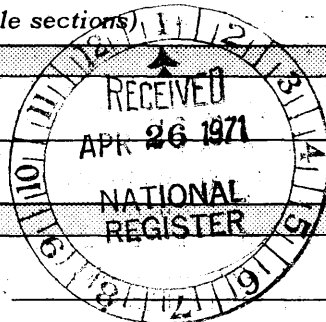


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INVENTORY - NOMINATION FORM

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1. NAME

COMMON:
The Poe House

AND/OR HISTORIC:
Green - Poe House

2. LOCATION

STREET AND NUMBER:
841-845 Poplar Street

CITY OR TOWN:
Macon

STATE: **Georgia** CODE: **13** COUNTY: **Bibb** CODE: **021**

3. CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY (Check One)	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC
District <input type="checkbox"/> Building <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Public <input type="checkbox"/>	Occupied <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes: Restricted <input type="checkbox"/>
Site <input type="checkbox"/> Structure <input type="checkbox"/>	Private <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Unoccupied <input type="checkbox"/>	Unrestricted <input type="checkbox"/>
Object <input type="checkbox"/>	Both <input type="checkbox"/>	Preservation work in progress <input type="checkbox"/>	No: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)			
Agricultural <input type="checkbox"/>	Government <input type="checkbox"/>	Park <input type="checkbox"/>	Transportation <input type="checkbox"/>
Commercial <input type="checkbox"/>	Industrial <input type="checkbox"/>	Private Residence <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Other (Specify) <input type="checkbox"/>
Educational <input type="checkbox"/>	Military <input type="checkbox"/>	Religious <input type="checkbox"/>	Comments <input type="checkbox"/>
Entertainment <input type="checkbox"/>	Museum <input type="checkbox"/>	Scientific <input type="checkbox"/>	

4. OWNER OF PROPERTY

OWNERS NAME:
Lee B. and Nemes E. Barfield

STREET AND NUMBER:
841-845 Poplar Street

CITY OR TOWN: **Macon** STATE: **Georgia** CODE: **13**

5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.:
Bibb County Courthouse

STREET AND NUMBER:

CITY OR TOWN: **Macon** STATE: **Georgia** CODE: **13**

APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY: **less than 1 acre**

6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE OF SURVEY: **1. The Historic Architecture of Macon by Carl Feiss and Russell Wright**

* DATE OF SURVEY: **1970** Federal State County Local

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS:
Middle Georgia Historical Society

STREET AND NUMBER:
Macon Coliseum

CITY OR TOWN: **Macon** STATE: **Georgia** CODE: **13**

- *2. Historical Survey by Middle Ga. Historical Society 1970 Local
- 3. HABS NoGa139 11 Maco 2 1936 Federal
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7. DESCRIPTION

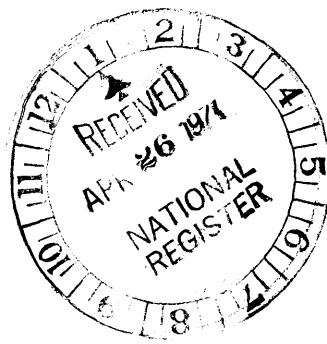
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INTEGRITY	(Check One)			(Check One)				
	Altered <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			Unaltered <input type="checkbox"/>				
			Moved <input type="checkbox"/>			Original Site <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (if known) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

Exterior: Two-story with ground level basement (partially protected by retaining walls); portico with 4 cast iron columns, original wrought iron railing and granite steps; balcony across entire front facade aligned with top of portico with original wrought iron railing - windows at second floor have wood panels under which might indicate that there were originally doors to the balcony which were later replaced, but the windows appear to match the existing standard type wood, door half/sash in the entire house; simple cornice and hip roof; brick exterior, one-piece stone lintels over all doors and windows at exterior; single entry door with simple side and top lights, no ornamentation.

