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DATA SHEET

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

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NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES INVENTORY -- NOMINATION FORM

SEE INSTRUCTIONS IN *HOW TO COMPLETE NATIONAL REGISTER FORMS*
TYPE ALL ENTRIES -- COMPLETE APPLICABLE SECTIONS

1 NAME

HISTORIC *nlh*
****** Lobb House
AND/OR COMMON
Lobb/Madigan House

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER
203 W. Onota Street
CITY, TOWN
Munising
STATE
Michigan
VICINITY OF
11th
COUNTY
Alger
CODE
026
CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT
11th
NOT FOR PUBLICATION
COUNTY CODE
Alger 003

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	PRESENT USE
<input type="checkbox"/> DISTRICT	<input type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUPIED	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BUILDING(S)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PRIVATE	<input type="checkbox"/> UNOCCUPIED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MUSEUM
<input type="checkbox"/> STRUCTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> BOTH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WORK IN PROGRESS	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL
<input type="checkbox"/> SITE	PUBLIC ACQUISITION	ACCESSIBLE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATIONAL
<input type="checkbox"/> OBJECT	<input type="checkbox"/> IN PROCESS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES: RESTRICTED	<input type="checkbox"/> ENTERTAINMENT
	<input type="checkbox"/> BEING CONSIDERED	<input type="checkbox"/> YES: UNRESTRICTED	<input type="checkbox"/> GOVERNMENT
		<input type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRIAL
			<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER:

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME
Alger County Historical Society
STREET & NUMBER
203 W. Onota Street
CITY, TOWN
Munising
STATE
Michigan
VICINITY OF

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.
Register of Deeds
STREET & NUMBER
Alger County Court House
CITY, TOWN
Munising
STATE
Michigan

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE
Michigan History Division Registered Local Site No. 259
DATE
November 1973
DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS
Michigan History Division, Department of State
CITY, TOWN
3423 N. Logan, Lansing
STATE
Michigan
_FEDERAL STATE _COUNTY _LOCAL

7 DESCRIPTION

CONDITION

EXCELLENT
 GOOD
 FAIR

DETERIORATED
 RUINS
 UNEXPOSED

CHECK ONE

UNALTERED
 ALTERED

CHECK ONE

ORIGINAL SITE
 MOVED DATE _____

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The Lobb/Madigan house is a two-and-one-half story frame structure, 42 x 28' in plan. A hipped roof with a generous overhang tops the structure and a large verandah sweeps around the north and east sides. The windows are one-by-one, double-hung sash, and many feature rare art glass. The house was designed by Edward DeMare, an architect in Sault Ste. Marie, and built in the year 1907.

The interior of the house is lavish. Many of the floors are oak or finished to resemble oak; those in the living room and dining room feature parquet borders. The walls of many of the ground floor rooms are paneled in oak. A large fireplace dominates the living room, and an elaborate built-in side-board enhances the dining room. The bedrooms are large and with high ceilings. There is a second fireplace in the front bedroom, and each bedroom contains elaborate built-in wardrobes.

The Lobb/Madigan home is in good condition. The only exterior change has been the removal of a wooden balustrade from the roof of the verandah, but this in no way harms the overall integrity of the home. No significant changes have been made to the interior.

In 1973, the Alger Historical Society purchased the home from the Madigan estate and uses it as a museum. As part of this project, they intend to do what restoration work is needed, and re-assemble the lavish gold furniture which made up the original furnishing, but now belongs to relatives and descendants of the Lobb family.

8 SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW

- | | | | | |
|-----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC | <input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC | <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING | <input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE | <input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499 | <input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC | <input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION | <input type="checkbox"/> LAW | <input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599 | <input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE | <input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS | <input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE | <input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE <i>below</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION | <input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799 | <input type="checkbox"/> ART | <input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING | <input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC | <input type="checkbox"/> THEATER |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899 | <input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE | <input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT | <input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY | <input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1900- | <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY | <input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT | <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY) |
| | | <input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION | | |

SPECIFIC DATES

1907

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

Edward De Mare

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Lobb/Madigan house, one of the most spacious, opulent, and well-known houses in Munising, is a monument to the indomitable will of Elizabeth Lobb. In the late 1890s, she played a role in first the mining industry and later the operation of a large brick company in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan. The house, a symbol of her achievement, is now owned by the Alger County Historical Society and is the site of a local historical museum.

