

Form 10-300
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES INVENTORY - NOMINATION FORM

(Type all entries - complete applicable sections)

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| STATE: <div style="text-align: center;">Arkansas</div> | |
| COUNTY: <div style="text-align: center;">XX Independence</div> | |
| FOR NPS USE ONLY | |
| ENTRY DATE <div style="text-align: right;">MAY 2 1975</div> | |

1. NAME

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|---|--|
| COMMON: <div style="text-align: center;">Wycough-Jones House</div> | |
| AND/OR HISTORIC: <div style="text-align: center;">Mark A. R. Wycough House</div> | |

2. LOCATION

| | | | |
|---|---|---|--|
| STREET AND NUMBER: <div style="text-align: center;">683 Water Street</div> | | | |
| CITY OR TOWN: <div style="text-align: center;">Batesville</div> | | CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT: <div style="text-align: center;">First</div> | |
| STATE <div style="text-align: center;">Arkansas</div> | CODE <div style="text-align: center;">05</div> | COUNTY: <div style="text-align: center;">Independence</div> | CODE <div style="text-align: center;">063</div> |

3. CLASSIFICATION

| CATEGORY (Check One) | OWNERSHIP | STATUS | ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC |
|---|--|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> District <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Building <input type="checkbox"/> Site <input type="checkbox"/> Structure <input type="checkbox"/> Object | <input type="checkbox"/> Public <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/> Both | Public Acquisition: <input type="checkbox"/> In Process <input type="checkbox"/> Being Considered | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Occupied <input type="checkbox"/> Unoccupied <input type="checkbox"/> Preservation work in progress |
| PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate) | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial <input type="checkbox"/> Educational <input type="checkbox"/> Entertainment | <input type="checkbox"/> Government <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial <input type="checkbox"/> Military <input type="checkbox"/> Museum | <input type="checkbox"/> Park <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private Residence <input type="checkbox"/> Religious <input type="checkbox"/> Scientific | <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Comments |

4. OWNER OF PROPERTY

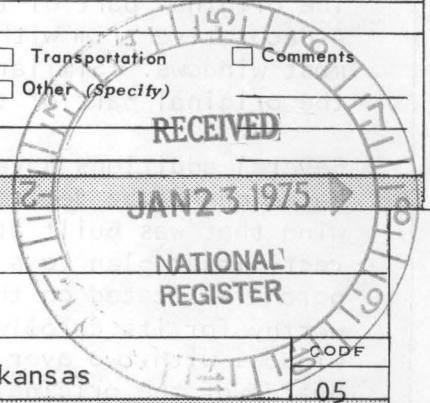
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|---|---|
| OWNER'S NAME: <div style="text-align: center;">Dr. and Mrs. O. E. Jones, III</div> | |
| STREET AND NUMBER: <div style="text-align: center;">683 Water Street</div> | |
| CITY OR TOWN: <div style="text-align: center;">Batesville</div> | STATE: <div style="text-align: center;">Arkansas</div> |
| | CODE <div style="text-align: center;">05</div> |

5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

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| COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.: <div style="text-align: center;">Circuit Clerk's Office</div> | |
| STREET AND NUMBER: <div style="text-align: center;">Independence County Courthouse</div> | |
| CITY OR TOWN: <div style="text-align: center;">Batesville</div> | STATE: <div style="text-align: center;">Arkansas</div> |
| | CODE <div style="text-align: center;">05</div> |

6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

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| TITLE OF SURVEY: | |
| DATE OF SURVEY: <input type="checkbox"/> Federal <input type="checkbox"/> State <input type="checkbox"/> County <input type="checkbox"/> Local | |
| DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS: | |
| STREET AND NUMBER: | |
| CITY OR TOWN: | STATE: |
| | CODE |



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COUNTY:

ENTRY NUMBER

DATE

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| CONDITION | (Check One) | | | | | |
| | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Excellent | <input type="checkbox"/> Good | <input type="checkbox"/> Fair | <input type="checkbox"/> Deteriorated | <input type="checkbox"/> Ruins | <input type="checkbox"/> Unexposed |
| | (Check One) | | | (Check One) | | |
| | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Altered | <input type="checkbox"/> Unaltered | | <input type="checkbox"/> Moved | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original Site | |

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (if known) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

Build circa 1878, the Wycough-Jones House is a two storey house of wood frame construction. A wide, one storey veranda extends across the entire facade of the house, with a centered second storey porch located over the front entry. In relation to the mass of the house, this front veranda is of delicate proportions. Slender, elongated turned posts are topped by small brackets, and a narrow band of intricate scrollwork represents the architrave. The railing between the posts has an oriental character with its geometric designed balusters.

