STREET AND AVENUE GUIDE.

THE original town site of Oakland is laid out in blocks three hundred feet in length from east to west, and two hundred feet in breadth from north to south, streets running at right angles. This portion of the present city extends from the water line formed by Lake Merritt and San Antonio Creek on the east and south, to Fourteenth street on the north and Market street on the west. The territory bounded by Market street on the east and by San Francisco Bay on the west, has been laid out in general, though not universal conformity to the plan of Oakland proper. North of Fourteenth street and west of San Pablo avenue, there is a good degree of regularity; but to the eastward of San Pablo avenue the land has been subdivided according to the caprice of the owners of the numerous "tracts" which, from time to time, have been placed on the market in the shape of city lots. Hence, the streets in this part of the city have little continuity or regularity. The great thoroughfares of San Pablo and Telegraph avenues, and Market street, tri-sect the city diagonally, giving a triangular form to a large amount of real property. East Front street, which is the street lying on the westerly shore of Lake Merritt and San Antonio Creek, forms the initial point for numbering the houses on streets running westward therefrom, and South Front street forms the initial point for all streets running northwardly therefrom.

East Oakland, or Brooklyn, is laid out regularly. The numbering commences at First avenue, increasing towards the east, and at an imaginary extension of South Front street increasing towards the north. Fifty numbers are alloted to each block throughout the entire city, with a few special exceptions. The plan is such that the numbers in each tier of blocks are identical throughout the city.

A, Ws Beach, west to West Front, bet Twenty-sixth and	Alice, Ns South Front bet Jackson and Harrison, N to	1802 Pine 1852 Cedar
C.	Lake Merritt.	1902 Bay
Adams Avenue, extension	EAST STREET	B, west fm Peralta to North'n
of East Fourteenth to San	602 First	railway track, bet A and C.
Leandro Road.	652 Second	Bay, Ns North Front N to
Adeline, Ns South Front, N	702 Third	Beach, bet Cedar and West
to San Pablo av, bet Chest-	752 Fourth	Front
nut and Magnolia.	802 Fifth	EAST STREET
EAST STREET	826 Sixth	1652 Twenty-third
602 First	852 Seventh	1702 Twenty-fourth
702 Third	902 Eighth	1752 Twenty-fifth
802 Fifth	952 Ninth	1802 Twenty-sixth
852 Seventh	1002 Tenth	Bay Place, E s Telegraph
902 Eighth	1052 Eleventh	av, bet Laurel and Merrimac
1002 Tenth	1102 Twelfth	pl.
1102 Twelfth	1152 Thirteenth	Beach, Wfm intersection of
1202 Fourteenth	1202 Fourteenth	Union and South Front to
1302 Sixteenth	1252 Fifteenth	West Front, bet South Front
1402 Eighteenth	1302 Sixteenth	and State.
1502 Twentieth	1352 Seventeenth	NORTH STREET
1602 Twenty-second	1402 Eighteenth	1252 Union
1702 Twenty-fourth	Alice Park, bet Harrison	
1802 Twenty-sixth	and Alice, N of Fourteenth	1352 Kirkham
1902 Twenty-eighth	Alta, N fm Lake Shore av to	
2002 Thirtieth	Hunt's Tract.	1452 Center
2102 Thirty-second	Andover, fm Plymouth av,	
2202 Thirty-fourth	E to Edwards, E of Elm.	1552 Henry 1602 Lewis
2302 Thirty-sixth	Atlantic, Ws Peralta, west	
Albion, Ws Telegraph av,	to West Front, bet Third and William.	1652 Campbell 1702 Willow
west to Grove, bet Knox and Caledonia av.	NORTH STREET	1752 Wood
Alden (or Twenty-ninth) Ws		1802 Pine
Grove to San Pablo av, bet		1852 Cedar
Wallace and Campbell.	1752 Wood	1902 Bay
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