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 I. IDENTIFICATION

PROPERTY NAME: Barney depot HISTORIC NAME:  
 STREET ADDRESS: Hwy. 122 CITY: Barney  
 PRESENT OWNER: MAILING ADDRESS:  
 CITY: STATE: ZIP CODE:  
 CURRENT USE: vacant ACREAGE:  
 U.S.G.S. QUADRANGLE Cecil U.T.M. REFERENCE:  
 V.B.D. OR TAX MAP NUMBER:

II. DESCRIPTION

ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION AND PRESENT CONDITION:  
a one story rectangular building with gabled  
 tin roof, exposed rafters. Shiplap siding, Hipped  
 porch with square posts. Sash windows with  
 6/6 lights. Interior chimney. Brick pier.  
 Poor condition.

III. HISTORY

ORIGINAL OWNER: ORIGINAL USE: Barney depot  
 ARCHITECT/BUILDER: HISTORIC ACREAGE:  
 DATE OF CONSTRUCTION: c. 1857 DATE(S) OF ALTERATIONS:  
 HISTORICAL NARRATIVE (FROM ORIGINS TO PRESENT):  
Barney, in northeast Brooks County, dates back  
 to 1857 when the South Georgia railroad was built  
 through the area. Beginning as a sawmill community  
 Barney was named by a group of men who, while  
 discussing a name for the town, noticed a railroad  
 car with "Barney Box Car" painted on it.

IV. SIGNIFICANCE

N.R. AREA(S) OF SIGNIFICANCE: LEVEL:  
 STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL):  
The oldest known railroad depot.

V. SOURCES

FORM PREPARED BY: Smith, Bartholomew ORGANIZATION: South Georgia Area Planning  
 and Development Commission  
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 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS:  
 SOURCES OF INFORMATION: Remembered Places

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