras utiles ciencias; - su esposa habla perfectamente bien italiano, frances, ingles y alemán, y ademas ella toca el piano y canta con suma perfeccion; - por consiguiente ella puede ser de ventaja inmenso para las Señoritas sus hijas de Ven. Sr. y Sr. Goyen.

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Sacramento

Introducing Doctor Sigmund, a possible tutor for Vallejo's children.

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man al Gal. Valles - Recomendándoles al
Doctor Sayrieth N^o preceptor de sus hijos.
Igualmente añade, que desea mucho formar
relacion, con el celebre D. Guadalupe Va-
lles de quien, ha oido hablar en Rusia- In-
glaterra y Francia

Sacramento City Julio 18. 1851.

M. Señor Don Guadalupe Vallejo
Sonoma. 478

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D. J. M. D.

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Sacramento City
California

Sacramento City Julio 18. 1851.

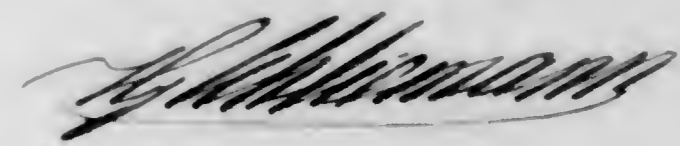
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Mc Lane, Robert M

: Letter to J. M. G. Vallejo, July 26, 1851

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Redevelopment of Vallejo.

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1851 - July 26th San Francisco - Letter from
General Vallejo - About private
matters

San Francisco
26th July 1851.

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To Genl. N. G. Vallejo

My Dear Sir,
I find on my arrival here, that
the enclosed memorandum, not included
in the package containing your account
against the United States, & your instructions
regard thereto. It was copied by Captain
Fisher & signed by me for your information
& satisfaction. I therefore return it to you
by mail - I am quite persuaded that a
pay ment by you of any portion of your
obligation to the State in Sercp, would
only tend to facilitate the designs of
those who would remove the Capital
to some new point, on the ground that
a deficiency of public accommodation
& building rendered such change necessary.
If this question is to be met at all, it is
far better to meet it without any further
expenditure on your part. You are already
engaged in erecting the necessary building
for

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for the temporary accommodation of the
 your members in conformity with your plans,
 when the Legislature meets, you can readily
 explain to them the circumstances which
 render an extension of time necessary & proper,
 within which the permanent buildings
 may be erected or provided for, on your
 part. It will be some strength for you
 to make your own payments in money
 or land, when you have ascertained
 how far they are disposed to deal with
 you in a spirit of reasonable equity
 & justice - meanwhile I recommend the
 immediate meeting of any responsible party
 - who is willing to erect Hotels & Boarding
 Houses, which are indispensable to receive
 accommodations for those called to valley
 by the public business & the our individual
 interests - the erection of such buildings
 together with the necessary arrangements
 for a temporary Capital, will enable
 me to bring the whole subject properly
 before the Legislature - I remain with
 respect,
 Dear Sir,
 Yours & faithfully
 Wm. H. Hall

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Wohler, Herman ; [Letter to] M. G. Vallejo, Aug. 10, 1851

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Letter of introduction to Mr.

Augusta Dunch

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1851 - Aug. 10th - Herman Wohler introduces
Auguste Dorch to Genl. Vallejo " "
N. G. Vallejo Coy. Sonoma.

Dear General

Allow me to introduce to you in the bearer of
this letter Mr. Auguste Dorch, a particular friend
of me and a merchant of very high standing at Sonoma.
Mr. Dorch is going to see Sr. Salvador on a little
business and I hope he may meet him at Sonoma.
I received your letter on Tuesday afternoon, but
was laid up with an Monday and yesterday, to say certainly
I shall pay the amount to P. Wells & Co. and shall
have this afternoon to Benice & Sonoma.

San Francisco 10th of Aug.
1851.

Yours most obed^t
Herman Wohler

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West, Guadalupe (Vasquez) : Convenio ... , Aug. 22, 1851

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(Mrs. William Marx West)

Draft of agreement with William
McKnight re rental of some of
Mrs. West's property. In hand of
M. G. Vasquez.

