

COUNTY: Brooks

NO. 395

GEORGIA ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORIC PROPERTIES SURVEY-INVENTORY FORM

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I. IDENTIFICATION

PROPERTY NAME: First Baptist Church Kindergarten HISTORIC NAME: West End (Hunter House)
 STREET ADDRESS: 509 W. Stephens St. CITY: Quitman
 PRESENT OWNER: The First Baptist Church of Quitman MAILING ADDRESS:
 CITY: Quitman STATE: Ga ZIP CODE: 31643
 CURRENT USE: Residence ACREAGE:
 U.S.G.S. QUADRANGLE Quitman U.T.M. REFERENCE:
 V.B.D. OR TAX MAP NUMBER: Q 19 173

II. DESCRIPTION

ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION AND PRESENT CONDITION:
Two story house of irregular plan. Hipped, multigabled roof. Shed porch with tapered square posts. Clapboard siding. Shuttered sash windows with 2/2 lights. Fanlight over double doors. Good condition.

III. HISTORY

ORIGINAL OWNER: Dr. and Mrs. T. W. Hunter ORIGINAL USE: Residence
 ARCHITECT/BUILDER: HISTORIC ACREAGE:
 DATE OF CONSTRUCTION: DATE(S) OF ALTERATIONS:
 HISTORICAL NARRATIVE (FROM ORIGINS TO PRESENT):
This area developed by middle class families from app. 1900-1920.
(Mrs. T. W. Hunter)
In 1893, A.J. Rountree gave his daughter this new house, known as "West End" She lived here until her death in 1938. Bought by her granddaughter in 1959 (Mary Hunter New). She lived there until 1965. Now called the Hunter House

IV. SIGNIFICANCE

N.R. AREA(S) OF SIGNIFICANCE: LEVEL:
 STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL):
Significant as part of a potential National Register historic district, northwest of the commercial area and along Screven St, very few nonhistoric structures included.



V. SOURCES

FORM PREPARED BY: Smith, Bartholomew ORGANIZATION: South Georgia Area Planning and Development Commission
 ADDRESS: 327 Savannah Ave. Valdosta, Ga. 31601 TELEPHONE NUMBER: 912-247-3454 or 3494
 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS:
 SOURCES OF INFORMATION: 30 Sanborn Map, Brooks Co. Records, Quitman Free Press

PHOTOGRAPHER: *Freda Smith*

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