

6. Function or Use

Historic Functions (enter categories from instructions)

Domestic/Single Dwelling

Current Functions (enter categories from instructions)

Vacant/Not In Use

7. Description

Architectural Classification

(enter categories from instructions)

Other: Plain Traditional

Materials (enter categories from instructions)

foundation Stone

walls Stone

roof Metal

other

Describe present and historic physical appearance.

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The eastern or front elevation of the house is dominated by the wood frame gable roof that is cantilevered over the southern two-thirds of the facade. The pediment of the gable is relieved only by a tall, central window opening (now empty) set into vertical planks. The cantilevered section of the roof is supported on log posts. The wall behind is accessed by two single-leaf, plank doors and lighted by a single, small rectangular window to the south of the northern door. The western elevation opposite displays the same tall window opening in the gable pediment and a small, fixed wood window to the north in the shed wall. The southern elevation is relieved only by two fixed wood windows placed toward the western wall; the northern elevation is blank.

8. Statement of Significance

Certifying official has considered the significance of this property in relation to other properties:

nationally statewide locally

Applicable National Register Criteria A B C D

Criteria Considerations (Exceptions) A B C D E F G

Areas of Significance (enter categories from instructions)
Architecture

Period of Significance
c. 1915

Significant Dates
NA

Cultural Affiliation
NA

Significant Person
NA

Architect/Builder
Unknown

State significance of property, and justify criteria, criteria considerations, and areas and periods of significance noted above.

See continuation sheet

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Significance

Criterion C, local significance

The Rock Building is significant by virtue of its unusual vernacular design: a fieldstone masonry structure that features a rectangular plan with a gable roof cantilevered to form a front porch covering part of the roof. It stands as an unusual building by virtue of both design and construction and is unlike anything else from this period of White County history (Boom and Bust: The War and Depression Years, 1914-1939; Section E,4) in the county.

The original use of the building is not known; it is in fair condition.

9. Major Bibliographical References

Previous documentation on file (NPS):

- preliminary determination of individual listing (36 CFR 67) has been requested
- previously listed in the National Register
- previously determined eligible by the National Register
- designated a National Historic Landmark
- recorded by Historic American Buildings Survey # _____
- recorded by Historic American Engineering Record # _____

See continuation sheet

Primary location of additional data:

- State historic preservation office
- Other State agency
- Federal agency
- Local government
- University
- Other

Specify repository: _____

10. Geographical Data *map 19*

Acreage of property _____

UTM References

A
 Zone Easting Northing

C

B
 Zone Easting Northing

D

See continuation sheet

Verbal Boundary Description

See continuation sheet

Boundary Justification

See continuation sheet

11. Form Prepared By

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Acreage of property: Less than one

UTM References:

A 15/621000/3906935

Verbal Boundary Description:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the western edge of County Road 370 with a perpendicular line running along the northern elevation of the building, proceed westerly along said line to a point formed by its intersection with a perpendicular line running along the western elevation of the building; thence proceed southerly along said line to a point formed by its intersection with a perpendicular line running along the southern elevation of the building; thence proceed easterly along said line to a point formed by its intersection with the perpendicular line formed by the western edge of County Road 370; thence proceed northerly along said line to the point of beginning.

Boundary Justification:

This boundary includes all the property historically associated with this resource.

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EVALUATION/RETURN SHEET

REQUESTED ACTION: NOMINATION

PROPERTY NAME: Rock Building

MULTIPLE NAME: White County MPS

STATE & COUNTY: ARKANSAS, White

DATE RECEIVED: 8/01/91 DATE OF PENDING LIST: 8/15/91
DATE OF 16TH DAY: 8/31/91 DATE OF 45TH DAY: 9/15/91
DATE OF WEEKLY LIST:

REFERENCE NUMBER: 91001195

NOMINATOR: STATE

REASONS FOR REVIEW:

APPEAL: N DATA PROBLEM: N LANDSCAPE: N LESS THAN 50 YEARS: N
OTHER: N PDIL: N PERIOD: N PROGRAM UNAPPROVED: N
REQUEST: N SAMPLE: N SLR DRAFT: NATIONAL: N

COMMENT WAIVER: N

ACCEPT RETURN REJECT 9/13/91 DATE

ABSTRACT/SUMMARY COMMENTS:

