

United States Department of the Interior
National Park Service

National Register of Historic Places Continuation Sheet

Name of Property _____

County and State _____

Name of multiple property listing (if applicable) _____

Section number _____ Page _____

SUPPLEMENTARY LISTING RECORD

NRIS Reference Number: 83000109

Date Listed: 6/30/1983

Property Name: House at 209-211 S. Ninth Street

County: Vigo

State: IN

This property is listed in the National Register of Historic Places in accordance with the attached nomination documentation subject to the following exceptions, exclusions, or amendments, notwithstanding the National Park Service certification included in the nomination documentation.



Signature of the Keeper

3-5-2019

Date of Action

Documentation submitted by the State Historic Preservation Officer demonstrates that the House at 209-211 S. Ninth Street has been demolished.

The House at 209-211 S. Ninth Street is hereby **REMOVED** from the National Register of Historic Places

The Indiana State Historic Preservation Office was notified of this amendment.

DISTRIBUTION:

National Register property file

Nominating Authority (without nomination attachment)

209-211 S. Ninth Street
c. 1880

Owner: Dessie P. Ralston
209-211 S. 9th
Terre Haute, Indiana

Description:

Photo #20, Bldg. #315

This small frame structure is a duplex cottage constructed approximately 1880. It features a simple rectangular plan, a medium pitch gable roof, and a symmetrical main facade. Although a modest structure, it has been well maintained and is particularly notable for its elaborate Eastlake-style front porch.

The main facade of the structure, a gable end, faces east onto 9th Street. Symmetrical around a vertical axis, this facade contains two entry doors and transoms located on either side of center. Flanking these are identical double-hung, rectangular windows. On the second floor level, a pair of smaller rectangular windows are located equidistant from the centerline, and are surmounted by a centrally-located vent in the attic area just below the gable peak. A plain frieze provides the raking trim.

The most interesting feature of the home is the highly-detailed Eastlake-style front porch. This porch is of frame construction, and features a shed-type roof supported at its outer edge by four turned wooden columns. A frieze appears just below the porch roofline, consisting of wide wooden panels pierced in such a way as to suggest a regular progression of quatrefoils. A gable projecting from the shed roof forms a sort of pediment over the porch steps, while the balustrade on either side of the steps, like the frieze, features solid panels pierced to form a series of quatrefoils. Brackets appear where the porch columns meet the frieze; these brackets are pierced to create a Roman Cross motif.

Significance:

The house at 209-211 S. Ninth Street is architecturally significant as an excellent and well-preserved example of a duplex form of Victorian cottage. Thought to be the only double house of its style in the city, the building is particularly notable for its fine Eastlake-style veranda. Although the home is otherwise lacking in exterior detailing, this veranda features an elaborate frieze and balustrade, both employing panels decorated with a quatrefoil motif. The porch also features turned wooden porch columns and elaborate scroll-sawn brackets. This house remains in good repair with all of the original porch-detailing intact.

Geographical Data

Acreage: Less than one acre

UTM Reference: 16/465200/4368130

Boundary: Map #1806-22, Block #360, Parcel 012

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National Register of Historic Places
Inventory—Nomination Form

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date entered

Continuation sheet

Item number

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Multiple Resource Area
Thematic Group

Name Downtown Terre Haute Multiple Resource Area
State Indiana

Nomination/Type of Review

Date/Signature

21. Wabash Avenue-West Historic District

Substantive Review

Keeper

Attest

Bruce L. Dwyer 6/30/83

22. House at 209--211 S. Ninth Street

Entered in the
National Register

Keeper

Attest

Delores Byers 6/30/83

23. House at 119 S. Ninth Street

Substantive Review
Determined Eligible

Keeper

Attest

Bruce L. Dwyer 6/30/83

COMMITTEE OBJECTION

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Keeper

Attest

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Attest

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Keeper

Attest



1. Historic Resources of Downtown
Terre Haute
2. Terre Haute, Indiana
3. Department of Redevelopment
4. February, 1981
5. Department of Redevelopment
6. Building # 315
7. Photo # 20 of 52

