

Site #203

Priority H (Contributes significantly to local history or broader historical patterns; is an outstanding or unique example of architecture, engineering or crafted design; and retains a significant portion of its original character and architectural integrity.)

Wright Henderson Duncan House

Spring Street

Granbury

Hood County

Est. 1873, 1881

Historic Use: Residential

Present Use: Residential

Property Type: N/A

Stylistic Influence: N/A

History of Property: First home here was a log cabin with a dog trot built by the Nutt family. Then home to A.J. Wright, the first Sheriff of Hood County. Then it was home to Sheriff James F. Henderson and his family. Later it was home to Sheriff C.M. Duncan and his family.

Areas of Significance (include justification):

Bibliography (include any oral history):

Surveyor: MS

Date Surveyed: 2001

Photo Data: Roll/Frame M4/24

Designations: NR

Description of Building:

Location: Original Location

-Building faces NE

-Two story limestone structure

-Center passage plan

-Pier and beam foundation

-Limestone exterior wall surface

-Four bay, northeast elevation, flat roof two story porch with gable above, with turned wood posts

-Wood sash, double hung windows (2/2)

-Single door primary entrance with transom and sidelights

-Second floor door opens to porch

-Gable end treatments same as wall surface, capped gables with exterior chimneys

-Gable roof with wood shingles and box eaves with trim

-Two exterior chimneys (each side of house)

-One story rock addition on back



Outbuildings: Stone garage on east end (connected to house), old windmill and st. tank