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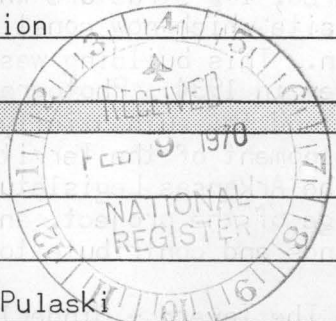
Form 10-300
(July 1969)

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

**NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
INVENTORY - NOMINATION FORM**

(Type all entries - complete applicable sections)

STATE:	Arkansas
COUNTY:	Pulaski
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ENTRY NUMBER	DATE
70-3-03-5006	2/26/70



1. NAME

COMMON:
The Tavern - Arkansas Territorial Restoration

AND/OR HISTORIC:
Jesse Hinderliter House

2. LOCATION

STREET AND NUMBER:
214 E. Third Street

CITY OR TOWN:
Little Rock

STATE: Arkansas CODE: 03 COUNTY: Pulaski CODE: 119

3. CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY (Check One)	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC
<input type="checkbox"/> District <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Building <input type="checkbox"/> Site <input type="checkbox"/> Structure <input type="checkbox"/> Object	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public <input type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/> Both	Public Acquisition: <input type="checkbox"/> In Process <input type="checkbox"/> Being Considered	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Occupied <input type="checkbox"/> Unoccupied <input type="checkbox"/> Preservation work in progress
PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Educational <input type="checkbox"/> Entertainment	<input type="checkbox"/> Government <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial <input type="checkbox"/> Military <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Museum	<input type="checkbox"/> Park <input type="checkbox"/> Private Residence <input type="checkbox"/> Religious <input type="checkbox"/> Scientific	<input type="checkbox"/> Transportation <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Comments _____ _____ _____

4. OWNER OF PROPERTY

OWNER'S NAME:
State Of Arkansas

STREET AND NUMBER:

CITY OR TOWN: Little Rock STATE: Arkansas CODE: 03

5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.:
Pulaski County Courthouse

STREET AND NUMBER:

CITY OR TOWN: Little Rock STATE: Arkansas CODE: 03

6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE OF SURVEY:
Historic American Buildings Survey

DATE OF SURVEY: 1934 Federal State County Local

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS:
Division of Fine Arts, Library of Congress

STREET AND NUMBER:

CITY OR TOWN: Washington STATE: District of Columbia CODE: 08

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COUNTY:

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7. DESCRIPTION

CONDITION	(Check One)					
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Fair	<input type="checkbox"/> Deteriorated	<input type="checkbox"/> Ruins	<input type="checkbox"/> Unexposed
	(Check One)			(Check One)		
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Altered	<input type="checkbox"/> Unaltered	<input type="checkbox"/> Moved	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original Site		

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (if known) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The Tavern, or Jesse Hinderliter¹ House, is a two-story clapboard covered, log structure which was built in the early 19th century on the site which now constitutes part of the Arkansas Territorial Restoration. This building was listed in the Historic American Buildings Survey in 1934. Photographs and measured drawings were made at that time and the authenticity of the structure established. In 1939, the development of the Territorial Restoration was made possible by an Act of the Arkansas Legislature. This Act created a Commission to have charge of the project, and appropriated funds to purchase the original grounds and contribute to the restoration work.

The Tavern - Hinderliter House, is the most significant structure in the Territorial Restoration Complex. Built in the early 19th century, and remodeled in 1834, it is constructed of large, hand-hewn, oak logs and covered with red heart, hand beaded, cypress siding. All the ceiling beams, both upstairs and down, have the same corner-beaded finish. The hand carved mantel in the downstairs West Room is especially interesting. Some of the interior wall boards in the building are eighteen and twenty inches wide. In the upstairs room the wall boards have been left off to show the original log construction of the building.

During the restoration work of 1939-41, the exterior clapboard was replaced; sagging ridgepole, rafters and joists were also replaced at this time. At this time also, some modifications which had taken place over the years were apparently restored to their original condition. Max Mayer (deceased) was the architect in charge of the restoration.²

The maintenance of this structure under the Arkansas Territorial Restoration Commission has been excellent.

¹The name Hinderliter, rather than Henderliter, appears to be the correct spelling. Jesse Hinderliter's name appears in this form in both the 1830 U.S. Census and the Pulaski County Tax Lists for 1828.

