# NDCRS ARCHITECTURAL SITE FORM PAGE 1

Field Code Darling Springs		SITS# 32	AD 1+6
SITE IDENTIFICATION Map Quad  Map Quad  Map Quad	Butte Site N	lame Darling Sp	rings School
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UTM UTM	E	ZONE NAD 1927 NAD	2 = E½ 3 = S½
Street Number:		·	4 = W½ 5 = NE¼
Street Name: 9th St NW and 18th /	Ave NW (rural)	Management design and the second	6 = SE¼ 7 = SW¼
Urban Legal Description:			8 = NW1/4
SITE DATA Total # <u>Architectural</u> Features:	2		
Fieldwork Date:11/17/2009	Maria de la Carta de		
Reconnaissance Survey	Intensive Sun	/ey	
Project Title & Supervisor:			
Country Schoolhouse Survey Proj Lorna Meidinger, Architectural His			
Report Title & Author(s):			
Bonnie Mae Smith, vice-president, Howard Nelson, Adams County Co		orical Society	
Additional Information:			
Area of Significance Eco		Verified Site Non-Site	CR Type
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(First Name	& Last Name)		(mm/dd/year)

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Architectural Feature #1			
Construction Date	Feature Type9	Condition 5	
Feature Date 3	Context 7	Plan Shape 7	
Structural System 25	Primary Exterior <u>26</u>	Style Gabled F	ront: Gabled L/T
Original Owner's Ethnicity 19	Secondary Exterior	Architect/Build	er
Other Information:			
Foundation stuccoed aggregate concre	te; some stucco over clay tile	Stories2	
Window Three four-over-four 3'x8' intac	t SE corner; 11 3'x8' boarded	up; none on north	; entry, boarded
Roof/Cornice Gabled "T" with cedar sha	ikes		
Dating Method(s): personal recollection	s of people who attended sch	ool here	<b></b>
Feature Preservation Recommend	lation(s) (Check all that a	pply):	
✓ Individual nomination			
✓ Contributes to a potential distric	t		
No nomination potential			
Will not contribute to a district			
✓ Potential district—feature would	be a contributing element if o	ther properties cor	nstitute a district
✓ Thematic nomination potential			
✓ Component of a historic site or	andscape		
Moved (specify all applicable characters original site, orientation with neighboring structures; d) r	n, landscape, & spatial relation	nships; c) compati	period; b) ble in context
✓ Historical associations require f	urther investigation		
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Architectural Feature #	2	
Construction Date	Feature Type _ <del>\$=</del> 50	Condition 5
Feature Date 4	Context 7	Plan Shape 5
Structural System 25	Primary Exterior 26	Style Gabled Front: Gabled L/T
Original Owner's Ethnicity	Secondary Exterior	Architect/Builder
Other Information:		
The privy sits on the northeast of hinged door faces east, the vent		I site near the edge of the bluff. The
Foundation none		Stories 1
Window small square opening o	n south side, no glass	<u> </u>
Roof/Cornice gabled with cedar	shakes	
Dating Method(s):		
Feature Preservation Recor	nmendation(s) (Check all tha	apply):
Individual nomination		
Contributes to a potentia	al district	
No nomination potential		
Will not contribute to a d	istrict	
Potential district—feature	e would be a contributing element	if other properties constitute a district
✓ Thematic nomination por	tential	
Component of a historic	site or landscape	
recreates original site, or	cable choices)—a) relocation occur rientation, landscape, & spatial rela res; d) relocation has damaged eliq	ationships; c) compatible in context
Historical associations re	equire further investigation	
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Field Code Darling Springs	SITS# 32	AD	:
1. Feature Description, Integrity, Eligibility:			

Feature 1 of the Darling Springs school site is a two-room country school house 28' x 56'. Originally, it had solid core 12' wooden folding doors separating the two rooms, each of which had five large four-over-four windows (5 on the east and 5 on the west). An entry 10' x 23' forms the "T" shape of the gabled building and is at the head of 10 steps that are 11' wide (all are wooden except the bottom two which are concrete). Wooden railings are on both sides of the outdoor stairs. A 3' wainscotted soffet extends below the gabled roofs around the building and in the decorative inset above the main door. The gabled roofs are topped with cedar shakes.

