

United States Department of the Interior
National Park Service

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
REGISTRATION FORM

1. Name of Property

historic name: Crossett Experimental Forest Bldg #2

other name/site number: AS 0080

2. Location

street & number: State Highway 133

not for publication: N/A

city/town: Crossett

vicinity: X

state: AR

county: Ashley

code: AR 003

zip code: 71635

3. Classification

Ownership of Property: Public-Federal

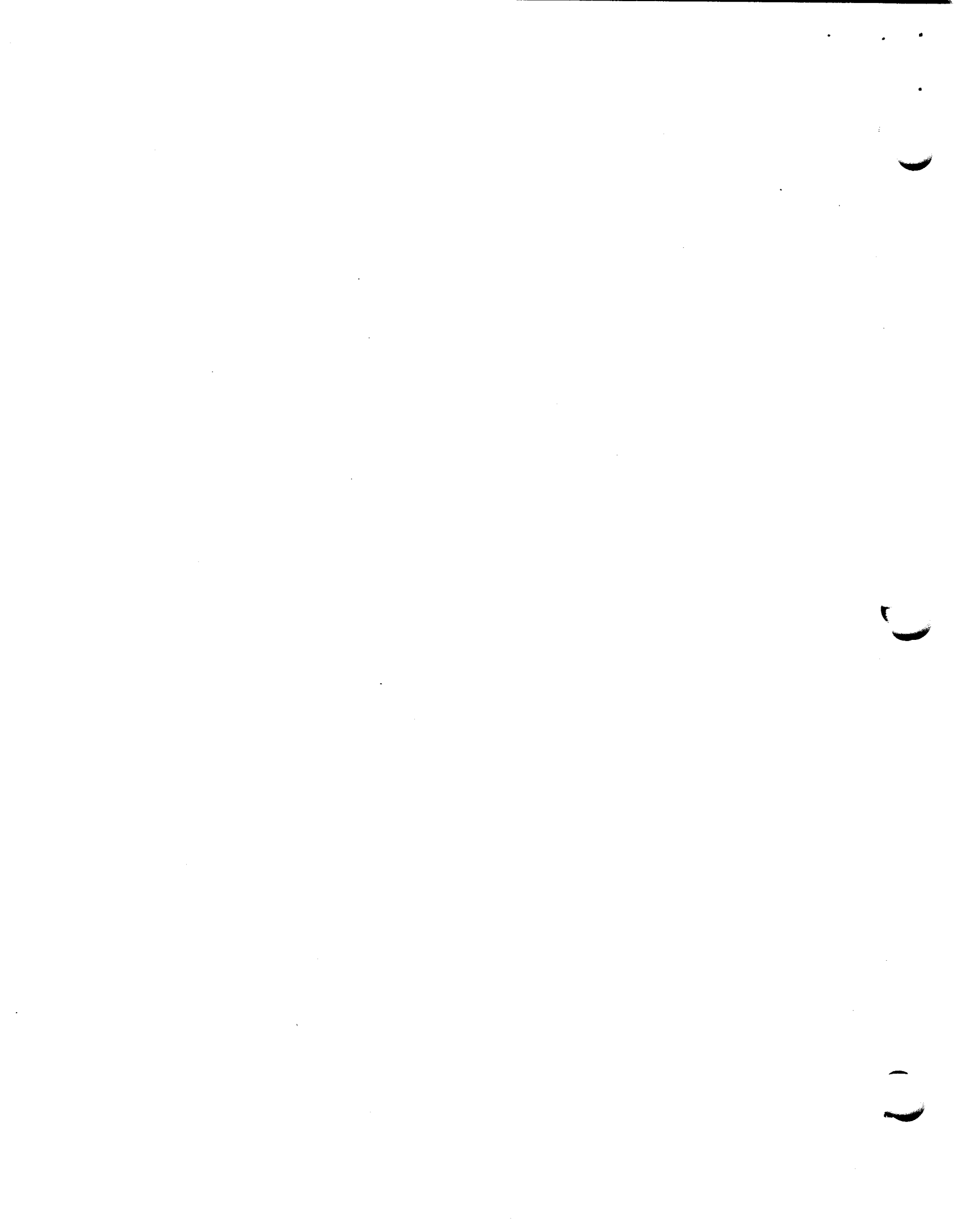
Category of Property: Building(s)

