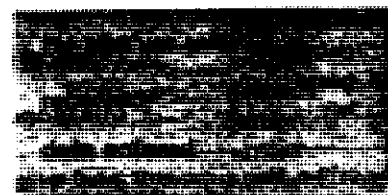


United States Department of the Interior
National Park Service

National Register of Historic Places Inventory—Nomination Form



See instructions in *How to Complete National Register Forms*
Type all entries—complete applicable sections.

1. Name

historic One Thirty North Eighth Building

and/or common 130 North 8th Building Quincy, Adams County, Illinois

2. Location

street & number 130 North 8th Street Building not for publication

city, town Quincy vicinity of

state Illinois code 012 county Adams code 001

3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use	
<input type="checkbox"/> district	<input type="checkbox"/> public	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> occupied	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> museum
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> building(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private	<input type="checkbox"/> unoccupied	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> commercial	<input type="checkbox"/> park
<input type="checkbox"/> structure	<input type="checkbox"/> both	<input type="checkbox"/> work in progress	<input type="checkbox"/> educational	<input type="checkbox"/> private residence
<input type="checkbox"/> site	Public Acquisition	Accessible	<input type="checkbox"/> entertainment	<input type="checkbox"/> religious
<input type="checkbox"/> object	<input type="checkbox"/> in process	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes: restricted	<input type="checkbox"/> government	<input type="checkbox"/> scientific
	<input type="checkbox"/> being considered	<input type="checkbox"/> yes: unrestricted	<input type="checkbox"/> industrial	<input type="checkbox"/> transportation
	<u>N/A</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> military	<input type="checkbox"/> other:

4. Owner of Property

name Robert G. Ridley and Lyle D. Hollenstine et al

street & number 1866 Sherman Avenue

city, town Evanston vicinity of state Illinois 60201

5. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. Adams County Court House Quincy, Ill. City Assessor's office

street & number 6th & Vermont St.

city, town Quincy, state Illinois 62301

6. Representation in Existing Surveys

title has this property been determined eligible? yes no

date _____ federal state county local

depository for survey records _____

city, town _____ state _____

7. Description

Condition		Check one	Check one
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> deteriorated	<input type="checkbox"/> unaltered	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> original site
<input type="checkbox"/> good	<input type="checkbox"/> ruins	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> altered	<input type="checkbox"/> moved date _____
<input type="checkbox"/> fair	<input type="checkbox"/> unexposed		

Describe the present and original (if known) physical appearance

The 130 North 8th structure is a two story commercial building in the downtown business district of Quincy, Illinois. The second floor is unfinished and unoccupied. Architect Ernest M. Wood blended the use of elongated straw colored brick and stone while combining styling of Queen Anne, Eastlake and Tudor in this 83 year old photographic studio. The original structure had a shingle roof and a bay window at the north side (rear) of the building. Except for these changes and the added storm door and storm glass protection at the entry area at unknown times, the building remains unchanged since it was erected in 1900. The sweeping movement of the roof which extends over an entry area, the sharply pitched roof and Tudor styling at the second floor level lends an English touch to the studio. The second floor level, if finished, would provide a light, bright artist studio with light from the north, west and south windows.

The interior of the building was remodeled for a physician's office during the 1944-46 period. Panelling was placed over the heavy butternut woodwork and hides the beauty and craftsmanship for which Architect Wood was noted. The several offices/examining rooms provided by the physician have not been changed since these offices provide excellent offices, computer room, file room and receptionist area for the four accountants who now occupy and lease the building.

The building represents the traditional Ernest Wood work prior to the Prairie style influence of his studio erected in 1912 and which is located immediately south of the 130 North 8th Street building. It is a miniature commercial version of the Otho Poling house, which reflects Silsbee influence, and which is shown on Page 8 - The Prairie School Review - Volume XI No. 2 Second Quarter, 1974 and which was built in 1897 ---- three years before the 130 North 8th Building.

