

United States Department of the Interior
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National Register of Historic Places Continuation Sheet

Section 7

Continuation Sheets / Individual Properties

Ravenna-Cowen North Historic District

Site ID: 20-6314

Address: 6314 20th Avenue NE

Parcel No: 8824900140

Built: 1911

Style: Craftsman

Architect: Not Identified

Classification: Historic Contributing

Historic Names:

Original Owner(s):

Source: PSRA 1937, KCA, ST, Census, Polk

Sub Group: Front Gable Bungalow

Builder/Contractor: Not Identified

Description: This one-and-a-half-story front gable Craftsman bungalow has a full-width entry porch sheltered by the main roof overhang that is supported on two tapered square wood-cased columns resting on framed piers. The access to the entry porch is on the southern side by stairs, and by a ramp on the northern side. The stair and ramp have replaced the original central stairway. The central entry door is flanked by large wood-sash windows. The gable end has four ganged original wood-sash double-hung windows. The house is sheathed with cedar shingles and the eaves and bargeboards are supported by knee brackets.

Cultural Data: William E. Harter (ca.1879-1954) and his wife Abby D. Harter lived at this address in the years after the Great Depression. William worked as a clerk for Great Northern Railroad for 25 years and was listed as an "elk train master" in the Polk City Directory of 1930. Abby Harter (née Dana), born ca. 1881, died in 1949. At the time of his death, William left a widow, Wilhelmine. For the past 30 years, the house has been occupied by the family of Sharon H. Lee, Executive Director of Seattle's Low-Income Housing Institute (LIHI), a nonprofit working to end homelessness in King County.

Home Owners/Occupants

Year:

1930 - At Least 1942

1960

1961

1968

1986 - Current

Name:

William E. Harter

Edith K. Nicholas

William E. Stewart

Paul L. Weintraub

Sharon H. Lee

Accessory Structure: None

Built:

Classification: N. A.



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