

PREFACE

In presenting this, our second directory of Chico and Oroville, we have done our utmost to bring it up to a high standard of perfection.

A personal canvass for the names has been made of every business place and home both in Chico and Oroville, and no place was missed, from the humblest home to the mansion. Experienced canvassers are employed for this work, but for all of this mistakes are liable to creep in, but most mistakes made in directories are the fault of the party giving the information, and the omissions in a directory are also the fault of the parties refusing to give the data.

In the Chico part of the directory we have over 4000 names, a gain of more than 500 over last year.

In the Oroville part of the book we have 1525 names, a gain of more than 300 over last year.

The showing in both places is remarkable considering the times we have had during the past year.

Canvassers, while taking the names, could not fail to notice the many fine new homes that have been built in both towns since they made the same canvass one year ago.

A copy of this directory will be placed in the library of the California Promotion Committee offices in San Francisco and New York.

We express our sincere thanks for the patronage bestowed upon the work and promise as we publish each succeeding directory of Chico and Oroville, we will always do our utmost to bring it to a high standard.

Respectfully,

DIRECTORY PUBLISHING CO.,

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