



# 7 DESCRIPTION

CONDITION		CHECK ONE	CHECK ONE
<input type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT	<input type="checkbox"/> DETERIORATED	<input type="checkbox"/> UNALTERED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL SITE
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GOOD	<input type="checkbox"/> RUINS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> XALTERED	<input type="checkbox"/> MOVED      DATE _____
<input type="checkbox"/> FAIR	<input type="checkbox"/> UNEXPOSED		

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## DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The Anderson schoolhouse is a nearly square, 1-1/2 story brick building. The foundation is rough cut sandstone block. It measures approximately 30' x 40'. The southeast corner of the schoolhouse has a three-stage belltower built of sandstone and wood. The first stage is built of smooth and rough cut sandstone block. There are full-width arched openings on the south and east sides. Within the tower there is a single paneled door on the east face of the building. An identical opening in the south side has been bricked in. Above the doorways are round arches framed with brick voussoirs. The second portion of the tower has double louvered panels. It is sided with decorative wood siding in a scallop pattern. The last stage of the tower has half-round openings on each face. Diamond patterned and scalloped siding covers this portion. The pyramidal roof has a slight overhang supported by a row of small wood brackets around the tower. The shingled roof has a metal cap and finial. The original bell remains in the tower.

The south face has a small three-part window centered in it. The window has a stone sill and stone lintels. A sandstone belt course, placed just below the lintel, extends around the building. Rows of scalloped and diamond patterned shingles cover the area within the gable. There is a decorative shaped window centered in this area.

The east face has three 2/2 light windows. Stone lug sills, lintels, water table, and quoins are the only detailing. The north face is blank. There is a center chimney rising above the ridgeline and visible down the face of the building. The roof is asbestos shingles laid in a herringbone pattern. At the northwest corner is a more recent gable-roofed one-story, one-bay addition which measures 12' x 12'. This section is on a concrete block foundation and has a door centered on the north side. The roof of this addition is slate.

# 8 SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD	AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
<input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS	<input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE	<input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION
<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION		

SPECIFIC DATES

1873

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Anderson Schoolhouse is an unusually ornate building for a single room schoolhouse. The structure has remained in continuous use as a school or community club since its completion. It is presently the preservation project of the Anderson Community Club.

*Community*  
Built in 1873 the building served as an eight grade school until 1938. From 1938 to the present it has been used as a local community meeting place. One facade window has been bricked in, a small addition has been placed at the rear and electricity installed. There is still no plumbing and outhouses are used.

# 9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Ashland Township records.

## 10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY one acre *less than one*

UTM REFERENCES

A 17 | 38,544,0 | 4,52,18,6,0  
 ZONE EASTING NORTHING

C [ ]

*Lebanon 12.9.76*

B [ ]

D [ ]

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE	CODE	COUNTY	CODE
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## 11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

Ruth Emmons Revised: Gretchen Klimoski

ORGANIZATION

DATE

Anderson Community Club

Ohio Historic Preservation Office 6/76

STREET & NUMBER

TELEPHONE

US 42 S

1982 Velma Avenue

466-8727

CITY OR TOWN

STATE

Ashland

Columbus

Ohio

## 12 STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER CERTIFICATION

THE EVALUATED SIGNIFICANCE OF THIS PROPERTY WITHIN THE STATE IS:

NATIONAL

STATE

LOCAL

As the designated State Historic Preservation Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service.

STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER SIGNATURE

TITLE

State Historic Preservation Officer

DATE

10-8-76

FOR NPS USE ONLY

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PROPERTY IS INCLUDED IN THE NATIONAL REGISTER

CHIEF

DATE

3/25/97

DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF ARCHEOLOGY AND HISTORIC PRESERVATION

ATTEST:

DATE

3-24-77

KEEPER OF THE NATIONAL REGISTER

Property Anderson Schoolhouse

Ashland

State Ohio

Working Number 11.4.76.4448

**TECHNICAL**

Photos 2

Maps 1

**CONTROL**

*pl*  
OK 11.8.76

**HISTORIAN**

ACCEPT  
L. Wengood  
16 N 76

**ARCHITECTURAL HISTORIAN**

should be less than

one  
Kretchen agreed to average reduction

accept  
12.8.76  
rebovich

**ARCHEOLOGIST**

**OTHER**

**HAER**

Inventory \_\_\_\_\_

Review \_\_\_\_\_

**REVIEW UNIT CHIEF**

*Actual*

**BRANCH CHIEF**

accept  
Cole  
12/21/76

**KEEPER**

*Hump*

3.24.77

National Register Write-up \_\_\_\_\_

Send-back \_\_\_\_\_

Entered MAR 25 1977

Federal Register Entry 5-3-77

Re-submit \_\_\_\_\_

INT:2106-74



PROPERTY OF THE NATIONAL REGISTER

Anderson Schoolhouse Ashland Co., Ohio  
Photo & Negative: Anderson Community Club  
1976  
Southeast corner

1862  
NOV 5 1976

P-15  

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Exterior  

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2x4 1/2

~~3x7~~

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PROPERTY OF THE NATIONAL REGISTER

