

CCC Co. 741 Powder Magazine Historic District
Name of Property

Montgomery County, Arkansas
County and State

NPS Form 10-900
(Rev. 8-86)

OMB No. 1024-0018



United States Department of the Interior
National Park Service

**NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
REGISTRATION FORM**

1. Name of Property

Historic Name: CCC Company 741 Powder Magazine Historic District

Other Name/Site Number: MN0052, MN0053, 3MN189

2. Location

Street & Number: Forest Service Road 177M northeast of Norman

Not for Publication: NA

City/Town: Norman

Vicinity: X

State: AR County: Montgomery Code: AR 097 Zip Code: 71960

3. Classification

Ownership of Property: Public/Federal

Category of Property: District

Number of Resources within Property:

Contributing	Noncontributing
___	___ buildings
___	___ sites
<u>2</u>	___ structures
___	___ objects
<u>2</u>	___ Total

Number of contributing resources previously listed in the National Register: NA

Name of related multiple property listing: Facilities Constructed by the Civilian Conservation Corps in Arkansas, 1933-1942

4. State/Federal Agency Certification

As the designated authority under the National Historic Preservation Act of 1986, as amended, I hereby certify that this X nomination request for determination of eligibility meets the documentation standards for registering properties in the National Register of Historic Places and meets the procedural and professional requirements set forth in 36 CFR Part 60. In my opinion, the property ✓ meets ___ does not meet the National Register Criteria. ___ See continuation sheet.

Melissa Iwanicki *2/9/2007*

Signature of certifying official Date

USDA Forest Service, Southern Region

State or Federal agency and bureau

In my opinion, the property x meets ___ does not meet the National Register criteria. ___ See continuation sheet.

Catherine Matthews *8/18/05*

Signature of commenting or other official Date

Arkansas Historic Preservation Program
State or Federal agency and bureau

5. National Park Service Certification

I, hereby certify that this property is:

- entered in the National Register
 See continuation sheet.
 determined eligible for the
 National Register
 other (explain):

for Daniel J. Viana 3/30/07
Signature of Keeper Date of Action

6. Function or Use

Historic: Government Sub: Public Works

Current : Vacant/Not in Use Sub: NA

7. Description

Architectural Classification: No style

Materials: foundation Concrete roof Concrete
 walls Stone other

Describe present and historic physical appearance:

Summary:

The CCC Company 741 Powder Magazine Historic District consists of two small stone and concrete structures originally constructed to store powder and blasting caps for use by the Civilian Conservation Corps working in the Ouachita National Forest.

Elaboration:

The CCC Company 741 Powder Magazine Historic District consists of two small stone and concrete structures

originally constructed to store powder and blasting caps for use by the Civilian Conservation Corps working in the Ouachita National Forest.

The powder magazine is the larger of the two buildings. It sits just north of Forest Service Road 177M 113 meters southeast of the smaller blasting cap magazine. It is a rectangular structure building measuring about sixteen feet long on its northeast and southwest sides and eight feet on the northeast and southwest sides. The powder magazine is about five feet high with a four-inch thick concrete top and a concrete floor. The cut-stone and concrete walls are about one foot thick. There is a door in the southwest façade of the structure. The structure is in good condition.

The blasting cap magazine is the smaller of the two buildings. It sits just north of Forest Service Road 177M 113 meters northwest of the larger powder magazine. It is a square structure building measuring about ten feet long on each side. The blasting cap magazine is about five feet high with a four-inch thick concrete top and a concrete floor. The cut-stone and concrete walls are about one foot thick. There is a door in the southwest façade of the structure. The structure is in good condition.

8. Statement of Significance

Certifying official has considered the significance of this property in relation to other properties: Local.

Applicable National Register Criteria: A

Criteria Considerations (Exceptions): NA

Areas of Significance: Social History
Conservation

Period(s) of Significance: ca. 1936

Significant Dates: NA

Significant Person(s): NA

Cultural Affiliation: NA

Architect/Builder: Civilian Conservation Corps

State significance of property, and justify criteria, criteria considerations, and areas and periods of significance noted above:

Civilian Conservation Corps Company 741, the oldest CCC company in the Arkansas District, was formed on May 1, 1933, at Camp Pike, Arkansas, and moved to Crystal Springs Camp on May 17, 1933. Four side camps were established from the Crystal Springs Camp, including Crystal Valley Camp near Norman, which the nominated structures were constructed to serve, probably ca. 1936. The company constructed the nominated powder magazine and blasting cap magazine to store explosives for use on road and bridge construction or for other such conservation projects within the Ouachita National Forest.

