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SEE INSTRUCTIONS IN HOW TO COMPLETE NATIONAL REGISTER FORMS TYPE ALL ENTRIES -- COMPLETE APPLICABLE SECTIONS 1 NAME ** HISTORIC Judge C. D. Meade House AND/OR COMMON LOCATION STREET & NUMBER 106 West Prospect St NOT FOR PUBLICATION CITY, TOWN CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT Pierre No. 2 VICINITY OF STATE CODE COUNTY CODE South Dakota 046 Huahes 065 CLASSIFICATION **CATEGORY OWNERSHIP STATUS PRESENT USE** __DISTRICT _PUBLIC X OCCUPIED __AGRICULTURE __MUSEUM **XBUILDING(S)** X_PRIVATE _UNOCCUPIED __COMMERCIAL __PARK __STRUCTURE _вотн WORK IN PROGRESS __EDUCATIONAL X PRIVATE RESIDENCE _SITE **PUBLIC ACQUISITION ACCESSIBLE** __ENTERTAINMENT __RELIGIOUS __OBJECT _IN PROCESS _YES: RESTRICTED __GOVERNMENT __SCIENTIFIC __BEING CONSIDERED ___YES: UNRESTRICTED __INDUSTRIAL __TRANSPORTATION X_{NO} __MILITARY __OTHER: OWNER OF PROPERTY Judge Pat McKeever STREET & NUMBER 106 West Prospect CITY, TOWN STATE Pierre VICINITY OF South Dakota 57501 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC. Hughes County Courthouse STREET & NUMBER STATE CITY, TOWN Pierre South Dakota REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS South Dakota Historic Sites Survey DATE April 1976 __FEDERAL _XSTATE __COUNTY __LOCAL DEPOSITORY FOR **SURVEY RECORDS** Historical Preservation Center STATE CITY, TOWN



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DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The two and one-half story C.D. Meade House is a combination of a Queen Anne design with numerous classical elements. Meade had it constructed in 1882 and between 1908 and 1910 had an additional half story and a rear extension added. These changes were done in sympathy to the house's original appearance and the architectural firm was J. H. Daverman and Son of Grand Rapids, Michigan. The home has a good corner lot location which it shares with a two story carriage barn.

The structure employs narrow clapboard for facing, asphalt shingles on an irregular gable roof, and a polychrome cut stone foundation. This type of rock also appears in a wall which supports a high terraced landscape; it was left in this area by the moraine of a glacier. Topping the structure are two single stack brick chimneys with one strudding the ridge at the center of the house and the other on the rear gable. A large gabled and small hipped roof dormers also adorn the house.

Dividing the gable ends from the main portion of the house are pent roofs which also use asphalt shingles for covering. The second floor's main features are a balcony on the front facade and a screened in summer sleeping porch at the right rear corner of the house. Also, a slight bay window appears offset to the front facades right side.

The first floor has a large front porch with four thick attenuated Doric columns that rest on two foot tall stone bulwarks. The remaining portion of the porch is more Victorian than classical. However, a small entry way to the right or south facade is much more classic with two Doric columns supporting on pediment. Other features on the first level include bay windows on each side, a front door with side lights and a rear entrance.

The windows are for the most part rectangular shape and one of two sizes. These openings are grouped in either two's or three's and are of the two sash type and are double hung. The front doors offset to the left.

Interiorly there are fourteen rooms with probably the most interesting a period (1910) bathroom; these rooms are one of the first to be remodeled. Red oak appears as the first floor's wood trim and floors, while Georgia pine is used on the second. Other features include a vestibule seat, numerous other attached benches, a china closet and a nickle-plated fireplace.

8 SIGNIFICANCE

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1500-1599	AGRICULTURE	ECONOMICS	LITERATURE	SCULPTURE	
1600-1699	X ARCHITECTURE	EDUCATION	MILITARY	SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN	
1700-1799	ART	ENGINEERING	MUSIC	THEATER	
_X 1800-1899	COMMERCE	EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	PHILOSOPHY	_TRANSPORTATION	
_X 1900-	COMMUNICATIONS	INDUSTRY INVENTION	POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	OTHER (SPECIFY)	
SPECIFIC DAT	ES 1882, 1908-1910	BUILDER/ARC	HITECT J. H. Daverman	& Son, Architects	

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Judge Corwin D. Meade House is one of the state capital's most important architectural residences because it reflects the gradual shift from Victorian to Neoclassical design that occurred in the early twentieth century. Shortly after Pierre became the permanent capital city, many houses were built. In the case of the Meade house, it was a substantial addition done around 1908. These changes are hardly noticeable and merely endorsed the home. The home became more Neo-classic in appearance but retained a definite Queen Anne appearance. It is definitely one of the city's more architecturally important houses.

An important reason the house has not undergone any major alterations or modernizations since 1908 is that only two families have owned it. The original occupants were the Judge Corwin D. Meade family; he was a county judge, a prominent attorney and realtor. Meade died in the 1920's at which time his unmarried daughter became the owner. She lived in the house until her death in 1971. Two years later, the house was sold to another judge, this time from the circuit court, Judge Pat McKeever.

Both sets of owners have showed consideration to this building's character. This has helped maintain the residence as one of Pierre's architecturally finest houses.

9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

McKeever, Judge and Mrs. Pat, Pierre, South Dakota, personal interview April 30, 1976 with Scott Gerloff.

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