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Forts and Camps: Gibbon, Alaska

FORT GIBBON, ALASKA

According to references cited below, Fort Gibbon was built in 1899 as a garrison for three companies of infantry. The post was abandoned in 1923, but a freight and express station was found at the site until at least 1940, after which it was no longer listed in the Army List and Directory.

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