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✓ WALKER BUILDING

✓ Location: 117 W. 7th, Stillwater, OK

Owner of property: Winfrey D. and Barbara Houston
2205 West Fourth St.
Stillwater, Oklahoma

Location of Legal Description: Payne County Courthouse, Stillwater, OK

Description:

Condition-Good; altered; original site

The Walker is a two story red paver brick, 32 feet wide. The ground floor is 88 feet deep with a 10 foot passage way in the rear covered by a loft and a second story which is 100 foot deep. The building has limestone trim. The alteration consists of an aluminum store front and covering of entresol windows. The original wooden store front is being returned as well as uncovering the entresol. Rehabilitation consisted of removal of paint and metal front.

The original storefront configuration was returned.

Significance:

1914; Builder/Arch: Unknown

The Walker was constructed for use as a grocery store with living quarters on the second floor. The loft area was used as office space. The grocery was active for about thirty years. A small basement at the rear of the building served the community as a "Slipper Store" for many years.

Acreage: Under one acre

Quadrangle: Stillwater South UTM: 14/674690/3998165

Verbal Boundary:

Beginning at the NE corner Block 28, Original Stillwater proceed 58' east to the beginning point. From the beginning point proceed east 32' then South 100', across lots 21, 22, 23 and 24, then west 32', then North 100' to the beginning point.