

**MS 111 BUTTE COUNTY RAILROAD RECORDS**

1903-1906. 8 boxes

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HISTORICAL INFORMATION The Butte County Railroad was incorporated in March 1902 as an interest of the Diamond Match Company. Construction started near Chico, California, the following month. That November the Chico and Northern Railroad (a subsidiary of Southern Pacific) purchased the Butte County Railroad. The line to Stirling, California, was completed in June 1904, with the contracting firm of E. B. and A. L. Stone performing the construction work. The property became part of the Central Pacific Railway in 1916, and was later known as Southern Pacific's Stirling City Branch.

**BOX LIST**

- Box 1 Folder 1 Final construction estimate, 1903
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- Box 1 Folder 3 Monthly construction estimates, April-July 1903
- Box 1 Folder 4 Monthly construction estimates, August 1903-March 1904
- Box 1 Folder 5 Monthly construction estimate, duplicates
- Box 1 Folder 6 E. B. and A. L. Stone, monthly force reports, June-August 1903
- Box 1 Folder 7 E. B. and A. L. Stone, monthly force reports, September-October 1903
- Box 1 Folder 8 Trial balances, November 1903-July 1904
- Box 1 Folder 9 Annual pass list, 1908
- Box 1 [Volume] Statements, October 1903-April 1904
- Box 2 Vouchers, Nos. 1-399, April-August 1903
- Box 3 Vouchers, Nos. 400-724, August-November 1903
- Box 4 Vouchers, Nos. 725-999, November 1903-February 1904
- Box 5 Vouchers, Nos. 1000-1349, February-May 1904
- Box 6 Vouchers, Nos. 1350-1699, May-August 1904
- Box 7 Vouchers, Nos. 1700-2150, August 1904-May 1905
- Box 8 Folder 1 Freight bills for the Butte County Railroad from the Southern Pacific, 1904-1905
- Box 8 Folder 2 Annual report of the Butte County Railroad Company to the Interstate Commerce Commission, 1906, manuscript copy on printed forms

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