²It has not been possible to obtain Mr. Mayer's notes and working drawings from the time of the 1939-41 restoration. They have apparently been lost or destroyed.

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8. SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD (Check One or More as Appropriate)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Columbian | <input type="checkbox"/> 16th Century | <input type="checkbox"/> 18th Century | <input type="checkbox"/> 20th Century |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 15th Century | <input type="checkbox"/> 17th Century | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 19th Century | |

SPECIFIC DATE(S) (If Applicable and Known) (Not known)

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

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|--|--|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aboriginal | <input type="checkbox"/> Education | <input type="checkbox"/> Political | <input type="checkbox"/> Urban Planning |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Prehistoric | <input type="checkbox"/> Engineering | <input type="checkbox"/> Religion/Philosophy | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Historic | <input type="checkbox"/> Industry | <input type="checkbox"/> Science | In downtown urban
renewal area. This
restoration is
significant in
urban planning. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture | <input type="checkbox"/> Invention | <input type="checkbox"/> Sculpture | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Architecture | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Landscape Architecture | <input type="checkbox"/> Social/Humanitarian | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Art | <input type="checkbox"/> Literature | <input type="checkbox"/> Theater | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Commerce | <input type="checkbox"/> Military | <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Communications | <input type="checkbox"/> Music | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Conservation | | | |

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Tavern, or Jesse Hinderliter House, is significant in that it is probably the only wooden building surviving from the period prior to Arkansas' achieving statehood. It was in existence during the time that Little Rock was the Territorial Capitol, and it is believed that some Territorial meetings may have taken place in the building; if only on an informal basis. This cannot be documented, nor can it be disproved.

The Territorial Restoration site, on which the Tavern stands, was initially part of a one-half block area which comprised a significant portion of the original townsite of Little Rock. The area extends for a full block facing Cumberland Street to the east, and for a half-block on Second Street to the north, and Third Street to the south. In addition to the early 19th century Tavern, eleven other structures from the old city have been restored or reconstructed. In depth research and restoration continues on these buildings.

In 1967 the balance of the block was acquired by the State of Arkansas under a Housing and Urban Development "Open Space" matching funds grant. No additional restorations or reconstructions are contemplated for this newly acquired land. It is intended to utilize this area for an extension of the attractive landscaping of the Territorial Restoration grounds, and to provide parking for visitors.

The grounds on which this early 19th century tavern now stands consists of one complete city block in the downtown section of the city of Little Rock.

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9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

National Park Service, Historic American Buildings Survey Catalog, Washington: United States Government Printing Office, 1941.

Vanderbuilt, Cornelius, Jr., The Living Past of America, New York: Crown Publishers Inc., 1955.

American Guide Series, Arkansas, A Guide to the State, New Yor: Hastings House, 1941.

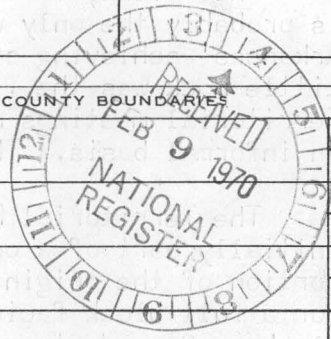
10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

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SE	°	'	"	°	'	"
SW	°	'	"	°	'	"
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APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY: 2.05

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE:	CODE	COUNTY	CODE
STATE:	CODE	COUNTY:	CODE
STATE:	CODE	COUNTY:	CODE
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11. FORM PREPARED BY

NAME AND TITLE: Jack E. Porter, Administrator, Historic Preservation Program

ORGANIZATION: Arkansas Planning Commission DATE: 12/9/69

STREET AND NUMBER: Game and Fish Building

CITY OR TOWN: Little Rock STATE: Arkansas CODE: 03

12. STATE LIAISON OFFICER CERTIFICATION

As the designated State Liaison Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service. The recommended level of significance of this nomination is:

National State Local

Name John M. Peterson
John M. Peterson

Title Executive Director

Date Jan. 26, 1970

NATIONAL REGISTER VERIFICATION

I hereby certify that this property is included in the National Register.

