

Official Texas Historical Building Marker to attach to stucco over
Kinney County (Order #5381) cedar posts

Location: Thomas St. and Rufus Alley, Brackettville

MONTALVO HOUSE*

YLDEFONSO MONTALVO(1855^{***}-1941^{***}),ALSO

KNOWN BY THE NAME OBED WOODS,

BUILT THIS DWELLING ABOUT 1887.HE

USED CEDAR PICKETS,CALICHE PLASTER,

AND OTHER MATERIALS AVAILABLE IN

THE AREA.ORIGINALLY THE KITCHEN AND

SEVERAL OUTBUILDINGS STOOD NEARBY.

THE EDUCATED SON OF AN ENGLISH

MOTHER AND A MEXICAN FATHER,

MONTALVO WAS A RANCHER AND AN

EMPLOYEE OF FORT CLARK AND A

LOCAL MERCANTILE STORE.HE AND HIS

WIFE GUADALUPE (RESCHMAN) (1868^{***}-1953^{***})

AND THEIR NINE CHILDREN LIVED HERE.**

RECORDED TEXAS HISTORIC LANDMARK - 1979***

*1/2 inch lettering
**3/8 inch lettering
***1/4 inch lettering

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