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HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

IDENTIFICATION

1. Common name: _____
2. Historic name: Colonel Charles E. Tayman House
3. Street or rural address: 935 South Fitch Mountain Road
City Healdsburg, CA Zip 95448 County Sonoma
4. Parcel number: 087-240-06-5
5. Present Owner: DuPuis, Catherine V. Address: P.O. Box 622
City Healdsburg, CA Zip 95448 Ownership is: Public _____ Private X
6. Present Use: Residential Original use: Residential

DESCRIPTION

- 7a. Architectural style: Queen Anne cottage
- 7b. Briefly describe the present *physical description* of the site or structure and describe any major alterations from its original condition:

This one story house has a truncated hip roof, a gabled dormer, and a rectangular, gabled bay. The cornice is closed, the siding channel rustic, and windows are double-hung or sliding aluminum. Windows in the bay project slightly and have a molded cap. The front porch has chamfered posts and a solid board balustrade. Connecting the tops of the posts is a board with a scalloped edge.



8. Construction date:
CA Estimated 1890 Factual _____
9. Architect _____
10. Builder _____
11. Approx. property size (in feet)
Frontage 105.98 Depth _____
or approx. acreage _____
12. Date(s) of enclosed photograph(s)
8/7/83

13. Condition: Excellent _____ Good Fair _____ Deteriorated _____ No longer in existence _____
14. Alterations: _____
15. Surroundings: (Check more than one if necessary) Open land Scattered buildings _____ Densely built-up _____
Residential _____ Industrial _____ Commercial _____ Other: _____
16. Threats to site: None known Private development _____ Zoning _____ Vandalism _____
Public Works project _____ Other: _____
17. Is the structure: On its original site? Moved? _____ Unknown? _____
18. Related features: _____

SIGNIFICANCE

19. Briefly state historical and/or architectural importance (include dates, events, and persons associated with the site.)
Colonel Charles E. Tayman is the most remembered resident of this home built ca 1890. Colonel Tayman was born in Pennsylvania in 1861. He entered West Point in 1880 and spent the next 30 years in the army. He came to Healdsburg in 1914 and bought the adjoining ranches of Sarginsson and Bolton. He then left to travel returning to Healdsburg in 1919 to take up residence and develop prune orchards on his property. In 1922 Tayman was instrumental in organizing the Healdsburg Country Club. The group purchased 70 acres near Taymans property to develop a golf course. It was successful until the depression years when private membership no longer could afford to maintain it. In 1935 the golf course was turned over to the City of Healdsburg and renamed Tayman Park Golf Course.
This home apparently had little ornamentation aside from the caps over the doors and windows and chamfered posts. The scalloped board on the porch is probably not original. In its day, this was probably just a simple farmhouse.

20. Main theme of the historic resource: (If more than one is checked, number in order of importance.)
Architecture _____ Arts & Leisure _____
Economic/Industrial _____ Exploration/Settlement _____
Government _____ Military _____
Religion _____ Social/Education

21. Sources (List books, documents, surveys, personal interviews and their dates).
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Trib: Diamond Jubilee 8-26-40

22. Date form prepared August 26, 1983
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