

United States Department of the Interior
National Park Service

National Register of Historic Places
Inventory—Nomination Form

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See instructions in *How to Complete National Register Forms*
Type all entries—complete applicable sections

1. Name

historic "Westwood"

and/or common "Westwood"

2. Location

street & number Alabama Highway 61 NA not for publication

city, town Uniontown vicinity of Congressional District: 7th

state Alabama code 01 county Perry code 105

3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use
<input type="checkbox"/> district	<input type="checkbox"/> public	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> occupied	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> building(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private	<input type="checkbox"/> unoccupied	<input type="checkbox"/> commercial
<input type="checkbox"/> structure	<input type="checkbox"/> both	<input type="checkbox"/> work in progress	<input type="checkbox"/> educational
<input type="checkbox"/> site	Public Acquisition	Accessible	<input type="checkbox"/> entertainment
<input type="checkbox"/> object	<input type="checkbox"/> in process	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes: restricted	<input type="checkbox"/> government
	<input type="checkbox"/> being considered	<input type="checkbox"/> yes: unrestricted	<input type="checkbox"/> industrial
	<u>NA</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> military
			<input type="checkbox"/> museum
			<input type="checkbox"/> park
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private residence
			<input type="checkbox"/> religious
			<input type="checkbox"/> scientific
			<input type="checkbox"/> transportation
			<input type="checkbox"/> other:

4. Owner of Property

name Ellis B. Long

street & number 11002 Hammerly, #160

city, town Houston vicinity of _____ state Texas 77043

5. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. Perry County Courthouse, Probate Office

street & number Washington Street

city, town Marion state Alabama

6. Representation in Existing Surveys

title Historic American Buildings Survey has this property been determined eligible? yes no

date 1935 federal state county local

depository for survey records Library of Congress

city, town Washington state D.C.

7. Description

Condition

excellent deteriorated
 good ruins
 fair unexposed

Check one

unaltered
 altered

Check one

original site
 moved date _____

Describe the present and original (if known) physical appearance

8. Significance

Period	Areas of Significance—Check and justify below			
<input type="checkbox"/> prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/> archeology-prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/> community planning	<input type="checkbox"/> landscape architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> religion
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400–1499	<input type="checkbox"/> archeology-historic	<input type="checkbox"/> conservation	<input type="checkbox"/> law	<input type="checkbox"/> science
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500–1599	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> economics	<input type="checkbox"/> literature	<input type="checkbox"/> sculpture
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600–1699	<input type="checkbox"/> architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> education	<input type="checkbox"/> military	<input type="checkbox"/> social/ humanitarian
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700–1799	<input type="checkbox"/> art	<input type="checkbox"/> engineering	<input type="checkbox"/> music	<input type="checkbox"/> theater
<input type="checkbox"/> 1800–1899	<input type="checkbox"/> commerce	<input type="checkbox"/> exploration/settlement	<input type="checkbox"/> philosophy	<input type="checkbox"/> transportation
<input type="checkbox"/> 1900–	<input type="checkbox"/> communications	<input type="checkbox"/> industry	<input type="checkbox"/> politics/government	<input type="checkbox"/> other (specify)
		<input type="checkbox"/> invention		

Specific dates

Builder/Architect

Statement of Significance (in one paragraph)

9. Major Bibliographical References

Alabama Portraits Prior to 1870. Compiled for the National Society of the Colonial Dames of America in the State of Alabama. Gill Printing and Stationery Co., Inc.: Mobile 1969.
 Barnett, Frank Willis. "Pitts Folly One of Ante-bellum Homes Around Uniontown Which Writer Describes", The Birmingham News - Age-Herald, Jan. 24, 1932

(see continuation sheet)

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of nominated property 97 acres

Quadrangle name Uniontown West, Ala.

Quadrangle scale 1:24000

UTM References

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 Zone Easting Northing

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Verbal boundary description and justification

See continuation sheet

List all states and counties for properties overlapping state or county boundaries

state	NA	code	county	code
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11. Form Prepared By

name/title Expansion of Boundary - Ellen Mertins

organization Alabama Historical Commission

date February 10, 1984

street & number 725 Monroe Street

telephone 205 261-3184

city or town Montgomery

state Alabama

12. State Historic Preservation Officer Certification

The evaluated significance of this property within the state is:

national state local

As the designated State Historic Preservation 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.

State Historic Preservation Officer signature

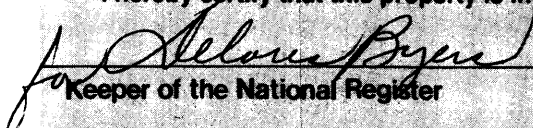


title State Historic Preservation Officer

date February 10, 1984

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

for 
 Keeper of the National Register

date

3/15/84

Attest:

date

Chief of Registration

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BOUNDARY EXPANSION

Westwood was listed on the National Register in 1974 with 10 acres of land and the standing outbuildings immediately associated with it. Expansion will include all of the original plantation still owned by the family on the eastern side of Highway 61. This encompasses approximately 97 acres and contains the remains of early outbuildings as well as a garden site and an early brick railroad trestle associated with the builder of the house.

Archaeological remains at site #2 consist of pearl-ware pottery and probably indicate the site of slave quarters contemporary with the house. The trestle (site #1) was constructed for the Uniontown-Newbern spur of the Alabama and Mississippi Rivers Railroad during the Civil War and is a good example of period engineering. Brick arches were not commonly used in the Black Belt for railroad construction during this period. Site number 11 contains foundations of numerous support buildings that appear to be contemporary with the main house and include storage sheds, privies, a well house and animal pens.

Attached is a map showing the area to be included in the nomination and a key to the sites not included in the existing nomination.

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DuBose, John Witherspoon. "Chronicles of the Canebrake", The Alabama Historical Quarterly, Vol. 9, No. 4. State Department of Archives & History.

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All that tract or parcel of land lying East of Alabama Highway 61 and being part of the following described real estate situated in Perry County, Alabama:

A tract of land described as all that part of East half of Northwest quarter; the Northeast quarter of Southwest quarter, and West half of Northeast quarter of Section 7, which lies East of the right-of-way of the old Newbern and Uniontown Railroad, excepting therefrom a strip of land containing 20 acres off the East side of said West half of Northeast quarter; also a tract or parcel of land containing 22 acres, more or less, in the Northwest corner of the Northwest quarter of Southeast quarter of Section 7, described as commencing in the Northwest corner of Northwest quarter of Southeast quarter of said Section 7, thence South 17 chains, thence East 10 chains, thence North 7 chains, thence East 5 chains, thence North 10 chains, thence West 15 chains to the point of beginning, all in Township 17 North, Range 6 East;

said tract or parcel containing approximately 82 acres, more or less; AND all that tract or parcel of land lying East of Alabama Highway 61 and being part of the following described real estate situated in Perry County, Alabama:

All that portion of the East half of the Northwest quarter of Section 7 that lies west of the right-of-way of the Old Uniontown and Newbern Railroad, all in Township 17 North, Range 6 East;

said tract or parcel containing approximately 15 acres, more or less; the total of the two above-described tracts of land lying East of Alabama Highway 61 being approximately 97 acres, more or less.