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of America is progressing at a rapid pace through thoughtless destruction and the lack of real planning. For example, ^{the last forty years} almost half of the 15,000 buildings designated by a nation wide survey as being of architectural or historic value have been destroyed. An editorial writer on the New York Times recently prophesied, "we will probably be judged, not by the monuments we have built but by those we have destroyed."

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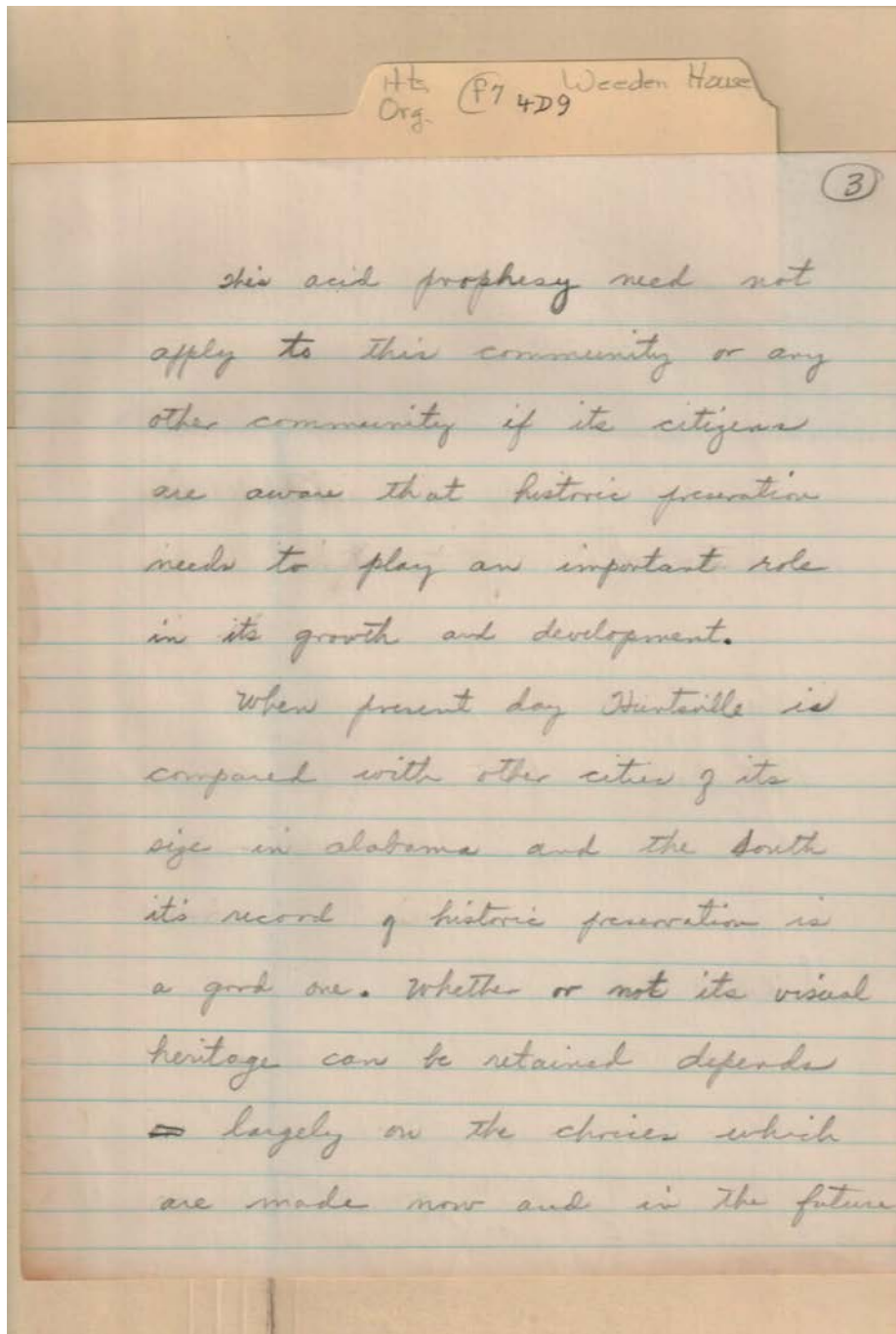
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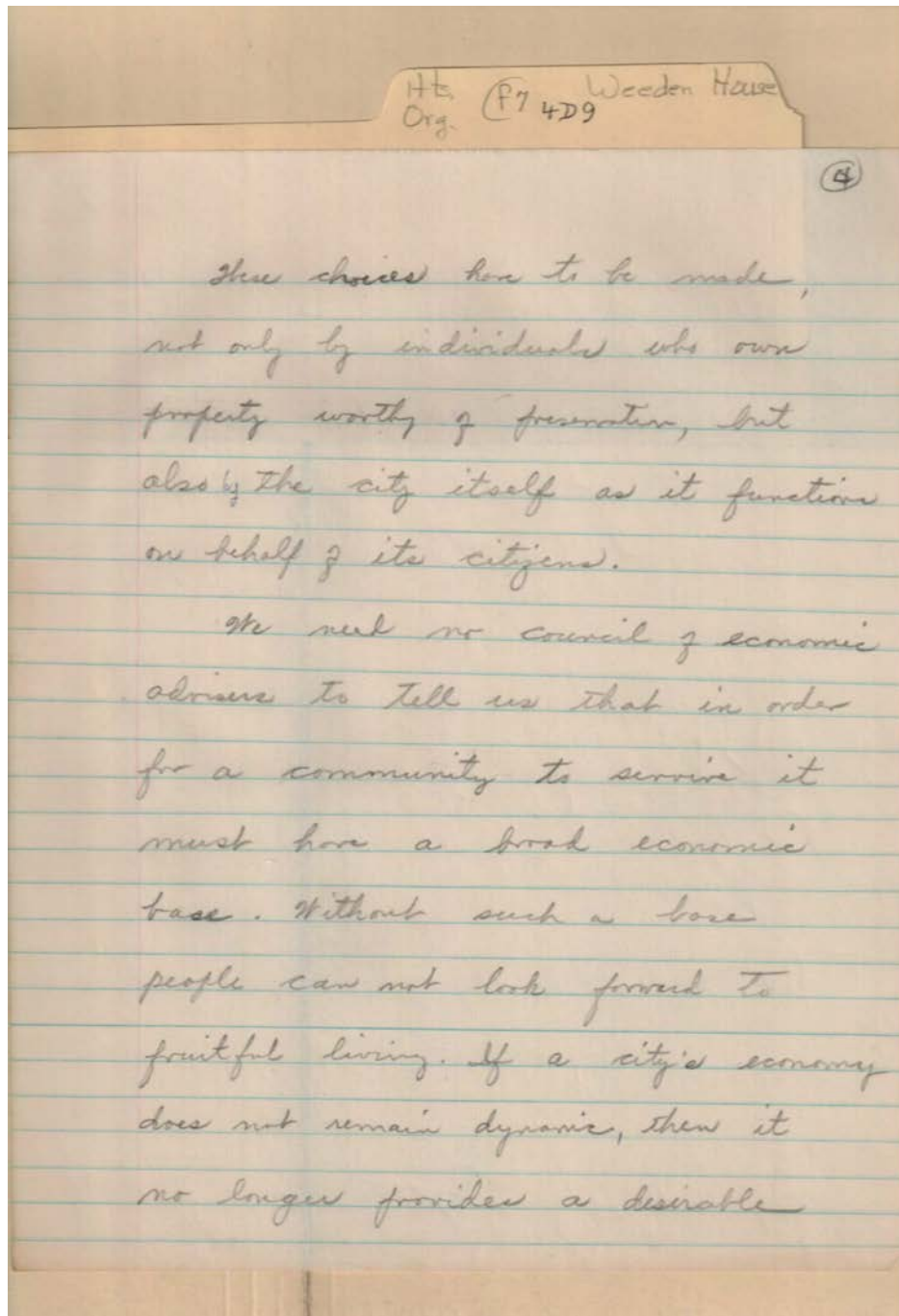