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Convenio celebrado entre Guadalupe West y Wm. M. Knibb
hoy veinte y dos de Agosto de mil ochocientos cincuenta y cinco
1º La Srta. West, vende, por el término de diez años
a Wm. M. Knibb - acre de tierra en la parte del
del plano del rancho del rancho de S. Miguel, propie-
dad de la testamentaria de Mary West.

2º El Sr. se compromete a hacer una
buena, cerca la cantidad de diez arboles misioneros
con buen cerco, plantar arboles frutales y viñas, to-
do lo cual, quedará a favor de la Srta. West o
sus herederos y sucesores, a la expiracion de los
diez años, entendiéndose que todo, tanto arroyo como ca-
sas, cercos y huertas estan en buen estado
de uso &c.

3º El Sr. durante el transcurso de
los diez años pagara los impuestos (taxes) al
Estado y Condado, sin que la Srta. West tenga que
haber nada de ningun respecto &c.

4º La tierra que ocupa el Sr. le
será devuelta y entregada por la Srta. West, sin
que en ningun tiempo pueda alegar reclama-
cion alguna de la que sobre se le habla &c.

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Ms Douglas, John, 1817-1866: (Letter 3, Aug. 24, 1851?)

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Requesting some information about
proposal of Valleys as capital.

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1857 - August 24 - Sacramento - John Mc Dougal
to _____ Asking information as to what is
to be done, by _____ entrusted in getting the vote
for the seat of Government to Sacramento City
Vallejo - Further stating that Graham
is sick -

Aug. 24th 1857

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Dear Sir,

The time is so near
at hand, that some systematic
plan should be agreed upon by
those interested in getting the
vote for the seat of government
at Vallejo. that I write for some
information as to what is to
be done by our associates,

Be pleased to let me know
as soon as practicable what
course is to be pursued,

So far as this district is
concerned, everything depend
on the action of those interested,

Graham is sick below,
& I have no get no authority
to obtain assistance from
others. We select candidates
the coming ten days. I
desire to be addressed

Yrs truly
J. M. Dougal

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Cover, Samuel J

; [Letter to] Mariano C. Vallojo, Aug. 30, 1851

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San Francisco
Introducing a Mr. Somoza.

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1851 - San Francisco 30 Aug. 1857.

Sam. J. Gower introduces Mr. Gorno
to Gen. Vallejo

My dear General.

I have great pleasure in introducing to you Mr. Gorno. - You will recollect that Mr. Parabia left with you in the month of February or March ¹⁸⁵¹ thirty ounces to buy cattle, & afterwards died without having rec^d the same. Mr. Gorno spoke to you about them sometime in the month of June or July when I was in Benicia & the cattle were to be assigned to me if I could possibly find a purchaser - which not having ever been able to do, & having shortly after left Benicia - things remained in the ^{same} manner as before. The object of Mr. Gorno's visit at present, is to settle this affair as he is about to leave the Country & any thing you can do to facilitate his wishes I shall consider as a personal favor.

I remain
Dear General
Yours truly
Sam. J. Gower.

To Gen. Mariano G. Vallejo
Sonoma

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McLane, Robert M

: [Letter to] M. G. Vallejo, Sept. 4, 1851

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San Francisco

Has confereed with Fremont on land claims and cattle matters.

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San Francisco
Sept. 1851.

1851 - Sept 4 - San Francisco
Robert M. McLane to Gen. Vallejo
Stating he has conferred with Col. Fremont in regard to Vallejo's claims against the United States, and also about the sale of cattle - He desires to see the Indian Commissioners before giving his reply on the latter point.

to Genl M. G. Vallejo

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My Dear Sir,

I am sorry that the delay of Colonel Fremont in reaching San Francisco has obliged me to defer a visit I was anxious to make you. I have seen Colonel Fremont & conferred with him fully in regard to the accounts you have to render against the United States. I have also at the request of Mr Frisby conferred with him in regard to a sale of Cattle for you to him - He desires me to await a few days for him to see the Indian Commissioners before he replies definitively on these points. I hope I shall not be delayed beyond this
W.M.