Number of Resources within Property:

Contributing	Noncontributing	
<u>1</u>	_____	buildings
_____	_____	sites
_____	_____	structures
_____	_____	objects
<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	Total

Number of contributing resources previously listed in the National Register: N/A

Name of related multiple property listing: Facilities Constructed by the CCC in Arkansas, 1933-42



4. State/Federal Agency Certification

As the designated authority under the National Historic Preservation Act of 1986, as amended, I hereby certify that this _____ nomination _____ request for determination of eligibility meets the documentation standards for registering properties in the National Register of Historic Places and meets the procedural and professional requirements set forth in 36 CFR Part 60. In my opinion, the property _____ meets _____ does not meet the National Register Criteria. _____ See continuation sheet.

Signature of certifying official Date

State or Federal agency and bureau

In my opinion, the property X meets _____ does not meet the National Register criteria. _____ See continuation sheet.

Signature of commenting or other official Date

Arkansas Historic Preservation Program

State or Federal agency and bureau

5. National Park Service Certification

I, hereby certify that this property is:

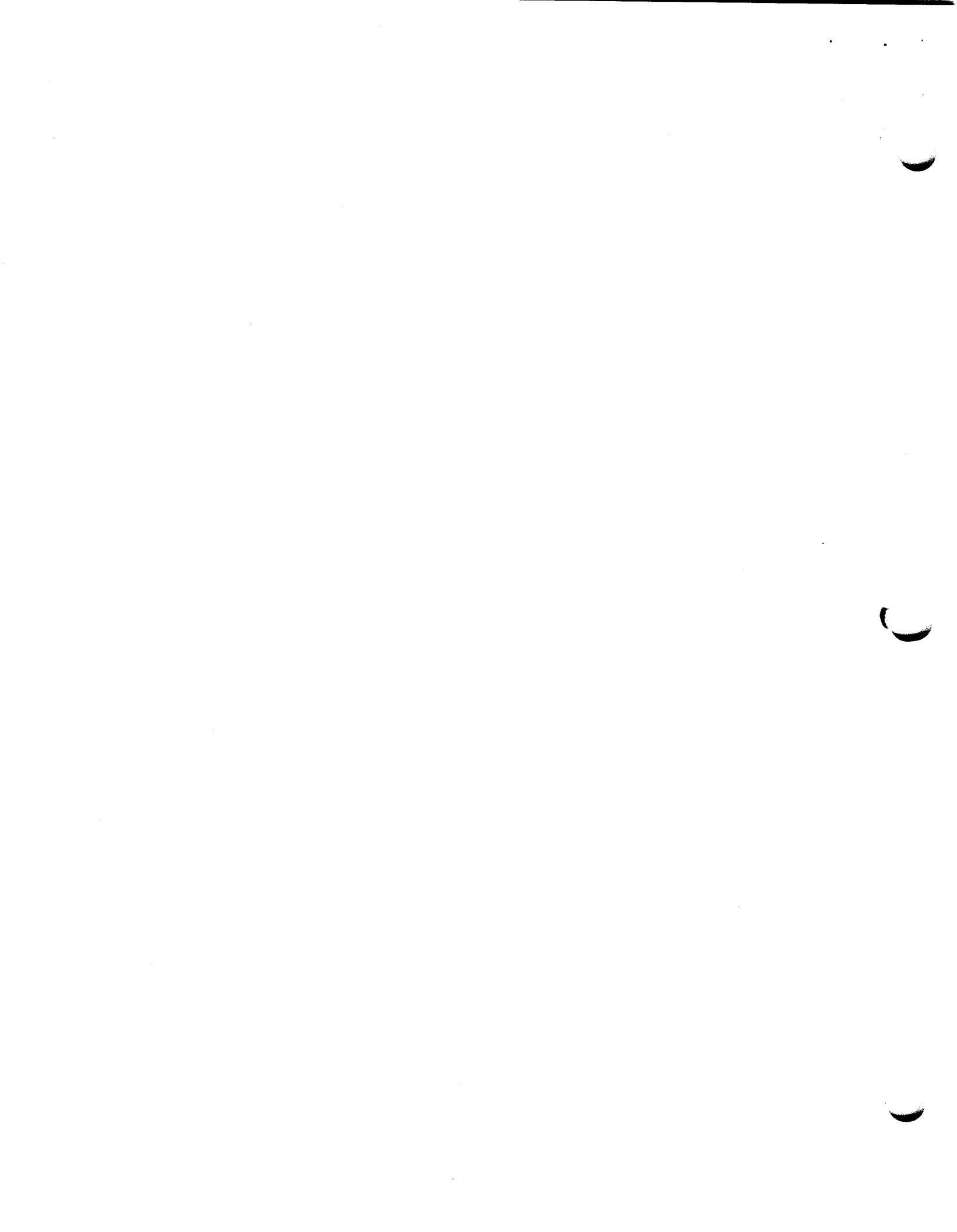
- ____ entered in the National Register _____
 ____ See continuation sheet.
- ____ determined eligible for the _____
 National Register _____
 ____ See continuation sheet.
- ____ determined not eligible for the _____
 National Register _____
- ____ removed from the National Register _____
- ____ other (explain): _____