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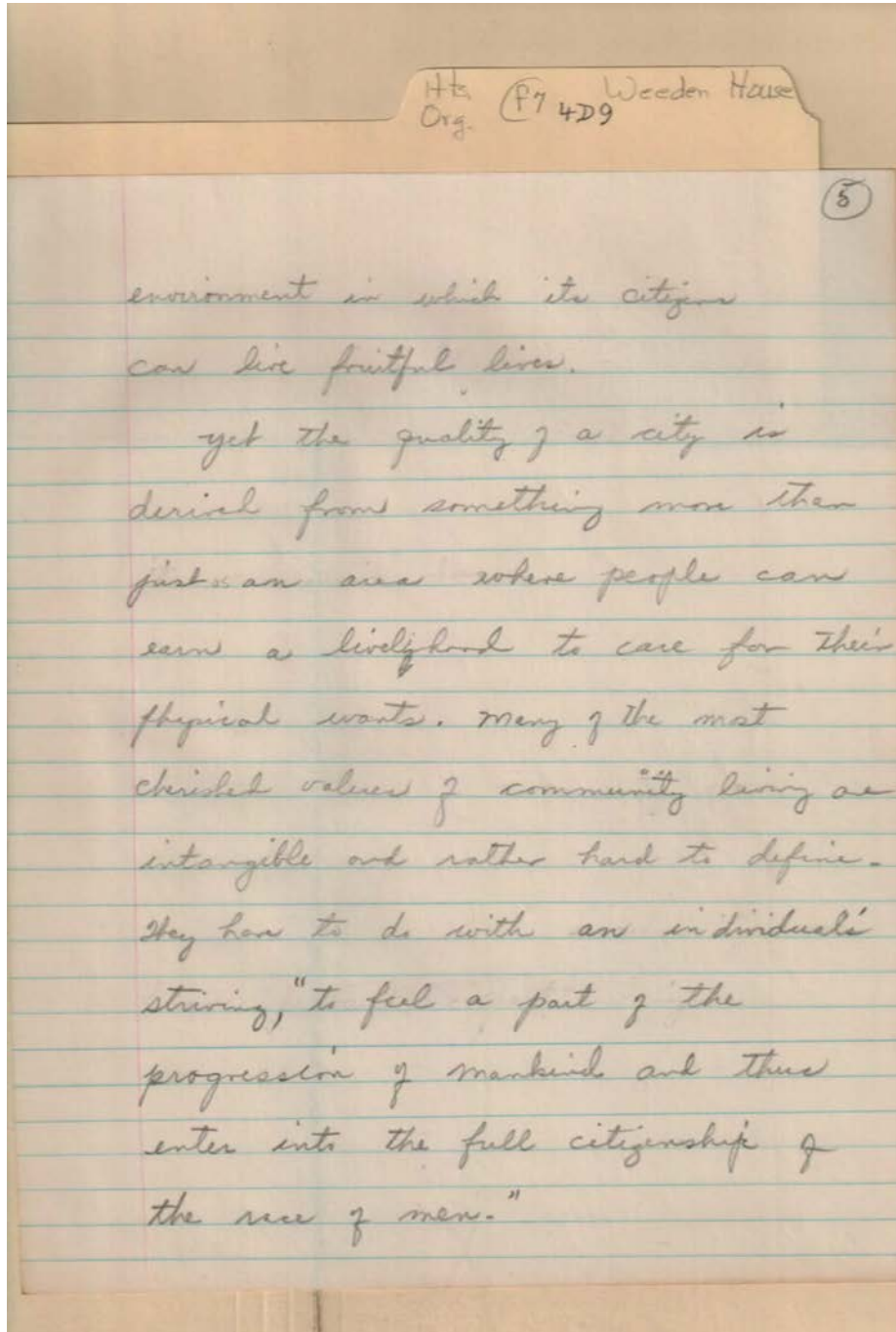
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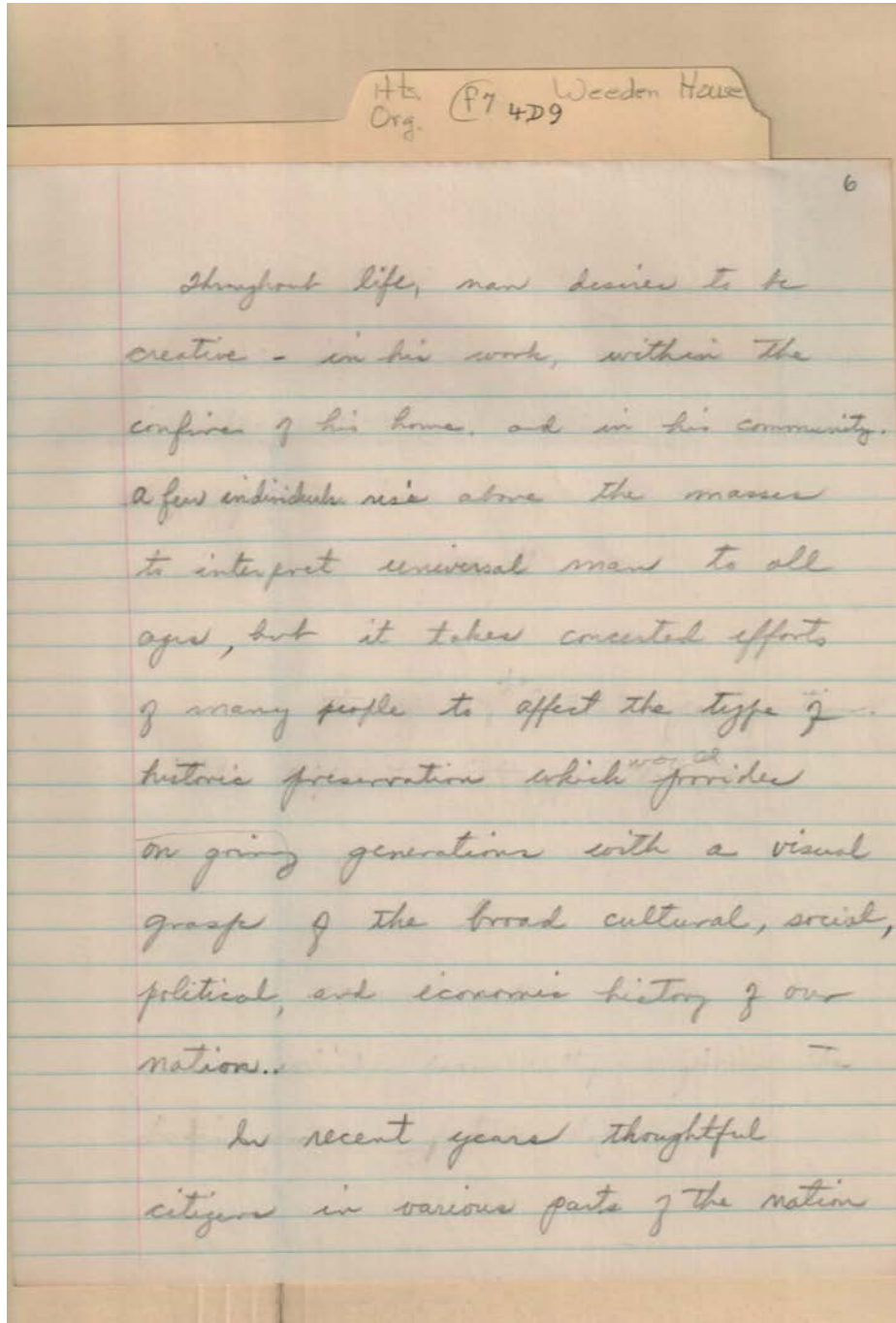
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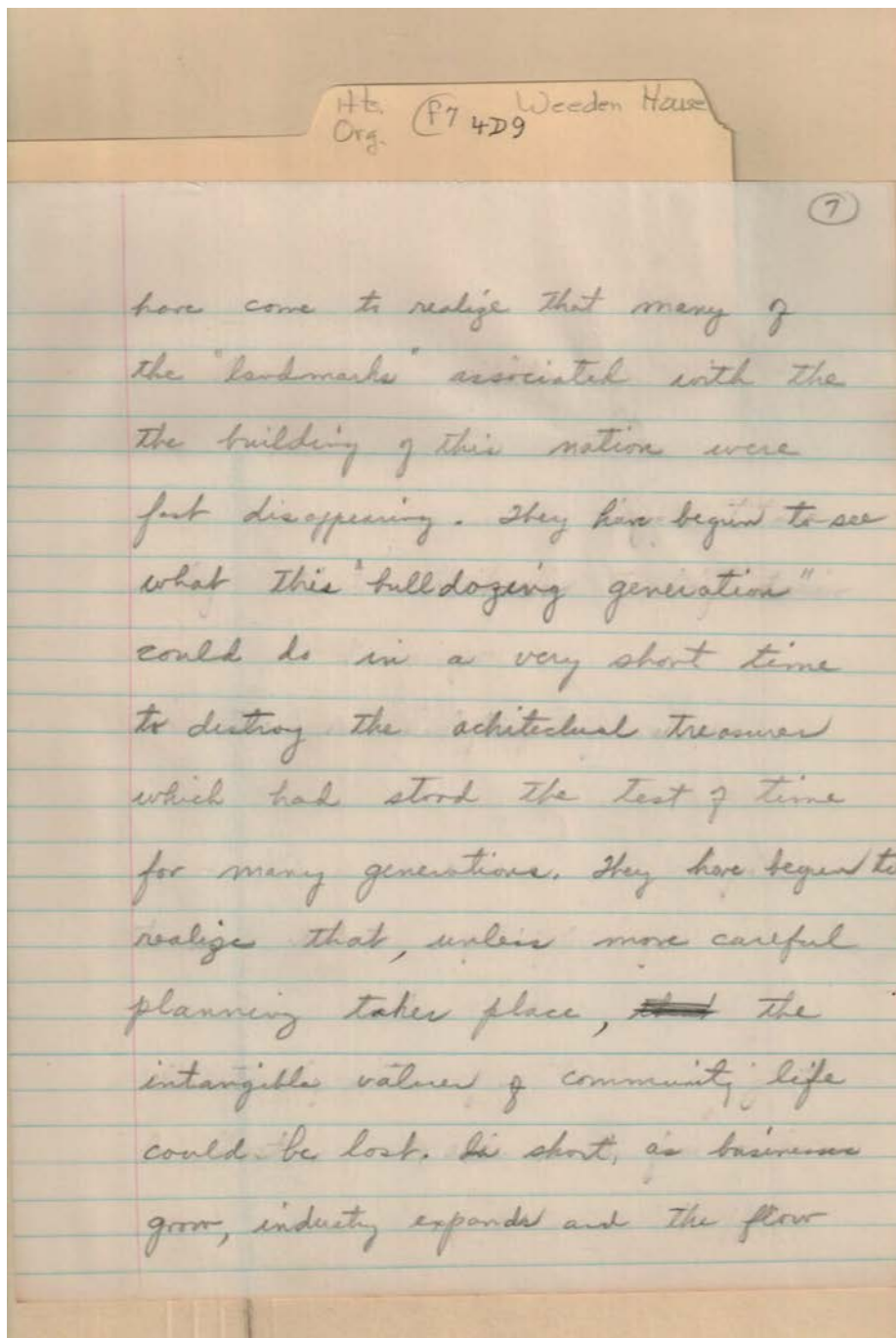
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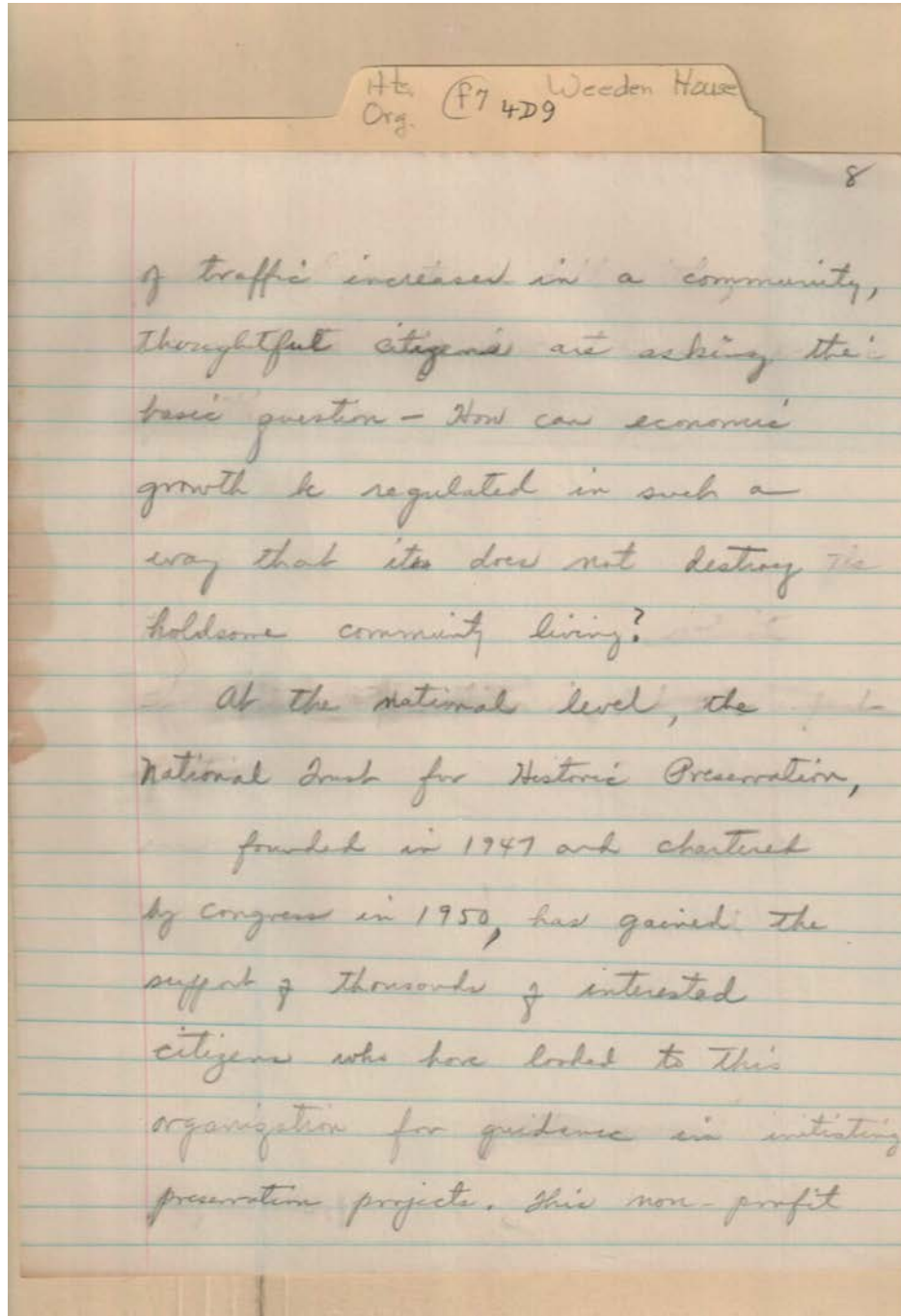
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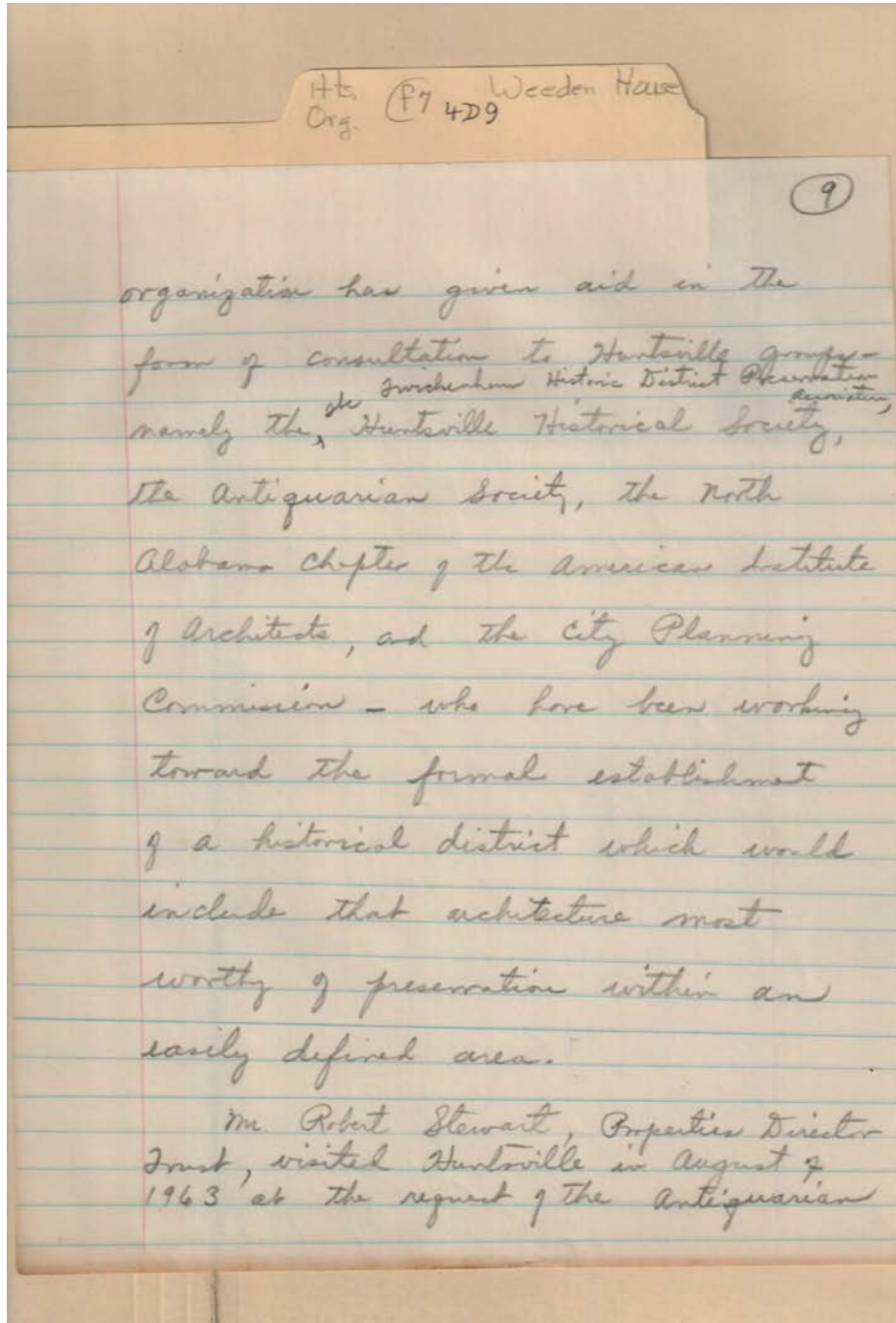
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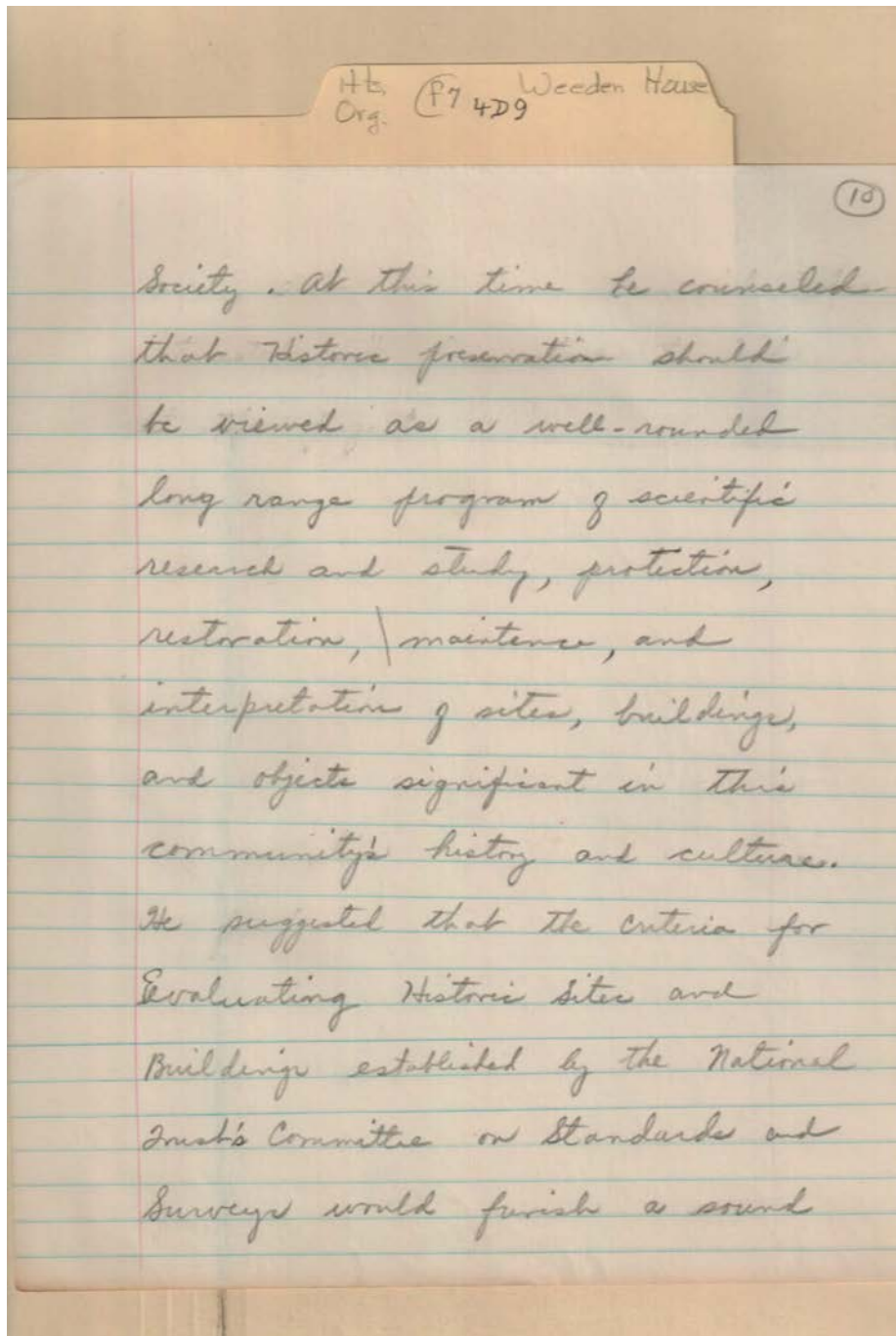
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guide for Huntsville to follow. a
check list of this criteria contained
the following:

First, a clear definition of historical and
cultural significance including a broad
historical values, identification
with historic personages, and
events, ^{and} architectural and landscape
values. (He praised our trees.)

Second, under the heading of suitability,
emphasis is placed on giving
preference to structures and sites
where there is a preponderance
of original material or other

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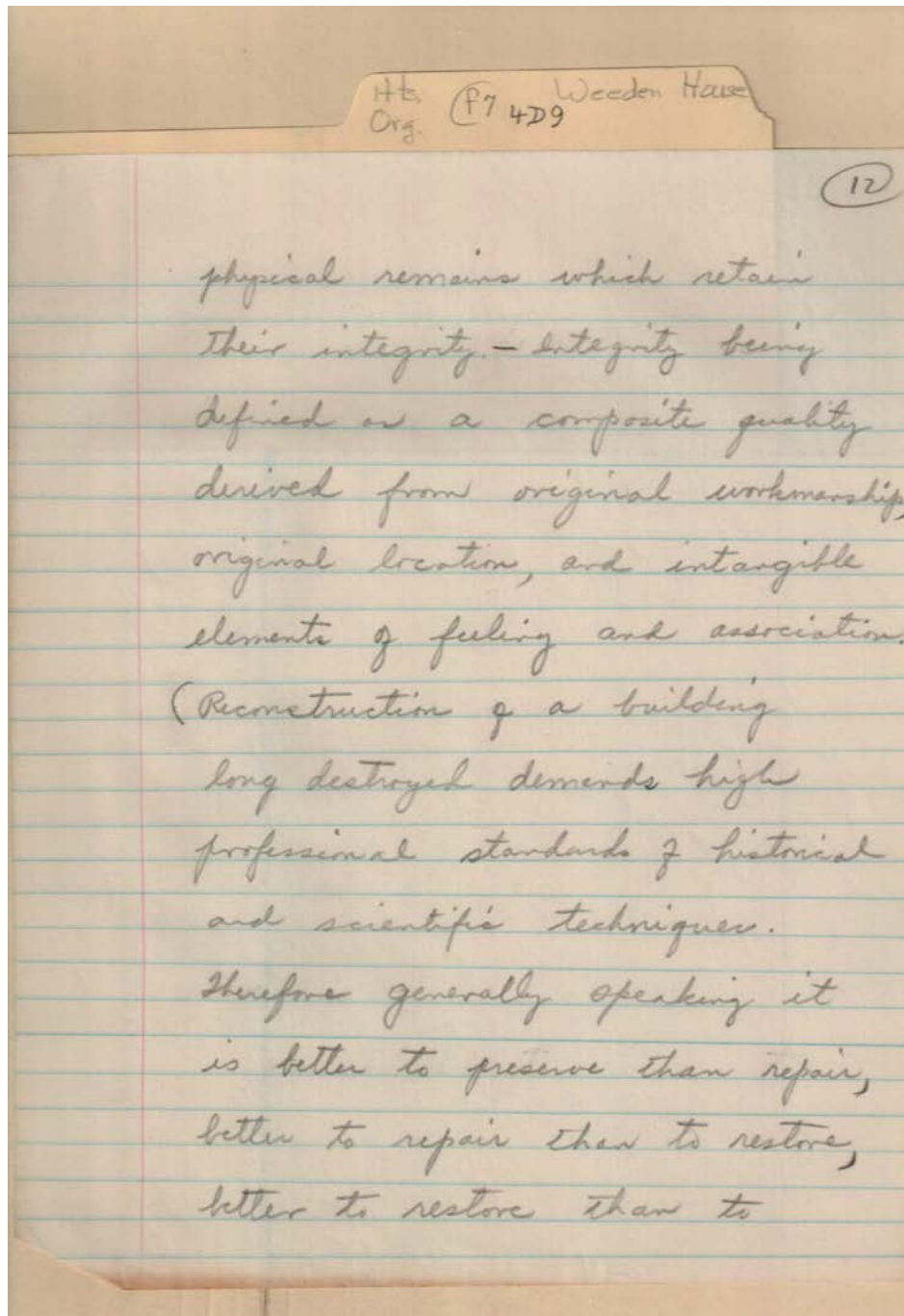
