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DATA SHEET

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

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**NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
INVENTORY -- NOMINATION FORM**

SEE INSTRUCTIONS IN HOW TO COMPLETE NATIONAL REGISTER FORMS
TYPE ALL ENTRIES -- COMPLETE APPLICABLE SECTIONS

1 NAME

HISTORIC

** Strickland House

AND/OR COMMON

"Homeplace"

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

Glenn Road

NW of La Grange on

— NOT FOR PUBLICATION

CITY, TOWN

Liberty Hill

La Grange via.

— VICINITY OF Crossroads of Liberty Hill Rd. and Glenn Rd.

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

STATE

Georgia

CODE

13

COUNTY

Troup

CODE

285

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	PRESENT USE
<input type="checkbox"/> DISTRICT	<input type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC	<input type="checkbox"/> OCCUPIED	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BUILDING(S)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PRIVATE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNOCCUPIED	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL
<input type="checkbox"/> STRUCTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> BOTH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WORK IN PROGRESS	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATIONAL
<input type="checkbox"/> SITE	PUBLIC ACQUISITION	ACCESSIBLE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PRIVATE RESIDENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> OBJECT	<input type="checkbox"/> IN PROCESS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES: RESTRICTED	<input type="checkbox"/> ENTERTAINMENT
	<input type="checkbox"/> BEING CONSIDERED	<input type="checkbox"/> YES: UNRESTRICTED	<input type="checkbox"/> GOVERNMENT
		<input type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRIAL
			<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY
			<input type="checkbox"/> MUSEUM
			<input type="checkbox"/> PARK
			<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGIOUS
			<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENTIFIC
			<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION
			<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

Ann Strickland Petry

STREET & NUMBER

3047 Lenox Road, NE

CITY, TOWN

Atlanta

— VICINITY OF

STATE

Georgia

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE,
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Troup County Courthouse

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

LaGrange

STATE

Georgia

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

None

DATE

— FEDERAL — STATE — COUNTY — LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

CONDITION		CHECK ONE	CHECK ONE
<input type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT	<input type="checkbox"/> DETERIORATED	<input type="checkbox"/> UNALTERED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL SITE
<input type="checkbox"/> GOOD	<input type="checkbox"/> RUINS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ALTERED	<input type="checkbox"/> MOVED DATE _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FAIR	<input type="checkbox"/> UNEXPOSED		

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

As a good example of the typical four room central hall country residence in Georgia of the mid-nineteenth century, the Strickland House stands today on its original site near the now defunct town of Liberty Hill. The house's location is approximately one-fourth mile west of the intersection of Liberty Hill Road and Moody Bridge Road and about three and one half miles north, northeast of Antioch on Glenn Road in Troup County.

One story in height, with a full attic under a simple metal clad (original wood shingle) pitched roof, the Strickland House, approximately 30' x 36', has a central entrance, originally with sidelights, flanked on both left and right by simple sash windows. A shed roof porch originally protected these windows and door, but it is no longer extant; the owners however, plan to rebuild this porch and two others in their attempt to restore the long-neglected house. Two exterior end chimneys on the east and west gabled ends of the house serve the two front rooms of the house. In the front room in the northwest corner of the building is a door that originally led to the house's second porch, now destroyed. A third porch, that ran across the western half of the rear of the house initially connected the residence with the kitchen; this part of the building has been destroyed and all that remains are the brick foundation supports.

The interior of the house is completely sheathed with horizontal panelling with the exception of the plastered front portion of the central hall. In the rear portion of the hall is a reverse stair leading to the attic. The two extant mantels are very similar with two simple posts directly supporting a plain mantel shelf; a narrow recessed panel runs across the top portion of the frieze.

Although only one 15 x 15 foot board and batten tenant house with rock chimney remains by the spring, oral tradition states that there was at one time at least a well house that was almost adjacent to the main house, a barn, a buggy house and smoke house on the property. The rock foundation for the buggy house is still in place, just east of the main house. Also of special interest is the environment of trees framing the house, especially a grove of oak and hickory of outstanding size just northeast of the house. About one and one-half miles north of this site is the family cemetery.

8. SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD	AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
<input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS	<input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE	<input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION
<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY) History
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION		

SPECIFIC DATES 1858

BUILDER/ARCHITECT Wilson Strickland and Sons

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Strickland House, built c.1858 by Wilson Strickland and his sons, is a locally significant structure and important to Troup County history.

Built as a "bunk" house for the four sons of Wilson and Teresa Strickland, this house was located just down Glenn Road from the Strickland family columned main house. Wilson (1808-1872) and Teresa Strickland (1807-1888) were pioneer settlers with a residence of substantial size about one mile west of this later bunk house. With numerous children in the family, Wilson offered to build the four older unmarried boys a house. They helped with the construction and were living there when the War Between the States drew the four brothers into the conflict as volunteers in Company K, 56th Regiment, Georgia Infantry, CSA. Two of the brothers, Noah Perry and W.G. Strickland, were killed in the War. W.L. and Willis Washington Strickland surrendered at Greensboro, North Carolina on April 26, 1865. Willis Washington Strickland returned to the old house to live. (p. 74-75, Davidson.)

Architecturally the Strickland House is a good example of a rural mid-nineteenth century house design. Presently it is owned by a Strickland descent who is in the process of restoring the house and grounds.

9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Interview with Mrs. Ann Petry, August 1975.
 Family Records of Strickland Family.
 William H. Davidson, Pine Log and Greek Revival, pp. 74-5.
 Lee Dunagan, Personal inspection, Aug. 1975.

10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY 23 acres approximately

UTM REFERENCES

3670-070			3669-680		
A	116	67.3310	3670	070	
	ZONE	EASTING	NORTHING		
C	116	67.3010	3670	070	
	ZONE	EASTING	NORTHING		
B	116	67.3310	3670	070	
	ZONE	EASTING	NORTHING		
D	116	67.3010	3670	070	
	ZONE	EASTING	NORTHING		

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

3669-680 3669-840
 Beginning point is on Glenn Road, 1400 feet southwest of intersection of Glenn Road and Liberty Hill Road; from here continue due south for 1400 feet, then east for 1100 feet, then north for 500 feet to intersection of Glenn Road; then follow Glenn Road for approximately 1400 feet to beginning point.

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE	CODE	COUNTY	CODE
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11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME/TITLE Elizabeth Z. Macgregor, Architectural Historian
H. Lee Dunagan, Intern

ORGANIZATION Historic Preservation Section
Department of Natural Resources

DATE July 28, 1976

STREET & NUMBER 270 Washington Street, SW

TELEPHONE 404-656-2840

CITY OR TOWN Atlanta,

STATE Georgia

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

David M. Shekman
 DAVID M. SHEKMAN

DATE 8-12-76

TITLE CHIEF, HISTORIC PRESERVATION SECTION

FOR NPS USE ONLY

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PROPERTY IS INCLUDED IN THE NATIONAL REGISTER

ACCLDG

DATE 12/12/96

DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF ARCHEOLOGY AND HISTORIC PRESERVATION

ATTEST

DATE 12/6/76

KEEPER OF THE NATIONAL REGISTER

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The following photographs were taken by David J. Kaminsky, August 1975.

- 1 - Strickland House; front facade; photographer facing southwest
- 2 - Mantel in northwest room.