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National Register of Historic Places Inventory—Nomination Form

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See instructions in *How to Complete National Register Forms*
Type all entries—complete applicable sections

1. Name

historic Winthrop College Historic District

and/or common

2. Location

street & number ~~Along~~ a portion of Oakland Avenue, between Cherry Road and Stewart Avenue on the Winthrop College campus ___ **not for publication**

city, town Rock Hill NA **vicinity of**

state South Carolina **code** 045 **county** York **code** 091

3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use	
X district	X public	X occupied	___ agriculture	___ museum
___ building(s)	___ private	X unoccupied	___ commercial	___ park
___ structure	___ both	X work in progress	X educational	X private residence
___ site	**Public Acquisition**	**Accessible**	___ entertainment	___ religious
___ object	NA in process	X yes: restricted	___ government	___ scientific
	NA being considered	___ yes: unrestricted	___ industrial	___ transportation
		___ no	___ military	___ other:

4. Owner of Property

name State of South Carolina, c/o Winthrop College Board of Trustees

street & number 701 Oakland Avenue

city, town Rock Hill NA **vicinity of** **state** South Carolina 29730

5. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. York County Courthouse

street & number Corner of West Liberty and South Congress Street

city, town York **state** South Carolina 29745

6. Representation in Existing Surveys

title South Carolina Inventory of Historic Places **has this property been determined eligible?** ___ yes X no

date May 1980 ___ federal X state ___ county ___ local

depository for survey records South Carolina Department of Archives and History

city, town Columbia **state** South Carolina 29211

7. Description

Condition		Check one	Check one
_X_ excellent	___ deteriorated	_X_ unaltered	_X_ original site
_X_ good	___ ruins	_X_ altered	_X_ moved date 1936 (see #11)
_X_ fair	___ unexposed		

Describe the present and original (if known) physical appearance

The Winthrop College Historic District is located at the heart of the Winthrop College campus in Rock Hill. Tree-lined and landscaped walkways and pergolas (covered walkways) connect most of the buildings in the district. The district consists of twenty intact properties built between 1894 and 1943 which contribute to the historical and architectural character of the district. These properties include academic classrooms, administrative and dormitory buildings, and an ampitheater. Only one building, Dacus Library (constructed in 1969), does not contribute to the historical character of the district. The Winthrop College Historic District possesses integrity of location, design, setting, materials, workmanship, feeling, and association. An inventory with physical descriptions of the key properties that define the character of the district follows. Descriptions and photographs of all other contributing properties in the district can be found in the South Carolina Inventory of Historic Places files.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Key properties which define the character of the district:

1. Tillman Hall (called Main Building until 1962), completed in 1895, was the first building on the present campus of Winthrop College. It was listed in the National Register in 1977. It is a three-story, masonry building with a T-shaped plan and a combination gable and hipped roof. The building exhibits elements of the Richardsonian Romanesque style. It has semicircular, masonry arches above many of the windows and above the main entrance. A central square tower with an open belfry, clock deck, and semicircular arches is located on the left elevation. The interior of Tillman Hall features finely detailed woodwork and ornamental plasterwork on all levels. A dominant feature of the dining hall, known as McBryde Cafeteria, in the rear of the main building is the decorative wood trusses.

2. Margaret Nance Hall (originally North Dormitory), constructed in 1895, was designed by the architectural firm of Bruce and Morgan as Winthrop's first dormitory. It is a three-story, masonry and heavy-timber building with an L-shaped plan and gable roof with pedimented cross gable ends and a center gable over the entranceway. Windows are narrow, four-over-four sash, with granite sills and lintels. Interior trim is solid oak. Original three-story, wooden verandas on the facade were removed in 1936. In the same year a small, rectangular, masonry porch with center pediment, masonry posts, and decorative iron railing was built over the front entrance.

