United States Department of the Interior Heritage Conservation and Recreation Service

National Register of Historic Places Inventory—Nomination Form



See instructions in *How to Complete National Register Forms* Type all entries—complete applicable sections

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7. Description

Condition	
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Check one ____X original site _ moved date _

Describe the present and original (if known) physical appearance

The Redstone Building at 705 Pierce in Eveleth is situated on a corner lot. It is a two and one half story structure executed in the Queen Anne style. The principal design elements include an irregular plan, a multi-gabled roof, front porch, and a prominent corner tower with conical roof. The building is constructed of a rosepigmented, rusticated concrete brick with sills and lintels highlighted in red stone. The entire property is enclosed by an ornamental iron fence. It continues to serve as a private residence.

8. Significance

Specific dates	1905	Builder/Architect	
1700–1799 1800–1899 1900–	art art commerce communications	engineering music exploration/settlement philosophy industry politics/government	humanitarian humanitarian theater transportation other (specify)
Period prehistoric 1400–1499 1500–1599 1600–1699	Areas of Significance—C archeology-prehistoric archeology-historic agriculture x architecture	community planning landscape architecture conservation law economics literature	religion science sculpture social/

Statement of Significance (in one paragraph)

The Redstone House is significant as the best extant example of Queen Anne architecture in the city of Eveleth and one of the finest structures on the Iron Range. Mr. W. Bailey, a fee officer in Eveleth, was the original owner and builder of the house. As fee officer, he insured, on behalf of his clients, that proper payment was made by area mining companies to those persons or corporations owning lands being mined. Fees had also to be paid on leased land. The Eveleth fee office was, during his career, the second largest fee office in the Lake Superior Iron District. The house is significant, therefore, both for its architecture and its association with Bailey and the fee system.

9. Major Bibliographical References

Marvin Lamppa, <u>A Report to the Department of Natural Resources on the Historical</u> <u>Aspects of the Vermilion, Cuyuna, and Mesabi Iron Ranges of Northeast Minnesota</u> (Eveleth: 1977)

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Note: These changes apply to Redstone Building in St. Louis County, Minnesota.

REFERENCE NUMBER: 80004347

STATE: MINNESOTA

COUNTY: St. Louis

RESOURCE NAME (HISTORIC): Bailey, W., House (Redstone)

CITY:

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ADDRESS:

CERTIFICATION DATE:

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COMMENTS:

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JUN 1 7 1988 Date

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