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Vital Bangs

Legislator and Activist

Vital Bangs (1834-1913) was born in Victoria, Mexico. In Modesto he was a farmer, teacher, first assessor of the Modesto Irrigation District, two-term legislator in Sacramento, on the board of directors of the county schools, vice president of the teachers' association, secretary of Stanislaus Grange, director of the 28th Agricultural District, a writer, and historian.

Vital Bangs (1834-1913) nació en Victoria, México. En Modesto fue agricultor, maestro, primer asesor del Distrito de Riego de Modesto, legislador durante dos mandatos en Sacramento, miembro de la junta directiva de las escuelas del condado, vicepresidente de la asociación de maestros, secretario de Stanislaus Grange, director del Distrito Agrícola 28, escritor e historiador.

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