13. Johnson Hall was completed in 1920 from a design by Edwards and Sayward of Atlanta as the students' YWCA Activities Building. It is a

8. Significance

Period	Areas of Significance—Check and justify below				
___ prehistoric	___ archeology-prehistoric	___ community planning	___ landscape architecture	___ religion	
___ 1400–1499	___ archeology-historic	___ conservation	___ law	___ science	
___ 1500–1599	___ agriculture	___ economics	___ literature	___ sculpture	
___ 1600–1699	_x_ architecture	_x_ education	___ military	___ social/ humanitarian	
___ 1700–1799	___ art	___ engineering	___ music	___ theater	
_x_ 1800–1899	___ commerce	___ exploration/settlement	___ philosophy	___ transportation	
_x_ 1900–	___ communications	___ industry	___ politics/government	_x_ other (specify) Women's History	
		___ invention			

Specific dates c. 1894-1943 **Builder/Architect** Various; See Section 7

Statement of Significance (in one paragraph)

The Winthrop College Historic District is located on the Winthrop College Campus along a portion of Oakland Avenue in Rock Hill. The district includes twenty properties of historical and architectural merit that were constructed between 1894 and 1943 and that reflect the growth and development of the college as an innovator in education in South Carolina. Two of the properties are already listed on the National Register -- the Withers Building (#19) was listed in 1981; Tillman Hall (#1) was listed in 1977. The Winthrop College Historic District is significant as the first state-supported college for women in South Carolina, for its dominant role in the education of teachers for the state's white public schools, and for its innovations in teaching methods from 1895 through the 1930s. The district is architecturally significant as an unusually intact collection of late nineteenth and early twentieth century college buildings.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

In the late 1880s Dr. David B. Johnson, superintendent of the Columbia, South Carolina, graded schools, saw the need for a teachers' training college in South Carolina.(1) At the same time, Governor Ben Tillman wanted an industrial school for women to parallel the accomplishments of Clemson College. With the support of Governor Tillman, the assistance of the Columbia School Board, and the financial aid of the Peabody Education Foundation, Dr. Johnson organized the Winthrop Training School in 1886 to educate and train women to be teachers.(2) Winthrop was named in honor of the chairman of the Peabody Foundation, Robert C. Winthrop, who had done so much to help Dr. Johnson. Originally located on the grounds of the Presbyterian Theological Seminary in Columbia, Winthrop was chartered by the state legislature in 1887, with Dr. Johnson as President and Governor Tillman as chairman of the board of trustees.(3) In the same year the legislature also established a Winthrop Scholarship of $150 for a selected student from each county in the state.(4) The first class at Winthrop consisted of twenty-one students with a principal and two instructors.(5) In compliance with the wishes of the Peabody Education Foundation Board, the Winthrop Board of Trustees tendered the college to the state in November 1891, making it the first state-supported college for women in South Carolina.(6) Governor Tillman's recommendation for the establishment of a college which taught industrial arts to women was met when such classes were added to the curriculum of Winthrop Training School. The South Carolina Industrial and Winthrop Normal College was to be an educational institution for women to learn and practice teaching, cooking, dressmaking,

9. Major Bibliographical References

See Continuation Sheets

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of nominated property 59.4

Quadrangle name Rock Hill West **Quadrangle scale** 1:24,000

UTM References

	Zone	Easting	Northing
A	17	490170	3818650
B	17	491970	3818150
C	17	491770	3817350
D	17	491670	3816730
E			
F			
G			
H			

Verbal boundary description and justification The boundary of the Winthrop College Historic District nomination is shown as the heavy black line on the accompanying map entitled "Winthrop College Historic District." The nominated property includes the historic portions of the Winthrop College campus that maintain integrity.

List all states and counties for properties overlapping state or county boundaries

state	NA	**code**	**county**	NA	**code**
state	NA	**code**	**county**	NA	**code**

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12. State Historic Preservation Officer Certification

The evaluated significance of this property within the state is:

___ national X state ___ local

As the designated State Historic Preservation Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service.

