

**SOUTH DAKOTA STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICE
HISTORIC SITES SURVEY STRUCTURE FORM**



SITE INFORMATION

*SURVEY DATE: June 21, 2013 *ADDRESS: 45534 299th Street
*SURVEYOR: Jim Stone *COUNTY: Clay
*CITY: Wakonda

LOCATION DESCRIPTION: From Vermillion, the intersection of South Dakota Highway 50 bi-pass and South Dakota Highway 19, North 15 miles to 302nd Street, turn left (West) about 7 miles to 455th Ave., turn right (North) 3 miles to 299th Street, turn right (East) 1/4 mile, left (North) side.

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: SW 1/4, 10 – 95 – 53 Star Twp.

*QUARTER 1: SW 1/4 OWNER NAME: Roger E. Stockland
*QUARTER 2: _____ OWNER ADDRESS: 45534 299th Street
*TOWNSHIP: Star OWNER CITY: Wakonda
*RANGE: 53 OWNER STATE: South Dakota
*SECTION: 10 OWNER ZIP: 57073
ACRES: 158.41 QUAD NAME: _____

OWNER CODE 1: P
OWNER CODE 2:
OWNER CODE 3:

HISTORIC SIGNIFICANCE

*DOE: _____ REGISTER NAME: _____
*DOE DATE: _____ MULTIPLE PROPERTY NAME: _____
REASON INELIGIBLE: _____

NOMINATION STATUS: _____ CATEGORY: _____
DATE LISTED: _____ SIGNIFICANCE LEVEL 1: N S L
REFERENCE NUMBER: _____ SIGNIFICANCE LEVEL 2: N S L
HISTORIC DISTRICT RATING: C or NC CRITERIA 1: A B C D
PERIOD: _____ CRITERIA 2: A B C D
CRITERIA 3: A B C D
CRITERIA 4: A B C D

SIGNIFICANCE NOTES: _____

STRUCTURE DETAILS

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SHPO ID: _____
 *PROPERTY NAME: _____
 OTHER NAME: _____

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|------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|--|
| CURRENT FUNCTION: | <u>Sheep barn</u> | FOUNDATION: | <u>Poured concrete</u> |
| CURRENT SUBFUNCTION: | <u>Storage</u> | ROOF MATERIAL: | <u>Steel roofing over cedar shingles</u> |
| HISTORIC FUNCTION: | <u>Livestock barn</u> | ROOF SHAPE: | <u>Gambrel roof</u> |
| HISTORIC SUBFUNCTION: | <u>Hay storage</u> | STRUCTURAL SYSTEM: | <u>Balloon framing</u> |
| | | STYLE: | <u>Gambrel roof barn</u> |
| OCCUPIED: | <u>Yes</u> | TYPE: | <u>Livestock barn</u> |
| | | | <u>2x6 & 2x8 studs, sheathing and 1/2"x6" cedar lap siding</u> |
| ACCESSIBLE: | <u>Yes with permission</u> | WALLS: | |
| STORIES: | <u>2</u> | SIGNIFICANT PERSON: | <u>Chris E. Stockland</u> |
| *DATE OF CONSTRUCTION: | <u>1916</u> | CULTURAL AFFILIATION: | <u>Norwegian?</u> |

ALTERED/MOVED NOTES: Original site. Most evidence of horse stalls and or milk cow stanchions has been removed. Steel roofing has been installed over cedar shingles on the roof, except the lower part on The East side. Some of the 6x6 posts have been moved, when the barn was used for swine.

INTERIOR NOTES: Four rows of 6x6 posts, and 6x6 beams support the 2x8 joists for the hayloft floor. Milk cow stanchions were on the East side, but have been removed. All evidence of horse stalls has been removed, but owner said that they were on the West side. 6x6 posts 10' O. C., with a 6x6 beam support the hip. (2) 1x6 braces on two hip rafters in the center between the 10' O. C. posts.

