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D Property has yielded, or is likely to yield information important in prehistory or history.
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Submit the following items with the completed form:
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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.
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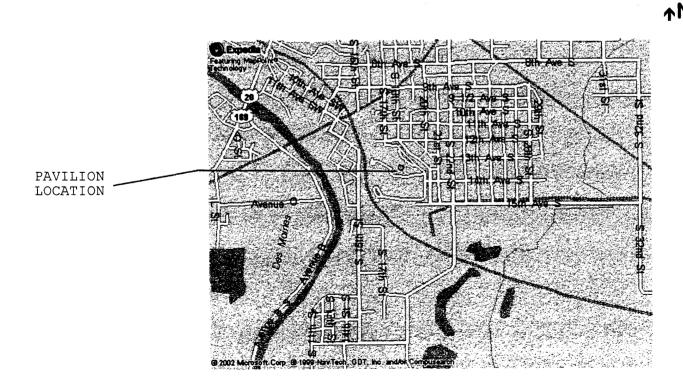
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OLESON PARK MUSIC PAVILION

Webster County, Iowa

DESCRIPTION SUMMARY

The Oleson Park Music Pavilion, completed in 1938, is set on irregularly-shaped, deep platforms and is wholly of reinforced concrete construction cast in smooth-lined forms; then, rubbed and painted. It is set in 64-acre Oleson Park, a beautiful wooded park given to the City of Fort Dodge by Olaf M. Oleson in 1905. It was Karl King who first had the idea for such an outstanding structure and it was he, in consort with State Senator Edward Breen and Walter Engelbart, who followed thought with action. WPA funding took care of 85 percent of the \$45,000 cost, the City of Fort Dodge making up the remainder.



Location Map: Oleson Park Music Pavilion, Oleson Park, Webster County, Fort Dodge, Iowa

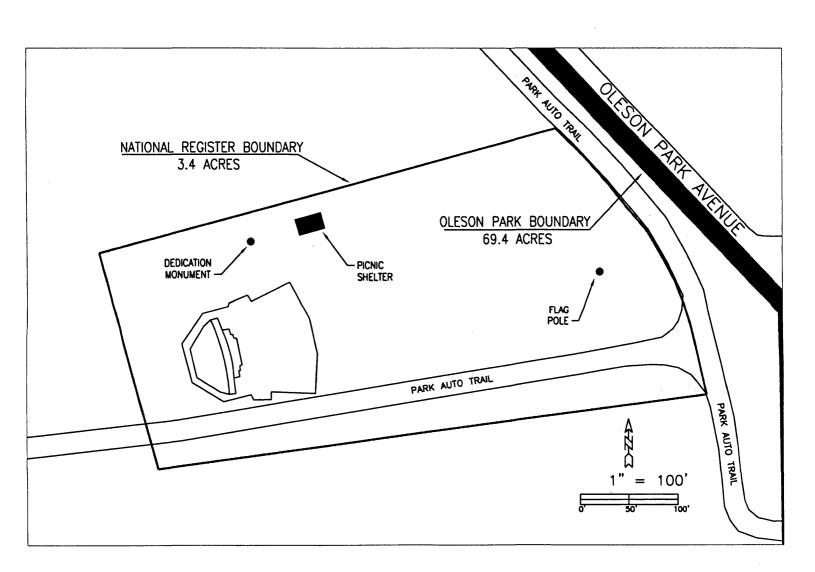
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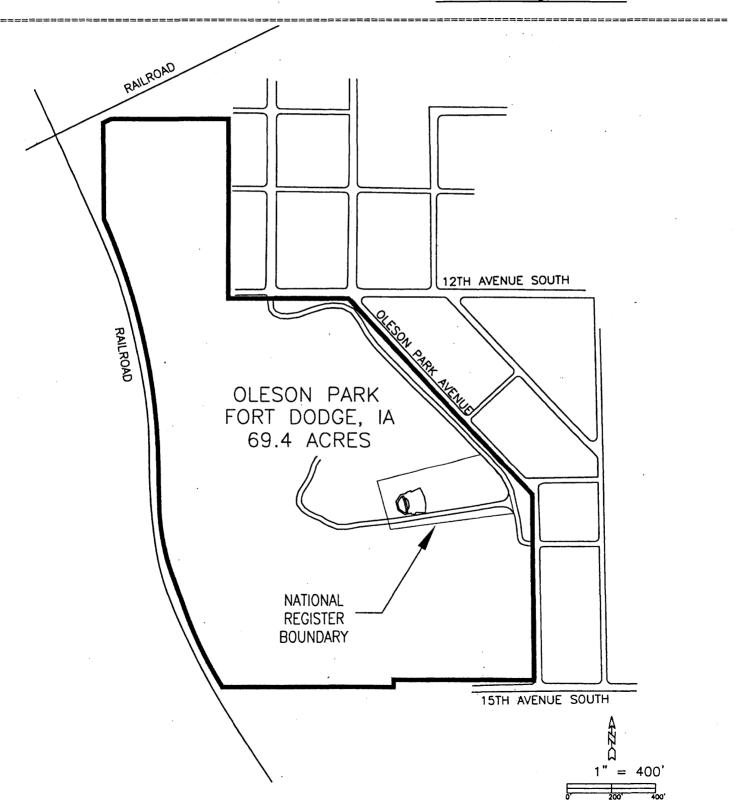
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OLESON PARK MUSIC PAVILION

