

### **California Military Academy.**

Rev. David McClure. Principal. Location on east side of Telegraph avenue near Prospect avenue. This school was established in January, 1865, by the present proprietor and principal. There are three buildings, each three stories high, connected by corridors. The symmetrical development and discipline of the mind and the formation of a good physical constitution are the prime objects of the system of instruction. The military system of drilling and discipline has been adopted to secure physical culture, promptness, presence of mind and its attendant results. The Legislature of California in 1872 passed an act to "Commission the Commandant of this Academy as Major in the National Guard of California," and to furnish the cadets with arms and accoutrements. The scholastic year is divided into two terms of twenty weeks each, beginning respectively on the third Wednesday of July and the first Wednesday in January.

### **Pacific Theological Seminary.**

Located on Academy Hill. This institution had its origin in San Francisco, in 1869, and was removed to Oakland in 1871. A thorough theological education, fitting candidates for the ministry, is given in a course embracing three years. There is no charge whatever for tuition or rooms, and aid is extended to those who take the full course and are especially needy. Rev. J. A. Benton, D. D., Professor of Sacred Literature; Rev. George Moor, Professor of Theology; Rev. A. L. Stone, San Francisco, President; Rev. W. C. Pond, Secretary of the Board.

### **Convent of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart.**

This institution was founded in 1868, by the Sisters of the Holy Names of Jesus and Mary, under the patronage of the Rev. M. King, pastor of Oakland. It is located near the head of Lake Merritt, on Webster street. An elegant and substantial building, three stories in height, one hundred and ten feet in length, and seventy-five feet deep, was erected in 1873-4. This building is supplied with all modern improvements for the comfort and convenience of the pupils. The basement contains a gymnasium; the first floor contains parlors, music rooms, museum and library. The library consists of a thousand volumes, generally of a highly useful and instructive class of books. The second story contains class-rooms, oratory and recreation halls. Lying on the