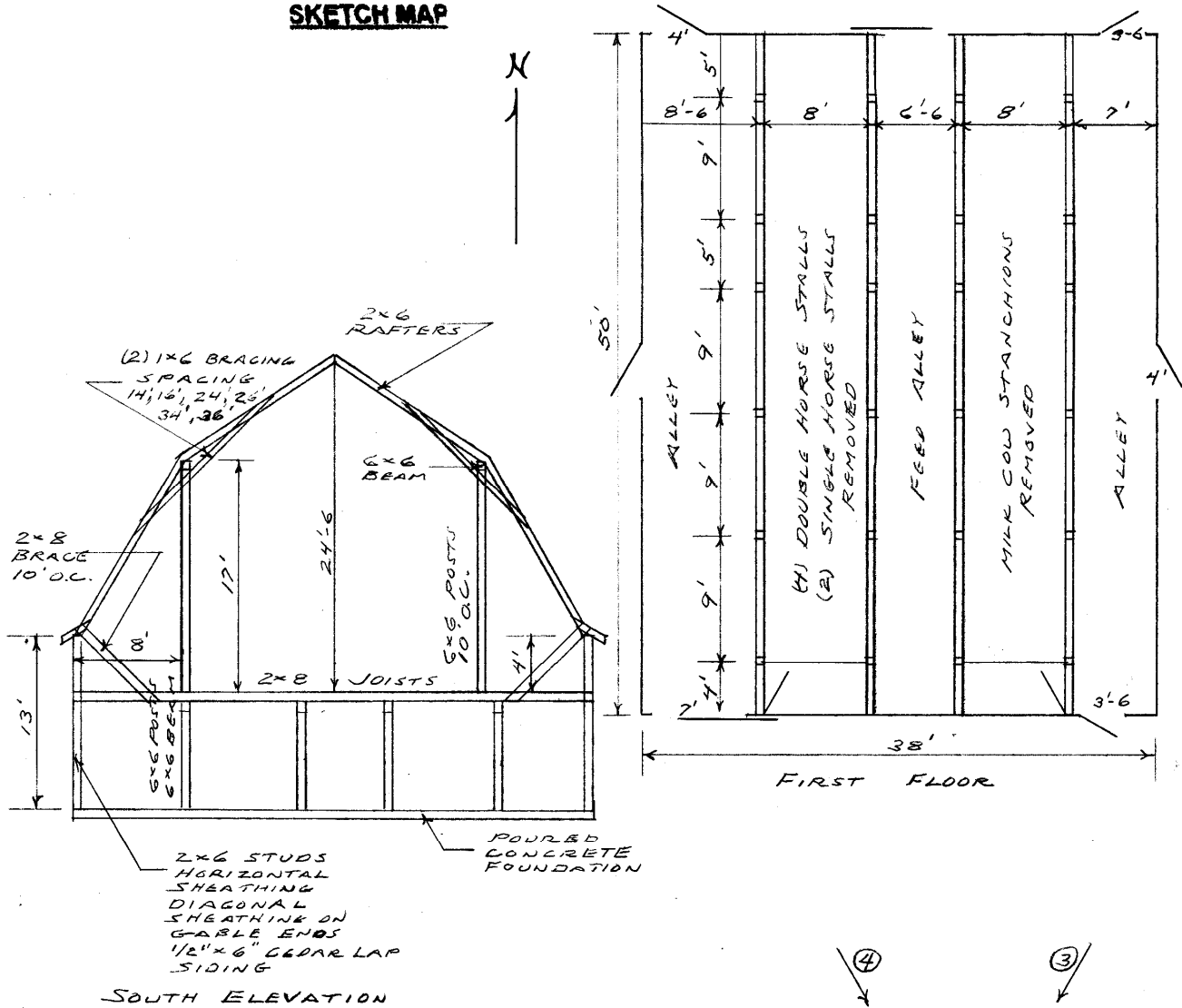
OTHER NOTES: 2x6 stud walls with horizontal sheathing and 1/2" x 6" cedar lap siding on the East and West walls. 2x8 stud walls 26' high on the gable ends with diagonal sheathing and 1/2"x 6" cedar lap siding, with 2x6 studs above to rafters. Rafters are 2x6's. Windows are 9"x12" four light over 9"x12" four light, double hung. Metal cupola is still in place, which dates the barn in the teens of the 1900's.

***PHYSICAL NOTES:** Barn is in fair condition.

*UTM ZONE: _____ *RESTRICTED: Y or N
 *UTM EASTING: _____
 *UTM NORTHING: _____

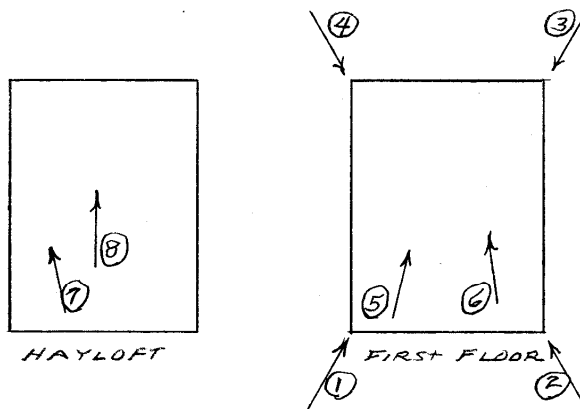
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SKETCH MAP



