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## Beautifying of a town.

The matter of making a town picturesque and pleasing to the eye is one of the things that is now receiving the attention of very many people. Nothing adds to a town's beauty like modern cottages, well-kept streets, sidewalks and yards. While Camplell is unineorporated and can not do many things it otherwise could do if there was a municipal organization with power to act, yet there are some things which could and should be done here. Better style of architecture, yard improvements and the like shouid
be urged. We know of no better plan of action for our town than that adopted by Berkeley in the organization of a Club for this especial purpose. President Charles Keeler has forwarded to the Boards of Trade of the State their plan, which we reproduce:
"The Hillside Club of Berkeley has for its object the beautify ing of the district north of the University grounds. The following suggestions embody the thought
streets, gardens and architecture.
streets laid out at right angles, regardless of natural contours. In laying out streets, the preservation of the natural beauties of stream beds and live-oaks is desirable, evenat sacrifice of symmetry of the roadwa

A uniformity in street tree planting is of great importance. No unit less than a block should be considered. Where orage the street obstructs the view from houses above, $\begin{aligned} & \text { that small trees such as haw thorns, birches, or palms, be planted }\end{aligned}$ fifty feet apart, and the intervening sidewalk space be uniformly planted in flowers, such as a block of geranium of one color, or of some flowering vine.

The use of less than fifty feet by one hundred and twenty feet of land for a house is strongly depreated. The placing of houses on a block of land may well be stadied relatively, taking into consideration sumlight, view, and genera efect of grouping. ers might be placed forwatd and the other four backward on the lot, making a hollow square in from, to be treated in effeet like one garden

It is suggested that at least a portion of the garden be sequestered, giving the privacy of an open-air room. Japanese and Italian gardens are suggestive along these lines.
"The controlling thought in house-building should be simplicity and genuineness. Avoid meaningless and insincere ornament Build of simple, natural materials, and strive for beathty in mass and proportion, in the concentration and distribution of windows, and in the lines of the roof. A low house can more easily be made pieturesque than a high one. Wide cavesareespecially to be prized for their shadows.
'Much safer than the oil paint which generally looks hard and characterless in tone, is the natural material left without coating. Clinker-brick, dull stone, or wood left untreated, will all harmonize with the colors of nature, and form a picturesque composition with the surrounding landscape. Shingles are probably the best and safest covering for an inexpensive home, and if left unstaincl will darken to a soft, unobtrusive color. The house may then be gaily adorned with flowering vines, which can be kept off the walls by sereens of wire mesh on timberframes. If plaster is used it may be toned to some warm harmonizing shade by the application of water-color paint. White trimmings unduly emphasize portions of the house, and prevent the whole from toning with the hills and the gardens
'A lower-story southern porch, unroofed, or an eastern porch, sheltered with vines, and large enough to be used as an out-loor sitting-room, is a great addition to the comfort of the home
"The use of wood for interior walls, and especially of broad slabs of redwood treated only with a wax dressing, and with more or less of the constructive timbers exposed, is strongly recommended. A large open fire-place of simple material, and without orna-
ment, unless this be specially designed and hand wrought, is a
For general types of architecture, the Swiss chalets, old English, old Nuremberg, old Italian and old Spanish houses may well be studied for suggestion and inspiration.

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The gross earnings of the Southern Pacific Company for the past year were $\$ 24,339,781.55$. The system operates $2,386.84$ miles of road in this State, and has 892.73 miles of sidings and spurs. The narrow gauge division has been operated at a loss, which will, no doubt, hasten the broad gauging of the road.

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There are only a few officers to be nominated at the county onventions next month, but they are all important offices that are to be filled and for that reason the delegates to be elected at the primaries next Tuesday should be men absolutely free from boss dommation. We believe the delegates to be elected at Campbell will be that kind of men. As far as our precinct is concerned we can vote this fall only for a State Senator, an Assemblyman ut and as his district joins Campbell on the south and west, we are greatly interested in his successor, for, as the Mountain View "Register", says, he has lifted his own scalp, and has to retire. It is certain we can do better. For his place the republicans are putWhy forth Frank E. Mitchell of San Tomas district, and W. T. Nike Farr 11 of Mountain View and "Jake"Cox of Cupertino. All are able men, but the north end of the district is demanding the candilate this time and it is probable that he will be selected from that section. Who will be nominated in place of Stern and Austin

## 5)

But Campbell is particularly interested in the legislative candidates. The last legislature redistricted the State and gave us Louis Oneal for Senator. Now this gentleman is up for re-nomination again at the hands of the republicans, provided the delegates elected Tuesday look favorable to him. It is safe to say he will get little consolation from the Campbell delegates. He should be Cetired to the rear, being a dangerous person for so important a position. Against him will be Assemblyman George S. Walker, of Los Gatos, in every way qualified and true to his constituents, who has a record not to be ashamed of. The republicans will do themselves credit in nominating him. The democrats have not put forward a candidate yet, and no one is mentioned for the Assembly yet that we have heard of, by either party.

