COLORADO HISTORICAL SOCIETY			SITE NO.: 5ME7731
Office of Archaeology and Historic Preservation 1300 Broadway Denver, CO 80203		Eligible for National	Registeryesno
		CriteriaA	initials
HISTORIC BUILDING INVENTORY		Contributes to a pol	tential National Register district district name:
		Eligible for State Re	gister yes no
COUNTY: Mesa	Спту: Grand Junction	date initials Criteriaabcde Areas of significance:	
HISTORIC BUILDING NAME: McKenzie, J.E., House			
		Period of significant Needs data da	te Initials
CURRENT BUILDING NAME:		LOCAL LANDMARK DE	SIGNATION: [] yes [X] no
		Date of designation:	
ADDRESS: 732 South Ave., Grand Junction, CO 81501-3640		Designating authorit	y: N/A
		P.M.: UTE townshi	p: 1S range:1W
		SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of S	SW% of SE% of section 14
OWNER NAME & ADDRESS: Stephen B. Kessberger, 825 27 1/4 Rd., Grand Junction, CO 81506-1709		UTM REFERENCE-12 Easting: 711160 Northing: 4326460	
		USGS QUAD NAME:	Grand Junction
		Year: 1962; photore	vised 1973 [X] 7.5' [] 15'
STYLE: Bungaloid		Block: 150 Lot(s): 22 - 24 Addition: Year of addition:	
Building Type:		[X] original location	Π moved
		Date of moves(s):	
MATERIALS: Concrete Foundation; Wood Frame; Asphalt Shingle Roof		HISTORIC USE: Dome:	stic
		PRESENT USE: Domes	stic
STORIES: 1	SQUARE FOOTAGE: 1155		on- estimate: 1910 actual: n: Tax Assessor's Records
PLAN SHAPE:	north arrow 🕎	ARCHITECT: Unknown	n
6	6	Source of information	n:
51		BUILDER/CONTRACTOR	: Unknown
7-06-1	612	Source of information:	
CIV:		ORIGINAL OWNER: J.E	. McKenzie
		Source of information: Lot And Block Books	
156g		Associated Buildings- [X] yes [] no	
,2(m) OU	ed .	Type: Garage	

ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION: One story, four unit apartment with side gables, basement, and concrete foundation. Two sets of concrete front steps with concrete piers. Screened front porch extends across center two-thirds of facade. Porch under extended shed roof divided in two for first floor tenants. At east and west corners of facade concrete steps with pipe railings lead down to two basement apartments. Over the basement stairs are shed roof porticos with three knee braces each. Basement windows are small two light wood casement. East and west sides of facade have a small single light window. Other first floor windows are double hung wood sash, one-over-one. White simple drop siding. Foundation also has siding. Door and window surrounds and bargeboards are green. Porch columns and steps are gray. Green composition shingle roof, with two brick chimneys on north slope.

Brown wood fence across back yard and one small elim on east yard. Two large elims east of house.

Five car garage with concrete foundation, flat roof with stepped parapet, white asbestos shingle siding and flush swinging garage doors.

PHOTOGRAPHS (include photographs showing each	side of building and any associated buildings)	
Film roll no.: 13 Negative no.: 14	Photographer: Carolyn Howard Location of negatives: City Of Grand Junction	
CONSTRUCTION HISTORY (include description and de until after the late 1940s.	ites of major additions, alterations, or demolitions):	This house was probably a single family residence

HISTORICAL BACKGROUND (discuss important persons and events associated with this building): This building is associated with John C. Schmidt who lived here and owned the property, from ca. 1924 to 1946. Mr. Schmidt was a Grand Junction fireman and Fire Department captain. He later worked as a guard at U.S. Vanadium. The property was owned by J.E. McKenzie from 1910 to 1922.

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

Period of significance: 1910

SIGNIFICANCE (check appropriate categories)		THEME(s):
Architectural significance: [] represents the work of a master [] possess high artistic value [X] 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 [X] no Criteria: [] A [] B [] C [] D Area(s) of significance: Architecture	Contributes to a potential district: []yes [X]no District name:	

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (briefly justify the significance checked above): A Bungaloid apartment building with the appearance of a large house. Wide front porch under extended roof has a domestic look. Although not eligible for the National Register, this house may contribute to a local register.

INVENTORY COMPLETED BY: Museum Group Staff	DATE: 2/14/96
AFFILIATION: Museum of Western Colorado	PHONE: (970) 241-9117
ADDRESS: PO Box 20000-5020, Grand Junction, Colorado 81502-5020	PROJECT NAME: Grand Junction Historic Resources Survey, Phase 2



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