

"The Briars," <sup>NEAR</sup> Natchez, Mississippi.  
Adams Co

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WRITTEN HISTORICAL AND DESCRIPTIVE DATA  
District No. 17

Historic American Buildings Survey  
A. Hays Town, District Officer  
Standard Life Building  
Jackson, Mississippi

THE BRIARS  
Near Natchez  
Mississippi

Owner: Mrs. Augusta Wall, New Orleans, La.

Date of Erection: 1814.

Architect and Builder: No record.

Present Condition: Good.

Number of Stories: One and a half.

Materials of Construction: Wood.

Other Existing Records: See text.<sup>1</sup>

Additional Data: ~~See following pages.~~

Bought 1818 by Judge Perkins. Later owned by the Howells.  
Jefferson Davis married Varina Howells at the Briars

<sup>1</sup> See also the following reference:

Ware, W.R., The Georgian Period, vol. 1, page 210.