Interior: Each of the three floors has been divided into two apartments and the only one this reviewer gained entry was in the basement, which had been so extensively remodeled as to obscure any original construction. These comments are made only from the main hall: the plan is of a central hall with two rooms each side on both floors; a wood trimmed arch divides the hall in half and a small (2'-6" wide) free standing elliptical stair is just beyond; only two rooms open on the front hall with single doors; it is presumed the two rear rooms open behind the stair; the left side contains one additional room on each floor; much of original doors and hardware remain.

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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) c. 1840

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

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| Prehistoric <input type="checkbox"/> | Engineering <input type="checkbox"/> | Religion/Philosophy <input type="checkbox"/> | Other (Specify) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
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STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (Include Personages, Dates, Events, Etc.)

This fine example of Classical Architecture was built about 1840 by Ambrose Chapman who in large part was responsible for saving the Female College (Wesleyan College) from financial ruin in 1842.

The house was sold in 1858 to Dr. James Mercer Green who was one of the leaders in the founding of the Academy for the Blind here in 1852. Earlier, Dr. Green served on the newly-organized County Board of Health and in 1849 was elected secretary of the newly-formed State Medical Society. During the 1850's Green served on the City Council and as a warden of Christ Episcopal Church.

Dr. Green was appointed Surgeon in charge of the Confederate Hospitals in Macon on January 17, 1863, under the command of Surgeon Stout. The Macon Hospitals were described as being perfectly clean and tidy, due to the hard work of Dr. Green.

The house was occupied by Green's daughter, Mrs. William Poe, and her children until the 1930's. Lee Barfield bought and restored the house. Since his recent death, it has been occupied by tenants.

The brick servants' house in the rear is an interesting feature of this historic property.

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9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

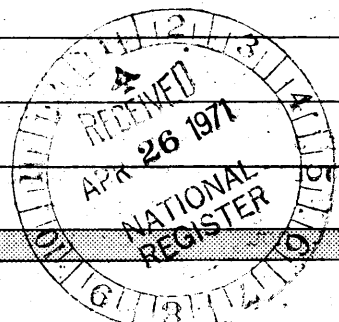
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10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

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

STATE:	CODE	COUNTY	CODE



11. FORM PREPARED BY

NAME AND TITLE:
Mr. John J. McKay, Jr., President

ORGANIZATION: **Middle Georgia Historical Society, Inc.** DATE: **March 23, 1971**

STREET AND NUMBER:
c/o Macon Coliseum

CITY OR TOWN: **Macon** STATE: **Georgia** CODE: **13**

12. STATE LIAISON OFFICER CERTIFICATION

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 Mary Gregory Jewett
 Title State Liaison Officer
 Date April 19, 1971

NATIONAL REGISTER VERIFICATION

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

Amest A. Connors
 Chief, Office of Archeology and Historic Preservation

JUL 14 1971
 Date _____

ATTEST:
William M. ...
 Keeper of The National Register
JUN 21 1971
 Date _____

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PROPERTY MAP FORM

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 AND/OR HISTORIC: **Greene-Poe House**

2. LOCATION

STREET AND NUMBER:
841-845 Poplar Street

CITY OR TOWN:
Macon

STATE: Georgia	CODE 13	COUNTY: Bibb	CODE 021
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3. MAP REFERENCE

SOURCE: **Macon, Georgia Architectural Inventory by Carl Feiss, FAIA, AIP and Russell Wright, AIP**

