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DATA SHEET

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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 Brumby, Arnoldus. House

AND/OR COMMON

Brumby-Little House

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER
472 Powder Springs Street

NOT FOR PUBLICATION

CITY, TOWN

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Marietta
Georgia

VICINITY OF
CODE
13

7th Lawrence P. McDonald
COUNTY CODE
Cobb 067

3 CLASSIFICATION

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

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME
Mr. and Mrs. Rosser Little

STREET & NUMBER
472 Powder Springs Road

CITY, TOWN
Marietta

VICINITY OF

STATE
Georgia

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE,
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.
Cobb County Courthouse

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

Marietta

STATE
Georgia

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

Historic Marietta Cobb County Georgia

DATE

1975

FEDERAL STATE COUNTY LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS
Historic Preservation Section

CITY, TOWN

Atlanta

STATE
Georgia

7 DESCRIPTION

CONDITION

EXCELLENT
 GOOD
 FAIR

DETERIORATED
 RUINS
 UNEXPOSED

CHECK ONE

UNALTERED
 ALTERED

CHECK ONE

ORIGINAL SITE
 MOVED DATE _____

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The Brumby-Litte House is a one-and-a-half story Greek Revival frame structure with interior Egyptian influences. Six Doric columns support the porch which has a plain pediment containing a 6/6 window with sidelights and shutters. The six-panel entrance door is framed by a four-paned transom and sidelights and shouldered architrave.

The four front windows, which are 6/9, reach from the floor almost to the ceiling and are shuttered. Other windows are 6/6 with architrave trim and shutters. There are fluted pilasters at all corners of the house.

The house is of central hall construction with two rooms on either side and two more at the rear not separated by a hall. In 1926, the Trezevants, parents of Mrs. Little, the present owner, remodeled the interior; the most striking changes were the removal of a fireplace and chimney between the two rear rooms and the addition of another in the front wall of the left rear room and the addition of a kitchen wing. The wood floors of the front and rear porches were replaced with brick and the back porch was enclosed. The exterior is thought to look substantially as it did in the 1850s.

Inside, the right front room was extended and the next room decreased in size. Interior doors have double vertical panels. Doorways are distinctive for the shouldered architraves, flared at the bottom in the Egyptian style. Some are said to be original, others added during the remodeling. Walls are of plaster.

The single flight of stairs is on the right of the central hall. Upstairs, there are long rooms at front and rear and storage rooms on either side of the hallway.

A one-story frame cottage, three bays wide, with low gable roof and pedimented entrance porch, sits at the rear of the house.

8 SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD

PREHISTORIC
 1400-1499
 1500-1599
 1600-1699
 1700-1799
 1800-1899
 1900-

ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC
 ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC
 AGRICULTURE
 ARCHITECTURE
 ART
 COMMERCE
 COMMUNICATIONS

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW

COMMUNITY PLANNING
 CONSERVATION
 ECONOMICS
 EDUCATION
 ENGINEERING
 EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT
 INDUSTRY
 INVENTION

LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE
 LAW
 LITERATURE
 MILITARY
 MUSIC
 PHILOSOPHY
 POLITICS/GOVERNMENT

RELIGION
 SCIENCE
 SCULPTURE
 SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN
 THEATER
 TRANSPORTATION
 OTHER (SPECIFY)
History

SPECIFIC DATES

1851

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The exterior of the Brumby-Little House is thought to appear today substantially as it did in 1851 when it was completed as the residence of Col. Arnoldus Brumby, superintendent of the Georgia Military Institute from its opening in 1851 to 1859. The Georgia Military Institute, which was located next door on the present site of the Marietta Country Club, was the most important educational institution in the county until it was destroyed by Federal troops in 1864.

The house's six Doric columns supporting a pedimented porch and the entrance doorway with shouldered architrave, rectangular transom and sidelights give it typical lines of the Greek Revival period. The flared, Egyptian-style interior doorway mouldings are unusual in the Marietta area.

Col. Brumby, a West Point graduate, came from Sumter, S. C. He served as colonel of the 14th Georgia Regiment in the Confederate Army. After the war, he sold his residence to Ellan M. Bradley and moved to Atlanta.

9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Little, Mrs. Rosser, interviewed by J. Prescott, July 21, 1976.
 Prescott, Janice, personal inspection, July 21, 1976.
 Temple, Sarah B. G., The First Hundred Years, A History of Cobb County, (Atlanta: 1935)
 Historic Cobb County Buildings and Site Inventory, on file at HPS.

10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

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UTM REFERENCES

A	<u>116</u>	<u>726</u>	<u>230</u>	<u>3758</u>	<u>420</u>	B			
	ZONE	EASTING	NORTHING				ZONE	EASTING	NORTHING
C						D			

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

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

STATE	CODE	COUNTY	CODE
STATE	CODE	COUNTY	CODE

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

Janice E. Prescott, research consultant: Dr. Elizabeth Lyon, consultant
 ORGANIZATION DATE

Historic Preservation Section, Ga. Dept. of Natural Resources August, 1976
 STREET & NUMBER TELEPHONE

270 Washington St., S. W. Room 703-C 404-656-2840
 CITY OR TOWN STATE

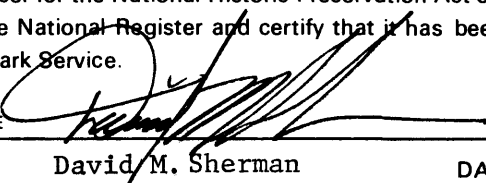
Atlanta Georgia

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.

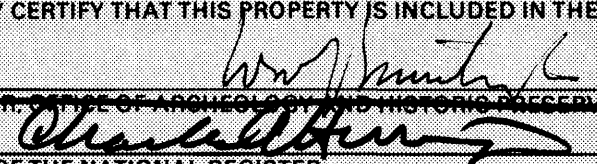
STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER SIGNATURE  DATE 1-25-77


TITLE David M. Sherman DATE

Chief, Historic Preservation Section

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

DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF ARCHAEOLOGY AND HISTORIC PRESERVATION  DATE 8/29/77

ATTEST:  DATE 8-29-77

KEEPER OF THE NATIONAL REGISTER

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The justification for nominating six acres is that this land is the only remaining part of the original acreage of the house. This boundary is also defined visually. The four sides of the six acres are bounded by: hedges, foliage and trees, the Marietta Country Club, and the street. The former clearly define the area surrounding the house.