Though they are of simple, functional design, the structures in the Civilian Conservation Corps Company 741 Powder Magazine Historic District remain significant by virtue of their association with the contributions to American social history made by the CCC and through their associations with the emphasis on conservation that comprised the original mandate of the CCC. They also are notable for their connection to Company 741, the earliest CCC company established in the state. They are thus eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places under Criterion A with local significance within the historic context "Facilities Constructed by the Civilian Conservation Corps in Arkansas, 1933-1942."

9. Major Bibliographical References

Arkansas CCC District, Seventh Corps Area. "Official Annual Arkansas District Civilian Conservation Corps, Seventh Corps Area." (District Headquarters, Little Rock, AR, 1937)

Previous documentation on file (NPS):

- preliminary determination of individual listing (36 CFR 67) has been requested.
- previously listed in the National Register
- previously determined eligible by the National Register
- designated a National Historic Landmark
- recorded by Historic American Buildings Survey #
- recorded by Historic American Engineering Record #

Primary Location of Additional Data:

- State historic preservation office
- Other state agency
- Federal agency
- Local government
- University
- Other -- Specify Repository:

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of Property: Approximately 6 acres

UTM References: Zone Easting Northing Zone Easting Northing

A 15 444126 3815872 B 15 444070 3815840
C 15 444163 3815677 D 15 444226 3815721

Verbal Boundary Description:

The area within a rectangle bounded by UTM points 15/444126/3815872, 15/444070/3815840, 15/444163/3815677, and 15/444226/3815721.

Boundary Justification:

This boundary contains the powder magazine and blasting cap magazine.

11. Form Prepared By

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Organization: Arkansas Historic Preservation Program Date: May 10, 2005

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City or Town: Little Rock State: AR ZIP: 72201

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
EVALUATION/RETURN SHEET

REQUESTED ACTION: NOMINATION

PROPERTY NAME: CCC Company 741 Powder Magazine Historic District

MULTIPLE NAME: Facilities Constructed by the CCC in Arkansas MPS

STATE & COUNTY: ARKANSAS, Montgomery

DATE RECEIVED: 2/16/07 DATE OF PENDING LIST: 3/05/07
DATE OF 16TH DAY: 3/20/07 DATE OF 45TH DAY: 4/01/07
DATE OF WEEKLY LIST:

REFERENCE NUMBER: 07000201

REASONS FOR REVIEW:

APPEAL: N DATA PROBLEM: N LANDSCAPE: N LESS THAN 50 YEARS: N
OTHER: N PDIL: N PERIOD: N PROGRAM UNAPPROVED: N
REQUEST: Y SAMPLE: N SLR DRAFT: N NATIONAL: N

COMMENT WAIVER: N

___ACCEPT ___RETURN ___REJECT _____DATE

ABSTRACT/SUMMARY COMMENTS:

*Significant example of engineering structures built
for CCC use.*

RECOM./CRITERIA Accept A

REVIEWER Daniel Vivian

DISCIPLINE Historian

TELEPHONE (202) 354-2252

DATE 3/30/07

DOCUMENTATION see attached comments Y/N see attached SLR Y/N

If a nomination is returned to the nominating authority, the nomination is no longer under consideration by the NPS.

Recommendation: SLR Return

Action: SLR Return None

Documentation Issues-Discussion Sheet

State Name: AR County Name Montgomery Resource Name CCC Company 741 Proj

Reference No. 201 Multiple Name CCC in Arkansas

Solution: Boundary selected and verbal boundary description provided
have fine.
DJV 3/30/07

Problem: Area too small to use, ctms as boundary
description need to justify acres for 2 small
structures
numeration is very short. Owner needs to
describe what road / bridge project this company
and structural was built and serviced.
more info on Comp 741 needed. How long were
they used why were they constructed there
Photos of

Resolution:

SLR: Yes No

Database Change:



CCC Co. 749 Powder Magazine Historic District

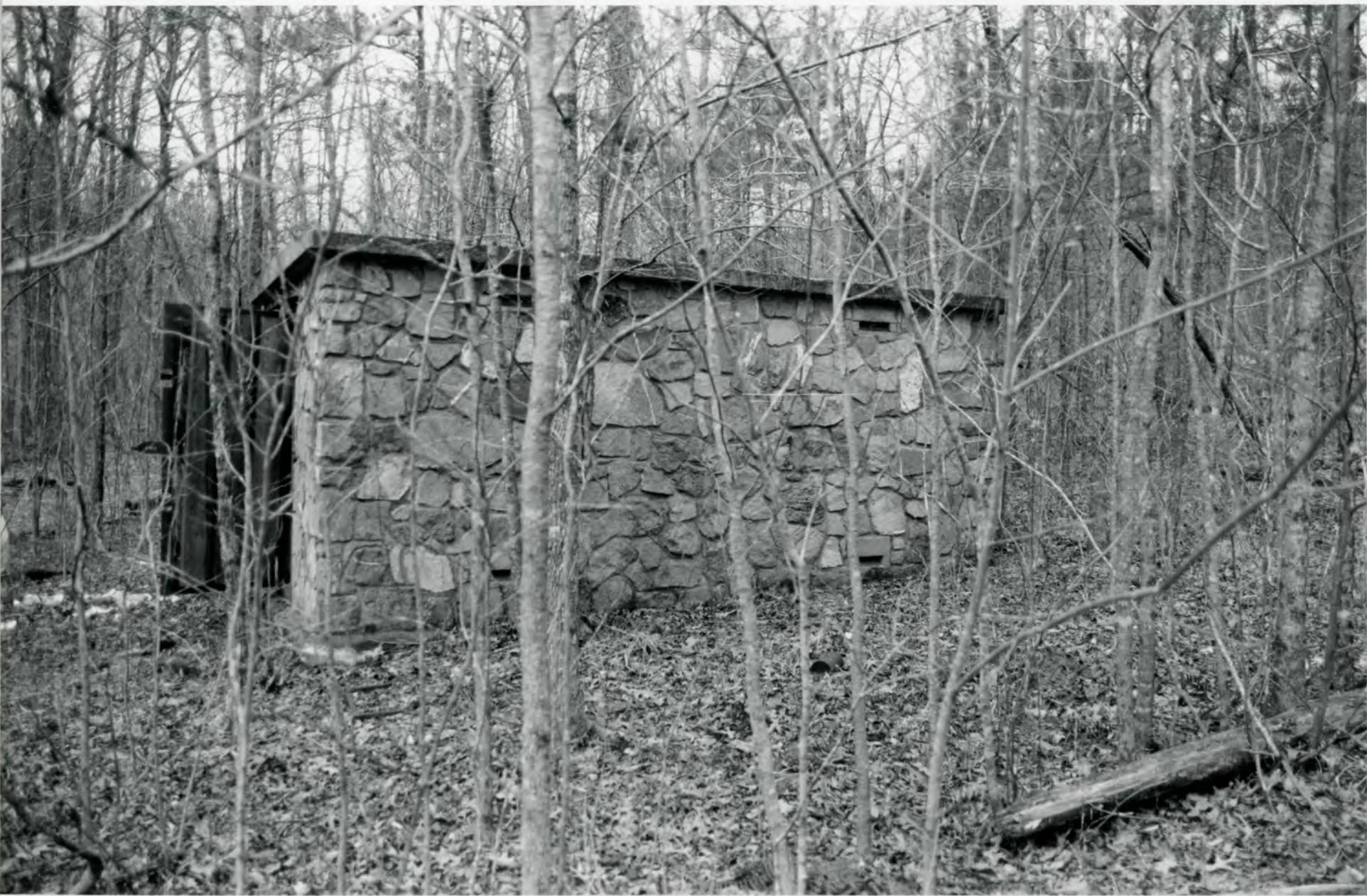
Norman vic., Montgomery Co., AR

Photo by M. Christ

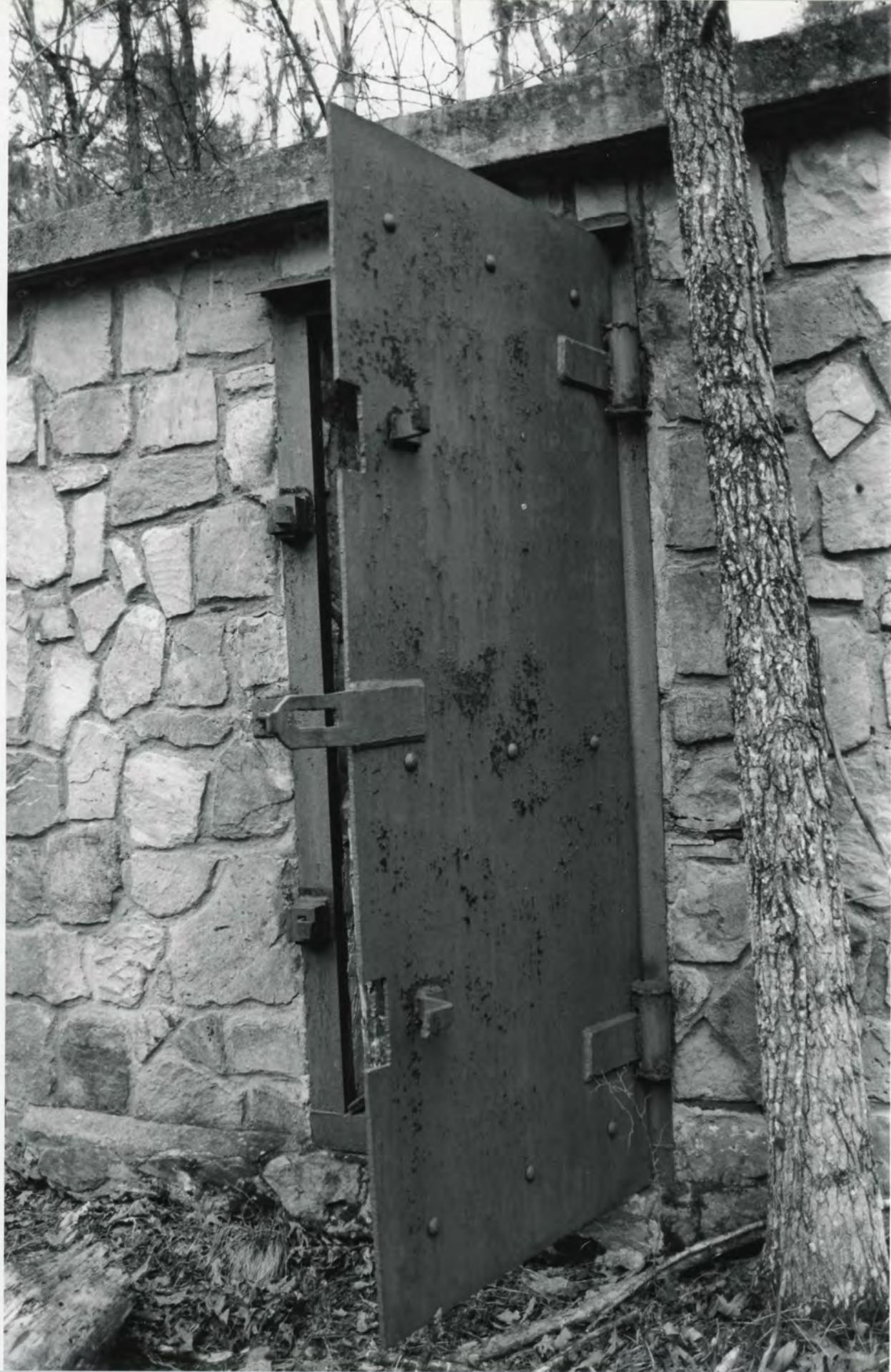
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View from northwest, Powder Magazine



CCC Co. 749 Powder Magazine Historic District
Norman vic., Montgomery Co, AR
Photo by M. Christ
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Negative on file at AHPP
View from east, Powder Magazine



