Site Inventory Form New Supplemental State Inventory No. 09-00730 State Historical Society of Iowa Part of a district with known boundaries (enter inventory no.) 09-00621 Relationship: Contributing Noncontributing (November 2005) Contributes to a potential district with yet unknown boundaries National Register Status: (any that apply) Listed De-listed NHL DOE 9-Digit SHPO Review & Compliance (R&C) Number \_\_\_\_\_ Non-Extant (enter year) 1. Name of Property historic name Lageschulte, Sophie, House other names/site number 2. Location street & number <u>312 4<sup>th</sup> Ave NW</u> city or town <u>Waverly</u> Legal Description: (If Rural) Township Name Township vicinity, county Bremer Township No. Range No. Section Quarter of Quarter (If Urban) Subdivision Harmon and LeValley's Add Block(s) FR 2\_Lot(s) W 25/8' of Lot 17 & Lot 18 3. State/Federal Agency Certification [Skip this Section] 4. National Park Service Certification [Skip this Section] 5. Classification Category of Property (Check only one box) Number of Resources within Property  $\boxtimes$  building(s) If Non-Eligible Property If Eligible Property, enter number of: ☐ district Enter number of: Contributing Noncontributing □ site buildings 2 buildinas structure sites sites □ object structures structures obiects objects Total Total Name of related project report or multiple property study (Enter "N/A" if the property is not part of a multiple property examination). Title Historical Architectural Data Base Number Waverly's NW & SE Neighborhoods Historical & Architectural Survey 09-028 6. Function or Use **Historic Functions** (Enter categories from instructions) **Current Functions** (Enter categories from instructions) 01A Single Dwelling 01A Single Dwelling 01C05 Garage 01C05 Garage 7. Description Architectural Classification (Enter categories from instructions) **Materials** (Enter categories from instructions) 09A02 Gabled-Front and Wing (1-story) foundation 10A Concrete Block walls (visible material) 05E Aluminum roof 08A Asphalt/Shingle other **Narrative Description** (IZ SEE CONTINUATION SHEETS, WHICH MUST BE COMPLETED) 8. Statement of Significance Applicable National Register Criteria (Mark "x" representing your opinion of eligibility after applying relevant National Register criteria) ⊠ Yes □ No □ More Research Recommended А Property is associated with significant events. ☐ Yes ⊠ No ☐ More Research Recommended В Property is associated with the lives of significant persons. ⊠ Yes □ No □ More Research Recommended С Property has distinctive architectural characteristics. ☐ Yes ⊠ No ☐ More Research Recommended D Property yields significant information in archaeology or history.

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#### 7. Description

This single-family house is estimated to have been built in 1925 according to Bremer County Assessor records. The house form and style are consistent with similar houses in Waverly built using this form and design during the 1920s and 1930s. However, a house with a similar footprint appears on the 1915 Sanborn Map and the address was listed in the 1913 city directory, both suggesting an earlier construction date. In 1913 the tenant was John Hamm who worked for the Blain Cement Co. that manufactured concrete block and built houses using them beginning in ca. 1905. This house has a block foundation suggesting a construction date between ca. 1905 and 1913 while it was owned by Julius and Marie Duthkewitz. In 1920, they transferred the property to Sophie Lageschulte who resided here for 20 decades. It is likely the house was built in ca. 1910 with Lageschulte as its first owner-occupant 10 years later.

This house is an example of a vernacular Gable-Front and Wing 1-story house form. The house has a concrete foundation and the walls are clad in narrow-width clapboard-style aluminum siding and cornerboard trim. The house has a front -gabled roof facing 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue with an extended slope on the east edge of the front-gable wing that was most likely added at a later date. A small flat-roofed porch fills a portion of the right-hand ell. Its walls are clad in matching siding with the entrance door facing south. A larger porch appears on the 1915 and 1927 Sanborn Maps.

Fenestration for the house includes a mix of replacement window styles in various sizes and groupings. The front gable-wing has a hipped roof canted bay window with three 10-light sashes. The original narrow double-hung sash beneath the gable peak is closed. Elsewhere the house has narrow 1/1 double-hung windows, a large single-light square window, and single-light casement units.

The house has a detached frame garage constructed in 1931 according to Assessor records. It was likely built somewhat earlier as the outline of the garage on the 1927 Sanborn Map is the same as the present building. The building has a moderate-pitched hipped roof with a single overhead door. The walls are clad in matching siding. The driveway incorporates the original concrete strip paving with the addition of brick between the tire tracks.

Alterations: aluminum siding, undated; porch changes, undated.

#### 8. Significance

The Sophie Lageschulte House at 312 4th NW was built in ca. 1910 and is an example of a vernacular Gable-Front-and-Wing 1-story house form. The house qualifies for the National Register of Historic Places as a contributing resource to the historic district under Criteria A and C.

Sophie Lageschulte acquired this property in February 1920 from Julius and Marie Duthkewitz who had held the property since 1913 when the house was rented to John Hamm and his wife Mabel; John worked for the Blain Cement Co. It is not known whether Julius Duthkewitz, a tailor, and his wife occupied the house prior to Lageschulte's purchase. Sophie lived with her family on their farm in Warren Township in the 1880s and never married. She sold the 4<sup>th</sup> Ave NW property in 1932 to William Liebau and his wife Louise.

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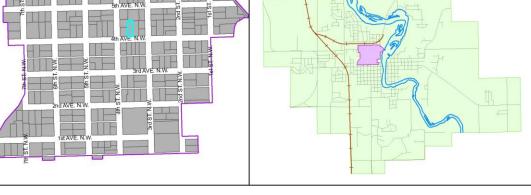
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Site Map: Bremer County GIS Department, 12/2011.

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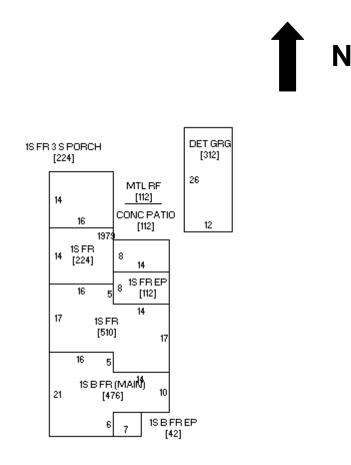
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Floor Plan: Bremer County Assessor's website; available at: http://beacon.schneidercorp.com/ PhotoEngine/Sketch.aspx?appid=330&keyvalue=0902101001&index=0&size=0; accessed 3/1/2013.



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