State Historic Preservation Officer signature Charles E. Lee

Charles E. Lee
title State Historic Preservation Officer **date** 4/17/87

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I hereby certify that this property is included in the National Register

date 4/28/87

Keeper of the National Register

Attest: **date**

Chief of Registration

two-story, masonry building with partial basement and flat, built-up roof. Originally constructed in an H-shape, a projecting theater was added to the rear in 1928. There are three French doors on the facade under the portico. First story windows throughout the building are similar to these doors. The French windows and doors have double, four-over-four sash windows with transoms and semicircular, masonry keystone arches filled with terra-cotta medallions which commemorate the YWCA. Second story windows are eight-over-eight sash with plain wooden frames. Molded cast stone belt courses align with the first story window sills above the foundation, and brick belt courses form continuous lintels and sills for the second-story windows. The interior entrance lounge has four large Ionic columns and symmetrical curved staircases with turned balustrade.

17. McLaurin Hall (originally South Dormitory), constructed between 1895 and 1901, is a three-story, L-shaped masonry and heavy-timber building. It has high-hipped roofs on both sections of the L, with cross-gables at the ends and in the center of the front section. The cross gables are partially hidden by brick and stone stepped parapets. Windows are narrow, four-over-four sash with granite sills and lintels. The center gable over the main entrance has a semicircular fanlight. In 1936 the original wooden porches and verandas were replaced by a one-story masonry porch across the central pavilion.

19. The Withers Building (originally Winthrop Training School) consists of three major sections. The main classroom and office building was designed by the Atlanta-based architectural firm of Edwards and Sayward and constructed in 1912-13. It is a three-story, masonry building with an E-shaped plan and central, four-story tower. Entrance is at the base of the tower beneath a four-centered Tudor arch, which is decorated with terra-cotta moldings and trim. The tower is of brick laid in Flemish bond, with four octagonal decorative turrets at the tower's corners. A second section consists of the old Presbyterian High School, which is located directly to the rear of the main classroom and office building. It is a two-story, brick building constructed in 1891 and purchased by Winthrop in 1910. The original gable roof was replaced by the current slate hipped roof in 1912-13. It was extensively remodeled and connected to the main classroom and office building by a covered walkway shortly after the new building was constructed. In 1952 a new gymnasium was constructed behind the old high school. It is a masonry building with a bow truss roof. In 1972 the two main wings were connected by a three-story, masonry office

annex designed by Paula Treder of Rock Hill. The Withers Building was listed on the National Register in 1981.

Other properties which contribute to the character of the historic district:

3. Crawford Health Center (originally Winthrop College Infirmary), constructed in 1896 with an addition in 1912 and renovations in 1960 and 1979.

4. Bancroft Hall, built in 1909; the name was changed from Johnson Dormitory in 1920.

5. Kinard Hall, built in 1929.

6. Byrnes Auditorium (originally Winthrop Auditorium) and the Conservatory of Music, constructed in 1939.

7. Phelps Dormitory, (originally Senior Hall), constructed in 1943 and enlarged in 1961.

8. Joynes Hall, (originally Joynes Teachers Dormitory), built in 1926.

9. Thurmond Building, (originally Home Economics Building), constructed in 1939.

10. MacFeat Nursery School, (originally Winthrop Nursery School), constructed in 1939.

11. Memorial Chapel (originally Columbia Presbyterian Seminary Chapel), constructed ca. 1823 in Columbia; taken apart, moved to Winthrop College, and reconstructed in 1936.

12. Amphitheater, excavated in 1915.

14. Roddey Apartments, (originally Roddey Dormitory), constructed in 1920.

15. Breazeale Apartments, constructed as Breazeale Dormitory in 1924.

16. Rutledge Building (originally the Carnegie Library), constructed in 1905 and expanded in 1929.

18. President's Residence (originally the W. H. Stewart House), constructed ca. 1890, acquired by the college in 1893, and extensively remodeled in 1916.

