ARIZONA STATE HISTORIC PROPERTY INVENTORY

PROPERTY NAME George, Marable, Residence House

Yu141

LOCATION

482 Orange Avenue

CITY/TOWN/VICINITY

COUNTY Yuma

Yuma OWNER

Ramona C. Martinez

OWNER'S ADDRESS

482 Orange Avenue Yuma, AZ 85364

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ADDRESS

240 Madison Avenue Yuma, AZ 85364

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VIEW

Front elevation from east

PRESENT USE

ACRIDACE

Residence/single family

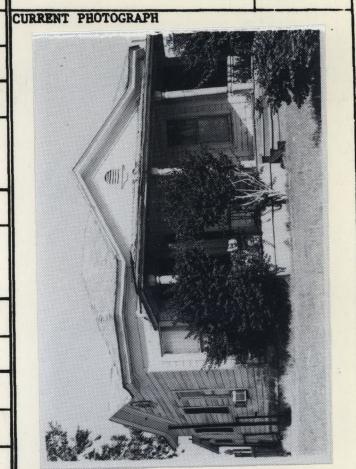
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STYLE OR CULTURAL PERIOD

Georgian Revival influence

SIGNIFICANT DATES

Constructed 1906



PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION
The house at 482 Orange Avenue is a one story frame structure of symmetrical massing over an irregular floor plan. Overall the building measures about 35 feet wide by 50 feet deep The main roof is hipped with a center gable on the front and side facades. Each gable contains a round headed ventilator with keystone-like detailing. The exterior wall surfaces are finished with wide clapboard. Double-hung windows are throughout the building. The main entry is in the center of the front facade. Window bays flank either side of the entry. A porch with turned columns ties the entire elevation together. The building is sound but needs maintenance.

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE
The George Marable House is significant as the best example of Georgian Revival influenced architecture extant in Yuma. Built in 1906, at the time regional designs like the Mission Style were gaining prominence, the Marable House appears to be an anomoly in the general pattern of Yuma's development. There was, however, a distinct preference amongst some local residents for Eastern or classically derived forms. This was expressed in the Marable House through such features as a low profile roof, prominant gable/pediments, simulation of classical stone detailing, symmetrical window bays and attention to both side and front facades.

ERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

Block 118, Lot 14; Yuma Townsite