

HISTORIC RESOURCES OF STONE COUNTY
STONE COUNTY, ARKANSAS

ARKANSAS HISTORIC PRESERVATION PROGRAM

Survey Number ST-94

Owner Mr. & Mrs. Todd Budy

Property Name Commercial Hotel

Address P.O. Box 269

Location Mountain View

Mountain View, AR 72560

Significant Date/s c.1925

ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION

Built c. 1925, the Commercial Hotel stands on the northeast corner of Mountain View's courthouse square. The two story rectangular frame structure is covered with weatherboard and finished off by a hip roof with exposed rafter ends. The building's first and second story fenestrations exhibit four-over-one double-hung windows arranged symmetrically by pairs and framed with plain surrounds. The principal facades, west and south, faced the court square. The facades feature a one story wrap-around porch covered by a shed roof with exposed rafters and supported by box columns on dressed stone piers. The porch creates the hotel's public area with the main lobby entrance on the south elevation and two secondary entries on the west and south elevations. The north and east elevations reflect the secondary sides of the hotel. A one story shed addition is located on the north end of the east facade.

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

Constructed around 1925, the Commercial Hotel was built by L. C. Johnson on the northeast corner of the court square in Mountain View. Along with the Dew Drop Inn (ST-109) the Commercial Hotel is one of two surviving hotels built during the 1920's in Mountain View to accommodate travelers attracted to the town in the early decades of the twentieth century.

Verbal Boundary Description: Lot 7 of County Addition.

Acreage: less than 1

Quadrangle Name: Mountain View

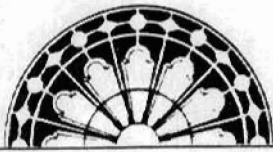
Quadrangle Scale: 1:24000

UTM Reference:

Zone: 15

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Commercial Hotel, ST-94
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Don Brown, photographer
1983
Negative on file at the AHPP
Viewed from the southwest



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