20. Alumni House (originally the Winthrop Practice Home), constructed ca. 1895, purchased by the college in 1912.

Property which does not contribute to the district.

21. Dacus Library, constructed ca. 1969.

housekeeping, and other industrial arts.(7) In 1893 the college was re-named the Winthrop Normal and Industrial College of South Carolina.(8)

The Winthrop Board of Trustees with Governor Tillman as chairman, immediately began to search for a permanent site for the college to allow room for growth and development.(9) In 1893 the city of Rock Hill was chosen because of its financial incentives, the beauty of Oakland Park (around which the college could be built), and the cooperation of Rock Hill's leading citizens.(10)

The Board then chose the Atlanta-based architectural firm of Bruce and Morgan (which had designed the Clemson College campus) to present plans for the design of Winthrop's first building.(11) In the spring of 1894 construction began on Tillman Hall (#1, then known as Main Building) by the Thompson Decker Construction Company of Birmingham, Alabama. Convicts from the South Carolina State Penitentiary completed construction of the building.(12) When the college opened in Rock Hill in 1895, the campus consisted of Tillman Hall, Margaret Nance Hall (#2, then called North Dormitory), and some service buildings. McLaurin Hall (#17, originally known as South Dormitory) was completed in 1901. The president's residence (#18) was acquired in 1893 from William H. Stewart, a prominent Rock Hill citizen. The infirmary (#3, now known as Crawford Health Center) was constructed in 1896 using some of the most modern concepts in medical building construction.(13)

During the first two decades of the twentieth century, enrollment at Winthrop grew rapidly, from 266 regular college students in 1900 to over 1,000 in 1920.(14) The prominence of industrial education at Winthrop decreased as more emphasis was placed on normal and literary education.(15) The construction and renovation of several buildings on campus are associated with this period of growth and development. Rutledge Building (#16, originally known as the Carnegie Library) was built with funds from the philanthropist Andrew Carnegie in 1905. A new dormitory, Bancroft Hall (#4; the name was changed from Johnson Dormitory in 1920), was constructed in 1909.(16) Reflecting Winthrop's increasingly important role in the education of South Carolina's teachers, the college purchased the Presbyterian High School building in 1910 to provide an area for its practice school.(17) When the practice school outgrew this building, a large addition was constructed in front of the old high school to serve as the main classroom and office building of the Winthrop Training School (#19, now known as the Withers Building). The college purchased another house from William H. Stewart on the corner of Oakland and Eden Terrace in 1912 to provide a

Winthrop Practice Home (#20, now used as the Alumni House), where seniors could practice the details of housekeeping.(18)

In 1920 the name of the college was changed to Winthrop College, the South Carolina College for Women. It was accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools in 1923.(19) Enrollment continued to increase during the 1920s and several new dormitories were constructed, including Roddey Apartments (#14, originally Roddey Dormitory), constructed in 1920; Breazeale Apartments (#15, originally Breazeale Dormitory), completed in 1924; and Joynes Hall (#8, originally Joynes Teachers Dormitory), completed in 1926.(20) The construction of Johnson Hall (#13) in 1920 with funds from J.D. Rockefeller and the Y.W.C.A. further emphasized Winthrop's importance as a women's college in South Carolina. The Winthrop College chapter of the Y.W.C.A. had the largest college membership in the South and was active in several progressive causes such as a free kindergarten for mill children, finding jobs for college graduates, and missionary and food programs.(21)

