

Sutro Heights Casino

This ambitiously named but poorly documented Ocean Terrace saloon operated on the corner of Point Lobos and 48th Avenues.

The establishment was run by Herman Schmidt from 1897 to 1907 and then by Oscar Olsen from 1908 to 1910. Olsen was proprietor when the Sutro Heights Casino was robbed in 1909.

At that time it appears to have had a sister business under the same roof: Cafe O.B. Olsen's. Olsen sold out to William Apple who closed the establishment in 1914, following the example of many other local businesses.

Top: Steam train in front of Sutro Heights Casino on the corner of Point Lobos and 48th Avenues; *Bottom:* Cars on Point Lobos Ave. in front of Sutro Heights Casino, ca. 1903.

