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Mariners' Free Reading Room. Sacramento and Drumm streets. In connection with the San Francisco Port Society. Open daily from 8:30 a. m. to 8:30 p. m.

Mechanics' Institute. Organized March 29, 1855. Mechanics Institute Building, 57 Post street. The Society has a valuable library, containing 50,000 volumes, including many rare scientific works, and a reading room well supplied with the leading scientific and literary periodicals of the day. Any person may become a member, being acceptable to the Board of Trustees, by paying an entrance fee of \$1 and \$1.50 quarterly dues in advance. John H. Wood, Secretary, Mechanics' Mercantile Library; Francis B. Graves, Librarian.

Mining Library. Ferry Building.
Polish Society of California. Organized 1862; open every Saturday from 8:10 p. m. at St. Helen's Hall, No. 2091, 15th street, corner of Market street. Librarian, Feliks Majeranowski.

Public Library, The. South side Hayes street, near Van Ness avenue. Branches—No. 1, 1207 Valencia street; No. 2, McCreery; Sixteenth and Pond streets; No. 3, 1457 Powell street; No. 4, 254 Fourth avenue; No. 5, Page near Cole street; No. 6, 2435 Sacramento street. They are open daily from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. (For officers see City and County Government.)

Delivery Stations. A—379 Capitol avenue; B—19th and Iowa streets; C—1301 Castro street; D—1232 Ninth avenue; E—1202 Railroad avenue; F—2975 Diamond street; G—48th avenue and Judah street; H—100 Leland avenue; I 2593 San Bruno avenue; J—3009 Fillmore street; K—4564 Mission; L—1303 Polk street; M—The Emporium.

San Francisco Law Library Association. Organized in 1865, rooms 4th floor City Hall. J. H. Deering, Secretary.

Sturge Library (Japanese) 121 Haight.
Tabard Inn Library, 389 Sutter street.

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Astronomical Society of the Pacific. D. S. Richardson, Secretary and Treasurer, 752 Phelan Building.

Bar Association of San Francisco. Organized April 20, 1872. Objects: To maintain the honor and dignity of the profession of the law, to increase its usefulness in promoting the due administration of justice, to cultivate social intercourse among its members, and to procure and maintain a library for their use. Rooms, Pacific Building, Fourth and Market streets. Jesse W. Lilienthal, President; George J. Martin, Secretary.

California Academy of Sciences. Organized May 16, 1853. Temporary quarters, 343 Sansome street. C. E. Grunsky, President; G. P. Rixford, Director of Museum.

California Anti-Slavery Society. Clayton Herrington, President; Mary Fairbrother, Secretary.

California Bar Association. C. E. McLaughlin, President; Thos. W. Robinson, Secretary, Los Angeles, Cal.

California Genealogical Society. Organized February 12, 1898. Henry Byton Phillips, President; Rev. Wm. A. Brewer, Vice-President; Walter Damon Mansfield, Vice-President; T. Edward Bond, Treasurer; Mrs. Walter D. Mansfield, Librarian; Hon. Bontwell Dunlap, Recording Secretary; Sarah Louise Kimball, Corresponding Secretary, room 1113 Call Building.

California Literature Society. Geo H Fitch, President; Bram Nossen, Librarian; Mrs Ella S Mighels, Secretary, 1605 Baker

California Pharmaceutical Association. J. A. Sanford, President; K. B. Bowerman, Secretary; 238 Stockton.

California Social Hygiene Society. C. M. Wollenberg, Secretary.

California State Board of Pharmacy. J. O. McKown, President; E. J. Molony, Treasurer; Louis Zeh, Secretary; rooms 909-910 Butler Building, 135 Stockton street.

California State Homoeopathic Medical Society. Chas. L. Tisdale, M. D., President, Alameda; Guy E. Manning, M. D., Secretary, San Francisco; Dr. T. C. Low, Treasurer, Los Angeles.

California State Mining Bureau. Third floor Ferry Building, San Francisco. This institution is the chief source of reliable information about the mineral resources and mining industries of California. The museum now contains more than 20,000 specimens, carefully labeled and attractively arranged in show cases in a great, well-lighted hall, where they can be easily studied. The library contains about 5,000 volumes of selected works, in addition to the numerous publications of the Bureau. Open daily, free to the public, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., except Sundays and holidays. Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m. F. McN. Hamilton, State Mineralogist; W. W. Thayer, Secretary.

Daughters of California Pioneers. Meetings held on the second, third and fourth Mondays of each month at Pioneer Hall, Fourth street and Pioneer Court. Mrs. H. H. Ellis, Corresponding Secretary, 1281 Green street.

Geographical Society of California. 312-314 Phelan Building. Object: The securing of geographical knowledge and the dissemination of it for the benefit of commerce, navigation and society generally. Samuel W. Holladay, President.

Geographical Society of the Pacific. 2246 California street. Ralph C. Harrison, President; John Partridge, Secretary; E. J. Molera, Corresponding Secretary; Harry Durbrow, Treasurer.

Ligue Nationale Francaise. Meets first Monday of each month at 126 Post street. E. Raas, President.

Loyola Science Academy. St. Ignatius University, J. P. Mootz, S. J., President.

Philhistorian Debating Society. This organization has been in existence since October, 1863. Its object is the cultivation of oratory and literature, and the discussion of questions of public interest in civil and political life. Meetings are held every Wednesday evening at St. Ignatius College, 2211 Hayes street. The officers are: Rev. D. J. Mahony, President; Frank Mahoney, Secretary.

San Francisco Chapter American Institute of Architects. Office 110 Lick Building. Geo. B. McDougall, President; Sylvain Schnaltdacher, Secretary and Treasurer.

San Francisco County Homoeopathic Society. Dr. Chas. B. Pinkham, President; Dr. Mary E. Glover, Secretary. Meetings held third Thursday of each month, room 542 Phelan Building.

San Francisco County Medical Society. Meets at 135 Stockton street, every Tuesday. A. A. O'Neill, M. D., President; Rene Bine, Secretary.

Sierra Club. 402 Mills Building, John Muir, President; William E. Colby, Secty.

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