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work, meanwhile I hope I have taken
the proper steps, to spare Mr. F. by any
inconvenience which my delay might
occasion.

I beg to make my respectful regards
to Mr. Pally's & the ladies, who
remain with respect & friendship
Yours obedient servant
Wm. Mc Lane

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Hopkins, Wadley R

Letter J, Sept. 11, 1857

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Benicia

No coal in Suisun Valley,

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1851 - Sept. 11 - Benicia - Woolsey R. Hopkins
to Gen. Vallejo - About coal mines

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Benicia Sept 11 1851

Dear Sir

I have lately visited the Coal Region in Suisun Valley; and sent a specimen of the Coal to Dr. Jaymisch of Sacramento who speaks favourably of it. This gentleman was one of a Company who opened the Plopbury Coal Mines in the Northern part of Pennsylvania; which are now extensively worked. I was in the employ of the same Company.

I write to say that I shortly expect to go to New York with a view of returning. Learning that you were offering inducements to explore & work the Coal bed, I wish to know what arrangement can be made with you for that purpose.

If the encouragement you hold out is favourable I shall send for Dr. Jaymisch and spend a day at Suisun with him. I have been trying for more than a week to see Capt. Priskie but have not found him at home; & have but little time to make my inquiries.

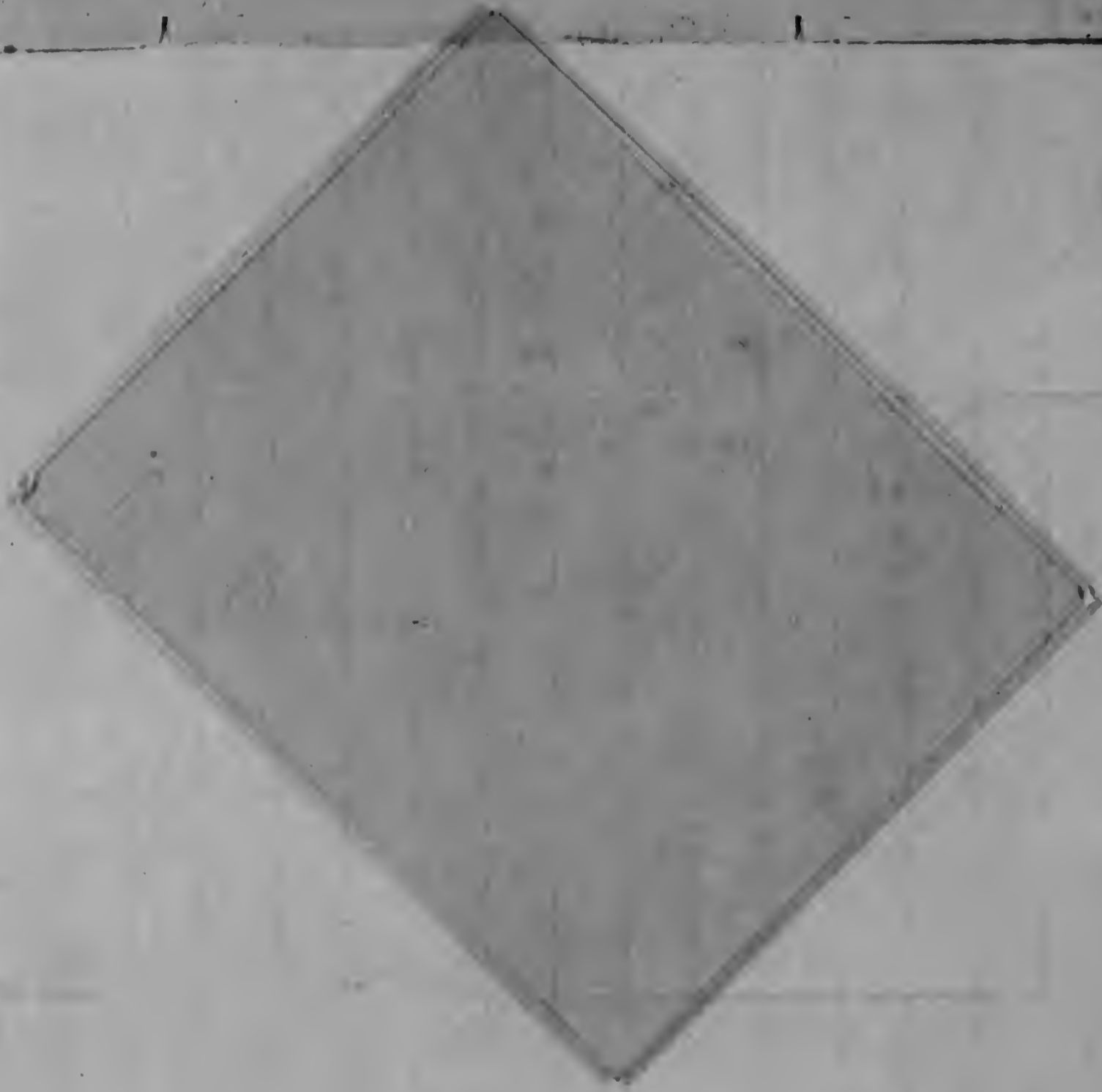
Hoping to hear from you by return of mail; I remain

