National Register of Historic Places Continuation Sheet

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		SUPPLEMENTARY	LISTING	RECORD		
NRIS Referen	ce Number:	97001567	Date	Listed:	1/5/98	

Bringhurst, William and Ann, House Utah UTAH Property Name County State

Springville MPS
Multiple Name

This property is listed in the National Register of Historic Places in accordance with the attached nomination documentation subject to the following exceptions, exclusions, or amendments, notwithstanding the National Park Service certification included in the nomination documentation.

Amended Items in Nomination:

Section No. 8

This nomination is amended to delete Social History as an area of significance, because the elaborate design of this house is not typical of the early houses in the city and does not really demonstrate the simplicity and self-sufficiency said to be characteristic of this early period. The period of significance is modified to end in 1883, when the death of William Bringhurst ended the association of the house with the period of early settlement.

These changes have been confirmed with the Utah SHPO.

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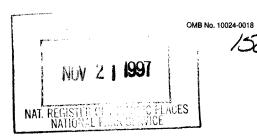
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United States Department of the Interior National Park Service

historic name Bringhurst, William and Ann, House

National Register of Historic Places Registration Form



This form is for use in nominating or requesting determinations of eligibility for individual properties or districts. See instructions in *How to Complete the National Register of Historic Places Form* (National Register Bulletin 16A). Complete each item by marking "x" in the appropriate box or by entering the information requested. If an 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.

reet & number <u>306 S. 200 West</u>		<u>N/A</u> no	t for publication
ty or town Springville			N/A vicinity
ate <u>Utah</u> code <u>UT</u> county <u>Utah</u>	code		
State/Federal Agency Certification			
As the designated authority under the National nomination _request for determination of eligibithe National Register of Historic Places and me CFR Part 60. In my opinion, the property _x me that this property be considered significant _na additional comments.) Signature of certifying official/Title Da	lity meets the documentation states the procedural and profession ets _does not meet the National tionally _statewide _X_locally	ndards for registering nal requirements set fo Register criteria. I re (See continuation sh	properties in orth in 36 commend eet for
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State or Federal agency and bureau National Park Service Certification 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.		Date of Action	
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Ownership of Property	Category of Property	Number of Resources within Proper	tv					
(Check as many boxes as apply)	(Check only one box)	(Do not include previously listed resources in the count.)						
X private	<u>x</u> building(s)	Contributing Noncontributing						
_ public-local	district	1	_ buildings					
_ public-State	site		_ sites					
_ public-Federal	structure		_ structures					
	object		_ objects					
		0	_ Total					
Name of related multiple pro (Enter "N/A" if property is not part of a	· ·	Number of contributing resources p the National Register	reviously listed in					
Historic Resources of Springy	rille City	N/A	N/A					
6. Function or Use								
Historic Functions (Enter categories from instruc	tions)	Current Functions (Enter categories from instructions)						
DOMESTIC: single dwelling		DOMESTIC: single dwelling						
	AMERICAN PROGRAMMENT AND							
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7. Description								
Architectural Classification (Enter categories from instruc	tions) (Enter categories from instructions)	Materials ons)						
MID-19TH CENTURY: Gree	k Revival	foundation STONE						
		walls ADOBE (w/ stucco coating)						
		roof ASPHALT						
		other						

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

Springville, Utah County, Utah City, County, and State

Bringhurst, William and Ann, House Name of Property

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Applio (Mark	atement of Significance cable National Register Criteria "x" on one or more lines for the criteria ring the property for National Register listing.)	Areas of Significance (Enter categories from instructions)
<u> </u>	Property is associated with events that have	SOCIAL HISTORY
	made a significant contribution to the broad	EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT
	patterns of our history.	ARCHITECTURE
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	Period of Significance
	represents the work of a master, or possesses	1856-1940s
	high artistic values, or represents a	
	significant and distinguishable entity whose	the state of the s
	components lack individual distinction.	Significant Dates
_ D	Property has yielded, or is likely to yield,	1856, c. 1895
	information important in prehistory or history.	
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Prope	"x" on all that apply.) rty is:	Significant Person (Complete if Criterion B is marked above)
_ A	owned by a religious institution or used for	N/A
	religious purposes.	Cultural Affiliation
_в	removed from its original location.	N/A
c	a birthplace or grave.	
_ D	a cemetery.	
E	a reconstructed building, object, or	Architect/Builder
	structure.	Solomon D. Chase (Architect/Builder)
_F	a commemorative property.	Thomas Tew, George B. Matson,
_G	less than 50 years of age or achieved	William Mendenhall, James Oakley (Builders)
	significance within the past 50 years.	
	ative Statement of Significance in the significance of the property on one or more contin	uation sheets.)
		\underline{X} See continuation sheet(s) for Section No. 8
9. Ma	ijor Bibliographical References	
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10. Geographical Data

Acreage of	property	0.44 acres
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Verbal Boundary Description

(Describe the boundaries of the property.)

