

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
 NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

**NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
 INVENTORY -- NOMINATION FORM**

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 SEE INSTRUCTIONS IN *HOW TO COMPLETE NATIONAL REGISTER FORMS*
 TYPE ALL ENTRIES -- COMPLETE APPLICABLE SECTIONS
1 NAME
 HISTORIC GREENE ACADEMY OF ART

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

314 North Market Street

-- NOT FOR PUBLICATION

CITY, TOWN

Carmichaels

-- VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

22nd

STATE

Pennsylvania

CODE

42

COUNTY

Greene

CODE

059**3 CLASSIFICATION**

CATEGORY	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	PRESENT USE
<input type="checkbox"/> DISTRICT	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC	<input type="checkbox"/> OCCUPIED	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BUILDING(S)	<input type="checkbox"/> PRIVATE	<input type="checkbox"/> UNOCCUPIED	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL
<input type="checkbox"/> STRUCTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> BOTH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WORK IN PROGRESS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EDUCATIONAL
<input type="checkbox"/> SITE	<input type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC ACQUISITION	<input type="checkbox"/> ACCESSIBLE	<input type="checkbox"/> ENTERTAINMENT
<input type="checkbox"/> OBJECT	<input type="checkbox"/> IN PROCESS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES: RESTRICTED	<input type="checkbox"/> GOVERNMENT
	<input type="checkbox"/> BEING CONSIDERED	<input type="checkbox"/> YES: UNRESTRICTED	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRIAL
		<input type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY
			<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY
 NAME Greene Academy of Art

STREET & NUMBER

P. O. Box #309

CITY, TOWN

Carmichaels

-- VICINITY OF

STATE

Pennsylvania**5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION**
 COURTHOUSE,
 REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.
Register and Recorder of Deeds, Courthouse

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

Waynesburg

STATE

Pennsylvania**6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS**
 TITLE Pennsylvania Inventory of Historic Sites & Landmarks

DATE

1/10/74
 FEDERAL STATE COUNTY LOCAL

 DEPOSITORY FOR
 SURVEY RECORDS
Pennsylvania Historical & Museum CommissionWilliam Penn Memorial Museum, Box 1026

CITY, TOWN

Harrisburg

STATE

Pennsylvania

7 DESCRIPTION**CONDITION**

EXCELLENT
 GOOD
 FAIR

DETERIORATED
 RUINS
 UNEXPOSED

CHECK ONE

UNALTERED
 ALTERED

CHECK ONE

ORIGINAL SITE
 MOVED DATE _____

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The Greene Academy is a two and one-half story stone (c. 1790) and brick (1810) structure with a gable roof. The stone section was built as a church; it is 3 bays across the front and 2 bays across the rear and is of random course construction. On the front elevation the entranceway occupies the middle bay. A slightly arched head is above this entrance. The entrance is flanked by two over two double hung windows. The three upper bays of this elevation are two over two windows with the left top window being slightly smaller than the others. The rear elevation has similar treatment as the front with the exception that the bays to the right of the door are not present, i.e. the rear elevation is 2 bays across. The rear is at ground level while the front is about four feet higher due to the lie of the ground. A stone drip course is evident beneath the roof line.

The brick section of this structure is 3 bays across on the front, rear and side for both floors; two single pane attic windows appear symmetrically placed on each side of the middle side bay. The elevated entrance on the front of the brick section features a semi-circular head with a space for a fan light. This entrance is the lower left front bay. A brick porch capped with concrete is beneath this entrance. Fenestration for the front consists of two over two double hung sash. The side of the brick section has two over two double hung sash in all bays excepting the lower left bay and attic windows. The lower left bay has a wooden door with transom light above and has a pent roof supported by a small porch with steps. The rear of this section has a large one over two window in the central bay bottom flanked by two doors of different sizes both being paneled doors with reveals. The upper story rear has two, one over one double hung sash on the left two bays with the bay closest to the stone section being lower than the others and is eight over two double hung sash.

The entire structure has a tin roof with chimneys slightly to the right of the middle bay on both sections; the chimneys are on the front slope of the gable roof and are brick with simple decoration toward the top.

Greene Academy is in the process of being restored. It is being restored to an early 19th century appearance. Restoration documentation has been obtained from photographs and printed sources and from interior and exterior in situ research uncovered during restoration work. A tin roof replaces the wood shingle roof. Chimney styles and location have changed. The front porches have been totally or partially removed. Window and door locations have changed as have the six over six lights found throughout the structure. The cupola and bell have been removed and doubtless interior changes were made to accommodate school rooms to the stone section which was built as a church.

8 SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD	AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
<input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RELIGION
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS	<input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE	<input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION
<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION		

SPECIFIC DATES 1790, 1810 BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

As noted in the description the Greene Academy was built in two sections. The earlier stone section was built about 1790 as an Episcopal Church. In 1809 the Pennsylvania Legislature allotted \$2,000 for the provision of teaching poor children. In order for these funds to be collected, the church had to be donated and dedicated to the teaching of indigent children. Subsequently, Greene Academy was established and in 1810 the brick section was added to enlarge the Academy. Thus Greene Academy is closely associated with the development of early education in the locale and the state.

Greene Academy prospered in education teaching many prominent local citizens among them, A. B. Cummins, a United States Senator for Iowa and later Governor of the State. Greene Academy was known to be co-educational as early as 1850. It ceased being an Academy in 1893 and for a time was a G. A. R. Post, later being converted into apartments.

At present, Greene Academy is undergoing a process of restoration.

