

*Welcome to a community that once was my "field."*

*Little did I imagine that the place I called home would eventually carry my name. For me, this remarkable land at the foot of the majestic Sierras meant opportunity for my family and I.*

*It's a place where, if we worked hard, our dreams could come true.*

*For others, especially travelers who came our way, it meant the promise of hay for their horses, cool well water to quench their thirst, a hot meal and a bed inside my home. Many of those travelers saw the same things I saw in the land - and became our neighbors.*

*I'm proud to see that the same holds true today - that my field continues to be a place where the promise of the future still lives and where the spirit of hospitality is alive and well.*

*Yours truly,*

*Colonel Thomas Baker*