SOUTH ELEVATION

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ROLL NUMBER: 1
PHOTO NUMBER: 1
CAMERA DIRECTION: Looking NE, SW corner



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ROLL NUMBER: 2
PHOTO NUMBER: 2
CAMERA DIRECTION: Looking NW, SE corner

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ROLL NUMBER: 3
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CAMERA DIRECTION: Looking SW, NE corner



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ROLL NUMBER: 4
PHOTO NUMBER: 4
CAMERA DIRECTION: Looking SE, NW corner

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PHOTOGRAPHER: Jim Stone
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ROLL NUMBER: _____
PHOTO NUMBER: 5

CAMERA DIRECTION: First floor, looking NW,
6x6 post, 6x6 beam, 2x8
joists.



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ROLL NUMBER: _____
PHOTO NUMBER: 6

CAMERA DIRECTION: First floor, looking, East,
four rows of 6x6 posts
and 6x6 beams.

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ROLL NUMBER: _____
PHOTO NUMBER: 7

Hayloft, looking NW, 6x6 posts and 6x6 beam supporting hip, note 1x6 bracing on two rafters centered between 10'

CAMERA DIRECTION: O.C. 6x6 posts.



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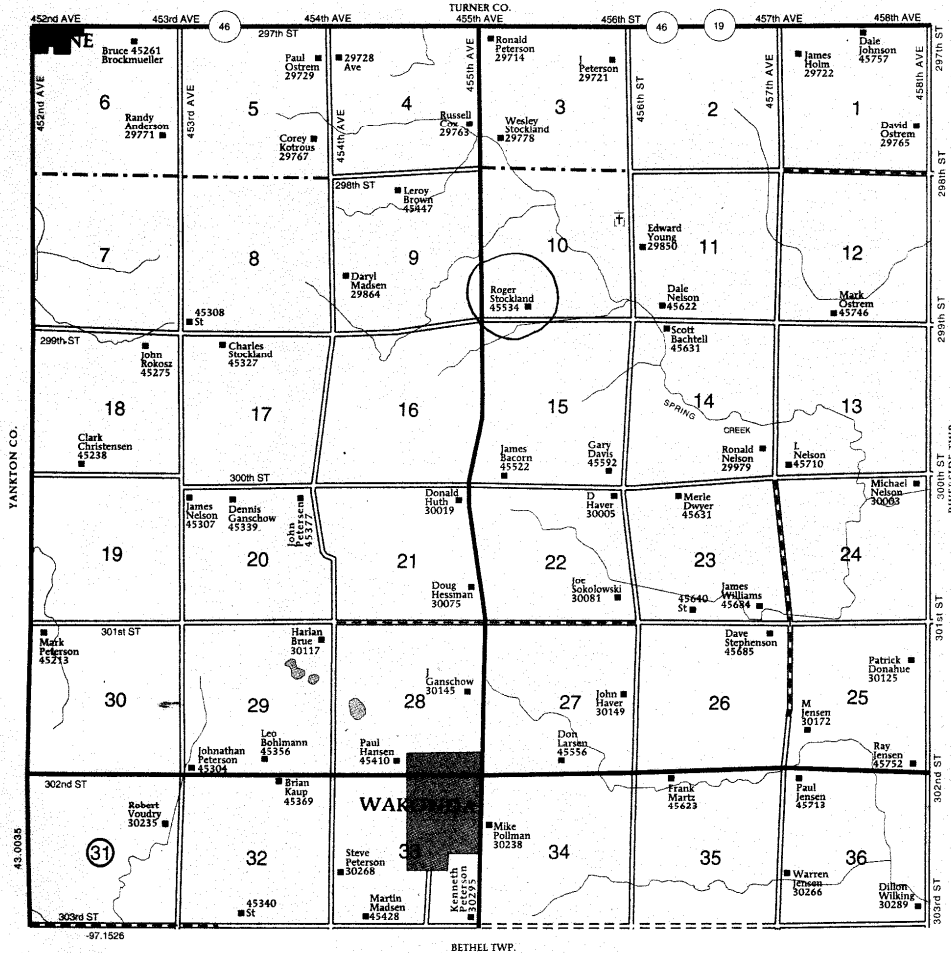
Hayloft, looking North, 2x8 stud wall up to 26' with 2x6 studs above to rafters, note diagonal sheathing.