Ernest Allen Cunnally
Chief, Office of Archeology and Historic Preservation

Date MAR 5 1970

ATTEST: William G. Mustang
Keeper of The National Register

Date FEB 17 1970

RECEIPT

The Tavern - Ark. Terr. Restored

3/23/70

Date of Receipt 2/9/70
Data Page
Photo(s)
Photo Description(s)
Map(s)
Map Description(s)
Logged
Acknowledged 2/9/70

Yes No Number

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no 2/9/70

Pl 2/10/70

REVIEW

Historian Comments

OK

Architect Comments

OK

BL 2/19/70

Chambers
2/11/70

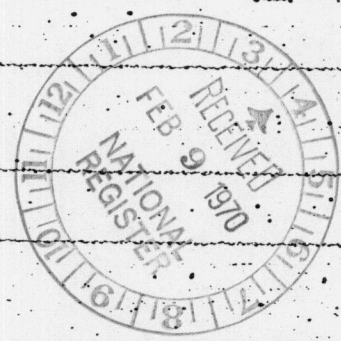
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Chief Architect Chief Archeologist Chief Historian

Keeper Comments

OK

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2/17/70



ENTRY

Chief, OAHF Comments

OK

OK
3-5-70

Date of Entry

Registry Clerk

Yes No

Date

Assign NPS No.

Acknowledgement Sent

EDITORIAL PROCESSING

Editor

Federal Register Entry

Date

4/7/70

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PROPERTY PHOTOGRAPH FORM

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3. PHOTO REFERENCE

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DATE OF PHOTO: 1969

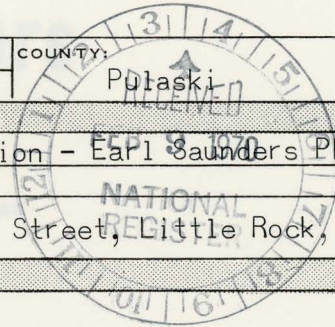
NEGATIVE FILED AT:

Earl Saunder, 2121 Chester Street, Little Rock, Arkansas

4. IDENTIFICATION

DESCRIBE VIEW, DIRECTION, ETC.

Southwest corner of the Tavern, which is facing toward Third Street.



NPS Number 70-3-03-0006

Title: The Tavern, Arkansas
Territorial Restoration

Loc. Little Rock, Ark.
Pulaski Co., Arkansas

Jacket 447-895 Illus. No. 16A
 Width 23cm Depth 26cm Focus 50%
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PROPERTY MAP FORM

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3. MAP REFERENCE

SOURCE:

U.S.G.S. 7½' Quadrangle "Little Rock"

