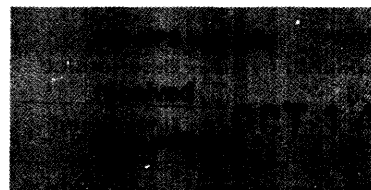


United States Department of the Interior
National Park Service

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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1. Name

historic Jump, Dr. Samuel Vaughn, House

and/or common

2. Location

SE of Muncie in IN 2

street & number R. 2, ten miles
southeast of Muncie

N/A not for publication

city, town Muncie vic. vicinity of ~~congressional district~~

state Indiana code 018 county Delaware code 035

3. Classification

| Category | Ownership | Status | Present Use |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> district | <input type="checkbox"/> public | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> occupied | <input type="checkbox"/> agriculture <input type="checkbox"/> museum |
| <input type="checkbox"/> building(s) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private | <input type="checkbox"/> unoccupied | <input type="checkbox"/> commercial <input type="checkbox"/> park |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> site | Public Acquisition | Accessible | <input type="checkbox"/> entertainment <input type="checkbox"/> religious |
| <input type="checkbox"/> object | <input type="checkbox"/> in process | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes: restricted | <input type="checkbox"/> government <input type="checkbox"/> scientific |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> being considered | <input type="checkbox"/> yes: unrestricted | <input type="checkbox"/> industrial <input type="checkbox"/> transportation |
| | N/A | <input type="checkbox"/> no | <input type="checkbox"/> military <input type="checkbox"/> other: |

4. Owner of Property

name Mr. and Mrs. Irvin L. Hansen

street & number R. 2

city, town Muncie vicinity of state Indiana

5. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. County Recorder

street & number 100 West Main Street

city, town Muncie state Indiana

6. Representation in Existing Surveys

title N/A has this property been determined eligible? yes no

date federal state county local

depository for survey records N/A

city, town state

7. Description

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| Condition | | Check one | Check one |
| <input type="checkbox"/> excellent | <input type="checkbox"/> deteriorated | <input type="checkbox"/> unaltered | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> original site |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> fair | <input type="checkbox"/> unexposed | | date <u>N/A</u> |

Describe the present and original (if known) physical appearance

The Dr. Samuel Vaughn Jump House is an outstanding example of the Greek Revival architecture. Situated at the top of a small elevation in a shady rural setting, the house dominates the lot from which it overlooks the surrounding property. The house's simple frame construction and generous fenestration lend an air of stately elegance to the house. /

In classic Greek Revival style, the structure has a rectangular two-story plan. The long north elevation serves as the main facade. Here, Greek Revival order and detailing are very much in evidence. The front entrance, at the center of the facade, is recessed. The entry is surrounded by molded architrave trim, and narrow molded pilasters. The entrance to the house is a single door, whose lower half features two molded panels. The upper half of the door is a large single light. Surrounding the door are sidelights and a transom. The sidelights are distinctive, as they are very tall and narrow, extending above the door on either side of the transom. The tops of the sidelights are rounded. Two brackets support the ceiling of the small porch.

The house, particularly the main facade, features symmetrical window placement. Four windows, two on each side of the main entrance, are on the first story. Second story windows are placed directly above those on the first story, with a fifth window centered over the main entrance. All windows are the same size, 2 1/2 feet by 7 feet, and they are double-hung, with six lights in each section. The windows all feature the same ornamentation, a molded entablature centered above each window. The shutters have been painted a dark color to contrast with the white siding.

The roof is a low hipped roof of modern shingles. There are two offset chimneys, one on the right side of the roof and the other on the left. Each chimney displays two projecting brick courses around the top. At the peak of the roof, there is a widow's walk whose balustrade has been removed.

Along the east facade, the window style and arrangement of the main facade is continued. A second entrance, also recessed and similar in style to that of the main entrance, is located at the south end of this facade.

On the south elevation there is a small, one story wing, which was built at an earlier date than the main portion of the house. It is approximately 28' x 29', and now serves as a summer kitchen. Beneath the summer kitchen is a cellar lined with field stone. East of the summer kitchen a side porch, 25' x 6', has been glassed in.

In the interior, the most prominent feature is a carved winding staircase which leads all the way up to the widow's walk on the roof. The newel post and railings are black walnut. A unique feature of this staircase is the decorative scroll carvings on the edge of the stairway.

The interior of the house features a generous amount of woodwork. Most of the floors throughout the house are of oak. The extensive woodwork on the second floor has been painted to replicate wood grain.

Originally, there were three fireplaces in the house, one in the library, the northwest bedroom, and the living room. The library fireplace is the only one that remains in working order.

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8. Significance

| Period | Areas of Significance—Check and justify below | | | |
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Specific dates 1848-55

Builder/Architect Unknown

Statement of Significance (~~in one paragraph~~)

The Dr. Samuel Vaughn Jump House is significant for its Greek Revival architecture and for its association with Dr. Samuel Vaughn Jump, the first resident physician in Delaware County.

The house, situated on a slight elevation, is an impressive example of classic Greek Revival styling. Its clean, simple lines, symmetrical window arrangement, low hip roof, and Greek Revival detailing, make it one of the finest examples of such architecture in Delaware County.

Dr. Samuel V. Jump had a distinguished medical career. Jump began his study of medicine under Dr. John Pritchett, of Centerville, Indiana. He then attended medical lectures at the Ohio Medical College in Cincinnati in 1847.

