

United States Department of the Interior  
National Park Service

National Register of Historic Places  
Registration Form



This form is for use in nominating or requesting determinations of eligibility for individual properties or districts. See instructions in *Guidelines for Completing National Register Forms* (National Register Bulletin 16). Complete each item by marking "x" in the appropriate box or by entering the requested information. If an item does not apply to the property being documented, enter "N/A" for "not applicable." For functions, styles, materials, and areas of significance, enter only the categories and subcategories listed in the instructions. For additional space use continuation sheets (Form 10-900a). Type all entries.

1. Name of Property

historic name Shutter, John, House  
other names/site number Resource # WH0232

2. Location

street & number Austin & Main Streets  not for publication N/A  
city, town Pangburn  vicinity N/A  
state Arkansas code AR county White code 145 zip code 72121

3. Classification

Ownership of Property	Category of Property	Number of Resources within Property	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> building(s)	Contributing	Noncontributing
<input type="checkbox"/> public-local	<input type="checkbox"/> district	<u>1</u>	<u>      </u> buildings
<input type="checkbox"/> public-State	<input type="checkbox"/> site	<u>      </u>	<u>      </u> sites
<input type="checkbox"/> public-Federal	<input type="checkbox"/> structure	<u>      </u>	<u>      </u> structures
	<input type="checkbox"/> object	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u> Total

Name of related multiple property listing:  
Historic and Architectural Resources of White County, Arkansas  
Number of contributing resources previously listed in the National Register N/A

4. State/Federal Agency Certification

As the designated authority under the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended, I hereby certify that this  nomination  request for determination of eligibility meets the documentation standards for registering properties in the National Register of Historic Places and meets the procedural and professional requirements set forth in 36 CFR Part 60. In my opinion, the property  meets  does not meet the National Register criteria.  See continuation sheet.  
Charles A. Boyd 5-13-90  
Signature of certifying official Date  
Arkansas Historic Preservation Program  
State or Federal agency and bureau

In my opinion, the property  meets  does not meet the National Register criteria.  See continuation sheet.  
Signature of commenting or other official Date  
State or Federal agency and bureau

5. National Park Service Certification

I, hereby, certify that this property is:  
 entered in the National Register. Entered in the National Register  
 See continuation sheet. Delores Byer 9/15/91  
 determined eligible for the National Register.  See continuation sheet.  
 determined not eligible for the National Register.  
 removed from the National Register.  
 other, (explain:)  
Signature of the Keeper Date of Action

**6. Function or Use**

Historic Functions (enter categories from instructions)

Domestic/ Single Dwelling

Current Functions (enter categories from instructions)

Domestic/ Single Dwelling

**7. Description**

Architectural Classification  
(enter categories from instructions)

Other: Vernacular/ Double-Pile

Materials (enter categories from instructions)

foundation stone  
walls novelty siding  
roof asphalt shingle  
other \_\_\_\_\_

Describe present and historic physical appearance.

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Description

During the Railroad Era (1870-1914) in White County a variety of vernacular houses were constructed. They were also built out of a variety of materials. Surviving examples from this period, however, are somewhat limited. The John Shutter House is a good example of a one-and-one-half-story double-pile building that is of frame construction and clad with novelty siding. The hipped and gable roofs are covered with composition shingles and the entire structure rests on a stone foundation.

Located on the south corner of Austin and Main Streets, this building was constructed one block southwest of the Pangburn commercial district. The John Shutter House was constructed in 1908 and even though it has had some historic alterations it is still in good condition.

Its main, or east elevation is dominated by a one-story hipped roof porch that extends across practically the entire front of the original building. The porch roof is supported by wooden columns on stucco clad piers. This part of the structure is fenestrated with symmetrically placed pairs of three-over-one double-hung wood sash windows. They flank the centrally placed single door. A gable roof dormer towers above this entrance. The dormer is relieved by paired two-over-two double-hung wood sash windows.

A side-ell addition projects from the southeast portion of the original building. Due to the fact that the side-ell is fenestrated with three-over-one double-hung wood sash, popular in the late 1920's, it is believed that this is when it was added. A shed roof carport extends the full-length of the south elevation of the side-ell. West of this, and attached to the original block of the building is an enclosed porch. Its south elevation is relieved by an asymmetrically placed door; immediately east of this door is a pair of one-over-one single-hung wood sash windows. The west elevation of the enclosed porch is fenestrated with a centrally placed three-over-one double-hung wood sash window.

