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**REPORT**  
**OF THE**  
**SURVEYOR-GENERAL**  
**OF THE**  
**STATE OF CALIFORNIA**  
**From August 1, 1906, to August 1, 1908**

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**W. S. KINGSBURY, Surveyor-General**

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA, OFFICE OF THE SURVEYOR-GENERAL,  
SACRAMENTO, September 12, 1908.

*To His Excellency, J. N. GILLETT,  
Governor of the State of California.*

SIR: In accordance with the requirements of the law relating to the duties of the Surveyor-General, I have the honor to submit the following report of the transactions of this office from August 1, 1906, to August 1, 1908.

Respectfully submitted.

W. S. KINGSBURY,  
Surveyor-General.

## GENERAL OFFICE BUSINESS

### AMOUNT OF FEES COLLECTED BY SURVEYOR-GENERAL.

From August 1, 1906, to August 1, 1908, the Surveyor-General's Office collected and paid into the state treasury the following fees:

1906 -	August.....	\$451 00
	September.....	336 00
	October.....	993 00
	November.....	480 50
	December.....	385 50
1907 -	January.....	696 00
	February.....	720 50
	March.....	808 50
	April.....	513 00
	May.....	443 00
	June.....	1,009 00
	July.....	436 50
	August.....	370 00
	September.....	658 50
	October.....	468 50
	November.....	417 00
	December.....	549 50
1908 -	January.....	530 00
	February.....	641 50
	March.....	386 00
	April.....	462 50
	May.....	528 00
	June.....	329 00
	July.....	377 50
Total.....		\$12,990 50

### AMOUNT OF DEPOSITS RECEIVED BY SURVEYOR-GENERAL.

Under the Act of March 20, 1889, the Surveyor-General received from August 1, 1906 to August 1, 1908, and paid into the state treasury, deposits as follows:

1906 -	August.....	\$600 00
	September.....	660 00
	October.....	1,300 00
	November.....	940 00
	December.....	280 00
1907 -	January.....	1,000 00
	February.....	1,720 00
	March.....	600 00
	April.....	640 00
	May.....	920 00
	June.....	1,720 00
	July.....	740 00

	August.....	520 00
	September.....	480 00
	October.....	840 00
	November.....	540 00
	December.....	1,060 00
1908 -	January.....	840 00
	February.....	820 00
	March.....	460 00
	April.....	560 00
	May.....	220 00
	June.....	640 00
	July.....	480 00
	<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$18,580 00</b>

**AMOUNT OF FEES COLLECTED BY THE REGISTER OF STATE LAND OFFICE.**  
From August 1, 1906, to August 1, 1908.

Month	Paid into State Treasury	Paid to Secretary of State
1906 - August.....	\$33 00	\$3 00
September.....	129 00	38 00
October.....	172 00	75 00
November.....	112 00	54 00
December.....	690 00	62 00
1907 - January.....	135 00	117 00
February.....	81 00	58 00
March.....	235 00	107 00
April.....	216 00	51 00
May.....	548 00	52 00
June.....	248 00	105 00
July.....	153 50	58 00
August.....	50 50	4 00
September.....	221 00	73 00
October.....	129 50	40 00
November.....	135 00	34 00
December.....	778 00	42 00
1908 - January.....	215 00	51 00
February.....	183 50	52 00
March.....	144 50	37 00
April.....	175 00	24 00
May.....	787 00	14 00
June.....	175 00	58 00
July.....	126 00	34 00
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>\$5,872 50</b>	<b>\$1,243 00</b>

**FINANCIAL RECAPITULATION**

Amount of fees, Surveyor-General's office.....	\$12,990 50
Amount of deposits, Surveyor-General's office.....	18,580 00
Amount of fees, Register State Land office.....	5,872 50
Amount of fees collected by register of State Land Office for Secretary of State.....	1,243 00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$38,686 00</b>

## APPLICATIONS TO PURCHASE STATE LANDS

From August 1, 1906 to August 1, 1908, applications to purchase state lands have been received and filed as follows:

District	Number of applications	Acres
San Francisco.....	462	92,638.90
Los Angeles.....	239	74,068.24
Sacramento.....	179	44,802.36
Humboldt.....	105	61,887.04
Shasta.....	296	69,081.34
Visalia.....	247	63,877.24
Susanville.....	469	187,119.83
Independence.....	148	56,633.38
Swamp and overflowed lands.....	26	12,397.63
Lake lands.....	35	3,591.48
Tide lands.....	3	170.34
Totals.....	2,209	666,267.78

