

# Old Town San Diego State Historic Park



## Youth Coloring Activity

(2021 EDITION)

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Explore Old Town San Diego State Historic Park with this interactive coloring activity! Locate the images found throughout the park and have fun coloring the pictures while you learn interesting facts about “The Birthplace of California”.

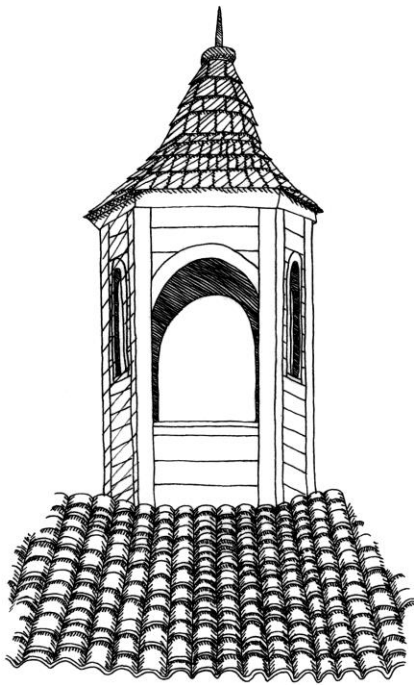
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*Opening hours may vary. This activity was designed with that in mind. The locations listed throughout this booklet can be visited whether our museums are open or closed to the public.*

