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NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES REGISTRATION FORM



NAT. REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE
This form is for use in nominating or requesting determinations for individual properties and districts. See instructions in How to Complete the National
Register of Historic Places Registration Form (National Register Bulletin 16A). Complete each item by marking "x" in the appropriate box or by entering the
information requested. If any item does not apply to the property being documented, enter "N/A" for "not applicable." For functions, architectural classification,
materials, and areas of significance, enter only categories and subcategories from the instructions. Place additional entries and narrative items on continuation
sheets (NPS Form 10-900a). Use a typewriter, word processor, or computer, to complete all items.

1. Name of Property
historic name <u>Charles A. Barber Farmstead (boundary increase)</u>
other names/site number <u>C. A. Barber's Percheron Farm</u>
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street & number <u>1/2 mile west of Lily, South Dakota</u> not for publication city or town <u>Lily</u> vicinity <u>X</u> state <u>South Dakota</u> code <u>SD</u> county <u>Day</u> code <u>037</u> zip code <u>57250</u>
3. State/Federal Agency Certification
As the designated authority under the National Historic Preservation Act of 1986, as amended, I hereby certify tha _x nomination request for determination of eligibility meets the documentation standards for registering properties in the National Register of Historic Places and meets the procedural and professional requirements set 36 CFR Part 60. In my opinion, the property _x_ meets does not meet the National Register Criteria. I recommend that this property be considered significant nationally statewide _x_ locally. (See continues for additional comments.)
Jan D. Voat 09-16-96
Signature discertifying official Date SD SHPO
State or Federal agency and bureau
n my opinion, the property meets does not meet the National Register criteria. (See continuation for additional comments.)
Signature of commenting or other official Date

name of property_C. A. Barber Farmstead (Boundary increase) cou	inty and state Day, SD
4. National Park Service Certification	
I, hereby certify that this property is: entered in the National Register See continuation sheet determined eligible for the National Register See continuation sheet determined not eligible for the National Register removed from the National Register removed from the National Register	O.24.96 Entered in the National Register
other (explain):	
Signature of Keeper Date of Action	
5. Classification	=======================================
Ownership of Property (Check as many boxes as apply)	
Number of Resources within Property	
Contributing Noncontributing buildings sites structures objects Total	
Number of contributing resources previously listed in the National Register <u>5</u> Name of related multiple property listing (Enter "N/A" if property is not part listing.) N/A	of a multiple property

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6. Function or Use	
Historic Functions (Enter categories	from instructions)
	Sub: storage
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Current Functions (Enter categories	from instructions)
Cat: <u>Agriculture</u>	Sub: <u>storage</u>
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7. Description	
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Architectural Classification (Enter ca	tegories from instructions)
No style	
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Materials (Enter categories from inst	ructions)
foundation <u>Stone</u>	idetions)
roof <u>asphalt</u>	
walls wood	
other	

name of property_C. A. Barber Farmstead (Boundary increase) county and state Day, SD

Narrative Description (Describe the historic and current condition of the property on one or more continuation sheets.)

name of pr	operty_C. A. Barber Farmstead (Boundary increase) county and state Day, SD
	nt of Significance
Applicable	National Register Criteria (Mark "x" in one or more boxes for the criteria qualifying the National Register listing)
X_A	Property is associated with events that have made a significant contribution to the broad patterns of our history.
B	Property is associated with the lives of persons significant in our past.
<u>x</u> c	Property embodies the distinctive characteristics of a type, period, or method of construction or represents the work of a master, or possesses high artistic values, or represents a significant and distinguishable entity whose components lack individual distinction.
D	Property has yielded, or is likely to yield information important in prehistory or history.
Criteria Cor	nsiderations (Mark "X" in all the boxes that apply.)
A	owned by a religious institution or used for religious purposes.
B	removed from its original location.
C	a birthplace or a grave.
D	a cemetery.
E	a reconstructed building, object,or structure.
F	a commemorative property.
G	less than 50 years of age or achieved significance within the past 50 years.
Areas of Sig	Agriculture Commerce
Period of Sig	gnificance1915-45

Significant Dates	<u>1915</u>
Significant Persor	n (Complete if Criterion B is marked above) n/a
Cultural Affiliation	n/a
Architect/Builder	Charles A. Barber
Narrative Stateme continuation shee	ent of Significance (Explain the significance of the property on one or more ts.)
9. M ajor Bibliogra	phical References
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preliminary de requested. previously list previously de designated a recorded by h	ntation on file (NPS) etermination of individual listing (36 CFR 67) has been ted in the National Register termined eligible by the National Register National Historic Landmark Historic American Buildings Survey #
Primary Location o State Historic Other State a Federal agen	Preservation Office gency

name of property_C. A. Barber Farmstead (Boundary increase) county and state Day, SD

Name of repository: Mrs. Alice J. Duerre, 427 West 7th Ave., Webster, SD 57274

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10. Geographical Data
Acreage of Property <u>less than one acre</u>
UTM References (Place additional UTM references on a continuation sheet)
Zone Easting Northing Zone Easting Northing 1 14 602800 5003650 3 2 4 USGS Map Mina SE See continuation sheet.
Verbal Boundary Description (Describe the boundaries of the property on a continuation sheet.)
Boundary Justification (Explain why the boundaries were selected on a continuation sheet.) ===================================
name/title C. William Duerre with technical assistance from the SHPO Staff organization date Aug. 7, 1995 street & number 6401 Recreation Lane telephone (w) 703/691-0555 city or town Falls Church state VA zip code 22041-1216
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Submit the following items with the completed form:
Continuation Sheets

Maps

A USGS map (7.5 or 15 minute series)indicating the property's location.