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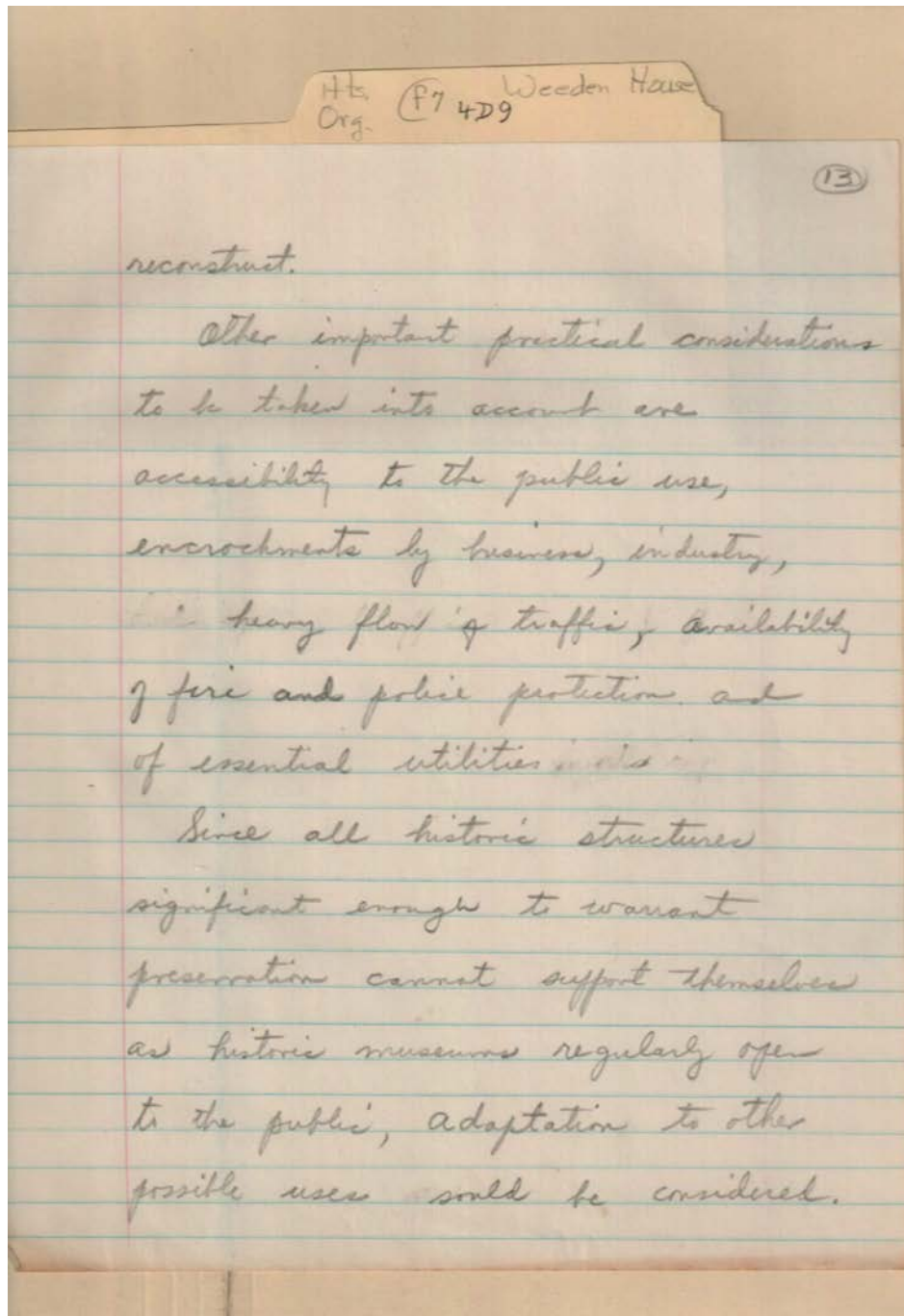
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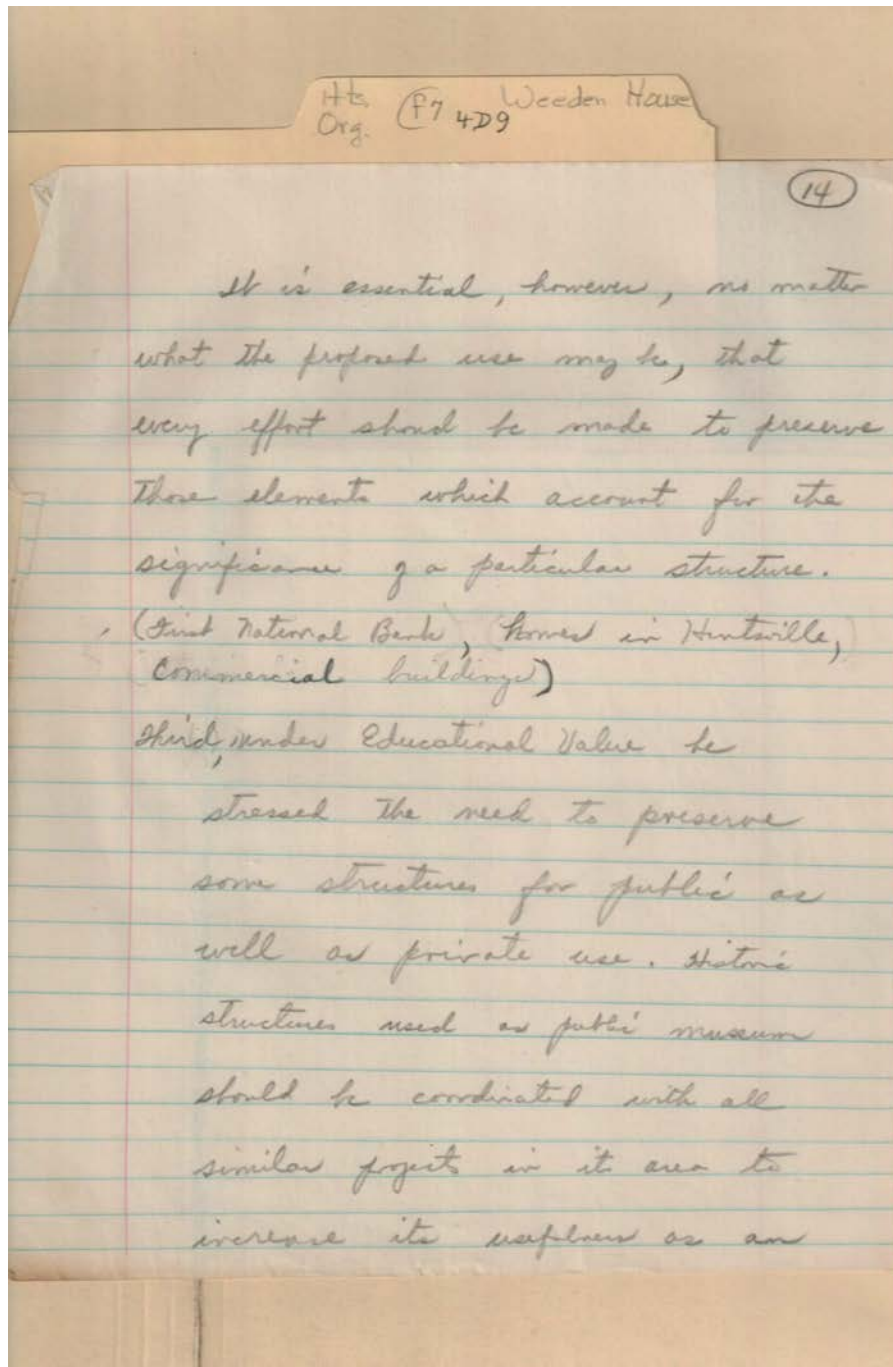
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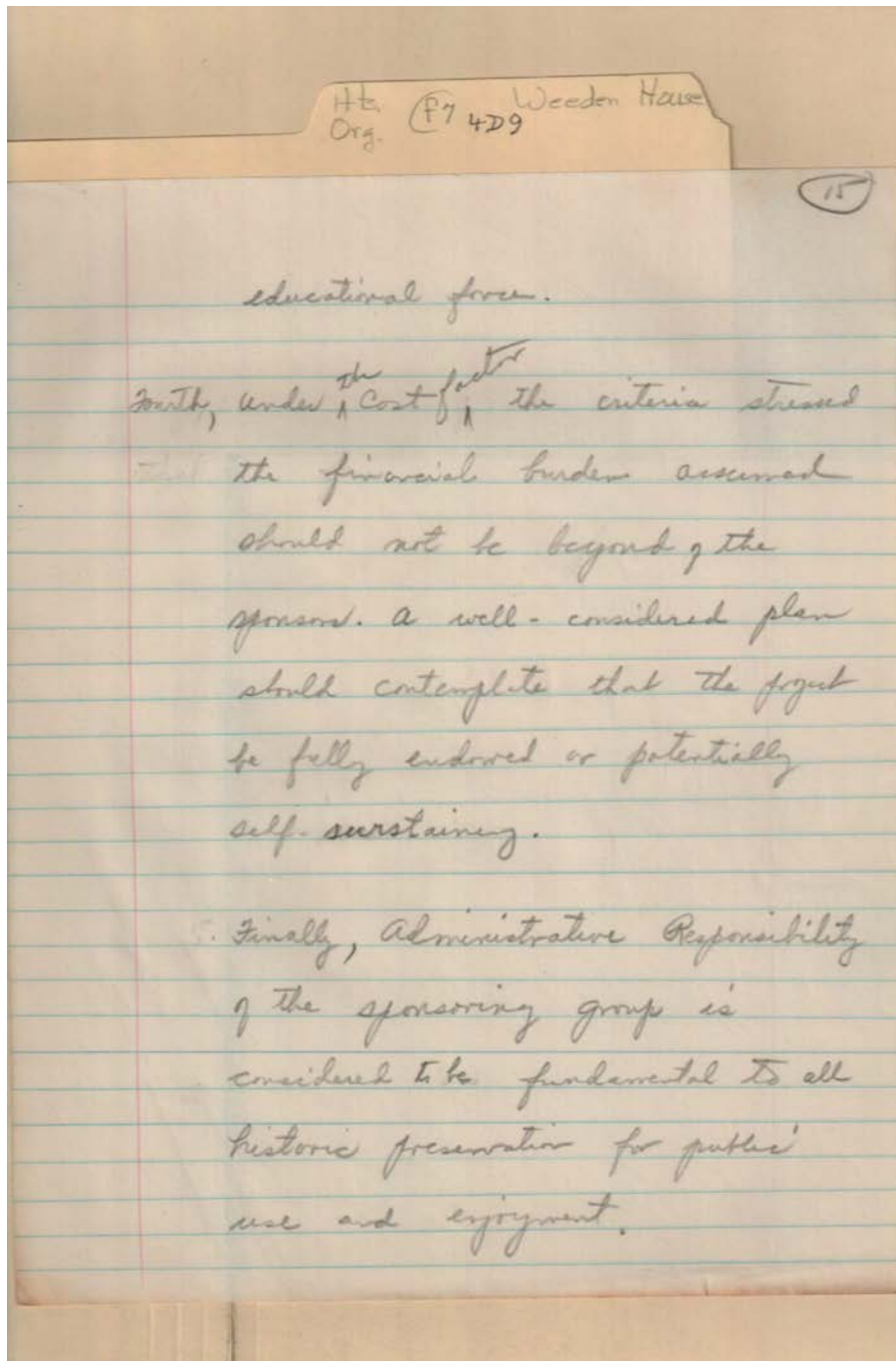
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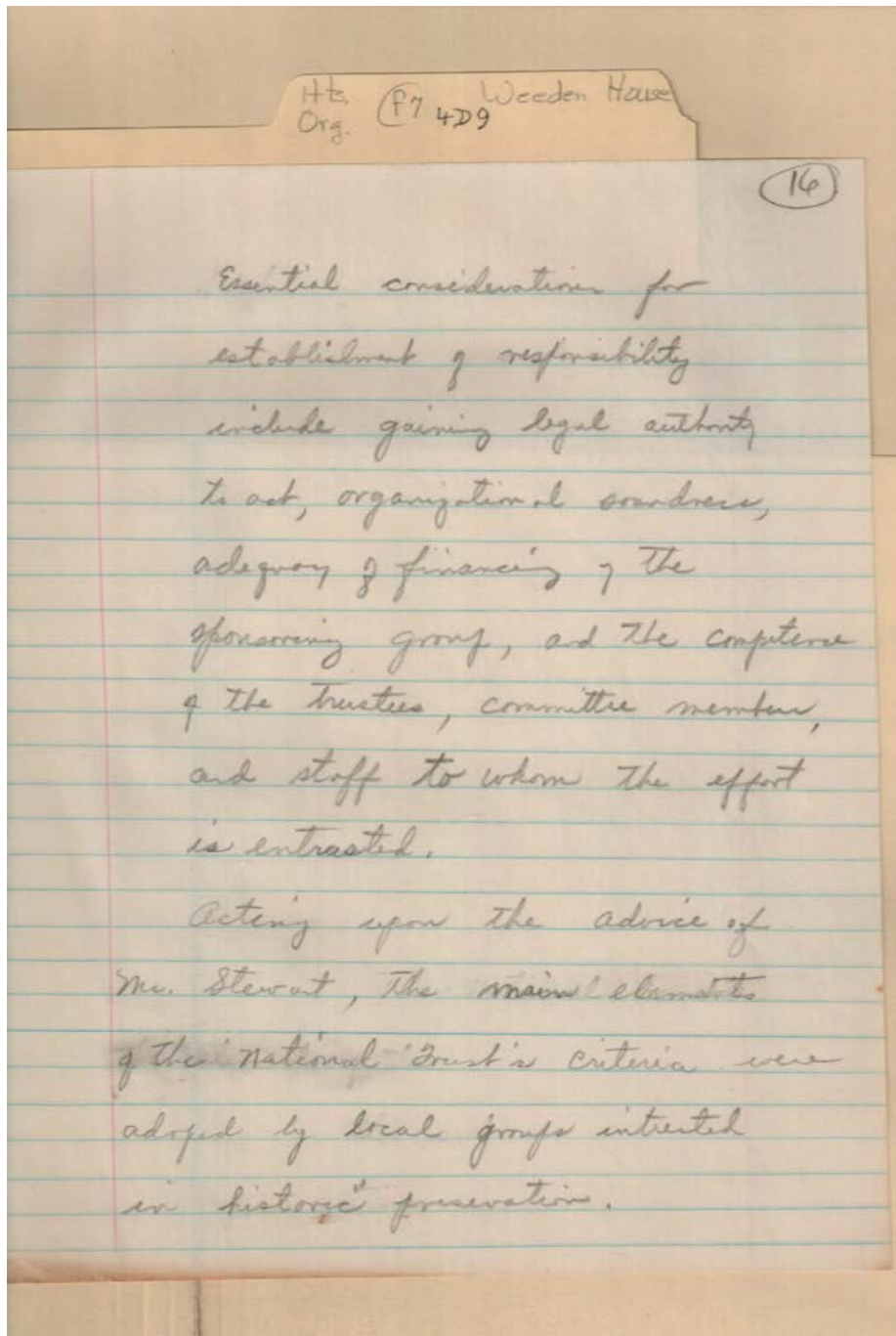
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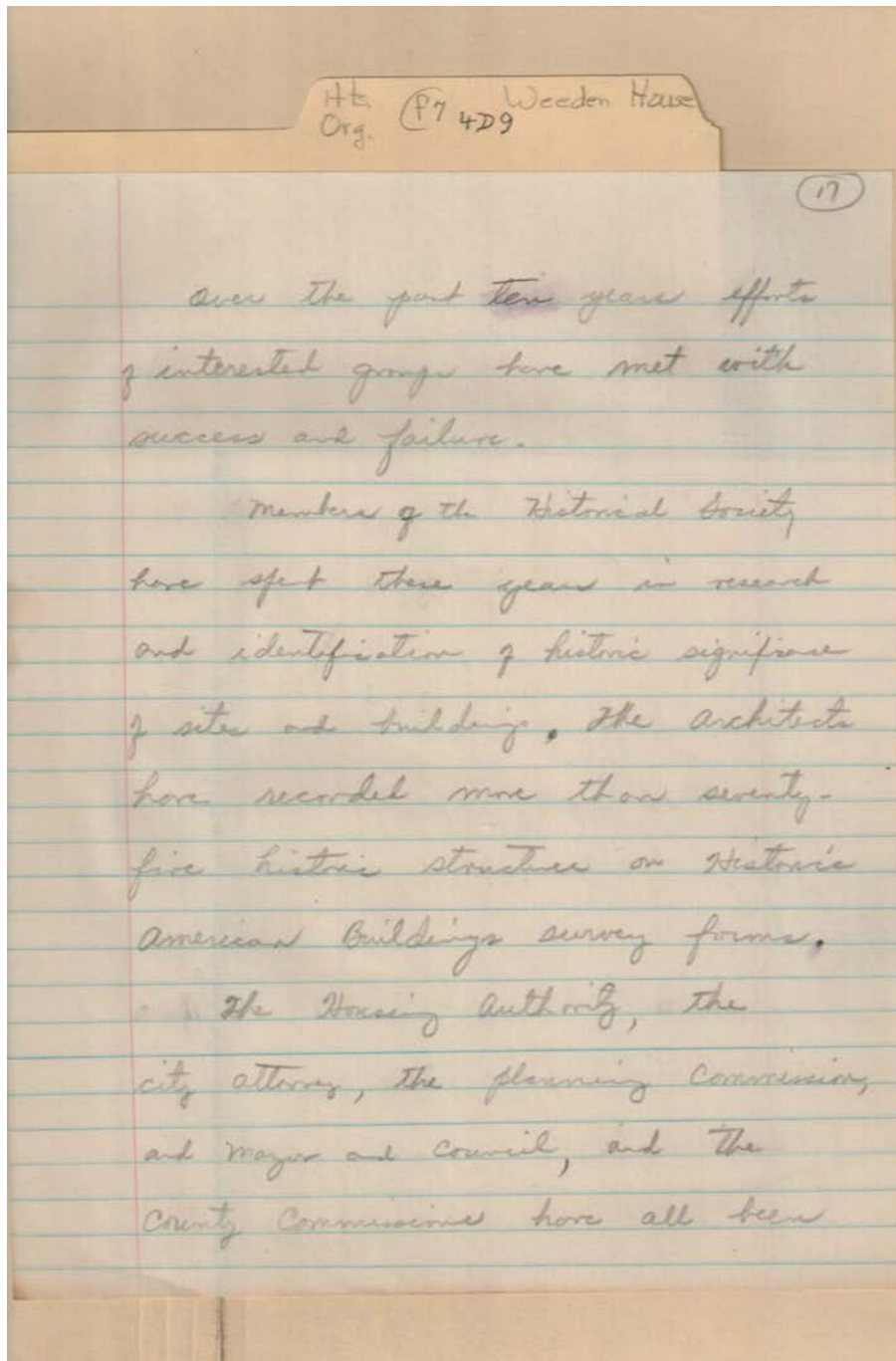
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sympathetic to the cause of historic preservation.

