

73 Years
of
Achievement





1870 — Population 3,500

"Probably no point is now attracting more general attention, on account of advantages offered to immigrants, than San Diego, the Seaport of Southern California. It has long been known to the far-sighted . . . that San Diego possessed advantages which would one day make her a commercial city of great importance."

From a report to the Chamber of Commerce by Special Committee composed of D. Choate and E. W. Morse, May 5, 1870.





1943 — Population 385,000

"It is our belief, that within the past few years San Diego and its many natural and economic advantages have been re-discovered, its future has been re-cast, and that we are on the threshold of a development within our city and county heretofore undreamed of."

From a report of Post-War Planning Committee to Chamber of Commerce, December 3, 1942.

Presidents of San Diego Chamber of Commerce

1870	Aaron Pauly	1888	J. A. McRea	1905	J. S. Akerman	1924	Geo. L. Mayne
1871	G. W. B. McDonald	1889	Douglas Gunn	1906	Edward Grove	1925	A. E. Holloway
1872	G. W. B. McDonald		John C. Fisher	1907	D. Gochenauer	1926	Lane D. Webber
1873	J. S. Gordon	1890	John Kastle	1908	D. C. Collier	1927	H. F. Worth
1874	J. S. Gordon	1891	Daniel Stone	1909	G. A. Davidson	1928	Jerry Sullivan, Jr.
1875	W. W. Stewart	1892	Daniel Stone	1910	Geo. A. Burnham	1929	Hal G. Hotchkiss
1876	W. W. Stewart	1893	H. P. McKoon	1911	John F. Forward, Jr.	1930	Hal G. Hotchkiss
1877	J. M. Pierce	1894	H. P. McKoon	1912	F. C. Spalding	1931	S. E. Mason
1878	J. M. Pierce	1895	R. V. Dodge	1913	F. J. Lea	1932	J. E. Dryer
1879	Chas. S. Hamilton		Philip Morse	1914	Rufus Choate	1933	D. N. Millan
1880	Geo. W. Hazzard	1896	Philip Morse	1915	C. H. Heilbron	1934	J. L. Fox
1881	Geo. W. Hazzard	1897	Philip Morse	1916	J. S. Akerman	1935	J. L. Fox
1882	Simon Levi	1898	R. A. Thomas	1917	W. S. Dorland	1936	F. L. Annable
1883	Arnold Wentscher	1899	Geo. W. Marston	1918	Melville Klauber	1937	W. P. Cary
	G. G. Bradt	1900	Geo. H. Ballou	1919	Melville Klauber	1938	C. L. Cotant
1884	Geo. W. Marston	1901	Geo. H. Ballou	1920	A. P. Johnson, Jr.	1939	D. E. Hanson
1885	D. Cave	1902	W. L. Frevert	1921	A. P. Johnson, Jr.	1940	F. G. Forward
1886	J. H. Simpson	1903	W. L. Frevert	1922	E. B. Gould	1941	G. A. Scott
1887	G. G. Bradt	1904	Homer H. Peters	1923	E. B. Gould	1942	John T. Martin
	J. A. McRea					1943	Hance H. Cleland