Winthrop experienced growth and development during the 1930s in spite of the Depression. Enrollment declined in the early 1930s, but began to increase again in 1935 and peaked at 1,826 in 1940-41. Aid from various New Deal agencies allowed the college to undertake several building projects.(22) In 1936 the chapel (#11) in which the Winthrop Training School for Teachers first held classes in Columbia, and which was reputedly designed by Robert Mills, was given to the college by the Presbyterian Seminary Board of Directors and was reconstructed on the Rock Hill campus under the direction of the Works Progress Administration.(23) In 1937 a building program of a larger scale was undertaken with funds from the Public Works Administration and the South Carolina state government. As a result Byrnes Auditorium and the Conservatory of Music (#6, originally Winthrop Auditorium and the Conservatory of Music) and the Thurmond Building (#9, originally the Home Economics Building) were completed in 1939. Built at a cost of over $600,000, these were two of five major college buildings in the state constructed with P.W.A. funds. By the late 1930s Winthrop's auditorium could no longer seat the entire student body and faculty at one time, and the construction of Byrnes Auditorium provided much needed meeting space for the college. The Thurmond Building was designed to facilitate Winthrop's expanding and developing home economics program. By this time earlier courses in cooking, sewing, and housekeeping had been replaced by courses such as foods and nutrition, consumer education, interior decoration, and clothing and textiles. Also completed in 1939 as a part of the Thurmond Building was the MacFeat Nursery School (#10, then known as Winthrop Nursery

School), a building planned to accomodate the activities of Winthrop's innovative program in the education of nursery school children.(24) Another dormitory, Phelps Dormitory (#7, originally named Senior Hall), completed in 1943, helped accomodate the increased enrollment.(25)

During World War II enrollment declined at Winthrop, and no new buildings were constructed on the campus from 1944 through the 1950s. Enrollment began to grow rapidly again during the 1960s, however, and a new period of building construction began.(26) The college became a co-educational institution in 1974 and is now known as Winthrop College.

Education: From its inception, a primary mission of Winthrop was to train teachers for the white public schools in South Carolina. Through the first half of the twentieth century, Winthrop dominated teacher education in the state. For example, a 1946 survey of higher education in the state, noted that Winthrop trained most of the prospective teachers for South Carolina's white public schools.(27)

The college was also an innovator in teaching methods. For example, Winthrop was a pioneer in providing a model or practice school where student teachers could learn through observation and teaching experience. The plans for Tillman Hall included four large rooms for a model school. The model school program, later moved to the Withers Building, continued to train teachers until 1968.(28)

In addition, in 1910 Winthrop was chosen by the Peabody Board to develop a plan for an experimental rural school, the main purpose of which was to prepare rural children for rural life. The experiment was so successful that in 1913 the Department of the Interior requested that a bulletin about the program be printed for use in the United States. This school continued to operate through the 1920s.(29)

Winthrop was also a leader in early childhood education. In the summer of 1899 a kindergarten was organized as a part of the model school by Miss Minnie McFeat. In 1934 Winthrop opened a model nursery school, and in 1935 a program to study the development of nursery school children was initiated on the campus.(30)

Women's History: Winthrop College was the first state-supported college for women in South Carolina. Although the state helped fund three white colleges, none of these institutions were open to women students. The establishment of Winthrop revealed an increasing interest in the education of women in South Carolina, and provided many women with a college education who would not have been able to afford one at the private colleges in the state.(31)

Architecture: The Winthrop College Historic District contains several buildings which exhibit elements of the architectural styles popular around the turn of the century. The more prominent ones include the Classical Revival style represented by the Alumni House (#20), Byrnes Auditorium and the Music Conservatory (#6), Johnson Hall (#13), the President's Residence (#18), and Rutledge Art Building (#16); Neo-Georgian elements are apparent in Joynes Hall (#8), Kinard Hall (#5), Roddey Apartments (#14), and the Thurmond Building (#9). The Withers Building (#19) reflects elements of the Tudor Revival style and Tillman Hall (#1) of the Richardsonian Romansque style. In addition, the Winthrop College Historic District represents one of the most intact collections of turn-of-century college buildings in South Carolina.

