

Name and No.

FRENCH FLATS

7 Box 5

DK. Co. Ft. Site #17

ITEM 39

405 Alabama Ave.N., Fort Payne

TARCOG

ARCHITECTURAL--HISTORICAL NOTES

FIELD SURVEYOR

RECORDING FORM

County:

DEKALB

Field Surveyors' Names:

Forbes

Booth

Historical Notes Number:

24-ES

(Red Ink)

Photograph Record Number:

D124-D126

(Blue Ink)

1. Name:

The French Flats

(Old McSpadden Boarding House)

2. Location:

3. Owner of Property:

Dr. Steve Brewer

4. Geographical Data:

5. Acreage:

6. Classification:

Building

7. Integrity:

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Brewer, Steve, Dr.

McSpadden Boarding House

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The French Flats

Places:

DeKalb Co., AL

Types:

form

photograph

Dates:

1889

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Name and No.	FRENCH FLATS DK. Co. Ft. Site #17 405 Alabama Ave.N., Fort Payne	7 Box 5 ITEM 39
8. Condition:	<i>Sp. 100</i>	
9. Present Use:	<i>Director Office</i>	
10. Areas of Significance:	<i>Boarding House, built in 1889</i>	
11. Architectural Description:		
12. Sketches of structure or site when applicable:		
Date of Completion:		

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Places:

DeKalb Co., AL

Types:

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 HISTORICAL SURVEY PHOTOGRAPH RECORD

County: Dekalb

Field Surveyors' Names: Forbes

I. Information on Photograph
 Date of Photograph: 3/23/74 Photographer: Booth
 Roll Number: _____ View Description: French Flats
 Exposure Number: _____ (old McSpadden Boarding House)
Fort Payne

II. Information on Site
 Place Number on Map (Blue Ink): 28
 (Copied from number used in recording it on appropriate County Highway Map)
 Historical Notes Number (Red Ink): 28FS
 (If there is a historical notes form filled in for this place, write it in the photograph number in the upper right-hand corner of this form in space provided).
 Location (Word Description): Alabama Street, Ft. Payne

Owner or Occupant: Dr. Steve Brewer
 (Name, if known)

Address: _____

TYPE of Structure: ☒ House ☐ Outbuilding ☐ Commercial
☐ Barn ☐ Industrial ☐ Other, describe
currently used as Dentist office

Apparent period of construction: ☐ Federal
☐ Greek Revival
☐ Mid-19th Century
☒ Latter 19th Century
☐ Early 20th Century

Apparent period of Additions: ☐ Federal
☐ Greek Revival
☐ Mid-19th Century
☐ Latter 19th Century
☐ Early 20th Century
☐ Later 20th Century (modern)

III. Remarks and Sketches if appropriate: Completely restored

Date of completion: 3/23/74

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Names:

Brewer, Steve, Dr.

McSpadden Boarding
 House

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 Survey

The French Flats

Places:

Dekalb Co., AL

Fort Payne, Dekalb
 Co., AL

Types:

form

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TARCOG HISTORICAL SURVEY
Final Report Form

Make your answers as concise as possible.

Number as appears on your county map 17

1. Name of site or structure French Flats

2. Location of site or structure (including township, range and section number, and which quadrant of section if known) _____

3. Description Building

4. Historical significance of site or structure if known This homestead structure was built in 1889. Many people know it as the old McSpadden Boarding House.

Names:

McSpadden Boarding
House

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Survey

The French Flats

Places:

