

STANDING STRUCTURES SURVEY

Site Number BUILDING #7

PARISH Lafayette

MUNICIPALITY Broussard

USGS QUAD _____

Township _____ Range _____ Section _____

TYPE OF PROPERTY residential

NAME (common) Martial Billeaud, Jr. House (B.M.R.A.)

NAME (historic) same

ADDRESS 118 North Morgan St.
Broussard, LA 70518

DATE OF CONSTRUCTION 1893

II. 1. Condition good

2. Style see below

3. Floor Plan see below

4. Building Material see below

(PHOTOGRAPH)

III. Physical description of property and historic significance

The Martial Billeaud, Jr. House is a large, frame, story and a half, Queen Anne Revival cottage with a central hall plan. It follows the standard Queen Anne cottage formula found throughout the parish and indeed the state--i.e., a central front door with a window on one side and a projecting semi-octagonal bay on the other. However, it is noteworthy in several respects. It is much larger than the average example in the parish. Moreover, it has a far more complex roofline with a shingled gable and six dormers of different sizes, one of which is articulated as a balcony. The massing is additionally enlivened by a large projecting side bay on the south side. More importantly, the north side has a projecting bay with a mansard roof. This is Lafayette parish's only reflection of the Second Empire style.

IV. Recorded by see nomination form-Item 7

Date _____

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V. Sources consulted see nomination form-Item 9

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