Four, uniquely different bay windows are located on the front elevation. These bay windows are Victorian in the use of colored glass and scrollwork panels. Semicircular, semihexagon, and rectangular shapes emphasize their differences. First and second storey bays are symmetrically located on each side of the front entry elevation. A hipped roof caps one of the second storey bays, with a shed roof dormer centered over the other second storey bay. A circular colored light window is located on each side of the front entry.

The original part of the house has windows with one over one lights. A decorative trim with fluted molding and corner blocks is used about most windows. Similar wood details are used in the corner boards of the original part of the house.

Several additions have been made to the rear of the house, though the dates cannot be determined. The principal addition was a two storey wing that was built at the north corner of the house, thus changing its rectilinear plan to a basic ell-shape. A recessed, second storey porch is located on the northeast face of the addition, and is noteworthy for its scrollwork balusters. This addition makes use of windows with two over two lights and does not have the decorative corner boards of the original part of the house. A small one storey room with outside porch was added at the elbow of the ell-shaped plan. Just after the turn of the century a fire destroyed the roof of the house. It was replaced with a gable roof with exposed rafter ends.

The interior of the Wycough-Jones House is a basic central hallway with one room to each side. However, the additions have, on one side, added a dining room and kitchen on the first floor, and bedroom on the second floor. A pantry area, storage and side porch are located in the one storey addition behind the central hallway. Ceilings throughout the two storey areas are approximately twelve feet high.

Symmetrically molded trim with frequent use of corner blocks is an interesting feature of the interior of the house. Tri-pronged crowns are located above the corner blocks at the upper part of door and window trim. A wide baseboard and four inch wide pine flooring are found throughout the house. In the central hallway the delicately turned balusters of the stair railing terminate in a heavy decorative newel post.

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7. Description (Wycough-Jones House - Page 2)

The Wycough-Jones House, with its simple floor plan but very ornate trim, is one of the few Victorian era houses still standing in Batesville. When Dr. and Mrs. O. E. Jones purchased the house in 1962, they began restoring and refurnishing it as a comfortable home for their large family. Their interest in historic preservation led the Jones' to purchase the vacant lot next door, thus preventing the commercialization of the block. The Jones family has preserved this historic and architecturally interesting structure, and continues to keep it in excellent condition.



8. SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD (Check One or More as Appropriate)

- ☐ Pre-Columbian ☐ 16th Century ☐ 18th Century ☐ 20th Century
☐ 15th Century ☐ 17th Century ☒ 19th Century

SPECIFIC DATE(S) (If Applicable and Known)

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Aboriginal | <input type="checkbox"/> Education | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Political | <input type="checkbox"/> Urban Planning |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Prehistoric | <input type="checkbox"/> Engineering | <input type="checkbox"/> Religion/Philosophy | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Historic | <input type="checkbox"/> Industry | <input type="checkbox"/> Science | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture | <input type="checkbox"/> Invention | <input type="checkbox"/> Sculpture | _____ |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Architecture | <input type="checkbox"/> Landscape | <input type="checkbox"/> Social/Humanitarian | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Art | <input type="checkbox"/> Literature | <input type="checkbox"/> Theater | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Commerce | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Military | <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Communications | <input type="checkbox"/> Music | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Conservation | | | |

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Wycough-Jones House is one of several architecturally significant houses in the historic Batesville community in northeast Arkansas. It is of two-storey frame construction in a simple ell floor plan. Built in the late 1870's the house has features of the Victorian era which make it especially interesting.

Ornate trim on both the exterior and interior of the house contrasts with its simple floor plan. A one-storey porch across the facade has slender turned columns and a narrow but highly decorative barge-board trim. The most interesting features of the house are the four bay windows. Though evenly spaced on either side of the first and second storey, each is shaped and styled in a different and distinctive manner. An unusual interior feature is the use of tri-pronged crowns above the cornerblocks of the trim over doors and windows.

This architecturally interesting house was built by one of Batesville's earliest native born sons. Mark A. R. Wycough was born in November, 1839, four years after his parents emigrated to Batesville from North Carolina. He grew up and was educated in Batesville, where in 1860 he was working as a clerk.

