

Fort Snelling, Building No. 253
Fort Snelling Historic District
(St. Paul) Minneapolis Vic.
Hennepin County
Minnesota

HABS No. MN-56-W

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WRITTEN HISTORICAL AND DESCRIPTIVE DATA

Historic American Buildings Survey
National Park Service
Rocky Mountain Regional Office
Department of the Interior
P.O. Box 25287
Denver, Colorado 80225

STATE Minnesota		COUNTY Hennepin	TOWN OR VICINITY St. Paul, Minnesota
HISTORIC NAME OF STRUCTURE (INCLUDE SOURCE FOR NAME) Bldg. 253			HABS NO. MN 56W
SECONDARY OR COMMON NAMES OF STRUCTURE Quarters with garage			
COMPLETE ADDRESS (DESCRIBE LOCATION FOR RURAL SITES) Minnehaha Avenue, St. Paul, MN 55111			
DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE SOURCE) April 1941 (QMC Records)		ARCHITECT(S) (INCLUDE SOURCE) N/A	
SIGNIFICANCE (ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL, INCLUDE ORIGINAL USE OF STRUCTURE) Bldg. 253 was constructed on site during World War II as personnel quarters.			
STYLE (IF APPROPRIATE) Single story wood frame residential structure.			
MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS) Wood frame and siding.			
SHAPE AND DIMENSIONS OF STRUCTURE (SKETCHED FLOOR PLANS ON SEPARATE PAGES ARE ACCEPTABLE)			
EXTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE Single story with lapped wood siding set on a masonry foundation. Peak roof with asphalt shingle. Arched window lite on front above the porch roof.			
INTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE (DESCRIBE FLOOR PLANS, IF NOT SKETCHED) No notable features. Two bedrooms, bath, kitchen, living room with dinette.			
MAJOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS WITH DATES None			
PRESENT CONDITION AND USE In disrepair and vacant.			
OTHER INFORMATION AS APPROPRIATE			
SOURCES OF INFORMATION (INCLUDE LISTING ON NATIONAL REGISTER, STATE REGISTERS, ETC) Bldg. 253 is included on the National Register of Historic Places.			
COMPILER, AFFILIATION			DATE MAY 22, 19