

ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION: One story with side gable roof. Concrete steps covered with green carpet, and curved wrought iron railings, lead up to small porch/entry with pedimented gable roof. Two full height porch posts are 4x4s. Wood trellis on both sides of porch. Flush door with diamond light and a metal storm door. Double hung, metal sash, one over one, windows around house. Clapboard aluminum siding is white. Wood window surrounds and fascia boards are blue. Concrete foundation is painted red. Gray composition shingle roof with eaves close to the wall. A pair of metal frame sliding windows are on the gable faces. Brick chimney on ridge.

Landscaped lawn with mature trees along street. Principal yard enclosed by a chain-link fence. Trimmed evergreen trees and shrubs along facade. Long rows of evergreen shrubs along west side of rear lot.

Carport with shed roof attached to south elevation.

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

Film roll no.: 30
Negative no.: 17

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

CONSTRUCTION HISTORY (include description and dates of major additions, alterations, or demolitions): Aluminum siding and storm door. Additional construction or modifications not noted in Assessor's records.

HISTORICAL BACKGROUND (discuss important persons and events associated with this building): Nadine and William Steele, a salesman for C. D. Smith Drug Company, were the original owners/occupants, ca. 1949 through at least 1958.

INFORMATION SOURCES (be specific): Plat Map, 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

National Register eligibility:

Individual yes no

Criteria: A B C D

Area(s) of significance: Architecture

Historical significance:

associated with significant person(s)

associated with significant event

associated with a pattern of events

contributes to an historic district

Contributes to a potential district:

yes no

District name:

THEME(S):

Period of significance: 1949

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (briefly justify the significance checked above): Windows on four corners of this house is a generous use of this fenestration, which was considered up-to-date. Although not eligible for the National Register, this house may contribute to a local register.

INVENTORY COMPLETED BY: Museum Group Staff

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PROJECT NAME: Grand Junction Historic Resources Survey, Phase 2



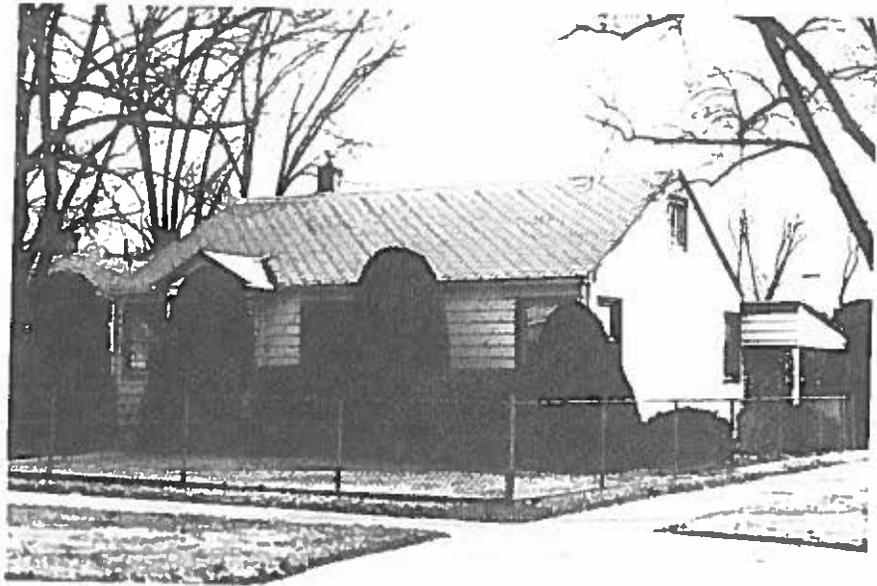
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