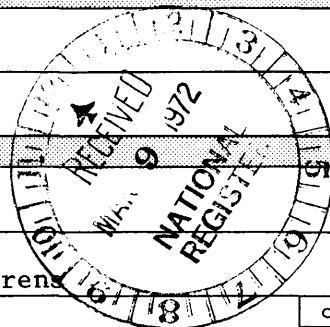


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NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
INVENTORY - NOMINATION FORM

(Type all entries - complete applicable sections)

STATE: Idaho	
COUNTY: Idaho	
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1. NAME					
COMMON: Burgdorf					
AND/OR HISTORIC:					
2. LOCATION					
STREET AND NUMBER: Warrens vicinity Section 1, T22N, R4E					
CITY OR TOWN: About 15 miles directly west of Warren					
STATE Idaho		CODE 16	COUNTY: Idaho		CODE 049
3. CLASSIFICATION					
CATEGORY (Check One)		OWNERSHIP		STATUS	ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC
☐ District ☐ Building ☒ Site ☐ Structure ☐ Object		☐ Public ☒ Private ☐ Both		☒ Occupied ☐ Unoccupied ☐ Preservation work in progress	Yes: ☐ Restricted ☒ Unrestricted ☐ No
PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)					
☐ Agricultural ☒ Commercial ☐ Educational ☐ Entertainment	☐ Government ☐ Industrial ☐ Military ☐ Museum	☐ Park ☐ Private Residence ☐ Religious ☐ Scientific	☐ Transportation ☒ Other (Specify) Resort	☐ Comments	
4. OWNER OF PROPERTY					
OWNER'S NAME: Mrs. Robert Reynolds - U.S. Forest Service					
STREET AND NUMBER:					
CITY OR TOWN:			STATE:	CODE	
5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION					
COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC:					
Idaho County Courthouse					
STREET AND NUMBER:					
CITY OR TOWN: Grangeville			STATE Idaho	CODE 16	
6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS					
TITLE OF SURVEY:					
DATE OF SURVEY: ☐ Federal ☐ State ☐ County ☐ Local					
DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS:					
STREET AND NUMBER:					
CITY OR TOWN:			STATE:	CODE	

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7 DESCRIPTION

CONDITION

(Check One)
☐ Excellent ☐ Good ☒ Fair ☐ Deteriorated ☐ Ruins ☐ Unexposed

(Check One)
☐ Altered ☒ Unaltered

(Check One)
☐ Moved ☒ Original Site

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (if known) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The log buildings, dating back as early as 1901, are situated in a valley surrounded by tall pines. The main building, a two-story lodge, boasts more than 20 rooms and a large, eight foot wide, fireplace with massive andirons in the main living room. The original furniture was made from trees containing unusually large knots; the knots were incorporated into the furniture. Some of the smaller structures, including a bath house situated nearby the smaller of the two pools (8' by 12'), are still standing. The larger pool, 20 feet by 40 feet, although warm, is cooler than the smaller one because of the large surface area permitting more evaporation. Both pools are natural warm springs which have been enclosed by logs. Separate resort cabins, also built of logs, are scattered around the site.

The country around Burgdorf has not changed much over the years.

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8. SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD (Check One or More as Appropriate)

☐ Pre-Columbian☐ 16th Century☐ 18th Century☒ 20th Century☐ 15th Century☐ 17th Century☒ 19th Century

SPECIFIC DATE(S) (If Applicable and Known) 1870

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

Aboriginal

☐ Education☐ Political☐ Urban Planning☐ Prehistoric☐ Engineering☐ Religion/Phi-☒ Other (Specify)☐ Historic☐ Industry

losophy

Resort

☐ Agriculture☐ Invention☐ Science☐ Architecture☐ Landscape☐ Sculpture☐ Art

Architecture

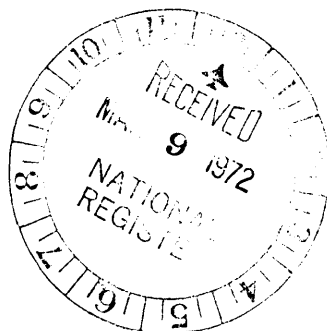
☐ Social/Human-☒ Commerce☐ Literature

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☐ Communications☐ Military☐ Theater☐ Conservation☐ Music☐ Transportation