Very Respectfully
Your Hunt Servant
Woolsey R. Hopkins

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Insomnis — 1 — 360
Tenny — 2 — 360
Stella — 3 — 360



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Vallejo, Mariano (Guadalupe), 1807-1890: [Carta a] José [Vallejo], Sept. 21, 1851

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Summa
asking him to count the cattle at
Rancho Petaluma.

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1851 - Setiembre 21 - Sonoma - Carta de M. L. Vallejos a su hijo Jose - Relativa al numero de reses que hay en el rancho de Petaluma - " - "
Sonoma Set. 21/51. N^o 189 487

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José:

El Sr. Lugo me ha ofrecido pasaban que en el rancho de Petaluma hay mas de 3000 reses, y si lo puede hacer con sus gentes y se puede ayudar algo, yo tengo interes en que se aumente el ganado, o por lo menos muy apropiadamente. Si se puede arreglar esto y saber cuanto ganara usted, estaria muy contento si hay cuantos mil reses de J. V.

M. L. Vallejos

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Vallejo, Mariano Guadalupe?, 1807-1890; [Letter to J.W. P. Swimp, Sept. 22, 1851]

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Re sale of some of his cattle.

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1857 - Sept. 22^d - Sonoma - Gen. Vallejo to W. P. Erving - In relation to the sale of cattle - 490
 Sonoma Sept 22^d / 57

Mr W. P. Erving Sir

I understood from you yesterday that two thousand head of cattle was the limit to which you wished to purchase and as I am assured the number of cattle on the rancho far exceeds that I reserve to myself the privilege of selling such excess to any other parties and as you only desired a guarantee of two thousand head you cannot be prejudiced by a sale of the surplus to other parties

Very Respectfully Yours
 J. P. Vallejo

P.S. Mr Lucas will be at Petaluma day after ~~on~~ ^{Friday} ~~Monday~~ to collect the cattle

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Agre, Mahlon D

[Letter to J Vallojo, Sept. 28, 1851]

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San Francisco

Re conditions of sale for some of Vallojo's horses.

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1851 - Sept 28 - San Francisco - Mahlon D. Eyre proposes to take from Gen. Vallejo, five hundred horses under certain conditions

San Francisco 28th Sept 1851

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General Vallejo
Sir

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I propose to take from you Five Hundred horses and mares, said horses and mares to be from three years old upwards, as fast as I can break them, and others as the markets may require them.

To break said animals after the American manner to harness and saddle, to put said animals into the markets at remunerating prices as fast as they are broken, to keep a correct account of all expenses of breaking said animals and selling them, deducting said expenses from the Sale price, pay one half of the remainder to you as your share of the transaction.

Remain, Sir

Respectfully Yours

Mahlon D. Eyre

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General Vallejo
Present

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Robinson & Ridell, Benicia, Cal. : [Letter to] M. G. Dallajon, Sept. 23, 1851

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Benicia

Requesting location of an ear
in an old seed.