Elizabeth Lobb played a significant role in the development of the Upper Peninsula of Michigan in the late nineteenth century. Born Elizabeth Down on June 30, 1845 in Tavistock, England, at age twenty-eight, she married Edward Lobb, who had just returned from the Negaunee area of the Upper Peninsula of Michigan. The young couple migrated to the United States and settled in Princeton Township in Marquette County.

The history of the Lobb family in the early 1870s, a time of steady expansion of iron mines in the Marquette area, is obscure. The Princeton mine was discovered on land which they owned, and the royalties made the family wealthy. In 1883, the Lobbs were in Negaunee where Mr. Lobb owned and operated a saloon and hotel. By 1890 Mr. Lobb was President of the Bessie Mining Company and President and General Manager of the East Buffalo Mine.

The Anna River Brick Company was organized in 1887. By the summer of 1889, the company had begun actual production at their brickyard, located some eight miles east of Au Train. During these years the company employed about five hundred men from the surrounding locality, and had two kilns, each of which could burn 300,000 bricks at a time. The transfer of the company's offices to Hallston, a small postoffice eight miles west of Munising, in 1902, probably led to the Lobb's moving to Munising. Madame Lobb no doubt wanted to be close to the company's operations since her holdings by this time had grown to nine hundred seventy-five out of 1600 shares.

The Lobbs quickly became the leading family in town because of the importance of the brickyard to the economy of Munising. Yet even while Nathaniel Lobb presided over the company and participated in community affairs, his mother, Madame Lobb, dominated. Up to 1906, her son owned only five shares, and she owned the rest. In 1907, the company was forced to dissolve because a mortgage foreclosed, requiring the sale of tangible

9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

"Annual Corporate Reports of the Anna River Brick Company to the State of Michigan." 1889 No. 8; No. 25; 1899 No. 84; 1901 No. 5; 1902 No. 134; 1905 No. 180; 1906 No. 196; 1908 No. 253.

Grand Marais Pilot. Feb. 28, 1973. p.3.

History of the Upper Peninsula of Michigan. Chicago: Western Publishing Co.

10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY less than acre

UTM REFERENCES

A

16	5	26	0	35	51	39	0	5	0
ZONE			EASTING			NORTHING			

B

ZONE			EASTING			NORTHING			

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

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

STATE	CODE	COUNTY	CODE

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

Floyd Patterson, Historic Site Specialist

ORGANIZATION

Michigan History Division, Department of State

DATE

November 31, 1973

STREET & NUMBER

3423 N. Logan

TELEPHONE

373-0510

CITY OR TOWN

Lansing

STATE

Michigan

48910

12 STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER CERTIFICATION

THE EVALUATED SIGNIFICANCE OF THIS PROPERTY WITHIN THE STATE IS:

NATIONAL STATE LOCAL

As the designated State Historic Preservation 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.

STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER SIGNATURE

Michael Walsh

TITLE

Deputy Director, Michigan History Division

DATE

3/12/76

FOR NPS USE ONLY

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PROPERTY IS INCLUDED IN THE NATIONAL REGISTER

Acting

Jerry L. ...

DATE

10/8/96

DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF ARCHEOLOGY AND HISTORIC PRESERVATION

ATTEST:

[Signature]

DATE

9/30/76

KEEPER OF THE NATIONAL REGISTER

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assets. Madame Lobb held the mortgage, and the family purchased all the assets and continued to operate the brickyard until 1920.

The clearest indicator of the importance of Madame Lobb can be seen in the house which she built on the corner of Onota and Lynn Streets. Despite the fact that her son and family lived in the house, only Madame Lobb is mentioned in the story which appeared in the Munising News for January 31, 1908. This story described the gala reception which "fittingly celebrated the social opening of Mrs. Lobb's handsome residence, which would be a credit and an ornament to any city in the state."

Madame Lobb assumed a lesser role as she advanced in age. Beginning in 1912, she spent the winters in Florida and the summers in Munising. She died at age eighty-one on July 15, 1926 and was buried in the family plot at Negaunee.

Nathaniel Lobb lived in the house until 1934 when he moved to Texas. The house then changed hands twice, and was bought in 1945 by John and Francis Madigan who lived in it until their deaths. In 1973 it was purchased by the Alger County Historical Society.

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1883. p.461.

Marquette Daily Mining Journal. July 16, 1926. p. 2.

Munising News. Feb. 22, 1907 [p. 9]; Jan. 31, 1908 [p. 1]; July 16,
1926 [p. 8].

