

Historic
Resource
Inventory
CITY OF PORTLAND, OREGON

0-849-01121

1121 S.W. Stark Street

Portland, Block 88

QUARTER SECTION MAP #: 3028

Downtown Community Association

ZONING: RXZ

SITE OF: A.D. Griffin Residence

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE: Communications, Ethnic Groups, in association with A.D. Griffin

Communications, Ethnic Groups, in association with A.D. Griffin: A.D. Griffin was the publisher of the black newspaper, the NEW AGE. He was active in promoting black rights and activities and was an eloquent speaker. He promoted black interests through the Republican party by delivering the black vote in return for protecting black concerns. He left Portland for Louisville in 1907, after eleven years in the city.

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