



# HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

1a. Property name, historic Dupree- Ratliff House		14. MDAH Inventory Code	
b. Property name, common E.E. Thrash Family House		15. County Hinds	16. Survey sequence no. 2
2. Property address/descriptive location 101 Dupree Street, Raymond, Mississippi		17. Was interior surveyed? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> not applicable	18. Visibility from public road or street <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> good <input type="checkbox"/> poor <input type="checkbox"/> not visible
3. Legal description Parcel #4969-402 as recorded in Second Judicial District Ownership Maps, Vol. 2 for Hinds Co. MS. Acreage = 5 acres. The mid-20th century frame outbuilding is not included in this nomination because it lacks any architectural or historical significance.		19. Condition <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> excellent <input type="checkbox"/> good <input type="checkbox"/> fair <input type="checkbox"/> deteriorated <input type="checkbox"/> ruins <input type="checkbox"/> no visible remains <input type="checkbox"/> incorporated into later structure	
4. Original use Residence	5. Present use Residence	20. USGS quadrangle map (if required) (see instructions) Raymond, Mississippi	
6. Other uses School Hospital (after the Battle of Raymond, 1863)	7. Original or historically notable owner(s) or occupant(s) Dr. H.T.T. & Margaret Dupree	21. UTM reference (if required) (see instructions) 15 742490 3572210	
8. Date of construction <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> estimated c. 1853 <input type="checkbox"/> documented	9. Changes <input type="checkbox"/> moved (date) _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> major alterations (date) c. 1929, c. 1960s	22. Current owner's name and address (see instructions) Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Thrash P. O. Box 57 Raymond, MS 39154	
10. Architect Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> documented <input type="checkbox"/> attributed	11. Builder/contractor Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> documented <input type="checkbox"/> attributed	23. Tenant's name (if required), and address if different from property address (see instructions) (enter in pencil)  N/A	
12. Is the property architecturally or historically important? If so, why? (continue on reverse if necessary) The Dupree-Ratliff house, one of Raymond's seven antebellum houses, is architecturally significant locally. Despite major alterations to the roof, the house retains such unique design elements as horizontal panelling on the portico wall and a blending of Greek Revival and Italianate motifs.		24. Principal material(s) Frame (clapboard)	
13. 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.)  a mid-20th century storage building of frame construction with a hip roof covered in wood shakes.		25. Architectural character or style Greek Revival-Italianate	
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		26. Category building	
		27. Functional type	
		28. Registration status and dates <input type="checkbox"/> NHL _____ <input type="checkbox"/> listed NR _____ <input type="checkbox"/> approved for NR _____ <input type="checkbox"/> federal DOE _____ <input type="checkbox"/> state landmark _____ <input type="checkbox"/> local landmark _____ <input type="checkbox"/> HABS/HAER _____	
(Attach one 3 x 5 black and white photograph here.)		29. Is this property included in a historic district? <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> NR district <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> local district Name of district _____  <input type="checkbox"/> pivotal <input type="checkbox"/> marginal <input type="checkbox"/> contributing <input type="checkbox"/> noncontributing <input type="checkbox"/> intrusion	

30. Brief statement of the property's history According to Don Shearer, there was a fire in this house c. 1929 which destroyed the original, low, hip roof. It was replaced by the present gable roof. A major restoration took place from 1960-1964 when the property was owned by the Barksdales. They added a spiral staircase and closet to the central hallway, 2 rooms to the rear and took out the rear parlor door. The WPA History states that this house was built in 1853 by Dr. H.T.T. Dupree for his bride, Margaret. The lumber was given to the couple by Margaret's father, John A. Fairchild, as a wedding present. During the Civil War, the house was used as a hospital by the Union army. It was used by Capt. Wm. Thomas Ratliff as a military school in the last half of the 19th century. At this (cont)

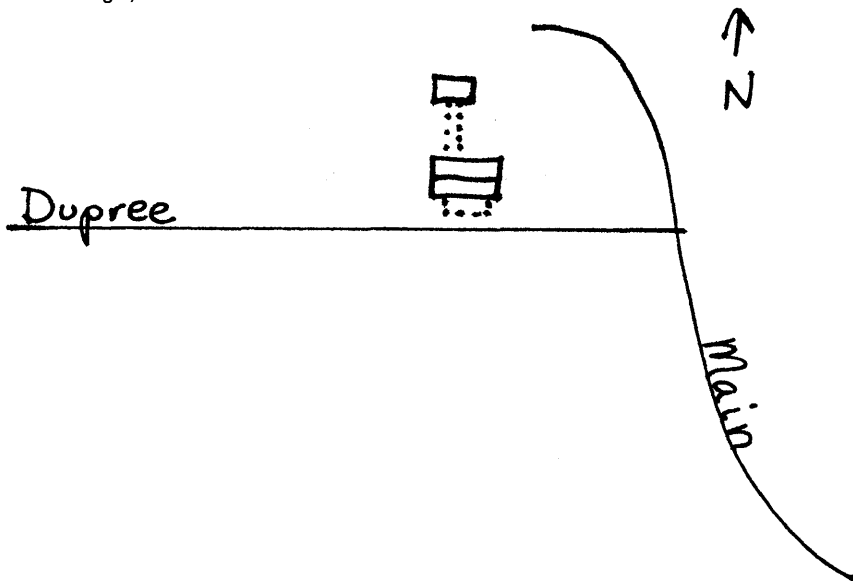
31. Brief description. If a thorough description has been prepared separately, disregard this section and check here . This 1 1/2 story, 5 bay wide house rests on a brick foundation and has a gable roof covered in wood shakes. The front porch encompasses the central 3 bays. It features a brick deck (which replaces the original wood deck), panelled Doric pillars and a front entrance flanked by pilasters and sidelights. Above the panelled double door, front entrance are a dentiled transom bar, a transom and architrave panelling, not clapboard, sheathes the exterior wall in this porch area. The 9/9 double hung sash windows have wood surrounds and shelf lintels. Three gable roofed dormers pierce the front (cont)

32. Additional remarks or continuation of other sections time, the large, front, windows were converted into doors. The building served as Raymond Grade School (a public school) from 1895 to 1915, according to Mrs. Thrash.

31. of the roof. Both side gable peaks have an exterior brick chimney. In the rear, a covered walkway connects the house to its outbuilding.

33. Sources of information
- Personal Observation
  - Interview with Don Shearer (Oct. 18, 1985)
  - Interview with Mrs. E.E. Thrash (Oct. 11, 1985)
  - Mississippi: A Guide to the Magnolia State by the Federal Writers' Project of the Works Progress Administration (New York: 1938)
  - Statewide Survey File
  - Raymond: A History...1821-1876 by Beth Ferguson (no publisher: no date)
  - Miss. Dept. of Archives & History, Index to Personal Manuscripts, Q-R

34. Sketch of site plan. (Include north arrow. Show outline of building shape and locations of outbuildings.)



35. Photographer or photo source

Susan Enzweiler

36. Photo roll and frame number(s)

#1653 - 21A

37. Photo date

10-11-85

38. Inventory form completed by (name and organization)

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39. Survey project name

Raymond

40. Date form completed

12-85

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41. Attached supplementary materials

42. Other materials in MDAH files

- plans, drawings
- correspondence
- research notes
- clippings
- project report
- early photos
- slides
- negatives
- other RECENT PHOTO

43. Date logged, MDAH

44. Logged by



Dupree-Ratliff House, 101 Dupree Street,  
facing northeast  
Raymond, <sup>AREA</sup> Hinds County, Mississippi  
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