

EXAMPLE

Clark County, Washington
Historic Preservation Commission



Clark County Heritage Register Nomination Form

This form is for use in nominating or requesting determinations for individual properties and districts. See instructions in *How to Complete the National Register of Historic Places Registration Form* (National Register Bulletin 16A) <http://www.nps.gov/history/nr/publications/bulletins/nrb16a/>. Complete each item by marking "x" in the appropriate box or by entering the information requested. **This form is similar but not exact to the National Register of Historic Places nomination form. Some sections of the National Register form were not applicable to the local register therefore were not included. When using the National Register Bulletin 16A to fill out the form, look for the section names for information on completing the specific section.** If any item does not apply to the property being documented, enter "N/A" for "not applicable." For functions, architectural classification, materials, and areas of significance, enter only categories and subcategories from the instructions. Place additional entries and narrative items on continuation sheets. Use a typewriter, word processor, or computer, to complete all items.

1. Name of Property

Historic name Green, Albert and Letha, Barn

Other names/site number _____

2. Location

street & number 12112 NE Gren Fels Drive

not for publication

city or Battle Ground

parcel #: 226934000

vicinity

town _____

State WA code _____ county Clark code _____ zip code 98604

3. Classification

Ownership of Property
(Check as many boxes as apply)

- private
- public-local
- public-State
- public-Federal

Category of Property
(Check only one box)

- building(s)
- district
- site
- structure
- object

Number of Resources within Property
(Do not incl. previously listed resources in the count.)

Contributing	Non-Contributing	
1		buildings
		sites
		structures
		objects
		Total

Name of related multiple property listing:
(Enter "N/A" if property is not part of a multiple property listing.)

N/A

Number of contributing resources previously listed in the Clark County Heritage Register

0

4. Owner Consent for Nomination, Designation and Listing

I (we) consent do not consent to the nomination, and designation of the above property on the Clark County Heritage Register. I (we) also certify that I am/we are the legal owner(s) of the above property.

X

Owner signature

4-08-08

Date

Owner signature

Date

5. Functions or Use

Historic Functions

(Enter categories from instructions)

ANIMAL FACILITY/Barn

STORAGE FACILITY/Barn

Current Functions

(Enter categories from instructions)

STORAGE FACILITY/Barn

6. Description

Architectural Classification

(Enter categories from instructions)

OTHER/Gabled Barn with Cupolas

Materials

(Enter categories from instructions)

foundation Field Stone, concrete

walls Shiplap and Board & Batten Siding on

Wood Framing

roof Agricultural metal over original cedar

other Superstructure of stripped fir logs

Narrative Description

(Describe the historic and current condition of the property.)

SEE CONTINUATION SHEET

Clark County Heritage Register Continuation Sheet

PROPERTY NAME: GREEN, ALBERT AND LETHA, BARN
CLARK COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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Narrative Description:

The barn, built by Irish-Canadian immigrants from Ontario, is exemplary in style and construction for Clark County. It consists of three levels: the lowest level, with animal stalls and feed pens, is accessed directly from grade at the north and south ends. It has four parallel aisles running north-south which are created by a grid of major support posts. The westerly most aisle was divided into pens for small animals. Along the outside wall of this aisle are shuttered openings which allowed servicing of the pens from the outside and at either end are doors for access by keepers into the aisle. The two easternmost aisles were accessed by large openings at both ends (see photos 2 and 4) and were used for storage and feeding of cattle. The central aisle was used by keepers to service the animal storage areas. It also was accessed by large openings at either end of the barn and contained feeding troughs at both sides (see photo 8). Feed carts could be driven down this bay to fill the troughs on either side.

Access into the second level of the barn is via ramps at the east and west sides that connect through a central aisle under the massive gabled roof (see photos 1 and 4). The second level contains horse stalls, tack room and hay mow. These rooms occur at the four quadrants of the barn. The stall areas are subdivided into pens for individual horses and can be serviced by a small aisle bordered by feeding troughs (see photo 7). The stalls and tack rooms have floors above them that are open to a voluminous two-story central hay mow (see photo 5)

The barn is square in plan, measures 60 feet by 60 feet and rises to the height of about 45 feet at the ridge of its gabled roof. At ground level, major support posts rest on uncut field stones (see photo 6), and the central support girder under the second floor consists of a single peeled log 60 feet in length (see photo 8).