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GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The structurally sound pavilion is 77' wide, 29' deep (including the wading pool and fountains) and rises 36' from the base of the fountain to the top of the arc. It is in the Moderne style with decorative elements kept to a minimum. Its construction is totally cast-in-place, reinforced concrete. It exhibits a powerful sculptural composition, which could only be achieved through the use of the most modern forming techniques which take advantage of the plasticity of poured concrete. The pavilion was not only designed for visual attractiveness, but also for acoustical perfection. The masterful concrete sculpture encloses performers in a shell and projects their music for blocks without electronic assistance. The lighted wading pool and fountains are no longer in use as the plumbing necessary for their operation has long ago ceased to function. The ground floor of the pavilion (containing a restroom and a dressing room) with an entrance from the stage, as well as the rear of the structure, has deteriorated and now is essentially unusable. Eight steel casement windows that wrap the pavilion rear at the dressing room level are intact. The glass in the windows has been replaced with wood and painted the color of the pavilion. The original level seating that extended 204' to the east of the pavilion has been removed, the land near the pavilion is now slightly sloped, and covered with aluminum stadium seating, placed in 1976, that extends 70' from the base of the wading pool. The original 35' flagpole (counted as a contributing structure within this nomination) is set at a perfect right angle centering on the front of the pavilion 126 yards away is still intact and usable. Stress cracks in the concrete are visible as well as corrosion and spalling of the reinforcing steel. The 30' grassy area between the structure and the original seating has been removed.

A non-contributing 4' \times 5' dedication monument with a bronze plaque honoring Karl King was set in July 1976 as part of our Nation's bi-centennial celebration. The plaque was donated by the National Music Council, Iowa Music Education Association, and Exxon. The plaque calls attention to the fact that Fort Dodge was the home of American Bandmaster and Composer, Karl King.

A non-contributing picnic shelter sits 120' to the North of the seats.

The pavilion is currently used by the Karl King Municipal Band for its summer concerts and a community wide effort at renovation has begun. It is the subject of a SAVE AMERICA'S TREASURES FY 2002 Historic Preservation Fund Grant application.

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SIGNIFICANCE SUMMARY

The Oleson Park Music Pavilion is significant nationally under Criterion B because of its close association with American Bandmaster and Composer Karl King, as well as its Architect Henry Kamphoefner. Karl L. King was a prolific composer of music for concert and military bands known the world over. It was the home base of this bandmaster and his music since its construction in 1938 until his death in 1971. It is also an excellent example of Modern Movement Architecture by Henry Kamphoefner, an architect and teacher who was a leader in his field during the middle of the 20th century. It is significant under Criterion A and C because of its close association with these two men, as well as symbolizing significant changes in architecture and music performance.

RESOURCE HISTORY AND HISTORIC CONTEXT

The Oleson Park Music Pavilion is located on a 3.4-acre plot within the 64-acre Oleson Park in the southeast part of Fort Dodge, Iowa. Historically, most community pavilions were located in a city square or downtown where it could be seen by any and all visitors. The architect of the Oleson Park Music Pavilion specifically chose the park so that it would be free of distracting noises. Since it was completed in 1938, it has served not only for the municipal band, but also for community activities and summer religious services.

The pavilion was first proposed in 1936 to replace an existing bandshell located on the City Square in downtown Fort Dodge as a Works Progress Administration project to help stimulate the local economy by providing jobs and to bring community improvements. Hired to design the structure was Henry Kamphoefner, a young architect from Sioux City who was an exponent of modern architecture. Kamphoefner had won international recognition for a pavilion that was constructed in Sioux City in 1935.

