

# CITY OF STILLWATER ARCHITECTURE- HISTORY INVENTORY FORM

**Address:** 706 W. Anderson

**Inventory No:** WA-SWC-851

**Historic Name:** Michael Hanley

**Current Owner:** Weston

**County:** Washington

**City/Township:** Stillwater

**GEO CODE:** 33.30.20.21.0076

**Township:** T30N **Range:** R20W, **Section 28 (SW 1/4 )**

**U.S.G.S. Quad Map:** Stillwater, Minn-Wisc., 1967, photorevised 1993

**U.T.M.:** 15 514620 4988000

**Architect/Contractor:**

**Style:** Greek Revival

**Date Built:** 1862

**Photo Number(s):** 013394

**Frame(s)** 3

**Survey Name:** Holcombe's Additions HPPA

**Form prepared by:** Donald Empson, Empson Archives

**Date Surveyed:** February-May, 1999

## **Physical Description:**

One story symmetrical broadside house of rubble limestone.

**Significance:** This house is \_\_\_\_ is not\_\_X\_ preliminarily eligible to the National Register of Historic Places.

**Statewide Historic Contexts:** St. Croix Triangle Lumbering, 1843 -1914.

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

**National Register Eligible** (prelim.): \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_X\_\_No

**Date listed on the National Register:**

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**Present Use:** Residential, single family

**Zoning District:** RB-2 family residential

**Integrity:**

☐ Excellent

☒ Good

☐ Fair

☐ Poor

**Condition:**

☐ Excellent

☒ Good

☐ Fair

☐ Poor

**Stories:** 1

**Roof style or shape:** Pitched

**Structural System:** Limestone

**Windows:** 1/1

**Foundation:** Limestone

**Wall Treatment:** Limestone

**Alterations:** Roof appears to have been altered.

**Legal Description:** Holcombe's Addition

**Block** 10      **Lot** 11,12

**Historic Information:** Michael Hanley, a stone mason, born in Ireland about 1813, bought Lot 11 from William Holcombe in the winter of 1862 for \$100. He immediately built this house in which Hanley and his wife, Mary, raised at least seven children: Kate, Ellen, Anna, Daniel, Michael, Peter, and John. The family resided in the house for almost two decades. In 1871, Hanley added Lot 12 to his estate, and in 1876, he foolishly took out a \$350 mortgage from a man in Wyoming County, N.Y. In 1879, Hanley's home was repossessed. The assessed value of the two lots and this house was set at \$315 in 1880.

**Sources:** O Deeds 6; 1870 U.S. Census Washington County: Stillwater: Page 30, #223; 1880 U.S. Census Washington County: Stillwater: Page 263, #294; Washington County Tax Assessor's Office SAM 98, Roll 10.

**Open to the public:**      ☐ Yes      ☒ No      ☐ Limited