

Cedar City Chapter of Sons of the Utah Pioneers

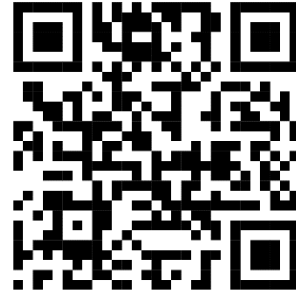


SUP Monument Iron-1 Old Iron Town

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Longitude: -113.449444; Latitude: 37.599722; Elevation 5860'; Go 20 miles west of Cedar City, Utah on Hwy 56: take a dirt road to the west between mile marker 40 and 41, then travel three miles to Iron town.



Established in 1868 by Ebenezer Hanks and the others who organized the Great Western Iron Manufacturing Co, a cooperative enterprise. Officers were E. Hanks, President, Homer Duncan, Vice President, Seth M. Blair, Secretary. 800 pounds of Iron of good quality produced each eight hours, the plant running day and night.

The enterprise was taken over in 1883 by the Iron Manufacturing Co. of Utah, with George Q. Cannon, President, Thomas Taylor, Vice President and Manager, John C. Cutler, Secretary. A railroad was moved here from Nevada, to haul coal from Cedar Canyon to "Little Pinto" the name given this townsite.

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Ruins at Old Iron Town

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