Property Lobb House

Ref # 76001023

State Michigan

Working Number 3.31.76.2936

Alger

TECHNICAL

Photos 1
Maps 1

*Drawings missing. UFM incorrect. 9.29.76
#12 Deco M and other have tentatively assigned.
a cont sheet*

CONTROL
CM
9.2.76
OK

~~A fail to grasp Mrs. Lobb's role in local industry & society. Needs revisits. Bad photo - house obscured by snow.~~

HISTORIAN
~~Return~~ Accept
Rittenbaur
6/19/76 6/24/76

NOMINATION'S STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE SOMEWHAT CONFUSING AND SHOULD HAVE ALSO BEEN NOMINATED FOR ARCHITECTURAL SIGNIFICANCE, BUT IS ELIGIBLE FOR INDUSTRIAL AND SOCIAL SIGNIFICANCE AS WRITTEN.

ARCHITECTURAL HISTORIAN

Call for average

ACCEPT
LEBOVICH
6.21.76

If industrial structures associated with Mrs. Lobb still exist, they ought to be nominated instead of her house. If house is all that's left, then accept it. (see phone report).

ARCHEOLOGIST

OTHER

HAER

Inventory _____
Review _____

Major significance may be architectural but significance is there and local support is evidenced.

REVIEW UNIT CHIEF

Accept
W.R. Price
9/27/76

BRANCH CHIEF

[Signature]
9.28.76

KEEPER

[Signature]
9/30/76

National Register Write-up _____
Federal Register Entry 11-2-76

Send-back _____
Re-submit _____

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INT:2106-74



Alger County Historical society Museum
(Lobb-Madigan) House ,203 West Onota St. Munising, Mich 49862

Purchased by ACHS from the Frances Madigan estate, June 1, 1973
Purchase price \$28,000 (unfurnished)
Picture taken. February. 1973

Form No. 10-301a
(Rev. 10-74)

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1 NAME

HISTORIC

Lobb House

AND/OR COMMON

Lobb/Madigan House

2 LOCATION

CITY, TOWN

Munising

___ VICINITY OF

COUNTY

Alger

STATE

Michigan

3 PHOTO REFERENCE

PHOTO CREDIT

Mary Jayne's Photos

DATE OF PHOTO

February 1973

NEGATIVE FILED AT

130 E. Onota St. Munising, Michigan 49862

4 IDENTIFICATION

DESCRIBE VIEW, DIRECTION, ETC. IF DISTRICT, GIVE BUILDING NAME & STREET

Picture shows the north and east sides of the
house

PHOTO NO.

MARY JAYNE'S PHOTOS
130 E. Onota St.
Munising, Mich. 49862
Phone EY 7-2301

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**NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
PROPERTY MAP FORM**

