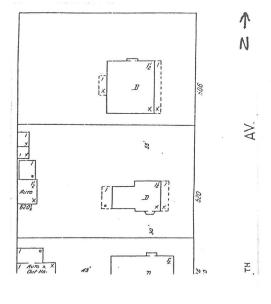
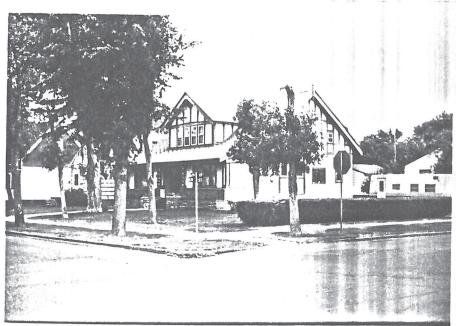
3 113 LA THOUSE HAVRE (MONT) ARCHITECTURE

MONTANA HISTORICAL AND ARCHITECTURAL INVENTORY FORM





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Legal Description: Decelles Third Addition, Block 6, lots 18-20

Address: 606 Fourth Avenue Ownership Name: Greg Durward

Address: 606 Fourth Avenue, Havre, MT 59501

private: x
public:

<u>Historic Name</u>: Harry Hollister House <u>Common Name</u>: Claude F. Morris House

Date of Construction: 1908 (Water Record)

Architect: Unknown Builder:Unknown

Original Owner: Harry E. Hollister
Original Use: Single-family Residence
Present Use: Single-family Residence

Physical Description:

One and one-half story wood frame bungalow. 3 x 3 bay. Gable roof over square plan. Asphalt shingled roof (originally wood shingled). Clapboard clad first floor. Second floor is half-timbered with stucco filler on facade and walls. Scrolled barge boards. Exposed rafters support overhanging eaves. Finials and pendants at gable peaks on north and south sides. Dormer on facade has steeply pitched gable roof with corniced barge boards. Shed roof entry at rear of house is enclosed. Interior brick chimney. Raised concrete foundation with daylit basement. Wood

water table.

Enclosed porch has recessed entry and partially exposed decorated square wood columns. Entry is reached by wood steps. Original multi-lighted door with multi-lighted sidelights. Ashlar stone planters and step abutments on facade.

Windows on facade and walls are 9/1 double-hung sash. Dormer windows are 9/1 double-hung sash grouped in four. Daylit basement has casement windows.

Site is level.

Historical Information

The 1920 Samborn map lists this as a one and one-half story dwelling with an open porch covering the facade. There had been no significant exterior alterations by 1939. This house has seen numerous changes in its street numbering. In 1909, it is numbered 612, in 1915, 614 and in 1929, 606.

Harry Hollister is listed as the original owner of this house. Hollister was a traveling salesman. Havre banker, attorney and entrepeneur C.F. Morris is also listed as a resident in the house. Morris arrived in Havre in 1907. Morris bought this house and used it for rental purposes while he moved to a new residence two blocks south—839 Fourth Avenue (see 839 Fourth Avenue). By 1929, Morris had sold his home at 839 and had moved back into this house. Jennie Havsjold, a domestic, is also listed as living here in 1929.

In 1943, owner J.F. Likarish was issued a permit to build a \$200 parage at this address.

Footnote Sources:

1. Havre Plaindealer, March 23, 1907.

Grits, Guts and Gusto: A History of Hill County. Compiled by the Hill County Bicentennial Commission. (Havre: Bear Paw Printers, 1976), pp. 383-84.

Polk Directory, Havre and Chouteau County, 1909.

Polk Directory, Havre and Hill County, 1915-16 and 1929-30

Sanborn Maps, 1910, 1920 and 1939.

Building Permit No. 1933, dated June 26, 1943. Department of Public Works, City of Havre, Havre, Montana.

Research Sources:

Assessor's Records, Hill County, Hill County Courthouse, Havre

Montana

Water Record no.300 (1908) and Sewer Record no.205 (1914), Department of Public Works, City of Havre, Havre, Montana

Integrity:

This structure retains its original configuration, historic fabric and many distinctive features indicative of its craftsman styling.

Significance:

This building maintains a high level of architectural integrity and would strongly contribute to the proposed Historic District. It would qualify for the National Register under criteria C as a good local example of a bungalow.

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Geographical Information

Acreage: Less than one acre USGS Quad: Havre, Montana

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