NPS Number \_\_\_\_\_

Title: Anderson Schoolhouse

near view

Loc. Ashland Co. Ohio

2 of 2

NOV 5 1976

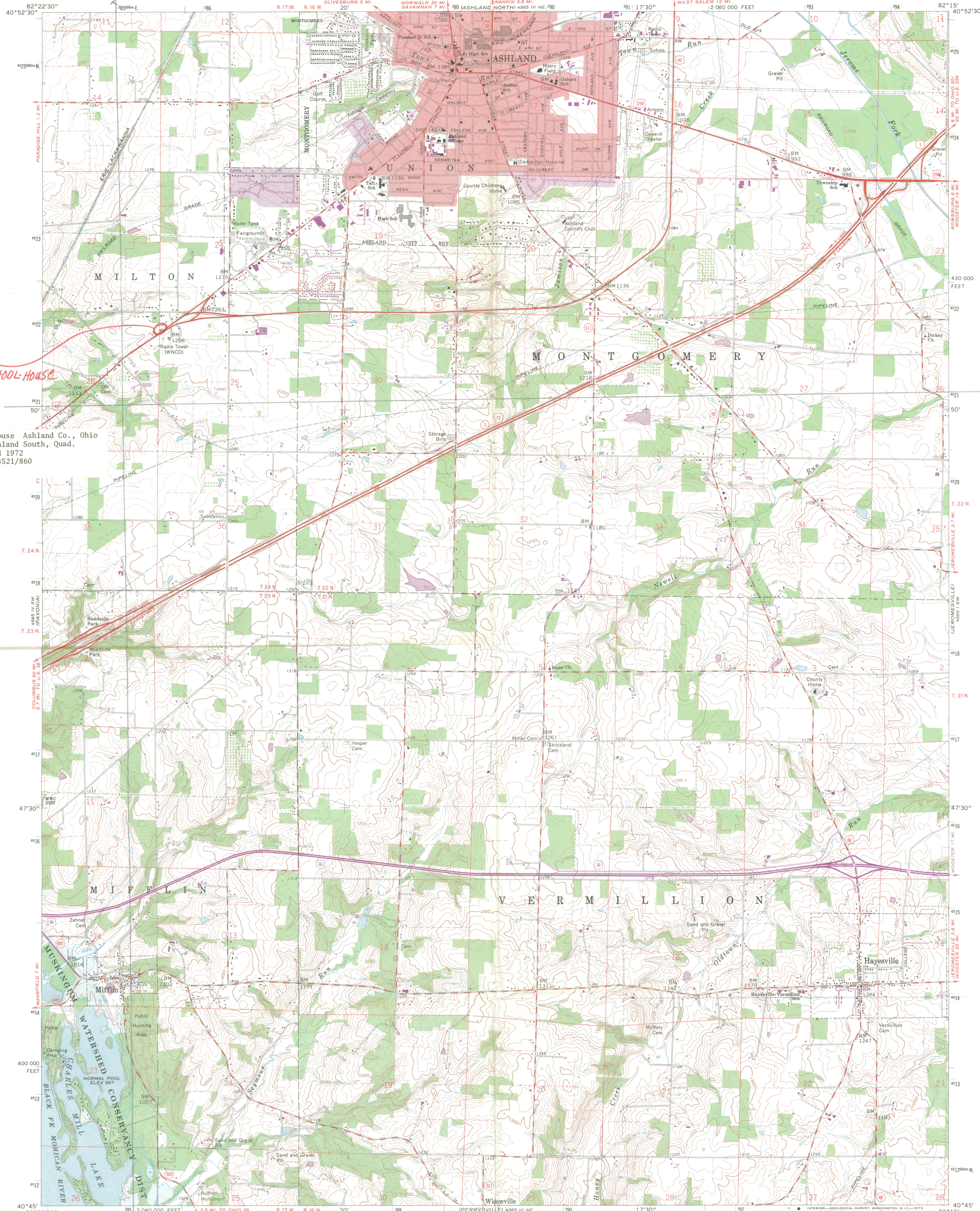
DOE MAR 25 1977

82° 22' 30"  
40° 52' 30"

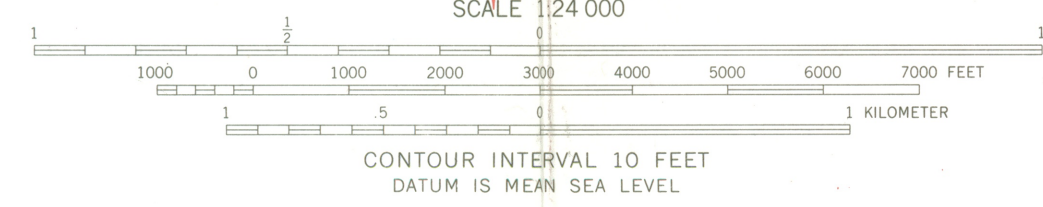
82° 15'  
40° 52' 30"

*Anderson  
One Room Schoolhouse*

Anderson Schoolhouse Ashland Co., Ohio  
U.S.G.S. 7.5' Ashland South, Quad.  
1:24000 revised 1972  
UTM 17 385/440 4521/860



Mapped, edited, and published by the Geological Survey  
Control by USGS and USC&GS  
Topography by photogrammetric methods from aerial photographs  
taken 1960. Field checked 1961.  
Polyconic projection. 1927 North American datum  
10,000-foot grid based on Ohio coordinate system, north zone  
1000-meter Universal Transverse Mercator grid ticks,  
zone 17, shown in blue.  
Fine red dashed lines indicate selected fence and field lines where  
generally visible on aerial photographs. This information is unchecked.  
Red tint indicates area in which only landmark buildings are shown.  
Area covered by dashed light-blue pattern is subject  
to controlled inundation.  
All wells shown are gas wells.  
Entire area lies within Congress Lands north of Old Seven Ranges.  
Land lines based on the Ohio River Base.



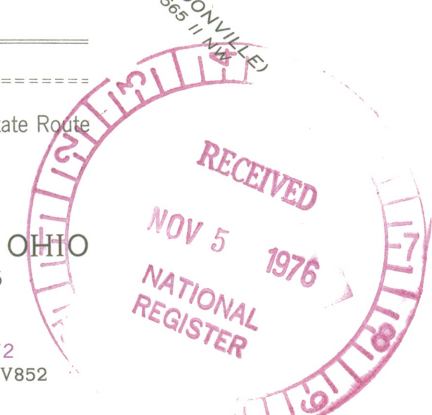
ROAD CLASSIFICATION

Heavy-duty	Light-duty
Medium-duty	Unimproved dirt
Interstate Route	U.S. Route
	State Route

THIS MAP COMPLIES WITH NATIONAL MAP ACCURACY STANDARDS  
FOR SALE BY U.S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY, WASHINGTON, D. C. 20242  
A FOLDER DESCRIBING TOPOGRAPHIC MAPS AND SYMBOLS IS AVAILABLE ON REQUEST

ASHLAND SOUTH, OHIO  
N4045—W8215/7.5

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AMS 4565 IV SE—SERIES V852



ENTRIES IN THE NATIONAL REGISTER

STATE      OHIO

Date Entered      MAR 25 1977

<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>
Perin Village Site	Newtown and vicinity Hamilton County
Sutton House	Decatur vicinity Brown County
Winter, William, Stone House	Mt. Olive vicinity Clermont County
Anderson Schoolhouse	Ashland vicinity Ashland County
Williams, W. L., House	Cincinnati vicinity Hamilton County

