

## CAMP VERDE GENERAL STORE & POST OFFICE



Mercantile business operated 1857 as Williams Community Store, serving trade around Camp Verde Army Post (site of U.S. War Department's 1857-69 camel experiment). Post office opened in 1887. Originally open only on payroll day, the store continued to serve pioneers after the U.S. Army closed Camp Verde in 1869. Today, visitors can see Tiffany lamps, 1875 candy cases, pressed in ceilings & original P.O. boxes. Postcards, books and newspapers of the 1850s tell about the camel experiment. Recorded Texas Historic Landmark. (1971)

Driving Directions: from Kerrville, 11.2 mi. S of Kerrville on TX 173 to Camp Verde

GPS Coordinates: 29°53.638N & 99°06.289W

UTM Easting: 489833 / UTM Northing: 3307014