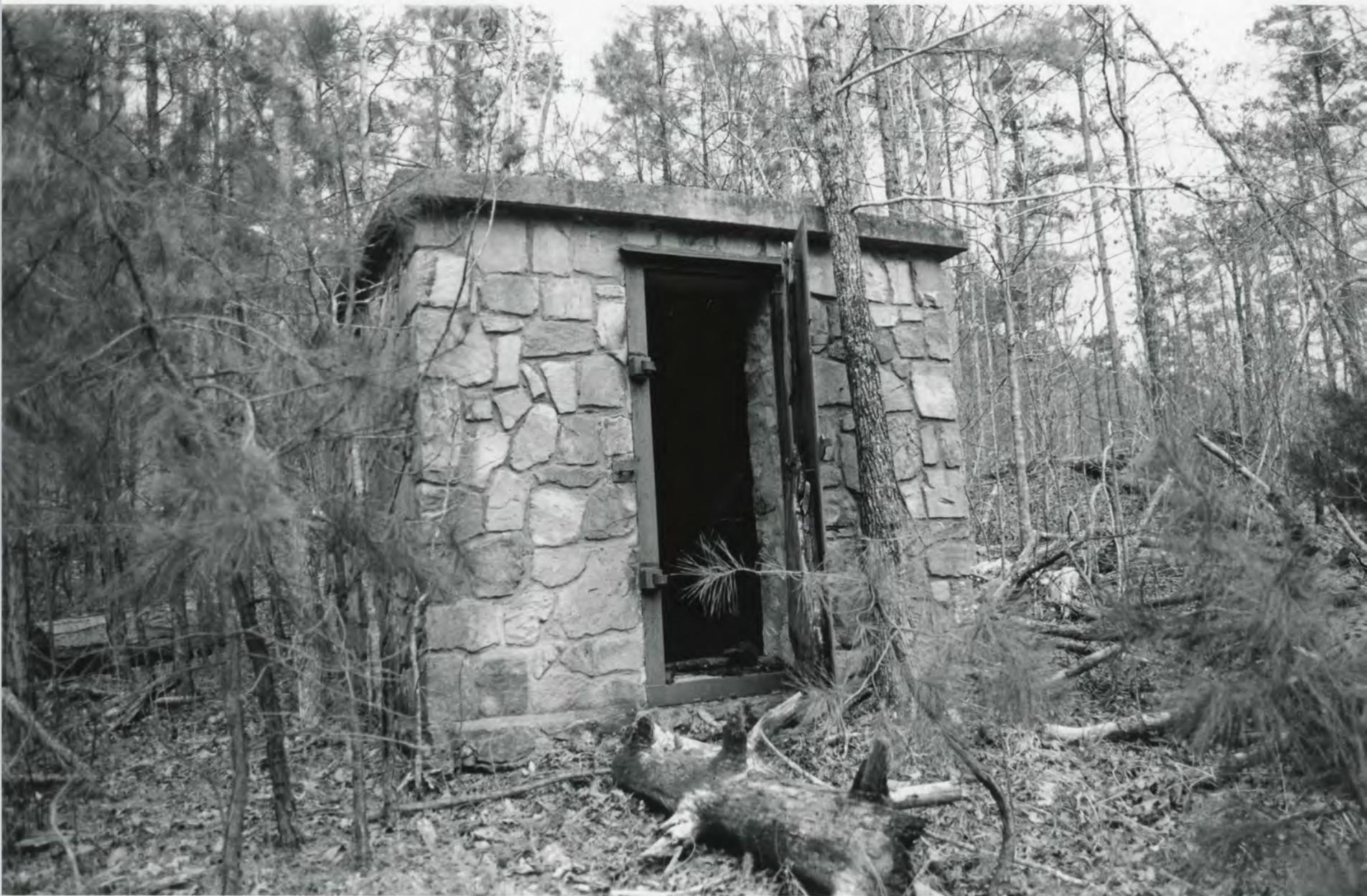
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Norman vic, Montgomery Co, AR

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Blasting cap magazine door detail.



