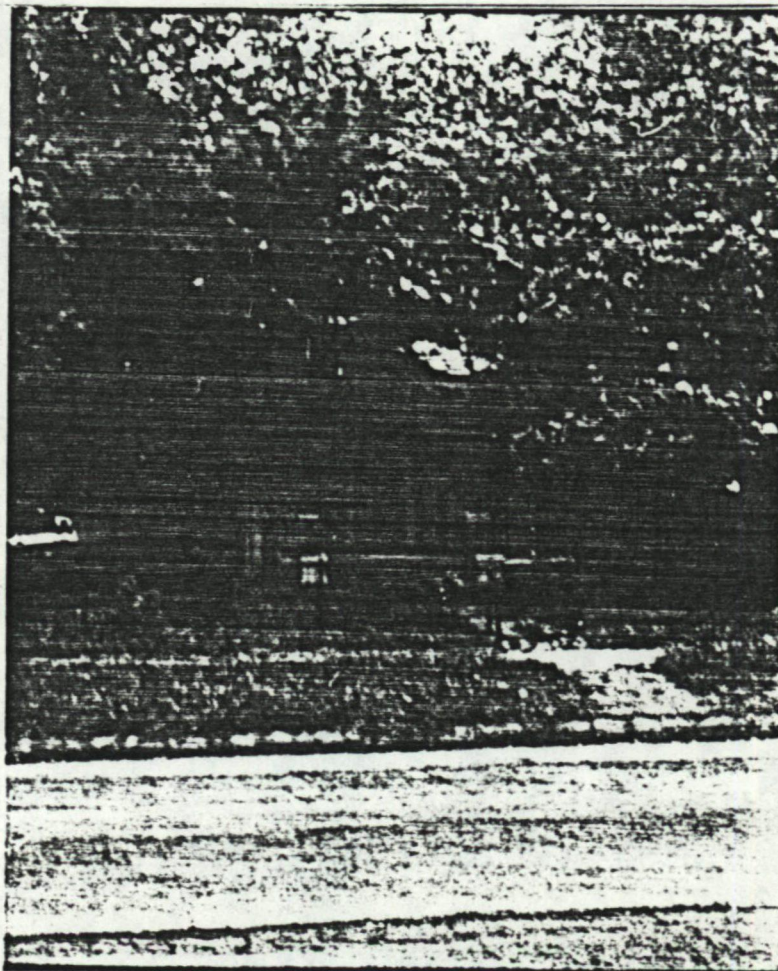


COUNTY _____ BLOCK _____ 157
CITY QUAD LOT _____ 23-24

NAME: Keller House COUNTY: Harris
ADDRESS: 1448 Heights Blvd. CITY: Houston
ARCHITECT/BUILDER: _____ UTM: _____
OWNER: Webb Enterprises DATE: 1914 PERIOD: _____
3017 Brazos Houston, TX 77006 STYLE: _____
DESCRIPTION: Prairie-style, frame, 2-story with combination roof, attached porch wraps to side with gable over entrance, supported by large, square, brick piers, flat balusters, recessed entrance has single door with transom, windows 1/1 THEME: _____
BUILDING MATERIAL: wall: _____ roof: _____
PHYSICAL CONDITION: good- qual. signif. SITE: original _____ or moved _____ date _____
ALTERATIONS: _____
SIGNIFICANCE: The lots for this house sold for \$500 each when H. T. Keller, a small-businessman, bought them in 1912. The house is a good example of the large, but still simple houses built on the Blvd. in that period.
AREA OF SIGNIFICANCE: _____ LEVEL OF SIGNIFICANCE: _____
DESIGNATION: NR NHL RTHL HABS HAER HESI HSI OTHER: _____
ORIGINAL USE: residence PRESENT USE: residence (possibly vacant)
RELATIONSHIP TO SURROUNDINGS: corner lot with short, wire fence; very overgrown;
ACREAGE/BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION: _____ (cont)

BIBLIOGRAPHIC DATA: _____
SEE INFO/CORRESPONDENCE FILES: _____
RECORDED BY: KLL INFORMANT: _____
DATE: 4/2/80 PHOTO DATA: 1-35mm

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Site No. 23

NAME Keller House (H.H.M.R.A.) COUNTY Harris BLOCK 157
 ADDRESS 1448 Heights Boulevard Blvd. CITY Houston LOT 23-24
 ARCHITECT/BUILDER Mr. Gayan UTM Zone 15 E 268,250 N 3,298,590
 OWNER Webb Enterprises DATE 1914 PERIOD 1900--
3500 Washington Ave., Houston 77008 STYLE Bungaloid/Prairie influence
 THEME

DESCRIPTION Frame two-story house with combination roof; deeply overhanging eaves with large brackets; attached porch wraps to side with gable over entrance, supported by large, square, brick piers with flat balusters running between; recessed entrance has single door with transom; windows with one-over-one lights.

Building material: wallframe/clapboard roof unknown
 Physical condition good-significant site: original or moved _____ date _____
 Alterations unknown

SIGNIFICANCE The lots for this house sold for \$500 each when Herman T. Keller, a small businessman, bought them in 1912. The house is a good example of the large, but still simple, houses built on Heights Boulevard in that period.

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 Corner lot in a residential area; short, wire fence; overgrown.

ACREAGE/BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION less than one
 BIBLIOGRAPHY Sister M. Agatha (1956: 87)
 RECORDED BY K. L. London INFORMANT Clayton Lee (July 11, 1982)
 DATE April 2, 1980 PHOTO DATA 1 - 35 mm., Texas Hist. Commission

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Multiple Resource Area
Thematic Group

Name Houston Heights Multiple Resource Area
State Harris County, TEXAS

Nomination/Type of Review

Date/Signature

101. House at 122 East Fifth Street

Entered in the National Register

for Keeper

Melona Byers 5/14/84

Attest

102. ~~House at 921 Heights Boulevard~~
DURHAM, JAY L., HOUSE

Substantive Review

for Keeper

Linda McClelland 4/15/84

Attest

103. House at 444 West 24th Street

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for Keeper

Melona Byers 5/14/84

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104. Keller House

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Melona Byers 5/14/84

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105. Wisnoski House

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Attest

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Substantive Review

for Keeper

Linda McClelland 4/15/84

Attest

106. Anderson, John W., House

Substantive Review

for Keeper

Linda McClelland 4/15/84

Attest

107. Baring, Otto H., House

Entered in the National Register

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Melona Byers 4/15/84

Attest

108. Burlingame, George L., House

Substantive Review

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109. Clare, J.H., House

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Melona Byers 4/15/84

Attest

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
EVALUATION/RETURN SHEET

Keller House (Houston Heights MRA)
Harris County
TEXAS

Working No. APR 9 1984

Fed. Reg. Date: 2.5.85

Date Due: 5-10-84 / 5-24-84

Action: ACCEPT 5-14-84

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 Public Acquisition	Status Accessible	Present Use

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

- excellent
- good
- fair
- deteriorated
- ruins
- unexposed

Check one

- unaltered
- altered

Check one

- original site
- moved 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

Acreage of nominated property _____

Quadrangle name _____

UTM 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: _____



Houston Heights
Site No. 23, Keller House, 1448 Heights Blvd.
Houston, Harris County, Texas
Photo Paul Hester, Dec. 1983
On file: Houston Heights Assoc., c/o David Clark
1146 Allston, Houston
Southwest oblique, camera facing northwest

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1448 Heights Blvd

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

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