

## GOVERNORS OF CALIFORNIA

## EVENTS IN CALIFORNIA

EVENTS IN THE BRITISH COLONIES  
AND THE UNITED STATESPRESIDENTS  
OF THE UNITED STATES

	Discovery of (Baja) California Cabrillo's discovery of San Diego Bay Drake's landing Vizcaino at the Bay of Monterey	1533 1542 1579 1602 1607 1620 1768 1769		
Gaspar de Portolá			Founding of Jamestown, Virginia Landing of Pilgrims at Plymouth	
Pedro Fages Fernando Rivera y Moncada Felipe de Neve	Founding of San Diego Discovery of San Francisco Bay Founding of Monterey	1770 1773	Boston Massacre	
Pedro Fages	Ayala's exploration of San Francisco Bay Founding of San Francisco Founding of Los Angeles	1775 1776 1781 1782 1783 1786 1787 1789 1791 1792 1794 1797 1800 1801 1803 1806 1809 1814 1815 1817	Battles of Lexington and Concord Declaration of Independence	George Washington
José Antonio Roméu José Joaquín de Arrillaga Diego de Borica	Visit of La Pérouse	1822 1825 1826 1829 1831 1832	Treaty of Paris Constitutional Convention	John Adams Thomas Jefferson
José Joaquín de Arrillaga	Visit of Rezanov	1833 1834 1835 1836	Louisiana Purchase	James Madison
José Argüello Pablo Vicente de Solá	End of Spanish rule Visit of Jedediah Smith	1847	Independence of Texas	James Monroe John Q. Adams Andrew Jackson
Luis Argüello José María Echeandía	Secularization of the missions Alvarado's "revolution" makes California autonomous	1848 1849	Annexation of Texas Mexican War	Martin Van Buren William H. Harrison, John Tyler James K. Polk
Manuel Victoria Pío Pico José María Echeandía (South) Agustín V. Zamorano (North) José Figueroa	American occupation	1853 1856 1857 1858 1859 1860		Zachary Taylor Millard Fillmore
José Castro Nicolás Gutiérrez Mariano Chico Juan Bautista Alvarado	Discovery of gold Monterey Convention Admission to statehood 1st Vigilance Committee in San Francisco	1861 1862 1863 1864 1865 1866 1867 1868 1869 1871 1873 1875	Civil War Pacific Railroad Act Pacific Railroad Act	Abraham Lincoln Andrew Johnson Ulysses S. Grant
Manuel Micheltorena Pío Pico José María Flores MILITARY GOVERNORS: John D. Sloat, Robert F. Stockton, John C. Fremont, Stephen W. Kearny, Richard B. Mason,		1877 1879 1880 1881 1883 1885 1887	Panic of 1873	Rutherford B. Hayes
Persifor F. Smith, Bennett Riley Peter H. Burnett, Ind. Dem. John McDougal, Ind. Dem. John Bigler, Dem.	2nd Vigilance Committee in San Francisco Discovery of Comstock Lode	1889 1891 1893 1895 1897 1899 1901 1903 1906 1907 1909 1910	Panic of 1893	James A. Garfield, Chester A. Arthur Grover Cleveland
J. Neely Johnson, Amer. John B. Weller, Dem. Milton S. Latham, Lec. Dem. John G. Downey, Lec. Dem.	Building of the Central Pacific University of California chartered Depression in California	1911 1913 1915 1917 1921 1923 1927 1929	Stock market crash Great Depression	Benjamin Harrison Grover Cleveland William McKinley Theodore Roosevelt
Leland Stanford, Rep. Frederick F. Low, Union Henry H. Haight, Dem. Newton Booth, Rep. Romualdo Pacheco, Rep. William Irwin, Dem.	New constitution Battle of Mussel Slough Stanford University opened	1931 1933 1934 1939 1941 1942 1943 1945 1950 1953 1959 1960 1961 1963 1967	United States in World War I United States in World War II Korean War	William H. Taft Woodrow Wilson Warren G. Harding Calvin Coolidge Herbert C. Hoover Franklin D. Roosevelt
George C. Perkins, Rep. George Stoneman, Dem. Washington Bartlett, Dem. Robert W. Waterman, Rep. Henry H. Markham, Rep. James H. Budd, Dem. Henry T. Gage, Rep. George C. Pardee, Rep. James N. Gillett, Rep. Hiram W. Johnson, Rep. Hiram W. Johnson (as Prog.) William D. Stephens, Rep. Friend W. Richardson, Rep. Clement C. Young, Rep. James Rolph, Jr., Rep. Frank F. Merriam, Rep. Culbert L. Olson, Dem. Earl Warren, Rep. Goodwin J. Knight, Rep. Edmund G. Brown, Dem. Ronald Reagan, Rep.	Ruef and Schmitz in power San Francisco Graft Prosecution Lincoln-Roosevelt League formed Republican Progressives sweep the state elections Los Angeles Aqueduct Merriam defeats Sinclair Japanese evacuation California Water Bonds			Harry S. Truman Dwight D. Eisenhower John F. Kennedy Lyndon B. Johnson