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HISTORIC AND CULTURAL SIGNIFICANCE

After the Civil War, local bands became a staple of community life. In Fort Dodge, bands have been part of the local scene since the Civil War and the community has had a long history of interest in music. The first municipal band was established c. 1888 and in the 1890's a National Guard band was established which achieved national significance, appearing at such national events as the 1893 and 1903 World's Fairs. Early concerts were held in a gazebo in the City Square which was replaced in the 1920's by a band stand, neither of which was desirable or adequate for quality performance.

The pavilion is associated with two men who were clearly leaders in their respective fields, Karl L. King and Henry Kamphoefner. In 1920, Karl King, band master of the Ringling Brothers, Barnum & Bailey Circus (and already recognized as a composer of marches) was hired to direct the municipal band. He directed the Fort Dodge Band for fifty years, making it one of the premier municipal bands in the nation, traveling to many fairs and festivals throughout the Midwest. In addition to directing the band and composing, King was instrumental in getting the Iowa Legislature to pass the Iowa Municipal Band Law which provided for local tax support for town bands, the model for similar legislation in 42 other states. He was also influential in the promotion of the movement to establish high school band programs. It was largely due to Mr. King's efforts that the Oleson Park Music Pavilion was created. In 1976, the Oleson Park Music Pavilion was rededicated to Mr. King and renamed the Karl King Band Shell.

The architect, Henry Kamphoefner, was one of the proponents of modern styles of architecture and advanced construction techniques. At the time, he was selected for the Fort Dodge project, he had already designed a pavilion in Sioux City for which he was to receive international recognition. He later went on to be the founding dean of the North Carolina State University School of Architecture and Landscape Design, building the school into an internationally recognized leader in modern architecture. He was honored at the end of his life by the American Institute of Architects with the Topaz Award, the highest honor given for contributions to architectural education.

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The Oleson Park Music Pavilion was chosen by the State of Iowa as its example of architectural excellence at the 1939 World's Fair in New York. It represents Streamline Moderne design and is believed to be the only building in Webster County in that style. It is an excellent example of the most advanced techniques of concrete construction of its time. It's acoustical excellence has been recognized by musicians as one of the finest outdoor music pavilions in the United States.

The pavilion was the product of the Great Depression of the 1930's and its construction reflected a sense of optimism and hope for the future at one of the low points in our nation's history. Constructed under the federal Works Progress Administration, a major New Deal public works program, it was designed to bring economic relief by providing jobs and stimulating the local economy. The structure is one of the most significant of the WPA projects in Webster County. The band shell has become one of the most recognizable structures in the Fort Dodge and is clearly a symbol of the City.

The dedication of the bandshell was one of the largest celebrations in the history of the community. It was held June 7, 1938 in conjunction with the annual convention of American Band Masters Association and the dedicatory concert attracted over 15,000 people.

The band and the pavilion over the years have provided many young musicians with a chance to get their start in the field, many area high school music educators with a chance to perform and sharpen their skills, and local audiences with a chance to hear many nationally known musicians (attracted by the prestige of the band and the structure) perform.

The pavilion may have done much to preserve the municipal band in Fort Dodge. In the post World War II years, many communities either lost their bands or cut back on their performances. Other forms of entertainment have drawn away the audiences from band concerts. Fort Dodge has been able to maintain its band and, in more recent years, even expand its audiences.

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STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE KARL L. KING

Karl L. King, a bandmaster and composer possessed that rare ability to create works that influence people long after he is gone. He was a prolific composer of music for concert and military bands all over the world. Rare is the high school or college band member who has not been introduced to this Master's music. Over the years, King wrote and published approximately 300 works, including more than 200 marches. He also wrote marches and fight songs for many American universities.

Much of King's music was written for, or heavily influenced by, the circus and much of his work contained the massive triumphals and grand entries that have challenged the capabilities of scores of musicians. His Barnum & Bailey's Favorite became the theme song of that circus and ranks as one of the most popular marches ever written. His music was written to honor certain events, schools, college, or outstanding musicians. His King Henry march honored Henry Fillmore, a contemporary. He wrote marches honoring almost every university in the Big Ten and his Viking March became Indiana, Our Indiana, that university's school song. King's music became so popular that bands played entire concerts of his numbers.

In 1929, King was elected president of the Iowa Bandmasters Association, and in 1930, he was one of the charter members of the American Bandmasters Association along with such well-known bandmasters as Edwin Franko Goldman, Frank Simon, Arthur Pryor, Herbert L. Clarke, and John Philip Sousa. Though not a politician, King was instrumental in the passing of the Iowa Band Law of 1922, the Iowa Legislature passed the first legislation of its kind anywhere. That law enabled local communities to levy a small tax of two mills to support a local municipal band. More than 40 states passed similar legislation, and King wrote The Iowa Band Law march to commemorate that event.

