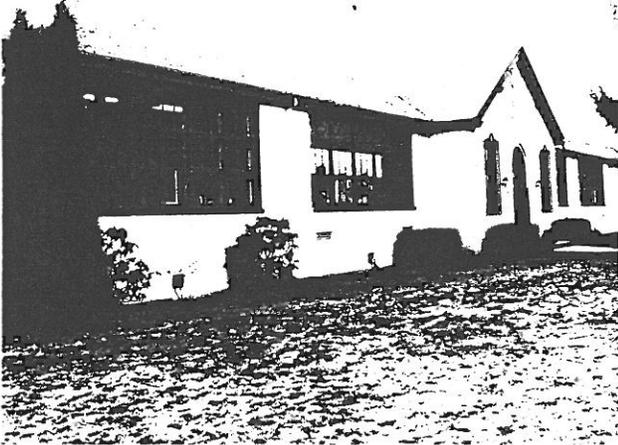


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Name
(Common) Queen Anne School
(Historic) Queen Anne School
Address 142 Elmore Street
Present Owner School District #16
Address 485 Fifth Street
Original Use grade school
Date of Construction 1930
Map Reference Number 144

Physical description of property and statement of historical significance:

The Queen Anne School is a one-story Mediterranean style building which originally had a rectangular floor plan and a low-pitched, truncated hip roof which was oriented east-west. A tall auditorium built on the southeast corner and new classroom wings on the south and west combine to form the contemporary F-shaped floor plan.

The gabled entry in the center of the north facade contains doors and a multi-light transom set within a rounded arch. On each side there is a multi-light window with a grille capped by decorative wrought iron work. The entrance pavilion is detailed with stepped radiating vousoirs and a large seal above the door. There are decorative lights on each side of the entry and projected purlins and a verge board at the gable. On each side of the entry there are two original bays containing banks of five nine-light windows.

The classroom addition on the west jogs out and contains two more bays with multi-light windows. The roof continues parallel to the street but this addition consists of two hip roofs separated by a corridor. The west end has a door in the center and no windows.

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The south elevation of the west wing has five groups of three windows and a center doorway. There is a brick-clad, one-story, hip roof south wing that has been added at the center of the building. The auditorium in the southeast corner is connected by a flat roof addition and walkway. The end of the original east wing has a slightly projected round arch in the center contains a door with a rounded transom and a decorative light above the entry. On the left there is a bank of five, three-light windows.

History

F. Manson White of Portland was the architect. C. E. Stockton of Gresham was the builder. The school was completed in February of 1930 at a cost of nearly \$30,000, providing eight classrooms for 350 students. Superintendent Wilcox and School Board members John Summers, N. M. Newport and Fred Kerr were given substantial credit for developing the building program for the school. The school was built on the site of Queen Anne Park, which the city gave to the school district through an exchange. Queen Anne Park was donated by Joel C. Mayer and was named after his wife. Anne DuMond Mayer was raised in Albany, but was born in Toronto, Canada in 1896.

