

State of California,
Monterey County }

I now all men by these presents that we
the undersigned, being subscribers to the
Stock of a contemplated Rail-Road from
a point in the city of Monterey in the
County of Monterey and State of California,
through said County to the town of Salinas
City, also in said County, and being
desirous of forming a corporation, do hereby
adopt the following:

"Articles of Incorporation"

Article 1. We the undersigned, whose
names are by us hereunto subscribed, do
hereby form ourselves into a corporation
and become a body politic and
corporate under and by virtue of
the laws of the State of California.

Article 2. The corporate name of
said Corporation to used in its
dealings and by which it shall be
known and sue and be sued, is
and shall be "Monterey and Salinas
Valley Rail-Road Company".

Article 3. The object and purpose
for which said corporation is
formed is to build, construct, own
and put in operation a narrow

gauge Rail Road in said
County, extending from a point
at or near deep-water in the
Bay of Monterey within the
corporate limits of said City
of Monterey to the town of
Salinas City aforesaid.

Article 4. The general route of
said line of Railroad is and
shall be the most practicable
and direct route from said
point in Monterey City to said
town of Salinas City, and trav-
elling only territory embraced
within the limits of said
County of Monterey.

Article 5. The estimated length
of said road is twenty-four (24)
miles.

Article 6. The place where the
principal business of said
corporation is to be transacted
shall be said town of Salinas
City.

Article 7. The term for which
the said corporation is to exist
is fifty years from date
hereof.

Article 8. The number of Directors to manage the affairs of said corporation for the first year of its existence shall be seven (7), all of whom are stockholders in said corporation, and whose names and places of residence are as follows.

Names.

A. L. Bogg
C. G. Abbott
Thomas Kildreth
David Jacks
Robert McKee
Alfred Gonzales
William Robson

Residences
San Jose
Salinas Valley
San Jose
Monterey
Salinas City
Monterey
Salinas Valley

Article 9. The amount of said corporations Capital Stock is Three hundred thousand dollars divided into three thousand shares of one hundred dollars each.

Article 10. The amount of Capital Stock of said Corporation now actually subscribed is twenty-five thousand dollars and amounts to at least one thousand dollars for each and every mile of said proposed Railroad.

article 11. The names of the persons who have subscribed the said stock and held shares in said corporation. and the number of shares held by each of them respectively, and the value of the same are as follows.

Names.	No of Shares.	Value
A.S. Bogg	Forty	\$ 4000.
C.S. Abbott	Forty	\$ 4000.
David Jacks	Forty	\$ 4000
Thomas Hildeth	Forty	\$ 4000
Robert McKee	Twenty	2000
A Grisales	Twenty	2000
Wm Robeson	Fifty	5000.

Article 12. At least ten per cent of the amount so actually subscribed. to wit. The sum of two thousand five hundred Dollars has been this day actually and in good faith paid to David Jacks the Treasurer of said corporation this day elected, and hereby named elected and appointed temporary Treasurer of said corporation
In testimony whereof we,

we have hereto severally
subscribed our shares places
of residence, and the number
of said shares of stock held by
each. This twenty sixth day of
February A.D. 1844.

Names.	Residence	No of shares
A. S. Boggs	San Jose	Forty ²⁰
C. S. Abbott	San Joaquin Valley	Forty ²⁰
Thos. Wileath	San Jose	Forty ²⁰
David Jacks	Monterey	Forty ⁴⁰
Robt. McKee.	San Joaquin City	Twenty ²⁰
Alfred Gonzales	Monterey	Twenty ²⁰
Wm Robson	San Joaquin Valley	Eight ⁵⁰

State of California,
County of Monterey }^{do}.

On this twenty eighth
day of February A.D. one thousand and eight
hundred and eighty four personally
appeared before me WMR Parker a
Notary Public in and for said County of
Monterey A. S. Boggs C. S. Abbott Thos. Wileath
David Jacks. Robt. McKee Alfred Gonzales
and Wm Robson known to me to be the persons
whose names are subscribed to the
within instrument and each ack-
nowledged to me that he executed
the same, In whereof I have

benevolently set my hand and
affixed my official seal the day
and year in this certificate
first above written.

W.W. Parker

Notary Public

Notarial Seal

The State of California }
County of Monterey } ss.
} 1841

An this twenty sixth
day of February AD 1841 per-
sonally appeared before me
the undersigned a Notary
Public in and for said County
C S Abbott As Boggs and David
Jacks, three of the Directors of
"The Monterey and Salinas Valley
Railroad Company" and who
being by me severally duly
sworn on their oaths do say,
that over one thousand dollars
for each and every mile of the
Railroad proposed and men-
tioned in the foregoing Articles
of Association to wit: Twenty
five thousand dollars has ac-
tually and in good faith been

✓ stock of said company by the persons whose names
subscribed to the ^{annual subscribed to} Said Articles
of Association, and that ten per
cent on said amount so subscribed
namely, two thousand five hundred
dollars has actually and in
good faith been paid to David
Jacks the Treasurer named
and appointed by said subscribers
are all known to said three
Directors and to each of them
to be subscribed to said Articles
of Association and to be the
persons so represented

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David Jacks

C S Abbott

A L Booga's

Drawn and subscribed

before me this 26.

AD 1844.

W M R Parker

Notary Public

Notarial Seal