At the outbreak of the Civil War Wycough traveled some 200 miles to Fort Smith, Arkansas, where he enlisted in a Confederate mounted rifle regiment. After a furlough in 1863 he returned to service with Crabtree's 46th Regiment, Arkansas Cavalry. While on a Confederate raid in Cole County, Missouri, Wycough was captured in October, 1864. After incarceration for several months in St. Louis, Wycough was transferred to the war prison at Point Lookout, Maryland. When the war ended he was paroled and returned to his home town.

During the next thirty years M. A. R. Wycough was active and prominent in the Batesville business and political community. In the late 1860's he began farming and operated a keel boat run between Jacksonport and Batesville, two important White River ports in the nineteenth century. In the 1870's Wycough was elected deputy sheriff, collector and clerk. After twelve years in that office he worked for a short time in the U. S. Revenue office. Though he held several other jobs Wycough continually maintained his farming operations, and by 1890 had under

9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Compiled Service Records of Confederate Soldiers Who Served in Organizations From Arkansas. First Mounted Rifles, St-Z. National Archives Microfilm Publications, #317, Roll #12.

Compiled Service Records of Confederate Soldiers Who Served in Organizations From Arkansas. Forty-fifth Cavalry, I-Y; Forty-sixth (Crabtree's) Cavalry. National Archives Microfilm Publication, #317, Roll # 30.

Goodspeed Publishing Company. Biographical and Historical Memoirs of Northeast Arkansas. Chicago: Goodspeed Publishing Company, 1889.

Hempstead, Faye. Historical Review of Arkansas. Chicago: The Lewis Publishing Company, 1911.

10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

| LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING A RECTANGLE LOCATING THE PROPERTY | | | OR | LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING THE CENTER POINT OF A PROPERTY OF LESS THAN TEN ACRES | | |
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APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY: less than one acre

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

| STATE: | CODE | COUNTY | CODE |
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11. FORM PREPARED BY

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|---|-------------------|------------------|
| NAME AND TITLE: Anthony S. Riddle and Dianna Kirk, Historian | | DATE 12-10-74 |
| ORGANIZATION Arkansas Historic Preservation Program | | |
| STREET AND NUMBER: "The Old State House" 300 West Markham | | |
| CITY OR TOWN: Little Rock | STATE Arkansas | CODE 05 |

12. STATE LIAISON OFFICER CERTIFICATION

NATIONAL REGISTER VERIFICATION

As the designated State Liaison 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. The recommended level of significance of this nomination is:

National ☐ State ☐ Local ☒

Name William E. Henderson
William E. Henderson

Title State Historic Preservation Officer

Date December 10, 1974

I hereby certify that this property is included in the National Register.

Director, Office of Archeology and Historic Preservation

Date 5/2/75

ATTEST:

Charles A. Herrington
Keeper of The National Register

Date 5-2-75

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8. Significance (Wycough-Jones House - Page 2)

cultivation over one-third of his 2,000 acres of land.

In the early 1870's Wycough bought the city lots on which the Wycough-Jones House now stands. Though no exact date is available, written evidence indicates that the present structure was probably built about 1878. One very significant alteration to the house occurred just after the turn of the century when a second storey fire completely destroyed the roof. The new gable roof with its exposed support rafters is more in vogue with styles of the early twentieth century than the late 1870's.

The Wycough-Jones House, still occupied and in very good condition, is a significant local landmark. Its builder, Mark A. R. Wycough, was one of Batesville's most prominent native-born sons. He spent most of his lifetime in this old Arkansas community, and took an active part in both political and commercial affairs. Architecturally, the house expresses a simple plan, but with ornate trim of the Victorian era. It is one of the few houses of this era still standing in Batesville.



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9. Major Bibliographical References (Wycough-Jones House - page 2)

Independence County Abstract Company. Abstract of Lots 6 and 7 in Block 12, School Addition, Batesville, Arkansas. September 14, 1963.



INDEPENDENCE CO. 75000393

Property Wycough - Jones House
State Arkansas Working Number 1.23.75.108

TECHNICAL

Photos 4
Maps 1

CONTROL

OK cm
1.28.75

HISTORIAN

ARCHITECTURAL HISTORIAN

INTERESTING HOUSE AND SIGNIFICANCE
IS ARTICULATED. (HOWEVER, HISTORY OF HOUSE
IS PROBABLY MORE COMPLEX THAN THEY REALIZE).

ACCEPT
LEBOVICH
1-29-75

ARCHEOLOGIST

Marvelous house; good nomination.

