

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
INVENTORY - NOMINATION FORM

(Type all entries complete applicable sections)

Work: 1/9/75

STATE: Illinois
 COUNTY: Jo Daviess
 FOR NPS USE ONLY
 ENTRY DATE

1. NAME
 COMMON: Warren Community Building
 AND/OR HISTORIC: Old Stone Hotel

2. LOCATION
 STREET AND NUMBER: 110 West Main Street
 CITY OR TOWN: Warren
 STATE: Illinois CODE: 17
 CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT: 16th-Congressman John B. Anderson
 COUNTY: Jo Daviess CODE: 085

3. CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY (Check One)	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC
<input type="checkbox"/> District <input type="checkbox"/> Site <input type="checkbox"/> Object <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Building <input type="checkbox"/> Structure	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public <input type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/> Both	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Occupied <input type="checkbox"/> Unoccupied <input type="checkbox"/> Preservation work in progress <input type="checkbox"/> In Process <input type="checkbox"/> Being Considered	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> Restricted <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unrestricted <input type="checkbox"/> No

PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

<input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Government	<input type="checkbox"/> Park	<input type="checkbox"/> Transportation	<input type="checkbox"/> Comments
<input type="checkbox"/> Commercial	<input type="checkbox"/> Industrial	<input type="checkbox"/> Private Residence	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Educational	<input type="checkbox"/> Military	<input type="checkbox"/> Religious		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Entertainment	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Museum	<input type="checkbox"/> Scientific		

4. OWNER OF PROPERTY
 OWNER'S NAME: Village of Warren
 STREET AND NUMBER: 110 West Main Street
 CITY OR TOWN: Warren
 STATE: Illinois CODE: 17

5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION
 COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC:
 Jo Daviess County Courthouse
 STREET AND NUMBER: Bench Street
 CITY OR TOWN: Galena
 STATE: Illinois CODE: 17

6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS
 TITLE OF SURVEY:
 SURVEY: Federal State County Local
 FOR SURVEY RECORDS:
 NUMBER:
 OWN: STATE: CODE:

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7. DESCRIPTION

CONDITION	(Check One)					
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Fair	<input type="checkbox"/> Deteriorated	<input type="checkbox"/> Ruins	<input type="checkbox"/> Unexposed
	(Check One)			(Check One)		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Altered	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unaltered		<input type="checkbox"/> Moved	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original Site	

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (If known) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE:

The present and original physical appearance are the same. The building is a large three floor building of block limestone, done in early Georgian style, built in 1851 as a stage coach station. White painted wood trim, the building is surrounded with a white picket fence. The exterior remains unchanged, the interior was modified by changing the east wing into a large ballroom, the other public rooms on the first floor are unchanged. The second floor contains the caretaker's apartment, which was the station owner's quarters. The remaining rooms on the second floor are for the use of the town council, and rest rooms. The former ball room which ran the length of the third floor of the building are for the use of the various scouting organizations in the village. The full basement contains the heating plant and the open hearth kitchens used when a stage stop.

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8. SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD (Check One or More as Appropriate)

<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Columbian	<input type="checkbox"/> 16th Century	<input type="checkbox"/> 18th Century	<input type="checkbox"/> 20th Century
<input type="checkbox"/> 15th Century	<input type="checkbox"/> 17th Century	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 19th Century	

SPECIFIC DATE(S) (If Applicable and Known) **1851 - present**

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

<input type="checkbox"/> Aboriginal	<input type="checkbox"/> Education	<input type="checkbox"/> Political	<input type="checkbox"/> Urban Planning
<input type="checkbox"/> Prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/> Engineering	<input type="checkbox"/> Religion/Phi-	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)
<input type="checkbox"/> Historic	<input type="checkbox"/> Industry	osophy	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> Invention	<input type="checkbox"/> Science	_____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> Landscape	<input type="checkbox"/> Sculpture	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Art	Architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> Social/Human-	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Commerce	<input type="checkbox"/> Literature	itarian	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Communications	<input type="checkbox"/> Military	<input type="checkbox"/> Theater	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Conservation	<input type="checkbox"/> Music	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Transportation	_____

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

Two stagecoach routes crossed here near the Illinois-Wisconsin line, more than a century ago. One was the Chicago-Galena Rd. served by the Frink & Walker stages, in a day when Galena was the larger of the two towns. The other was the Sucker Trail, which ran between St. Louis and the lead smelters near Wlota, Wisconsin. There was a large livery stable across from the Stone Hotel, and the teams of horses were changed here, and the passengers fed and housed. General Grant was a visitor here on several occasions on trips to and from Galena. The building later became the office and hospital for one of the town's first physicians. It was then abandoned for many years until a decision had to be made to fix it up or tear it down. After many years of hard work on the part of the women of the town, and two large benefactions from hometown boys that went out in the world and "made good", the building was restored and now serves as a very useful instrument for the good of the entire community, and is well into its second century of service.

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9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Illinois Guide and Gazetteer. Rand McNally & Co. 1969.
Illinois, A.C. McClurg & Co., 1947.