Approximately 15,000 attended the dedication ceremonies of the new pavilion in Fort Dodge on June 7, 1938. State Senator Edward Breen, who presided at the dedication ceremony, stated "No man has done more than Karl King to make this pavilion possible. His band is known from coast to coast; his music is known around the world. This year, he is president of the American Bandmasters Association, and his most distinguished colleagues have come from all over America to do him honor. And he will be known, I think, as long as bands parade."

King was awarded an honorary Doctorate of Music from Phillips University, Enid, Oklahoma in 1953 and named "Big Ten March King" in 1960. He was elected to the Academy of Wind and Percussion Arts by the National Band Association in 1962, awarded the Silver Medal by the Society of European Stage Authors and Composers in 1966, and named Honorary Life President of the American Band Association in 1967. In 1971, the American School Band Director's Association suspended their by-laws and presented King with the Edwin Franko Goldman Award, an award

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previously given only to school band directors. In 1975, Karl L. King received posthumously the Iowa Award, which represents the state's highest citizen award. Previous award winners include President Herbert Hoover, Vice President Henry Wallace, and Nobel Prize winner, Dr. Norman Borlaug.

As Conductor of the Fort Dodge Municipal Band for over fifty years (from 1920 until his death in 1971) King's ties with the Oleson Park Music Pavilion, where his music was performed by the Fort Dodge Municipal Band and the rest of a music loving country, are inescapable. It is a testimony to his talents that so much of his music is still played today all over the world. At his death in 1971, Karl L. King was one of the most loved and respected figures in American Music.

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE ARCHITECTURE

Henry L. Kamphoefner, a major figure in the world of Architecture in the middle of the 20th century, was born in Des Moines, Iowa May 5th, 1907. He attended Morningside College, Sioux City, Iowa during the years 1924 through 1926. He received his B.S. in Architecture from the University of Illinois in 1930 and his M.S. from Columbia in 1931. After receiving his Certificate in Architecture from Beaux Arts Institute of Design in New York, he went into private practice in Sioux City.

During the ensuing years, he designed the award-winning Music Pavilion and Outdoor Theater at Grandview Park, Sioux City, Iowa and the Music Pavilion at Oleson Park, Fort Dodge, Iowa. Very similar in design, the Music Pavilion at Sioux City (built first) was selected by the Royal Institute of British Architects as one of America's outstanding buildings of the Post War Period and the Music Pavilion at Oleson Park, Fort Dodge was selected as Iowa's architectural contribution to the 1939 New York World's Fair.

Leaving private practice in 1937, Kamphoefner instructed at the University of Oklahoma School of Architecture becoming a full professor in 1940 and Director of the School of Architecture in 1942.

He became Dean of the new School of Architecture and Landscape Design at North Carolina State University in 1948 and immediately reshaped the School of Design, as he called it, to encompass not only architecture and landscape design but also textile, product and graphic design. In the early 1950, the NCSU School of Design, under the leadership of Kamphoefner, brought together a brilliant group of architects and teachers including Catalano, George Matsumoto, Matthew Nowicki, and others who were pioneers in the creation of new architectural concepts. For example, the Catalano House in Raleigh, North Carolina, was probably one of the

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most important 20th century residential buildings. In fact, its design elicited a favorable response from Frank Lloyd Wright, who was known to rarely praise the work of other architects.

Werner Seligmann, in accepting the Topaz Medallion, called the North Carolina State University School of Architecture under Kamphoefner one of the most significant schools in America at the time. Such luminaries as Buckminster Fuller, who coined the term "Spaceship Earth" and is created with inventing the Geodesic Dome began their teaching career under Kamphoefner.

In 1967, Kamphoefner received an honorary D.F.A. from Morningside College in Sioux City, Iowa and in 1972 received an honorary L.L.D. from Ball State University, Muncie, Indiana. Kamphoefner was the nation's second recipient of the prestigious AIA/ACSA Topaz Medal for his contribution to architecture education.

Kamphoefner hired faculty members dedicated to modernism and through architectural education sought to bring modernism to the profession. He retired as Dean in 1972, after almost a quarter of a century of service, and in 1977 he received the Joint Award for Lasting Achievement in Architectural Education, given by the American Institute of Architects and the Association of Collegiate Schools of Architecture.