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

Multiple Property Cover Sheet Reference Number: 64000189

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House at 209—211 S. Ninth Street (Downtown
Terre Haute MRA)
Vigo County
INDIANA

Working No. MAY 18 1983

Fed. Reg. Date: 2-7-84

Date Due: 6/16/83 — 7/2/83

Action: ACCEPT 6/30/83

Entered in the RETURN

National Register REJECT

Federal Agency: _____

- ☐ resubmission
☐ nomination by person or local government
☐ owner objection
☐ appeal

Substantive Review: ☐ sample ☐ request ☐ appeal ☐ NR decision

Reviewer's comments: _____

Recom./Criteria _____

Reviewer _____

Discipline _____

Date _____

— see continuation sheet

Nomination 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 Surveys

has this property been determined eligible? ☐ yes ☐ no

7. 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	<input type="checkbox"/> altered

Describe the present and original (if known) physical appearance

- ☐ summary paragraph
☐ completeness
☐ clarity
☐ alterations/integrity
☐ 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

Acreage of nominated property _____

Quadrangle name _____

USMT 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

Comments for any item may be continued on an attached sheet

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
EVALUATION/RETURN SHEET

Requested Action: Removal

Property Name: House at 209--211 S. Ninth Street

Multiple Name: Downtown Terre Haute MRA

State & County: INDIANA, Vigo

Date Received: 2/1/2019 Date of Pending List: 2/12/2019 Date of 16th Day: 2/27/2019 Date of 45th Day: 3/18/2019 Date of Weekly List:

Reference number: OT83000109

Nominator:

Reason For Review:

X Accept Return Reject 3/5/2019 Date

Abstract/Summary Comments: The house has been demolished

Recommendation/ Criteria Accept removal request

Reviewer Jim Gabbert Discipline Historian

Telephone (202)354-2275 Date _____

DOCUMENTATION: see attached comments : No see attached SLR : No

If a nomination is returned to the nomination authority, the nomination is no longer under consideration by the National Park Service.



Indiana Department
of Natural Resources

Eric Holcomb, Governor
Cameron F. Clark, Director

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October 25, 2018

Lorenz Nasser
Daniel Nasser Special Needs Trust
1220 E. Davis Dr., #634
Terre Haute, IN 47802-6901

Re: House at 209-211 South Ninth Street, Terre Haute, Vigo County, IN

Dear Owners,

It has come to our attention that the above property has been demolished. The property was listed on the National Register of Historic Places on June 30, 1983. Current records indicate that you, at the above address, are the current owner of the property.

Since the property no longer exhibits enough of the character for which it was listed, we intend to request that it be removed from the National Register. Per 36 CFR 60.14, we are required to notify the owner and the chief elected local official and provide an opportunity to comment on our proposed action.

Please address any questions you or your staff may have to my National Register staff, Paul Diebold or Holly Tate. Please address any written comments you may have to our office on or before January 1, 2019.

Very truly yours,

Cameron F. Clark
State Historic Preservation Officer

CFC:PCD:pcd

copies: Honorable Duke Bennett, Vigo County Commissioners



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January 23, 2019

Ms. Joy Beasley
Keeper of the National Register
National Register of Historic Places
Mail Stop 7228
1849 C St., NW
Washington, D.C. 20240

Re: House at 209-211 South Ninth Street, Terre Haute, Vigo County, Indiana

Dear Ms. Beasley,

We hereby request that 209-211 South Ninth Street, Terre Haute, Vigo County, Indiana, be removed from the National Register of Historic Places. The property was listed in the National Register of Historic Places on June 30, 1983, as part of the Downtown Terre Haute Multiple Resource Area.

Sometime before September 2007, the house was demolished. Citizens brought this to our attention several months ago.

Since the property has ceased to have any of the qualities for which it was listed, we are requesting that it be removed from the National Register. No comments have been received regarding the delisting. Please address any questions you or your staff may have about this nomination to my National Register staff, Paul Diebold or Holly Tate.

Very truly yours,

Cameron F. Clark
State Historic Preservation Officer

CFC:PCD:pcd

copies: none.
enclosures: notification letter