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San Francisco (Black Point -
now Fort Mason area) IP

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MONUMENT

HISTORIC VIEW
= Fremont House

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NEGATIVE FILE

H.A.B.S. SURVEY NO.

Cal 1175

History - Built 1854 for George
Eggleston. Then sold to others.PUBLISHED
PHOTOGRAPHSJohn C. Fremont bought house and 12 acres
for \$42,000 in 1857, and deeded to Mrs.PUBLISHED
DRAWINGS(Jessie) Fremont. Fremont went East in
1861, followed by Mrs. Fremont, who rented
house to General Beale. Government seized
and destroyed house, 1863, claiming

(over)

Fremonts were squatters. Heirs still are contesting case.

Description - Small, Victorian Gothic 1-story frame horizontal siding, with pendant ornaments of wood under a classicist entablature. Old views suggest it was North of Quarters #4 (Palmer House). Area now a leveled park.

References - Old Photos and HABS research.

Author of Card - Joseph A. Baird, Jr., Ph.D, Architectural Historian, San Francisco, California, August 1961.