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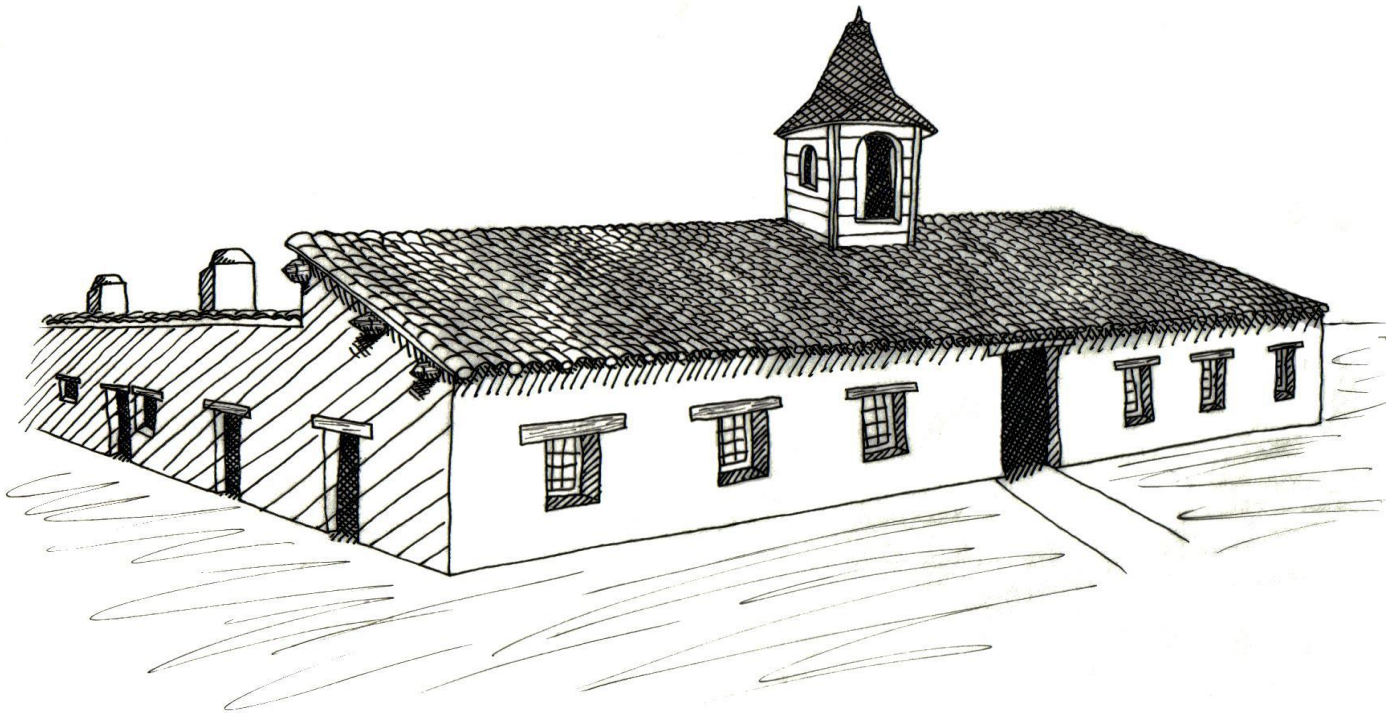
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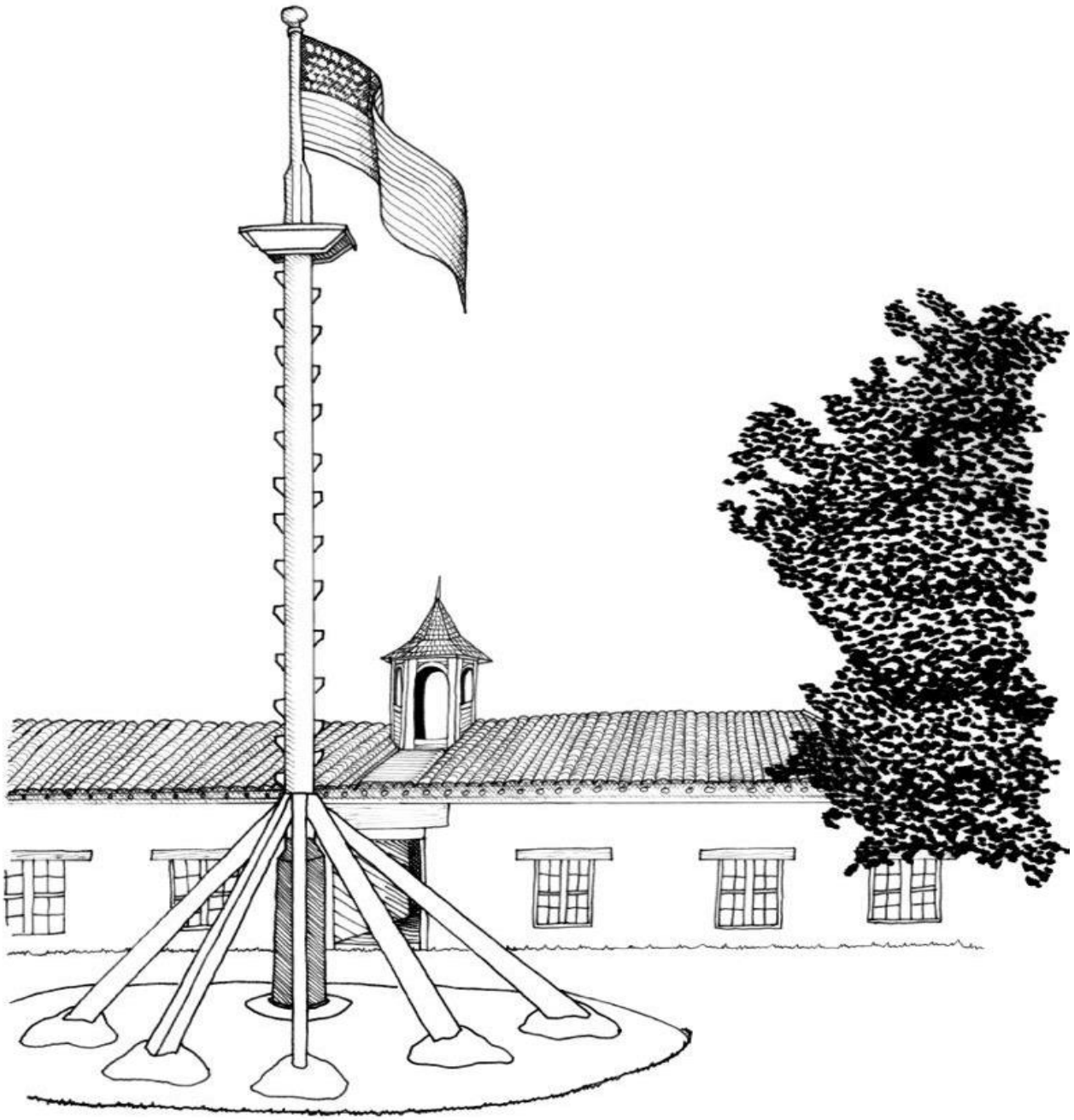
## Can you spot this?

This bell tower (or cupola) is located on a very important structure in Old Town San Diego.



