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SITS# 32 SH 290

SITE IDENTIFICATION

Field Code Mertz Township School #1 Site Name Mertz Township School #1

Map Quad Mertz Slough
Map Quad _____
Site Name _____

LTL	TWP	<u>147</u>	R	<u>75</u>	SEC	<u>26</u>	QQQ	<u>6</u>	QQ	<u>6</u>	Q	<u>7</u>
LTL	TWP	_____	R	_____	SEC	_____	QQQ	_____	QQ	_____	Q	_____
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LTL	TWP	_____	R	_____	SEC	_____	QQQ	_____	QQ	_____	Q	_____

UTM _____ N ZONE _____
UTM _____ E NAD 1927 _____ NAD 1983 _____

City: Goodrich ND
Street Number: 1651
Street Name: 7th St NE
Urban Legal Description: _____

Subsection:
1 = N½
2 = E½
3 = S½
4 = W½
5 = NE¼
6 = SE¼
7 = SW¼
8 = NW¼

SITE DATA

Total # **Architectural** Features: 1
Fieldwork Date: 10/25/2013
Reconnaissance Survey Intensive Survey
Project Title & Supervisor:
Country Schoolhouse Project
Report Title & Author(s):

Additional Information: _____

SHSND USE
Area of Significance 2 Ecozone 18 Verified Site _____ CR Type 2
Area of Significance _____ Ecozone _____ Non-Site _____
Area of Significance _____

Recorded By Kathy Wilner Date Recorded 1/16/2014
(First Name & Last Name) (mm/dd/year)

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PAGE 2—Feature Data

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Complete one Page 2 for each architectural feature at the site.

Architectural Feature # 1

Construction Date Feature Type 9 Condition 6
Feature Date 3 Context 7 Plan Shape 5
Structural System 25 Primary Exterior 26 Style Other Style
Original Owner's Ethnicity Secondary Exterior Architect/Builder

Other Information:

Foundation concrete Stories 1
Roof/Cornice gable
Window Double hung, glass intact, half boarded up
Dating Method(s): estimate

Feature Preservation Recommendation(s) (Check all that apply):

- Individual nomination
Contributes to a potential district
[checked] No nomination potential
Will not contribute to a district
Potential district—feature would be a contributing element if other properties constitute a district
Thematic nomination potential
Component of a historic site or landscape
d Moved (specify all applicable choices)—a) relocation occurred within a historic period; b) recreates original site, orientation, landscape, & spatial relationships; c) compatible in context with neighboring structures; d) relocation has damaged eligibility
Historical associations require further investigation

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PAGE 3—Feature Data**Field Code Mertz Township School #1SITS# 32 SH**Complete a Page 3 for each feature.****1. Feature Description, Integrity, Eligibility:**

This feature is a one room, wood framed prairie school house. It was moved about 1/2 mile from the east to the Stober farm yard to be used as a shop. The roof of the building is covered with green metal sheeting. There is no longer a chimney. Siding on the building is wood lap with wood trim boards at the corner, all painted red. A garage door was installed in the east end of the building to allow access for equipment to be worked on inside the shop.

There is a bank of three windows toward the east end on the south side. They look to be double hung and all the glass is intact. Toward the middle of the building two or three windows have been replaced by lap siding. Near the west end of the south side there is another double hung window with the glass intact. The placement of that window makes me wonder if there was an entry at the west end of the building. There is no door on the west but it looks like they boarded in an opening on that wall.

Inside the school building the floor is poured concrete. The walls remain and the owner believes they are lathe and plaster. I did not get inside the building, pictures are from the road. There is a blackboard on the north wall today.

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Complete one Page 4 for the entire site.

2. Owner's Contact Information:

John Stober
1661 7th St NE
Goodrich ND 59444

3. Access (to rural areas):

Highway 14 north of Highway 200, drive north 2 miles to 7th St NE. Turn right (east) and drive 2 1/3 miles to see the farm on the north side of the road. The school sits just north of the house.

4. Site Area (ft²): _____

5. Description of **SETTING**:

This school sits in a farm yard with buildings and trees to the north. There are trees to the west and then open fields west and south. Another farm yard is just to the east.