Beginning at NE cor. of Lot 4, Blk. 7, Plat A, Springville City Survey; W 109 ft., S 176 ft., E 109 ft., N 176 ft., to beg.

Property Tax No. 06:007:0011:004

See continuation sheet(s) for Section No. 10

Boundary Justification

(Explain why the boundaries were selected.)

The boundaries include the city lot that has historically been associated with the property.

_ See continuation sheet(s) for Section No. 10

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11. Form Prepared By

name/title Nelson W. Knight, Architectural Historian

organization Smith Balle Hyatt Architects/Springville CLG date March 1997

street & number 845 South Main St. telephone (801) 298-1666

city or town Bountiful state UT zip code 84010

Additional Documentation

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/or 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.)

Property Owner 1975 Table 1988 The State of the Property Owner 1975 Table 1988 The Property Owner 1975 Table 1988 Table 1

 name
 Leo A. & Lillian B. Crandall

 street & number
 306 S. 200 West
 telephone
 (801) 489-5190

 city or town
 Springville
 state
 UT
 zip code
 84663

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Estimated Burden Statement: Public reporting burden for this form is estimated to average 18.1 hours per response including time for reviewing instructions, gathering and maintaining data, and completing and reviewing the form. Direct comments regarding this burden estimate or any aspect of this form to the Chief, Administrative Services Division, National Park Service, P.O. Box 37127, Washington, DC 20013-7127; and the Office of Management and Budget, Paperwork Reductions Projects (1024-0018), Washington, DC 20503.

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Narrative Description

The 1856 William and Ann Bringhurst House is a two story, Greek Revival style, hall-parlor with rear cross wing form house. Additions include a c.1895 addition to the cross wing and a 1955 addition to the southwest of the original house. The house is located on a residential block in Springville on a fully landscaped yard with lawn and mature trees.

The walls are adobe, coated with stucco, sitting atop a sandstone foundation. Gable roofs cover the main section and cross wing of the house. The roof of the main section is pierced with two interior end chimneys, while the cross wing has an exterior end chimney at its west end. Windows on the 1856 section are four-over-four pane double hung type; they appear to be original, though many panes have been replaced.

A full-width, two-story porch is the most prominent feature of the front facade. The porch has wood chamfered posts spaced evenly along its length, with a wood balustrade around the second story spaced in between the columns. The balustrade does not appear to be original construction.

Greek Revival stylistic elements are prominent on the exterior of the building, including quoins on the corners of the house, a raking cornice on the gable ends, cornice returns (also on the small shed roof sheltering the front porch), and Greek inspired window heads.

The interior of the house remains intact, with little modification except for the addition of doorways to the new west additions. The floor plan remains original, as does the staircase to the second floor. Floor joists, exposed in some parts of the house, are red pine logs milled to a half-round shape. Plaster on the walls is original, as is the hand-grained woodwork.

The enclosed south porch and one-and-a-half story extension to the cross wing, built c.1895, has a gable-roofed addition and a triangular dormer on the north and south faces of the roof, as well as a north door sheltered by a small gabled porch supported by timber brackets. Another addition, of cinder block construction with a flat roof, was built west of the 1856 house in 1955. This addition serves as a garage and storage space, and adjoins a wood framed, flat roofed, open carport to the north. The massing and location of this out-of-period addition separates it visually from the 1856 main house, and thus does not detract significantly from the integrity of the original building. Several agricultural outbuildings on the property no longer remain.¹

¹ Sanborn Maps of the site from 1898, 1908, 1925 and 1931 show a succession of outbuildings.

