


ARIZONA STATE HISTORIC PROPERTY INVENTORY

PROPERTY NAME Hill House		CURRENT PHOTOGRAPH 	
LOCATION 144 South Park		YHF 142	
CITY/TOWN/VICINITY Prescott	COUNTY Yavapai		
OWNER Randall & Pamela Dunne			
OWNER'S ADDRESS 222 West Osborn 144 S Park Phoenix, AZ Prescott 85015 86301			
FORM COMPLETED BY Yavapai Heritage Foundation			
ADDRESS P.O. Box 61 Prescott, AZ 86302			
PHOTO BY Ken Kimsey	DATE 1977		
VIEW Front elevation from East			
PRESENT USE Residential - single	ACREAGE		
STYLE OR CULTURAL PERIOD Twentieth Century Transitional			
SIGNIFICANT DATES Built 1906			

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION
The Hill House is a two-and-a-half-story wood frame structure of symmetrical massing on a roughly rectangular plan. A bay window on the south, carport on the north, and one-story wing on the west are the variations in the plan. The roof is gabled with a single central gable extending through the eave line. The interior of this gable is cut out in the form of a drop arch. Columns with classical capitals support the porch.

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE
Amy Hill was the widow of Sam Hill, who, at the time of his death in 1901, was the owner of Prescott's oldest and largest mercantile company. Amy retained an active interest in the business and by this means supported her three children. In 1906 Mrs. Hill had a house built for her family in the western section of Prescott. By its symmetry and classical columns, the structure pays homage to the Neo-Classical Revival, which had swept the country after the Columbian Exposition of 1893. On the other hand, the central gable of the main facade appears to be Gothic in derivation. The combination was typical of the period.

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION
Lot 4; Block 1
Murphy's Second Subdivision