

HISTORIC SITES INVENTORY HISTORIC SITE FORM

PARK CITY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION



IDENTIFICATION

Property Name (if any): Jesse Wiseman House

Address: 1059 Park Avenue

Date of Construction: c. 1915 City, County: Park City, Summit County, Utah

Architect/Builder, if known: unknown Tax Number: SA-36

Current Owner: Hofman Properties LC

Legal Description (include acreage): S 10 FT LOT 15 ALL LOT 14 BLK 4 SNYDERS ADDITION TO PARK CITY

M57-497 M108-366 DQC-402-439 HQC-8 GQC-529 976-735 1937-504 1997-652; 0.06 AC

STATUS / USE Original Use: single dwelling Current Use: single dwelling Property Type: National Register of Historic Places: **Evaluation:** Building Eligible Landmark Site Structure ☐ Ineligible Significant Site Site Listed, Date: Non Historic **DOCUMENTATION** Photographs: Research Sources: ☐ Tax Photos Sanborn Maps City/ County Histories Newspapers Prints: tax Card Personal Interviews Other: Park City Museum Historic Census Records

DESCRIPTION

Architectural S	Style: "L" cottage or "T	" cottage			
No. Stories: 1					
Number of Ass	sociated Structures:	☐ Accessory building	g(s).#	☐ Structure(s	6).#
Condition:	Good	Fair	Poor	Uninhabita	ble/Ruin
Location:	Original location	☐ Moved (Date:	original locat	ion:)
Materials: (De	scribe the visible mate	rials)			
Exterior Walls:	Asbestos siding				
Foundation: N	ot visible and therefore	e its material cannot be	verified		
Roof: Asphalt	shingle				
Windows/Door	rs: Picture windows wit	th wood frames and upp	per transoms		
Additions:	Major	Minor	None		
Alterations:	Major	Minor	None		
Describe Addi	tions/ Alterations (Date	es):			
Tool Shed: 10	00 SF Fair Quality				
Essential Histo	oric Form: Retains		□ Do	es Not Retain	

NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

(Briefly describe the property and its setting. Include a verbal description of the location; a general description of the property including the overall shape, number of stories, architectural style, materials, shape of roof; identify and describe any associated structures; identify any known exterior additions and/or alterations.)

1059 Park is a T/L cottage that has had both material and formal changes made to it through its lifespan. The T/L cottage, also known as a cross-wing, is one of the main three house types built during the historic Park City mining era. A large addition has been built on the rear of the house. The cross gable roof is sheathed with composition shingles. A brick chimney can be seen from the front of the house. The roof of the addition is not visible. The main house is clad with drop-novelty siding and the addition also has sections clad with corrugated metal. The drop siding was either uncovered or put on sometime after the 2006 photo was taken, in which asbestos siding can be seen. The windows on the front façade are large fixed panes with upper transom window, one being in the front end gable and another being left of the door in the porch area. The door is a wood frame and panel door with an upper light and transom window. The foundation is concrete. The porch is covered by a shed extension of the main roof which is supported by lathe turned posts. The site is flat and landscaped with a few small plants. The overall form and materiality of the building remains intact and the building retains its historic value.

SIGNIFICANCE

Historic Era:	
Settlement & Mining Boom Era (1868-1893)	
Mature Mining Era (1894-1930)	
☐ Mining Decline & Emergence of Recreation Industry (1931-1962)	
Narrative Statement of Significance:	
(Briefly describe those characteristics by which this property may be considered historically significant.)	

A house existed on this property prior to the construction of the present house, but was demolished to make room for this house, or for some other reason. This house was built sometime between 1907 and 1929, judging from the Sanborn Insurance maps from those years. A mortgage was taken out of the property in 1915, making that the most likely year of construction. The owner at that time was Jesse Wiseman. Not much information could be found on him, as he appears on no censuses for Park City. A newspaper article mentioned that he managed the Vienna café, which closed in 1915. The property came under the ownership of Joseph Jenkins in 1916.

Joseph Jenkins was the individual from whom the mortgage was originally taken out. The 1920 census lists him as a clerk for the Post Office, and the 1940 census states that he was the proprietor for a lunch room, likely a restaurant of some sort. It is unknown if he and his wife Marjorie ever lived in this house, but it was unoccupied during the 1920 census. He sold the house in 1924 to Minnie Bennie.

Minnie Benny (or Bennie) appears on the 1930 and 1940 censuses, living in this house. Her husband, James, had died in 1917. In 1930 she had three of her children living with her, but in 1940 she lived alone. She worked as a cook for a hospital. She lived in Park City until 1942 and then moved to Salt Lake City, where she lived until 1950. She owned the house until 1945, and it is currently owned by Hofman Properties LLC.

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PHOTOS

(Provide several clear historical and current photos of the property as well as locational maps indicating the location of the property in relation to streets or other widely recognized features.)