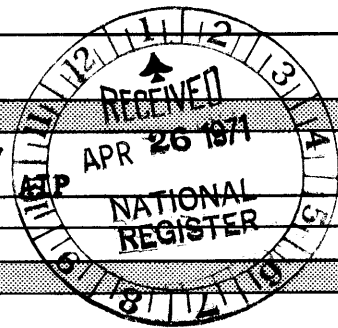
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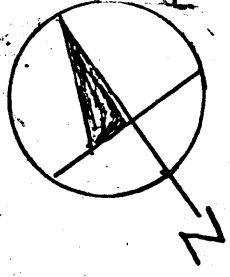
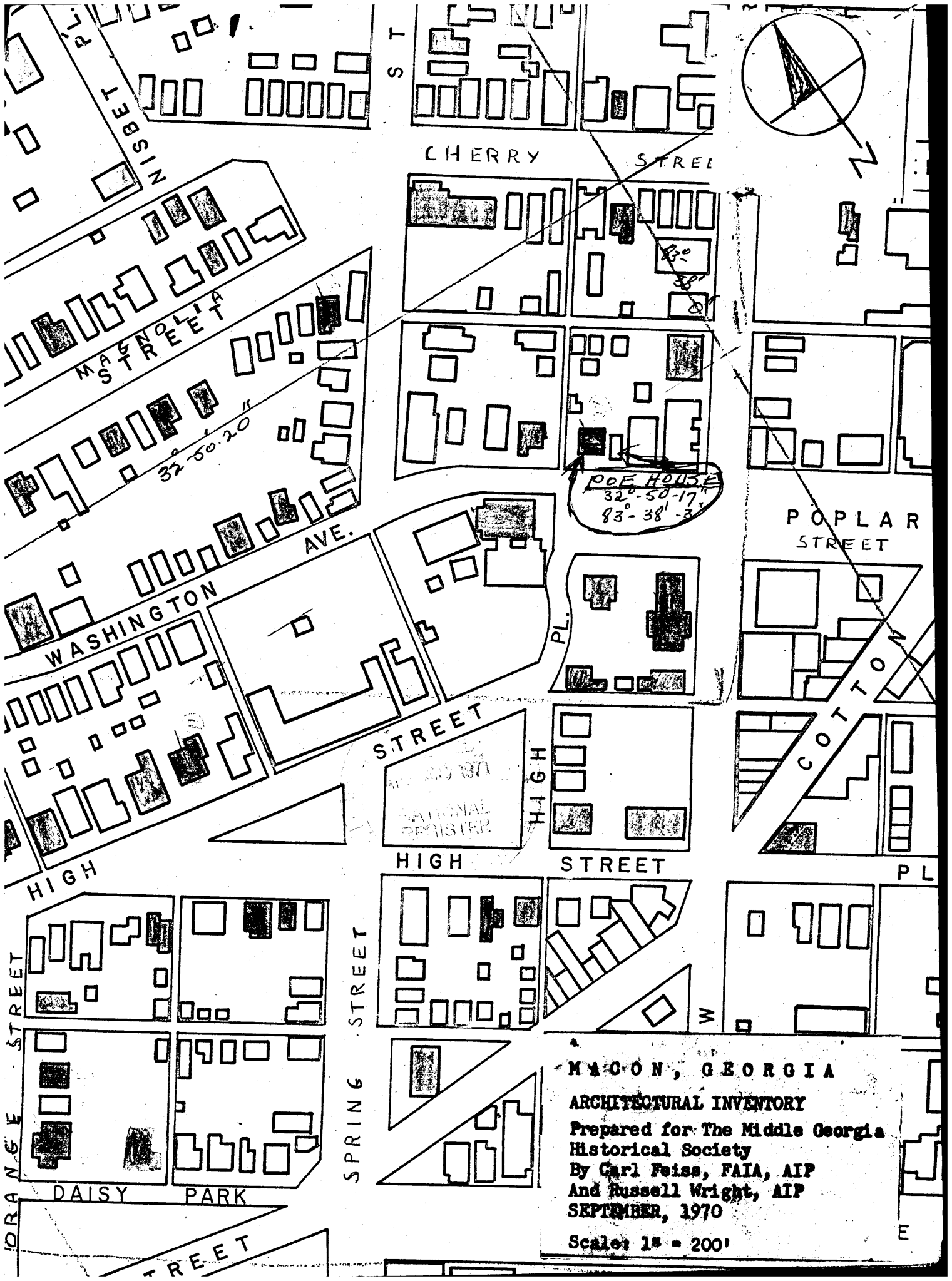
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4. REQUIREMENTS

TO BE INCLUDED ON ALL MAPS

- Property boundaries where required.
- North arrow.
- Latitude and longitude reference.





POE HOUSE
 32°-50'-17"
 93°-38'-3"

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