

United States Department of the Interior
National Park Service

National Register of Historic Places
Inventory—Nomination Form

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Site No. 116

NAME <u>House at 1220 Harvard</u>	COUNTY <u>Harris</u>	BLOCK <u>188</u>
ADDRESS <u>1220 Harvard</u>	CITY <u>Houston</u>	LOT <u>17</u>
	UTM <u>268400/3298080</u>	
ARCHITECT/BUILDER <u>R. L. Whitehead</u>	DATE <u>1910</u>	PERIOD <u>1900 -</u>
OWNER <u>Nick Noecker & Margaret Sallans</u> <u>1220 Harvard, Houston TX 77008</u>	STYLE <u>Vernacular</u>	THEME

DESCRIPTION One-story frame dwelling faces west on brick piers; hipped roof with gable front intersecting at southwest corner forms irregular L-shaped plan; 3-bay principal facade has 2-over-2 window in first bay and paired 2-over-2 windows in third bay; single wooden door with paneled lower portion and large rectangular window in the upper portion with transom above occupy the second bay; open front porch supported by three Doric columns with shed roof; closed gable with pent roof has centered vent surrounded by fish-scale singles; all windows are wood-sash; double hung; diamond patterned roof

Building material: wall frame, clpbd roof asbestos/slat
Physical condition good site: original or moved date
Alterations None, modern rear garage is not contributing.

SIGNIFICANCE This house is a small worker's cottage typical of housing in the Heights of this period. R.L. Whitehead was the first owner and lived there until his death. The property was later conveyed to George Kostas who lived there w/ his family until 1937. The house is significant in representing the simplicity and craftsmanship of the period and architecture.

Area of significance architectural Level of significance local

DESIGNATION: NR NHL RTHL HABS HAER HESI HSI OTHER _____

ORIGINAL USE residence PRESENT USE residence

RELATIONSHIP TO SURROUNDINGS Located in the middle of the east side of a residential street surrounded by houses of a similar period and design; driveway located on the

ACREAGE/BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION less than one acre

BIBLIOGRAPHY Tax Rolls; Sanborn Maps

RECORDED BY Margaret Sallans INFORMANT _____

DATE August 1987 PHOTO DATA 35mm b/w slides (5) THC
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CONTINUATIONS:
DESCRIPTION cont. shingles.
RELATIONSHIP TO SURROUNDINGS cont. south side of the lot.

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Multiple Resource Area
Thematic Group

Name Houston Heights MRA
State Harris County, TEXAS

Nomination/Type of Review _____ Date/Signature _____

-110. Copeland, Austin, House I
Substantive Review Keeper Linda McClelland 1/15/88

Attest _____

111. Copeland, Austin, House II
Entered in the National Register Keeper Melvyn Byrum 1/15/88

Attest _____

-112. Fluegel, William F., House
Substantive Review Keeper Linda McClelland 1/15/88

Attest _____

113. House at 1217 Harvard
Entered in the National Register Keeper Melvyn Byrum 1/15/88

Attest _____

-114. House at 1220 Harvard
Substantive Review Keeper Linda McClelland 1/15/88

Attest _____

115. House at 1435 Heights Boulevard
Entered in the National Register Keeper Melvyn Byrum 1/15/88

Attest _____

-116. Kennedy, Marshall W., House
Substantive Review Keeper Linda McClelland 1/15/88

Attest _____

117. Lindenberg, Emil, House
Substantive Review Keeper Linda McClelland 1/15/88

Attest _____

-118. McCain, Henry Hicks, House
Substantive Review Keeper Linda McClelland 1/15/88

Attest _____

119. Morton Brothers Grocery
Entered in the National Register Keeper Melvyn Byrum 1/15/88

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NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
EVALUATION/RETURN SHEET

House at 1220 Harvard (Houston Heights MRA)
Harris County
TEXAS

Substantive Review

Working No. DEC 2 1987

Fed. Reg. Date: 2/7/89

Date Due: 12/31/87 - 1/16/88

Action: ACCEPT 1-15-88

RETURN

REJECT

Federal Agency: _____

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

Substantive Review: sample request appeal NR decision

Reviewer's comments:

This house is significant as a workers cottage representative of a type commonly found in Houston Heights during the early 20th century.

Recom./Criteria Accept - C

Reviewer Noble

Discipline Historian

Date 1/15/88

_____ 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 _____ 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: _____



Historic Resources of Houston Heights
Site No. 116, House at 1220 Harvard, 1220 Harvard
Houston, Harris County, Texas

Photo by M. Sallans, 1986, neg.
with photographer, Houston, Texas.

Front facade; camera 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