Jump opened his own medical practice in New Burlington in 1848, and became the first resident physician in Delaware County. In that same year, he married Letitia K. Allen, and built the one-story rear portion of the present house. Four years later, in 1852, Jump was appointed the first physician of the Delaware County poor farm. In 1855, the impressive two-story portion of the house was completed, an obvious sign of Jump's success in establishing his private medical practice.

In 1858, after ten years of medical practice, Jump attended another series of lectures at the Ohio Medical College and graduated. He then returned to New Burlington to resume the practice of medicine.

In 1865, Jump was elected the first president of the Delaware-Blackford County Medical Society. He continued to serve on the board for most of his life. In 1880 he was appointed as a representative to the Medical Society of Indiana.

In addition to his medical practice, Jump was also active in public life. He was elected to the State Legislature in 1869, and was later appointed Postmaster of New Burlington, as well.

The house remains in an excellent state of preservation.

9. Major Bibliographical References

Please see continuation sheet

10. Geographical Data

Acreeage of nominated property 7.306 acres±

Quadrangle name Mount Pleasant, Indiana

Quadrangle scale 1:24,000

UMT References

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Verbal boundary description and justification

Please see attached continuation sheet

List all states and counties for properties overlapping state or county boundaries

state N/A code county code

state code county code

11. Form Prepared By

name/title Rodney V. Gill

organization date August 28, 1980

street & number 307-B Wheeling Avenue telephone 288-7348

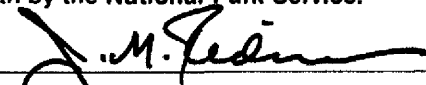
city or town Muncie state Indiana 47303

12. State Historic Preservation Officer Certification

The evaluated significance of this property within the state is:

national state local

As the designated State Historic Preservation Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service.

State Historic Preservation Officer signature 

title Indiana State Historic Preservation Officer date 9-29-82

For NPS use only

I hereby certify that this property is included in the National Register

Entered in the National Register

date 11/12/82


Keeper of the National Register

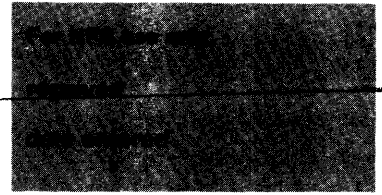
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Chief of Registration

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In the 1960's, new cedar siding replaced the old wood siding which was badly deteriorated. The new siding has been painted white and is a little larger in its dimensions than the original. In 1979, the shutters were repainted. The only other alterations to the structure are the removal of the balustrade from the widow's walk, and the removal of the porticos, which had molded columns and other Greek Revival detailing, from the main and east entrances. Except for these alterations, the house stands much as it did when constructed, and remains in an excellent state of preservation.

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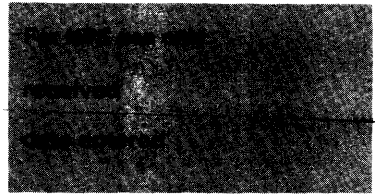
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A part of the Northeast quarter of Section Eight (8), Township Nineteen (19) North, Range Eleven (11) East and Also Block four (4) of the Town of New Burlington in Perry Township, Delaware County, Indiana described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the south line of the northwest quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section eight (8), Township nineteen (19) North, Range eleven (11) East with the center line of a public road, said point being South eighty-nine degrees twenty-one minutes twenty-three seconds ($89^{\circ}21'23''$) East Six hundred two and eighteen hundredths (602.18) feet from the Southwest corner of said quarter quarter section; thence South eighty-nine degrees twenty-one minutes twenty-three seconds ($89^{\circ}21'23''$) East Four Hundred two and forty-one hundredths (402.41) feet to the West line of a cemetery; thence North zero degrees seventeen minutes fifty-two seconds ($00^{\circ}17'52''$) East Seventy-three and three hundredths (73.03) feet along said West line; thence North eighty-three degrees twenty-eight minutes forty-one seconds ($83^{\circ}28'41''$) East one hundred fifty-five and ninety-one hundredths (155.91) feet along the North line of said cemetery to the Westerly line of High Street as shown on the Plat of the Town of New Burlington recorded in Deed Record 2, page 574, Records of Delaware County, Indiana; thence North thirty-nine degrees thirteen minutes forty-five seconds ($39^{\circ}13'45''$) West Three hundred thirty-four and six hundredths (334.06) feet along said plat to the center line of 4th Street as shown on said plat; thence North fifty-one degrees zero minutes zero seconds ($51^{\circ}00'00''$) East Three hundred thirty-three (333.00) feet along the center line of said 4th Street to the center line of the Burlington Pike; thence North thirty-nine degrees thirteen minutes forty-five seconds ($39^{\circ}13'45''$) West Three hundred seventeen and fourteen hundredths (317.14) feet along said center line to the center line of 3rd Street; thence South fifty-one degrees zero minutes zero seconds ($51^{\circ}00'00''$) West Five hundred fifteen and forty-four hundredths (515.44) feet along the center line of 3rd Street and said 3rd Street extended westerly and being the center line of a public road; thence south zero degrees twenty-nine minutes twelve seconds ($00^{\circ}29'12''$) West Four hundred seventy-five and eighty-seven hundredths (475.87) feet along the center line of said road to the point of beginning, containing 7.306 acres more or less and subject to the right of way for the Burlington Pike along the east side for 3rd Street on the North side and for County Road 462E along the West side thereof and all easements of record.