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HISTORIC

Lobb House

AND/OR COMMON

Lobb/Madigan House

2 LOCATION

CITY, TOWN

Munising

___ VICINITY OF

COUNTY

Alger

STATE

Michigan

3 MAP REFERENCE

SOURCE

Munising Quad. USGS 15' Series

SCALE

1:62500

DATE

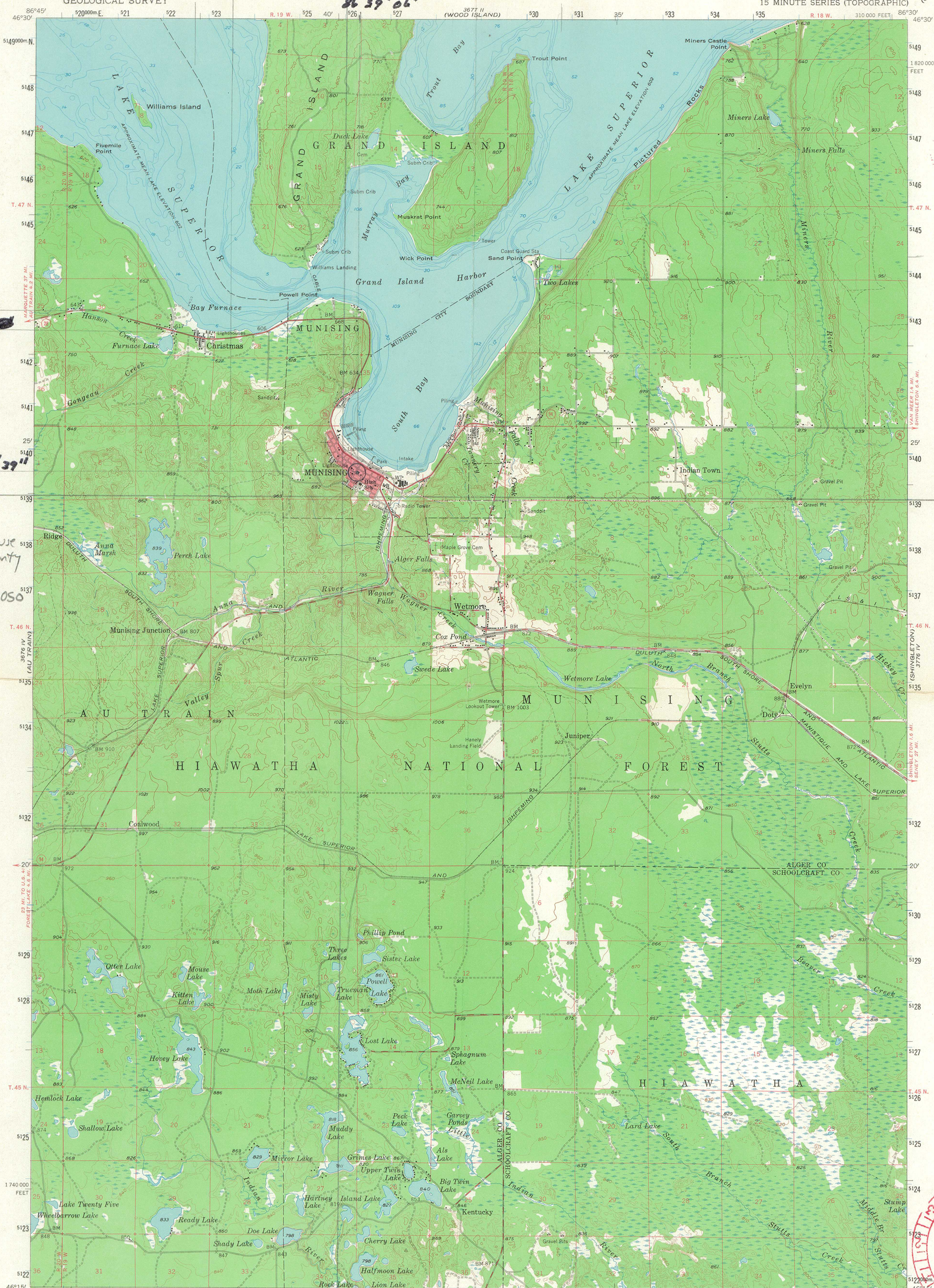
1958

4 REQUIREMENTS

TO BE INCLUDED ON ALL MAPS

1. PROPERTY BOUNDARIES
2. NORTH ARROW
3. UTM REFERENCES

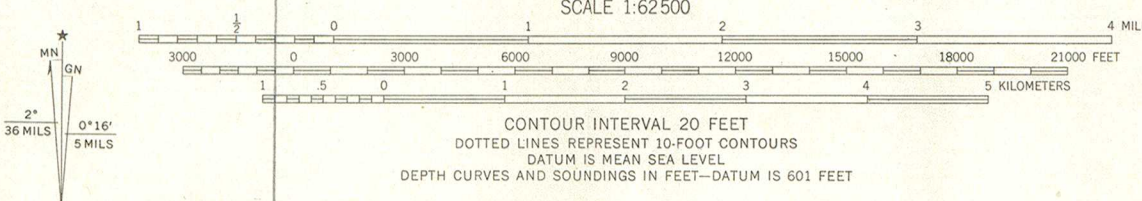
3777 M
(GRAND PORTAL
POINT)



Lobb-Madigan House
Munising, Alger County
Michigan
UTM 16S26035/5139050

(TRENARY)
3076 M

Mapped, edited, and published by the Geological Survey
Control by USGS, USC&GS, and U.S. Lake Survey
Topography from aerial photographs by photogrammetric methods
Aerial photographs taken 1953. Field check 1958
Hydrography compiled from U.S. Lake Survey charts 93
and 931 (1955)
Polyconic projection. 1927 North American datum
10,000-foot grid based on Michigan coordinate system, central zone
1000-meter Universal Transverse Mercator grid ticks,
zone 16, shown in blue
Red tint indicates area in which only
landmark buildings are shown