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6. Summary of ALL Site Features & Evaluation of Significance:

7. References/Comments:

Kathy Wilner
366 43rd Ave SE
Bowdon ND 58418

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South and East Sides
Mertz Township School #1
West Side

10/25/2013

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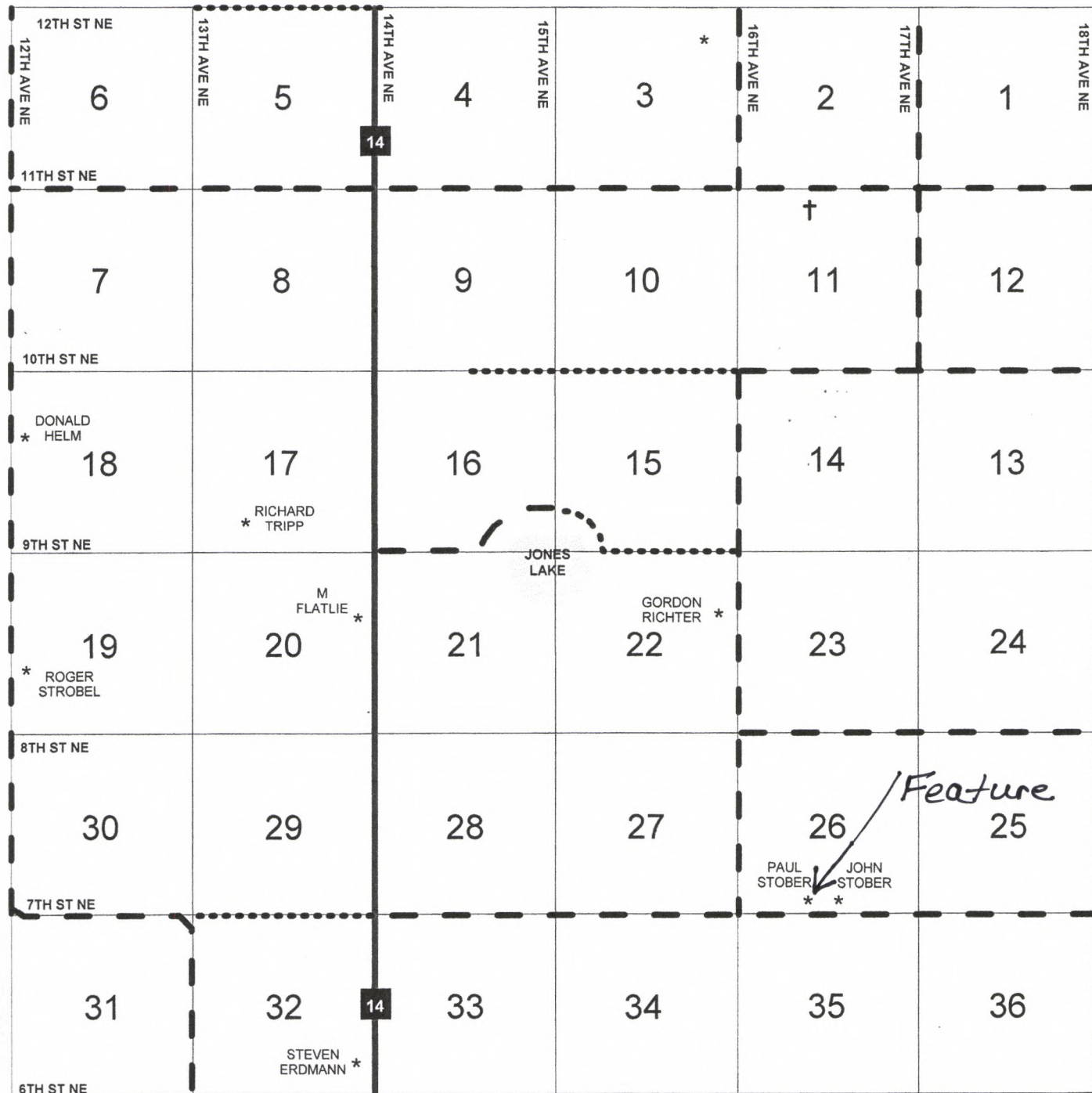
MERTZ DIRECTORY

T-147-N

SCHILLER

CODE: AS

R-75-W



DENHOFF
Mertz Township School #1

10/25/2013

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AK	AH	AU	AA	
AL	AI	AO	AY	AE
AW	AT	AJ	AS	AB
AV	AR	AN	AC	AG
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