

railroads. A network of electric lines and steam railroads, center in the city and diverge to every part of California.

Fifty-four steam railroad trains run out of San Jose daily, and the Peninsular Railroad, an interurban electric, and the San Jose electric connect all the cities and the rural districts in the valley.

The educational advantages of this section deserve special mention. Because of the delightful surroundings, climatic conditions, soil, pure water, and its abundance, scenic effect and social opportunities. Many are making this section their home to educate and raise their children.

That part of San Jose included actually within the city limits has a population of 28,949, an increase of 7,449, or 34.6 per cent according to the report of the Census Bureau at Washington, D. C. According to the same official report from the Census Bureau, the territory known as Greater San Jose, has 41,738 people. The Commercial or Metropolitan population which includes that territory which immediately connects with and is directly a tributary to San Jose, would estimate 50,000 people.

Santa Clara County, including San Jose, is the fourth largest county in point of population, in California, and has a population of 83,539.

San Jose is well supplied with hotel accommodations and has become known as a convention city. The Auditorium is able to seat six thousand people. Her banks are very substantial in point of finance and building. The bank buildings from two to nine stories tall are a credit to the community. The clearings average \$2,500,000.00 per month, and the deposits will reach \$50,000.00.

The surrounding country is a vast field of production and the horticultural industry has reached enormous proportions. It is estimated that from 6,000 to 8,000 carloads of fruit are shipped out of this valley every year to all points of the compass.

The climate is delightful and the summer as well as the winter, attracts the visitor. Some of the attractions may be summed up as follows:

Lick Observatory on Mount Hamilton, 4,209 feet elevation, 25 miles from San Jose over a beautiful roadway built by James Lick who also endowed the Observatory. Daily stage or automobile. Luncheon served at Smith Creek.

Around the loop—Congress Springs, Saratoga, Los Gatos, Campbell, and San Jose, a beautiful electric trip of thirty miles.

Site of Santa Clara Mission and original cross planted in 1777, located at Santa Clara on car line from San Jose, easy of access.

Alum Rock Park and orchards through eastern foothills.

The Blossom Route includes a trip through the western part of the valley, and through Los Altos, Monte Vista, Stanford University and Palo Alto.