SABINE PASS BATTLEGROUND

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In 1863, Union forces attempted an invasion of Texas at Sabine Pass, a vital port for supplies to the Confederate war effort. In a battle lasting less than an hour, Lt. Richard "Dick" Dowling and his 46 men defeated the Union ships' invasion. Today, an interpretive pavilion on the 58-acre site illustrates the story of the battle. Visitors also enjoy fishing and picnicking.

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