The large structure is built on a full basement that is half out of the ground with its windows above ground, some of which have no glass, some are boarded up, and one has a heavy steel mesh bolted onto it. A boarded up coal chute is near the northwest corner. The structure has four lightning rods, a modern brick chimney (repaired) and evidence of early electricity, with the wires still connected from the main line to the school building. Electrical light fixtures are on the front of the building above the main entry steps and on the back north side. A school buzzer system appears to be installed to the left of the main entry light fixture.

The basement of the Darling Springs school was used as a teacherage. The kitchen of the teacherage was later used as needed for noon lunches and for community gatherings.

Feature 2 of the Darling Springs site is a 6'x8' wooden outhouse on the northeast corner of the site. A wooden structure with horizontal wooden siding and a hinged door, the privy shows signs of modern repair on the barge rafters and on the fascia boards. A small square window opening is on the south end.

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## NDCRS ARCHITECTURAL SITE FORM PAGE 4—SITE DESCRIPTION

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Complete one Pag	ge 4 <u>for the entire s<i>ite.</i></u>		
2. Owner's Contact Info	ormation:		
3. Access (to rural area	as):		
Travel north on Highw	west on Highway 12 to state Highwa ray 22 for 10 miles. Turn right or east t of Highway 22 on 18th Ave NW on	on 18th Ave NW. The Darlin	ng Springs school
4 Cito Area (642):			
4. Site Area (ft²):			
5. Site Description:			
Creek, it is visible from	Springs school site is a flat area on a n a distance. Farmsteads with shelte t grows on the west and on half of the of the site.	r belts are evident in almost	all directions. A
the northeast comer o	it the Site.		
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## NDCRS ARCHITECTURAL SITE FORM PAGE 5—SITE DESCRIPTION

Field Code Darling Springs	SITS# 32 AD
6. Summary of All Site Features & Ev	valuation of Site Significance:

The Darling Springs school was the "queen of the prairie" to all who lived in that area. The two-room school was well-known for its high-quality education, but also for the extensive community center it became and continued to be for over two-thirds of the Twentieth Century.

#### 7. References/Comments:

Violet Olson 308 6th St N Hettinger, ND 58639 Arlinda (Braaten) Seamands 500 N Main St.

