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INTENSIVE SURVEY FORM Historic Preservation Division State Historical Society of Wisconsin

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City, Village or Town: City of Wauwatosa

County: Milwaukee

Surveyor: Virginia A. Palmer

Date: May 27, 1985

Street Address: 6839 Cedar Street, originally noted as 233 Cedar Street

USGS Quad and UTM Reference: 16/418820/4765600

Acreage: less than 1

Current Name & Use: private residence

Current Owner: Janet M. Jelinek

Film Roll No.

Negative No.

Facade Orient.

Affix Contact Prints

Current Owner's Address: 6839 Cedar Street

Legal Description: Lot 6, Block 2, Aetna Park Subdivision of the N.W. ¼ of S 27, T 7 N, R 21 E, City of Wauwatosa,

Street: Cedar Street

Number: 6839

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Original Name & Use: H.R. Davis home — Source: A

Dates of Construction/Alteration: 1924 — Source: A

Architect and/or Builder: Arnold F. Meyer & Company, Inc. — Source: A

Previous Owners	Dates	Uses	Source

Town: 7 N

Range: 21 E

Section: 27

Map Name: Milwaukee Quadrangle

Map Code: 7.5 minute

3 Architectural Significance

- ○ Represents work of a master
- ○ Possesses high artistic values
- ⊗ Represents a type, period, or method of construction
- ○ Engineering
- ○ None

Architectural Description and Significance:

This 1½ story Flagg System house has exterior walls of Tennessee quartzite. It is L shaped and faces north. Window and door openings are symmetrical. There is a steep gable composition roof. There are 3½ pairs of ridge dormers, four shed dormers, and two chimneys with distinctive round openings. The glassed-in porch at the front entrance has a shed roof. The original garage with hip roof is attached to the house but a larger garage was builtlater which is not a significant part of this nomination. There is a stone fireplace in the living room

Interior visited? ⊗ Yes ○ No (over)

4 Historical Significance

- ○ Assoc. with lives of significant persons
- ○ Assoc. with significant historical events
- ○ Assoc. with development of a locality
- ○ Other: _____
- ⊗ None Period of significance: _____

Historical Background and Significance:

5 Sources of Information (Reference to Above)

A Building Inspectors office City Wauwatosa

B

C

D

E

F

6 Representation in Previous Surveys

○ HABS ○ LDMK ⊗ WIHP ○ NRHP _____ ○ other:

7 Condition

⊗ excellent ○ good ○ fair ○ poor ○ ruins

8 District: _____

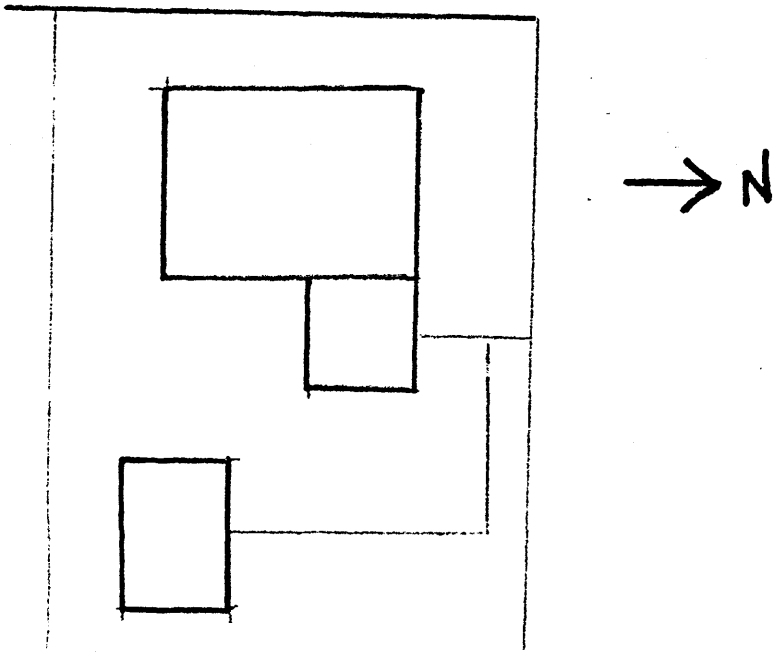
○ pivotal ○ contributing ○ non-contributing

9 Opinion of National Register Eligibility

date: _____ initials: _____

○ eligible ○ not eligible ○ unknown

○ national ○ state ○ local

and casement windows open inward. There is a partial basement and laundry room on the first floor. The bathroom floor is one step above the level of the hallway on the second floor. Storage space is in a walk-in attic on the second floor.

This house is architecturally significant because it is one of a group of stone masonry houses built by Arnold F. Meyer & Company, Inc. according to the construction methods of Ernest Flagg. It is also significant because it resembles the house illustrated on plate 20B in Flagg's book on small houses and the house at 1913 E. Olive Street.