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NOMINATION FORM

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Name Historic: McKendree Mitchell House

Location: 310 Saluda Avenue
Batesburg, South Carolina

Common: Dodd House

Classification: Building

Owner:
Lillian S. Dodd
310 Saluda Avenue
Batesburg, South Carolina 29006

Representation in Existing Surveys

Inventory of Historic Places in South Carolina

Description: Constructed in 1873 by prominent Batesburg farmer McKendree Mitchell, this one and one-half story classic revival cottage is of weatherboard, under a gabled roof, with a projecting central porch. Four evenly spaced wood pillars with panels support the gabled portico, which features returns and a central tripartite window. A turned balustrade connects the porch pillars with matching pilasters. Four six-over-six windows flank the central double door, which is enframed by square paned sidelights and transom. Corbeled chimneys straddle the composition roof ridge. The house foundation is closed brick. A cast iron front stair entrance rail and modern right rear addition constructed in 1960 are the only alterations to the original residence.

Significance: This house is a well preserved late rendition of the vernacular Greek Revival cottage popular in the area during the antebellum period.

Acreage less than one

Verbal Boundary Description

The boundary of the McKendree Mitchell House nomination is shown as a red line on the accompanying Lexington County Tax Map number 07022 drawn to a scale of 100 feet to the inch.

UTM Reference Point

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Other Information