

State of Mississippi
 Department of Archives and History
 P.O. Box 571
 Jackson, MS 39205

HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

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| 1.a. Property Name, Historic | | 14. MDAH Inventory Code 021 |
| 1.b. Property Name, Common AC's Bed and Bath | | 15. County Lafayette |
| 2. Property Address 131 Courthouse Square (1210 Van Buren Avenue) | | 16. City Oxford |
| 3. Legal Description 86Q:148 | | 20. USGS Quad Map |
| 19. Ownership private | 22. Condition fair | 21. UTM Reference |
| 4. Former/Historic Uses retail | 5. Present Use retail | 24. Principal Materials brick |
| 6 & 7. Significant persons, events, themes, including dates of association | | |
| 8. Date of Construction ca. 1898 | 9. Historic Changes | 23. Post Historic Changes canopy ca. 1985 |
| 10. Architect | 11. Builder/Contractor | 25. Architectural Style |

13. Outbuildings or Secondary Features (use sep. form if important)

12. Brief Description: Two-story, four-bay, brick masonry commercial building with Italianate influence, built ca. 1898. Flat roof covered with built-up asphalt roofing, with a flat parapet and a corbeled modillion cornice. Windows are 1/1 double-hung sashes set in segmental-arched reveals. Two-story, full-width, shed-roofed porch canopy supported by cast iron posts with a block spindle balustrade. Storefront has single-light display windows, paneled bulheads, cast iron pilasters, and a center recessed

30. Historical Information: Sanborn maps indicate construction of this building between 1895 and 1900.

31. Historical Contexts:


33. Sources of Information:

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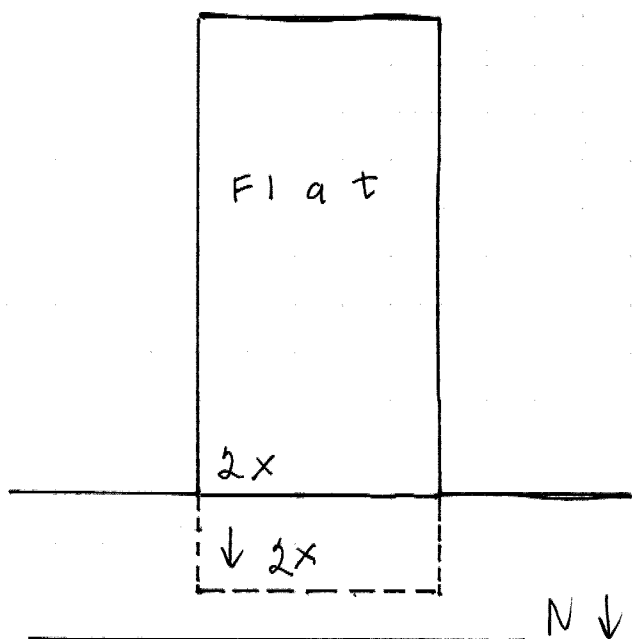
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32. Additional Remarks or Information: #12 contd. single-light replacement door topped with a single-light transom.

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| 35. Owner's Name and Address | | |
| 36. Photographer/Source John Hopkins | 37. Photo Roll/Frame 3553:35 | 38. Photo Date January, 2000 |
| 39. Form by Hopkins & Associates, Memphis, TN | | |
| 40. Survey Project Oxford | Date of Form January, 2000 | |

| Attach Photograph | MDAH INFORMATION |
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|  | 26. Category |
| | 27. Functional Type |
| | 28. Registration Status/Dates NHL Listed NR In NR District Federal DOE State Landmark Local Landmark In Local District HABS/HAER |
| | 29. District Name Oxford Courthouse Sq. Rating C/N C Inventory # 9 |
| | 42. Other HPD Information |
| | 43. Evaluation a. Already Listed NR Individually Eligible Eligible if Restored Contribute to District Apparently Not Eligible Insufficient Information Not Extant b. Area(s) of Significance c. Evaluated by/date |

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