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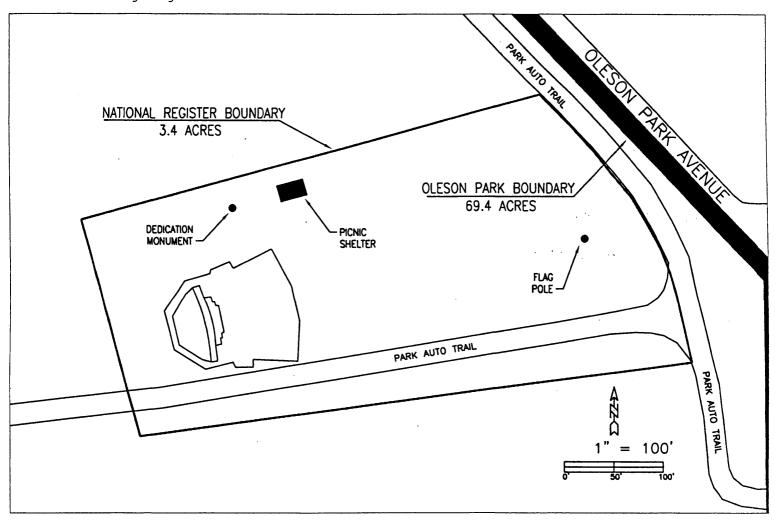
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GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

Verbal Boundary Description

The National Register boundary for the Oleson Park Music Pavilion is depicted on the following figure:



Boundary Justification

The nominated property includes the entire parcel historically associated with the pavilion. Source: GIS Service, Engineering Dept. City of Fort Dodge, IA 819 1st Ave South, Fort Dodge, IA 50501.

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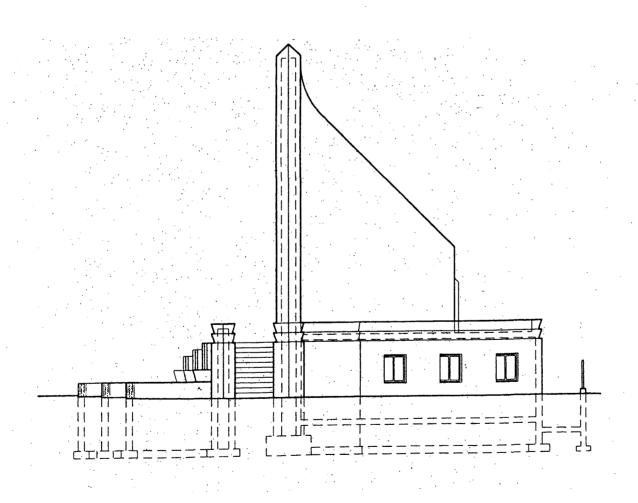
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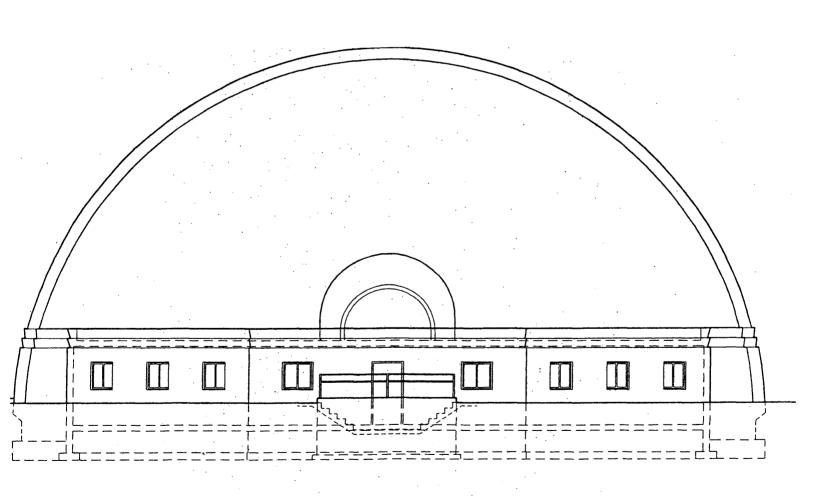
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West Elevation (Scale: 3/32" = 1.0") Oleson Park Music Pavilion, Fort Dodge, Iowa, August 2002 Source: Rudi Lee Dreyer, Architects, Ames IA 2002 Based upon structure examination and original documents on file with the City of Fort Dodge, IA.

