

ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION: One story with side gable. Concrete steps and low stoop with wrought iron railings, lead to paneled front door with nine lights. Screen door. Small gabled portico over front door supported by corbels. Two windows on each side of symmetrical facade. Windows are double hung wood sash, six-over-six. Pale green clapboard siding with white window and door surrounds, plank shutters, and cornices. Pale gray/green composition shingle roof with brick chimney on the north slope.

Landscaped with lawn, large elm tree, and small pfitzers along foundation.
Garage on west elevation is now enclosed and has two large single light windows.

PHOTOGRAPHS (include photographs showing each side of building and any associated buildings)

Film roll no.: 2
Negative no.: 15

Photographer: Carolyn Howard
Location of negatives: City Of Grand Junction

CONSTRUCTION HISTORY (include description and dates of major additions, alterations, or demolitions): Modified garage. Additional construction or modifications not noted in Assessor's Records.

HISTORICAL BACKGROUND (discuss important persons and events associated with this building): Residence of Francis I. Stringer. Mr. Stringer, then Grand Junction City Treasurer, resided in the house ca. 1938-1943. By 1946, Jesse Weaver, occupation unknown, was living in the house.

INFORMATION SOURCES (be specific): Appraisal Card, Lot and Block Books, Grand Junction City Directories.

SIGNIFICANCE (check appropriate categories)

Architectural significance:

- represents the work of a master
 possess high artistic value
 represents a type, period, or method of construction

Historical significance:

- associated with significant person(s)
 associated with significant event
 associated with a pattern of events
 contributes to an historic district

National Register eligibility:

Individual yes no

Criteria: A B C D

Area(s) of significance: Architecture

Contributes to a potential district:

yes no

District name:

THEME(S):

Period of significance: 1937

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (briefly justify the significance checked above): This Minimal Traditional house draws on colonial and bungalow sources for modest effects. Although not eligible for the National Register, this house may contribute to a local register or a conservation district.

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