A brief review of the ^{accomplishment} ~~success~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~organization~~ during the past few years indicates that historic preservation in Huntsville will assure the retention of the "character of the community" as the old is blended with the new.

Although the decision to build a modern functional courthouse took precedence over a structure of traditional design, at least the integrity of the historic site of the public square was preserved - and we are encouraged by restoration projects now being developed around the square.

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although we still miss historic cotton ¹⁹
and some of the
natural beauty of ~~the~~ Big Spring
area which has been artificially
covered over, we are gradually beginning
to appreciate the beauty of the Big
Spring Park development. With
the addition of a new civic arts
center in the vicinity, we will
come to appreciate the blending of
the "old" with the "new."

Within the last six years the
federal and state governments have been
giving increased financial support
to historic preservation. Through the
Hud program more money has been ^{made} available

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Civic Center

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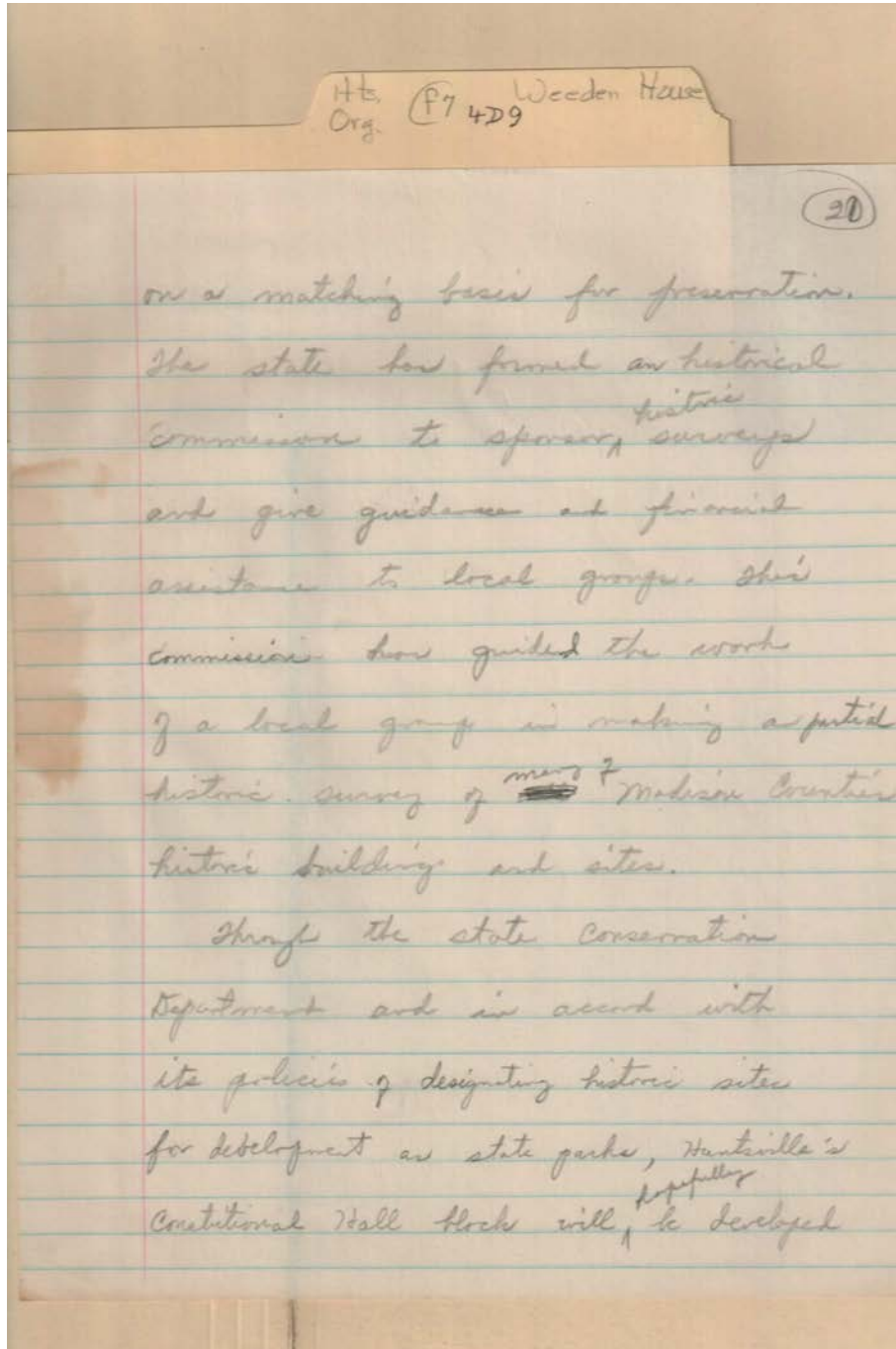
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for public use and enjoyment. This project
moved forward rather rapidly ^{in 1970} due to the
cooperative efforts of the Housing Authority,
the city, the county, the legislative
delegation and the historical society.
We are fortunate to have local architects
interested in historic preservation who
could provide the professional capability
to develop the plans for such a
reconstruction project. To date the site has
been purchased but construction of building has
delayed due to the lack of funds.
Through the cooperative efforts of the
North Alabama Railroad Club, several
members of the Huntsville Historical Society