Signature of Keeper Date of Action

6. Function or Use

Historic: Government Sub: Government Office

Current : Government Sub: Government Office



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7. Description

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Architectural Classification:

Other: Plain Traditional
Craftsman

Other Description: _____

Materials: foundation Concrete roof Asphalt
walls Wood/Logs other Wood/Vertical planks and decorative
diagonal planks

Describe present and historic physical appearance. X See continuation sheet.

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8. Statement of Significance

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Certifying official has considered the significance of this property in relation to other properties: locally.

Applicable National Register Criteria: A

Criteria Considerations (Exceptions) : N/A

Areas of Significance: Social History
Conservation

Period(s) of Significance: c.1939 _____

Significant Dates : N/A _____

Significant Person(s): N/A _____

Cultural Affiliation: N/A _____

Architect/Builder: Civilian Conservation Corps

State significance of property, and justify criteria, criteria considerations, and areas and periods of significance noted above.
X See continuation sheet.



9. Major Bibliographical References

See "Facilities Constructed by the Civilian Conservation Corps in Arkansas, 1933-1942," Section H.

___ See continuation sheet.

Previous documentation on file (NPS):

- ___ preliminary determination of individual listing (36 CFR 67) has been requested.
- ___ previously listed in the National Register
- ___ previously determined eligible by the National Register
- ___ designated a National Historic Landmark
- ___ recorded by Historic American Buildings Survey # _____
- ___ recorded by Historic American Engineering Record # _____

Primary Location of Additional Data:

- ___ State historic preservation office
- ___ Other state agency
- ___ Federal agency
- ___ Local government
- ___ University
- ___ Other -- Specify Repository: _____

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of Property: Less than one

UTM References: Zone Easting Northing Zone Easting Northing

A	<u>15</u>	<u>599110</u>	<u>3655230</u>	B	___	___	___
C	___	___	___	D	___	___	___

___ See continuation sheet.

Verbal Boundary Description: ___ See continuation sheet.

Beginning at a point on the western edge of the associated driveway located 900 feet from its intersection with State Highway #133, proceed westerly along a line running parallel with the building's northern elevation for a distance of 200 feet; thence proceed southerly along a line running parallel with the building's western elevation for a distance of 200 feet; thence proceed easterly along a line running parallel with the building's southern elevation for a distance of 200 feet to its intersection with the western edge of the associated driveway; thence proceed northerly along said edge for a distance of 200 feet to the point of beginning.

Boundary Justification: ___ See continuation sheet.

This boundary includes all the property historically associated with this resource, including the building itself, its principal approach from the driveway, and the land immediately surrounding the building that forms its historic setting.



