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National Park Service

National Register of Historic Places
Inventory—Nomination Form

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Site No. 77

NAME Jones House COUNTY Harris BLOCK 203
ADDRESS 1115-1117 Allston St. CITY Houston LOT 7-8
UTM Zone 15 E 268,000 N 3,297,840
ARCHITECT/BUILDER unknown DATE ca. 1905 PERIOD 1900--
OWNER Dan McNamara, Jr. STYLE Bungalow influence
2035 Rutland, Houston, Texas 77008 THEME

DESCRIPTION Two joined houses. Main house is one-and-a-half-story, square duplex house; bellcast hipped roof with clipped dormer on each side; three windows in each dormer with six-over-six lights; inset porch supported by square brick columns at ends and square wooden posts at center; flatcut balusters; two single front doors side-by-side; windows with one-over-one lights; front brick columns supported by rusticated ashlar; house rests on brick piers with lattice between. Main house is joined to second, smaller house at back corner by attached porch with flat balusters on front facade; second *

Building material: wall frame, clapboard roof composition
Physical condition excellent-significant site: original or moved _____ date _____

Alterations recent renovation; fascia plates added; balusters on rear porch new
SIGNIFICANCE Was originally residence and location of concrete company of Harry N. Jones, who bought property in 1904. He acquired several lots in this block as an investment. House is good example of simple, early type common to Houston Heights. Wife was quite active in the Houston Heights Literary Club.

Area of significance architecture and** Level of significance local
DESIGNATION: NR NHL RTHL HABS HAER HESI HSI OTHER

ORIGINAL USE residence and business PRESENT USE rental duplex residence
RELATIONSHIP TO SURROUNDINGS Carefully landscaped yard with trees and bushes, chain-link fence; residential area.

ACREAGE/BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION less than one acre

BIBLIOGRAPHY Sister M. Agatha (1956: 105)

RECORDED BY K. L. London INFORMANT

DATE January 15, 1980 PHOTO DATA 1 - 35 mm., Tex. Hist. Commission

*house has simple gabled roof.

**commerce

COUNTY _____ BLOCK _____ 203
 CITY QUAD LOT _____ 7-8

NAME: _____ COUNTY: Harris
 ADDRESS: 1115-17 Allston CITY: Houston
 ARCHITECT/BUILDER: _____ UTM: _____
 OWNER: Chas. E. Bickley DATE: c. 1905 PERIOD: _____
 2035 Rutland Houston, TX 77008 STYLE: _____
 DESCRIPTION: Square, frame, 1½-story, hip roof with wall dormer on each side, inset porch supported by square brick piers on ends and square wooden posts in center, flatcut balusters 2 single front doors, windows 1/1, duplex. THEME: _____

BUILDING MATERIAL: wall: frame roof: _____
 PHYSICAL CONDITION: fair-qualified significant SITE: original or moved _____ date _____

ALTERATIONS: _____

SIGNIFICANCE: was originally residence and concrete company of Harry N. Jones, who bought property in 1904. He bought several lots in this block as investment. House is good example of simple, early type common to Heights.

AREA OF SIGNIFICANCE: _____ LEVEL OF SIGNIFICANCE: _____

DESIGNATION: NR NHL RTHL HABS HAER HESI HSI OTHER: _____

ORIGINAL USE: residence PRESENT USE: residence (duplex) - rental property

RELATIONSHIP TO SURROUNDINGS: chain-link fence, large trees and bushes.

