

COUNTY _____ BLOCK _____ 188
CITY QUAD LOT _____ 15 & pt. 14

NAME: _____ COUNTY: Harris
ADDRESS: 1210 Harvard CITY: Houston

ARCHITECT/BUILDER: _____ UTM: _____
OWNER: Bill R. Burns DATE: c. 1912 PERIOD: _____

P.O. Box 7584 Houston, TX 77007 STYLE: _____
THEME: _____

DESCRIPTION: Victorian, frame, 2-story, combination roof with projecting gable end bay, attached porch and gallery curve and wrap to one side, supported by Doric columns, square balusters, single doors upstairs and downstairs with transoms, windows 1/1, lattice under house.

BUILDING MATERIAL: wall: _____ roof: _____
PHYSICAL CONDITION: good-significant SITE: original or moved _____ date _____

ALTERATIONS: _____

SIGNIFICANCE: House is good example of large, simple, Victorian type, usually built a little earlier than this in Heights, for the more prosperous, middle class residents of the area. The earliest inhabitant listed in this house

AREA OF SIGNIFICANCE: _____ LEVEL OF SIGNIFICANCE: _____ (cont)

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

ORIGINAL USE: residence PRESENT USE: residence

RELATIONSHIP TO SURROUNDINGS: large trees, not much yard,

ACREAGE/BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION: _____

BIBLIOGRAPHIC DATA: _____

SEE INFO/CORRESPONDENCE FILES: _____

RECORDED BY: KLL INFORMANT: _____

DATE: 4/14/80 PHOTO DATA: 1 - 35mm

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Site No. 31

NAME House and Carriage House at 1210 Harvard COUNTY Harris BLOCK 188
 ADDRESS 1210 Harvard St. CITY Houston LOT 15 & N 1/2 14
 ARCHITECT/BUILDER unknown UTM Zone 15 E 268,390 N 3,298,060
 OWNER Robert L. Collins DATE ca. 1912 PERIOD 1900--
1210 Harvard, Houston, Texas 77008 STYLE Colonial Revival influence
 THEME _____

DESCRIPTION Two-story frame house; combination roof with projecting gable end bay on front facade; attached two-story gallery curves and wraps to one side, supported by Doric columns with square balusters between; single porch doors upstairs and downstairs with transoms; windows with one-over-one lights; lattice under house between brick piers. Contributing board-and-batten carriage house at rear of lot.

Building material: wall frame/clapboard roof composition
 Physical condition good-significant site: original X or moved _____ date _____

Alterations recently renovated; new-style doors to carriage house (garage)

SIGNIFICANCE House is good example of large, simple homes for the more prosperous middle-class residents of the area; typical of a slightly earlier period of construction; the earliest inhabitant listed for this house was the owner of two local grocery stores. Two-story carriage house is an unusual example of a once-common building type in the Heights.

Area of significance architecture Level of significance local

DESIGNATION: NR NHL RTHL HABS HAER HESI HSI OTHER _____

ORIGINAL USE residence PRESENT USE residence

RELATIONSHIP TO SURROUNDINGS Large trees, small yard; residential neighborhood.

ACREAGE/BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION less than one acre

BIBLIOGRAPHY _____

RECORDED BY K. L. London

INFORMANT _____

DATE April 14, 1980

PHOTO DATA 1 - 35 mm., Tex. Hist. Commission

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United States Department of the Interior
National Park Service

House at 1210 Harvard Street (Houston Heights
MRA)
Harris County
TEXAS

Working No. MAY 9 1983

Fed. Reg. Date:
Date Due: 6/9/83 - 6/23/83

Action: ACCEPT
 RETURN 6/22/83
 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"/> unaltered	<input type="checkbox"/> original site
<input type="checkbox"/> good	<input type="checkbox"/> ruins	<input type="checkbox"/> altered	<input type="checkbox"/> moved date _____
<input type="checkbox"/> fair	<input type="checkbox"/> unexposed		

Describe the present and original (if known) physical appearance

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

8. Significance

Period _____ Area 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

X 10. Geographical Data

Acreage of nominated property _____

Quadrangle name _____

USGS References _____

Verbal boundary description and justification

Please provide what section, NE, SW, of "Plot 15 - 1/4 pt. 14" that is being nominated.

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 *Melvin Byers*

Date 6/22/83

Phone: 202 272-3504
343-9553

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

- 21. Hawkins House Entered in the National Register *for* Keeper Melvyn Byers 5/14/84
Attest _____
- 22. Heights Boulevard [^] Substantive Review *for* Keeper Beth Grovorn 5/14/84
Esplanade Attest _____
- 23. Heights Christian Church Entered in the National Register *for* Keeper Melvyn Byers 6/22/83
Attest _____
- 24. Heights State Bank Building Entered in the National Register *for* Keeper Melvyn Byers 6/22/83
Attest _____
- 25. House at 1111 Heights Boulevard Entered in the National Register *for* Keeper Melvyn Byers 5/14/84
Attest _____
- 26. House at 112 W. 4th Street Entered in the National Register *for* Keeper Melvyn Byers 5/14/84
Attest _____
- 27. House at 1210 Harvard Street Entered in the National Register *for* Keeper Melvyn Byers 5/14/84
Attest _____
- 28. House at 1227 Rutland Street Entered in the National Register *for* Keeper Melvyn Byers 5/14/84
Attest _____
- 29. House at 1230 Oxford Street Entered in the National Register *for* Keeper Melvyn Byers 5/14/84
Attest _____
- 30. House at 1237 Rutland Street Entered in the National Register *for* Keeper Melvyn Byers 6/22/83
Attest _____

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
EVALUATION/RETURN SHEET

House at 1210 Harvard Street (Houston Heights MRA)
Harris County
TEXAS

Working No. 5/9/83
Fed. Reg. Date: 2.5.85
Date Due: 5/24/87
Action: ACCEPT 5-14-87
 RETURN
 REJECT
Federal Agency: _____

Entered in the
National Register

- resubmission
- nomination by person or local government
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Discipline _____
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Department of the Interior
National Register

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1210 Harvard

Houston Heights

Site No. 31, 1210 Harvard

Houston, Texas 77008

Photo: K.L. London, April 14, 1980

On file, Texas Historical Commission

Front facade, looking east

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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