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Genl G Vallejo

Sanoma

to Cal

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1857
Benicia Sep 29th 1857

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Genl G Vallejo

Dear Sir

I take the liberty of addressing you respecting a tract of Land Bought by Thomas B Patton from you bearing date twenty eight of February 1849 said said call for the North Half of Section 5 containing 300 acres and laying West of a tract of Land sold by you to S. H. Fine

There is a mistake in the number of the section which should be Section 10 Mr Fine having Bought in Section 9 which would make Patton's Land according to the Description in Sect 10 if you have no objections you would oblige me to make a deed to me to Rectify the error in the original and oblige Yours very Respect

Robinson & Kidell

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Seawell, W

: [Letter to J Vallego, Oct. 8, 1851

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Benicia

Re purchasing some papers from
Vallego.

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1851 - October 8th - Benicia - W. Seawell
desires to purchase from Gen. Vallejo the
small Valley situated half a mile from of the
new Barracks, under certain conditions -

Benicia, October 8th, 1851.

To,
Genl Vallejo
Sir,

Provided you will sell at a
reasonable price, I wish to purchase of you
the small valley about one half a mile north
of the new Barracks near this place, with
the privilege of taking the intervening hill
land or as much of it as I may want.

Should you be disposed to sell
please inform me as early as convenient
& state the price per acre for valley & hill.

Yours very respectfully,
W. Seawell

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Vallejo, Mariano Guadalupe?, 1807-1890 : - Adventure ... O.J. 9, 1851

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Summary

for lots in Vallejo to Selim E. Woodworth,
by John B. Frisbie, attorney for M. G. Vallejo -
Not signed.

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9. Oct 1857, 1857 - October 9th - Deed of conveyance to
Salem C. Woodworth from M. Vallejo
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This Indenture made and entered into this
tenth day of October in the year one thousand &
eight hundred and fifty one By and between
Marciano S Vallejo of the Town of Sonoma in the
County of Sonoma and State of California of the first
part by John B Frasier his attorney in fact acting
by virtue of a Power of Attorney on file in the office
of the Recorder of Land titles for the County of
Solano in the State of California and Salem
C Woodworth of said State of the second part
Witnesseth:
That the said party of the first part
for and in consideration of the sum of one dollar
to him in hand paid by the said party of the second
part the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, hath
given, granted, bargained and sold and by these
presents doth give, grant, bargain, sell alien, convey
and confirm unto the said party of the second part
and to his heirs and assigns for ever the following
described several Lots or parcels of ground, situate
lying and being in the City of Vallejo known and
described according to the Survey and Plans made
and drawn by Edward B Kellogg Esq. - (Town)
Lot number Four in Block (247) Two hundred & forty
Seven - Lots numbers One and Two in Block (323)
Three hundred and twenty three - Lots numbers one,
Two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine,

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ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, and sixteen in Block (405) Four hundred and five being all the lots in said Block - Also Lots numbers one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen and sixteen in Block (84) Eight hundred and fourteen being all the lots in said Block - Also Lots numbers nine, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen and sixteen in Block (149) One hundred and forty nine - Also Lots numbers one, two, three, four, five, six & seven in Block (1093) One thousand and ninety three - Containing in all Fifty Lots on the said City of Vallejo.

I have and to hold the said several Lots of land with all and singular the privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging or in anywise appertaining to the sole and only use benefit and behoof of the said party of the second part and to his heirs and assigns forever. - And the said party of the first part for himself his heirs executors and administrators Covenant and agree to and with the said party of the second part and his heirs and assigns, The said several lots or parcels of land and Bargained premises and ever part and parcel thereof unto the said party of the second part and his heirs and assigns against all manner claims he will warrant and for ever defend the same by these presents. In Testimony

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whereof the said party of the first part has Remains set his hand and affixed his seal the day and Year first above written

Signed sealed
delivered in presence
of



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McLane, Robert M

: Letter to J William F. Swasey [ca. 00.1851]

