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La Casa de Eduardo de la Cuesta
Buellton, Santa Barbara County
California

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LA CASA DE EDUARDO DE LA CUESTA
Buellton, State Highway 101, Santa Barbara County, Calif.

Owner: Eduardo de la Cuesta

Date of erection: Built in 1856 by Ramundo de la Cuesta.

Architect:

Builder:

Present Condition: Well preserved, occupied by owner. The space now serving as a billiard room was originally an open patio. Except for this and the addition of a bath room, the house remains very much as it was originally built.

Number of stories: One

Materials of Construction: Foundations of field stones laid in either adobe or lime mortar. Walls of sun dried adobe brick laid in adobe mortar plastered inside and out with adobe mortar, white washed on exterior, interior painted and papered. Wood framed roof, shingle covered. Floors and ceiling of wood painted. Outside adobe walls of rear half of house are covered with wood clapboards, applied possibly thirty or forty years ago.

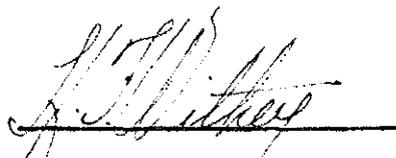
Windows, doors and shutters painted green are original.

Other existing records:

Additional Data: Doors, windows, and shutters are a distinctive feature of the house and make it one of outstanding quality.

The property upon which the house was built originally consisted of 3200 acres, part of a grant made to Raymundo Carillo, in 1843.

Historic data given here was presented by Micaela de la Cuesta, daughter of Eduardo de la Cuesta.


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