See attached comments

RECOM./CRITERIA Return
REVIEWER Harper
DISCIPLINE Historian
DATE 9/13/91

DOCUMENTATION see attached comments Y N see attached SLR Y/N

CLASSIFICATION

___count ___resource type

STATE/FEDERAL AGENCY CERTIFICATION

FUNCTION

___historic ___current

DESCRIPTION

___architectural classification
___materials
___descriptive text

SIGNIFICANCE

Period Areas of Significance--Check and justify below

Specific dates Builder/Architect
Statement of Significance (in one paragraph)

___summary paragraph
___completeness
___clarity
___applicable criteria
___justification of areas checked
___relating significance to the resource
___context
___relationship of integrity to significance
___justification of exception
___other

BIBLIOGRAPHY

GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

___acreage ___verbal boundary description
___UTMs ___boundary justification

ACCOMPANYING DOCUMENTATION/PRESENTATION

___sketch maps ___USGS maps ___photographs ___presentation

OTHER COMMENTS

Questions concerning this nomination may be directed to

Signed Patricia Andrus Phone _____ Date 9/13/91

Rock Building
White County MPS
White County, ARKANSAS

Reviewer's Comments

The boundaries of this property are presently located along building lines. A resource listed in the National Register should include all features of the property which contribute to its significance. In almost all cases this includes its historic setting. Page 77 of National Register Bulletin 16, Guidelines for Completing National Register of Historic Places Forms, states that "the boundaries of buildings should include the land surrounding the building, unless the lot occupied by the building contains no surrounding land as in the central business district of most cities."

Please revise the boundaries to include the property historically associated with the resource. If a portion of the original setting has lost its integrity, please explain.

Marilyn Harper
Historian
Sept. 16, 1991

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NATIONAL REGISTER

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 *Guidelines for Completing National Register Forms* (National Register Bulletin 16). Complete each item by marking "x" in the appropriate box or by entering the requested information. If an item does not apply to the property being documented, enter "N/A" for "not applicable." For functions, styles, materials, and areas of significance, enter only the categories and subcategories listed in the instructions. For additional space use continuation sheets (Form 10-900a). Type all entries.

1. Name of Property

historic name Rock Building
other names/site number WH0618

2. Location

street & number County Road 370 not for publication NA
city, town Plainview vicinity
state Arkansas code AR county White code AR 145 zip code 72081

3. Classification

Ownership of Property	Category of Property	Number of Resources within Property	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> building(s)	Contributing	Noncontributing
<input type="checkbox"/> public-local	<input type="checkbox"/> district	<u>1</u>	<u> </u> buildings
<input type="checkbox"/> public-State	<input type="checkbox"/> site	<u> </u>	<u> </u> sites
<input type="checkbox"/> public-Federal	<input type="checkbox"/> structure	<u> </u>	<u> </u> structures
	<input type="checkbox"/> object	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u> Total

Name of related multiple property listing:
Historic and Architectural Resources
of White County, Arkansas

Number of contributing resources previously listed in the National Register NA

4. State/Federal Agency Certification

As the designated authority under the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended, I hereby certify that this 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 forth in 36 CFR Part 60. In my opinion, the property meets does not meet the National Register criteria. See continuation sheet.

Cathryn A. Buford 5-9-91
Signature of certifying official Date
Arkansas Historic Preservation Program
State or Federal agency and bureau

In my opinion, the property meets does not meet the National Register criteria. See continuation sheet.

Signature of commenting or other official Date

State or Federal agency and bureau

5. 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.

other, (explain:)

Mary M. [Signature] 7/23/92

Signature of the Keeper Date of Action

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Criteria Considerations (Exceptions) A B C D E F G

Areas of Significance (enter categories from instructions)

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Period of Significance

c. 1915

Significant Dates

NA

Cultural Affiliation

NA

Significant Person

NA

Architect/Builder

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See continuation sheet

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Acreage of property: Less than one

UTM References:

A 15/621000/3906935

Verbal Boundary Description:

Beginning at the point formed by the intersection of a line running along the western edge of County Road 370 with a perpendicular line running parallel to the northern elevation of the building and located 50 feet to the north thereof, proceed westerly along said line for a distance of approximately 200 feet to the point formed by its intersection with a perpendicular line running parallel to the western elevation of the building; thence proceed southerly along said line for a distance of approximately 200 feet to a point formed by its intersection with a perpendicular line running parallel to the southern elevation of the building; thence proceed easterly for a distance of approximately 200 feet along said line to its intersection with a perpendicular line running along the western edge of County Road 370; thence proceed northerly for a distance of approximately 200 feet along said line to the point of beginning.