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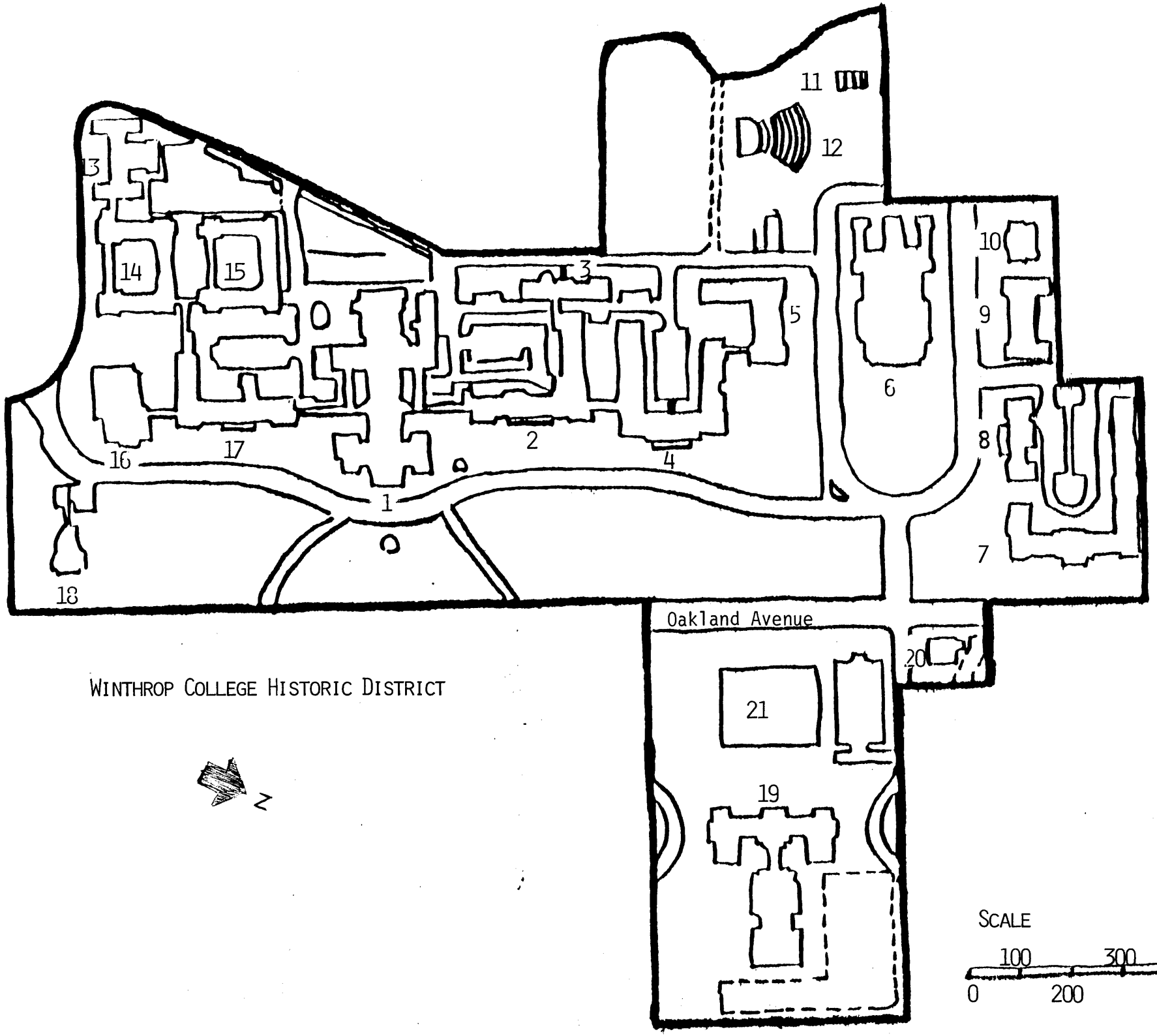

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