



CA – KERN

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Case Name: CA-Kern-Bakersfield-Kern County Museum-Jeff Davis Hwy plaque-1942

State: California
County: Kern
Location:
Kern County Museum, 3801 Chester Avenue,
Bakersfield, CA 93301

Type:
Brass plaque, dedicated by the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

Latitude: North 35.39368°

Longitude: West 119.01962°

Photos:
Right: Photo of plaque, courtesy Dean Enderlin (DMO), 27 April 2012.



Reported by:
Dean Enderlin (DMO), Col. Elmer Ellsworth Camp #23, April 2012

Researched by:


Status:	
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Notes:
Inscription:
JEFFERSON DAVIS | FATHER OF NATIONAL HIGHWAYS | 1808 – 1889 | AS SECRETARY OF WAR IN 1853 | HE HAD SURVEYED FOR MILITARY | USE THREE ROUTES ACROSS THE | UNITED STATES. THESE ROUTES | ARE TODAY OUR NATIONAL | HIGHWAYS. | THE MILDRED LEE CHAPTER | No 1580, U.D.C., BAKERSFIELD, | HONOR HIM AS FATHER OF | NATIONAL HIGHWAYS. | DEDICATED | OCTOBER 14, 1942 | HIGHWAY 99

Inquiries should be directed to the Sons of Confederate Veterans or United Daughters of the Confederacy for further information.

***** MEMORIAL OF INTEREST *****



Case Name: CA-Kern-Bakersfield-UnionCem-GARplot-Cannon-1916											
<p>State: California County: Kern Location: GAR Plot, Union Cemetery, 730 East Potamac Avenue (corner of South King Street), Bakersfield, CA</p>	<p>Type: Monument with cannon. Naval cannon, iron. Bore diameter 3.5 inch. Late 18th Century (based on low trunnions), foreign manufacture. Mounted on black granite base, 5 feet wide by 4 feet high by 3 feet deep.</p>										
<p>Latitude: North ° Longitude: West °</p>	<p>Photos: Right: Photo courtesy Dean Enderlin (DMO), 29 April 2016. [additional photos on file]</p>										
<p>Reported by: Kirby R. Morgan (DMO), 2001</p>											
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<p>Notes: Monument dedicated 5 November 1916. Associated with Hurlbut Post, No. 127, GAR; Hurlbut Corps, No. 115, WRC; Ladies of the GAR; and Boy Scouts of America. The cannon was stolen and returned twice. The second time it was reported missing was on 20 May 1977. It was recovered from a Civil War reenactor group, who had purchased it from an unknown seller around 17 May. The cannon was returned to the cemetery and eventually remounted.</p> <p>The cannon had reportedly been located on Chester Avenue many years before being moved to Union Cemetery in 1916, and had once been used as a horse hitching post.</p> <p>Inscription on the base: HURLBUT POST 127 G.A.R. FRATERNITY CHARITY LOYALTY</p> <p>The face of the granite monument was coated with a surface coating on 28 April 2016. The cannon tube has also been painted black.</p>											



Case Name: CA-Kern-Lebec-Fort Tejon SHP-CSHL129	
State: California County: Kern Location: Lebec, CA. West side of I-5, north of Lebec, on frontage road.	Type: Fort Tejon State Historic Park and historical marker.
Latitude: North ° Longitude: West °	Photos: [photos needed] <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 100%; height: 100%;"></div>
Reported by: Civil War Union Monuments, 1978 book, by Daughters of the Union Veterans of the Civil War; & D. E. Darby, 25 Apr 2002	
Researched by: Kirby Morgan (DMO)	
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Notes: Inscription on plaque: <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>FORT TEJON</p> <p>This military post was established by the United States Army on June 24, 1854, to suppress stock rustling and for the protection of Indians in the San Joaquin Valley. As regimental headquarters of the First Dragoons, Fort Tejon was an important military, social, and political center. Camels for transportation were introduced here in 1858. The fort was abandoned September 11, 1864.</p> <p>Historical Landmark No. 129</p> <p>Marker placed by California State Park Commission in cooperation with Kern County Historical Society, El Tejon Parlor No. 238 N.D.G.W., Bakersfield Parlor No. 42, N.S.G.W., and Kern County Museum.</p> <p>Dedicated October 10, 1854</p> </div> <p>Several other dedicatory plaques are placed at the site, including one by the Bakersfield Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, in 1923; the Historical Society of Southern California in 1955; and E Clampus Vitus, Platrix Chapter on 21 September 1957.</p>	