COLORADO HISTORICAL SOCIETY
Office of Archaeology and Historic Preservation
1300 Broadway, Denver, Colorado 80203

HISTORIC BUILDING INVENTORY RECORD

	NOT FOR FIELD	USE
Eligible		_ Nominated
Det. Not	Eligible	_ Certified Rehab.
	Date	

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PROJECT NAME: Littleton Historic Buildings Survey 1997 (#97-01-082)			CITY:	STATE ID NO.: 5AH1317
		Arapahoe	Littleton	TEMPORARY NO.: 2077-17-4-01-001
CURRENT BUILDING NAME: ADDRESS: 5502 S NEVADA ST		OWNER: HAYES, REGINA ANN 5502 S NEVADA ST LITTLETON CO 80120		
Littleton, CO 80120		TOWNSHIP 5S	RANGE 68W	SECTION 17 NE 1/4 SE 1/4
HISTORIC NAME:		U.S.G.S. QUAD NAME: Littleton, Colo. YEAR: 1965 (r. 1994) X 7.5' 15'		
DISTRICT NAME:		BLOCK: 6 LOT(S): 11 ADDITION: LITTLETON ORIG. TOWN YR. OF ADDITION: 1872		
FILM ROLL NO.: 97- 2 BY: Roger Whitacre	NEGATIVE NO.: 24	LOCATION OF NEC		DATE OF CONSTRUCTION: ESTIMATE: ACTUAL: 1906 SOURCE:
St. S. W.		Arapahoe County Assessor		
			USE: PRESENT: Residence	
				HISTORIC: Residence
			CONDITION: EXCELLENT X GOOD FAIR DETERIORATING	
				EXTENT OF ALTERATIONS: MINOR X MODERATE MAJOR DESCRIBE: Nonoriginal siding; porch enclosed on
S.			south. Porch supports probably altered. Metal pipe chimney.	
4				CONTINUED YES X NO
STYLE: No Style (Vernacular		STORIES:	ORIGINAL SITE X MOVED DATE(S) OF MOVE:	
MATERIALS: Wood			SQ. FOOTAGE:	NATIONAL REGISTER ELIGIBILITY
ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION: One-story irregular plan dwelling due to additions on the south side and rear.			INDIVIDUAL: YES X NO CONTRIBUTING TO DISTRICT: YES NO	
Main part of house has hip roof with overhanging eaves and exposed rafters; composition roofing; metal chimney at roof peak. Shed roof porch supported by				
square posts; concrete deck. Walls clad with vertical board siding; foundation				LOCAL LANDMARK DESIGNATION: No
not visible on south, but on north a few courses of brick at base of walls. Shed				NAME: DATE:
roof addition on south near rear with overhanging eaves, exposed rafters, and band of double-hung windows on south wall. Behind this is a hip roof addition				
at the rear with overhanging eaves and exposed rafters. Corner lot. Back yard				ASSOCIATED BUILDINGS? X YES NO TYPE:
enclosed with chainlink fenc	· I		Garage	
siding as house. CONTINUED? YES X NO				IF INVENTORIED, LIST ID NOS.:
ADDITIONAL PAGES: YES	X NO			į.

PLAN SHAPE:	ARCHITECT:	STATE ID NO.: 5AH1317
	Unknown SOURCE:	ORIGINAL OWNER: Unknown SOURCE:
	BUILDER/CONTRACTOR: Unknown	
	SOURCE:	THEME(S): Rail Era: Rail Town Physical Form, 1870-1920

CONSTRUCTION HISTORY (DESCRIPTION, NAMES, DATES, ETC., RELATING TO MAJOR ALTERATIONS TO ORIGINAL STRUCTURE): Prior to 1961, this house was addressed as 296 N. Nevada Ave.

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X NO

HISTORICAL BACKGROUND (DISCUSS IMPORTANT PERSONS AND EVENTS ASSOCIATED WITH THIS STRUCTURE): This house appears on a 1912 water supply map for Littleton. The 1920 U.S. Census indicates that this was the home of Louis Bertolett, who was listed as a manager for a fuel and feed store. Mr. Bertolett lived here with his wife Louise, two daughters, and a grandson. In 1932, H.E. and Margaret Hinman was listed at this address. In 1939, Lawrence Kapalanek lived here. He was employed by the John Carlson Dairy. Also living here were Mrs. Emma Kapalanek and her two daughters and Dorothy Kapalanek, who worked at Red Comet. In 1953, Delbert C. Schaumburg lived here.

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YES

X NO

SIGNIFICANCE (CHECK APPROPRIATE CATEGORIES AND BRIEFLY JUSTIFY BELOW):

ARCHITECTURAL SIGNIFICANCE:

REPRESENTS THE WORK OF A MASTER POSSESSES HIGH ARTISTIC VALUES

X REPRESENTS A TYPE, PERIOD, OR METHOD OF CONSTRUCTION

HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE:

ASSOCIATED WITH SIGNIFICANT PERSONS ASSOCIATED WITH SIGNIFICANT EVENTS OR PATTERNS

CONTRIBUTES TO AN HISTORIC DISTRICT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE:

This house, although somewhat altered, represents vernacular frame dwelling construction of the early twentieth century in Littleton through its hipped roof with overhanging eaves and exposed rafters, double-hung windows, prominent porch, and lack of architectural details which would distinguish a particular style.

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YES

X NO

REFERENCES (BE SPECIFIC):

Arapahoe County Assessor records; Littleton City Directories; Sanborn Fire Insurance Maps; U.S. Census, 1920.

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YES

X NO