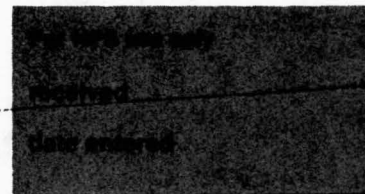


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INDIVIDUAL DATA SHEET

General Description

Code: PU-159

(Thompson, TR)
Congressional District: Second

✓ Name: Florence Crittenton Home

Current Owner: Florence Crittenton Home

✓ Address: 3600 West 11th St.

Address: 3600 West 11th
Little Rock, Arkansas 72204

✓ Little Rock, Arkansas

✓ County: Pulaski

Architectural Information

Architectural Firm: Thompson and Harding

Date of Construction: 1917

Stylistic Influence: Colonial Revival

Original Use: Home for unwed mothers

Present Use: Home for unwed mothers

Geographical Information

UTM Reference: 15 562730/3844410

Acreage: less than one

Verbal Boundary Description: NW of SW SW Se 5 1N 12W

parcel # 11-12-1N05
01-7553-00

Condition

☒ Excellent
☐ Good
☐ Fair

☐ Deteriorated
☐ Ruins
☐ Unexposed

☐ Unaltered
☒ Altered

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Code: PU-159 (3600 W. 11th, Little Rock, AR)

Physical Description

Located on a large, wooded plot and set well back from the street, this house was designed around 1917 by Thompson and Harding. Before the later addition of the north wing, the residence represented a type favored by the firm around this time--a two-story house of simple cube-like massing with shallow hip roof and symmetrical three bay facade. Another familiar motif is the small entrance portico featuring a full, but unembellished portico supported by paired Tuscan columns and capped by a simple wrought iron railing. Flanking the doorway are two narrow multi-paned windows. First floor windows on the front elevation are in threes: sash windows of twelve-over-twelve lights flanked by smaller windows of six-over-six lights. Upper windows have six-over-six panes. The structure is faced with dark red brick.

Statement of Significance

The Florence Crittenton Home in Little Rock was designed by the Thompson and Harding architectural firm in 1917. The familiar plan for a simple Colonial Revival house is found in the design for this building. The predominant feature of the Florence Crittenton Home is the small entrance portico which is supported by paired Tuscan columns and capped by a simple iron railing. The building remains close to its original design with the exception of a compatible addition of a north wing. The building is interesting in its genteel residential design. From the time of its construction in 1917 to the present, the Florence Crittenton Home has housed unwed mothers. Although in 1917 its location was far from the Little Rock city limits, the home now rests on a large plot of land in a residential section of town. A landmark in its neighborhood, the Florence Crittenton Home remains an important building, both visually and in regard to its function in the community.

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Multiple Resource Area
Thematic GroupName Thompson, Charles L., Design Collection Thematic Resources
State Arkansas

Nomination/Type of Review

141. McLean House

Date/Signature

for Keeper

Delores Byers 12/24/82

Attest

142. Florence Crittenton Home

Substantive Review

Keeper

Donna H. Hargis 12/24/82

Attest

accept Patrick Andrews 12/13/82143. Immaculate Heart of
Mary Church

for Keeper

Delores Byers 12/24/82

Attest

144. Vanetten House

for Keeper

Delores Byers 12/24/82

Attest

145. Forrey-Smith Apartments
(409 Ringo St.)

Substantive Review

Keeper

Donna H. Hargis 12/24/82

Attest

accept Patrick Andrews 12/13/82146. Forrey-Smith Apartments
(1019 W. 4th St.)

for Keeper

Delores Byers 12/24/82

Attest

147. Farrell House

Entered in the
National Register

for Keeper

Delores Byers 10/11/84

Attest

148. Williamson House

Entered in the
National Register

for Keeper

Delores Byers 11/15/84

Attest

Keeper

Attest

Keeper

Attest

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES

EVALUATION / RETURN Sr

United States Department of the Interior
National Park Service

Substantive Review

Florence Crittenton Home (Thompson, Charles L.,
Design Collection TR)
Pulaski County
ARKANSAS

Working No. 11/9/82-3026
Fed. Reg. Date: 2.7.84
Date Due: 12/9/82 - 12/24/82
Action: ☒ ACCEPT 12/22/82
☐ RETURN
☐ REJECT

- ☐ resubmission
☐ nomination by person or local government
☐ owner objection
☐ appeal

Federal Agency: _____

Substantive Review: ☒ sample ☐ request ☐ appeal ☐ NR decision

Reviewer's comments:

Recom. / Criteria accept-c
Reviewer Patrick Andrews
Discipline Historian
Date 12/13/82
☐ see continuation sheet

Nomination returned for: ☐ technical corrections cited below
☐ substantive reasons discussed below

✓ 1. Name

✓ 2. Location

✓ 3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use
	Public Acquisition	Accessible	

✓ 4. Owner of Property

✓ 5. Location of Legal Description

✓ 6. Representation in Existing Surveys

has this property been determined eligible? ☐ yes ☐ no

7. Description

Condition	Check one	Check one
<input type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> deteriorated	<input type="checkbox"/> unaltered
<input type="checkbox"/> good	<input type="checkbox"/> ruins	<input type="checkbox"/> altered
<input type="checkbox"/> fair	<input type="checkbox"/> unexposed	<input type="checkbox"/> moved
		date _____

Describe the present and original (if known) physical appearance

- ✓ ☐ summary paragraph
✓ ☐ completeness
✓ ☐ clarity
✓ ☐ alterations/integrity
✓ ☐ dates

8. Significance

Period _____ Areas of Significance—Check and justify below

Specific dates _____ Builder/Architect _____

Statement of Significance (in one paragraph)

- ☒ summary paragraph
- ☒ completeness
- ☒ clarity
- ☒ applicable criteria
- ☒ justification of areas checked
- ☒ relating significance to the resource
- ☒ context
- ☒ relationship of integrity to significance
- ☐ justification of exception
- ☐ other

9. Major Bibliographical References

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of nominated property _____

Quadrangle name _____

USGS Reference _____

Verbal boundary description and justification _____

11. Form Prepared By

12. State Historic Preservation Officer Certification

The evaluated significance of this property within the state is:

____ national ____ state ____ local

State Historic Preservation Officer signature _____

Title _____ date _____

13. Other

- ☐ Maps
- ☐ Photographs
- ☐ Other

Questions concerning this nomination may be directed to _____

Signed _____ Date _____ Phone: 202 272 - 350

Comments for any item may be continued on an attached sheet



STRUCTURES IN ARKANSAS REPRESENTED BY THE
CHARLES L. THOMPSON DESIGN COLLECTION -
A THEMATIC GROUP

Code Number: PU-159 (Florence Crittenton
Home)

3600 W. 11th, Little Rock, Arkansas

Photographed by: Mary Thomas

March, 1982

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Viewed from the South

Little Rock, Pulaski Co., Arkansas
 quadrangle Name: Little Rock, Ark.
 scale: 1:24,000

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