OTHER

ACCEPT
H. Ward and 2/10/75
HAER

Inventory _____

Review _____

REVIEW UNIT CHIEF

ACCEPT
Cole
2-11-75

BRANCH CHIEF

accept
Hungo
4.23.75

KEEPER

Shirley D
for Muley
5-2-75

National Register Write-up _____
Federal Register Entry 7-1-75

Send-back _____
Re-submit _____

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PROPERTY MAP FORM

(Type all entries - attach to or enclose with map)

1. NAME

COMMON

Wycough-Jones House

AND/OR HISTORIC

Mark A. R. Wycough House

NUMERIC CODE *(Assigned by NPS)*

MAY 2 1975

2. LOCATION

STATE

Arkansas

COUNTY

Independence

TOWN

Batesville

STREET AND NUMBER

683 Water Street

3. MAP REFERENCE

SOURCE

U.S.G.S. 7.5 Minute
Batesville Quadrangle

DATE

1943

SCALE

1/24000

REQUIREMENTS: PROPERTY BOUNDARIES, WHERE REQUIRED, AND NORTH ARROW;





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HISTORIC Wycough-Jones House

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

CITY, TOWN Batesville

____ VICINITY OF

COUNTY Independence STATE Arkansas

3 PHOTO REFERENCE

PHOTO CREDIT Bob Dunn

DATE OF PHOTO 1974

NEGATIVE FILED AT Arkansas Historic Preservation Program

4 IDENTIFICATION

DESCRIBE VIEW, DIRECTION, ETC. IF DISTRICT, GIVE BUILDING NAME & STREET
northeast elevation

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Wycough - Jones House

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3 PHOTO REFERENCE

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Entry

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facade (southwest elevation)

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rear/northwest elevation

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Map by the Geological Survey
1942
Landmark buildings only,
shown in the city of Batesville

UTM GRID AND 1942 MAGNETIC NORTH
DECLINATION AT CENTER OF SHEET

SCALE 1:24,000
1 0 1000 2000 3000 4000 5000 6000 7000 FEET
1 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 KILOMETER
Contour Interval 20 feet.
Dashed Lines Represent 10-foot Contours
Datum is mean sea level

FOR SALE BY U. S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY, DENVER, COLORADO 80225 OR WASHINGTON, D. C. 20242
AND BY THE ARKANSAS GEOLOGICAL AND CONSERVATION COMMISSION, LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS 72201
A FOLDER DESCRIBING TOPOGRAPHIC MAPS AND SYMBOLS IS AVAILABLE ON REQUEST

ROAD CLASSIFICATION
Heavy-duty 4 LANE 6 LANE Light-duty
Medium-duty 4 LANE 6 LANE Unimproved dirt
U. S. Route State Route

BATESVILLE, ARK.

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| Glenn House | Batesville Independence County |
| Zebree Homestead | Buckeye Mississippi County |
| Wycough-Jones House | Batesville Independence County |
| Maxfield House | Batesville Independence County |
| Handford-Schooler House | Batesville Independence County |
| Handford-Terry House | Batesville Independence County |
| Reichardt House | Little Rock Pulaski County |
| Roland Site, 3AR30 | Tichenor vicinity Arkansas County |
| Leske-Ingham Building | Camden Ouachita County |

Also Notified

Hon. John L. McClellan
 Hon. Dale Bumpers
 Hon. Ray Thornton
 Hon. Wilbur D. Mills
 Hon. Bill Alexander
 Regional Director, Southwest
 Region

State Historic Preservation Officer
 Mr. William E. Henderson
 Director, Arkansas Dept. of
 Parks and Tourism
 State Capitol
 Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

NATIONAL REGISTER DATA SHEET

✓ **1 NAME as it appears on federal register:**
Wycough-Jones House

✓ **2 OTHER NAMES:**
Wycough, Mark A. R., House - sec.

✓ **3 date of entry:** 5-2-75

✓ **4 county code:** 063

✓ **5 LOCATION street & number**
683 Water St.

