

OKLAHOMA LANDMARKS INVENTORY NOMINATION

Oklahoma Historic Preservation Survey, Oklahoma State
University, 502 Math-Science Building, Stillwater, OK 74078

SOURCE OF NOMINATION: Contract Survey

BULL HILL SCHOOL

LOCATION: Vicinity of Red Oak, Oklahoma 040, Latimer County
077; Sec. 6, T 5 N, R 22 E

CLASSIFICATION: building; private; public acquisition--N/A;
occupied; present use--residence

OWNER: Mr. Earl L. Morningstar, Route 1, Box 18, Red Oak, OK
74563

DESCRIPTION: excellent condition; altered; original site

Constructed of rusticated and coursed native sandstone,
the structure is one story with gable roof. It has an
interesting porch on the front, with arches on three sides.
Unfortunately additions have been made to either end of the 51
foot building, originally designed as a two-room school house.

SIGNIFICANCE: has a plaque with 1940 date; unknown architect

The Bull Hill School is a good example of a late WPA two
room school building. Masonry is excellent, especially around
the porch.

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FAIR MILLER PARK

LOCATION: Vicinity of Red Oak, Oklahoma 040, Latimer County 077; ~~Sec. 6, T 5 N, R 22 E~~

CLASSIFICATION: structures; public; public acquisition--N/A; occupied; present use--recreation

OWNER: City of Red Oak, Red Oak, Oklahoma 74563

DESCRIPTION: good condition; altered; original site

Park consists of rock fence and entrance on the north side. Picnic facilities appear to have been altered and renovated.

SIGNIFICANCE: ca. 1936-/37; unknown architect

The park is an interesting example of early WPA park architecture.

It is not particularly elaborate when compared to other facilities.

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WET PRAIRIE SCHOOL BUILDING

LOCATION: Vicinity of Hartshorne, Oklahoma 040, Latimer County 077; Sec. 10, T 4 N, R 17 E

CLASSIFICATION: building; private; public acquisition--N/A; occupied; present use--residence

OWNER: unknown

DESCRIPTION: fair condition; altered; original site

A classic one room school building, the structure is constructed of rusticated and coursed native sandstone. It is single story with a gable roof. Unfortunately there has been considerable alteration of window and door openings, impeaching the integrity of the building.

SIGNIFICANCE: ca. 1936-/37; unknown architect

This is a good example of early WPA one-room school buildings.

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CHOCTAW HALL

LOCATION: Campus of Eastern Oklahoma State College, Wilburton,
Oklahoma 040, Latimer County 077

CLASSIFICATION: building; public; public acquisition--N/A;
occupied; present use--dormitory

OWNER: Board of Regents, Eastern Oklahoma State College,
Wilburton, OK 74578

DESCRIPTION: excellent condition; unaltered; original site

A U-shaped, three story building constructed of red brick
and covered with a gable roof having dormers, Choctaw Hall is
the principal men's dormitory on the EOSC campus. It has a 194
foot front and wings that extend 117 feet.

SIGNIFICANCE: date of construction ca. 1940 but architect
uncertain

WPA labor was utilized in this building, but major funding
was also received from the PWA and other federal and state
agencies. As such, it was not included in the nomination to
the National Register of Historic Places.