

nett, and Dr. Robert Mackintosh, Board of Physicians.

**CALIFORNIA LABOR EXCHANGE.**—Commenced operations April 27th, 1868. Sustained by voluntary contributions.

Its objects are to provide employment for all classes of men and women; to obtain and distribute reliable information relating to the resources of the Pacific Coast; to inform all classes of persons where their labor or capital may be employed to the greatest advantage, and to disseminate information relating to the lands belonging to the Federal and State Governments and to private persons, which may be purchased on advantageous terms by immigrants and others desiring to settle upon and improve the same. Office northwest corner Battery and Commercial streets.

*Officers.*—Ira P. Rankin, President; C. V. Gillespie, Vice-President; Charles E. McLane, Treasurer; S. F. Butterworth, E. L. Sullivan, Louis Sachs, and J. B. Roberts, Directors; John White, Secretary.

**CALIFORNIA PRISON COMMISSION.**—Organized November 27th, 1865.

The objects of this association are the amelioration of the condition of prisoners; the improvement of prisons and prison discipline, and the aid and encouragement of discharged prisoners, in their efforts to regain their forfeited positions and secure for themselves an honest livelihood. Office room No. 6, fourth floor, 302 Montgomery Street.

*Officers.*—Alpheus Bull, President; Henry Gibbons, M.D., Vice-President; James Woodworth, Secretary; J. J. Spence, A. J. Moulder, A. R. Forbes, A. J. Ralston, Nathaniel Gray, J. W. H. Campbell, W. O. Andrews, Rev. William T. Lucky, D.D., C. L. Taylor, Henry F. Williams, and Henry Gibbons, M.D., Trustees.

**CALIFORNIA STATE WOMAN'S HOSPITAL.**—Inaugurated May, 1867. Organized May, 1868. Location 21 Hawthorne Street.

This hospital is intended solely for the treatment of diseases peculiar to women, and that none may be denied its benefits it has been divided into paying and free wards. Applications for admission must be made to the Secretary of the Ladies' Board, Mrs. Charles H. Stewart, 606 Folsom.

*Officers.*—John J. O'Connor, President; George H. Eggers, Vice-President; J. W. Stow, Secretary; Joseph A. Donohoe, Treasurer; John Scott, M.D., Physician; William H. Davis, Assistant Surgeon.

**CHEBRA ACHIM RACHMONIM ASSOCIATION.**—Organized October 26th, 1862. Meetings held at 728 Montgomery Street the fourth Sunday of each month. Number of members, one hundred and four.

Their object is to relieve and care for the sick, infirm, and disabled members of the society, etc. The funds and property of the society are to constitute a Charity Fund, in which no member will have an individual interest.

*Officers.*—P. Funkenstein, President; Joseph Shoen, Vice-President; H. Peiser, Recording Secretary; L. Licht, Financial Secretary; H. Danziger, Treasurer; G. Baum, M. Hamburger, C. Grosslicht, and Jacob Simons, Trustees; August Wilhelm, Physician; S. Saalberg and S. Brodek, Assistant Surgeons; J. Jacobs, Messenger.

**CHEBRA BETH ABRAHAM.**—Organized February, 1864. Meetings held on the first Sunday of each month, at 728 Montgomery Street. Number of members, seventy. Objects of this society are to aid its members in sickness and distress.

*Officers.*—Jacob Cohen, Pres't; — Schwartz, Vice-President; Charles Grosslicht, Secretary; L. J. Livingston, Treasurer.

**CHEBRA BENAI YISRAEL.**—Organized September, 1861.—Meetings held the third Sunday in each month, at Tittel's Hall, Bush Street. The object of this society is to offer relief to its members in case of sickness and distress.

*Officers.*—L. Elrich, President; L. Levy, Vice-President; A. T. Traeger, Recording Secretary; S. Saalberg, Financial Secretary; S. Tichner, Treasurer; E. Jacobs, S. Harris, A. Frankel, and T. C. Bernstein, Trustees; G. Holland, Physician; S. Saalberg, Assistant Surgeon; F. Viotor, Apothecary; L. S. Levy, Messenger.

**CHEBRA BIKUR CHOLIM UKEDISHA SOCIETY.**—Organized February, 1857, to assist needy and sick brethren with medicine, attendance, and all necessities required in case of disease. Meetings held every second Sunday in the month, at I. O. R. M. Hall, Bush Street near Dupont.

*Officers.*—S. Morgenstern, President; W. Geist, Vice-President; A. B. Ephraim, Secretary; Isidor Charles, Treasurer; M. Zeller, M. Grossman, E. Frank, Jacob Berel, and W. Meyer, Trustees; D. Cohn, Physician; Th. Born, Messenger.

**CHEBRA B'RITH SHALOME.**—Meets at I. O. R. M. Hall, Bush Street near Dupont, first Sunday in each month. Number of members, one hundred and thirty-five.

*Officers.*—R. S. Calish, President; D. G. Harris, Vice-President; S. Brodek, Recording Secretary; L. Licht, Financial Secretary; F. Seligman, Treasurer; S. Salomon, Joseph Schmidt, James Cohn, and S. Meyer, Trustees; Charles Blach, Physician; S. Brodek, Assistant Surgeon; Henry W. Schmidt, Apothecary; F. Trieber, Messenger.

**CHINESE BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION.**—Established 1862. Sustained by the Hop Wo Company, 736 Commercial Street. Shong Gee, Agent. The object of this association is to assist Chinese coming to this State, to assist them when desiring to return to China; to minister to the sick, bury the dead, and return their corpses to their native land.

**CLERK'S RELIEF SOCIETY.**—Organized in the spring of 1864. Meets every Saturday evening, at 410 Kearny Street. Committee on Vacancies meet every Tuesday and Friday evenings. The purpose and aim of the society is to assist merchant clerks. 1st. In finding employment for the unemployed. 2d. In assisting sick members. 3d. In promoting education and sociality among members. 4th. In assisting merchant clerks who are in need. The society has at present (October, 1869) about two hundred members. The German language is principally used in its meetings; but persons of all nationalities are received as members. The society is in possession of a very good selected library of about twenty-two hundred volumes, consisting of classical, historical, and scientific works, novels, etc., in the German, English, and French languages.

*Officers.*—L. Schwarzschild, President; Carl Schnaitacher and Albert Dallemand, Vice-Presidents; M. Augustin, Treasurer; A. Langfeldt, Recording Secretary; S. Regensburger, Financial Secretary; Emil Kohnstam, William Kaiser, and Joseph Silberman, Directors.

**EUREKA BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.**—Established October, 1850, to assist poor and needy Hebrews, in want or in sickness. Number of members, three hundred, who pay one dollar each per month, besides a small additional sum to accumulate as a sinking fund for the support of widows and orphans. The society has a fund on interest.

*Officers.*—Isaac Hecht, President; J. Brandenstein, Vice-President; M. Mayblum, Treasurer, Leo Eloesser, Secretary; J. Cerf, S. W. Levy, M.