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1. Name

Carlisle Gymnasium

2. Location

street & number: UNM campus west of Yale Blvd.

city, town: Albuquerque state: New Mexico code: 035

county: Bernalillo code: NM-001

3. Classification

Category: Building

Ownership: Public

Status: Occupied

Present Use: Gymnasium

4. Owner of Property

name: Regents of the University of New Mexico

street & number: Scholes Hall, University of New Mexico

city, town: Albuquerque state: New Mexico

5. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, etc.: Bernalillo County Courthouse

street & number: One Civic Plaza

city, town: Albuquerque state: New Mexico

6. Representation in Existing Surveys

Not applicable.

7. Description

Condition: Good

Description: Carlisle Gymnasium is a two story adobe Spanish Pueblo Revival Style building with balconies set in curvilinear walls on the roof of the first story. It has multi-lite metal casement windows that vary in size, and wood posts and corbels at the portal entrance. The main entrance has double leaf wood doors between large multi-light windows under a large portal entry. The gymnasium was restuccoed in 1982. The building was designed by the architectural firm of Gaastra, Gladding and Johnson and built in 1928. It is still used as a gymnasium at present. The building has a rectangular shape.

8. Significance

Period: 1900-

Areas of Significance: Architecture

Dates: 1928

Builder/Architect: Gaastra, Gladding and Johnson

Statement of Significance, Criterion C: Carlisle Gymnasium is one of six buildings on the campus of the University of New Mexico included in this nomination. Carlisle Gymnasium is significant because it is the only building remaining of four that were designed by the architectural firm of Gaastra, Gladding and Johnson beginning in 1927 after the Pueblo Style was designated as the official campus

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style. Gaastra, Gladding and Johnson were commissioned to design four new campus buildings in the official campus style, which included a new gymnasium (Carlisle Gym), biology building, science lecture hall, and a men's dormitory. All four buildings were simultaneously dedicated at a ceremony in 1928. To celebrate the Pueblo Style architecture of these buildings, the governors of the Indian Pueblos in New Mexico were in attendance. The other three buildings have been razed over the years to make room for new modern facilities. Carlisle Gym has had little visible alterations other than a restucco of the exterior completed in 1982. The building is still used as an auxiliary gymnasium.

9. Major Bibliographical References

10. Geographic Data

Acreeage: 0.69 acre
 Quadrangle name & scale: Albuquerque East Quadrangle; 1:24,000
 UTM References:

Zone	Easting	Northing
13	352125	3883325

Verbal boundary description and justification: On the lands of the University of New Mexico beginning at the SW corner of Yale Blvd. and the access road between Carlisle Gym and Mitchell Hall, proceed west 325 feet to the NW corner of Carlisle Gym; turn south and proceed 125 feet; turn slightly southeast and proceed in a southeasterly direction 200 feet to the SW corner of Carlisle Gym; turn east and proceed 275 feet to Yale Blvd.; turn north and proceed 250 feet to the point of origin (note: this verbal boundary description is not a legal filed description for Carlisle Gymnasium. All buildings on UNM campus are described as being "on the lands of the University of New Mexico" in the records at the Bernalillo County Courthouse. This description is the area around the building measured and described for the Historic Register generally using a landmark as a beginning and ending point for easier reference).

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