Continuing on to the southern half of the west elevation of the original building, fenestration is symmetrically placed. It consists of paired three-over-one double-hung wood sash windows. The northern half of the west elevation houses a shed roof enclosed porch. Its west elevation is relieved by screened openings. A single centrally placed door accesses the south elevation of this porch.

The north elevation of the house is dominated by a centrally placed recessed porch. A symmetrically arranged door and single three-over-one double-hung wood sash window are found on this recessed porch. Small symmetrically placed three-over-one double-hung wood sash windows are located south of the recessed porch while a gable roof bay is north of the porch. Centrally placed paired three-over-one double-hung wood sash windows fenestrate the north elevation of this bay.

The upper portion of the gable roof bay is decorated with imbricated wood shingles and a lone centrally placed single-pane fixed frame window. Other gable ends of the structure lack the imbricated wood shingles and have louvered wooden vents in place of the fixed frame window.

**8. Statement of Significance**

Certifying official has considered the significance of this property in relation to other properties:

nationally     statewide     locally

Applicable National Register Criteria     A     B     C     D

Criteria Considerations (Exceptions)     A     B     C     D     E     F     G

Areas of Significance (enter categories from instructions)

ARCHITECTURE

Period of Significance

1908

Significant Dates

1908

Cultural Affiliation

N/A

Significant Person

N/A

Architect/Builder

unknown

State significance of property, and justify criteria, criteria considerations, and areas and periods of significance noted above.

See continuation sheet

**9. Major Bibliographical References**

See "Historic and Architectural Resources of White County, Arkansas," Section H.

See continuation sheet

**Previous documentation on file (NPS):**

- preliminary determination of individual listing (36 CFR 67) has been requested
- previously listed in the National Register
- previously determined eligible by the National Register
- designated a National Historic Landmark
- recorded by Historic American Buildings Survey # \_\_\_\_\_
- recorded by Historic American Engineering Record # \_\_\_\_\_

**Primary location of additional data:**

- State historic preservation office
- Other State agency
- Federal agency
- Local government
- University
- Other

Specify repository: \_\_\_\_\_

**10. Geographical Data** *Map 12*

Acreage of property \_\_\_\_\_

**UTM References**

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Zone Easting Northing

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Zone Easting Northing

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Verbal Boundary Description

See continuation sheet

Boundary Justification

See continuation sheet

**11. Form Prepared By**

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Significance

Little is known of John Shutter other than that he was a merchant and ran a general store in Pangburn. His house, however, is being nominated under Criterion C with local significance because of the insight it provides into historic construction techniques and styles.

When this building was constructed in 1908, it was one of numerous frame double-pile houses built in White County during the Railroad Era. While there are thirty-one of these houses which survive in the county, few reflect the period in which they were constructed. Though the John Shutter House today reveals the impact of several additions it is still a good example of the way that houses have evolved through the years from relatively small floorplans to larger versions.



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Acreage of property: Less than one

UTM References:

A 15/605530/3920670

Verbal Boundary Description:

Lots 1-3 (less western 60 feet), Block 6, Original Town of Pangburn.

Boundary Justification:

This boundary includes all the property historically associated with this resource.