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Valley has advised that some of his claims against the U.S. be turned over to Swasey, in some manner, with note and letter by Swasey, stating he has turned over that interest to A. Nordall. (Companion, copies)

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"To William F. Swasey Esq"

"My dear Sir"

"I am instructed by Genl Vallejo in collecting his personal claim against the U.S. amounting to one hundred and seven thousand dollars to hold four thousand dollars thereof to your order as a compensation to you for services rendered him as an agent and Secretary in stating and preparing his business and accounts"

Very respectfully for Obt Servt
Robt M McLane

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"R. M. McLane Esq"

"Dear Sir"

"I have assigned my interest in the claim of Gen. Vallejo (against the U.S. Government) to A Randall"

San Francisco
Oct. 11th 1857

Respectfully Yours Obt Servt
W. F. Swasey

"For value received I hereby assign all my right and interest to the within claim to A. Randall"

"San Francisco Oct. 4th 1857" W. F. Swasey

"Witnessed"

Jacob R. Snyder

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1851 (no date) Robert M. Mc Lane
to W. F. Grayson - Stating that he
has been instructed by Gen. Vallejo to
hold four thousand dollars from the
amount collected of his claim against
the U. S. to pay Grayson as a com-
pensation for services rendered.

— " —

1851 - Oct. 11 - W. F. Grayson - Assigns
to A. Randall all his right and in-
terest in Vallejo's claim against the
United States.

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Valley, Mariano Guadalupe, 1807-1890: Memorandum of Agreement, Oct. 10, 1851

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with Washington P. Sumner
re sale of cattle from the
Pohono ranch.

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with Washington P. Swain
re sale of cattle from the
Petaluma ranch.

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And the said party of the second part binds himself under the conditions and penalties above named, to receive and pay for as is herein provided, the said two thousand Head of Cattle if that number there be upon the said Petaloni rancho, belonging to the said party of the first part, and if there be not that number then to receive such number as there may be upon the terms & conditions herein specified.

And it is further understood and agreed by the parties to this agreement, that the said party of the second part shall be entitled to an extension of thirty days upon any payments to become due by paying an interest of five per cent per month therefor, provided however that such extension does not conflict with the advance of two thousand dollars herein provided for to be held by the said party of the first part, as security for the faithful performance of the conditions of this agreement by the said party of the second part.

M. G. [Signature]
V. P. [Signature]

Copy Agreement

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Boquo, Francisco

(Carta a) Guadalupe Vallejo, 30. 11, 1851

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Solima

Re arrangements for turning over
some houses to the Americans.

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1851 - Octubre 11 - Sonoma - Fran^{co} Borques á
M^{re} Vallejo - manifestándole estar ya reunida la
caballada que se necesita p^{ra} los americanos etc etc.

Señor D.^o Guadalupe Vallejo 503

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Sonoma Oct. 11 de
1851

Muy Señor Mío

Ya la Caballada que se necesita para
hacer la entrega a los Americanos
está reunida y creo que mi ayuda
para la entrega me sea necesaria; por
lo que su V. lo creí razonable mi ir
ahora mismo con mis bagueros a juntar
caballada para que me la vendan an-
tes que D.^o Anderson y D.^o José salgan pa-
ra el Sacramento pues quedo ir con ellos mis-
mo. Si a más de las quinientas ^{bestias} unidas que he
he podido comprar a V. puede de alguna
manera facilitarme algunos más fin de
hacer un viaje más lucrativo me haré
V. con un buen servicio que siempre re-
morará y V. creo que nunca se arrepenti-
rá de haber algo por mí pues nunca
corresponderé mal a cualesquiera protec-
ción de V. y antes trataré que V. sea ven-
derado en los negocios que emprenda
protijido por V. ~~protegido~~. Espero de

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la contestacion de v. para obrar
segun el tal. Estas vez me proporciono
te de ofuscarme por su mal
adicto y ~~el~~ d. no. dno. 20 de Set. 16.

Juan Co. Borquez

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Green, Thomas Jefferson, 1801-1863: [Letter to] M. G. Vallejo, Oct. 13, 1851

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San Francisco

For an upcoming floral and agricultural exhibition.