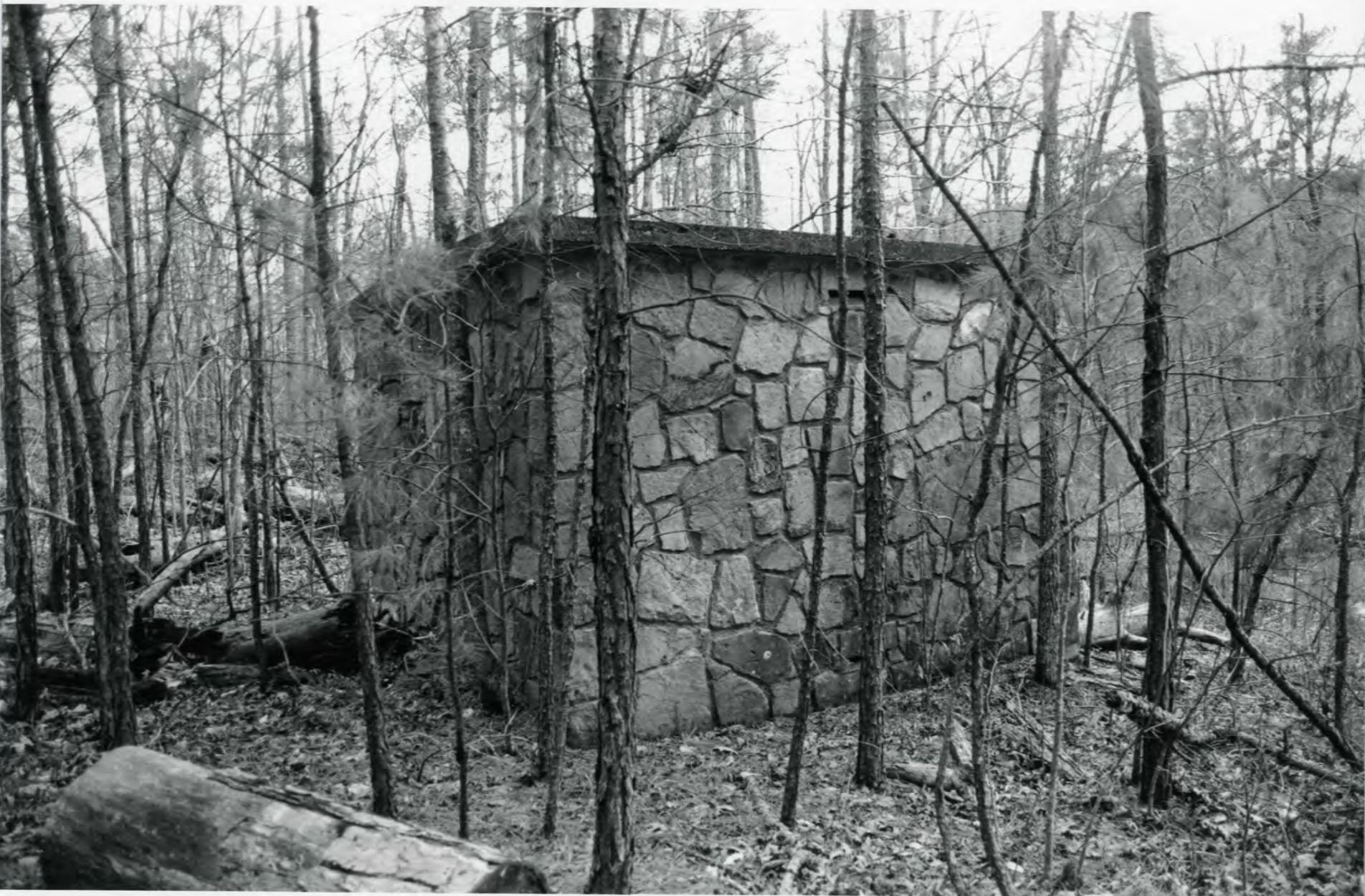
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Norman vic., Montgomery Co, AR

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Blasting cap Magazine, view from west