DeKalb Co., AL

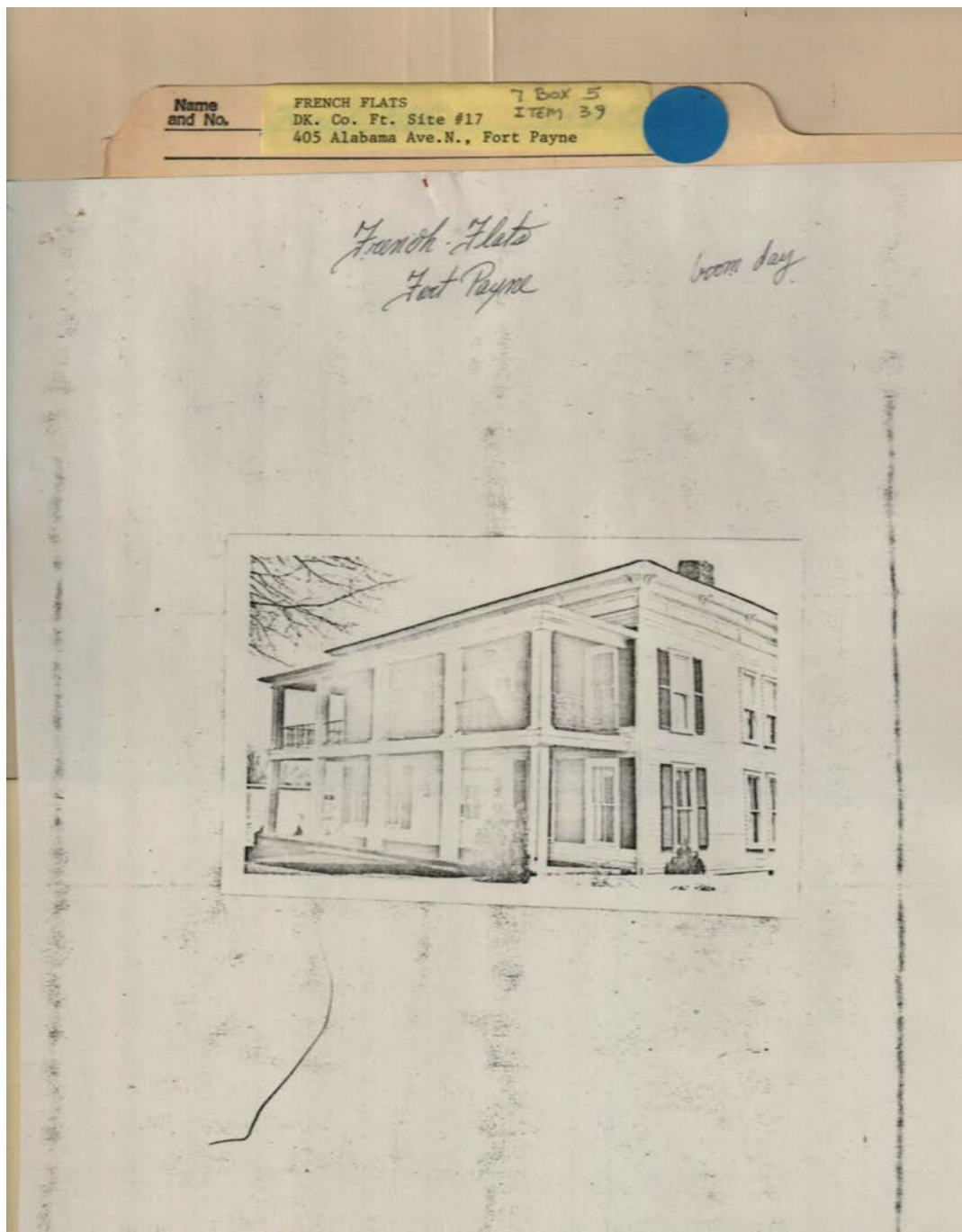
Types:

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Names:

The French Flats

Places:

Fort Payne, DeKalb
Co., AL

Types:

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 ARCHITECTURAL--HISTORICAL NOTES
 FIELD SURVEYOR
 RECORDING FORM

County: DE KALB

Field Surveyors' Names: Forbes
Booth

Historical Notes Number: 28-FS
 (Red Ink)

Photograph Record Number: D 124 - D 126
 (Blue Ink)

1. Name: The French Flats
(Old McSpadden Boarding House)

2. Location: _____

3. Owner of Property: Dr. Steve Brewer

4. Geographical Data: _____

5. Acreage: _____

6. Classification: Building

7. Integrity: _____

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Places:

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Types:

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Name and No.	FRENCH FLATS DK. Co. Ft. Site #17 405 Alabama Ave.N., Fort Payne	7 Box 5 ITEM 39
8. Condition:	<u>Spotted</u>	
9. Present Use:	<u>Dental Office</u>	
10. Areas of Significance:	<u>Boarding House, built in 1889</u>	
11. Architectural Description:		
12. Sketches of structure or site when applicable:		
Date of Completion:		

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HISTORICAL SURVEY PHOTOGRAPH RECORD

County: DeKalb

Field Surveyors' Names: Forbes

I. Information on Photograph

Date of Photograph: 2/22/74 Photographer: Forbes

Roll Number: _____ View Description: French Flats

Exposure Number: _____ (old McSpadden Boarding House)

II. Information on Site

Place Number on Map (Blue Ink): 28

(Copied from number used in recording it on appropriate County Highway Map)

Historical Notes Number (Red Ink): 28FS

(If there is a historical notes form filled in for this place, write it in the photograph number in the upper right-hand corner of this form in space provided).

Location (Word Description): Alabama Street, Ft. Payne

Owner or Occupant: Dr. Steve Fowler

(Name, if known)

Address: _____

TYPE of Structure: () House () Outbuilding () Commercial

() Barn () Industrial () Other, describe

(where appropriate, check one or more) currently used as Dental office

Apparent period of construction: () Federal

() Greek Revival

() Mid-19th Century

() Latter 19th Century

() Early 20th Century

Apparent period of Additions: () Federal

(if appropriate) () Greek Revival

() Mid-19th Century

() Latter 19th Century

() Early 20th Century

() Later 20th Century (modern)

III. Remarks and Sketches if appropriate: Completely restored

Date of completion: 2/22/74

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