

Historic Resources Inventory

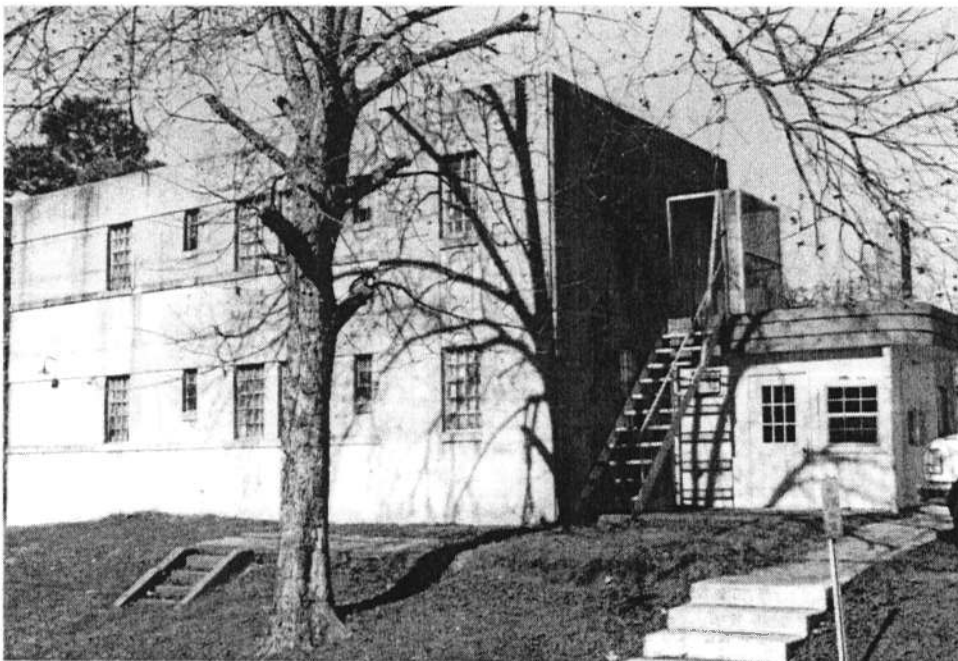
Property name, historic: Tippah County Jail
Property name, common:
Street Address: 200 Spring Street, West
Descriptive Location (Rural address):
Legal Description: Map 643-F, Block 15, Parcel 209
Former/Historic Use: Governmental: jail/police facility
Present Use: Vacant
Date of Construction: c. 1935
Date(s) of historic changes, if any:
Post-historic changes and date(s):
Architect: **Builder:**

Brief Description:

Two-story, monolithic, poured concrete jail with a flat parapet. The façade (S) has asymmetrically placed, 20-light and 6-light, heavy, steel windows with concrete sills. To the far right, a corner section projects slightly, with "County Jail" written vertically and a circular motif between the 1st and 2nd stories. The entrance is on the E elevation, recessed from the façade wall, under a one-story, curved, concrete awning, which is supported by metal posts. This original open porch has been infilled with wood siding. There is a one-story section on the rear.

Outbuildings or secondary elements (if significant, use separate form)

Historical Information:



MDAH Inventory Code

County: Tippah
City: Ripley
USGS Quad map:
Survey Seq. #: 223
Ownership: Private
Interior surveyed? No
Integrity: Some changes
Style:
Form:

Sources: Sanborn maps, 1943.

Contexts:

Owner:

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Form completed: 23 Jun 2004

Registration Status and Dates

NHL:

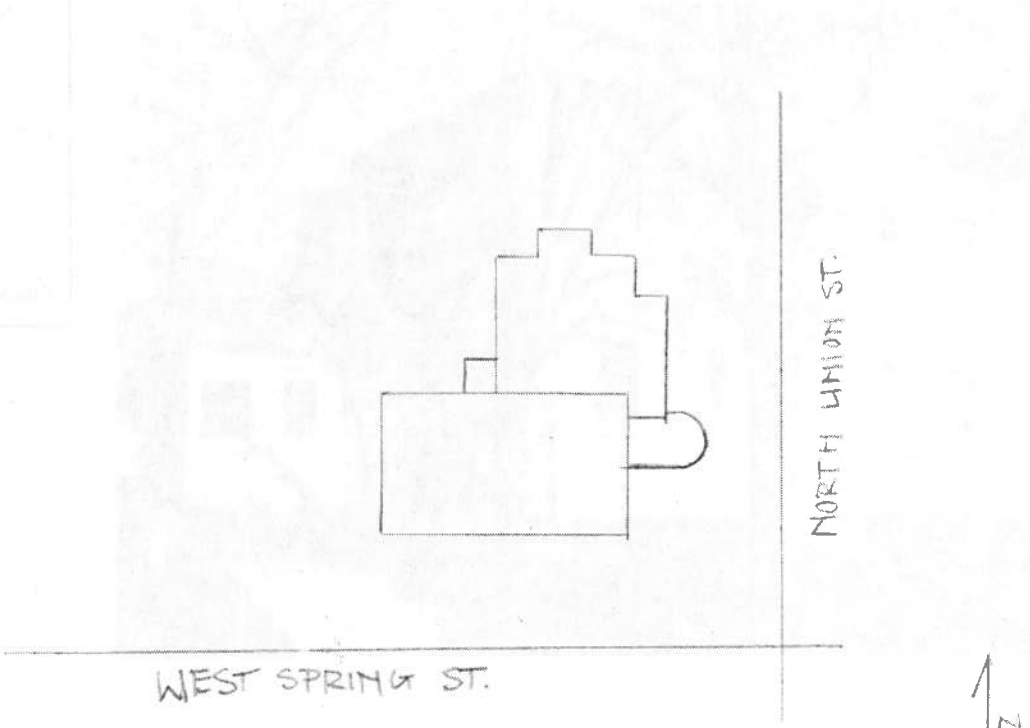
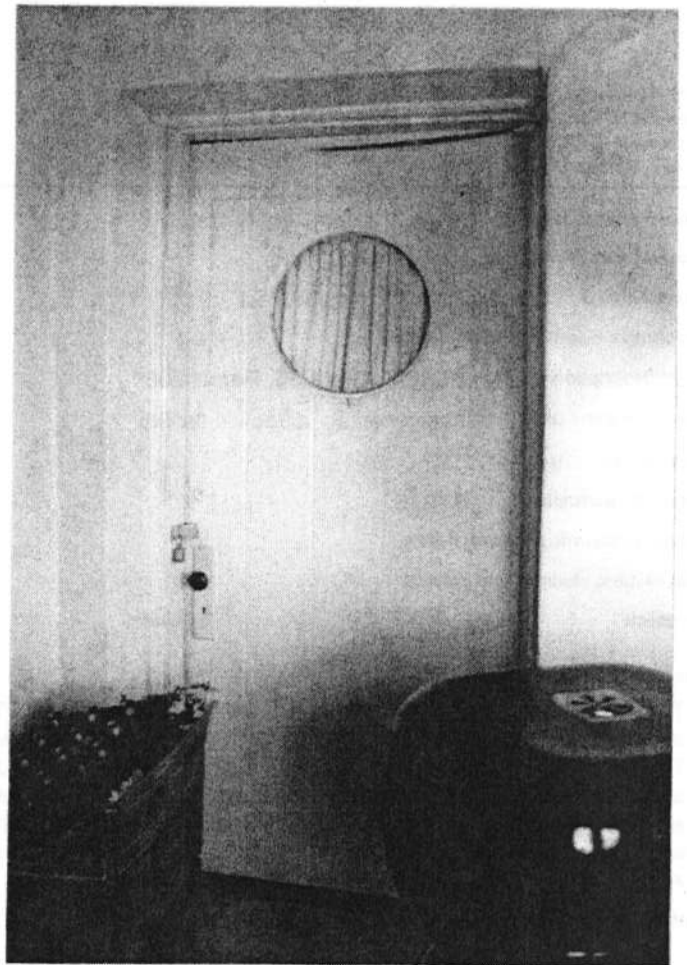
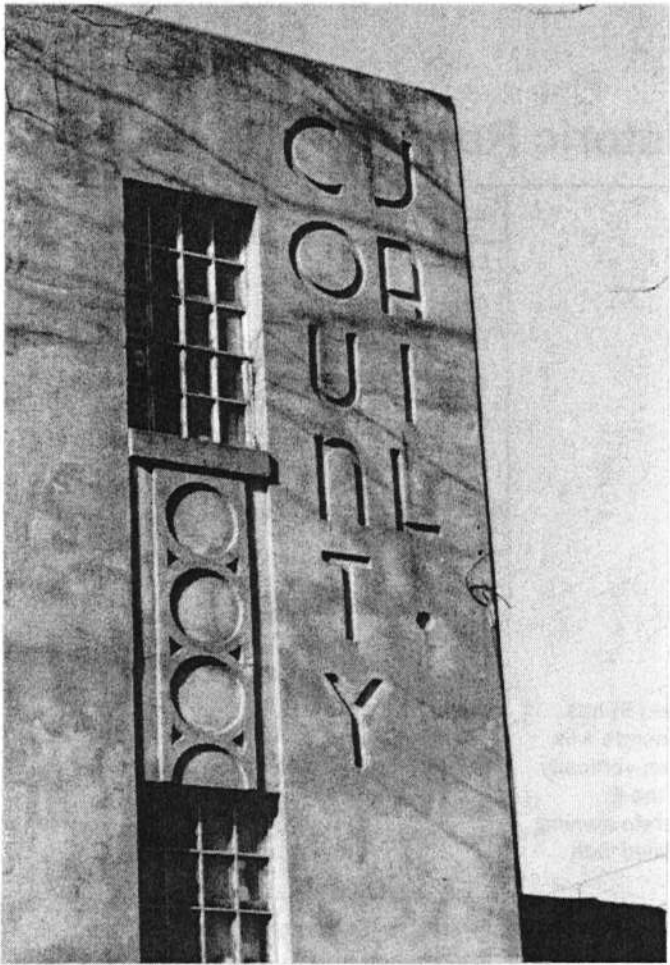
Listed NR:

Federal DOE:

District Name: Ripley

- Contributing
- Non-Contributing
- Previously Listed

Element no. 223



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200 WEST SPRING ST.
SURVEY SEQ# 223