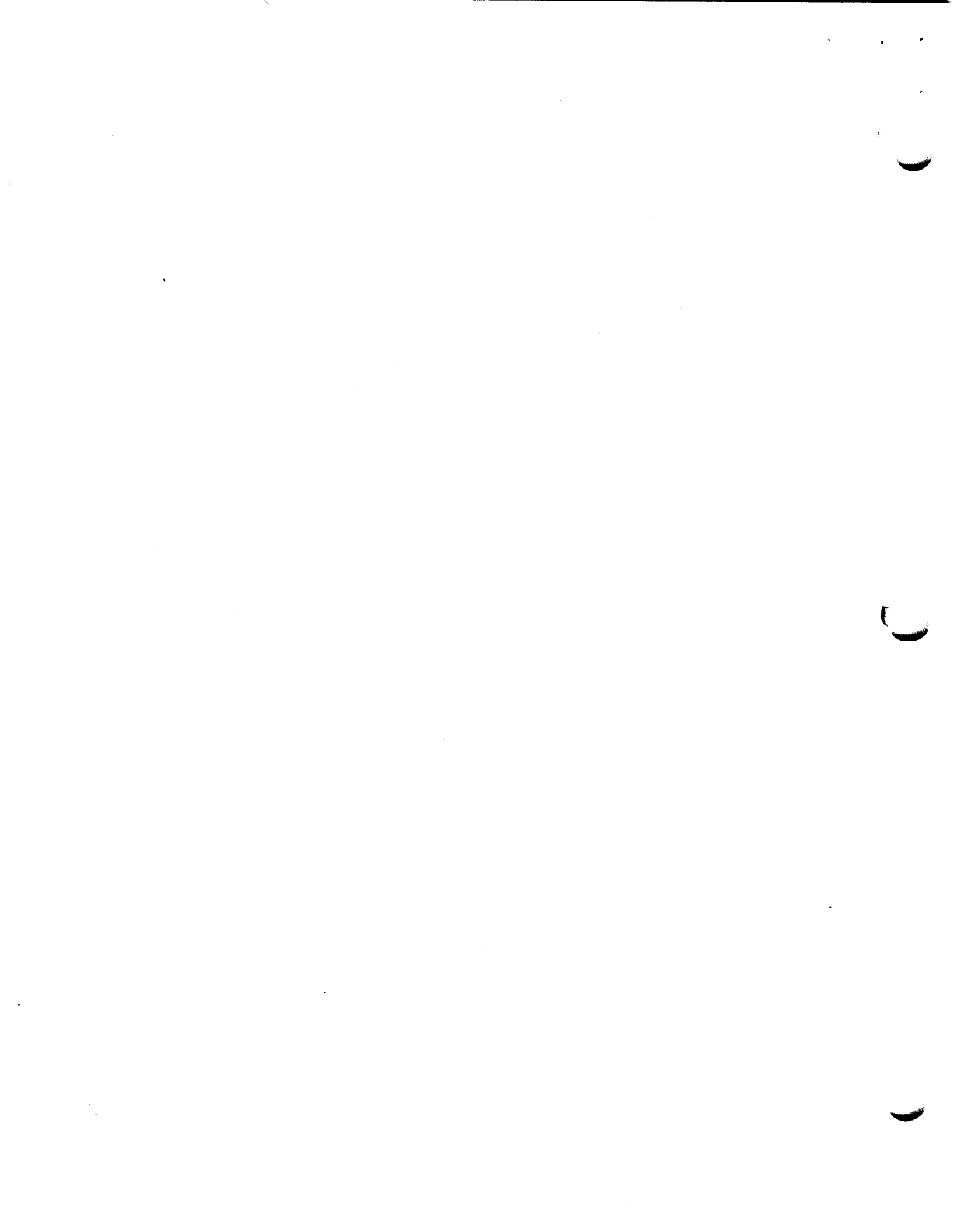
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Description:

The Crossett Experimental Forest Complex is located south of Crossett on Arkansas Highway 133 roughly one-and-one-half miles north of the Louisiana State line. Building No. 2 is a one-and-one-half story, rectangular, log structure set on a continuous, cast concrete foundation and topped with a gable roof covered with composition shingles. The eastern side has a series of four garage style doors set side-by-side. The northern side has two casement windows with six panes each on the first level as well as a six-pane casement window centered on the second level. The western side has no features other than its exterior log wall. The southern side has two casement windows on the first level and a small loft door in the second level. The structure has no chimney or porch and is in excellent condition.