## CERTIFICATES OF PURCHASE ISSUED

From August 1, 1906 to August 1, 1908

Grant	Number of certificates	Acres
Sixteenth and thirty-sixth sections and lieu lands.....	793	207,292.61
Swamp and overflowed lands.....	13	1,860.37
Tide lands.....	4	170.34
Lake lands.....	16	695.27
Totals.....	826	210,018.59

## PATENTS ISSUED

From August 1, 1906, to August 1, 1908

Grant	Number of patents	Acres
Sixteenth and thirty-sixth sections and lieu lands.....	594	146,339.73
Five hundred thousand acres.....	7	2,136.28
Swamp and overflowed lands.....	42	6,760.34
Tide lands.....	9	2,191.93
Lake lands.....	39	12,579.80
Totals.....	691	170,008.08

## LANDS LISTED TO THE STATE

From August 1, 1906, to August 1, 1908, lands have been listed to the State of California by the United States, as follows:

Grant	Acres
Indemnity (lieu) lands.....	1,279.55
Swamp lands.....	11,473.69
Total.....	12,753.24

## SCHOOL LAND PAYMENTS.

Amounts received by County Treasurers for the State, principal, and interest, on account of school lands from August 1, 1906, to August 1, 1908.

County	Principal	Interest	Total
Alameda.....	-	\$28 00	\$28 00
Alpine.....	\$160 00	312 51	472 51
Amador.....	160 00	94 90	254 90
Butte.....	1,788 22	144 82	1,933 04
Calaveras.....	2,910 00	263 20	3,173 20
Colusa.....	1,130 00	246 34	1,376 34
Contra Costa.....	100 00	-	100 00
Del Norte.....	690 00	107 78	797 78
El Dorado.....	1,834 04	1,198 17	3,032 21
Fresno.....	8,221 72	2,519 78	10,741 50
Glenn.....	800 00	383 20	1,183 20
Humboldt.....	8,917 47	1,370 99	10,288 46
Imperial.....	4,940 00	1,988 75	6,928 75
Inyo.....	13,068 89	2,418 61	15,487 50
Kern.....	13,946 50	4,580 21	18,526 71
Kings.....	1,040 00	256 66	1,296 66
Lake.....	1,723 43	765 00	2,488 43
Lassen.....	11,458 17	2,034 28	13,492 45
Los Angeles.....	5,860 97	1,531 32	7,392 29
Madera.....	427 34	160 00	587 34
Marin.....	-	-	-
Mariposa.....	558 90	255 91	814 81
Mendocino.....	14,424 00	1,750 28	16,174 28
Merced.....	1,673 08	1,046 02	2,719 10
Modoc.....	11,735 20	3,486 77	15,221 97
Mono.....	9,110 88	2,309 10	11,419 98
Monterey.....	5,595 98	2,324 46	7,920 44
Napa.....	1,701 14	20 39	1,721 53
Nevada.....	390 00	94 80	484 80
Orange.....	-	8 40	8 40
Placer.....	107 00	84 54	191 54
Plumas.....	8,268 22	929 62	9,197 84
Riverside.....	3,845 26	1,076 23	4,921 49
Sacramento.....	-	-	-
San Benito.....	5,067 70	2,203 47	7,271 17
San Bernardino.....	3,464 20	2,887 67	6,351 87

San Diego.....	5,473 06	3,874 20	9,347 26
San Francisco.....	-	-	-
San Joaquin.....	2,794 31	549 17	3,343 48
San Luis Obispo.....	4,958 71	2,547 28	7,505 99
San Mateo.....	1,200 00	174 77	1,374 77
Santa Barbara.....	80 00	192 50	272 50
Santa Clara.....	611 91	186 18	798 09
Santa Cruz.....	50 00	84 00	134 00
Shasta.....	9,976 66	1,323 14	11,299 80
Sierra.....	800 00	-	800 00
Siskiyou.....	22,652 29	976 20	23,628 49
Solano.....	-	-	-
Sonoma.....	1,339 29	255 85	1,595 14
Stanislaus.....	950 00	317 70	1,267 70
Sutter.....	-	-	-
Tehama.....	8,680 01	916 86	9,596 87
Trinity.....	7,110 00	201 19	7,311 19
Tulare.....	3,256 89	1,271 51	4,528 40
Tuolumne.....	3,306 67	617 86	3,924 53
Ventura.....	208 29	324 96	533 25
Yolo.....	480 70	80 01	560 71
Yuba.....	100 00	44 80	144 80
Totals.....	\$219,147 10	\$52,820 36	\$271,967 46