Boundary Justification:

This resource was constructed as part of a larger farmstead that has lost its integrity as such; thus, this boundary includes all the property known to be historically associated with this resource.

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ARKANSAS

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91001332	Morris Institute Dairy Barn	Substantive Review	7/20/92
91001178	National Guard Armory Building	Substantive Review	9-13-91
91001356	Neaville, J.A., House		7/22/92
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91001231	Rialto Theater	Substantive Review	9-13-91
91001245	Robertson Drugstore	Substantive Review	9-13-91
91001221	Robertson House		9-5-91
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91001230	Rodgers, Porter, Sr., House		9-5-91
91001219	Rogers, Bob, House	Substantive Review	9-13-91
91001346	Roper House		9-5-91
91001271	Russell Jail		7/23/92
91001306	Scott--Davis House	Substantive Review	7/20/92
91001227	Searcy City Hall		9-5-91
91001200	Searcy Post Office		7/20/92
91001208	Sears, Dean L. C., House		7/20/92
91001261	Sellers House		9-5-91
91001257	Shue House		9-5-91
91001299	Shutter, John, House	Substantive Review	9-5-91
91001367	Siler, Luther, Gin	Substantive Review	7/20/92
91001342	Simpson, Stanley, Farmstead Picking Sled		9-13-91
91001218	Smith House		9-5-91
91001223	Smith, A. J., House		9-5-91

Do I own the object? Substantive Review
Do I own the object? Substantive Review

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NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
EVALUATION/RETURN SHEET

REQUESTED ACTION: RESUBMISSION

PROPERTY Rock Building
NAME:

MULTIPLE White County MPS
NAME:

STATE & COUNTY: ARKANSAS, White

DATE RECEIVED: 6/23/92

DATE OF PENDING LIST:

DATE OF 16TH DAY:

DATE OF 45TH DAY: 8/07/92

DATE OF WEEKLY LIST:

REFERENCE NUMBER: 91001195

NOMINATOR: STATE

DETAILED EVALUATION: Y

ACCEPT RETURN REJECT 7/23/92 DATE

ABSTRACT/SUMMARY COMMENTS:

unusual stone building, constructed c. 1915, of uncertain original use. Part of a larger farmstead at the time it was built. Gable roof extends beyond exterior walls to form sheltered, porch-like area.

Concerns raised in earlier return have been addressed

RECOM./CRITERIA Accept/C
REVIEWER Hopper
DISCIPLINE Historian
DATE 7/23/92

DOCUMENTATION see attached comments Y/N see attached SLR Y/N

CLASSIFICATION

count resource type

STATE/FEDERAL AGENCY CERTIFICATION

FUNCTION

historic current

DESCRIPTION

architectural classification
 materials
 descriptive text

SIGNIFICANCE

Period Areas of Significance--Check and justify below

Specific dates Builder/Architect
Statement of Significance (in one paragraph)

summary paragraph
 completeness
 clarity
 applicable criteria
 justification of areas checked
 relating significance to the resource
 context
 relationship of integrity to significance
 justification of exception
 other

BIBLIOGRAPHY

GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

acreage verbal boundary description
 UTM's boundary justification

ACCOMPANYING DOCUMENTATION/PRESENTATION

sketch maps USGS maps photographs presentation

OTHER COMMENTS

Questions concerning this nomination may be directed to

_____ Phone _____

Signed _____

Date _____



ROCK BUILDING White (C)
PLAINVIEW VIC., ARKANSAS
PHOTOGRAPHED BY D. BROWN
OCTOBER, 1986
NEGATIVE ON FILE AT ANPP
VIEW FROM NORTHEAST



ROCK BUILDING
PLAINVIEW VIC., ARKANSAS - White
PHOTOGRAPHED BY D. BROWN
OCTOBER, 1986
NEGATIVE ON FILE AT ANPP
VIEW FROM SOUTHWEST



ROCK BUILDING
PLAINVIEW VIC., ARKANSAS
PHOTOGRAPHED BY D. BROWN
OCTOBER, 1986
NEGATIVE ON FILE AT AHPP
VIEW FROM NORTHWEST *white*

Please refer to the map in the
Multiple Property Cover Sheet
for this property

Multiple Property Cover Sheet Reference Number: 64500033