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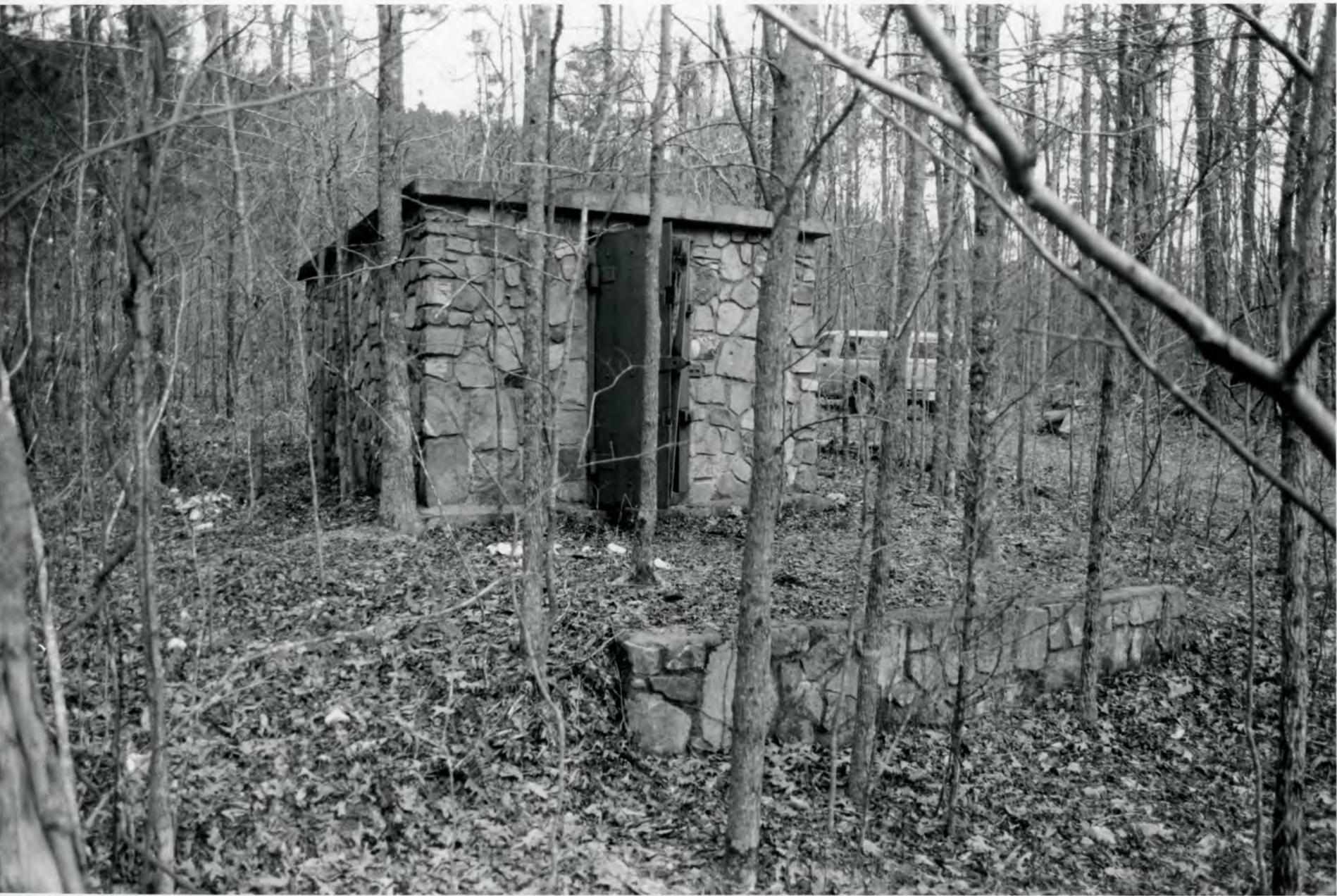
Blasting Cap Magazine, view from southeast



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Norman vic., Montgomery Co, AR
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Blasting cap magazine, view from South



CCC Co. 749 Powder Magazine Historic District
Norman, view, Montgomery Co., AR
Photo by M. Christ

