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National Park Service

National Register of Historic Places  
Inventory—Nomination Form

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TEXAS HISTORIC SITES INVENTORY FORM—TEXAS HISTORICAL COMMISSION (rev.8-82)

1. County DEWITT DEW  
CU 5. USGS Quad No. 2997-121 Site No. 1104  
 City/Rural CUERO UTM Sector 666-3218  
 2. Name BENNETT, M.D., HOUSE 6. Date: Factual 1924 Est. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address 208 N HUNT 7. Architect/Builder UN Contractor \_\_\_\_\_  
 3. Owner Beulah McDougal 8. Style/Type \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address 208 N Hunt Cuero TX 77954 9. Original Use residential  
 4. Block/Lot OTS/Blk 16/Lots 8,9,10 Present Use residential  
 10. Description 2-story frame dwelling w/ buff brick exterior finish; hip roof w/ clay tiles; exposed rafter ends; wood-sash double-hung windows w/ 6/1 lights; single-door primary entrance w/ transom; 1-bay porch w/ hip roof on E. elev.; brick piers on porch; interior brick chimney and 2 exterior brick chimneys;  
 11. Present Condition good; virtually unaltered  
 12. Significance ARCHITECTURE: This is one of only a small number of masonry residences in Cuero that is over 50 years old. Few changes have detracted from its integrity since its completion in 1924. Although it displays some Prairie  
 13. Relationship to Site: Moved Date \_\_\_\_\_ or Original Site \*(describe) in a residential area east of the CBD; at the southwest corner of Hunt and Courthouse streets  
 14. Bibliography Tax Rolls, Sanborn Maps 15. Informant Mr. and Mrs. Fain McDougal  
 16. Recorder Hardy-Heck-Moore Date July 1986

DESIGNATIONS

PHOTO DATA

TNRIS No. \_\_\_\_\_ Old THC Code \_\_\_\_\_  
 RTHL  HABS (no.) TEX \_\_\_\_\_  
 NR:  Individual  Historic District  
 Thematic  Multiple-Resource  
 NR File Name Cuero M-R Nomination  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

B&W 4x5s \_\_\_\_\_ Slides 5  
 35mm Negs  

YEAR	DRWR	ROLL	FRME		ROLL	FRME
		20	20	to		
		61	2	to	61	6
				to		

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 City/Rural CUERO UTM Pt. 14/666760/3219000  
 2. Name BENNETT, M.D., HOUSE Acreage less than one acre

Description continued: all chimneys w/ corbeled caps; broad overhanging eaves; broad entry porch w/ brick stoop; clay tile roof and cast-stone brackets; porte cochere at N. elev. w/ parapets derived from Mission Revival forms; clay tile roof and cast-stone scrolled brackets, round-arched windows w/ corbeled hood molding of brick.

Significance continued: style detailing, the house features elements more characteristic of the Mission Revival style. M.D. Bennett lived in the house until his death in May 1942. His wife lived there until her death in Nov. 1950. It is owned by their daughter and her husband.

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Multiple Resource Area  
Thematic Group

Name Cuero MRA  
State DeWitt County, TEXAS

Nomination/Type of Review	Date/Signature
Cover <u>Substantive Review</u>	Keeper <u>Carol D. Shull 10-31-88</u>
1. Bates-Sheppard House	for Keeper <u>Delores Byrum 10/31/88</u>
	Attest _____
2. Bell, John V., House <u>Substantive Review</u>	Keeper <u>Carol D. Shull 10-31-88</u>
	Attest _____
3. <u>Bennett, M.D., House</u>	for Keeper <u>Delores Byrum 10/31/88</u>
	Attest _____
4. Bellow-Thompson House <u>Substantive Review</u>	Keeper <u>Carol D. Shull 10-31-88</u>
	Attest _____
5. Breeden-Runge Wholesale Grocery Company Building	for Keeper <u>Delores Byrum 10/31/88</u>
	Attest _____
6. Buchel, Floyd, House <u>Substantive Review</u>	Keeper <u>Carol D. Shull 10-31-88</u>
	Attest _____
7. Burns, Arthur, House	for Keeper <u>Delores Byrum 10/31/88</u>
	Attest _____
8. Burns, John W., House <u>Substantive Review</u>	Keeper <u>Carol D. Shull 10-31-88</u>
	Attest _____
9. Callaway-Gillette House	for Keeper <u>Delores Byrum 10/31/88</u>
	Attest _____
10. Chaddock, J.B., House <u>Substantive Review</u>	Keeper <u>Carol D. Shull 10-31-88</u>
	Attest _____

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES  
EVALUATION/RETURN SHEET

REQUESTED ACTION: NOMINATION

PROPERTY Bennett, M. D., House  
NAME:

MULTIPLE Cuero MRA  
NAME:

STATE & COUNTY: TEXAS, De Witt

DATE RECEIVED: 9/16/88 DATE OF PENDING LIST: 9/27/88  
DATE OF 16TH DAY: 10/13/88 DATE OF 45TH DAY: 10/31/88  
DATE OF WEEKLY LIST:

REFERENCE NUMBER: 88001963

NOMINATOR: STATE

REASONS FOR REVIEW:

APPEAL: N DATA PROBLEM: N LANDSCAPE: N LESS THAN 50 YEARS: N  
OTHER: N PDIL: N PERIOD: N PROGRAM UNAPPROVED: N  
REQUEST: N SAMPLE: N SLR DRAFT: N

COMMENT WAIVER: N

ACCEPT  RETURN  REJECT 10/31/88 DATE

ABSTRACT/SUMMARY COMMENTS:

Entered in the  
National Register

RECOM./CRITERIA \_\_\_\_\_  
REVIEWER \_\_\_\_\_  
DISCIPLINE \_\_\_\_\_  
DATE \_\_\_\_\_

DOCUMENTATION see attached comments Y/N see attached SLR Y/N

CLASSIFICATION

\_\_\_ count      \_\_\_ resource type

STATE/FEDERAL AGENCY CERTIFICATION

FUNCTION

\_\_\_ historic      \_\_\_ current

DESCRIPTION

\_\_\_ architectural classification  
\_\_\_ materials  
\_\_\_ descriptive text

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

BIBLIOGRAPHY

GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

\_\_\_ acreage      \_\_\_ verbal boundary description  
\_\_\_ UTM's      \_\_\_ boundary justification

ACCOMPANYING DOCUMENTATION/PRESENTATION

\_\_\_ sketch maps      \_\_\_ USGS maps      \_\_\_ photographs      \_\_\_ presentation

OTHER COMMENTS

Questions concerning this nomination may be directed to

\_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_



"Historic Resources of Cuero, Texas" Multiple-  
Resource Nomination; city limits of Cuero,  
DeWitt County, Texas.

Photo: David Moore of Hardy-Heck-Moore, Inc.  
1986; negative with Texas Historical  
Commission, Austin, Texas.

Subject: M.D. Bennett House, Site No. 1104  
208 N. Hunt

View: Camera looking southwest  
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Please refer to the map in the  
Multiple Property Cover Sheet  
for this property

Multiple Property Cover Sheet Reference Number: 64000839