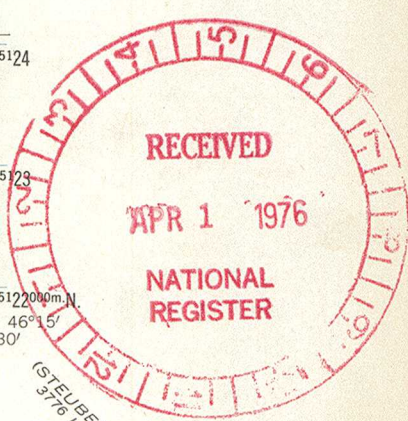


ROAD CLASSIFICATION

Heavy-duty	Light-duty
Medium-duty	Unimproved dirt
○ State Route	



THIS MAP COMPLIES WITH NATIONAL MAP ACCURACY STANDARDS
FOR SALE BY U.S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY, WASHINGTON, D. C. 20242
A FOLDER DESCRIBING TOPOGRAPHIC MAPS AND SYMBOLS IS AVAILABLE ON REQUEST



MUNISING, MICH.
N 4615-W 8630/15
1958
AMS 3676 I SERIES V762

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MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF STATE
RICHARD H. AUSTIN SECRETARY OF STATE



LANSING
MICHIGAN 48918

MICHIGAN HISTORY DIVISION
ADMINISTRATION, ARCHIVES,
HISTORIC SITES, AND PUBLICATIONS
3423 N. Logan Street
517-373-0510
STATE MUSEUM
505 N. Washington Avenue
517-373-0515

March 15, 1976

Dr. William T. Murtagh
Keeper of the National Register
Room 3209
1100 L Street, N.W.
Department of the Interior
Washington, D. C. 20005

Dear Mr. Murtagh:

The Michigan History Division of the Department of State is herein submitting for your consideration the following nomination to the National Register of Historic Places:

Lobb House, Munising, Alger County

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Martha M. Bigelow".

Martha M. Bigelow
Director, Michigan History Division
and
State Historic Preservation Officer

MMB:KE:pr



DATE 6/21/76

TIME OF CALL 12:00

AM
PM

TELEPHONE REPORT

1. CALL TO: FROM (Name)

2. ADDRESS (Tel. No. if needed)

CATHARINE ECKERT

MICHIGAN

3. SUBJECT, PROJECT NO., ETC.

LOBB HOUSE NOMINATION

4. DETAILS OF DISCUSSION

- less than one acre
- also check architecture
- other properties associated with Mrs. Lobb?
will check

6/24/76

No other properties associated with Mrs. Lobb.

NAME OF PERSON PLACING/RECEIVING CALL

TITLE

OFFICE

Bill Lebowitz

ARCH HIST.

N.R.

ENTRIES IN THE NATIONAL REGISTER

STATE MICHIGAN

Date Entered OCT 8 1976

Name

Location

Lobb House

Munising
Alger County

Also Notified

Hon. Robert P. Griffin
Hon. Philip A. Hart
Hon. Philip E. Ruppe
Regional Director, Midwest Region
880-MMOTT:sle:10-12-76

State Historic Preservation Officer
Dr. Martha M. Bigelow
Director, Michigan History Division
Department of State
Lansing, Michigan 48918

NR Data Sheet

DATE: 6-21-76
Reviewer INITIALS: LEBOVICH
NR ✓ DOE ✓ OCT 8 1976

NAME AS IT APPEARS IN FEDERAL REGISTER: LoBB House

OTHER NAMES: LoBB / MADIGAN HOUSE sec

LOCATION:

STREET & NUMBER: 203 W. ONOTA STREET

CITY/TOWN: MUNISING

STATE: MICHIGAN 026

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT: 11TH

COUNTY: ALGER code 003

OWNER OF PROPERTY: (Circle) PRIVATE STATE LOCAL GOV'T MUNICIPAL COUNTY OTHER

ADMINISTRATOR (underline)

FEDERAL (AGENCY NAME):

NPS REGION: (CIRCLE) N. ATLANTIC MID ATLANTIC SOUTHEAST MIDWEST
SOUTHWEST ROCKY MOUNTAIN WEST PACIFIC NORTHWEST

FEATURES:

INTERIOR Substantially intact-1 unknown-4 not applicable-7
EXTERIOR Substantially intact-2 unknown-5 not applicable-8
ENVIRONS Substantially intact-3 unknown-6 Not applicable-9

Interior, exterior, environs not intact-0

CONDITION - EXCELLENT DETERIORATED UNALTERED ORIGINAL SITE
 GOOD RUINS ALTERED MOVED
 FAIR UNEXPOSED Reconstructed Unknown
 Unexcavated Excavated

ACCESS - Yes-restricted Yes-unrestricted No access Unknown

historic district? YES NO

WITHIN NATIONAL REGISTER HISTORIC DISTRICT? YES NO
IF YES, NAME:

WITHIN NATIONAL HISTORIC LANDMARK? YES NO
IF YES, NAME:

ADAPTIVE USE: YES NO Saved? YES NO

FUNCTION(S): (use vocabulary words)
then- RESIDENTIAL
now- MUSEUM

SIGNIFICANCE:

- | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC | <input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION | <input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE | <input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION | <input type="checkbox"/> entertainment |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC | <input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS | <input type="checkbox"/> LAW/Gov't/politics | <input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE | <input type="checkbox"/> health |
| <input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE | <input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION | <input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN | <input type="checkbox"/> recreation |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> ART | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION | <input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC | <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY) | <input type="checkbox"/> socio/cultural |
| <input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY | <input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY | | <input type="checkbox"/> urban & commun |
| <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS | <input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION | <input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT | | <input type="checkbox"/> planning |

Claims

"first?" YES NO "oldest?" YES NO "only?" YES NO

Do not film

ARCHITECTURAL STYLE: COLONIAL REVIVAL

architect/m.builder: EDWARD DE MAIRE

engineer:

landscape/garden designer:

artist/artisan:

interior decorator:

builder/contractor:

ETHNIC GROUP:

NAMES:

(label role & appropriate date)

personal

ELIZABETH LOBB WAS OWNER OF MINE AND LARGE BRICK CO. AND SOCIALITE

events

institutional

DATES:

DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (Specific date or 1/4 of century): 1907

DATE(S) OF "MAJOR" ALTERATIONS:

HISTORICALLY SIGNIFICANT DATE(S):

SOURCE:

(OF NOMINATION)

PRIVATE

STATE

LOCAL GOV'T

MUNICIPAL

COUNTY

OTHER

FEDERAL AGENCY:

ACREAGE:

(to nearest tenth of an acre)

COMMENTS: (include architectural information here)

FRAME, 2 1/2, RECTANGULAR, HIPPED WITH DORMERS AND CAPPED CHIMNEYS

1 STORY PORCH WITH COUPLED COLUMNS, CIRCULAR ENTRANCE OVERHANG

OPULENT INTERIORS

SIGNIFICANCE: (maximum two sentences)

THIS STRUCTURE IS A SYMBOLIC OF THE IMPORTANCE AND THE WEALTH THAT ACCURED TO THE OWNER, MRS ELIZABETH LOBB, WHO PLAYED A MAJOR ROLE IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE UPPER PENINSULA OF MICHIGAN AS THE OWNER OF A MINE AND A LARGE BRICK YARD.

ARCHITECTURAL STYLE: *Georgian Revival*

architect/m.builder: *Edward J. Mann*

engineer:

landscape/garden designer:

artist/artisan:

interior decorator:

builder/contractor:

ETHNIC GROUP:

NAMES:

(label role & appropriate date)

personal

Elizabeth Lobb was owner of Mine and later built the house

events

institutional

DATES:

DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (Specific date or 1/4 of century): *1857*

DATE(S) OF "MAJOR" ALTERATIONS:

HISTORICALLY SIGNIFICANT DATE(S):

SOURCE:

(OF NOMINATION)

PRIVATE

STATE

LOCAL GOV'T

MUNICIPAL

COUNTY

OTHER

FEDERAL AGENCY:

ACREAGE:

(to nearest tenth of an acre)

✓ Frame, clapboarding; 2 1/2 stories, rectangular, hipped roof with dormers, interior chimneys with corbeled caps, front-center entrance, 1 story front and side wraparound porch with bowed entrance pavilion, wide overhanging bracketed eaves; lavish interiors; alterations. Georgian Revival elements. Built for Mrs. Elizabeth Lobb, prominent mine owner and business-woman who greatly influenced the development of the Upper Peninsula. Museum. *tial in*



ARCHITECTURAL STYLE: *Georgian Revival*

architect/m.builder: *Edward De Mure* ^②

engineer:

landscape/garden designer:

artist/artisan:

interior decorator:

builder/contractor:

ETHNIC GROUP:

NAMES:

(label role & appropriate date)

personal

Elizabeth Lobb was owner of Mine and later built E. Hill

events

institutional

DATES:

DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (Specific date or 1/4 of century): *1907*

DATE(S) OF "MAJOR" ALTERATIONS:

HISTORICALLY SIGNIFICANT DATE(S):

SOURCE:

(OF NOMINATION)

PRIVATE

STATE

LOCAL GOV'T

MUNICIPAL

COUNTY

OTHER

FEDERAL AGENCY:

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