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INDIVIDUAL DATA SHEET

General Description

Code: MI-070

Congressional District: Fourth

✓ Name: Kittrell House (Thompson Tr.)

Current Owner: Ray Cummings

✓ Address: 1103 Hickory St.,
Texarkana, Arkansas

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Texarkana, Arkansas

✓ County: Miller

Architectural Information

Architectural Firm: Charles Thompson

Date of Construction: ca. 1900-1910

Stylistic Influence: Colonial Revival

Original Use: Residence

Present Use: Residence

Geographical Information

UTM Reference: 15 403670/3699660

Acreage: Less than one

Verbal Boundary Description: Original City
Block 10, Beginning at stake on West line High St.
192' South of South line of 12th St. West 132' South
98' to stake East 132' to stake on West line of
Hickory North 98' to beginning.

Condition

☒ Excellent
☐ Good
☐ Fair

☐ Deteriorated
☐ Ruins
☐ Unexposed

☐ Unaltered
☒ Altered

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Code: MI-070 (1103 Hickory, Texarkana, AR)

Physical Description

Another appealing Charles Thompson version of the popular Foursquare two-story frame house with hipped roof is this ca. 1900-1910 residence in Texarkana. Elevated above sidewalk level on a terraced corner lot and set on a high brick foundation, the house has a prominent front porch which extends around one side and which carries much of the decorative detailing. A balustrade of urn-shaped balusters lines the porch. Ionic columns with plain shafts and attic bases support the full entablature which is crowned with dentil molding. Originally the porch carried a roof balustrade, now replaced by iron cresting. The single dormers which appear on all sides are especially decorative, featuring small gable roofs with gable returns, arched windows with molded window surrounds capped by key-stone-like motifs and dentil molding on the raking cornices. The house is faced with narrow weatherboard with sash windows of single lights.

Statement of Significance

The Kittrell House in Texarkana, designed by Charles L. Thompson ca. 1905, is one of the most decorative of the firm's several American Foursquare houses with Colonial Revival detailing. Here, such details include the Ionic columns and balustrade of the porch and especially handsome pedimented dormers with arched windows. The Kittrell House is imposingly sited well above street level and, surrounded by towering trees and colorful flower plantings, is an outstanding structure in its historic neighborhood. The house is a familiar and imposing anchor in the neighborhood which is rapidly changing in character as older houses are being torn down and replaced by commercial structures.

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Multiple Resource Area
Thematic GroupName Thompson, Charles L., Design Collection Thematic Resources
State Arkansas

Nomination/Type of Review

Date/Signature

61. Eagle House

Substantive Review Keeper

Attest

62. Trimble House

Entered in the
National Register for Keeper

Attest

63. Walls House

Entered in the
National Register for Keeper

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64. Shull House

Substantive Review Keeper

Attest

65. First Methodist Church

Entered in the
National Register for Keeper

Attest

66. Kittrell House

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National Register for Keeper

Attest

67. Merchants and
Planters Bank

Substantive Review Keeper

Attest

68. Gazzola and Vaccaro Building

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National Register for Keeper

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69. Lo Beele House

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70. McRae, T. C., House

Substantive Review Keeper

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Miller County
ARKANSAS

Working No. 11/9/82-3026Fed. Reg. Date: 2.7.84Date Due: 12/9/82 - 12/24/82Action: ☒ ACCEPT 12/24/82Entered in the ☐ RETURNNational Register ☐ REJECT

Federal Agency: _____

- ☐ resubmission
☐ nomination by person or local government
☐ owner objection
☐ appeal

Substantive Review: ☐ sample ☐ request ☐ appeal ☐ NR decision

Reviewer's comments:

Recom./Criteria _____

Reviewer _____

Discipline _____

Date _____

☐ see continuation sheet

Nomination returned for: ☐ technical corrections cited below
☐ substantive reasons discussed below

1. Name2. Location3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use
	Public Acquisition	Accessible	

4. Owner of Property5. Location of Legal Description6. Representation in Existing SurveysHas this property been determined eligible? ☐ yes ☐ no7. Description

Condition	Check one	Check one
<input type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> deteriorated	<input type="checkbox"/> original site
<input type="checkbox"/> good	<input type="checkbox"/> ruins	<input type="checkbox"/> moved
<input type="checkbox"/> fair	<input type="checkbox"/> unexposed	<input type="checkbox"/> date _____

Describe the present and original (if known) physical appearance

- ☐ summary paragraph
☐ completeness
☐ clarity
☐ alterations/integrity
☐ dates
☐ boundary selection

8. Significance

Period _____ Areas of Significance—Check and justify below

Specific dates _____ Builder/Architect _____

Statement of Significance (in one paragraph)

- _____ summary paragraph
- _____ completeness
- _____ clarity
- _____ applicable criteria
- _____ justification of areas checked
- _____ relating significance to the resource
- _____ context
- _____ relationship of integrity to significance
- _____ justification of exception
- _____ other

9. Major Bibliographical References

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of nominated property _____

Quadrangle name _____

USIT References _____

Verbal boundary description and justification _____

11. Form Prepared By

12. State Historic Preservation Officer Certification

The evaluated significance of this property within the state is:

_____ national _____ state _____ local

State Historic Preservation Officer signature _____

Title _____ date _____

13. Other

- _____ Maps
- _____ Photographs
- _____ Other

Questions concerning this nomination may be directed to _____

Signed _____ Date _____ Phone: 202 272-3504

Comments for any item may be continued on an attached sheet



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1103 Hickory, Texarkana, Arkansas

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Negative on file at AHPP
Viewed from the South

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