


MONTANA HISTORICAL AND ARCHITECTURAL INVENTORY

Site # _____



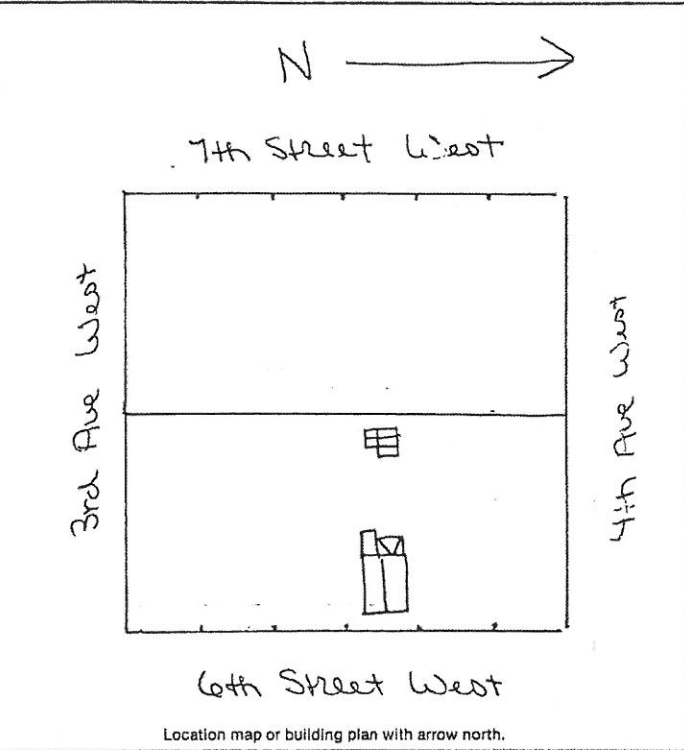
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Legal Description: Block 7, Lot 3, Steen Addition

Address: 315 Sixth Street West

Ownership: name: Ethel F. Clark

private address: Box 641, Roundup, Mt.
 public



Historic Name: _____

Common Name: Johnny Simanich's House

Date of Construction: 1931 Added to as _____ estimated documented

Architect: needed

Builder: John Simanich

Original Owner: John Simanich

Original Use: Residence

Present Use: Residence

Research Sources:

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Bibliography:

Interview: Ethel Clark 7/20/83
 Chain of Ownership cards, Clerk and Recorder's Office

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.

This one and one-half story rectangular building is made of logs, wood frame and cement blocks. It has a gable roof with two interior chimneys (one with a central pipe extending from it), wood shingles on the roof, eaves with exposed rafters and 1/1 double-hung windows, and 1/1 fixed windows, 2/2 double-hung windows, 4/4 double-hung and a small 1/1 double-hung window in the upper gable.

This house was originally a one-room log cabin, then a second cement block room was added with the upstairs, then the back was framed in and shed and hip roof additions put on.

To the rear is a second story wood board door over the roof of the shed addition. The siding is stucco with one log corner board still exposed, wood shingles over the rear additions and asphalt roofing in the rear. There is a large extended cement sill under the front pair of 1/1 double-hung windows.

To the rear is a log "squatters" cabin, originally square with gable roof, hewed logs with cement chinking, boarded up windows and doors. Added to this is a board and batten gable roof addition. Asphalt roofing over all, no foundation. Added further was a square tall, gable roof wood sided with corner boards added space with fixed and 1/1 double-hung windows.

Both these structures show the "add-on" nature of the local architecture. 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.

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

This unusual house is located in a block of predominantly moved-in and remodeled houses. This house was built here and added to as needed. Despite a need for upkeep, this house retains integrity of design and materials.

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

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Date: July 20, 1983

GEOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION:

Acreage: Less than one acre.

USGS Quad: Roundup, Mt.

UTM's: _____