SCALE: 1:24,000

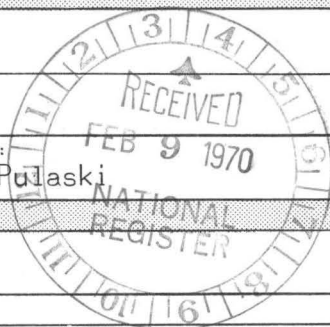
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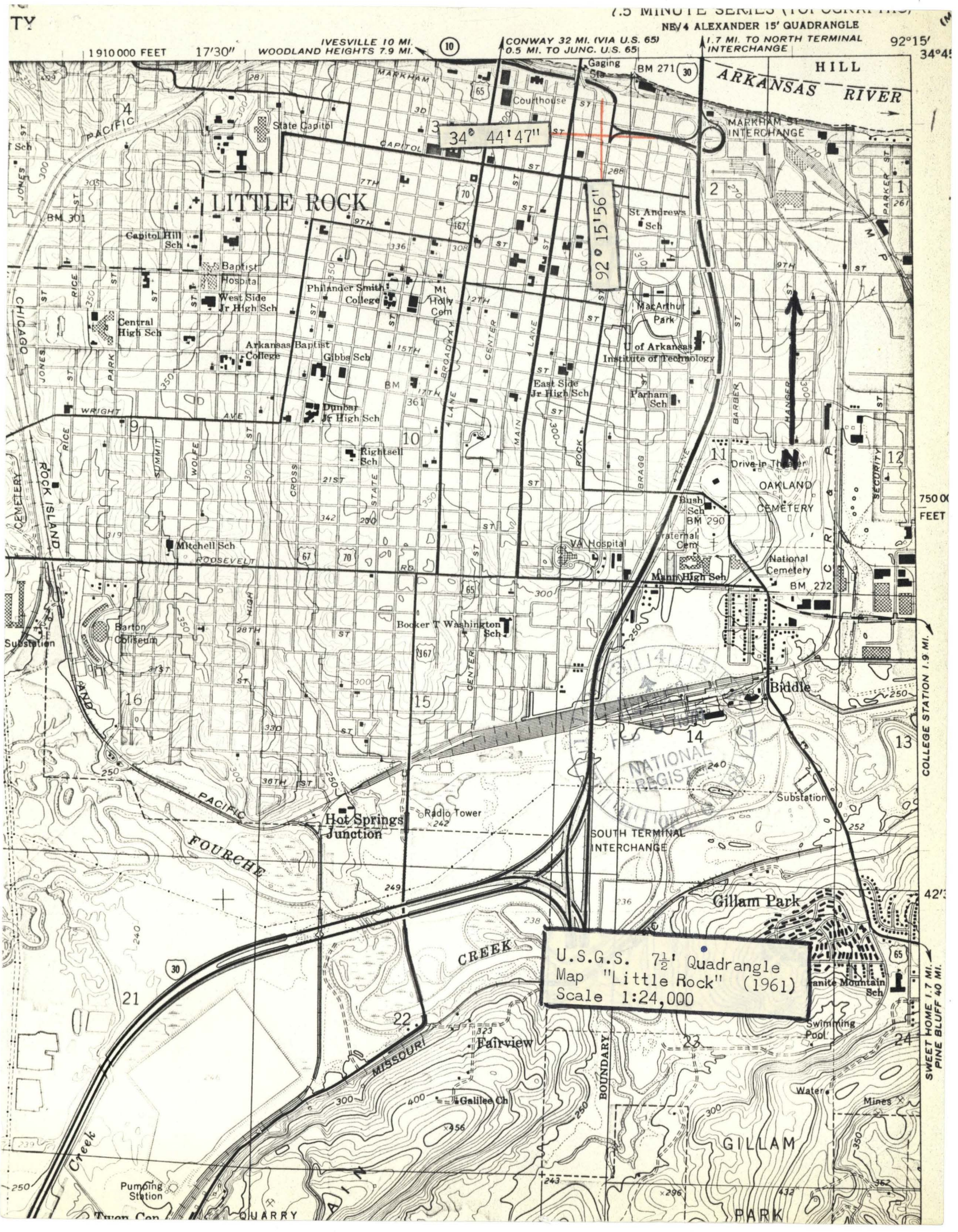
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TO BE INCLUDED ON ALL MAPS

1. Property boundaries where required.
2. North arrow.
3. Latitude and longitude reference.

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7.5 MINUTE SERIES (1:24,000)
NE 1/4 ALEXANDER 15' QUADRANGLE

1910000 FEET 17'30" IVESVILLE 10 MI. WOODLAND HEIGHTS 7.9 MI. CONWAY 32 MI. (VIA U.S. 65) 0.5 MI. TO JUNC. U.S. 65 1.7 MI. TO NORTH TERMINAL INTERCHANGE 92°15' 34°47'

34° 44' 47"

92° 15' 56"

U.S.G.S. 7 1/2' Quadrangle
Map "Little Rock" (1961)
Scale 1:24,000

7500
FEET

COLLEGE STATION 1.9 MI.

SWEET HOME 1.7 MI.
PINE BLUFF 40 MI.

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STATE:	CODE	COUNTY:	CODE
Arkansas	03	Pulaski	119

