

1876 Opening of school named St. Patrick's Institute at the s/w corner of 12th and K St. Opened to male high and grammar school students and accepted boarders. As for the name "Institute" used here, I believe it was in recognition of "Institute of the Brothers OfThe Christian Schools" known popularly as the Christian Brothers or De La Salle Brothers.

1879 Name formally changed to Sacramento Institute.

1896 Name was changed to Christian Brothers College.

1903 Chapel renovated. Mrs. Michael Bethel donated \$5,000 for a new wing.

1923 The property on K St. was sold because of the age of the building, not enough room to play sports, and was in a fast growing commercial district. The new school was not ready, so for 1 year they moved to a vacant public school at the s/w corner of 39th and J St.

1924 The new school was located at the s/e corner of 21st and Broadway. In anticipation of needing to borrow money for a gym, Christian Brothers filed Articles of Incorporation with the State. The State required that only schools that taught only college classes could be called "college". Therefore the name was changed to Christian Brothers School.

1927 The gymnasium was built on the second floor, midway between the classrooms and living quarters. The first floor had various uses over the years.

1954 The elementary school was discontinued.

1956 -57 Junior and senior students from CB as well as St. Francis and St. Joseph went to the new co-instructional school Bishop Armstrong at Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard.

1964 The boarders' program closed, and it was the end of the co-instructional school and return to an all boys' school.

1966 Name was changed back to Christian Brothers High School.

1990 School became co-educational.