

CITY OF STILLWATER ARCHITECTURE- HISTORY INVENTORY FORM

Historic Name: House

Address: 212 West Cherry Street

Current Owner:

Inventory No. WA-SWC-442

County: Washington

PIN: 10690-2850

City/Township: Stillwater

Review/Compliance No:

Township: T30N Range: R20W, Section 28 (SW 1/4 NE 1/4 and SE 1/4 NW 1/4)

U.S.G.S. Quad Map: Stillwater, Minn-Wisc., 1967, photorevised 1980

U.T.M.: 15 514760 4989360

Architect/Contractor:

Style: Homestead

Date Built: 1872 (County Assessor)

Photo Number(s): Roll 012537

Frame(s) 14, 15

Survey Name: Stillwater North Hill (Original Town) Survey: HRI File #1369

Form prepared by: Norene Roberts, Historical Research Inc.

Date Surveyed: February-May, 1995

Physical Description: This Greek Revival-style residence has a front-facing gable, is two stories, has returned eaves and new corner blocks. Its windows are 6-over-6 and 6-over-1 and a huge picture window on the west side. It has gabled or pointed window lintels. It has a newer two-bay front gabled garage. There is a Craftsman-style front projecting gabled portico which is not original to the house.

Significance: This house is ____ is not X preliminarily eligible to the National Register of Historic Places. This study is a preliminary determination because it is the first of the Stillwater neighborhoods to be surveyed.

Statewide Historic Contexts: St. Croix Triangle Lumbering, 1843 -1914; Early Agriculture and River Settlement, 1840-1870.

Local Historic Context: Development of Residential Neighborhoods in Stillwater, 1850s-1940s.

National Register Eligible (prelim.): ____ Yes X No ____ Insufficient Information

Date listed on the National Register:

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Present Use: Residential, single family

Zoning District: RB-2 family residential

Integrity:

___ Excellent
___ Good
X Fair
___ Poor

Condition:

___ Excellent
X Good
___ Fair
___ Poor

Stories: 2

Roof style or shape: Front gabled

Structural System: Wood-framed

Windows: 2-over-2 wood windows on front

Foundation: Cement skim coat scored to resemble block; underlying material not visible

Wall Treatment: Weatherboard

Alterations: Projecting front entry, which is somewhat Craftsman in style

Legal Description: Original Town, Block Lot

Historic Information: The Polk city directory from 1930-31 (p. 149) lists Roy G. Staples, president of the Cosmopolitan Bank at this address.

Sources: The Polk city directory, 1930-31, (p. 149).

Open to the public: ___ Yes X No ___ Limited