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1851 - October 13th - Thos. J. Green to Gen. Vallejo - 505
Referring to the floral & agricultural exhibition
that will take place on the 20th of said month -
Requesting Vallejo, in Shelton's
name, to send from his San Francisco
garden his choice fruits, flowers,
vegetables etc -
Octr 13th 1851.

My Dear Gen. I have just been spoken to
by Mr Shelton, the botanist who is getting
up the floral & agricultural exhibition here
to commence on the 20th inst. who desires
me to write to you and request you to
send from your garden your choice fruits,
flowers, vegetables &c. with your name upon
them & place where grown so that the
catalogue will state these facts.

I think that Senoma, Napa & Susan
shoud show out on this first exhibition of
the kind in Cal. - You will see in
the papers notices where to send any
things of the kind here -

In haste - Your friend truly.

Thos. J. Green.

Gen. M. G. Vallejo,
Senoma,
Cal.

Wind.

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McLane, Robert M

Letter to J. M. G. Vallejo, J. 13, 1851

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Advice in keeping of records and payments relating to the sale of lot and cattle

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1851 - Oct 13 - Robert M. W. Lane to
Genl. Vallejo - Referring to the numbers
& marks on the small plot - stating to
have Vallejo's son associated with Mr
Ewing in counting the cattle in Petaluma
Notified the latter that he expect great
punctuality in his payment. - If these
are made regularly into bank, his (Vallejo)
account there will soon be put in a pro-
per shape

To Genl M. J. Vallejo ²⁰⁹ Oct. 13 - 1851.
My Dear General ¹⁹⁹

Let each section be numbered
on the small plot, just as
it is on the large one. & make
sold every section you wish
received -

Take care to have your son
associated with Mr Ewing in
Counting the Cattle in the
Petaluma - & Tell Mr Ewing
that you look for great punctuality
as your arrangement in town, are
based upon your contract with
him - If you will arrange that
his payments are regularly made
into bank, your account there
will soon be put into proper
shape, & when you require

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An adv. will for taxes is
any receipt any purpose, it
will be more certainly
Com. mandated & depended
upon, than can be the
payments of living. If
your revenues not required
for domestic expenses all
thus brought together
including the sale of
Cattle from Los Cal
& Pata luma and also
the Lands, there will
soon be a fund for
bearing the same

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rate of interest on the
Debt which will
acting with it at maturity
one half at Four months
& one half at six months
any sale made by Capt
Frisbie or your self. ought
to take the same direction
the cash payment being sent
at once to Bank, & the notes
sent to me for collection
through the Bank to whom
the purchasers will pay
more certainly than to you
Yours sincerely & faithfully
Wm. H. Mc Lane
Oct 13. 1857.

1809

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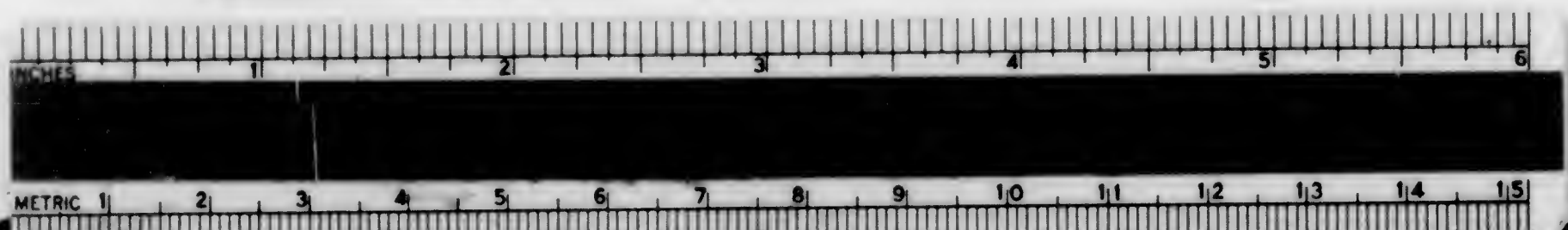
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