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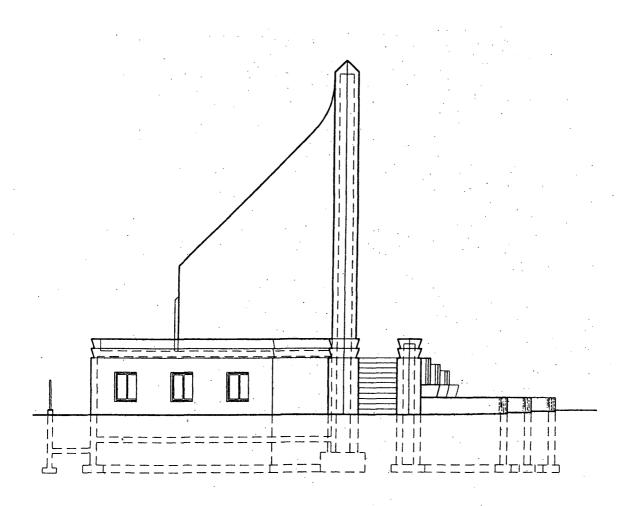
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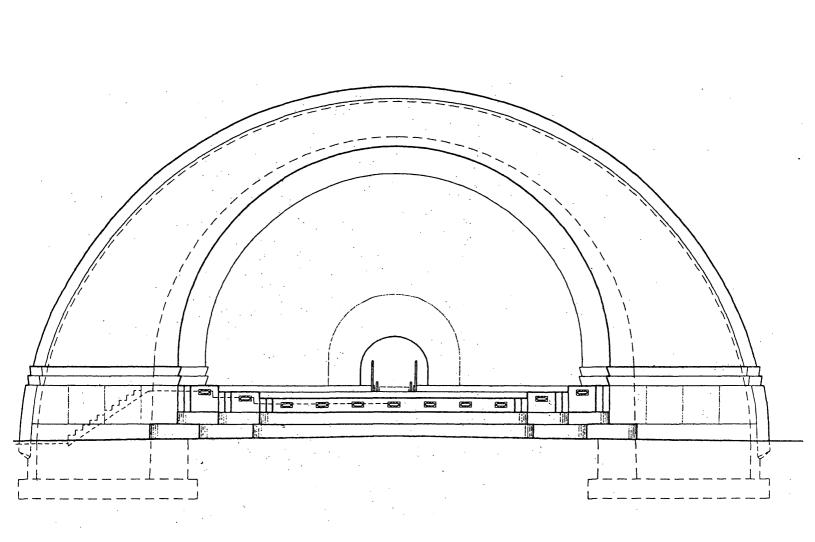
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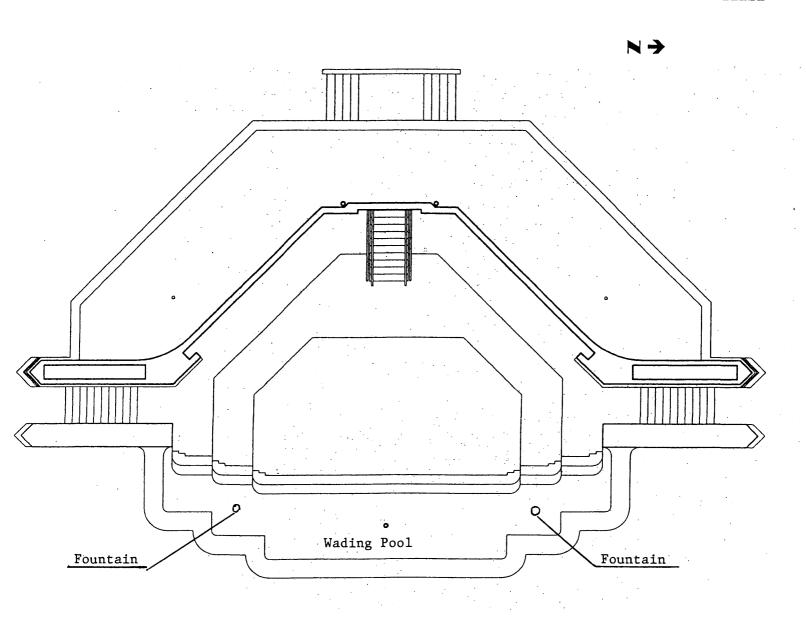
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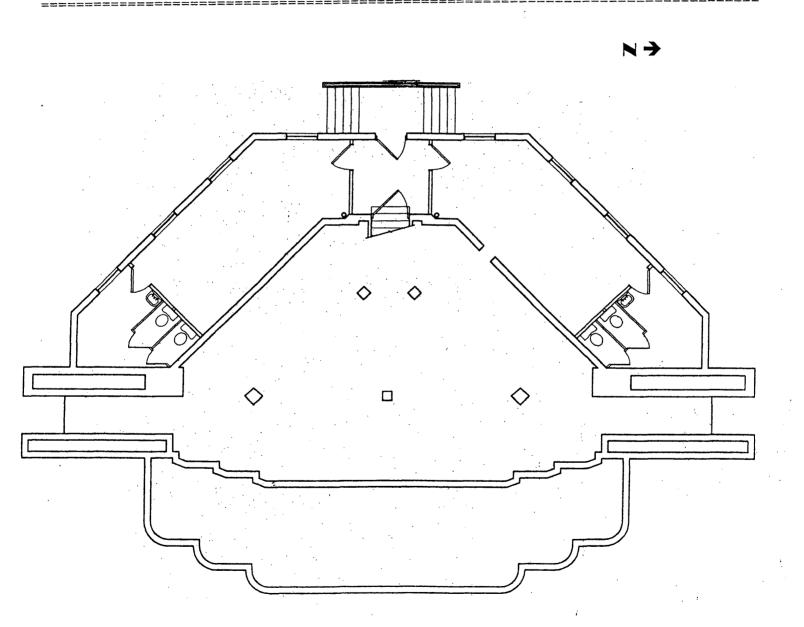
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- 1. Howard Haase, 2001, Haase Photography, Ft. Dodge, IA, overall view, facing Northwest.