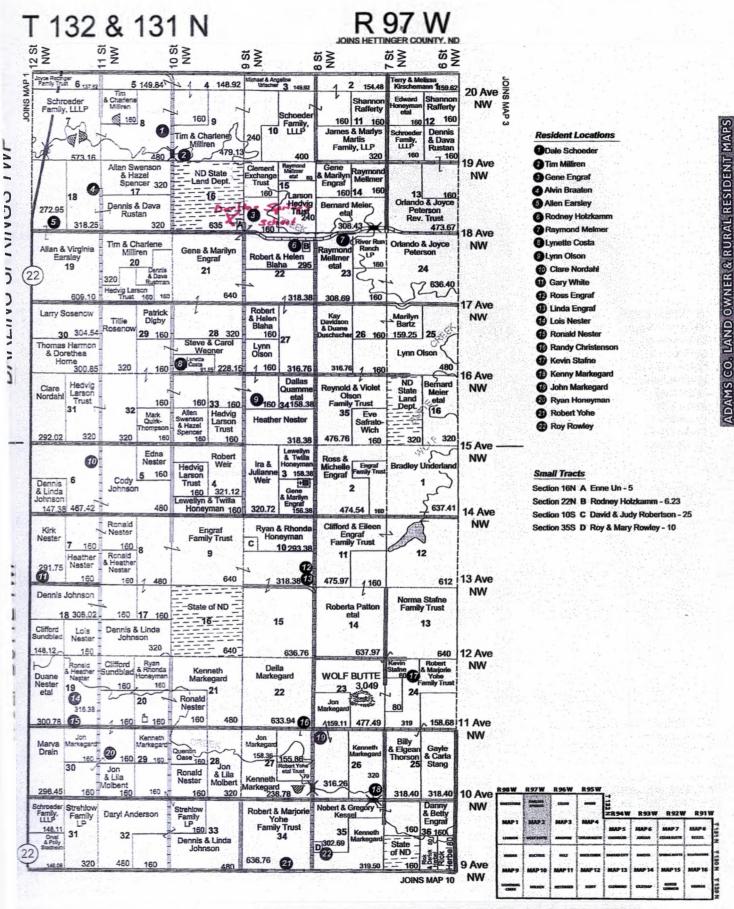
Hettinger, ND 58639

Tim and Charlene Milliren

1902 10 St NW Reeder, ND 58649

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## MAP 2



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Southwest view

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(First Name & Last Name)

Date Recorded 11/12/2019

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Southwest view, closeup

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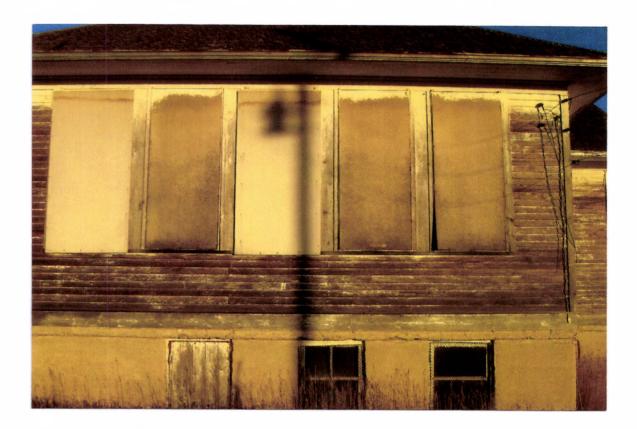
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West view

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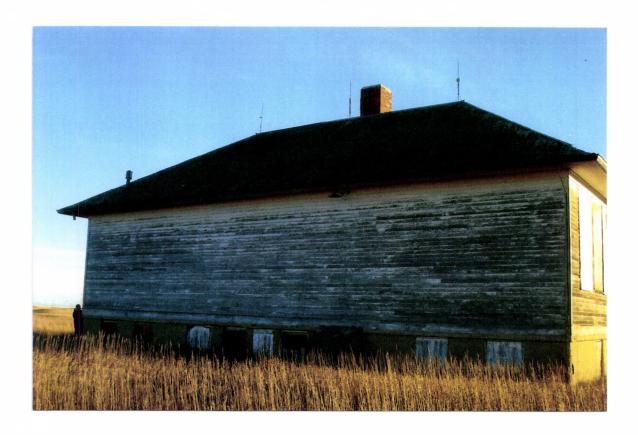
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North view

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Date Recorded 11/19/2019 (mm/dd/year)

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East view

Recorded By

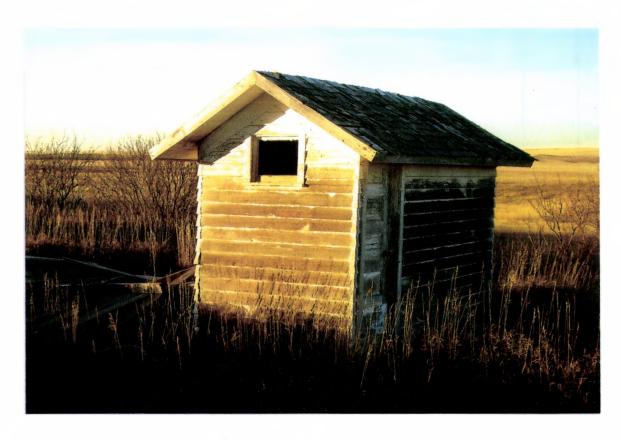
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Date Recorded 41/17/2019 (mm/dd/year)

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Feature 2 southeast view

Recorded By Louis M. Smith

(First Name & Last Name)

Date Recorded 44/17/2019 (mm/dd/year)