ACREAGE/BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION: _____

BIBLIOGRAPHIC DATA: _____

SEE INFO/CORRESPONDENCE FILES: _____

RECORDED BY: KL INFORMANT: _____
 DATE: 1-15-80 PHOTO DATA: 1 - 35mm

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Jones House (Houston Heights MRA)
Harris County
TEXAS

Working No. MAY 9 1983

Fed. Reg. Date: 2-7-84

Date Due: 6/9/83 - 6/23/83

Action: ACCEPT 6/22/83

Entered in the RETURN

National Register REJECT

Federal Agency: _____

- resubmission
- nomination by person or local government
- owner objection
- appeal

Substantive Review: sample request appeal NR decision

Reviewer's comments: _____

Recom./Criteria _____

Reviewer _____

Discipline _____

Date _____

see continuation sheet

Nomination returned for: technical corrections cited below
 substantive reasons discussed below

1. Name

2. Location

3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use
	Public Acquisition	Accessible	

4. Owner of Property

5. Location of Legal Description

6. Representation in Existing Surveys

has this property been determined eligible? yes no

7. Description

Condition:		Check one	Check one
<input type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> deteriorated	<input type="checkbox"/> unentered	<input type="checkbox"/> original site
<input type="checkbox"/> good	<input type="checkbox"/> ruins	<input type="checkbox"/> altered	<input type="checkbox"/> moved
<input type="checkbox"/> fair	<input type="checkbox"/> unexposed		date _____

Describe the present and original (if known) physical appearance

- summary paragraph
- completeness
- clarity
- alterations/integrity
- dates
- boundary selection

8. Significance

Period _____ Areas of Significance—Check and justify below

Specific dates _____ Builder/Architect _____

Statement of Significance (in one paragraph)

- summary paragraph
 completeness
 clarity
 applicable criteria
 justification of areas checked
 relating significance to the resource -
 context
 relationship of integrity to significance
 justification of exception
 other

9. Major Bibliographical References

10. Geographical Data

Acres of nominated property _____

Quadrangle name _____

USGS References

Verbal boundary description and justification

11. Form Prepared By

12. State Historic Preservation Officer Certification

The evaluated significance of this property within the state is:

national state local

State Historic Preservation Officer signature

Title _____ date _____

13. Other

- Maps
 Photographs
 Other

Questions concerning this nomination may be directed to _____

Signed _____ Date _____ Phone: 202 272 - 3504

Comments for any item may be continued on an attached sheet

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Multiple Resource Area
Thematic Group

Name Houston Heights Multiple Resource Area
State Texas

Nomination/Type of Review

Date/Signature

- 61. Houston Heights Woman's Club **Entered in the National Register** *for* Keeper Melona Byers 6/22/83
Attest _____
- 62. Houston Public Library *(HEIGHTS BRANCH)* **Substantive Review** Keeper Beth Grosvenor 5/14/84
Attest _____
- 63. Immanuel Lutheran Church **Entered in the National Register** *for* Keeper Melona Byers 6/22/83
Attest _____
- 64. Isbell House **Entered in the National Register** *for* Keeper Melona Byers 6/22/83
Attest _____
- 65. Jones House **Entered in the National Register** *for* Keeper Melona Byers 6/22/83
Attest _____
- 66. Kleinhaus House **Entered in the National Register** *for* Keeper Melona Byers 6/22/83
Attest _____
- 67. Knittel House **Entered in the National Register** *for* Keeper Melona Byers 6/22/83
Attest _____
- 68. Kronenberger House **Entered in the National Register** *for* Keeper Melona Byers 6/22/83
Attest _____
- 69. Love House **Substantive Review** **DOE/OWNER OBJECTION** **Determined Eligible** Keeper Eligible - Beth Grosvenor 6/22/83
Attest _____
- 70. Lund House **Entered in the National Register** *for* Keeper Melona Byers 6/22/83
Attest _____



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Houston Heights

Site No. 77, Jones House, 1115-17 Allston
Houston, Texas 77008

Photo: Peter F. Maxson, 1982

On file, Texas Historical Commission
Front facade, looking west

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Houston Heights

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Photo: K.L. London, January 15, 1980
Front facade, looking west

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Please refer to the map in the
Multiple Property Cover Sheet
for this property

Multiple Property Cover Sheet Reference Number: 64000847