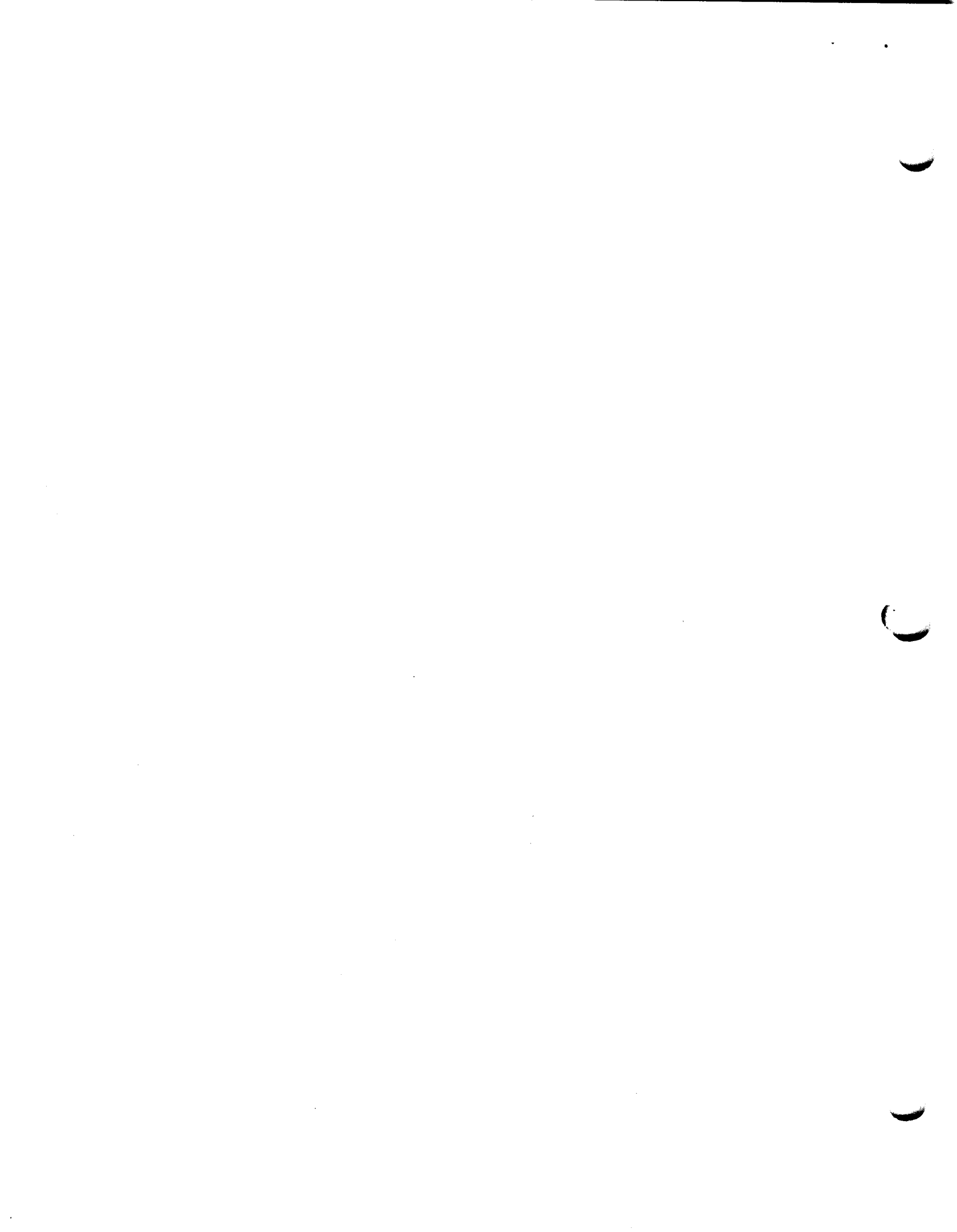


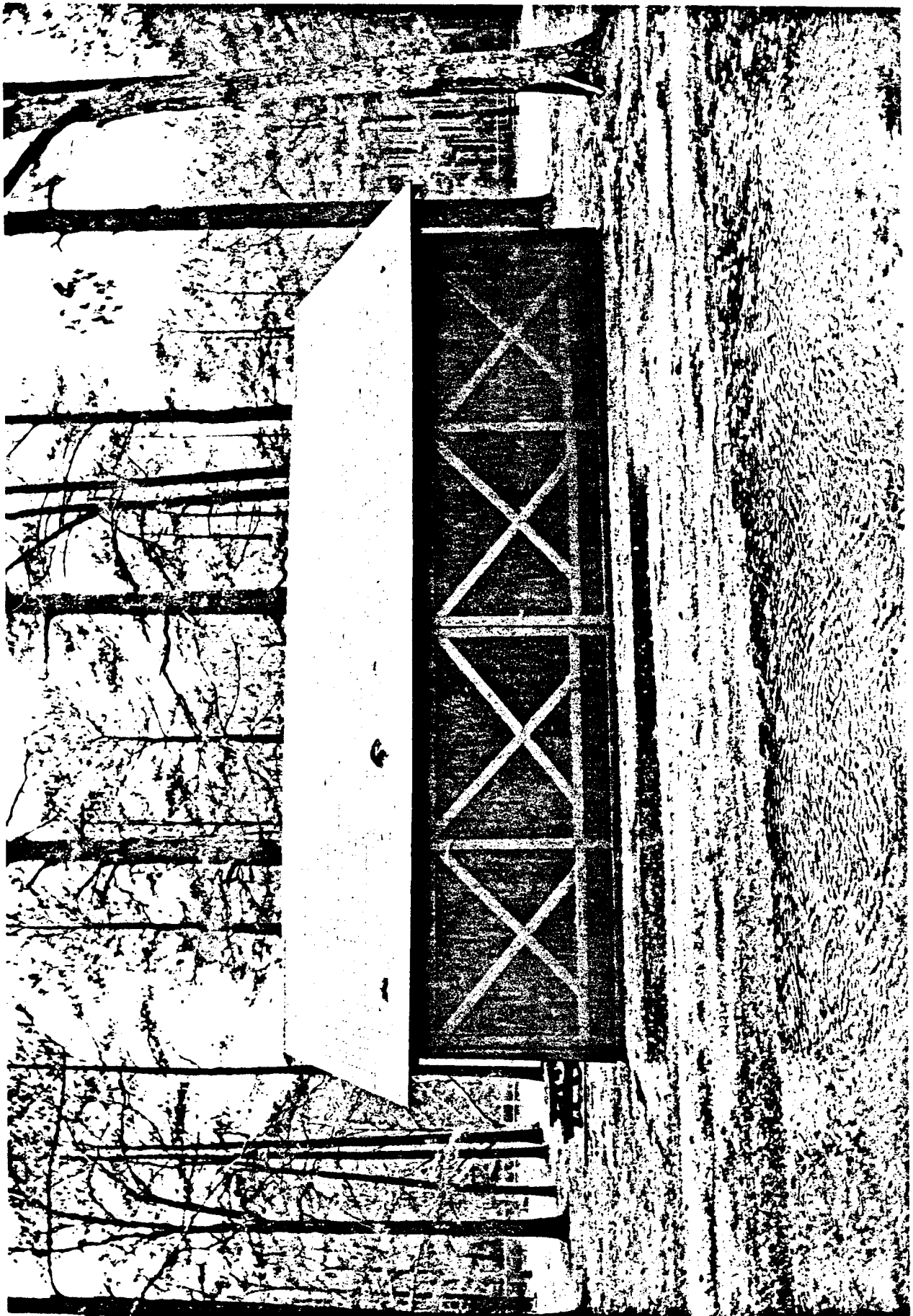
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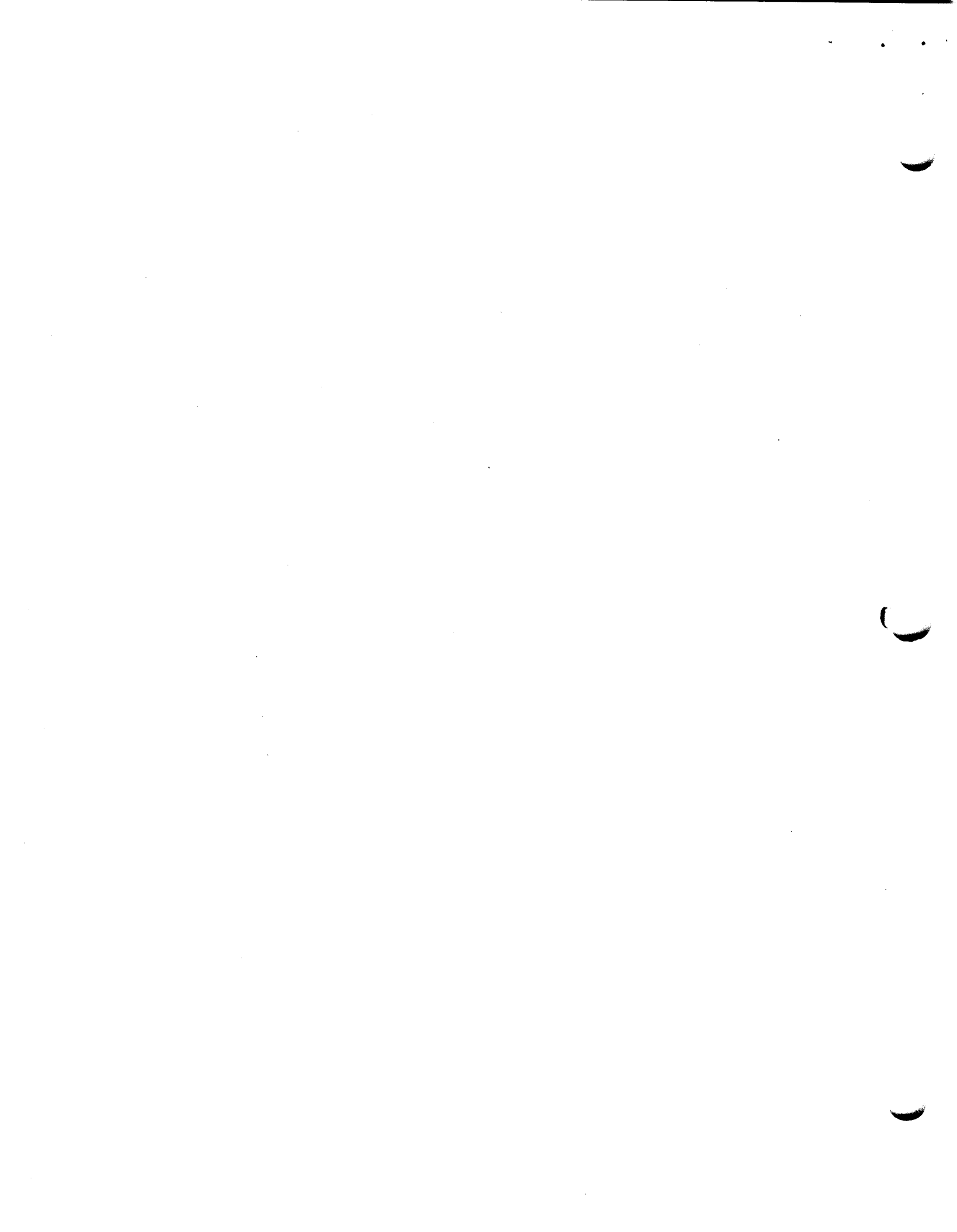
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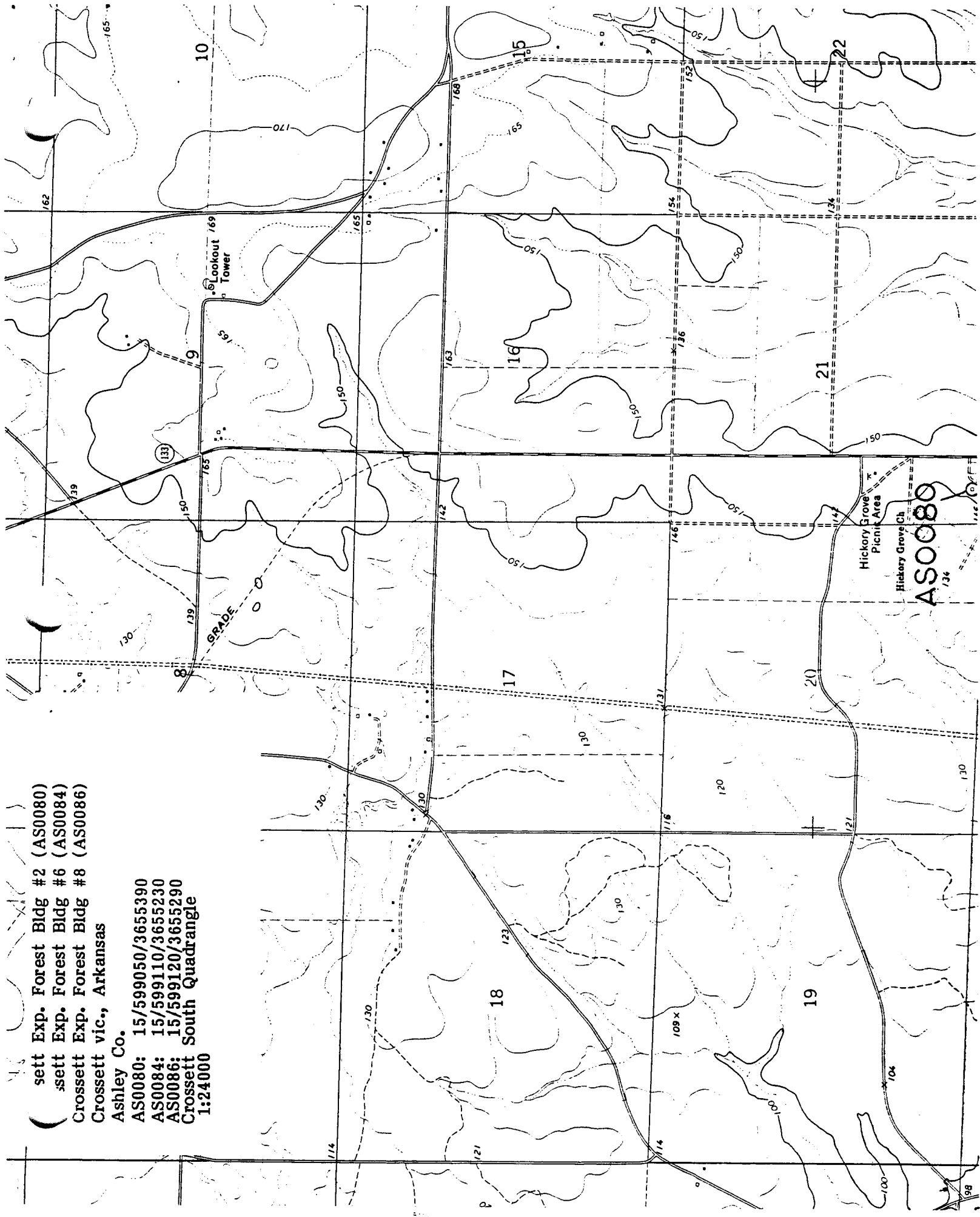
The Crossett Experimental Forest Building #2 was constructed circa 1939 by members of the 768th Company of the Arkansas CCC District stationed at the Oden Camp that was located at Oden, in northwestern Montgomery County, though it was later moved further northwest to Buck Knob. It was constructed as part of the administrative headquarters for the Southern Experimental Forest of the Ouachita National Forest (ONF). This building was the garage and vehicular maintenance building for the Experimental Forest, and it continues to serve that purpose today. As such, the Crossett Experimental Forest Building #2 remains significant through its associations with the significant contributions to American social history made by the Civilian Conservation Corps and for its associations with the conservation movement that President Roosevelt intended this organization to serve, particularly within such protected federal lands as the national forests.







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 sett Exp. Forest Bldg #6 (AS0084)
 Crossett Exp. Forest Bldg #8 (AS0086)
 Crossett vic., Arkansas
 Ashley Co.
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 AS0084: 15/599110/3655230
 AS0086: 15/599120/3655290
 Crossett South Quadrangle
 1:24000



AS0080