Also Notified

Hon. Howard M. Metzenbaum	State Historic Preservation Officer
Hon. John H. Glenn, Jr.	Dr. Thomas H. Smith
Hon. Willis D. Gradison, Jr.	Director, The Ohio Historical Society
Hon. William H. Harsha	Interstate 71 at 17th Avenue
Hon. John M. Ashbrook	Columbus, Ohio 43211
Hon. Thomas A. Luken	
Regional Director, Midwest Region	

# NR Data Sheet

DATE: 16 N 76  
Reviewer INITIALS: [Signature]  
NR DOE

MAR 25 1977

NAME AS IT APPEARS IN FEDERAL REGISTER: Anderson Schoolhouse

OTHER NAMES:

### LOCATION:

STREET & NUMBER SW of Ashland on U.S. 42  
CITY, TOWN Ashland CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT 17th  
STATE Ohio 039 VICINITY OF Ashland COUNTY code  
Ashland 005

OWNER OF PROPERTY: (Circle) PRIVATE STATE LOCAL GOV'T MUNICIPAL COUNTY OTHER

ADMINISTRATOR (underline) FEDERAL (AGENCY NAME):  
NPS REGION: (CIRCLE) N. ATLANTIC MID ATLANTIC SOUTHEAST MIDWEST  
SOUTHWEST ROCKY MOUNTAIN WEST PACIFIC NORTHWEST

### FEATURES:

INTERIOR EXTERIOR ENVIRONS  
- Substantially intact-1 X Substantially intact-2 - Substantially intact-3  
- unknown - 4 - unknown -5 - unknown -6  
- not applicable - 7 - not applicable - 8 - Not applicable-9  
- Interior, exterior, environs not intact-0

CONDITION - EXCELLENT DETERIORATED UNALTERED ORIGINAL SITE  
X GOOD RUINS X ALTERED MOVED  
- FAIR UNEXPOSED Reconstructed Unknown  
- Unexcavated Excavated

ACCESS - Yes-restricted Yes-unrestricted No access Unknown

historic district? YES NO

WITHIN NATIONAL REGISTER HISTORIC DISTRICT? YES NO

WITHIN NATIONAL HISTORIC LANDMARK? YES NO

ADAPTIVE USE: YES NO Saved? YES NO

FUNCTION(S): (use vocabulary words)

then- SCHOOL

now- COMMUNITY CENTER

### SIGNIFICANCE:

- ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC
- ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC
- X AGRICULTURE
- X ARCHITECTURE
- ART
- COMMERCE
- COMMUNICATIONS
- CONSERVATION
- ECONOMICS
- X EDUCATION
- ENGINEERING
- EXPLORATION
- INDUSTRY
- INVENTION
- LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE
- LAW/Gov't/politics
- LITERATURE
- MILITARY
- MUSIC
- PHILOSOPHY
- POLITICS/GOVERNMENT
- RELIGION
- SCIENCE
- SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN
- TRANSPORTATION
- OTHER (SPECIFY)
- entertainment
- health
- recreation
- settlement
- socio/cultural
- urban & commun planning

### Claims

"first" YES NO "oldest" YES NO "only" YES NO

ARCHITECTURAL STYLE: Queen Anne

architect/m.builder:

engineer:

landscape/garden designer:

artist/artisan:

interior decorator:

builder/contractor:

ETHNIC GROUP:

NAMES:

personal

(label role

&

appropriate date)

events

institutional

DATES:

DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (Specific date or 1/4 of century):

1873

DATE(S) OF "MAJOR" ALTERATIONS:

HISTORICALLY SIGNIFICANT DATE(S):

SOURCE:

(OF NOMINATION)

PRIVATE

STATE

LOCAL GOV'T

MUNICIPAL

COUNTY

OTHER

FEDERAL AGENCY:

Community Org.

ACREAGE:

(to nearest tenth of an acre)

.1 - 9

COMMENTS: (include architectural information here)

BRICK, RECTANGULAR, GABLE, CORNER TOWER WITH ARCADED BASE, QUOINS,  
FRAME GABLE END.  
1STORY ADDITION

SIGNIFICANCE: (maximum two sentences)

This unusually ornate one-room schoolhouse served  
as the local elementary education center for  
more than half a century. It has since been  
a community center.