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Central California Earthquake Report

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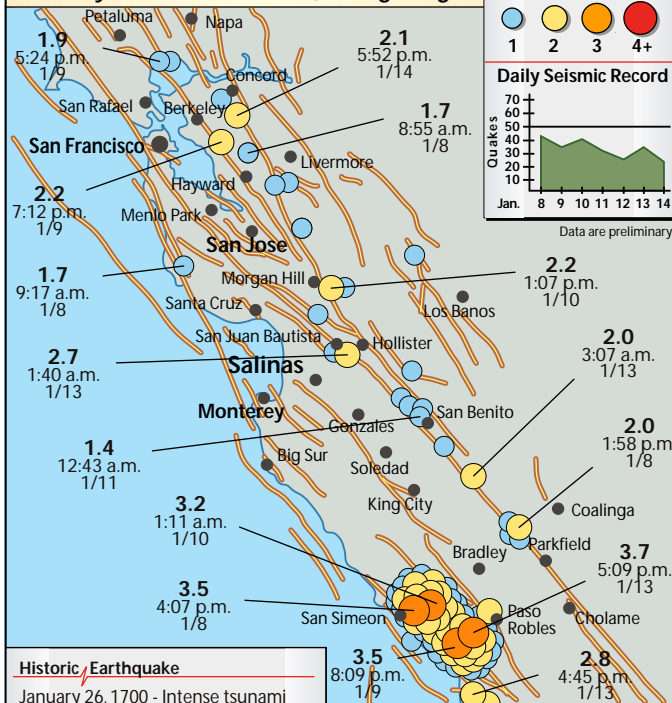
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Magnitude $M \geq 1$	1	2	3+	Total
This Week	120	106	4	230*
Previous week	105	170	16	301*

▼ The aftershock sequence following the Dec. 22 San Simeon M 6.5 earthquake continued to decline, producing about a third as many as the previous week. Most apparent was how much the intensity relaxed, as only four quakes measured in the M 3.0 range. Two clusters of aftershocks were apparent, one in the north and the other in the south. The largest aftershock occurred in the southern aftershock zone. It measured M 3.7 and happened at 5:09 p.m. on Tuesday, Jan. 13, about 10 mi. northwest of Atascadero and 7 mi. southwest of Paso Robles in Sheep Creek Valley. It was felt from San Luis Obispo to Bradley, but was not strong enough to topple items from tables or shelves. Earlier in the week and on Jan. 9, a M 3.5 temblor also occurred in the southern aftershock zone. Twenty miles away, the northern aftershock zone was quite busy, producing the majority of the aftershocks. The largest events measured M 3.5 (Jan. 8) and M 3.2 (Jan. 10) and were locally felt. Also of interest were a pair of M 2.0s near Moro Bay (largest: M 2.8).

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