1059 Park Avenue. Northeast oblique. November 2013.

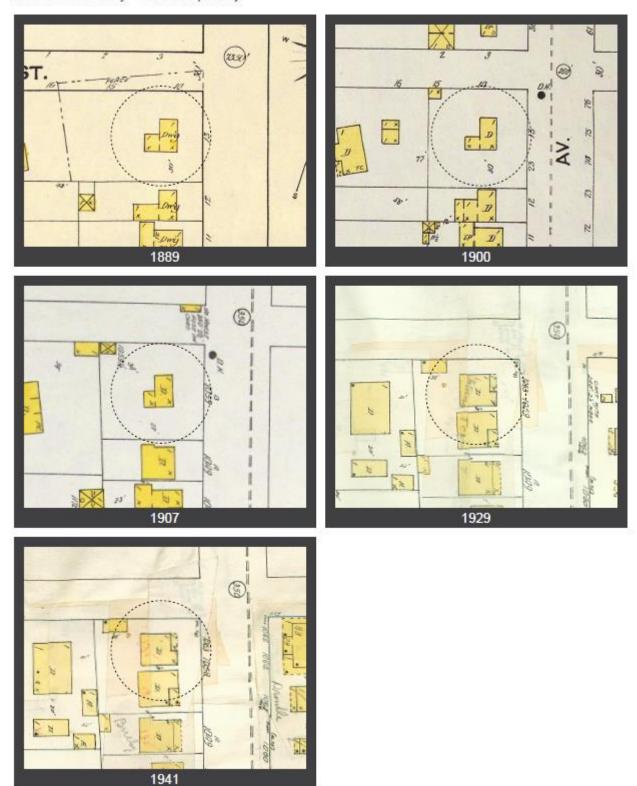


1059 Park Avenue. East elevation. November 2013.

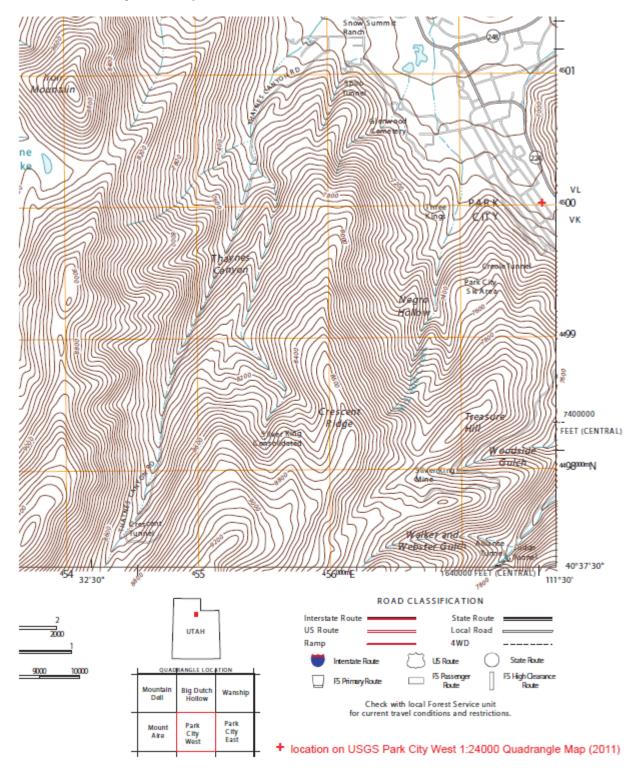


1059 Park Avenue. Southeast oblique. November 2013.

1059 Park Avenue, Park City, Summit County, Utah Intensive Level Survey—Sanborn Map history



1059 Park Avenue, Park City, Summit County, Utah Intensive Level Survey—USGS Map



Researcher: Date: Philip F. Notarianni September 1978 Site No. SU-10-573

Utah State Historical Society Historic Preservation Research Office

Structure/Site Information Form

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One-story frame home, L-plan. The facade (front facade) has a gable end to the north and porch area to the south. Front windows a rectangular picture windows with transoms. Wood siding has been alded.

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A Park City mining town dwelling, built of wood with a gable roof and simple floor plan, which is compatible with other dwellings of the district.

Initially under ownership of David C. McLaughlin in 1883, from George G. Snyder. Sold to W. A. McEmery in 1906. During late 1910s the following were involved in various transactions: Thomas L. Walde, Jesse Wiseman, Joseph E. Jenkins, and George Stonebreaker, who was mortgaged Lot 14-S15 in 1916. Jenkins again mortgaged (to Alfred Roach) in 1920; with Minnie K. Bennie as apparent owner in 1931, who redeemed the property from tax sale in 1938 (Quit Claim from Jenkins to Bennie transacted in 1924 and filed in 1943); eventually to Louisa and Brent P. Snow.

Minnie Kirby Bennie acquired ownership in the 1920s. She was born in 1876 in Wellsburg, Utah, and arrived in Park City in 1895, where she married James Bennie. Minnie lived in Park City until 1942. She died in 1950.

