

**BEAUFORT COUNTY
HISTORIC SITES SURVEY - 1997**

INTENSIVE LEVEL SITE INVENTORY FORM

RESTRICTED

Statewide Survey Site Form
State Historic Preservation Office
South Carolina Department of Archives and History
Columbia, SC

Site Number: R- 13 - 714
Access County Site #

USGS Quad: 025 Beaufort
Doc. Level: Intensive Level-Site

Historic name(s): Knauth Property Map Ref.: BFT 21 Tax Number: R100 006 000 039B 0000
Common name(s): _____ City Block Ref.: _____ Island: Port Royal Is.
Address/location: 2851 Broome Ln. City/Vicinity of (vic.): Beaufort vic.
Date: 1940 ca. Alteration date: _____
Ownership: 1. private 2. city 3. county 4. state 5. federal 6. unknown
Category: 1. building 2. site 3. structure 4. object
Historic use(s): single dwelling Current uses: single dwelling

National Register Status: _____ Date: _____ Listing Name: _____ NRIS # _____

SHPO National Register Evaluation: Potential National Register eligible Name: _____

Consultant Recommendation: _____ Name: _____

Previous Survey: Reference: Notes:
 H.A.B.S. Other _____
 Feiss-Wright (1969) _____
 Historic Resources of the Lowcountry (1979) _____
 Milner Historic District Inventory (1979) _____
 A Guide to Historic Beaufort (1995 ed.) _____

Photograph:

Permission to Photograph
Denied

Photographs:
 prints
 slides
 negatives

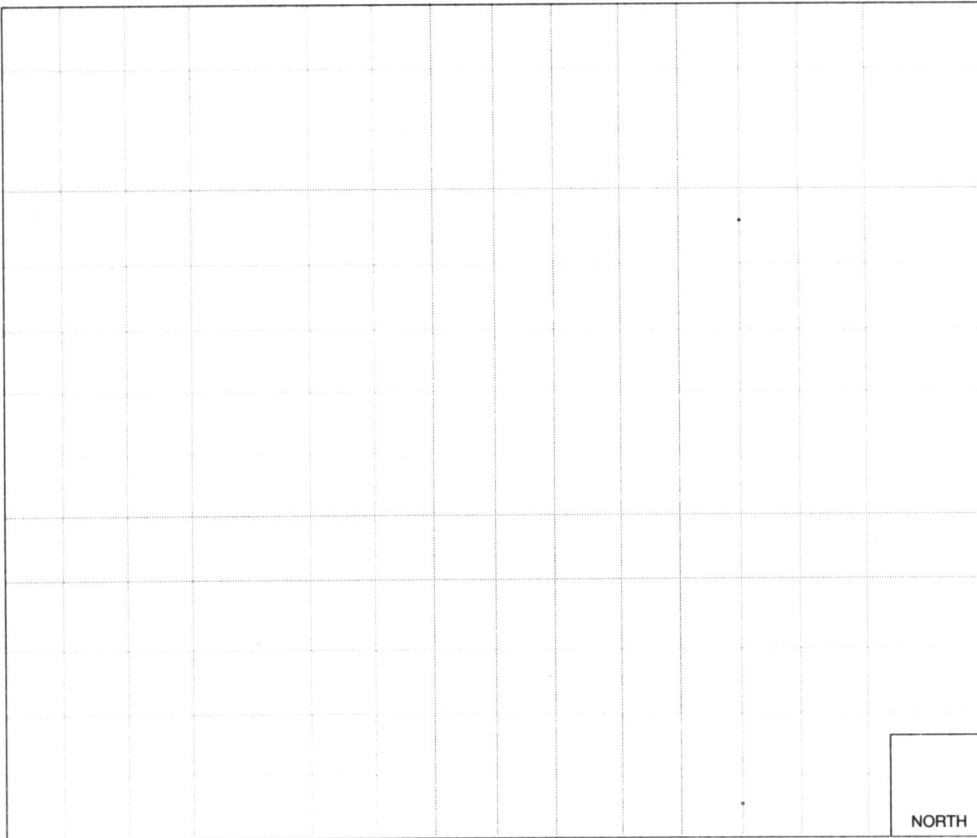
Date: 6/1/97 Recorder: D. Schneider, Historic Beaufort Fdn. Roll # Neg. View of: _____

Surroundings: residential

Acreage:

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Sketch:



Description: Unusual complex of buildings consisting of detached structures built to serve as a living room, a dining room, a kitchen, an office, a captain's quarters, etc.; access to site was not permitted, information based on verbal sources

Alterations: Alteration date: Integrity: excellent good fair poor Other...

Historical Data: Existing buildings built for Oswald Knauth, treasurer for Macy's department store chain, between 1937 and 1945; Knauth was a professor of economics at Columbia University and was prominent during the Eisenhower administration; notable visitors to the property included John Foster Dulles; Knauth apparently acquired a great deal of property in what is now known as the Mossy Oaks area in the early 20th century

Informant/Bibliography: Interview, Beecher Hoogenboom, Beaufort, SC, 8/6/97; Dr. Herbert Keyserling, 6/1/97