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Narrative Statement of Significance

The William and Anne D. Bringhurst House at 306 S. 200 West, constructed in 1856, during the first period of Springville's growth (1850-1868) is locally significant for its association with the earliest settlement phase of Springville. It is also significant as a material example of the Mormon effort to create an ideal agricultural society. During this time, the city was settled and grew to prosperity as a viable Mormon pioneer community. Springville was based on agricultural self-sufficiency, like most Mormon settlements. The houses of this period reflect this emphasis. They are primarily utilitarian in character and appearance, and are built of locally available materials, such as adobe. Although the simple nature of these houses precluded many stylistic elements, Classical influences are apparent in such elements as symmetrical facades and cornices.² The Bringhurst House exhibits these stylistic influences, is an excellent example of the Greek Revival style. It is being nominated as a part of the Multiple Property Submission, "Historic Resources of Springville."

Springville City, in Utah County, Utah, was settled in September 1850 by a company of pioneers of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints (LDS or Mormon Church) led by Aaron Johnson.³ The colonizing families had crossed the plains during the summer as part of a train of 135 wagons captained by Johnson. Upon arriving in Utah, they were called by church leader Brigham Young to establish a permanent community on the banks of Hobble Creek, in Utah Valley. The suitability of the area for settlement and agriculture had been noted earlier by William Miller and James Mendenhall, who had traveled the length of Utah Valley during the winter of 1849.⁴

Through the 1850s, Springville established itself as a viable pioneer community. The spring of 1851 brought the beginnings of agricultural development in Springville. Farm plots were laid out and, through community effort, irrigation systems were quickly constructed to divert the waters of Hobble Creek onto the fields. Plat A of the city was surveyed, and home lots measuring 206.25 feet square were assigned to families by lottery. Allocations of irrigated crop land were restricted initially to 20 acres per family, owing to limitations on the availability of water from Hobble Creek. During these early years a number of new settlers came to Springville, augmenting the original population of Mormon colonists.

Industrial and commercial enterprises during the pioneer period tended to be small in scale, locally-based, and oriented toward supplying the utilitarian essentials of the community. In Springville,

²Carter and Goss, 95.

³Mary J. Chase Finley. A History of Springville (Springville, Utah: Art City Publishing, 1989), 1.

⁴Finley, viii.

⁵Finley, 7.

⁶Finley, 7.

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as in other early settlements established by the LDS church in Utah, emphasis was placed upon cooperative efforts which ensured the viability of the community as a whole. Material luxuries and private monetary gain took a back seat (officially) to the good of the community during this period of Utah's history.

Extant residential buildings of the pioneer period reflect the use of locally available construction materials of that time. Most are of locally manufactured adobe brick set upon foundations of native stone. A few frame dwellings are present, together with one or two rare examples of early log construction. Building types include single-cell, central passage, and hall-parlor houses, as well as some temple-form structures. The utilitarian emphasis of the time resulted in less highly stylized buildings than are found in later periods. However, somewhat vernacular expressions of Greek Revival stylistic influences are frequently exhibited.

According to family sources, 306 S. 200 West was completed in 1856 as the original Springville home of William Bringhurst and his wife, Ann Dilworth. The adobe home was designed by Solomon D. Chase, who was involved in the construction of a number of residences and other early buildings in Springville.⁷ Assisting in construction of the home were Thomas Tew, George B. Matson, William Mendenhall and James Oakley.

Born in Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania in 1818, William Bringhurst was a son of Joseph Bringhurst and Elizabeth Evans. He was baptized into the LDS Church in January 1845, and in March of that year married Ann Dilworth in Nauvoo, Illinois. Ann Dilworth, also a Pennsylvania native, was born February 12, 1821. She moved to Nauvoo with her family and there met William Bringhurst. The Bringhursts together with other family members emigrated to Utah in 1847 with the John Taylor Company of pioneers.

According to a <u>Deseret News</u> obituary for William Joseph Bringhurst, a son of William Bringhurst, the family settled initially at Big Cottonwood in Salt Lake County. They were called on a mission to settle Las Vegas in 1855, then returned to Salt Lake via California in 1857. They are reported to have settled at Springville in 1860. This however contradicts the 1856 date given by family sources. They had seven children together.

William Bringhurst was ordained an LDS Bishop in 1870 and served as second Bishop of the Springville Ward from 1870-1883. He also served at various times as a Springville city councilman, member of the Territorial Legislature, and member of the Board of Directors of Brigham Young Academy (the Provo, Utah, forerunner of Brigham Young University). He was a director of Provo Woolen Mills and a well-known merchant, farmer, and livestock raiser. William Bringhurst died in February, 1883.

Brigham Young is said to have slept at the Bringhurst home when en route from Salt Lake City to St. George. A residence at 212 W. 400 South in Springville is reported to have been built by William

⁷Finley, 28. also Springville Community Progress Book, compiled and on file at the Springville Historical Society.

