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COUNTRY SCHOOL LEGACY

Humanities on the Frontier

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HISTORIC SITE FORM

State Nebraska County Buffalo

Location (in miles & direction from nearest town)

7 miles N, 1/2 west of Elm Creek

Is this the original location? yes

Name of building & origin of name

Name & number of the district # 83

Date built _____ Years in use _____

Who built it? A contractor or the community?

Contractor

Does it look like it came from a plan book or was it designed by the community? plan book

Names of former teachers:

Names of former students (family names only):

Brodine Hild, Berkeley

Name & address of person in charge of building:

Deloris Hild, Pres Rt 1 Elm Creek

Who is the owner?

School Dist



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Architectural Features:

Size of building 30 x 40

Number of Windows (four pane, six pane, etc.) _____

Number of doors (entrances) two pane
one

Number of classrooms one

Bell tower or cupola none

Materials used (wood, brick, stone, etc.) wood

Type of roof shingle

Outhouses yes

Playground Equipment swings

Color of building & trim white

Coal shed or stable none

Teacherage none

Flagpole yes

Other architectural features:

none

Anything left inside?

School equipment

Narrative Information: Did any special events happen at the school? What stories do people remember?

none

Current condition & use:

school paint bad

District records available: yes no _____ where stored _____

Black & white photo taken: yes no _____

Old photos available: yes _____ no

Does the building have any state or national historic designation? no

Name & address of surveyor Phyllis Grundy date Nov 29, 1980