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ARKANSAS

	Date Listed
91001276 Missouri--Pacific Depot Substantive Review	7/20/92
91001277 ✓ Moody House	7/20/92
91001210 Moore House	9-5-91
91001332 ✓ Morris Institute Dairy Barn Substantive Review	7/20/92
91001178 National Guard Armory Building Substantive Review	9-5-91
91001356 ✓ Neaville, J.A., House	7/22/92
91001331 New Mt. Pisgah School Substantive Review	7/20/92
91001360 ✓ Nimmo Clubhouse	7/20/92
91001286 O'Neal, Howard, Farm Substantive Review	7/20/92
91001290 Pangburn, Austin, House	9-5-91
91001203 Paschall House	9-5-91
91001292 Patman House	9-5-91
91001255 Pemberton House	9-5-91
91001305 Pence--Carmichael Farm, Barn and Root Cellar Substantive Review	7/20/92
91001247 ✓ Plummer House	7/22/92
91001249 Powell Clothing Store	9-5-91
91001307 ✓ Prince House	7/22/92
91001361 ✓ Ransom, Edward, Farmstead, Livestock and Equipment Barn	7/22/92
91001213 ✓ Rascoe House	7/23/92
91001296 ✓ Ray, Sam, House	7/23/92
91001343 ✓ Rhew, J. C., Co. Packing Shed	7/23/92
91001231 Rialto Theater Substantive Review	9-13-91
91001245 Robertson Drugstore Substantive Review	9-13-91
91001221 Robertson House	9-5-91
91001195 ✓ Rock Building	7/23/92
91001230 Rodgers, Porter, Sr., House	9-5-91
91001219 Rogers, Bob, House Substantive Review	9-13-91
91001346 Roper House	9-5-91
91001271 ✓ Russell Jail	7/23/92
91001306 Scott--Davis House Substantive Review	7/20/92
91001227 Searcy City Hall	9-5-91
91001200 ✓ Searcy Post Office	7/20/92
91001208 ✓ Sears, Dean L. C., House	7/20/92
91001261 Sellers House	9-5-91
91001257 Shue House	9-5-91
91001299 Shutter, John, House Substantive Review	9-5-91
91001367 ✓ Siler, Luther, Gin Substantive Review	7/20/92
91001342 Simpson, Stanley, Farmstead Picking Sled	9-13-91
91001218 Smith House	9-5-91
91001223 Smith, A. J., House	9-5-91



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
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NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES  
EVALUATION/RETURN SHEET

REQUESTED ACTION: NOMINATION

PROPERTY NAME: Shutter, John, House

MULTIPLE NAME: White County MPS

STATE & COUNTY: ARKANSAS, White

DATE RECEIVED: 8/01/91      DATE OF PENDING LIST: 8/15/91  
DATE OF 16TH DAY: 8/31/91      DATE OF 45TH DAY: 9/15/91  
DATE OF WEEKLY LIST:

REFERENCE NUMBER: 91001299

NOMINATOR: STATE

REASONS FOR REVIEW:

APPEAL: N    DATA PROBLEM: N    LANDSCAPE: N    LESS THAN 50 YEARS: N  
OTHER: N    PDIL: N    PERIOD: N    PROGRAM UNAPPROVED: N  
REQUEST: N    SAMPLE: N    SLR DRAFT: N    NATIONAL: N

COMMENT WAIVER: N

ACCEPT     RETURN     REJECT    9/5/91 DATE entered in the  
National Register

ABSTRACT/SUMMARY COMMENTS:

RECOM./CRITERIA \_\_\_\_\_  
REVIEWER \_\_\_\_\_  
DISCIPLINE \_\_\_\_\_  
DATE \_\_\_\_\_

DOCUMENTATION see attached comments Y/N see attached SLR Y/N

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CLASSIFICATION

\_\_\_count      \_\_\_resource type

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STATE/FEDERAL AGENCY CERTIFICATION

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FUNCTION

\_\_\_historic      \_\_\_current

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DESCRIPTION

\_\_\_architectural classification  
\_\_\_materials  
\_\_\_descriptive text

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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

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BIBLIOGRAPHY

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GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

\_\_\_acreage      \_\_\_verbal boundary description  
\_\_\_UTMs      \_\_\_boundary justification

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ACCOMPANYING DOCUMENTATION/PRESENTATION

\_\_\_sketch maps      \_\_\_USGS maps      \_\_\_photographs      \_\_\_presentation

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OTHER COMMENTS

Questions concerning this nomination may be directed to

\_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_





JOHN SHUTTER HOUSE *white*

PANGBURN, ARKANSAS

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MAY, 1986

NEGATIVE ON FILE AT AHP

VIEW FROM EAST





JOHN SHUTTER HOUSE      white  
PANGBURN, ARKANSAS  
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NEGATIVE ON FILE AT AHPP  
VIEW FROM WEST





JOHN SHUTTER HOUSE *white*  
PANGBURN, ARKANSAS  
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VIEW FROM SOUTH



Please refer to the map in the  
Multiple Property Cover Sheet  
for this property

Multiple Property Cover Sheet Reference Number: 64500033