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Camp Baker-Fort Logan was established in 1869 some seventeen miles northwest of present-day White Sulphur Springs, and was occupied until 1880. It was the army's main base for protection of the freight route from Fort Benton to Helena and for the defense of the mining settlement of Confederate Gulch and cattle ranches in the Smith and upper Musselshell River Valleys. In later years, army troops based at the fort helped to break up the raid-and-counter-raid pattern of the Blackfeet and the Crows who used the valley here as a convenient route to their respective reservations. Although the fort never experienced an attack in the decade of its existence, it furnished troops in both major Indian battles of the 1870s: The battle of the Little Big Horn and the Battle of the Big Hole.

We believe it has national significance in function, and the survival of one of the last of the log blockhouses in the West is important architecturally. We recommend Registered National Historic Landmark Status and suggest that the State acquire the site for full scale historical development.

Fort Logan Blockhouse - This building, once part of the Fort Logan complex, was dedicated by the Daughters of the American Revolution on August 24, 1924, and was moved to its present site in the center of the old parade ground in 1962.

Measured drawings, photographic coverage and historical and architectural evaluations are recorded in the Historic American Buildings Survey.



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