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

Fred C. Burgdorf, a German emigrant, came to the United States a teenager. He came to Warrens in 1864 and heard of the hot springs from a Chinese miner while working in the area during 1866. The springs were initially called Warm Springs until Burgdorf settled on the land in 1870 and renamed his acquisition Resort. He eventually built a hotel and also ran a post office there during the mining boom. When interest in the Thunder Mountain country began to develop after 1898, his location on the route from Grangeville to the mining sites proved to be fortunate. By 1902 a major gold rush to Thunder Mountain built up traffic greatly, justifying enlargement of the Burgdorf Hotel. In 1902, he married Jannette Foronsard, a singer from Denver, and it was she who changed the name Resort to Burgdorf. When his wife died in 1923, Burgdorf sold his interests and retired in Weiser. During the depression, construction of a forest road up French Creek through Burgdorf by the CCC improved the accessibility for travelers. The hotel continued to operate until 1964, but still stands. The swimming pool and resort cabins are presently utilized in the summer and fall. Burgdorf, in fact, is one of Idaho's oldest resorts.



9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

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 Robert G. Bailey, River of No Return (Lewiston, 1935).
 M. Alfreda Elsensohn, Pioneer Days in Idaho County (Caldwell, 1947).

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10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING A RECTANGLE LOCATING THE PROPERTY				LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING THE CENTER POINT OF A PROPERTY OF LESS THAN TEN ACRES			
CORNER	LATITUDE			LONGITUDE			
	Degrees	Minutes	Seconds	Degrees	Minutes	Seconds	
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NE	45°	16'	28"	115°	54'	26"	
SE	45°	16'	48"	115°	54'	26"	
SW	45°	16'	48"	115°	55'	00"	

APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY: 113 acres 1972

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE:	CODE	COUNTY:	CODE

A copy of this form has been sent to the Federal agency.

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11. FORM PREPARED BY

NAME AND TITLE: Merle Wells, State Liaison Officer		
ORGANIZATION Idaho State Historical Society	DATE Feb. 24, 1972	
STREET AND NUMBER: 610 North Julia Davis Drive		
CITY OR TOWN: Boise	STATE Idaho	CODE 16

12. STATE LIAISON OFFICER CERTIFICATION

NATIONAL REGISTER VERIFICATION

As the designated State Liaison 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. The recommended level of significance of this nomination is:

National ☐ State ☒ Local ☐

Name

Merle Wells

Title

State Liaison Officer

Date

February 24, 1972

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

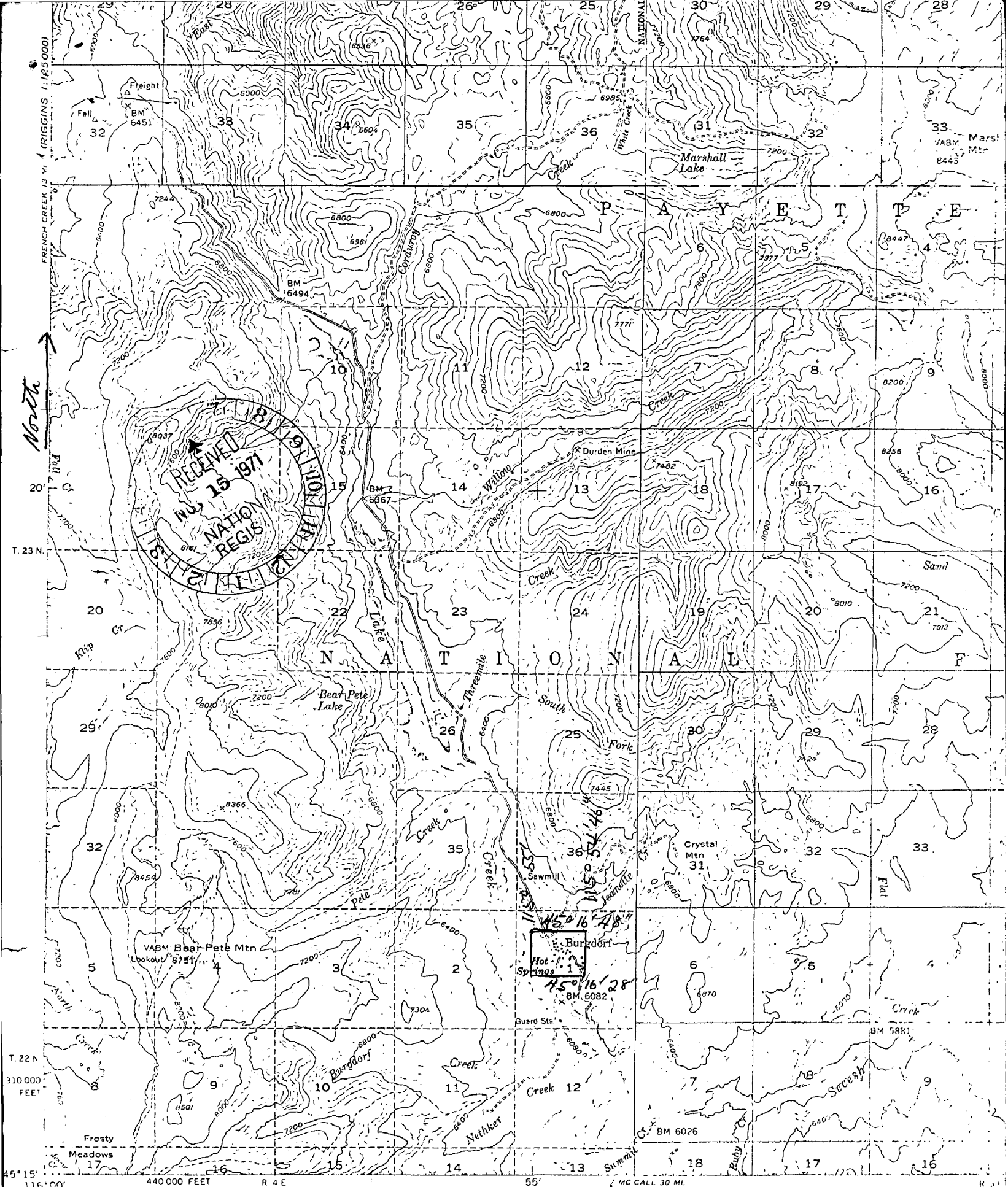
Robert M. Utley
 Chief, Office of Archeology and Historic Preservation

Date

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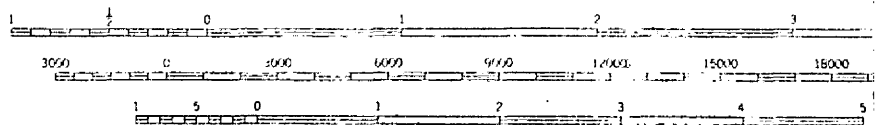
ATTEST:

for J Bradford
 Keeper of The National Register
 Date April 5, 1972



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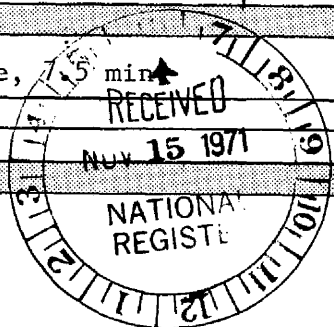
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3. MAP REFERENCE			
SOURCE: United States Geological Survey, Burgdorf Quadrangle, 7.5 min			
SCALE: 1:62,500			
DATE: 1956			
4. REQUIREMENTS			
TO BE INCLUDED ON ALL MAPS			
1. Property boundaries where required.			
2. North arrow.			
3. Latitude and longitude reference.			





BURGDORF #1

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PROPERTY PHOTOGRAPH FORM

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STATE:

Idaho

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COUNTY:

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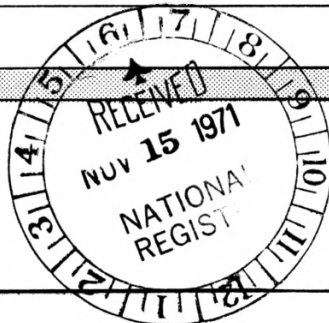
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DESCRIBE VIEW, DIRECTION, ETC.

#1 - View of Burgdorf looking northeast



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BURGDORF #2

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CODE
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COUNTY: Idaho

CODE
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DATE OF PHOTO: Contemporary

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4. IDENTIFICATION

DESCRIBE VIEW, DIRECTION, ETC.

#2 - View of Burgdorf looking west



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