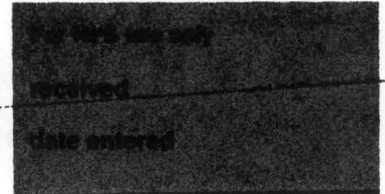


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INDIVIDUAL DATA SHEET

General Description

Code: PU-139

Congressional District: Second

✓ Name: Remmel Apartments (Thompson Tr.)

Current Owner: John Jarrard

✓ Address: 409-411 West 17th St.,

Little Rock, Arkansas

Address:

1700 Spring

✓ County: Pulaski

Little Rock, Arkansas 72206

Architectural Information

Architectural Firm: Thompson and Harding

Date of Construction: 1917

Stylistic Influence: Craftsman

Original Use: Apartment Building

Present Use: Apartment Building

Geographical Information

UTM Reference: 15 566130/3843460

Acreage: Less than one

Verbal Boundary Description: Original City of Little Rock  
Block 203, Lot 12

Condition

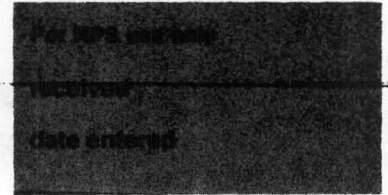
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x \_\_\_\_ Good  
\_\_\_\_ Fair

\_\_\_\_ Deteriorated  
\_\_\_\_ Ruins  
\_\_\_\_ Unexposed

\_\_\_\_ Unaltered  
x \_\_\_\_ Altered

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(409-411 W. 17th Street, Little Rock, AR)

Physical Description

Thompson and Harding designed this small apartment house in 1917. It is located on a narrow lot facing West 17th Street in Little Rock. An unusual steep gable end roof with splayed eaves caps the boxy two-story house which is faced with dark brown brick. Two small ranges of concrete steps lead to the two separate entrances located at either end of the front elevation. The east entryway is sheltered by an overhanging second story porch which is supported by large brackets and faced with stucco with half-timber effects. The gable roof of a one-story projection on the west swoops down to cover the small porch of the second entry. The sash windows feature six-over-one lights.

Statement of Significance

The third Rammel apartment house, designed by Thompson and Harding in 1917, is located around the corner from Rammel's other rent houses. Conscious of the surrounding streetscape, the firm's use of complimentary plan and materials and the recessed entry placement give the viewer an impression of a single-unit dwelling. Again, an example of the firm's use of various designs for a multi-family unit within a single-family neighborhood.

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Thematic Group

Name Thompson, Charles L., Design Collection Thematic Resources

State Arkansas

Nomination/Type of Review	Date/Signature
121. Rammel Flats Substantive Review	Keeper Bruce Lee Douglas 12/24/82 Attest accept Patrick Andrews 12/13/82
122. Rammel Apartments (1704-1706 Spring St.) Entered in the National Register	Keeper Melvyn Byers 12/24/82 Attest
123. Rammel Apartments (1708-1710 Spring St.) Entered in the National Register	Keeper Melvyn Byers 12/24/82 Attest
124. Rammel Apartments (409-411 W. 17th St.) Substantive Review	Keeper Bruce Lee Douglas 12/24/82 Attest accept Patrick Andrews 12/13/82
125. Croxson House Entered in the National Register	Keeper Melvyn Byers 12/24/82 Attest
126. Sanders House Entered in the National Register	Keeper Melvyn Byers 12/24/82 Attest
127. Hemmingway House Substantive Review	Keeper Bruce Lee Douglas 12/24/82 Attest accept Patrick Andrews 12/13/82
128. Cornish House Entered in the National Register	Keeper Melvyn Byers 12/24/82 Attest
129. Schaer House Entered in the National Register	Keeper Melvyn Byers 12/24/82 Attest
130. Central Presbyterian Church Substantive Review	Keeper Bruce Lee Douglas 12/24/82 Attest accept Patrick Andrews 12/13/82

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Substantive Review

Rommel Apartments (Thompson, Charles L., Design  
Collection TR)  
Pulaski County  
ARKANSAS  
(469-411 W. 17th St.)Working No. 11/9/82-3026  
Fed. Reg. Date: 2.7.84  
Date Due: 12/9/82 - 12/24/82  
Action: ☒ ACCEPT 12/22/82  
☐ RETURN  
☐ REJECT  
Federal Agency: \_\_\_\_\_☐ resubmission  
☐ nomination by person or local government  
☐ owner objection  
☐ appealSubstantive Review: ☒ sample ☐ request ☐ appeal ☐ NR decision

Reviewer's comments:

Recom./Criteria accept-C  
Reviewer Patrick Andrews  
Discipline Historian  
Date 12/13/82  
☐ see continuation sheetNomination returned for: ☐ technical corrections cited below  
☐ substantive reasons discussed below✓ 1. Name✓ 2. Location✓ 3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use
	Public Acquisition	Accessible	