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Bringhurst as a home for his second polygamous wife, Ellen Wiscombe, whom he married about 1877.8

In 1884, title to the house passed to Ann Dilworth Bringhurst.⁹ She then conveyed title to the home to her son, William Joseph Bringhurst, in 1889. Ann died nine years later, in 1898.

William Joseph Bringhurst was born in Salt Lake County in 1848, less than a year after the arrival of his parents in Utah. In 1872 he married France Euzelle Taylor. He was a farmer, working the 40 acres owned by the Bringhurst family in Springville around the turn of the century. Available records do not indicate whether William Joseph Bringhurst actually resided at 306 S. 200 West during his period of ownership. The Polk Directory for 1906 lists him as boarding with his brother, John Frank Bringhurst (address unknown). Later he is shown as boarding with his son-in-law, Frederick Dunn.

In 1908, title to 306 S. 200 West passed to Deseret Bringhurst Crandall, a daughter of William and Ann D. Bringhurst and sister of William Joseph Bringhurst. She was born in California in 1856 when the family was en route from Las Vegas to Utah. She arrived in Springville with her parents in 1860. Deseret was the wife of Milan L. Crandall, whom she married in 1879.

Milan L. Crandall was born in Springville in 1856, a son of pioneer settlers Martin and Mahala Fuller Crandall. At an early age he followed his father into the railroad construction business, and is said by his family to have received at the age of thirteen a sub-contract from Brigham Young to perform work on the Central Pacific line through Echo Canyon. Together with his twin brother Myron, Milan pursued a lengthy career of railroad contract work throughout the western U.S. Later, after the turn of the century, he was a farmer until his retirement in 1920. Following his retirement, Milan and Deseret moved to Salt Lake City to reside with their son, Milan, Jr. Deseret died in Salt Lake City in 1925 at the home of her son, Milan L. Her husband, Milan, died in 1940 at the home of his daughter in Springville.

This house remained in the Crandall family when ownership passed to a son of Milan and Deseret Crandall. William (Wilby) Crandall (1883-1947) was a railroad contractor, and after 1934 operated the Modern Style Shop (later Crandall's), a retail clothing business, with his wife, Mattie. The house is currently owned and occupied by Leo A. Crandall, a son of William and Mattie Crandall and great-grandson of William Crandall, the building's original owner. Leo Crandall has followed in his family's construction footsteps. Leo and his wife, Lillian, have made additions to the house since moving in 1934, but have conscientiously maintained the historic integrity of the house and have altered the original portion of the house as little as possible.

⁸Springville Community Progress Book, compiled and on file at the Springville Historical Society.

⁹Ownership information taken from the Title Abstracts of the Utah County Recorder's Office, Provo, Utah.

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ARCHITECTURE:

The various styles that make up the Classical category were the first forms used during the settlement period of Utah (1847-1890). These styles originated in the late-18th century as the newly independent nation sought Classically-inspired ideas as a national style. Popular on the East coast following the Revolutionary War, the Classical styles filtered West with the expanding population during the 1830s and '40s. The Georgian, Federal, and Greek Revival were the three principal styles, although there are Classical types which do not contain stylistic elements for any one of these particular formats. These styles were based on Classical principles including geometrical, rectangular composition and symmetrical balance. These elements could be found in every type of architecture, from small, single-room log or adobe cabins, to large stone mansions and meetinghouses.¹⁰ The Bringhurst house is an excellent example of the Greek Revival style, and is one of only three remaining in Springville that maintains historic integrity.

Thomas Carter & Peter Goss. Utah's Historic Architecture: 1847-1940, A Guide. Salt Lake City: Center for Architectural Studies, Graduate School of Architecture, University of Utah & Utah State Historical Society, 1988. p.95.

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Bringhurst, William and Ann, House, Springville, Utah County, UT

Photos Nos. 1-6:

- 1. Bringhurst, William and Ann, House
- 2. Springville, Utah County, Utah
- 3. Photographer: Nelson Knight
- 4. Date: February 1997.
- 5. Negative on file at Utah SHPO.

Photo No. 1:

6. East elevation of building. Camera facing west.

Photo No. 2:

6. Southeast elevation of building. Camera facing northwest.

Photo No. 3:

6. West elevation of building. Camera facing east.

Photo No. 4:

6. Southeast elevation of building. Camera facing northwest.