8. Significance

Period	Areas of Significance—Check and justify below		
<input type="checkbox"/> prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/> archeology-prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/> community planning	<input type="checkbox"/> landscape architecture
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<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> economics	<input type="checkbox"/> literature
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			<input type="checkbox"/> science
			<input type="checkbox"/> sculpture
			<input type="checkbox"/> social/humanitarian
			<input type="checkbox"/> theater
			<input type="checkbox"/> transportation
			<input type="checkbox"/> other (specify)

Specific dates 1900

Builder/Architect ERNEST WOOD

Statement of Significance (in one paragraph)

Well-known, western Illinois architect, Ernest M. Wood (6/27/1863 - 3/7/1956) designed and supervised the building at 130 No. 8th St. in 1900. It was built twelve years before the prairie style building Wood designed and occupied as his office and studio in 1912 and which is listed on the National Register. The two buildings, side-by-side, reflect the dramatic influence Frank Lloyd Wright's work had on Architect Wood. Wood's career commenced under Architect Harvey Chatten in 1886-87 with whom he remained until 1890-91. While together, Chatten and Wood constructed two Romanesque Revival residences, the Richard F. Newcomb house and the Theodore Poling house during 1890-91.

The 130 North 8th Building is symbolic of the traditional architectural work of Wood. This structure, located immediately next door to the dramatically modern style of it's day, and influenced by Wright's pioneer work, deserves to be preserved as a testament to the achievements of an important regional architect.

The 130 North 8th building was first occupied by H. Milton Waide, Photographer according to the 1900-01 Quincy City Directory. By 1912, it was occupied by Lietzerherr Photographers and later by Biersell Photographers. During the 1930's the building was used as an office by a chiropractor and from 1944 to 1981 served as offices for Dr. A. W. Rokita, M.D.

The land for the building was acquired by Dr. E. B. Montgomery in 1890. Montgomery graduated from Jefferson Medical College in 1858. He commenced medical practice in Quincy in 1879. He was a cousin of Architect, Ernest M. Wood. Dr. Montgomery's offices were in the building immediately north of the 130 North 8th building and he commissioned his cousin Wood to build the 130 No. 8th office in 1900. Dr. Montgomery practiced medicine for a longer period than any other Illinois physician and was an active member of the county medical society for 71 years.

9. Major Bibliographical References

From "Peoples History of Quincy and Adams County" 1973 Page 328
 The Prairie School Review Volume XI Number 2 Second Quarter, 1974
 City of Quincy, Ill. Assessor's tax records - Tucker Heckenkamp Assessor
 Quincy Herald Whig newspaper Sept. 19, 1976 and E. Wood obituary - 3-11-56

10. Geographical Data

Acreeage of nominated property Less than one acre

Quadrangle name QUINCY WEST, IL.

Quadrangle scale 1:24000

UTM References

A 15 636480 4421300
 Zone Easting Northing

B
 Zone Easting Northing

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Verbal boundary description and justification

Church Survey - Beginning at Southwest Corner of Lot 16 E. To SE Corner of Lot 15 North 41 Ft. West - 41.5 Ft. N. 3 Ft. West 8.5 S 44 Ft. to Beginning Part of Lot 15 and 16. Local address - 130 North Eighth Street. Size 41.5' x 44.14'

List all states and counties for properties overlapping state or county boundaries

state	code	county	code
N/A			

11. Form Prepared By

name/title Robert G. Riley co-owner

organization

date

street & number 1866 Sherman Avenue

telephone Home 312-491-1012

Office " 492-6923

city or town Evanston,

state Ill. 60201

12. State Historic Preservation Officer Certification

The evaluated significance of this property within the state is:

national state local

As the designated State Historic Preservation 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.

