

INDIVIDUAL DATA SHEET

Property Name Fred Bartell House Property Owner Mrs. Beebe
 Location 324 East Twin Springs St., Siloam Springs Address 324 East Twin Springs
 Construction Date c. 1900 Survey No. 2710 Siloam Springs, AR 72761

DESCRIPTION

The Bartell House is essentially a Queen Anne-style structure with Neo-Classical detail. Principal facades of this two-and-one-half story house are the north and east elevations, which meet in an octagonal turret topped with a spire. The asymmetrical roofline also includes a shingled gable on the northern facade over the entrance and a wide dormer with vertical windows on the east. A one-story porch wraps around both these facades. A low wall made of cast concrete blocks laid in a lattice-type design forms the base of this porch and supports classically detailed columns under a shed roof. Original one-over-one double-hung windows, evenly spaced around the facade, have been replaced with aluminum ones. A small one-story addition to the southeast of the house does not detract from its integrity.

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

Criterion: CArea of significance: Architecture

Constructed c. 1900, the Bartell House is an excellent example of small-town turn-of-the-century architecture. Typical Queen Anne elements are present, such as the turret with conical roof and spire intact, and the asymmetrical roofline with a shingled gable. Classical influences are obvious from the use of column detail for porch supports and in dentil work under the eaves. The cast concrete blocks, made to resemble stone, of which the lower portion of the porch is constructed, were a popular construction material in the area and give the Bartell House a distinctively local flavor.

Acreage less than 1 acreVerbal Boundary Description Lot 3, Block 1Quadrangle Name Siloam Springs, Ark.-Okla. Quadrangle Scale 1:24000UTM Reference: Zone 15 Easting 361630 Northing 4005100

