



Napa Soda Springs.

THIS favorite watering place, summer resort, and mountain Spa, is yearly growing in favor, as its merits become better known. Besides being most beautiful naturally, it is one of the most healthful of our pleasure abodes. This was officially determined and declared by the commission of learned doctors appointed by the Legislature of California

to select a suitable locality for the erection of a State Hospital for Consumptives. This body of medical savants consumed two years in their investigations. They examined every portion of the State, east and west, and from the northern line to the southern boundary. They took into consideration all the elements that affect the lungs—dryness and humidity of the atmosphere, its rarity and density, heat and cold. After having given all points due consideration, they finally reported in favor of the neighborhood of Napa Soda Springs, on the East Napa Range. The mean