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For the two superior Judges (one for four years, and one for six vears), to succeed Judges Rhodes and Tuttle, whose terms ex pire, there appears to be no dearth of candidates. Judge Rhodes is up for re-nomination, but to our mind he is rather too old to expect it-being considerably over eighty, and if elected he in all probability would not serve out his term. Then he has had all the honors that can be bestowed and he should retire in favor of much younger blood. It is understood that Judge Tuttle will not consent to a contest, so he will probably retire. Then the republicans mentioning John E. Richards, Eli Wright and Charles Cobb. The democrats are putting forth Nicholas Bowden and Victor A Scheller. With this array of legal ability the bench of Santa Clara County will not suffer for good material.

## EXCURSION TO SANTA CRZ.

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LOCAL NOTES.
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Miss Floy Loyd has gone to Denny, Trinity county, to teach.

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Mrs. M. J. Gates and son came home from the coast the first of the week.
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Fred and Emily Pannell returned last Saturday from their trip to the St. Louis exposition.
The Board of Supervisors last Tuesday granted the Interurban electric road a franchise through Campbell along Railroad avenue
to the south of the depot. Surveyors begin work Monday on the "short line." Is it possible we are to get a road at last?
S. A. Moulton has returned from the St. Louis exposition, having come by way of Portland and the northern route. Mr. Moulton was greatly pleased with the beauty of the scenery around Portland, but says there is no place to compare with the Santa Clara Valley.

The stereopticon lecture given last Friday evening in the Methodist church by the pastor, Rev J. F. Jenness, was exceedingly interesting, there being some 70
views of prominent scenes in the Argentine Republic, taken by Rev. Jenness while living there. The social time at the close of the lecture was much enjoyed. The net profits $(\$ 18.75)$ go toward the purchase of the new carpet for Sunday-school room.
Next Friday evening there will be a stereopticon lecture in the Methodist church by Rev. Thos, S. Young of San Jose, who very recently returned from a trip to be: "From San Jose to Jerusa lem," and it will be liberally illustrated. On Friday evening, Aug. 19th, Hon. J. E. Richards will deliver a lecture at the same church, his subject being: "Personal Recollections of Famous Orators." On Friday evening, Aug. 26th, Rev. Thos. Young is to give the closing stereopticon lecture: "From Jerusalem, via. Egypt and Europe to New York.

Mr. Phillips in a Flood.
The Oakdale (Penn.) "Times," of which Delmont Phillips is the manager, has the following to say regarding the recent flood at Oakdale:

- On Tuesday evening, June 28, occurred the greatest calamity that ever has taken place in the history of Oakdale. A heavy rain, usually called a cloud
burst," in the water shed north and west of town, brought the waters of the two creeks up on the town in such a manner that the business pari of the place was practically destroyed, and much other damage done.
"The official report of the investigating committee made at the citizens' meeting Friday night showed in a brief summary the following: Sixty families had lost their furniture, and sustained financial loss running from $\$ 25$ to $\$ 2500$. Of these, eleven families had lost their houses, which were swept away to the last stick, everything in them.

The 'Squire McEwen and the
Nesbit insurance offices and the National Bank, the Dentist Lyttle office, the Telephone office, the Times printing office-all in Armory Hall-had over seven feet twelve to fourteen tons of machinery on the first floor kept the Times officc addition from floating off. We can not tell the loss of the Times-there is two weeks of lost time; there is some ruined stock; there has been all the machinery to serub up; there has been fear, wonder, dismay; and insatiable desire to find out what
Achen is in this camp; but it might have been worse; and we are all here yet.
"To anxious subscribers at a listance who received no paper last week we might say that shortly before maling, the edithe direction of Pittsburg and has not been seen since. The newspaper forms, nearly ready to print, were smashed into a muddy mass, which accounts for our new face this week. Toshow the force of water-the floor was forced up between the presses and in Major Nesbit's office, and a box of card stock weighing 600 to 800 pounds, which was on the floor, was carried across eylinder press and turned upside down. But the Times people are old campaigners. The aggregate force at work on the Times has seen many wars, and soon we had the four presses and gas engine dug out of the mud and were runnin, bills for the reliet committee."

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Polling place-Schoolhouse
Inspector-A. B. Cash. Judges-B. G. Hurlburt and H Leigh.
Ballot clerk-Ira Hageman. Tally clerks-D. K. Pender an J. D. Hanscom.

## Polling place--Kane's Hall.

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Ballot clerk-E. L. Prat
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Ballot clerk-J. H. Freyschlag Tally clerks-Ed. Howes and The number of delegates cach political party is entitled to in these precincts is as follows:

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