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North Alabama
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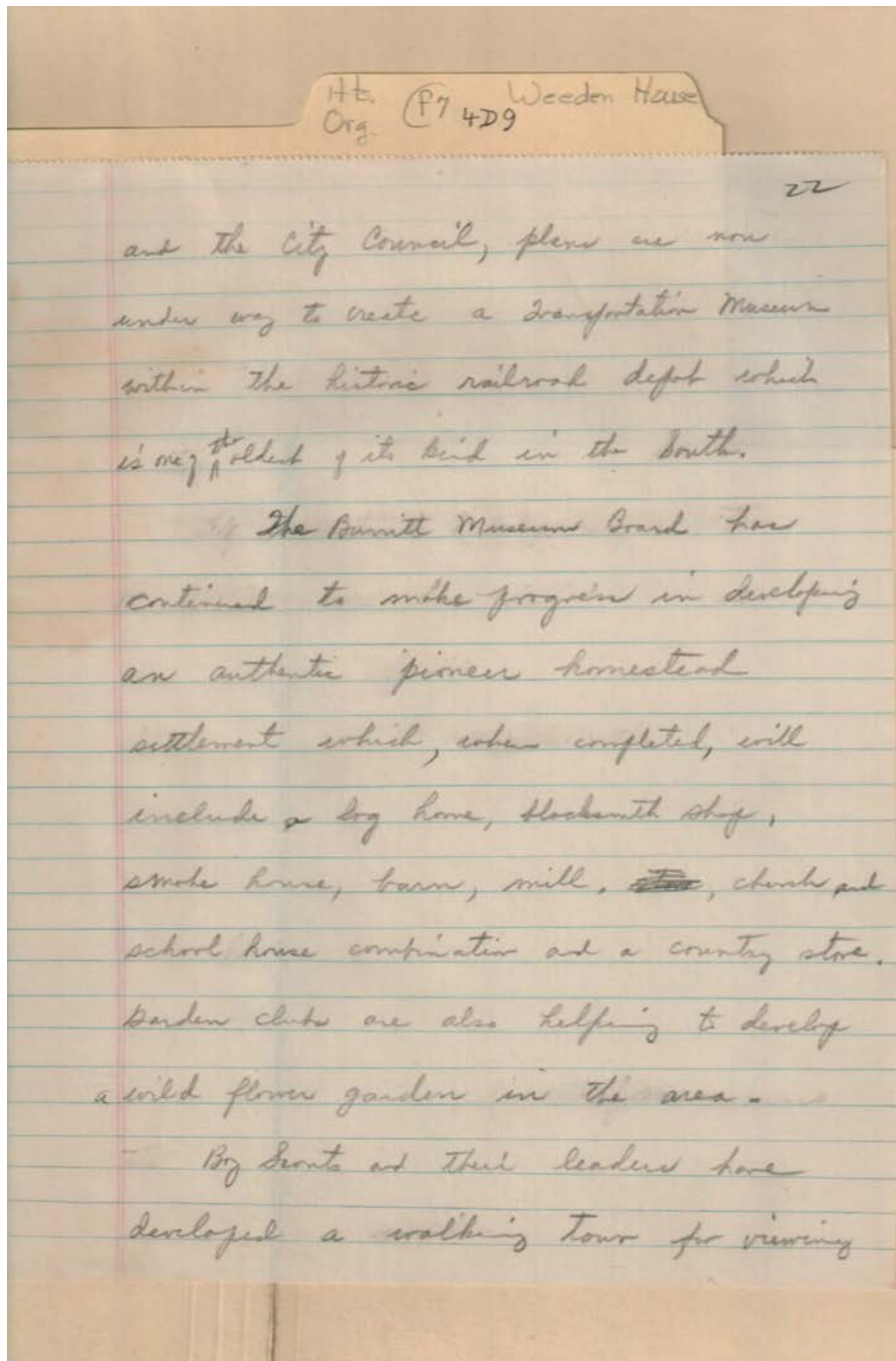
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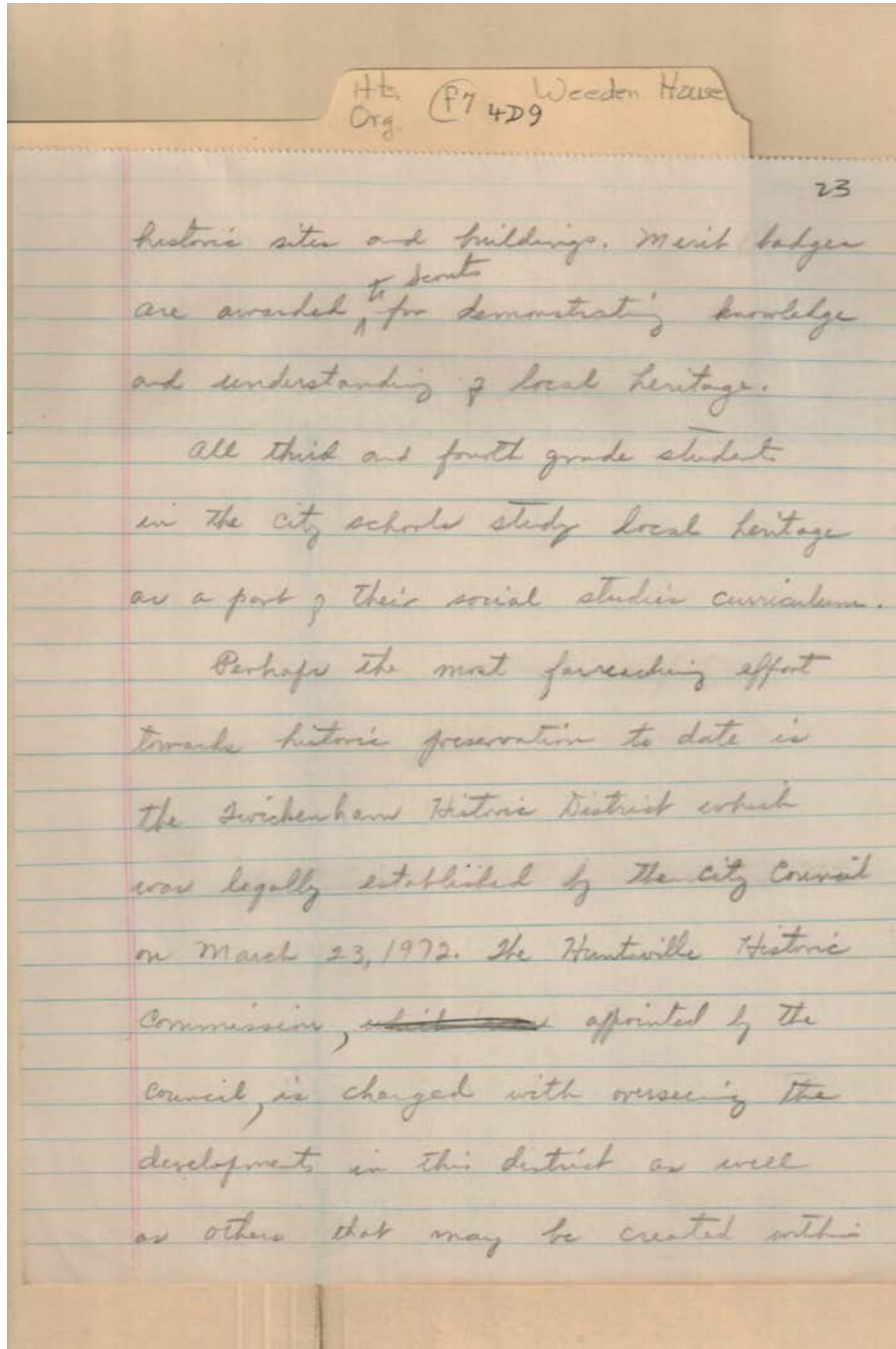
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Commission

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the city.
The Twickenham District Preservation
Association, formed by property owners
in the district, but whose membership
is open to all citizens, ^{for} interested ⁱⁿ the
care of historic preservation, is presently embarking
on project to restore the Weeden Home
on the corner of Bates ^{St.} and Green Street.
Not only is this structure in dire
need of preservation but it is also
one of the best homes available
to be developed as Huntsville's
Public Historical House museum.
~~Not only~~ ^{even though} the architectural features
of the house ^{are} significant, the architect

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Preservation

Association
Weeden House

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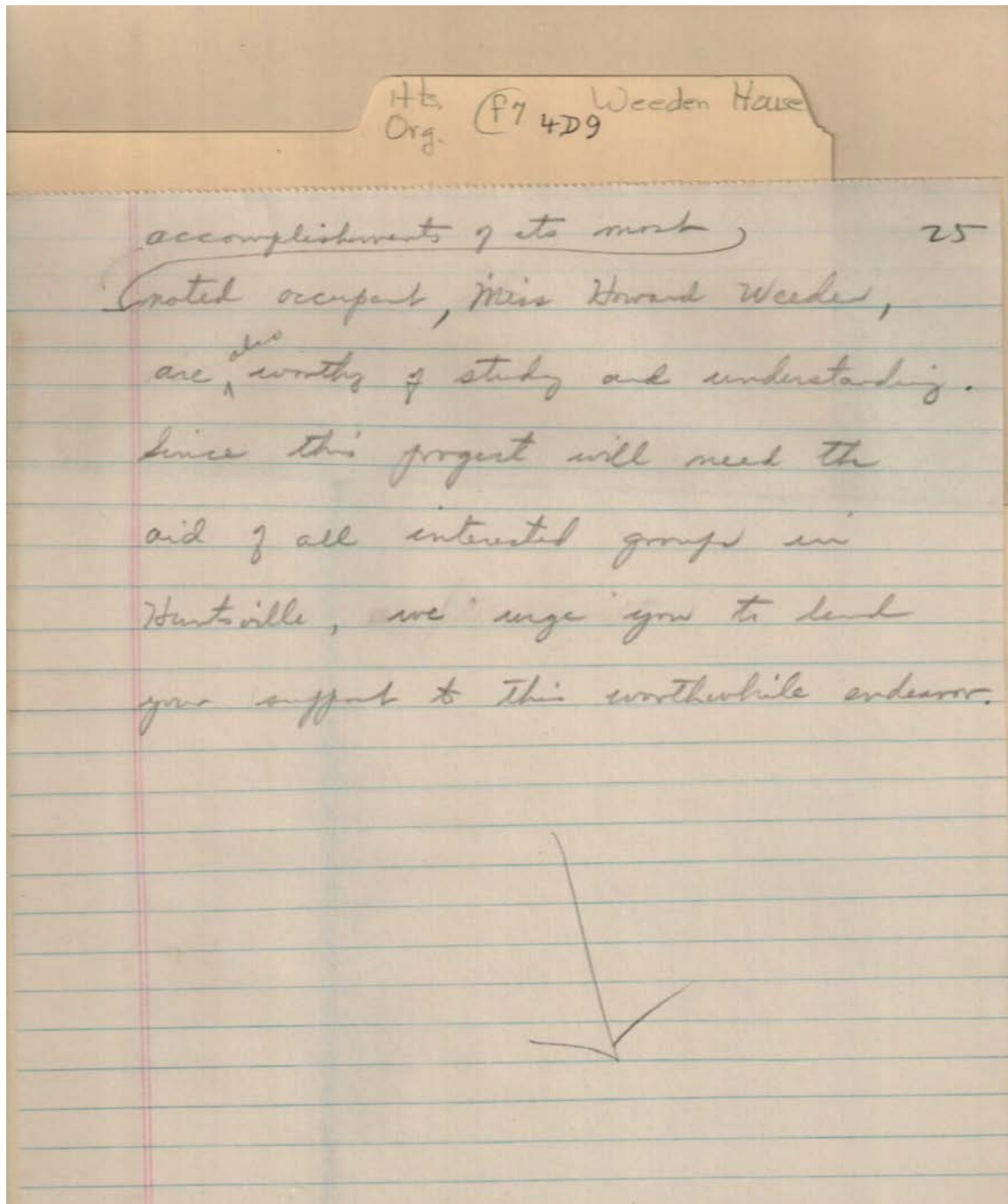
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~~being awarded for demonstrating and
understand of our heritage.
Local boards clubs are contributing their
efforts to the beautification of historic
sites
All third and fourth grade
children now study local heritage
as a part of their social studies
curriculum -~~

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Historic preservation is not new
to the citizens of this city. It has
been practiced for a long time but
the renewed emphasis has been placed
on it because of the pressures of
rapid change. The plain truth is

