

Record No. K

INVENTORY FORM FOR NOMINATED PROPERTIES

Name of Property: MIELKE, JOSEPH RESIDENCE
Address: 326 Second Street West
City: New Richmond

Owner: Joseph & Cora Meilke Date: 1/11/88
Owner's address: 326 2nd St. W., New Richmond
County: St. Croix (Code #109)

*160 NRHP Certification

(a) _____ (b) _____
(c) _____ (d) _____

165 NRHP Certification Date

(a) _____ (b) _____
(c) _____ (d) _____

*170 Thematic or Multiple Resource Nomination Name

Historic Resources of New Richmond

180 NRHP List Name Mielke, Joseph Residence

*200 Level of Significance Local

*190 District Classification n/a

*210 Applicable Criteria C

*215 Criteria Considerations

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*220 Area of Significance

Architecture

230 Period of Significance c.1912*

*Date of construction

60 Verbal Boundary Description _____

The W 57.75' of Lot 1 and 8.25' of the
adjacent alley and W 57.75' of N 54' of
Lot 2 and 8.25' of adj, alley block 1
Fremont addn. City of New Richmond

70 USGS Quad Map New Richmond South, WI

80 UTM Coordinates (Format: 99/999999/9999999)
15/ 536100 / 4996330

85 Listed Acreage less than one

340 Review Board Date _____

Number of Resources:

TWO Contributing Buildings

*use code tables for response

City, Village or Town: New Richmond		County: St. Croix	Surveyor: Stager Roberts	Date: 1983 1986	Second Street West 326
Street Address: 326 Second Street West		USGS Quad and UTM Reference: New Richmond South, Wis. 15/536100/4996330		Acreage: less than 1 acre	
Current Name & Use: residence and garage		Current Owner: Joseph and Cora M. Meilke			
Film Roll No. SC20	Affix Contact Prints		Current Owner's Address: 326 Second St. W. New Richmond, WI. 54017		
Negative No. 29			Legal Description: The W 57.75' of Lot 1 and 8.25' of adjacent alley and W. 57.75' of N 54' of Lot 2 + 8.25' of adj. alley block, Fremont Addn., City of New Richmond		
Facade Orient. N					

Original Name & Use:	Source	Previous Owners	Dates	Uses	Source
2 Joseph Mielke Residence and garage	C				
Dates of Construction /Alteration ca. 1900-1912	Source A, B				
Architect and/or Builder:	Source				

<p>3 <u>Architectural Significance</u></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Represents work of a master</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Possesses high artistic values</p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> Represents a type, period, or method of construction</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Engineering</p> <p><input type="radio"/> None</p> <p>Architectural Description and Significance: See Attached</p> <p>Interior visited? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No</p>	<p>4 <u>Historical Significance</u></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Assoc. with lives of significant persons</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Assoc. with significant historical events</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Assoc. with development of a locality</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Other: _____</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None Period of significance: <u>1900-1912</u></p> <p>Historical Background and Significance: See Attached</p>
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<p>5 <u>Sources of Information (Reference to Above)</u></p> <p>A 1897 Plat Map</p> <p>B Sanborn Insurance Maps, 1900, 1912, 1927</p> <p>C County Assessor records</p> <p>D</p> <p>E</p>	<p>6 <u>Representation in Previous Surveys</u></p> <p><input type="radio"/> HABS <input type="radio"/> LDMK <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WIHP <input type="radio"/> NRHP</p> <p><input type="radio"/> other: _____</p> <p>7 <u>Condition</u></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> excellent <input type="checkbox"/> good <input type="checkbox"/> fair <input type="checkbox"/> poor <input type="checkbox"/> ruins</p> <p>8 <u>District:</u> _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> pivotal <input type="checkbox"/> contributing <input type="checkbox"/> non-contributing</p> <p>9 <u>Opinion of National Register Eligibility</u></p> <p>date: <u>7/21/86</u> initials: <u>NR</u></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> eligible <input type="checkbox"/> not eligible <input type="checkbox"/> unknown</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> national <input type="checkbox"/> state <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> local</p>
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Second Street West
 326
 New Richmond Intensive Survey
 City Map
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DESCRIPTION

Clapboard is the exterior sheathing of this one and a half story Dutch Colonial Revival house. The roof is a cross-gambrel covered in asphalt shingles. There are shingled returns where the two slopes of the gambrels meet. Side gambrels have pent roofs separating the gables from the first story. The foundation is rusticated stone block. Windows are one-over-one with entablature window heads. The house plan is rectangular.

The front facade is asymmetrical on the first story with a front door off-set to the west. East of the door is a large fixed light window with a four light wooden storm window. The full front porch is screened and has wooden lattice around the foundation. The porch roof is hipped and the roof pitch meets the angled central bay window at the second story sill line. The porch has a plain wooden frieze with wooden brackets. Porch columns are turned and Eastlake in style. Tops have scroll sawn wooden braces. A turned wooden balustrade surrounds the porch at the floor. The second floor has a large shallow angled bay window with one-over-one side windows and a single light central window with a four light storm. The roof of the bay is flat. The attic peak has a small square window with a pointed molded window head. The second and attic story walls are decorated in patterned shingles in alternating wide bands of fishscales and staggered diamonds which give texture and visual interest to the front facade.

To the rear of the property in the southwest corner is hipped roof one car garage facing west on the alley. It is clapboard and asphalt shingled with a deep overhang at the eaves and a hipped roof. Sanborn maps indicate that the garage was built between 1912 and 1927. The house has few foundation plantings, but a large pine is located at the rear with a few large elms along the alley on the west.

SIGNIFICANCE

The Sanborn map from 1912 and a plat map from 1897 indicate that this house was built between 1900 and 1912. The Abstract was not available and there is no known historical significance to the property. This Dutch Colonial Revival house is the finest example of this style in the community. The gable woodwork and shingling is of high quality and accentuates the over-all appearance of the house. It has excellent proportions and intact integrity. Because it is such an outstanding example of the early twentieth century Dutch Colonial Revival style, this house has local architectural significance.

The house and garage are both considered contributing resources for their contributions to the broad picture of typical New Richmond architectural growth and development in the post-tornado era.