

OREGON INVENTORY OF HISTORIC PROPERTIES
HISTORIC RESOURCE SURVEY FORM

Historic Name: Dr. H.S. Pernot House
 Current Name: _____
 Street: 242 SW 5TH ST
 City: Corvallis
 County: Benton
 Owner: DAVID M & GERALDEEN L CUNIFF,
242 SW 5TH ST, CORVALLIS, OR 97333
 Category: Building Location: Urban
 TRS: 11 05 35
 Quad: Corvallis
 Map: 11535CD TLN: 7400
 Addition: County
 Block: 9 Lot: 1 & 2

Original Use: Single-family residence
 Current Use: Single-family residence
 Secondary Current Use: _____
 Building Date: 1896 Moved?
 Theme: 19th Century Architecture
 Secondary Theme: _____
 Style: Queen Anne
 Secondary Style: Stick/Eastlake
 Architect: S.G. McFadden
 Builder: Unknown

Condition: Unknown
 Integrity: Unknown
 Local Ranking: NA

Plan Shape: Complex Number of Stories: 1.5
 Foundation Material: Unknown Basement? Porch?
 Roof Form: Complex Roofing Material: Unknown
 Structural Framing: Wood
 Primary Window Type: 1/1 double hung
 Exterior Surfacing Materials: Shiplap/Wood shingle
 Decorative Surfacing: Imbricated shingles and diagonal set boards
 Decorative Features: Refer to Statement of Significance
 Alterations/Additions: Refer to Statement of Significance
 Landscape Features: Refer to Statement of Significance
 Associated Structures: Garage
 Known Archaeological Features: Unknown
 Setting: Refer to Statement of Significance



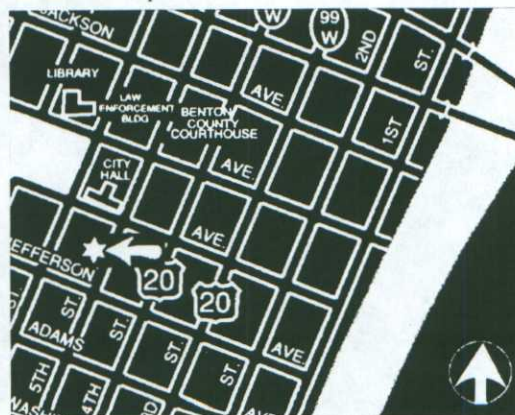
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Site Plan:

No image recorded

Location Map:



Statement of Significance:

Stephen Dow Beckham, 1976

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The house was built in 1890 by Dr. H.S. Pernot who married Ocie Avery. Mrs. Pernot's father, Joseph Avery, was one of the founders of Corvallis. This house stands on what was once part of the Avery Donation Land Claim. Dr. Pernot died in 1923, and in 1924 the house was purchased by Lou Traver. Traver erected a garage on the site of the former carriage house. He also remodeled the kitchen and converted the pantry into a bathroom. The Gathercoals purchased this house from the Traver estate in 1969.

Dr. H.S. Pernot was a graduate of Cincinnati Medical College and from Bellevue Hospital in New York. He was a son of A.D. Pernot who was born in Montbeliard, France.

Rankin, Virginia. "Gathercoals Plan to Give House" Gazette-Times, 9 March 1976, p. 3, photo.

"Prof. Emile Francis Pernot." Portrait and Biographical Record of Willamette Valley, Oregon. Chicago: Chapman Publishing Co., 1903, pp. 1258-59.

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1. Corvallis Gazette, July 9, 1896.
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**CORVALLIS, BENTON COUNTY, OREGON
BUILDING AND STRUCTURE
INVENTORY FORM**

CORVALLIS PRESERVATION SOCIETY, INC.
CULTURAL RESOURCE SURVEY 1983-1984

INVENTORY NO: 396B
ROLL/EXP: 15B/11

Form Prepared By:

NAME: J. Sanders Chapman
DATE: 5-8-84

identification

BUILDING ADDRESS: 242 S.W. 5th Street

COMMON NAME:

HISTORIC NAME: Dr. H. S. Pernot House

BUILDING TYPE/USE: Residence

Legal Description

ADDITION: County
MAP NO: 11 5 35 CD
BLOCK/TAX LOT NO: 9/7400
LOT NO(S): 1, 2

Current Owner

NAME: Thelma E. Larson
ADDRESS: Box 671
CITY: Philomath STATE: Oregon
ZIP CODE: 97370 PHONE:

data

CONSTRUCTION DATE: 1896

ARCHITECTURAL DESIGNATION:

Queen Anne/Stick

a. RELATED OUTBUILDINGS AND FEATURES

Garage

b. HISTORIC PHOTO/SOURCE LOCATION

1. 1905 Benton County Illustrated, p. 16.
2. "Corvallis" album, Benton Cnty Historical Museum #11263

c. FORMER USE OF LAND

1850: J. C. Avery Donation
Land Claim
1890: Vacant Land

d. FORMER USE(S) OF PRESENT BUILDING

SANBORN MAP REPRESENTATION: 1912, 1927, 1949

status

- NATIONAL REGISTER
- STATEWIDE INVENTORY
- 1982 COMPREHENSIVE PLAN
- 1979 WOMANS CLUB SURVEY

significance

- NO
- YES
- POTENTIALLY SIGNIFICANT
(see continuation sheets)

CORVALLIS CULTURAL RESOURCE INVENTORY FORM

continuation sheet

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HISTORIC SITES AND BUILDINGS
State Historic Preservation Office
Oregon State Parks, Salem, 97310



County Benton
Theme 10-A
Name
(Common) Gathercoal (Paul) House
(Historic) Pernot (H.S.) House
Address 242 S.W. 5th Street
Corvallis, Oregon
Present Owner Paul Gathercoal
(Address) 242 S.W. 5th, Corvallis, Ore.
Original Use Residence
Date of Construction 1890

Physical

historical significance:

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