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- 3. Howard Haase, 2001, Haase Photography, Ft. Dodge, IA, rear side view, facing Southeast.
- 4. Howard Haase, 2001, Haase Photography, Ft. Dodge, IA, closeup water outlets, facing Southwest.
- 5. Howard Haase, 2001, Haase Photography, Ft. Dodge, Iowa, Bandshell, facing West.
- 6. Howard Haase, 2002, Haase Photography, Ft. Dodge, Iowa, non-contributing picnic shelter, facing Northeast.
- 7. Howard Haase, 2002, Haase Photography, Ft. Dodge, Iowa, Dedication Monument, facing North.
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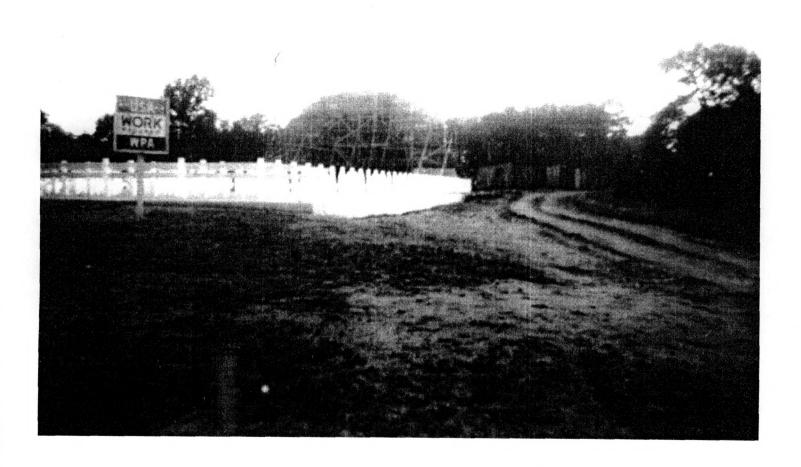
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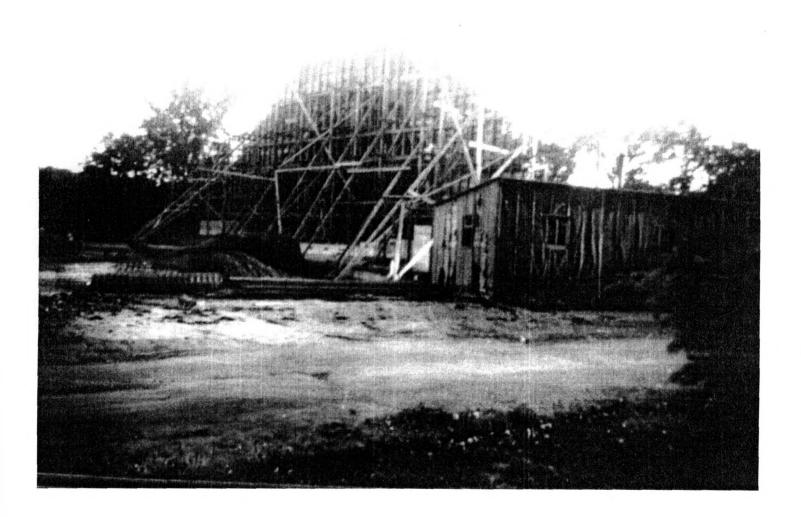
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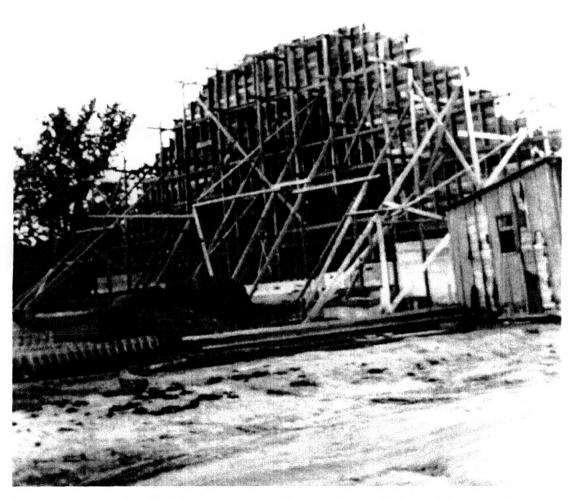
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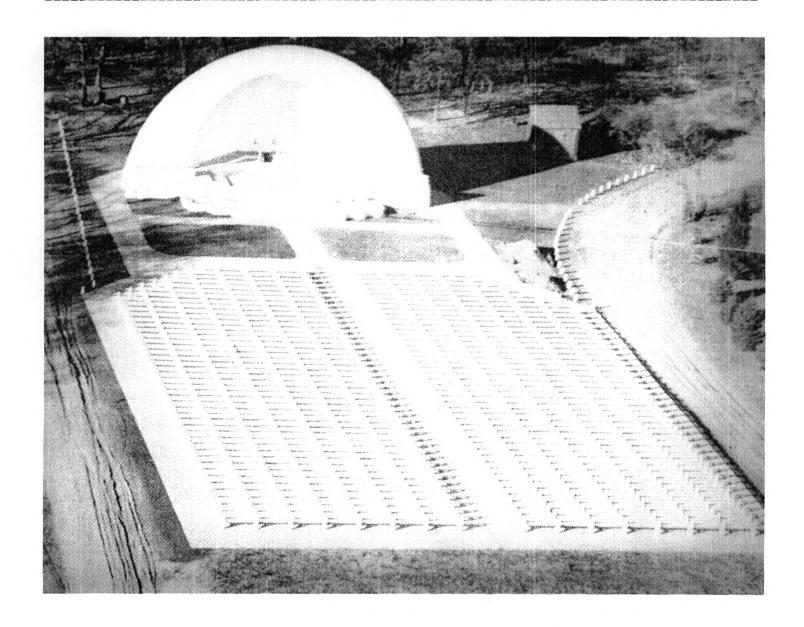
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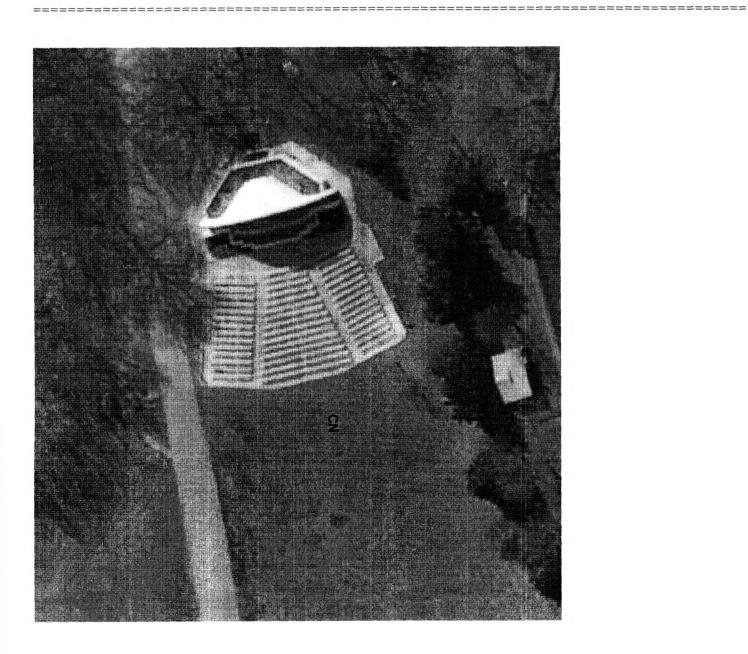
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