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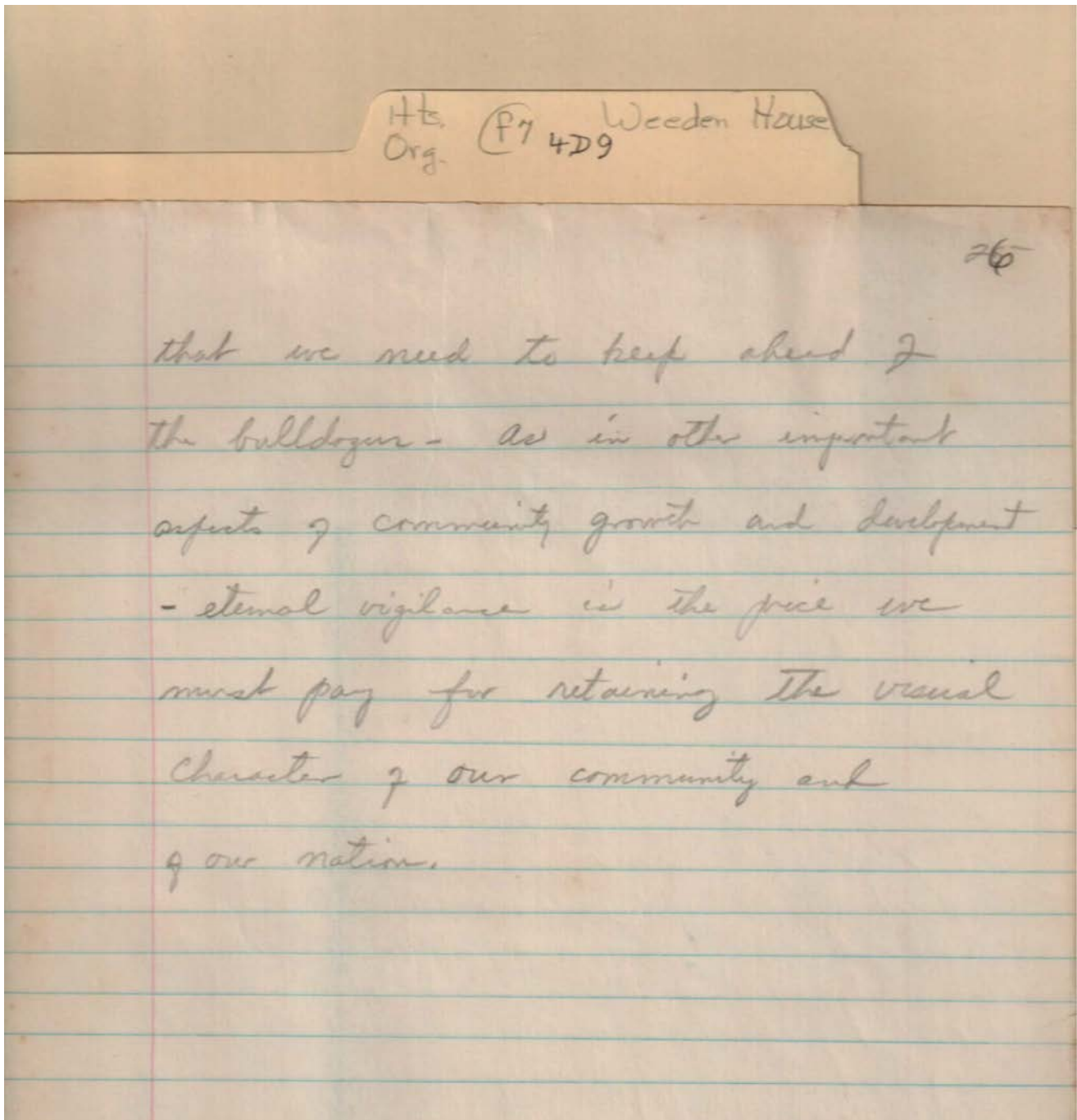
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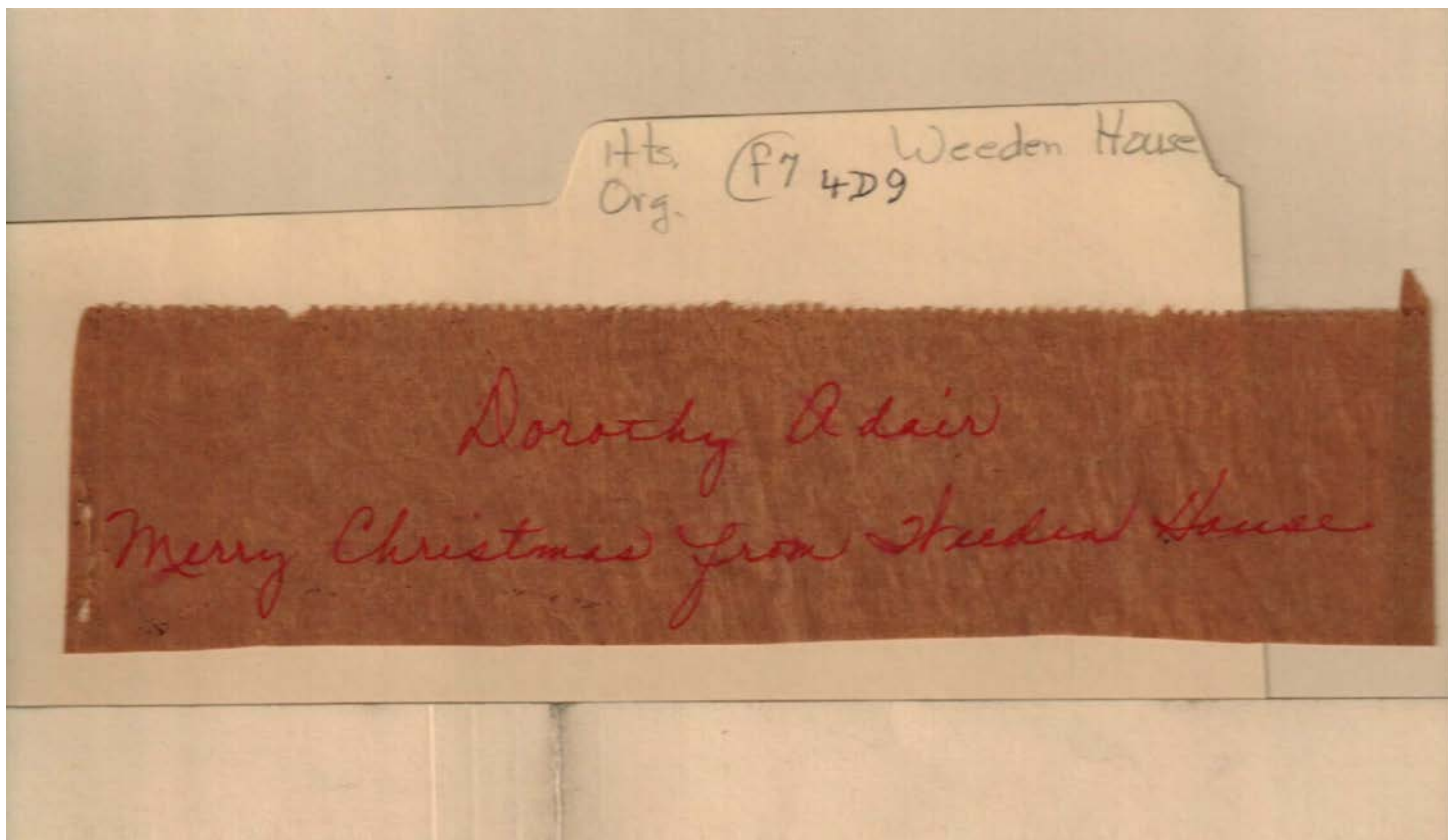
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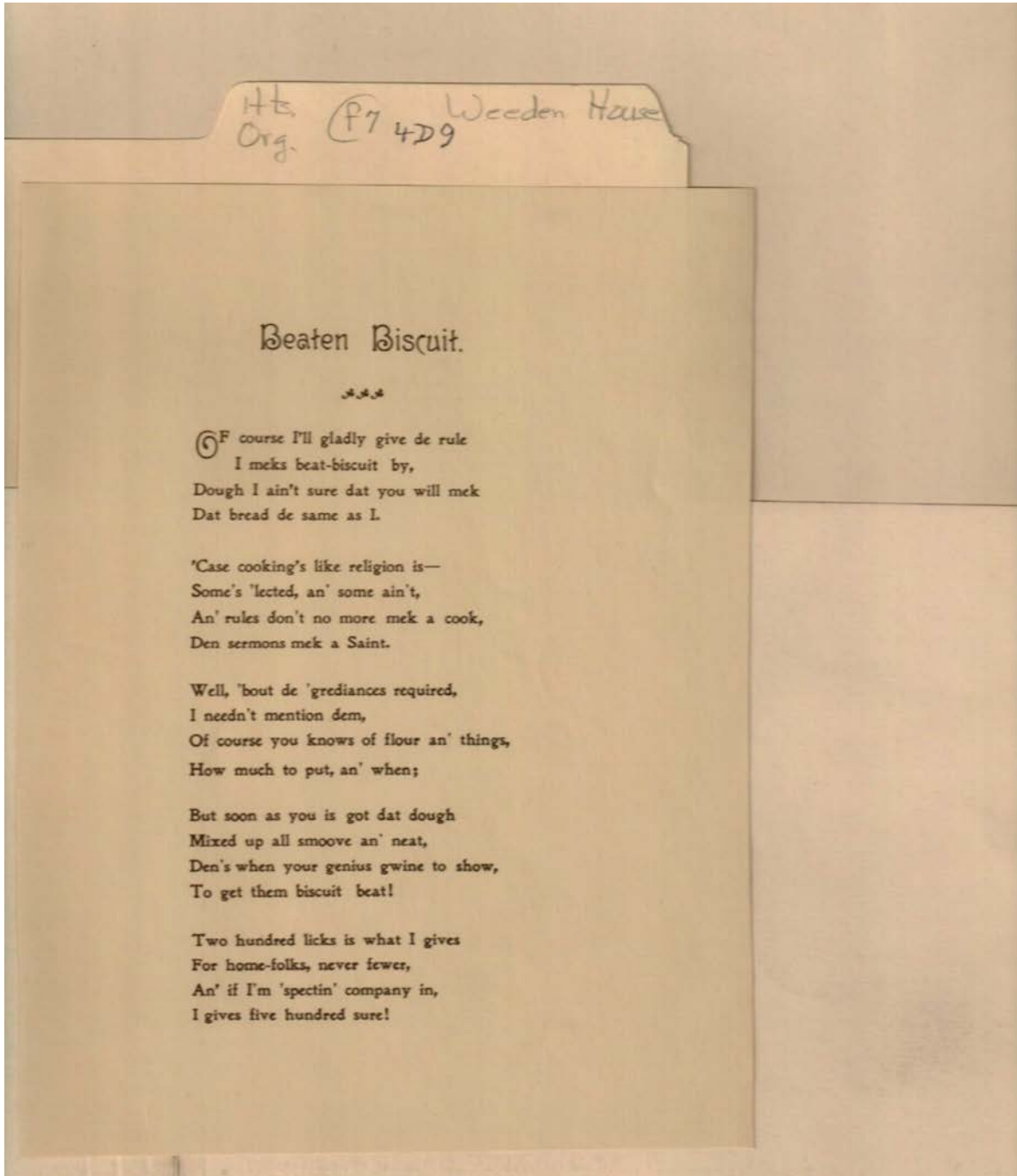
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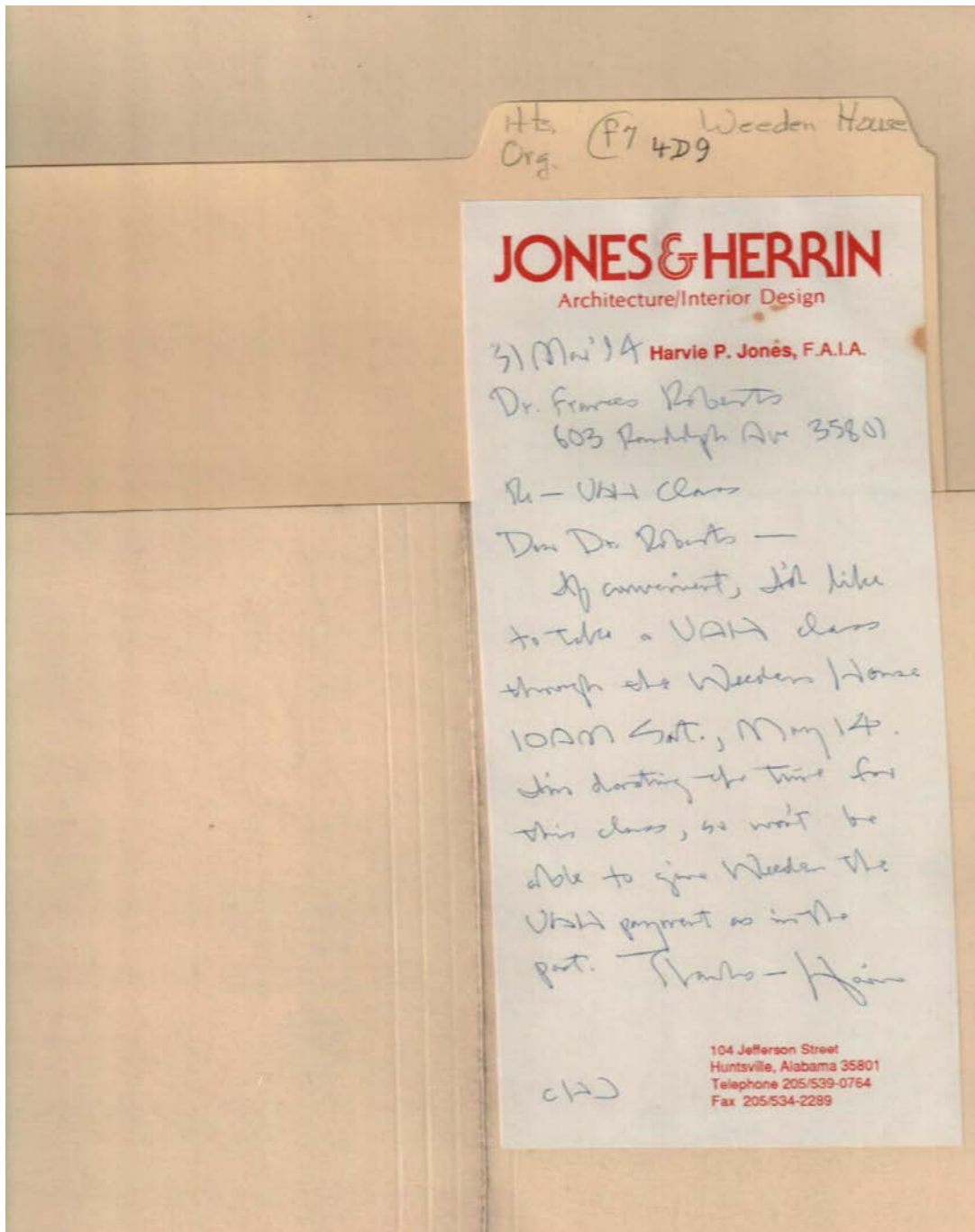


