

# HISTORIC RESOURCE INVENTORY FORM

Resource no.

Resource Address:  
**1904 N 5th St**  
**Abilene Texas 79601 United States**  
County: Taylor  
Historic name: Childers/Walker House  
Present name: Childers/Walker House  
Local place name:  
Visible from public right of way: Yes  
Ownership: Private  
Owner/Address:  
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Land unit size:  
Site/Setting:



Lat/Long: 32.4546765772160550, -99.7446934490738000 [WGS84]  
UTM: Zone 14S, 430008.2093 mE, 3591079.0718 mN  
Parcel No.

## Historical Information

Historic Function: Domestic: Single Dwelling  
Construction Date: ca. 1890-1899 , 1895\*  
Original or Significant Owners:  
Significant Date/Period:  
Areas of Significance:

Current Function: Domestic: Single Dwelling  
Architect:  
Builder:  
Developer:

## Architectural Information

Category: building, domestic building  
Structural: frame  
Stories: 1.5, Bays: multiple  
Form or Plan: rectangular, rectangular  
Foundation:  
General condition: Good  
Basement:

Style: Second Empire and Eastlake/Queen Anne  
Exterior Material(s): original wood siding  
Roof Material: replacement asphalt shingles  
Roof Type: Bellcast mansard  
Windows: original wood 1/1 double-hung sashes  
Chimney(s):  
Porch: single-story wrap-around open porch

- Additions  
 Alterations  
 Moved  
 Other  
Ancillary structures:

## Historical Summary:

## Status (Current Listing or Designation)

National:  indiv.  district  landmrk.  
State/Province:  indiv.  district  landmrk.  
Local:  indiv.  district  landmrk.

## Evaluation (Preparer's Assessment of Eligibility)

<i>Recommendation</i>	<i>Level of potential eligibility</i>	<i>Landmark potential</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Individually eligible	<input type="checkbox"/> National	<input type="checkbox"/> National
<input type="checkbox"/> Eligible as contributing resource	<input type="checkbox"/> State	<input type="checkbox"/> State
<input type="checkbox"/> Not eligible / non-contributing	<input type="checkbox"/> Local	<input type="checkbox"/> Local
<input type="checkbox"/> Not determined		



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**Description/Remarks**

This is a 1.5-story, multiple-bay domestic building in the Second Empire style with Eastlake/Queen Anne influences built in 1895. The structural system is frame. Exterior walls are original wood siding. The building has a bellcast mansard roof clad in replacement asphalt shingles. Windows are original wood, 1/1 double-hung sashes. There is a single-story, wrap-around open porch characterized by an integrated (under the main) roof clad in wood shingles with round wood posts on square wood piers. An interesting mix of a late example of Second Empire and Late Victorian/Queen Anne Features.

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Date source: Taylor CAD

**Survey and Recorder**

Project: City of Abilene - Historic Buildings and Districts	Sequence/Key no.: 142	Survey Date: 12/2011
Prepared By: Hill	Report Title/Name: Texas SHPO Grant to update existing Survey	Previous Surveys:
Inventoried: 10/22/2012 11:38:06 am Last updated: 01/03/2017 11:22:08 am by Hayden Brodowsky /	Level of Survey: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reconnaissance <input type="checkbox"/> Intensive	Additional Research Recommended? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No