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Yerba Buena Island

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Yerba Buena Island: Naval Buildings

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H.A.B.S. SURVEY NO.

CAL-1793

History - On April 12, 1898,
President McKinley signed anPUBLISHED
PHOTOGRAPHSExecutive Order, setting aside part of island
for a Naval Training Station. Barracks for
500 Apprentice-Seamen were built at a cost
of \$74,400. Water was brought under the
bay from Contra Costa County. Russian
graves were found during construction.
Naval Training Station closed in August,
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1923, but buildings still are used for transfer purposes.
Description - Classical-Baroque brick and stone with porticoed entrances (3 on facade) and low, Partheonic dome.

References - San Francisco American Guide Series, p. 367
(2nd ed.)

Author of Card - Joseph A. Baird, Jr., Ph.D. Architect.
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