The major vertical posts that support the roof structure are also peeled logs (see photo 5). The exterior of the barn has shiplap siding with corner boards from the second level up; the ground floor siding is board and batten. There are large louvered openings in both gable ends that were used to load hay into the mow, and the massive roof has two gabled vents on the ridge (see photos 1,2,3,4). In the mid 1980's the original cedar shingle roof was covered with an agricultural metal roof, and at the same time some structural reinforcing was completed on the barn interior, consisting of cable ties between the interior columns. In 2002 some of the square wood posts at the interior of the ground level were replaced. The barn is in very good condition structurally and with care should be sound for many years to come. It is visible from both State Highway 503 and sits directly adjacent to NE Gren Fels Drive.

A historical photo of the barn (photo 9) shows Letha Green (standing with horse) at the east side entry while one of her daughters prepares to bring a load of hay into the barn via the second floor central aisle.

7. Statement of Significance

Applicable Clark County Heritage Register Criteria

- 1 It is associated with events that have made a significant contribution to the broad patterns of national, state, or local history.
- x 2 It embodies the distinctive architectural characteristics of a type, period, style, or method of design or construction, or represents a significant and distinguishable entity whose components may lack individual distinction.
- 3 It is an outstanding work of a designer, builder, or Architect who has made a substantial contribution to their field.
- x 4 It exemplifies or reflects special elements of the county's history.
- x 5 It is associated with the lives of persons significant in national, state, or local history
- 6 It has yielded or may be likely to yield important Archaeological information related to history or prehistory.
- 7 It is an historic building or cultural resource removed from its original location but which is significant for architectural value, or association with an historic person or event, or prehistory.
- 8 It is a birthplace of grave of a prehistoric or historical Figure of outstanding importance and is the only surviving structure or site associated with that person.
- 9 It is a cemetery or burial site which derives its primary significance from age, from distinctive design features, or from association with historic events, or cultural patterns.
- 10 It is a reconstructed building that has been executed in a historically accurate manner on the original site.
- 11 It is a creative and unique example of folk architecture and design created by persons not formally trained in the architectural or design professions, and which does not fit into formal architectural or historical categories.

Areas of Significance

(Enter categories from instructions)

AGRICULTURE
 ARCHITECTURE
 EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT

Period of Significance

1883-1958

Significant Dates

Significant Person

(Complete if Criterion 2 is marked above)

Green, Albert

Cultural Affiliation

Architect/Builder

Green, Albert

Narrative Statement of Significance

(Explain the significance of the property.) **SEE CONTINUATION SHEET**

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PROPERTY NAME: GREEN, ALBERT AND LETHA, BARN
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Statement of Significance:

The Albert and Letha Green Barn provides a significant historical connection to the early settlement and development of Clark County. According to Michael Houser of the State of Washington Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation, the barn is currently listed on the State and National Register of Historic Places.

Below are responses to the list of Applicable Criteria checked on page 3 of the Nomination Form.

2. The barn is exemplary of large agricultural structures built in the area at the beginning of the twentieth century. Although it is unique in some of its details, the design of the barn responds to local and regional patterns and requirements for its intended use. Built primarily from materials produced on site or locally, the barn encompasses a large volume of space which supported dairy cattle, horse for hire and domestic stock keeping activities, all under one roof. The barn has a distinctive gabled roof form topped by gabled ventilation cupolas, and with red and white painted shiplap and board and batten siding, it exemplifies barns of the period. Due to its visible location historically and currently adjacent to modern day highway 503, it has been a landmark known to people from the region for many generations.

4. The barn is associated with settlement patterns that were important to the early development of Clark County and the region. The barn was built by Albert Green about 1900 on his farm which was located directly across the East Fork of the Lewis River from the once flourishing town of Lewisville, which was an early settlement in the area. The Green family was active in

the Lewisville community, and Albert owned a blacksmith shop in town. The barn and Green's original house are the only structures that remain from that community.

