

Oregon Historic Site Form

Tuality Lodge #6
176 2nd
Hillsboro, Washington County

LOCATION AND PROPERTY NAME

address: 176 NE 2nd apprx. addr

historic name: Tuality Lodge #6

Hillsboro vcnt Washington County

current/ other names: _____

Optional Information

assoc addresses: _____
(former addresses, intersections, etc.)

location descr: _____
(remote sites)

block nbr: _____ lot nbr: _____ tax lot nbr: _____

township: 1N range: 2 W section: 31 1/4: _____

zip: _____

PROPERTY CHARACTERISTICS

resource type: building height (# stories): 2

total # eligible resources: 1 total # ineligible resources:

elig. evaluation: eligible/contributing

NR status: _____

primary constr date: 1925 (c.) secondary date: _____ (c.)
(optional--use for major addns)

NR date listed: _____ (indiv listed only; see Grouping for hist dist)

primary orig use: Meeting Hall

orig use comments: _____

secondary orig use: _____

primary style: Mission

prim style comments: _____

secondary style: _____

sec style comments: _____

primary siding: Stucco

siding comments: _____

secondary siding: Terra Cotta: Other/Undefined

architect: _____

plan type: _____

builder: _____

comments/notes: _____

GROUPINGS / ASSOCIATIONS

survey project name or other grouping name: Hillsboro Local Inventory Update 2008 2008 Survey & Inventory Project

farmstead/cluster name: _____ external site #: 18
(ID# used in city/agency database)

SHPO INFO FOR THIS PROPERTY

NR date listed: _____

ILS survey date: _____

RLS survey date: 7/1/2008

Gen File date: _____

106 Project(s)



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ARCHITECTURAL / PROPERTY DESCRIPTION

(Include expanded description of the building/property, setting, significant landscape features, outbuildings, and alterations)

Architectural Description:

The Masonic Temple is a good representation of the Mission Style of architecture. It is a rectangularly –massed two and one-half story building with a stucco finish. The low pitched gabled roof has three curved and stepped parapets, and decoratively milled diagonal brackets supporting the eave on the side elevations.

The façade is symmetrically composed. A shed roof supported by diagonal brackets protects the recessed entry. The building is accessed by double doors which are highlighted by a transom. The windows are double hung sash with eight panes in the upper sash. They are in groupings of three on the first floor, and in single groupings on the second floor. The arcade bay on the third floor is protected by a shed awning supported by milled, diagonal brackets as seen in the porch and along the eave on the side elevations. A rosette is centered in the parapet.

Contextual Description:

The Lodge is sited in the southwest corner of Lincoln and S.E. Second Streets.

HISTORY

(Chronological, descriptive history of the property from its construction through at least the historic period [preferably to the present])

Historical Significance:

The Tuality Lodge has been organized in Hillsboro since 1853, when Fred Holznagel was the master of the Lodge. This building was constructed in 1922, and is the fourth meeting place used by the Tuality Lodge. They moved to this location because their headquarters in the city hall were too small.

The Lodge was organized by John Elliot on August 20, 1853. Among the first members were Ralph Wilcox, William Caldwell, Charles Merrill, Milton Tuttle, Henry Black, Fred De Witt, and I. Mitchell. Meetings were held the first Saturday after a full moon. The first meetings were held in a hall owned by Henry Wehrung. In 1860 a new hall was built, which was replaced in 1892 when the Lodge built adjacent to the city hall.

RESEARCH INFORMATION

(Check all of the basic sources consulted and cite specific important sources)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Title Records | <input type="checkbox"/> Census Records | <input type="checkbox"/> Property Tax Records | <input type="checkbox"/> Local Histories |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sanborn Maps | <input type="checkbox"/> Biographical Sources | <input type="checkbox"/> SHPO Files | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Interviews |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Obituaries | <input type="checkbox"/> Newspapers | <input type="checkbox"/> State Archives | <input type="checkbox"/> Historic Photographs |
| <input type="checkbox"/> City Directories | <input type="checkbox"/> Building Permits | <input type="checkbox"/> State Library | |

Local Library: _____ University Library: _____

Historical Society: _____ Other Repository: _____

Bibliography: Sources Consulted:

Interview: Fred Holznagel, Willamette View Manor. April 25, 1985.

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