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The Colonial.

In the number and reputation of her hotels San Francisco can justly claim to stand in the front rank of the cities of the world; and each hotel when built seems an improvement on its predecessors. The very latest perfection of hotel architecture and appointments is represented by THE COLONIAL. This splendidly equipped hostelry was thrown open to its guests in July, 1891. In fitting it out no expense has been spared and no trouble thought too great to make it the equal of any similar house in the world. It contains one hundred and twenty rooms, of which ninety-six are renting-rooms. There are eight private bath suites, and all the rooms are supplied with hot and cold water from an enormous boiler in the basement. The entire house is finished in oak, and the carpets, from the first floor to the mansard, are Axminster, selected to blend with the walls. In this connection we will note that the well-known firm of W. & J. Sloane furnished the hotel throughout. The dining-room is a gem of architecture, seating over one hundred people, while there is an elegant private dining-room. Besides these there is a separate dining-room for children. The hall is arranged for dancing, a feature which should specially commend itself. Electric lights are used throughout the building, and there is an elevator of the latest style; while for the gentlemen there is a fine, sunny billiard-room in the basement. The architecture, as the name indicates, is in the colonial style; and there are many quaint, delightful rooms in which one could easily pass a good portion of their existence. The table is essentially the best, all the delicacies of the season being provided and served by attentive and polite waiters. The plumbing is absolutely perfect,—the latest sanitary exposed,—the most thorough that money and skill could supply. As regards the location of THE COLONIAL we will simply say that it could not be improved. Placed on a gradual slope, at the corner of Jones and Pine streets, it commands a magnificent view, the distant spires of Oakland being plainly visible, while on either side the blue waters of the bay stretch for miles. In a word, THE COLONIAL is par excellence a family hotel of the highest class, and as such commends itself to the notice of travelers and tourists who come here from any part of the world. Mrs. Johnson, who presides over its destiny, is a lady who has had twenty years experience in hotel-keeping and understands thoroughly every detail. With such a combination of advantages we predict for THE COLONIAL a long and prosperous career.