### La Casa de Estudillo:

Home to one of the state's most distinguished 19th century families, La Casa de Estudillo was San Diego's social and religious center during the Mexican and early American periods. On top of the roof was a turreted balcony, accessible by a stairwell, where the Estudillo family watched the bullfights, horse races, and fiestas on the plaza.



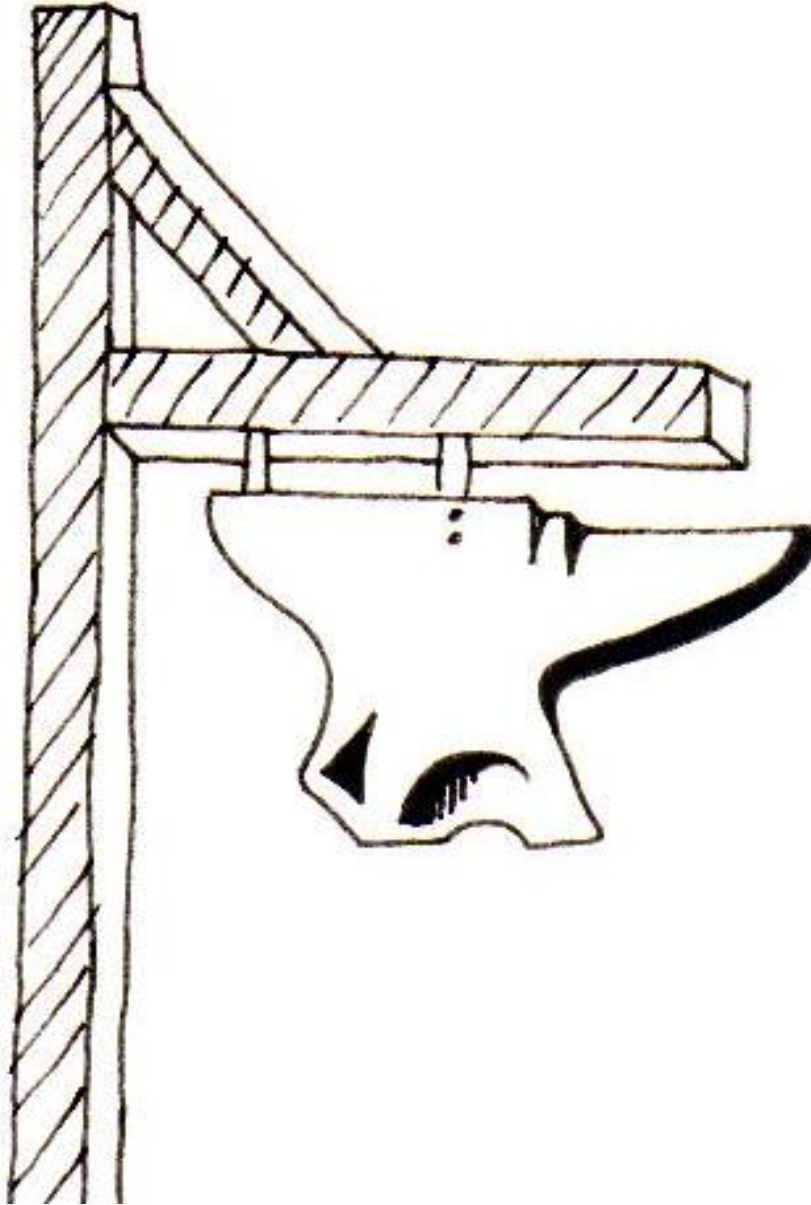
**Plaza Flagpole:**

On July 29, 1846, Lieutenant Stephen C. Rowan of the United States Navy raised the American flag over the plaza.



### **Mason Street Schoolhouse:**

Built in 1865, the Schoolhouse was the first publicly owned school in San Diego County. The building was a one-room, wood-frame, shingle-roofed structure with a ten-foot-high ceiling. A pot-bellied iron stove heated the room, and a water bucket and dipper provided the only indoor plumbing. All eight grades were taught in the single room.



## Can you spot this?

Many business signs used to be only images with little or no wording. This was for anyone who could not read. The image alone would tell them what business was provided there. Do you know what this is an image of?

### **The Blackhawk Livery & Blacksmith:**

The original Livery Stable served many people through the years. Albert Seeley took it over by 1872 as part of his stagecoach business. It now houses a blacksmith and woodworking shop. A blacksmith is a person who creates objects from wrought iron or steel by forging the metal -- heating it and using tools to hammer, bend, and cut. Blacksmiths played a vital role in the settling of San Diego.