CAMERA DIRECTION: _____

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T-95-N STAR DIRECTORY R-53-W



HISTORY

This farm located in the SW ¼ of Section 10, Star Township, Clay County was homesteaded by James Ryan.

The 1894 Clay County Atlas lists James Ryan as the owner.

The 1901 Clay County Atlas lists John J. Westre as the owner.

The 1912 Clay County Atlas lists C. E. Strockland as the owner. The last name was spelled Strockland or Stockland on legal papers at that time. Eventually it became Stockland.

The 1924 Clay County Atlas lists John Laughran as the owner. C. E. Stockland sold the farm to John Laughran, but got the farm back later.

The 1937 Clay County Atlas lists H. (Harold) Stockland and Prudential Ins. Co. as the owners. Harold Stockland was the son of C. E. Stockland.

The 1948 and 1956 Clay County Atlas lists H. (Harold) Stockland as the owner. His son, Roger Stockland is the present owner.

The following is from

Wakonda, S. D. Centennial Book 1885 – 1985

Christopher E. Stockland Family

Christopher “Christ” E. Stockland was born in Norway in 1856. In an old Bible an entry is made “Kresttaver E. Stackland” born March – year 1856 in Norway. After coming to the United States it was changed to “Chris E. Stockland”. At the age of 13 he left home and went to work on a clipper sailing ship. At the age of 23 he was shipwrecked off the coast of Florida. He returned to Norway and brought his wife and family to Illinois where he worked as a farm hand. About 1890 his wife died in Illinois after which Christ with his family moved to South Dakota where he had relatives.

He purchased land north of Wakonda where Ronald Peterson now lives. At that time it was still prairie. Later he sold that land and purchased the present home farm. At various times he owned the southeast quarter of Section 10, northeast quarter of Section 11 and north half, southeast quarter of Section 11. About 1905 he married Bertha Scramstad. To this union a son, Harold, was born on Nov. 11 1905. Christ died in 1921 after being stung by bumble bees.

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Harold attended grade school at Ireland rural school and Wakonda High School. He later graduated from the South Dakota School of Agriculture at Brookings. Harold built a locker plant in Brookings in partnership with a former neighbor and classmate, Dexter Artz. This was one of the first locker plants in South Dakota. In 1936 Harold ran for state representative.

Harold met Lois Fessenden of Phillip, S. D., while she was working as a waitress at the "Rainbow Café" in Brookings. Her family had moved to Sioux Falls from a ranch north of Phillip. She attended Nettleton Commercial College.

Harold and Lois were married Aug 16, 1940 in the First Methodist Church in Sioux Falls, S. D. In 1942 Harold sold his partnership of the locker plant to Dexter Arnz. Harold and Lois moved back to the farm north of Wakonda. They farmed until Harold retired in 1968. Harold was very active in the community, serving as clerk of the Ireland School board for many years. He was one of the organizers of the Wakonda Co-op Oil Company. Harold was active on the board of the Union Cemetery, served on the Farm Bureau and supported community projects. Harold is a member of the Congregational Church attending regularly and served on various church committees until 1981. Lois had an acre of garden and would can as many as 500 quarts of fruits and vegetables.

Harold and Lois had eight children. Seven are still living. Lois still lives in the big square house on the farm. Harold entered the Wakonda Heritage Manor, Nov. 7, 1981, and comes out to the farm to enjoy family celebrations and outings when the weather and his health permit.

The children are, Roger, born June 7, 1946. He graduated from South Dakota State University with a degree in Agriculture Engineering and now farms the home place. He married Eileen Murphy of Albuquerque, N.M., on July 2, 1976. They have three children; Patricia (July 19, 1977), Wendy (Oct. 27, 1978) and Wesley (June 28, 1981).

Ellen, was born Nov. 10, 1947.

Orville, was born Feb.6, 1949.

Charles, born Feb11, 1950 and is a graduate of South Dakota State University with a degree in animal science. He has farmed since graduating. Charles married Suzanne Schneller of Canton, S. D. on Nov. 19, 1983. Suzanne is a registered nurse and works in Sioux Valley Hospital in Sioux Falls, S. D.

Susan, was born Feb. 12, 1952.

Cynthia, was born Feb. 8, 1953.

Harold Lane "Sandy" was born July 14, 1954. He died Nov. 29, 1967 at home, a victim of muscular dystrophy.

Kay was born May 1, 1957.