State Historic Preservation Officer signature David K...

title Director

date 12/30/83

For NPS use only

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

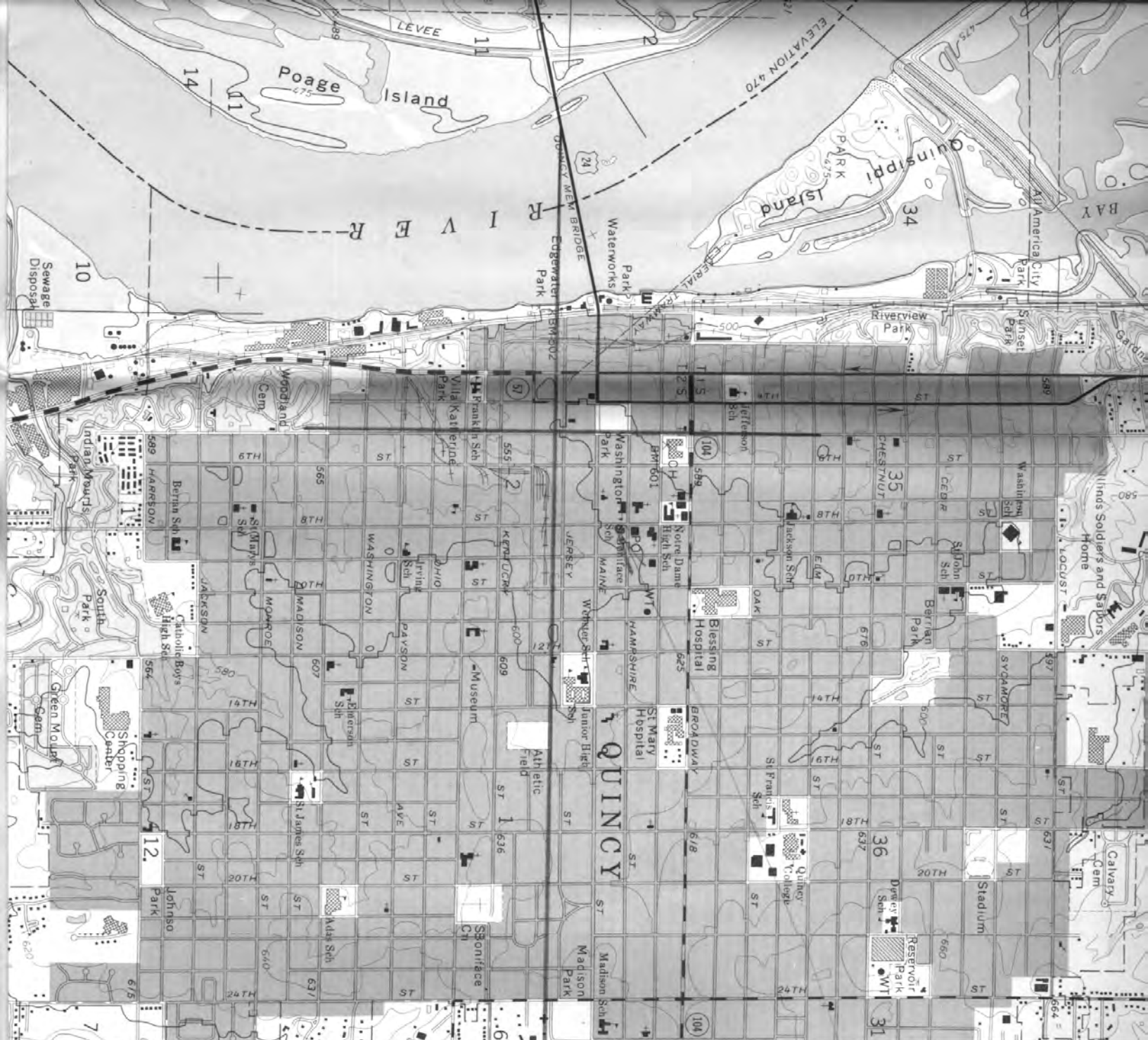
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Keeper of the National Register

Attest:

date

Chief of Registration



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E 421 300
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130 Nth 8th
Bldg.

near Hampden
135 Nth 8th
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