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GREENE ACADEMY - Greene County

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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

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UTM REFERENCES

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VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE	CODE	COUNTY	CODE
STATE	CODE	COUNTY	CODE

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

Charles Dunlevey/Office of Historic Preservation

ORGANIZATION

Pennsylvania Historical & Museum Commission

DATE

January, 1976

STREET & NUMBER

William Penn Memorial Museum, Box #1026

TELEPHONE

717-787-4363

CITY OR TOWN

Harrisburg

STATE

Pennsylvania

12 STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER CERTIFICATION

THE EVALUATED SIGNIFICANCE OF THIS PROPERTY WITHIN THE STATE IS:

NATIONAL

STATE

LOCAL

As the designated State Historic Preservation Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service.

STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER SIGNATURE

TITLE Executive Director
Pennsylvania Historical & Museum Commission

DATE

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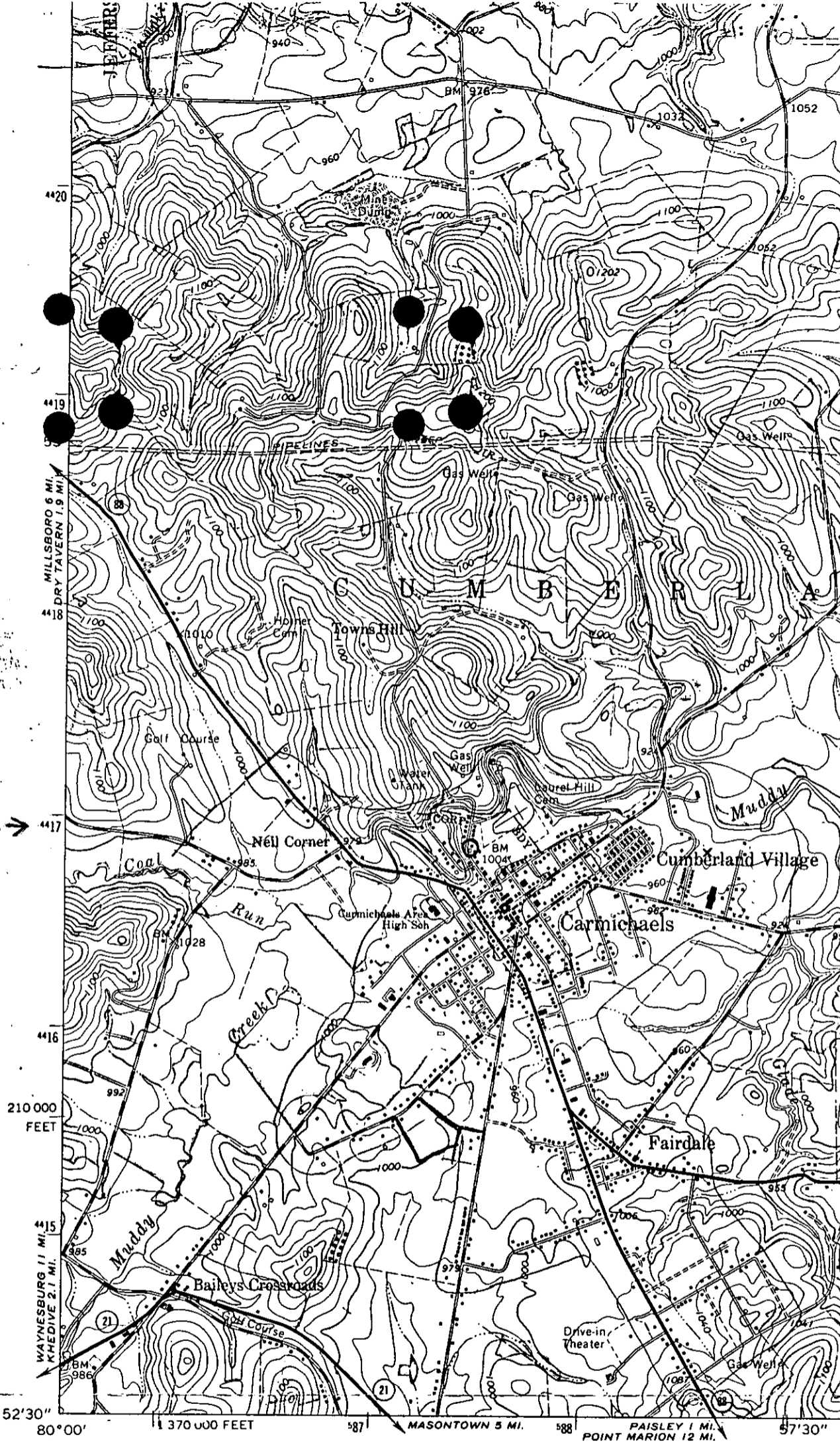
I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PROPERTY IS INCLUDED IN THE NATIONAL REGISTER

DATE

DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF ARCHEOLOGY AND HISTORIC PRESERVATION
ATTEST:

DATE

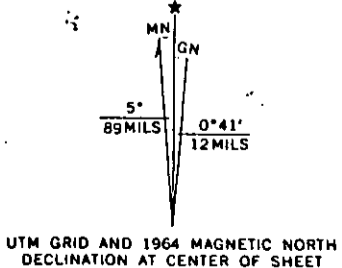
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Outlined rectangle in the circle is the Greene Academy.

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 Control by USGS, USC&GS, and USCE
 Topography by photogrammetric methods from aerial photographs taken 1962 and 1963. Field checked 1964
 Polyconic projection. 1927 North American datum
 10,000-foot grid based on Pennsylvania coordinate system, south zone
 1000-meter Universal Transverse Mercator grid ticks zone 17, shown in blue
 Fine red dashed lines indicate selected fence and field lines where generally visible on aerial photographs. This information is unchecked



Carmichaels, Pa 7/18 1964