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Cabin At Marshall Brush

Five and onehalf miles up Huntington Canyon from the town of Huntington, Utah; at the southwest corner of section 5, Township 17 south, Range 8 east is a location known as "The Marshall Brush".

It was here that in 1912 John W. Marshall homesteaded a farm and built a small cabin on the south side of the Huntington creek at the base of a large hill. John's family worked the farm in the summer and in the winter John took his family to the coal camps, where he worked through the winter months.

On October 22, 1919 John received title to the property from the United States Government under the Homestead act passed by Congress in May 1862.

In 1925 John was killed in a mining accident at the age of 44 in Heiner, Carbon county, Utah. The family continued to farm the homestead until January 5, 1939 when it was sold to Byron Howard.

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