

State of Mississippi
 Department of Archives and History
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HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

1.a. Property Name, Historic		14. MDAH Inventory Code 110
1.b. Property Name, Common Whitwell Law Firm, Mortgage Guarantee Co.		15. County Lafayette
2. Property Address 1101-1105 Van Buren Avenue		16. City Oxford
3. Legal Description 86Q:162		20. USGS Quad Map
19. Ownership private	22. Condition fair	21. UTM Reference
4. Former/Historic Uses commercial	5. Present Use commercial	24. Principal Materials brick
6 & 7. Significant persons, events, themes, including dates of association		
8. Date of Construction ca. 1935	9. Historic Changes	23. Post Historic Changes
10. Architect	11. Builder/Contractor	25. Architectural Style

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

12. Brief Description: One-story, six-bay, brick masonry, two-unit commercial building with Minimalist Traditional influence, built ca. 1935. Flat roof with built-up asphalt roofing, with flat parapet and stone coping. Two recessed storefronts have : (1101) multi-light transoms, single-light display windows, and a single-light door; and, (1105) obscured transoms, single-light display windows, a hip-roofed hood over entrance supported by metal poles, and a multi-panel replacement door.

30. Historical Information: Sanborn maps indicate construction of this building between 1925 and 1940.

31. Historical Contexts:

33. Sources of Information:

32. Additional Remarks or Information:

35. Owner's Name and Address

36. Photographer/Source
John Hopkins

37. Photo Roll/Frame
3551:15

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

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 # 33

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

1101/1105
VAN BUREN