TITLE SEARCH FORM

[Obtain information from title abstract books at County Recorder's Office]

Tax Number: 1059-PA-1

Address: 1059 Park Avenue City: Park City, UT

Current Owner: Hofman Properties LC

Address: (see historic site form for address)

Tax Number: 1059-PA-1 Legal Description (include acreage):

je): 1059 Park Avenue Sub., platted 9/23/2010 (SA BK4 L14, S10ft. L15) (see historic site form for complete

legal description)

TRANSACTION DATES	GRANTOR (SELLER)	GRANTEE (BUYER)	TYPE OF DOLLAR TRANSACTION AMOUNT	DOLLAR AMOUNT	COMMENTS
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3/18/1915	3rd J.D. Court	Thomas L. Walden	Decree		"14,15,16"
10/8/1915	Thomas L. Walden	Jesse Wiseman	Q.C.D.		"14,15,16"
10/22/1915	Jesse Wiseman & wife	Joseph E. Jenkins	Mtg.	\$125.00	"14,15,16"
3/31/1916	Jesse Wiseman	Joseph E. Jenkins	Q.C.D.		"14,15,16"
9/5/1924	Joseph E. Jenkins	Minnie K. Bennie	Q.C.D.		"all 14, S10ft. 15" [rest of form]
12/20/1944	Minnie K. Bennie	Chas. P. & Louise A. Snow	Q.C.D.		
7/9/1996	Louise A. Snow	Louise A. Snow, trustee	Q.C.D.		[as trustee of Louise Snow Fam. Trust]
8/10/2009	Brian P. & Michael R. Snow	Hofman Properties LC	W.D.		[as trustee of Louise Snow Fam. Trust]

Researcher: John Ewanowski, CRSA Architecture

Date: 4/22/2014



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Former Resident Dies

Minnie Kirby Bennie, Salt Lake City, died Friday at 10 p.m. in a Salt Lake hospital of causes incident to age.

She was born October 26, 1876, In Wallsburg, Wasatch county, a daughter of Alma and Lavina Wall Kirby, She moved to Park City in 1895, residing there until 1942.

She was married to James Bennie in 1895 in Park City, He died in 1917.

Mrs. Bennie resided in Salt Lake City since 1942 and was a member of the 18th ward, Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

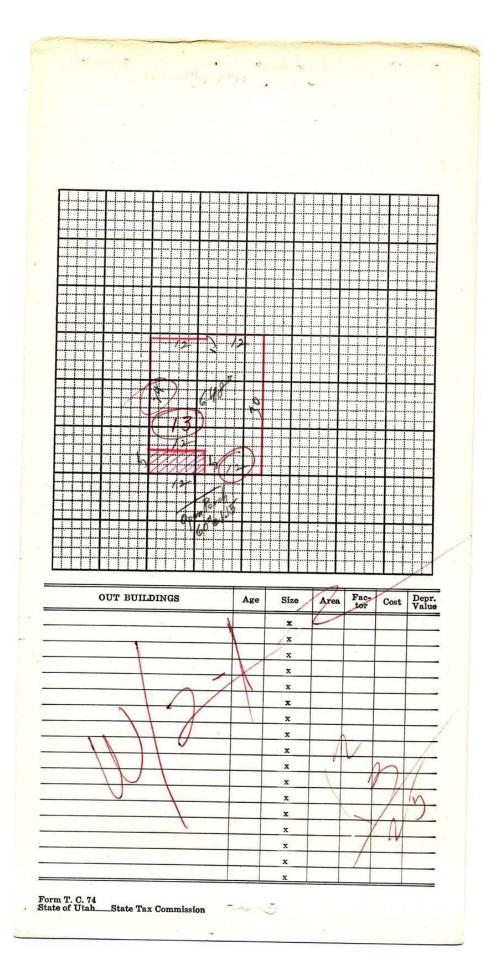
Surviving are three sons: W. A. Bennie, New York City; F. K. Bennie, Trona, California, and L. W. Bennie, Memphis, Tennessee; and three daughters: Mrs. P. J. Beggs, Dallas, Texas; Mrs, A. K. Dray, Vernon, Texas, and Mrs. John Holst, Salt Lake City.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday in Salt Lake City, with interment following in the family plot in the Glenwood cemetery, this city.

Park Record 9/28/1950

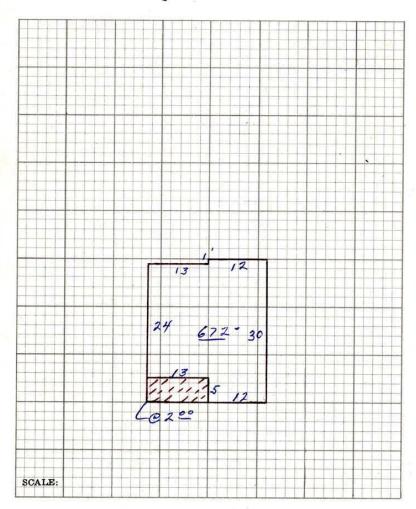
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