10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING A RECTANGLE LOCATING THE PROPERTY				O R	LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING THE CENTER POINT OF A PROPERTY OF LESS THAN TEN ACRES							
CORNER	LATITUDE				LONGITUDE			LATITUDE			LONGITUDE	
	Degrees	Minutes	Seconds	Degrees	Minutes	Seconds	Degrees	Minutes	Seconds	Degrees	Minutes	Seconds
NW	°	'	"	°	'	"	42	29	50	89	59	30
NE	°	'	"	°	'	"						
SE	°	'	"	°	'	"						
SW	°	'	"	°	'	"						

APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY: 1 acre

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE:	CODE	COUNTY	CODE
STATE:	CODE	COUNTY:	CODE
STATE:	CODE	COUNTY:	CODE
STATE:	CODE	COUNTY:	CODE

11. FORM PREPARED BY

NAME AND TITLE:
Dr. V. D. McCool, President

ORGANIZATION: Board of Governors, Warren Community Building DATE: 9/20/74

STREET AND NUMBER:
110 West Main Street

CITY OR TOWN: Union STATE: Illinois CODE: 17

12. STATE LIAISON OFFICER CERTIFICATION

As the designated State Liaison Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service. The recommended level of significance of this nomination is:

National State Local

Name: *Anthony J. Dan*
 State of Illinois - State Historic Preservation Officer

Title: _____

Date: January 9, 1975

NATIONAL REGISTER VERIFICATION

I hereby certify that this property is included in the National Register

 Director, Office of Archeology and Historic Preservation

Date: _____

ATTEST:

 Keeper of The National Register

Date: _____

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ENTRIES IN THE NATIONAL REGISTER

STATE ILLINOIS

Date Entered APR 16 1975

Name

Location

Old Stone Hotel

Warren
Jo Daviess County

COMMITTEE ON CONGRESSIONAL NOTIFICATION

Also Notified

Hon. Charles H. Percy
Hon. Adlai E. Stevenson, III
Hon. John B. Anderson

ILLINOIS HISTORIC SITES SURVEY INVENTORY

1. Name of site:

Common Warren Community Building
Historic Warren House Hotel

200059

2. Location:

Street and number
SW cor Main & Warren St.
City or Town Warren Zip Code
County Jo Daviess
Township T29N
Range R4E
Section 24
1/4 Section SE

3. Classification:

Category (check one) Integrity (check one)
() District (X) Building (X) Altered (X) Unaltered
() Site () Structure () Moved (X) Original Site

4. Ownership

() Private (X) Occupied
(X) Public () Unoccupied
() Preservation work in Progress

Access to Public

() Yes (X) Restricted () Unrestricted () No

Present Use (check one or more)

() Agricultural () Industrial () Religious
() Commercial () Military () Scientific
() Educational () Museum () Transportation
(X) Entertainment () Park () Other (specify)
(X) Government () Private Residence

5. Ownership of Property

Owner's name
Street and number Phone Number
City or Town
State County Zip Code

6. Description very large stone building with stone additions.

Condition

(X) Excellent () Good () Fair () Deteriorated () Ruins () Unexposed
Is there a program of preservation underway? (X) Yes () No

7. Historical Themes: (check one or more of the following)

() Archaeological Site (Pre-Columbian)
() Archaeological Site (Post-Columbian to 1673)
() French Influence 1673-1780
() Illinois Frontier (1780-1818)
() Illinois Early (1818-1850)
(X) Illinois Middle (1850-1900)
() Illinois Late (1900-present)
() Famous People (give names & dates)

TRANSPORTATION



8. Specific Date: 1851

Areas of significance (check one or more of the following)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Aboriginal (historic) | <input type="checkbox"/> Literature |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aboriginal (pre-historic) | <input type="checkbox"/> Military |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture | <input type="checkbox"/> Music |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Architecture | <input type="checkbox"/> Political |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Art | <input type="checkbox"/> Religion/Philosophy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Commerce | <input type="checkbox"/> Science |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Communication | <input type="checkbox"/> Sculpture |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Conservation | <input type="checkbox"/> Social/Humanitarian |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Education | <input type="checkbox"/> Theater |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Engineering | <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Industry | <input type="checkbox"/> Urban Planning |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Invention | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Landscape Architecture | |

Brief statement of significance: (include all names and dates.) Use additional sheets if necessary. Stone hotel built on Chicago-Galena Trail by F. Tisdall. Restored in 1943 by private philanthropist.

9. Form prepared by:

Name and title: _____ Date: _____

Organization: _____

Street and number: _____

City or town: _____ County _____ Zip Code _____

Phone Number: _____

During the course of the Survey we often find it necessary to search for references for a particular site. When filling out the Survey form, please list according to the following example, published references to the site for which forms are being completed. If a bibliography can be compiled, it will greatly deduct from the Survey's task.

Bibliography

Robertson, Robert, Of Whales and Men. New York, Alfred K. Knopf, Inc., 1954.



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