

# ARIZONA STATE HISTORIC PROPERTY INVENTORY

### IDENTIFICATION

Wickenburg Historic  
 SURVEY AREA NAME: Resource Survey  
 HISTORIC NAME: Jacobs House  
 ADDRESS/LOCATION: 355 N. Jefferson  
 CITY/TOWN: Wickenburg, Arizona (less 1 acre)  
 TAX PARCEL NUMBER: 505-48-127, 128, 129  
 OWNER: Ernest E. Armstrong; Luis T. and Jennie O. Urquides  
 OWNER ADDRESS: P.O. Box 1931  
Wickenburg, AZ 85358  
 HISTORIC USE: residence  
 PRESENT USE: residence  
 BUILDING TYPE: house  
 STYLE: Neo-Colonial  
 CONSTRUCTION DATE: c.1908  
 ARCHITECT/BUILDER: unknown  
 INTEGRITY: unaltered/ original site  
 CONDITION: fair

COUNTY: Maricopa SURVEY SITE: 2-19  
 USGS QUAD: Wickenburg  
 T 7N R 5W S 12 / NW 1/4 OF THE NW 1/4  
 UTM 12-339800-3759920

### Description (contd.)

ROOF TYPE: hip with flared eaves  
 ROOF SHEATHING: asphalt shingles  
 EAVES TREATMENT: exposed rafters  
 WINDOWS: 6/6 wood double hung  
 ENTRY: corner  
 PORCHES: recessed, screened veranda - corner entry  
 STOREFRONTS: N/A

### DESCRIPTION

STORIES: 1 DIMENSIONS: (l) 40 (w) 25  
 STRUCTURAL MATERIAL: frame  
 FOUNDATION MATERIAL: cobblestone  
 WALL SHEATHING: clapboard  
 APPLIED ORNAMENT: \_\_\_\_\_

NOTABLE INTERIOR: unknown  
 OUTBUILDINGS: two noncontributing sheds at rear  
 ALTERATIONS: rear porch enclosed

### PHOTOGRAPH

PHOTOGRAPHER: Jim Woodward

### SKETCH MAP:



ADDITIONAL DESCRIPTION/ANALYSIS (annotated form):

Verbal boundary description. Lot 14, 15, 16 Block 5 Collins Addition

SIGNIFICANCE:

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE: COMMERCE \_\_\_ COMMUNITY PLANNING \_\_\_ ECONOMICS \_\_\_  
EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT \_\_\_ GOVERNMENTAL \_\_\_ MILITARY \_\_\_ RELIGION \_\_\_ SCIENCE \_\_\_  
THEATRE \_\_\_ TRANSPORTATION \_\_\_ TOURISM \_\_\_ OTHER(specify) Architecture

HISTORIC ASSOCIATIONS (be concise):

PROMINENT OCCUPANT/HISTORIC ASSOCIATION(S) Built as residence for J.B. Jacobs.

RELATIONSHIP TO LOCAL DEVELOPMENT

CULTURAL AFFILIATIONS

ARCHITECTURAL STYLE Best representative of the early Transitional style of architecture  
from Neo-Colonial to Bungalow.

MAJOR ARCH. FORM/MATERIAL

ENGINEERING/STRUCTURAL

DISTRICT/STREETScape CONTRIBUTION

DISCUSSION AS REQUIRED:

See MRA text, Item 7, p. 5.

The Jacobs house exemplifies initial transition in house design from the Neo-Colonial style (hip roof) to the later Bungalow style, evidenced by the appearance of elements such as an open soffit and exposed rafters.

CONTEXT: ISOLATED/RURAL \_\_\_ RESIDENTIAL STREET <sup>X</sup> COMMERCIAL \_\_\_ CENTRAL SQUARE \_\_\_  
CBD: \_\_\_ OTHER: \_\_\_

BIBLIOGRAPHY/SOURCES:

1909 Maricopa County Assessor's Records

1915, 1931 Sanborn Fire Insurance Maps

Personal recollections, Anna Purdy, Wickenburg, Arizona, June 1985

LISTING IN OTHER SURVEYS:

NATIONAL REGISTER STATUS:

LISTED \_\_\_ DETERMINED ELIGIBLE \_\_\_ DETERMINED NOT ELIGIBLE \_\_\_ NOT EVALUATED \_\_\_

COMMENTS/DEVELOPMENT PLANS/THREATS:

SURVEYOR J. Woodward SURVEY DATE January 1985 DATE FORM COMPLETED June 1985