3. MAP REFERENCE

SOURCE:
Arkansas Territorial Restoration
SCALE: 1" : 50'
DATE: January 2, 1967

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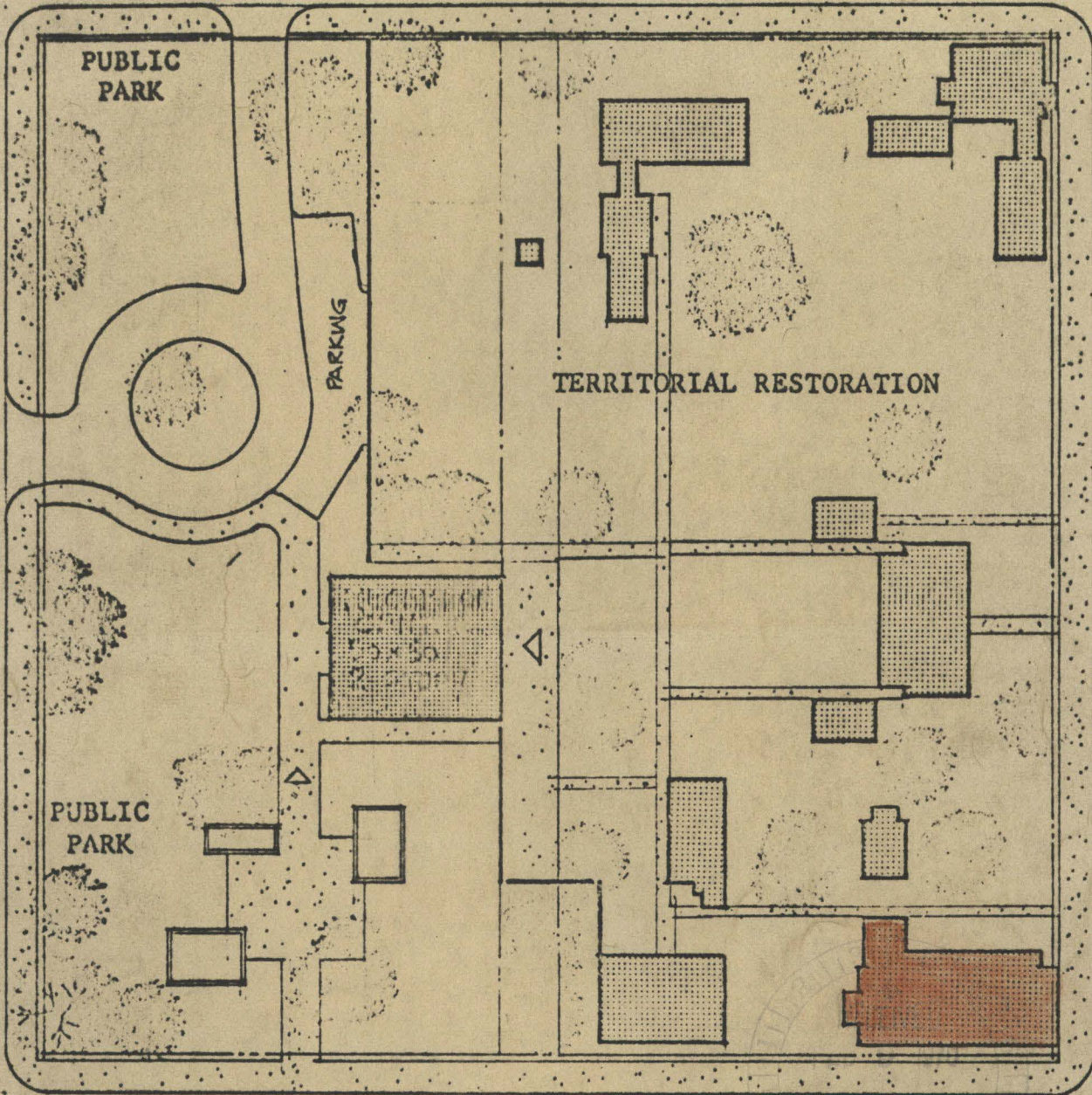
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PROPOSED PEDESTRIAN MALL
TO RIVER

2ND STREET

SCOTT STREET



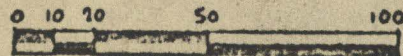
CUMBERLAND STREET

3RD STREET



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RESTORATION

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Revised January 2, 1987

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BASIC FILE RETAINED IN HR

Hon. John L. McClellan
United States Senate
Washington, D. C.

Dear Senator McClellan:

We are pleased to inform you that the historic properties listed on the enclosure have been nominated by the officer appointed by the Governor for the implementation of the National Historic Preservation Program in Arkansas and have been entered into the "National Register of Historic Places." Senator F. W. Fulbright and Representative Wilbur D. Mills have also been provided with this information. A leaflet explaining the National Register is enclosed.

Sincerely yours,

Ernest Allen Connally
Chief, Office of Archeology
and Historic Preservation

Enclosures

Entered in the National Register _____

cc:

Dr. John M. Peterson, Executive Director, Arkansas Planning Commission,
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Duplicate letters sent to:
Hon. F. W. Fulbright
United States Senate
Washington, D. C.

Hon. Wilbur D. Mills
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

cc: Regional Director, Southeast Region
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Properties added to the National Register of Historical Places

ARKANSAS

The Tavern-Arkansas Territorial Restoration - Little Rock, Arkansas

Mount Holly Cemetery - Little Rock, Arkansas