The class of patients treated successfully are those suffering from paralysis, rheumatism, billiousness, debility and all nervous and cutaneous disorders.

The average temperature of the water as it issues from the ground is 110°, but the system of conducting it is such that any temperature which may be desired can be obtained.

## SANTA CLARA

Was founded in the year 1777, with the establishment of the mission of Santa Clara.

It is very prettily located, is the seat of Santa Clara College, conducted by the Jesuit Fathers, and does not enjoy much commercial importance, probably from the fact of its close proximity to San Jose.

Its population numbers about two thousand.

Santa Clara College occupies the site of the old mission buildings, a few of which are still visible.

The old church yet stands, but with a new roof and modern front. A large wooden cross, opposite the church, occupies a position it has held since the church was built.

Santa Clara has five Protestant churches, belonging respectively to the following denominations: Methodist, Episcopal, Presbyterian, Episcopalian, Christian and Baptist.

It has one hotel, the Cameron House, which, however, is a good one, and, in every respect, worthy of the name. In the summer season it entertains many city people, who bestow the highest commendations upon it.

## MAYFIELD

Is distant from San Francisco some thirty-five miles, and nearly three miles from the southern line of San Mateo.

It has a population numbering three hundred and forty, and about twenty business houses, embracing all varieties of trade.

The progress made by the town, since the building of the railroad, has been very rapid, it consisting, previous to that time, of a store and hotel.

It has two churches, a Methodist and Catholic, a public hall, and one beloning to the Odd Pellows.

The town supports two hotels, regarding one of which we can speak with the confidence born of knowledge. We remained at the Chandler House some two or three days, were well cared for, and received all the attentions which a kind, painstaking host could bestow.

## MOUNTAIN VIEW STATION

Lies on the line of the Southern Pacific Railroad, five miles south of Mayfield, forty miles south of San Francisco.

This town has come into being since the building of the railroad.

The old town of Mountain View is about a quarter of a mile west of this station, and, notwithstanding the building of a rival so close at hand, she seems not to have suffered much in her business interests, and though it undoubtedly retards her growth somewhat, it has at least left her a subsistence.

The two towns are about equal in point of population, numbering about two hundred inhabitants each.

A church occupies neutral ground midway between the two towns.

Old Mountain View has a fine school house and a good hotel. Regarding the obtainance of their mail matter, the best manner in which they could arrange it, apparently, was on a basis of reciprocity, and while Mountain View Station takes a walk to Old Mountain View, to see if Mr.