5. Albert Green came from Tiverton, Ontario, to Lewisville about 1880-1885. The barn supported agricultural activities on Green's large acreage. In addition to dairy cattle and hay production, Green ran a horse-for-hire operation called Green Meadows. He was best known in the county as a music teacher. He was self taught and with the aid of handmade music charts, travelled throughout the county organizing vocal "schools". A school would last six months and would end in a grand concert as a community fundraiser. Letha Green's maiden name was Letha Van Atta. The Van Atta family was one of the first to settle in what is now the town of Brush Prairie, Washington. The original home still exists. Letha was born in Brush Prairie, but her parents were a part of the western migration of settlers that helped to settle the western United States. As an adult she was an accomplished professional photographer.

8. Major Bibliographical References

Bibliography

(Cite the books, articles, and other sources used in preparing this form.)

National Register of Historic Places Inventory - Nomination Form, completed in 1977-78

Information Supplied by Richard Wooldridge, Grandson of Albert Green

Information provided by Leah Lane, Granddaughter of Albert Green

Crittendon, Bob - ' Barn in the U.S.A.' (Fulcrum Publishing, 2006) pp. 64, 65

Archeological Predetermination Report Review, 9/4/2007 by Todd Miles, Archeological Review Coordinator, Clark County, WA

Letter from Michael Houser of the State of Washington Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation, November 7, 2006

Previous documentation on file (CCHR):

- Preliminary determination of individual listing has been requested
- Previously listed in the Clark County Heritage Register
- Previously determined eligible by the Clark County Heritage Register
- Recorded by Clark County Cultural Resources Inventory Survey # _____

Primary location of additional data:

- State Historic Preservation Office
- Other State agency
- Federal agency
- Local government
- University
- Other

Name of repository:

9. Geographical Data

Acreege of Property 5.34 acres

UTM References

(Place additional UTM References on a continuation sheet.)

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Verbal Boundary Description

(Describe the boundaries of the property.)

Parcel no. 226934-000
 Legal Description: #11 SEC 27 T4N R2EWM

Boundary Justification

(Explain why the boundaries were selected.)

Boundary of individual lot

10. Form Prepared By

name/title Steve Kaiser
organization Formwest Architecture date March 8, 2008
street & number P.O. Box 12174 telephone 503-970-7527
city or town Portland state Oregon zip code 97212

Additional Documentation

Submit the following items with the completed form:

Continuation Sheets

Maps

- A USGS map (7.5 or 15 minute series) indicating the property's location.
A Sketch map for historic districts and properties having large acreage or numerous resources.

Photographs

Representative photographs of the property.

Additional items

(Check with the CCHPC Staff)

Property Owner

name Steve Kaiser
street & number 3714 NE 22nd Avenue telephone 503-460-9479
city or town Portland state Oregon zip code 97212

4b. CLARK COUNTY HISTORIC PRESERVATION STAFF RECOMMENDATION

In my opinion, the property [X] meets / [] does not meet the Clark County Heritage Register criteria. ([] See continuation sheet.)