A sketch map for historic districts and properties having large acreage or numerous resources. Photographs

Representative black and white photographs of the property.

Additional items (Check with the SHPO or FPO for any additional items)

name o	f property_C.	A. Barber	Farmstead	(Boundary	increase 	e) county	and	state	Day,	SD
Proper	ty Owner									
	this item at the request Mrs. Alice J.		FPO.)							
street 8	& number <u>427</u>	7 West 7th	Avenue		telep	ohone 605/3	45-40)16		
city or	town Webste	r		st	ate_SD	_ zip code _5	7274	<u> </u>		
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Physical Description

The Barber Framstead grain elevator was built in 1915. It is approximately 40 feet in height including the 10-foot cupola. Capacity of the elevator is 12,000 bushels. It is constructed of wood with a concrete foundation. The exterior is constructed of lathe siding. The interior grain bins are built of 2" X 4" fir cribbing. The roof has asphalt shingles.

The structure faces the road to the north. The farmstead is located north of the farmstead. The two lean-to additions extend, construction date unknown, on the east side of the elevator. The larger lean-to has two swinging doors at both the north and south sides of the building allowing wagons and vehicles to enter and exit as a pass-through to unload grain. A floor scale weighed the wagon or vehicle; just below the floor scales is a pit where grain was dumped. By manually cranking a wheel, the 'arm' in the floor tilted upwards and raised the wagon, expediting the unloading process; there is no hydraulic hoist.

Adjacent to the drive-through area is a small office where scales were read and the grain load weight was recorded prior to storing. Steps lead down to the second lean-to that served as a large shed which houses the engine room and a storage shed for farm implements. This lean-to has a main and rear entrance; the main entrance has a pair of swinging doors similar to those used in the drive-through section of the elevator.

Grain was stored in the elevator's four main bins. Grain was elevated from the pit using a 'leg' containing a series of 'cups' that extended to the top of the elevator. The 'leg' was powered by a belt-driven gasoline engine. When the grain reached the top of the 'leg' run, a spout was manually directed to one of the four bins. The spout was situated on a platform. This area was reached by climbing a full-height ladder attached to an interior wall adjacent to the 'leg' housing.

There are two overhead bins in addition to the four main bins. The overhead bins were used to facilitate moving grain within the elevator or loading grain into vehicles when ready to remove and sell. A ground-level sliding door is located on the west side of the elevator. A cleaning mill occupied the area just inside this door. The original equipment and the structure remains intact as a reminder of early 20th century farm operations.

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Statement of increase

The Granary is historically significant to the Barber Farmstead for its role it played on the farmstead. The granary allowed the Barbers to expand their operation on the farm. It was not included in the original nomination due to the fact that property was divided between owners.

Historical background and significance

The grain elevator was built in 1915 on the farmstead of Charles A. Barber, an early pioneer who arrived in South Dakota with his parents and two brothers in 1884. His father, Franklin, homesteaded in Day County that year, building a small house that still stands just 100 yards from the site of where the grain elevator now stands. In 1895, a German carpenter led a crew that built a large barn, including a basement and corral, that sheltered cattle and horses on the Barber farm for the following 65 years.

In 1901, Charles Barber married and built a home that year for himself and his bride, Minnie Belle Connell. The Barbers resided in their home for 61 years. It is presently occupied by family members and has been restored to its original design.

As Mr. Barber's farm flourished, it became known as the C. A. Barber Percheron Farm. His seven quarters of land were used for growing small grain crops and raising livestock including Percheron horses. In 1915, Mr. Barber built a grain elevator approximately 200 yards south of his home. Few farms in Day County have grain elevators of this size. Although originally built to accommodate horse drawn grain wagons, the elevator was later used by grain trucks well into 1970s. The elevator was equipped with scales to weigh the grain; a lift mechanism that lowered grain wagons to ease emptying the load; and belt-driven "cups" to carry the grain from the pit to the grain bins. In most respects it was similar to the commercial grain elevator found in the rural towns in the area. The original equipment and the structure are reminders of early 20th century farm operations.

The granary is located within the original boundaries of the farmstead. The original farmstead National Register nomination boundaries did not include the granary because it was owned by a different person. The granary is south of a road, dividing it from the rest of the farmstead site, but it was originally an integral part of the farmstead and should be included with the C. A. Barber Farmstead National Register Listing.

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Verbal Boundary Description

NW quarter of Sec. 28; Twp. 120 (York); N. of Range 57; W. of 5th PM; Day CO., South Dakota.

Boundary Justification

The boundary lines are to include all property historically part of the property.

Bibliographical Reference

Lampert Lumber Company, Lumber and Coal, invoice bill, 1915.