

# POPULATION.

The following exhibit of the population of this city and county has been prepared from the returns of the different canvassers engaged in collecting information for the compilation of the present issue of the *SAN FRANCISCO DIRECTORY*. The plan adopted was to arrange and classify each sex in three divisions, viz: *MALES: First Class*—the head of each family and the members thereof, over twenty-one years of age; *Second Class*—those between five and twenty-one; *Third Class*—those under five years of age. *FEMALES: First Class*—those over eighteen years of age; *Second Class*—those between five and eighteen; *Third Class*—those under five years of age. Also, to collect such data as would furnish an approximation of the different elements composing our population not included in the foregoing classifications:

TABLE.

White males over 21, names in present issue.....	21,500
“ “ (a) Residents, floating, not obtained.....	4,900
“ “ (b) Average number at different hotels, boarding and lodging houses, in addition to the regular boarders, etc.....	4,500
“ “ In Hospitals.....	490
“ “ (c) Engaged upon water crafts, ocean and river.....	2,500
“ “ (d) Foreigners—Europeans, French, Germans, Spanish, etc. not registered.....	5,000
Total over 21.....	38,890
“ Between 5 and 21, number registered.....	5,453
“ Under 5, number registered.....	5,000
Total white males.....	49,343
Females over 18, number registered.....	14,696
“ “ Omitted, estimated.....	500
“ Between 5 and 18, number registered.....	4,370
“ Under 5, number registered.....	4,419
Total white females.....	23,985
Total white population.....	73,328
Chinese males, over 21.....	2,510
“ Females, over 18.....	540
“ Children, under 5.....	100
Total Chinese.....	3,150
Colored males, over 21.....	745
“ Females, over 16.....	531
“ Children, under 5.....	329
Total colored.....	1,605
Total population.....	78,083

(a) These comprise a class of population claiming a residence in this city, who have no permanent place of abode.

(b) This number has been arrived at by a careful estimate obtained from the different proprietors.

(c) This number includes those persons sailing from this port, who claim a residence in this city.

(d) This number has been arrived at from actual observation.