✓ 4. Owner of Property✓ 5. Location of Legal Description✓ 6. 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 date _____
<input type="checkbox"/> fair	<input type="checkbox"/> unexposed	

Describe the present and original (if known) physical appearance

☒ summary paragraph  
☒ completeness  
☒ clarity  
☒ alterations/integrity they don't discuss alterations  
☒ 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

Address of nominated property \_\_\_\_\_

Quadrangle name \_\_\_\_\_

USGS 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



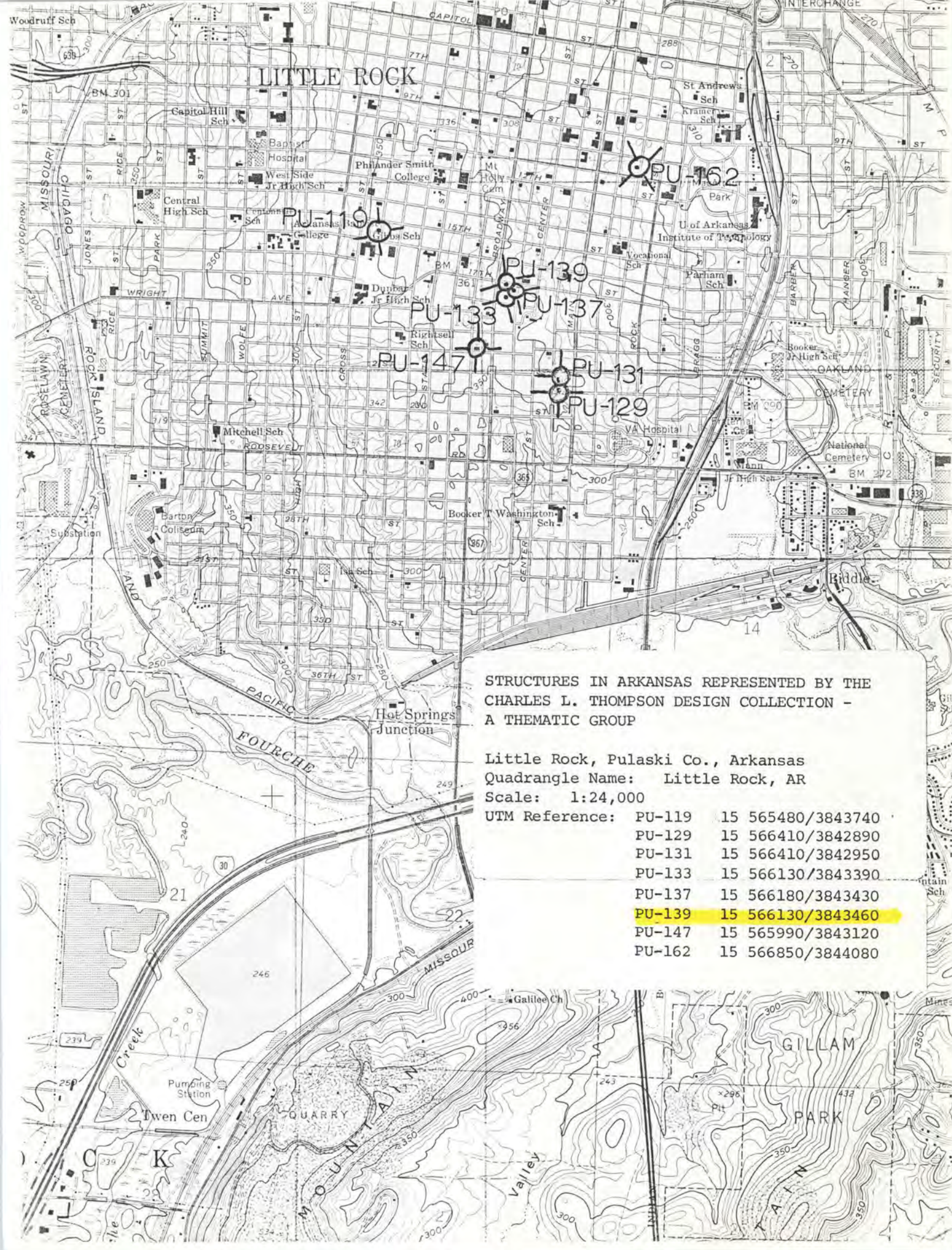


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A THEMATIC GROUP

Code Number: PU-139 (Rommel Apartments)  
411 W. 17th, Little Rock, Arkansas

Photographed by: Sandra Taylor Smith  
April, 1982  
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Little Rock, Pulaski Co., Arkansas

Quadrangle Name: Little Rock, AR

Scale: 1:24,000

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	PU-129	15 566410/3842890
	PU-131	15 566410/3842950
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