✓ **city / town**
Batesville

✓ **vicinity of**

✓ **state**
AR

✓ **county**
Independence

✓ **6 NPS REGION:**
Southwest

✓ **7 OWNER** ☒ PRIVATE ☐ STATE ☐ MUNICIPAL ☐ COUNTY ☐ MULTIPLE ☐ FEDERAL (agency name)

✓ **8 ADMINISTRATOR:**

✓ **9 EXISTING SURVEYS** ☐ NABS ☐ NAER ☐ NHL **10 FUNDED?** ☒ YES ☐ NO **11 CONGRESS. DISTRICT** 1st **12 SOURCE of NOMINATION** ☒ STATE ☐ FEDERAL

✓ **13 WITHIN NATIONAL REGISTER HISTORIC DISTRICT?** ☒ YES, NAME ☐ NO **14 WITHIN NATIONAL HISTORIC LANDMARK?** ☒ YES, NAME ☐ NO **15 ACREAGE** c. 1

✓ **16 CONDITION**
☐ excellent ☐ ruins ☒ good ☐ fair
☐ deteriorated ☐ unexposed ☐ unexcavated
☒ altered ☐ unaltered ☐ reconstructed ☐ excavated
☒ original site ☐ moved ☐ unknown

✓ **17 features:**
INTERIOR ☒ SUBSTANTIALLY INTACT-1 ☐ NOT INTACT-0 ☐ UNKNOWN-4 ☐ NOT APPLICABLE-7
EXTERIOR ☒ SUBSTANTIALLY INTACT-2 ☐ NOT INTACT-0 ☐ UNKNOWN-5 ☐ NOT APPLICABLE-8
ENVIRONMENT ☒ SUBSTANTIALLY INTACT-3 ☐ NOT INTACT-0 ☐ UNKNOWN-6 ☐ NOT APPLICABLE-9

✓ **18 ACCESS** ☒ YES - Restricted ☐ YES - Unrestricted ☐ No Access ☐ Unknown **19 ADAPTIVE USE** ☐ YES ☒ NO **20 SAVED?** ☐ YES ☒ NO **21 IS PROPERTY A HISTORIC DISTRICT?** ☐ yes ☒ no

✓ **22 AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE:**
☐ ARCHEOLOGY - prehistoric-2 ☐ COMMERCE-6 ☐ ENGINEERING-11 ☐ LANDSCAPE ARCH.-15 ☐ POLITICS / GOVT.-21 ☐ RECREATION-28
☐ ARCHEOLOGY - historic-1 ☐ COMMUNICATIONS-7 ☐ ENTERTAINMENT-26 ☐ LAW-16 ☐ RELIGION-22 ☒ SETTLEMENT-29
☐ AGRICULTURE-3 ☐ CONSERVATION-8 ☐ EXPLORATION-12 ☐ LITERATURE-17 ☐ SCIENCE-23 ☐ URBAN PLANNING-31
☒ ARCHITECTURE-4 ☐ ECONOMICS-9 ☐ HEALTH-27 ☐ MILITARY-18 ☐ SOCIAL / HUMANITARIAN-24 ☐ OTHER (SPECIFY)
☐ ART-5 ☐ EDUCATION-10 ☐ INDUSTRY-13 ☐ MUSIC-19 ☐ SOCIAL / CULTURAL-30 ☐ TRANSPORTATION-25

✓ **23 CLAIMS: explain**
'first' ☐
'oldest' ☐
'only' ☐

✓ **24 functions**
WHEN HISTORICALLY SIGNIFICANT: house
CURRENTLY: house

✓ **25 dates** of initial construction: c. 1870
major alterations:
historic events:

✓ **26 ETHNIC GROUP ASSOCIATION**

✓ **27 architectural style(s):**
Eastlake Elements

✓ **28 architect:**

✓ **29 master builder:**

✓ **30 engineer:**

✓ **31 landscape architect / garden designer:**

✓ **32 interior decorator:**

✓ **33 artist:**

✓ **34 artisan:**

✓ **35 builder / contractor:**

✓ **36 NAMES give role & date**
PERSONAL: A.R. WYCOUGH - NATIVE BORN SETTLER - LOCAL BUSINESSMAN - owner of house.
EVENTS:
INSTITUTIONAL:

✓ **37 NATIONAL REGISTER WRITE-UP** FRAME, CLAPBOARDING; 2 1/2 STORIES, MODIFIED L-SHAPE, GABLED ROOF, INTERIOR END CHIMNEYS, 1st and 2nd-story front center ~~glazed~~ entrances each with transom, 1st-story flanking stained glass roundels, 2-story polygonal and bowed bays, 1-story full-width eastlake porch with center pediment and surmounting balcony, recessed ~~side porch~~ 2nd-story side porch; 1-story rear porch; alterations. Eastlake Elements. Built for A.R. Wycough, prominent local businessman and one of area's first native-born settlers.

reviewers initials gwp date 9.19.77

IF ADDITIONAL SPACE NEEDED, NUMBER & PUT ON REVERSE