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National Register of Historic Places Registration Form

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Boundary Justification:

This boundary includes all the property historically associated with this resource.

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NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES EVALUATION/RETURN SHEET

REQUESTED ACTION: NOMINATION PROPERTY Thompson House NAME: MULTIPLE White County MPS NAME: STATE & COUNTY: ARKANSAS, White DATE RECEIVED: DATE OF PENDING LIST: 8/15/91 8/01/91 DATE OF 16TH DAY: 8/31/91 DATE OF 45TH DAY: 9/15/91 DATE OF WEEKLY LIST: REFERENCE NUMBER: 91001341 NO DOBE NO NOMINATOR: STATE REASONS FOR REVIEW: APPEAL: N DATA PROBLEM: N LANDSCAPE: N LESS THAN 50 YEARS: Note Igmos OTHER: N PDIL: N PERIOD: N PROGRAM UNAPPROVED: N VIII N SLR DRAFT: ¥ REOUEST: N SAMPLE: NATIONAL: NITE TO NIBOLIGIES COMMENT WAIVER: N ACCEPT RETURN ABSTRACT/SUMMARY COMMENTS: See offerned comments

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Thompson House White County MPS White County, ARKANSAS

Reviewer's Comments

The boundaries of this property are presently located along building lines. A resource listed in the National Register should include all features of the property which contribute to its significance. In almost all cases this includes its historic setting. Page 77 of National Register Bulletin 16, <u>Guidelines for Completing National Register of Historic Places Forms</u>, states that "the boundaries of buildings should include the land surrounding the building, unless the lot occupied by the building contains no surrounding land as in the central business district of most cities."

Please revise the boundaries to include the property historically associated with the resource. If a portion of the original setting has lost its integrity, please explain.

Marilyn Harper Historian Sept. 16, 1991

other, (explain:)

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Signature of the Keeper

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Boundary Justification:

The original lot has been subdivided during the non-historic period, resulting in an indefinite current lot boundary; therefore, this boundary includes all the property historically associated with this resource that retains its integrity.

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91001336 / Smyrna Methodist Church	7/20/92
91001243 Snipes, Dr. Emmett, House	9-5-41
91001274 St. Richard's Catholic Church	7/2092
91001250 StaggsHuffaker Building	9-5-91
91001248 Stipe Cotton Gin Substactive Review	7/20/92
91001295✓ Storm Cellar, William Howell House	7/20/92
91001326 Thomas House	7/23/92
91001341 Thompson House	7/22/92
91001362 Thrasher, John, Homestead	7/23/92
91001240 Titus House	9-5-91
91001199 Trinity Episcopal Church	7/27/92
91001233 Van Meter, R. L., House	9-5-91
91001351 Walker Homestead Historic District Substantive Review	1/20/92
91001354 Walker, Otha, Homestead	4/23/92
91001313 WardStout House	9-5=9
91001182 Watkins House	9-5-91
91001183 Watkins, Tom, House	95-41
91001308 Watson, William Henry, Homestead	7/20/92
91001272 Weber House	9-5-91
91001260 Westbrooke, Lipsy, House	7/23/92
91001297 Whisinant, Albert, House	7/23/92
91001177 Wilburn House	9-5-91
91001353 Williams House	7/23/92
91001321 Williams, Arthur, Homestead, Feed Storage Shed	7/23/92
91001211 Woodson, Arthur W., House	9-5-91
91001212 Woodson, Dalton, House	9-5-91
91001291 Wright, Avanell, House 91001284 Wright, Jim. Farmstead Historic District	9-5-91
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REQUESTED ACTION: RESUBMISSION

PROPERTY

Thompson House

NAME:

MULTIPLE White County MPS

NAME:

STATE & COUNTY: ARKANSAS, White

DATE RECEIVED:

6/23/92

DATE OF 16TH DAY:

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DETAILED EVALUATION: Y

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ABSTRACT/SUMMARY COMMENTS:

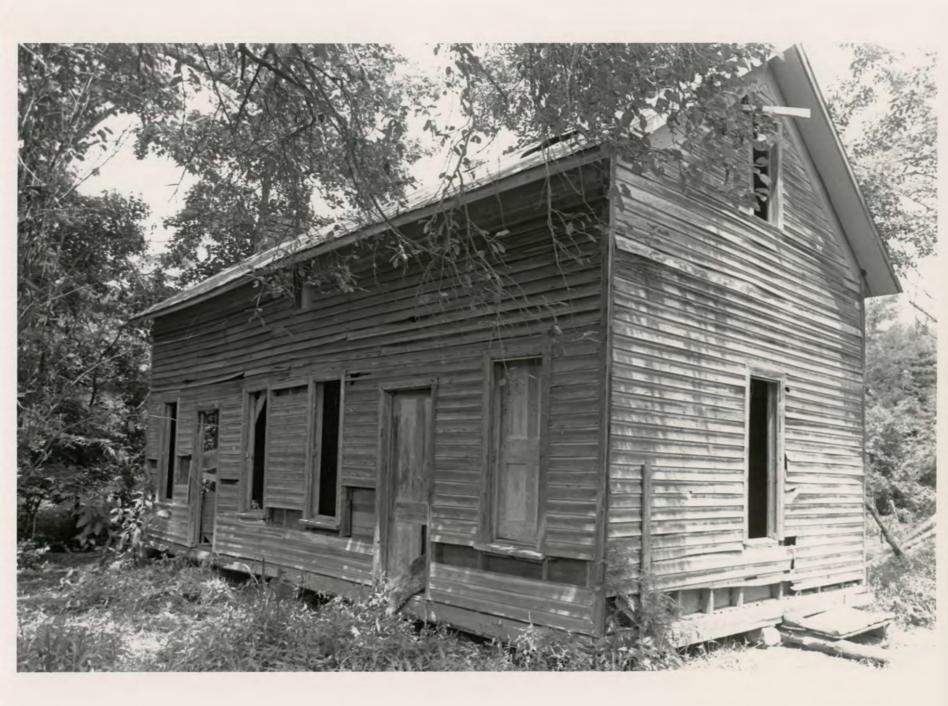
Good example, though somewhat deteriorated, of an ell-plan, 1/2 story vernactder house, constructed about 1890.

Concerns roised in earlier return have been addressed.

RECOM./CRITERIA DISCIPLINE

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

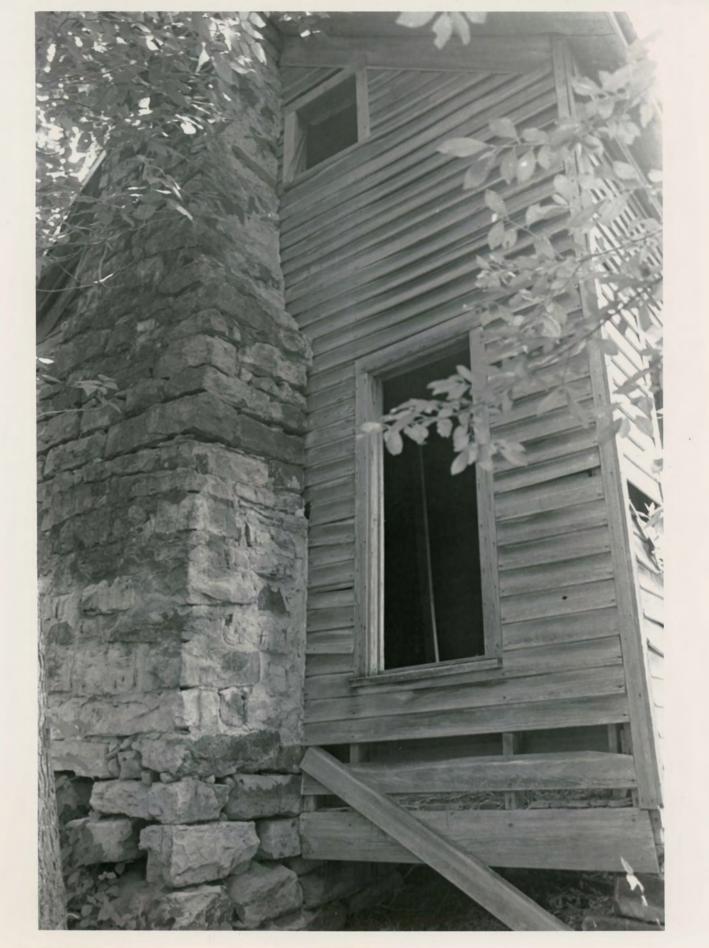
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