Jacqueline E Kamp
Signature of commenting staff

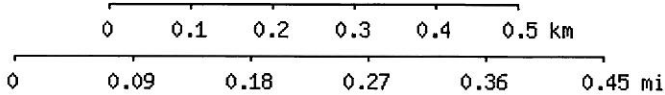
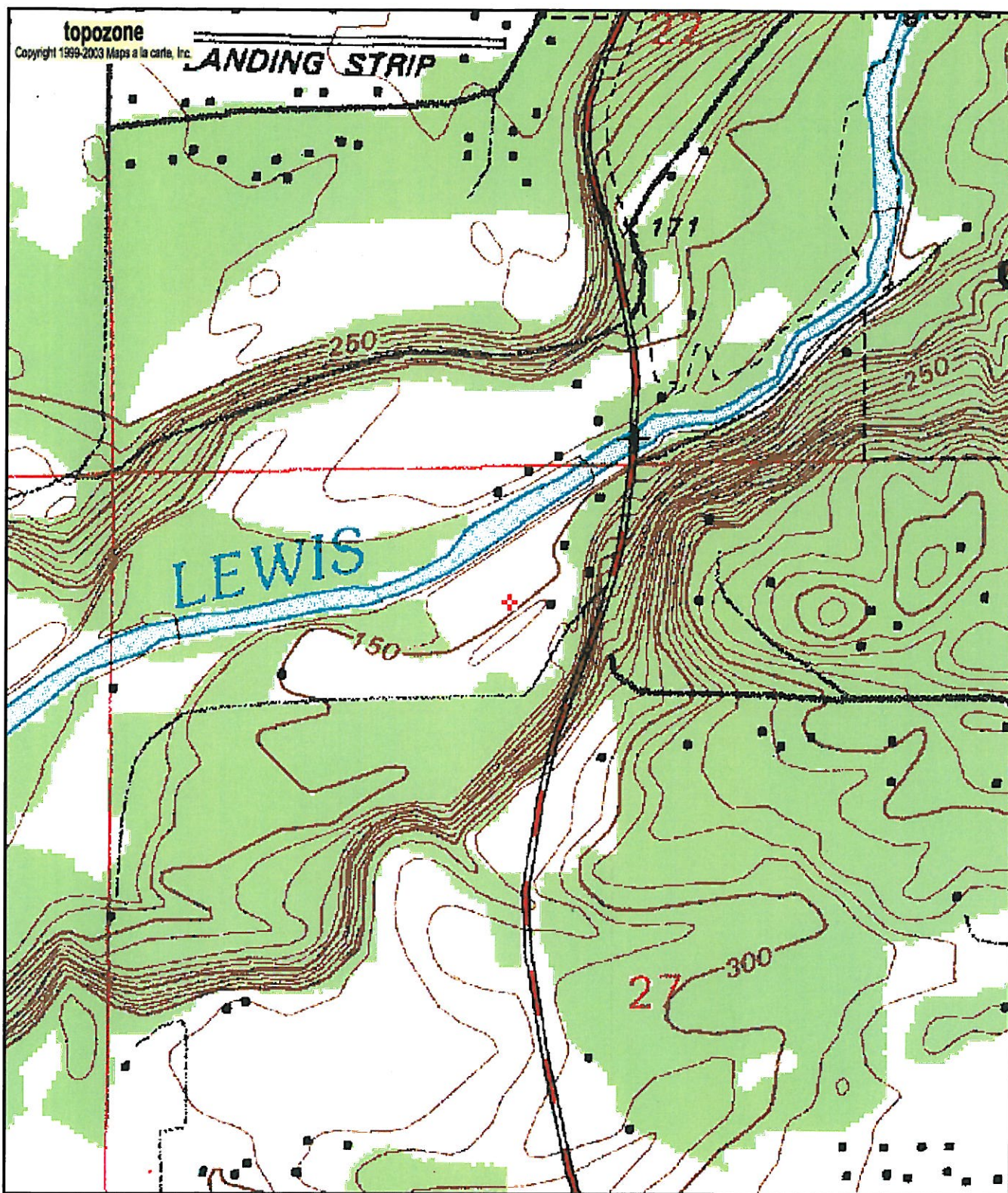
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Date

4c. CLARK COUNTY HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION / DECISION

IN THE OPINION OF THE CLARK COUNTY HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION, THE PROPERTY MEETS [] / DOES NOT MEET [] THE CLARK COUNTY HERITAGE REGISTER CRITERIA. ([] See continuation sheet.)

[Signature]
CHAIRPERSON,
Clark County Historic Preservation Commission

4/8/2008
Date



UTM 10 534978E 5072771N (NAD83/WGS84)
USGS Battle Ground (WA) Quadrangle
Projection is UTM Zone 10 NAD83 Datum