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Jones & Herrin

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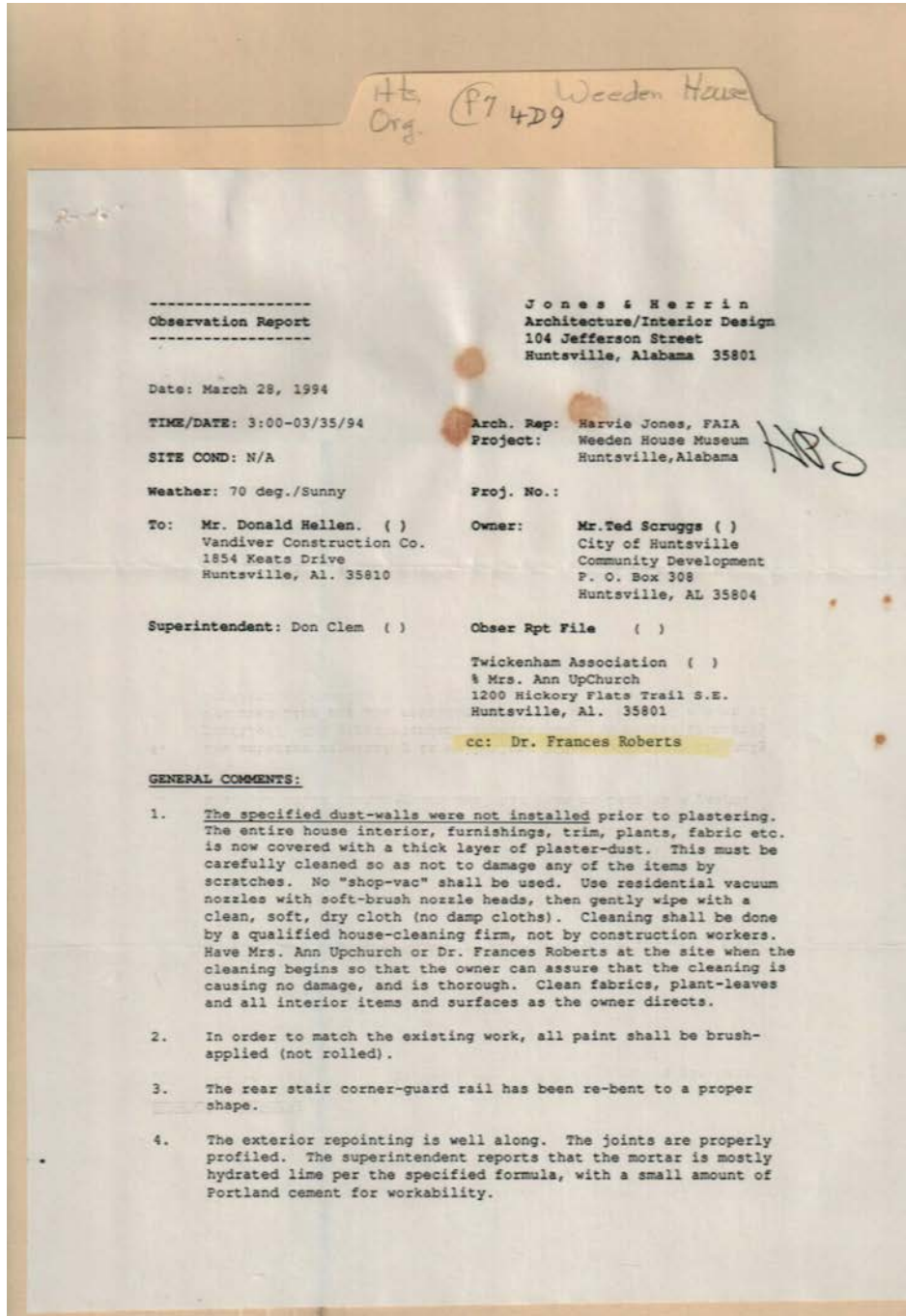
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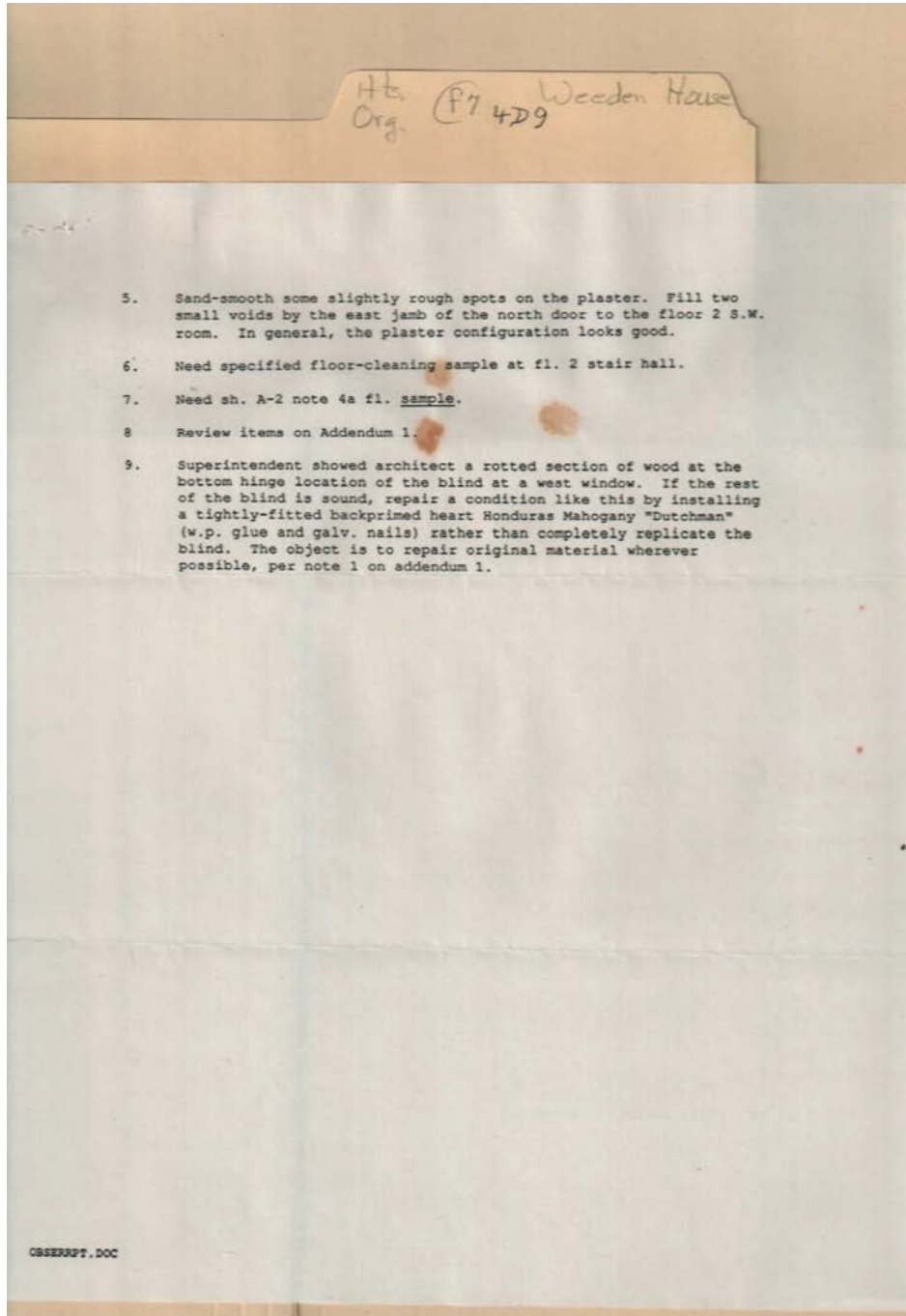
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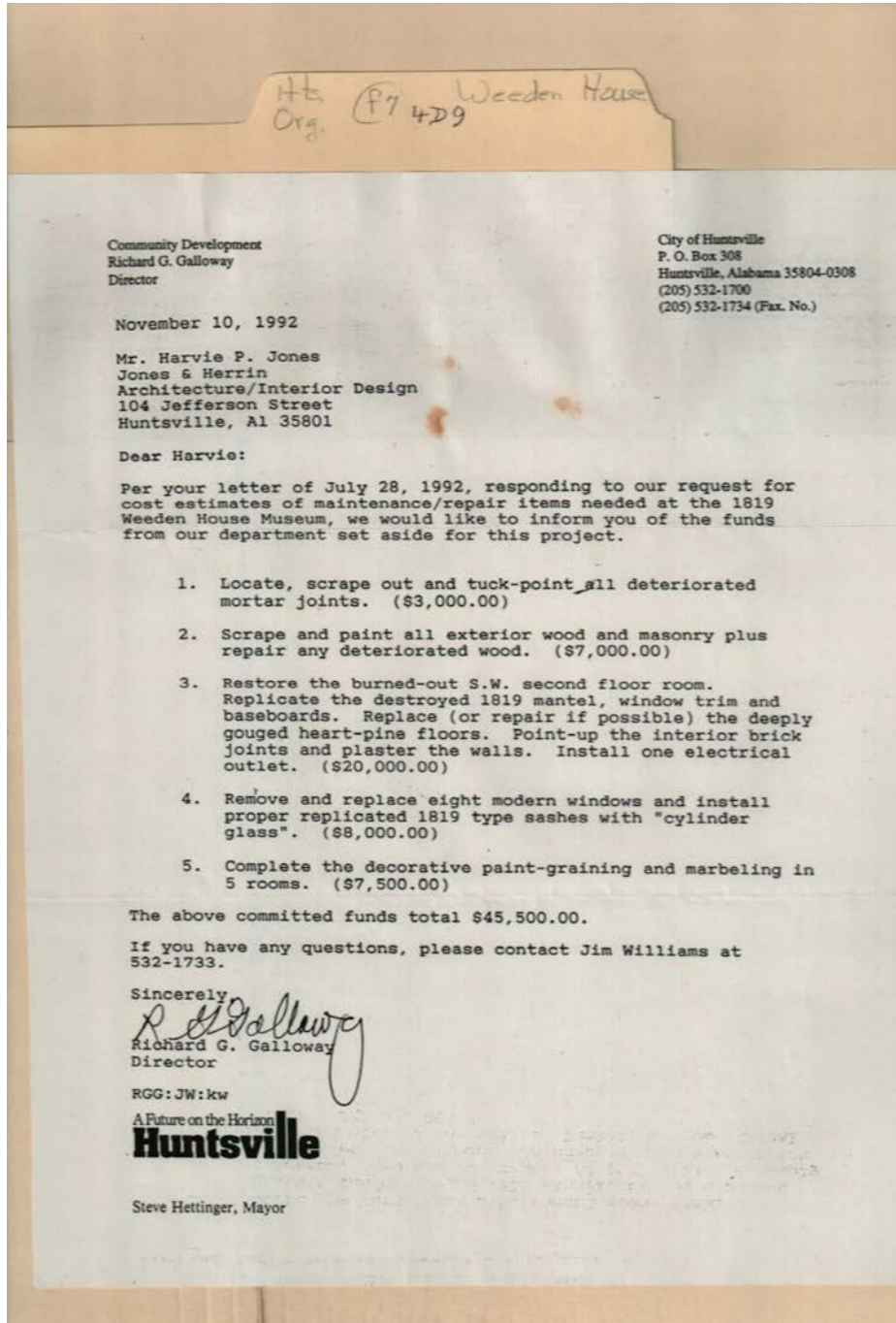
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