

OKLAHOMA LANDMARKS INVENTORY NOMINATION

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SOURCE OF NOMINATION: Contract Survey

TRIBBEY SCHOOL HOME ECONOMICS COTTAGE

LOCATION: Vicinity of Tribbey, Oklahoma 040, Pottawatomie County 125; NE 1/4, Sec. 2, T 7 N, R 2 E

CLASSIFICATION: building; public; public acquisition--N/A; unoccupied; unrestricted; present use--educational

OWNER: Tribbey Alumni Association, Mickey Roberts-Trustee, Rt. 1, Macomb, OK 74852

LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION: Pottawatomie County Courthouse, Shawnee, OK 74801

DESCRIPTION: good condition; altered; original site

The WPA built the Tribbey Home Economics Cottage out of uncut, uncoarsed native sandstone. The mortar is beaded. The building is essentially square (34' x 33') with a shingled, gable roof with intersecting side gable. The main entry is located under a porch. Most of the wood sash windows have been removed and blocked in with cinder block, an alteration that compromises the integrity of the structure.

SIGNIFICANCE: 1940; builder/architect: unknown

The Home Economics Cottage is unique in type, style, materials, and workmanship. It is significant that construction of the building provided work opportunities for unskilled, unemployed laborers. Without federal help it is doubtful that the district could have afforded to build the structure at that time.

GEOGRAPHICAL DATA:

Acreage: Less than one acre

Quadrangle: Tribbey, Okla.
1:24,000/7.5 min.

UTM: undetermined

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION: Located in the NW SE NE of Section 2, T 7 N, R 2 E

PICTURE REFERENCE: none