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G=0.323



PHOTO 1
barn from northwest



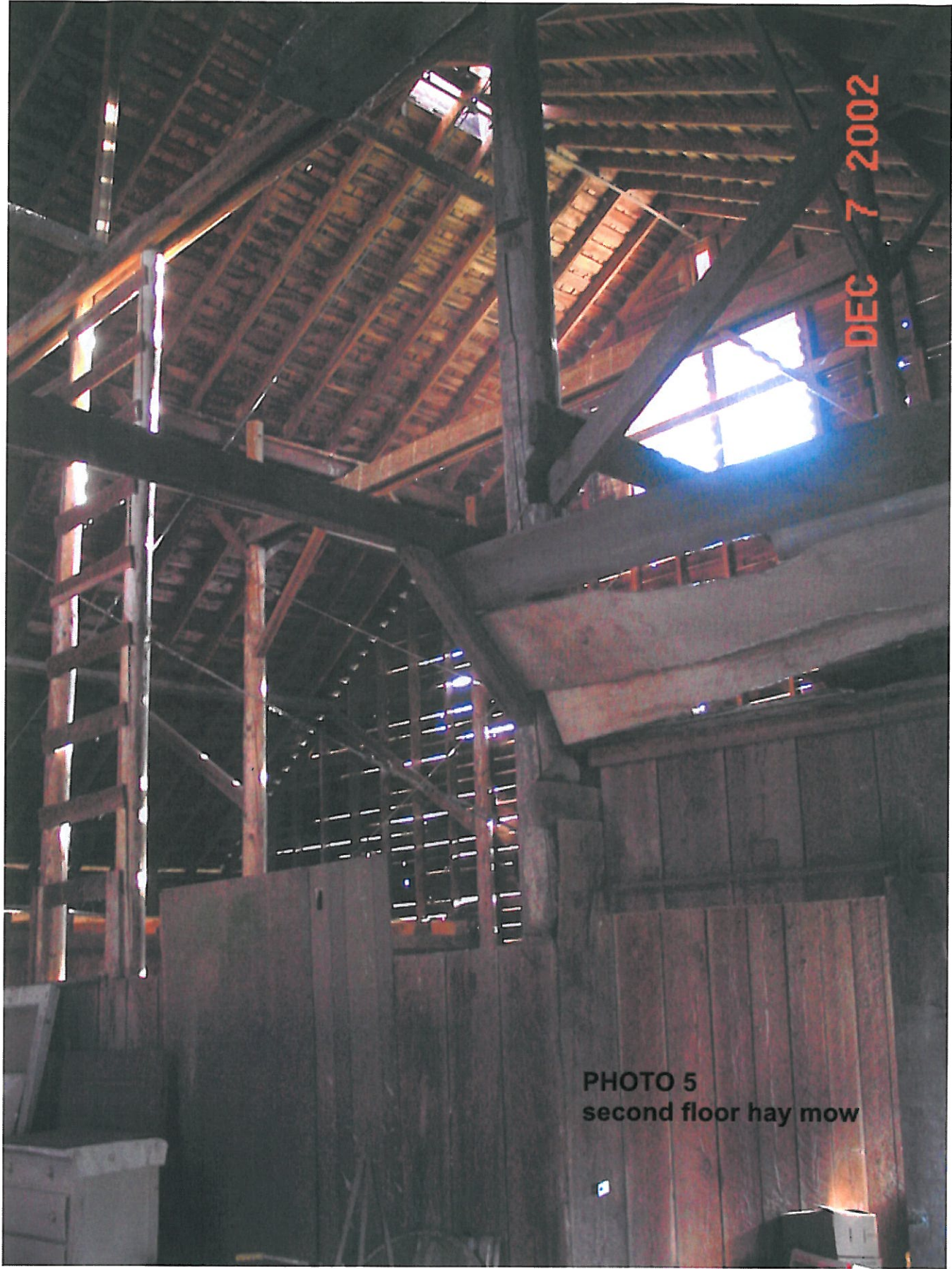
PHOTO 2
barn from south



PHOTO 3
barn from north



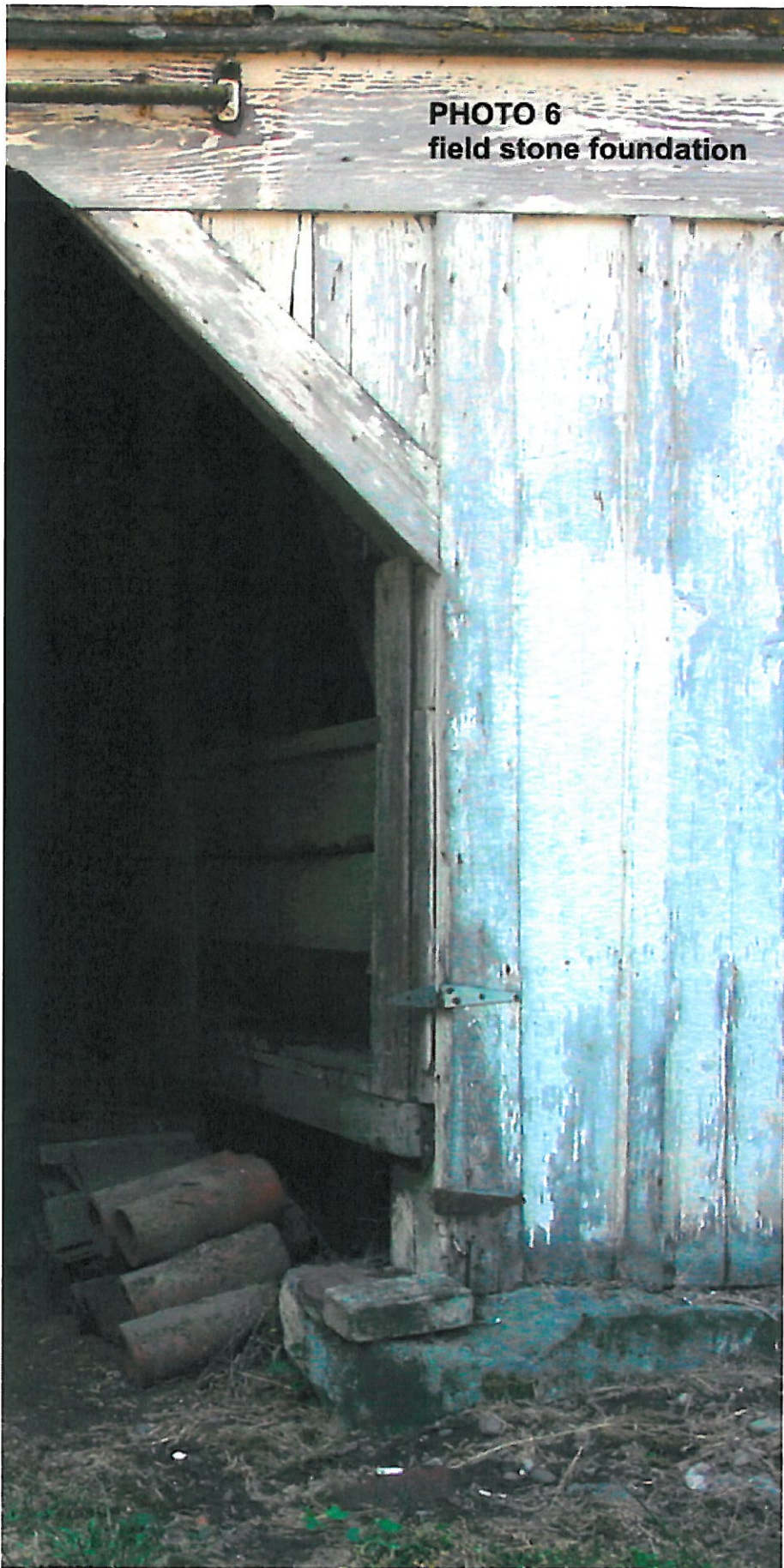
PHOTO 4
barn from southeast



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PHOTO 5
second floor hay mow

PHOTO 6
field stone foundation





DEC 7 2002

PHOTO 7



PHOTO 8
ground floor aisle

Photo 9



Albert & Letha Green Barn



115 230 345 ft.

Map center: 1117799, 179708

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Notes: Nomination to the Clark County Heritage Register

Data published, and maintained by the Geographic Information System division of the Department of Assessment and GIS, Clark County, Washington



Legend

- Parcels
- Roads
- Alley
- Arterial
- DNR
- DNR (Private Land)
- Driveway
- Interstate
- Interstate Ramp
- Primary Arterial
- Private Roads
- Private Roads w/o Names
- Public Roads
- SR Ramp
- State Route
- Waterbodies
- City Boundaries
- Urban Growth Boundaries
- County Boundary



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