

**STOCKTON BUSINESS COLLEGE, TELEGRAPH INSTITUTE  
AND NORMAL SCHOOL.**

This institution was established in 1875 by Messrs. Atkinson & Clarke. It occupies the entire second story of Hickman's block, corner of Hunter street and Weber avenue. It has a large and increasing patronage. The business course embraces penmanship, business correspondence, commercial arithmetic, composition of business paper, commercial calculations, mercantile law, book-keeping in all its forms, and actual practice in wholesale and retail merchandising, jobbing, commission, real estate, insurance and banking. The student buys, sells, ships, consigns, discounts, insures, draws checks, notes, drafts, bills of exchange, transacts business by telegraph, gives deeds and leases, and goes through the entire routine of mercantile affairs. There are no classes; each student receives individual instruction. Students may enter on any secular day in the year, Saturday excepted. An ordinary English education is all that is required on commencing. The full business course can be completed evenings, the same instruction being given as in day sessions. Scholarship for full business course, \$75; for telegraph course, \$40; both scholarships issued to one person at the same time, \$100.

The Telegraph department is supplied with a large variety of the most improved instruments. It is under the supervision of an expert sound operator who spares no pains to make pupils familiar with the entire routine of an operator's duties.

The Normal department offers special inducements to persons fitting themselves for teachers; also to persons whose education has been neglected. There are no grades. The course embraces those studies in which teachers are required to be proficient.

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**Rooms Large and Well Ventilated.**

**HOTEL LOCATED IN THE BUSINESS PORTION OF THE TOWN,**

*(And has)*

*Excellent Accommodations for the Travelling Public.*

The Proprietor is courteous and obliging to all, and spares no pains to make it Pleasant and Comfortable for Guests.