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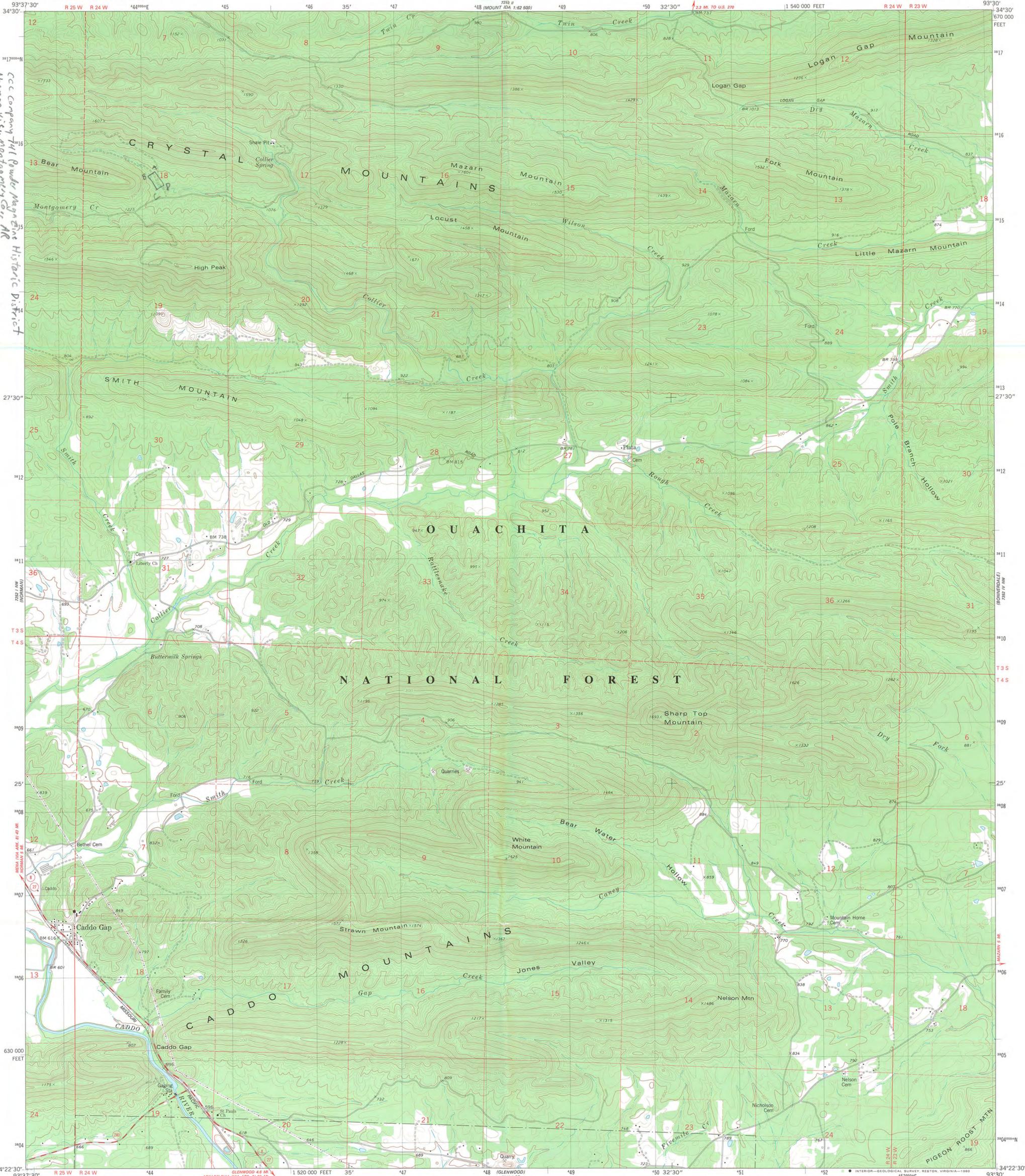
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Powder Magazine, view from southwest

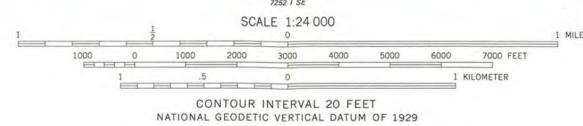


CCC Co. 749 Powder Magazine Historic District
Norman vic., Montgomery Co., AR
Photo by M. Christ
February 2005
Negative on file at AHPP
Detail of door, Powder Magazine

CCC Company 741 Fowler Magnetics Historic District
Norman, OK, Montgomery Co, AR
A: 15/444126/3815872 B: 15/444070/3815840
C: 15/444163/3815677 D: 15/444226/3815721



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Topography by photogrammetric methods from aerial photographs taken 1976. Field checked 1977. Map edited 1979
Projection and 10,000-foot grid ticks: Arkansas coordinate system, south zone (Lambert conformal conic)
1000-meter Universal Transverse Mercator grid, zone 15 1927 North American datum
To place on the predicted North American Datum 1983 move the projection lines 8 meters south and 17 meters east as shown by dashed corner ticks
There may be private inholdings within the boundaries of the National or State reservations shown on this map
Fine red dashed lines indicate selected fence and field lines where generally visible on aerial photographs. This information is unchecked



ROAD CLASSIFICATION

Primary highway, hard surface	Light-duty road, hard or improved surface
Secondary highway, hard surface	Unimproved road
Interstate Route	U. S. Route
	State Route

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