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: 17-6303 Classification: Historic Contributing

Address: 6303 17th Avenue NE Historic Names:

Parcel No: 8825900285 Original Owner(s): Wm. Lucas Bldg. Co.

Built: 1908 Source: PSRA, KCA, ST

Style: Craftsman

Sub Group: Side Gable Bungalow (Bellcast)

Architect: Not Identified

Builder/Contractor: Wm. Lucas Building Co.

Description: This one-and-a-half-story side gable Craftsman bungalow has a full-width entry porch sheltered by the main roof overhang (differently pitched) that is supported on three pairs of square wood-cased columns. The entry stairway is situated slightly north of the center of the porch. on the northern side of the porch. The main roof has a large gable dormer with two pairs of wood-sash windows. This dormer originally had a inset deck with a guardrail of balusters. The house is sheathed with cedar shingles and the eaves and bargeboards are supported by knee brackets.

Cultural Data: John Frederick Wells (1872-1949) was a realtor. He was born in Quebec, Canada. The "Salute to the Servicemen" section of the Seattle Times for December 7, 1942 (the one-year anniversary of the bombing at Pearl Harbor) includes a report on Officer Candidate William D. Smith Jr.'s tenure at officer's training school at Ft. Belvoir in Virginia. Smith had seen a lot of travel, having been first assigned to Hawaii and then to "down under." His father, William D. Smith Sr. of this address, worked as a structural engineer with the Alaska Operations Division of the Seattle district army engineer office.

Home Owners/Occupants

Year:

1921

1922 - 1951

Mid-1920s - 1940

1942

1951

1952

1967 - 1998

1998 - Current

Name:

John F. & Ethel B. Wells Frederick Kaufman (Owner)

Many Occupants

William D. Smith

Children's Orthopedic Hospital (Owner)

Eddo A Feyen (Owner)
Michael and Lois Anthony
Thomas and Maria Lambright

Accessory Structure: Garage Built: 2013 Classification: Non-Contributing





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