
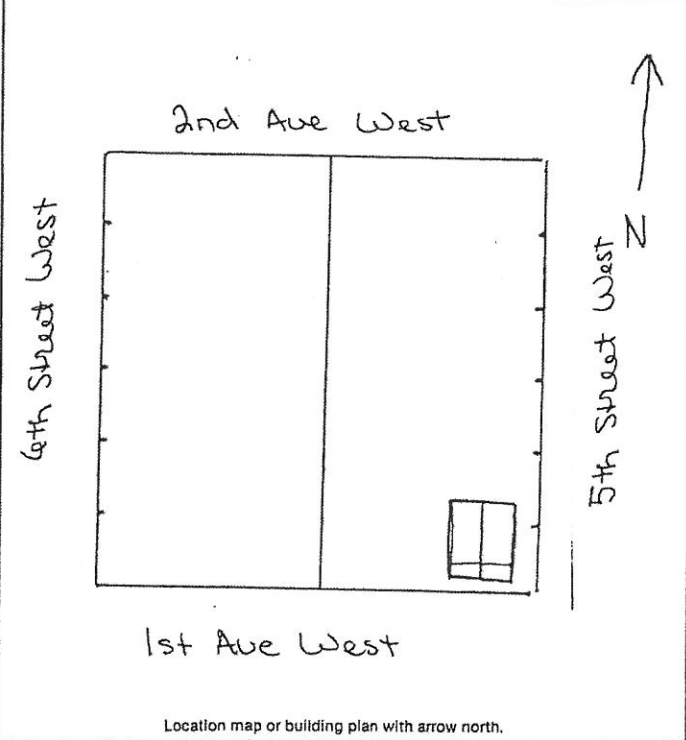


MONTANA HISTORICAL AND ARCHITECTURAL INVENTORY

Legal Description: <u>Block 2, E75' of Lot 5, E75' of Lot 6, Park Addition</u> Address: <u>First Street West</u> Ownership: name: <u>Mary E. Gunnels</u> <input type="checkbox"/> private <input type="checkbox"/> public address: <u>2407 Amarillo Boulevard, Amarillo, Texas</u>	Site # _____	
Roll # <u>B3</u> Frame # <u>14</u>		



Historic Name: <u>La Pierre's filling station</u> Common Name: _____ Date of Construction: <u>before 1920</u> <input type="checkbox"/> estimated <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> documented Architect: _____ Builder: _____ Original Owner: <u>Candy and ice cream store</u> Original Use: <u>Saw repair shop</u> Present Use: _____ Research Sources: <input type="checkbox"/> abstract of title <input type="checkbox"/> city directories <input type="checkbox"/> plat records/maps <input type="checkbox"/> sewer/water permits <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> tax cards <input type="checkbox"/> obituaries <input type="checkbox"/> building permit <input type="checkbox"/> biographies <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sanborn maps — dates: <u>1920; before 1920</u> Bibliography: <u>Interview: Bob Waltz 7/14/83</u> <u>Fred Tressl 8/22/83</u> <u>Chain of Ownership cards, Clerk and Recorder's Office</u>

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: Describe present appearance of structure/site, then contrast and compare that with it's original appearance, noting additions, alterations, and changes in materials. Discuss significant architectural features.

A one-story, wood-frame, square-shaped commercial structure with flat roof, beveled siding with end boards, concrete foundation (where visible). West side of building has stepped sides. East section of building was added later. Front of building has large canopy supported by 4x4 and beams. Front entryway is recessed. Door is wood with panels and light, with overhead panel (transom) and side lights. Front windows are fixed, multipane with wood surround trim and sills. Side garage addition has wood frame, sliding wood doors with panels and lights. Rear of building has interior chimney.

This is a contributing structure.

HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE: Justify how the persons, important events, and/or historical patterns associated with the structure/site and surrounding area lend the property significance.

This structure is significant because it is the only surviving filling station from Roundup's early history (i.e. 1920). It originally was a candy and ice cream store. It became the La Pierre filling station in the 1920's and remained a filling station under La Rierre, and a subsequent owner, Gus Wiegum.

source: "Interview: Fred Tressl, August 22 1983

INTEGRITY: Assess the degree to which the structure/site, and surrounding area accurately convey the historical associations of the property.

This old gasoline station is located along a major highway into town, near other commercial buildings. It possesses integrity of location, design, and material. Later addition appears to have been made during historical periods but does not detract from integrity of the structure.

INFORMATION VALUE: Explain how the extant structure/site may demonstrate or yield information about its historic use or construction.

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GEOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION:

Acreage: less than one acre

USGS Quad: Roundup, MT

UTM's: _____