

HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

	Property name, historic Shelton House				14. MDAH Inventory Code		
	o. Property name, common	Holliday -	- Beaufait Hous	e	15.	County Hinds	16. Survey sequence no.
2. Property address/descriptive location 561 W. Main Street, Raymond, Mississippi					17.	Was interior surveyed? ☑ Yes ☐ no ☐ not applicable	18. Visibility from public road or street
3. Legal description Parcel #4969-407 as recorded in Second Judicial District Ownership Maps, Vol. 2 for Hinds County, MS Acreage = 3.95 acres.				19. Condition □ excellent □ ruins □ good □ no visible remains □ fair □ deteriorated □ later structure			
4.	Original use house		5. Present use vac	ant	20.	USGS quadrangle map tions) Raymond	(if required) (see instruc-
6.	5. Other uses		7. Original or historically notable owner(s) or occupant(s) Judge Shelton		21. UTM reference (if required) (see instructions) 15 742300 3572720		
	school				22.	tions)	and address (see instruc- Holliday
8.	tal estimated	1830 (addition (alterati	9. Changes ☐ moved) ☑ major alterations	date) c. 1850, c	•	Route 2, Box 204 Raymond, MS 39154	
	Architect Unknown □ documented □ attril Is the property architectural		11. Builder/contractor Unknown □ documented important? If so, why? (□ attributed	23.	 Tenant's name (if required), and address if different from property address (see instructions) (enter in pencil) 	
	if necessary) It is one of the earliest residences remaining in Raymond. The house, which was originally a dogtrot, is a rare surviving example of middle-class housing in antebellum Raymond.			frame 25. Architectural character or style			
13.	B. Identify any outbuildings and/or other structures or landscape features associated with this building or structure. (Attach an additional inventory form for each one that has particular architectural or historical interest.) Directly to the east of the house is a frame garage dating from the mid-twentieth-century. This building				Greek Revival		
					THIS SECTION FOR MDAH USE ONLY 26. Category Building 27. Functional type		
	possesses neither architectural nor historical significance and is not included in the nomination.						
	(Attach one 3 x 5 black and white photograph here.)					Registration status and NHL Isted NR approved for NR federal DOE state landmark Incal landmark HABS/HAER Is this property include yes no proposed Name of district	
						☐ pivotal ☐ contributing	☐ marginal ☐ noncontributing ☐ intrusion

30. Brief statement of the property's history According to the current owner, the original section of this house was built c. 1830. The addition and its breezeway, along with the Doric box columns, appear to be c. 1850 additions. It is known that Judge Shelton and his wife lived in this house during the Civil War. His wife taught school in this building during that time. Perhaps as early as the 1850's the Sheltons lived here and the addition served as her school. The property changed hands several times in the early 20th century. Finally, in 1919, it was purchased by Thomas Monroe Holliday and his wife, Lucretia Beaufait Holliday. Today the house is still owned by members of the Holliday family.

by Thomas Monroe Holliday and his wife, Lucretia Beaufait Holliday. Today the house is still 31. Brief description. If a thorough description has been prepared separately, disregard this section and check here □. Originally constructed as a simple dogtrot house with an open breezeway and full-width, undercut, front gallery, the Shelton House was enlarged c. 1850 by a two-pen addition to its SE (gable) elevation. This addition, oriented perpendicular to the earlier structure, extends beyond the plane of the main facade to enclose the end of the front gallery. While joined to the main structure by a continuation of the gable roof, the addition was separated from the main building block by another open breezeway. Both breezeways were eventually enclosed by sidelighted doors, which physical evidence indicates may have occurred c. 1870. This one story, eight-bay wide (cont) 32. Additional remarks or continuation of other sections house is sheathed in clapboard, but flushboard covers the 35. Photographer or photo source exterior wall located in the gallery area. The gallery's Susan M. Enzweiler Doric box columns appear to be an 1850's alteration. 9/6 double hung sash windows have wood shutters. The house. Photo roll and frame number(s) has two interior brick chimneys and one exterior chimney Roll 1652 - #11A & 12A on the NW facade. The innermost interior chimney was pro-37. Photo date bably originally an exterior chimney before the addition 10-11-85 was constructed. 33. Sources of information 38. Inventory form completed by (name and organization) - Personal Observation Susan M. Enzweiler - Telephone Interview with Shelton Holliday (12-10-85) MDAH - Real Estate Tax Books and Land Rolls for Hinds County 39. Survey project name Raymond 40. Date form completed 12 - 85THIS SECTION FOR MDAH USE ONLY 34. Sketch of site plan. (Include north arrow. Show outine of building shape and locations of outbuildings.) 41. Attached supplementary materials Garage 42. Other materials in MDAH files □ plans, drawings □ correspondence ☐ research notes □ clippings □ project report ☐ early photos ☐ slides □ negatives □ other

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43. Date logged, MDAH

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Shelton House, 561 W. Main Street, front elevation, photographer facing east

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Shelton House, 561 W. Main Street, front and southeast elevations, facing northwest Raymond Hinds County Mississippi

west Raymond, Hinds County, Mississippi Mississippi Department of Archives & History Susan M. Enzweiler

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